

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 1, 2012**

### **CANNON, SHARLENE (SHAR), 57**

Ocklawaha - Sharlene (Shar) Cannon, age 57, of Ocklawaha, FL, quietly passed away from lung cancer on Wednesday, December 28, 2011 surrounded by her loving family. Her parents, Bernard M. Cannon and Ann Powell Cannon, preceded her in death. She is survived by her brother and sister-in-law, Bruce and Annette Cannon, Fountain City, IN; sisters and brothers-in-law, Sharon and John Lord, Spring Grove, IL and Abby and John Saccomanno, Suwanee, GA; nieces and nephews, Ann and Brian Jensen, Spring Grove, IL and Crystal and Brent O'Shields, Cumming, GA; nephews and nieces, John Lord, Spring Grove, IL and Michael Saccomanno, Duluth, GA; great nieces, Kristen Lord, Bailey Jensen and Camdyn O'Shields; great nephews, Kevin Jensen, Braden O'Shields and Nolan O'Shields. Sharlene Cannon was born March 23, 1954 in Chicago, IL and grew up in Roselle, IL. She graduated from Lake Park High School. As an adult, Shar moved to Ocklawaha, FL and was employed at the Forest Center Winn-Dixie for eighteen years. Shar resided in Ocklawaha until her illness advanced and then she spent the last five months of her life living in Suwanee, GA with her sister and brother-in-law, Abby and John Saccomanno. Shar loved the time she spent in Wisconsin fishing and target shooting, and she also loved the ocean. Shar was patient, understanding and very kindhearted. She was always thinking of others before herself. There will be no services in Georgia. Those who so desire may make memorial donations in memory of Sharlene to the American Cancer Society , 6500 Sugarloaf Parkway, Suite 260, Duluth, GA 30097. To express condolences, please sign our online guest book at [www.flaniganfuneralhome.com](http://www.flaniganfuneralhome.com). Arrangements by: Junior E. Flanigan of Flanigan Funeral Home and Crematory, Buford, GA, 770-932-1133.

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### **GIBSON, THEODORE, 62**

Augusta, GA - Theodore (David/Peabody) Gibson, 62, died on December 22, 2011 in Augusta, GA VA Hospital. He was born on June 20, 1949 in Ocala, FL. He was a graduate of Fessenden High School and served in the United States Navy. He is survived by his wife Cynthia of Augusta, GA; sons: Gregory of Ocala, FL, and Kevin of Wiesbaden, Germany; daughters: Regina of Colorado Springs, CO; Tonya of Gainesville, FL; Latasha (Keaton) Davis of Ocala, FL; and Cicarra of Lake City, FL; brother, Keith of Palatka, FL; sisters: Alma of Tulsa, OK, Veronica (Devin) Scott, and Gloria (Carl) Epps of W. Palm Beach, FL, Denise (Cedric) Doner of Jacksonville, FL, and Jacki of Ocala, FL; 14 grandchildren; one aunt; one uncle; and several nieces, nephews, and cousins. Funeral services will be on Saturday, December 31st at 2:00 p.m. at Ebenezer Independent Free Methodist Church, 5595 W. Hwy. 326, Zuber, FL. Viewing will be Friday, December 30th at Ebenezer Independent Free Methodist Church from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Wake service Thursday, December 29, 2011. Arrangements entrusted to J. Hadley Funeral Home, (904)368-0210 or (352)351-0210.

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### **HOLDEN, WAYNE STEVEN "STEVE", 57**

Ocala - Wayne Steven Holden, 57, of Ocala, FL, passed away at Legacy Hospice House on Tues., Dec. 27, 2011. Mr. Holden was born in Aberdale, MD on 01-20-54 to Wayne and Gervaise (Broker) Holden. He moved onto Morning View, KY and to Ocala, FL. Mr. Holden is a veteran of the U.S. Army. He was a retired Horseman; that served several horse farms in Marion

County and the State of KY. He leaves his family, and many friends. Mr. Holden is survived by his wife Mary Ann; father Wayne Holden of Mountain View, AR; sister and brother-in-law Susan and Ricky Leek of Warsaw, KY; daughters: Kellis Campbell, and Katie Holden; step-daughters: Maureen McHugh, Jennifer Green, Heather Visconti, 7 grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren.

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**MICHEL, JANET JOAN, 81**

Bellevue - Born January 23, 1930 in Watertown, NY, Janet Joan Michel died December 26, 2011 in Gainesville, FL. She was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. She served and volunteered her time with the Ladies of the DAV. She is survived by her beloved husband of 64 years, Charles of Bellevue, FL; daughters, Gaye Alexander, and Sally Michel, both of Bellevue, FL; sons, Michael (Brenda) Michel of Alolphus, KY, Daniel (Pamela) Michel of Baldwinsville, NY; 12 grandchildren; and 32 great-grandchildren. Visitation will be Friday 5:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Bellevue, 352-245-2424.

Funeral mass will be Sat., Dec. 31, 2011, 10:30 A.M. at St. Theresa Catholic Church. Interment will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. Memorials may be sent to VFW Post #8083, or DAV Post #85. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**POHLMAN, HAZEL J.**

Broomfield, CO - Born Jan. 19, 1917, Hazel J. Pohlman passed away Dec. 13, 2011. Hazel and Gene Pohlman lived in Kingsland Estates for over 25 years. After Gene's death in 1983, Hazel moved to Broomfield, CO where she lived out her final days. She is survived by 5 children, Carol (Stanek), Bobbi (LaPlaca), Dale (Sheri), Edward (Becky), Michael (Patti), and 10 grandchildren, 4 step-grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, 1 great-great-grandchild, and many nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held in Broomfield, CO on Jan. 7, 2012.

Donations to Alzheimer's Association or your favorite charity gratefully encouraged in lieu of flowers. Please visit [www.rundus.com](http://www.rundus.com) to leave the family a condolence message or memory.

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**SELENT, WALTER "PETE", 75**

Ocala - Walter "Pete" Selent, 75, Ocala, passed away on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, 2011 at Legacy House Hospice Center in Ocala. He was a meat-cutter and manager by trade, in Ohio, for most of his life and recently worked at Sears in Ocala, FL. Pete was a veteran of the U.S. Army and served during the Cuban Crisis. He was preceded in death by his father, Frederick Selent and his first wife Dorothy Selent. Pete is survived by his Loving wife Jean Selent of Palm Cay, Ocala; mother, Marianne Selent, who turned 100 years old on Christmas Eve, the day of Pete's passing onto his Lord; sons Edward and Peter Selent, both of Ohio; grandchildren, Samuel and Kori Selent of Ohio; brothers, Bob Selent, Bellevue, FL, Rudy Selent of Chicago, IL and Erich Selent of Denver, Colorado; step-son Preston Wolk of Ohio; step-daughter Jennifer Steckman of Missouri. A Memorial Service will be held at Joy Evangelical Lutheran Church, 7045 S.W. 83rd Place, Ocala, where he was a member, on Saturday, January 14, 2012 at 2:00 P.M. Memorial Contributions in his Memory may be given to Joy Evangelical Lutheran Church. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala.

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**SOUDERS, ROBERT (BOB) JAMES, 81**

Ocala - Born March 23, 1930 in Carrol, OH to the late George W. and Josephine Souders, Robert (Bob) James Souders died December 27, 2011 in Ocala, FL. He served our country in the U.S. Army. He is survived by his daughters, Kathy (Carl) Tyre of Punta Gorda, FL; Kimley (Jeff) Carpenter of Frankfort, OH, and companion, Jo A. Graham of Ocala, FL; sister, Margaret Snoke of Lancaster, OH; eleven grandchildren; and twelve great-grandchildren, several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, daughter Kristi Aguilera, and six brothers and sisters. Bob's favorite things in life were his family and selling cars. Memorial service will be held Tuesday, January 3, 2012 11 A.M. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxlev.com](http://www.hiers-baxlev.com). In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to UF Shands Cancer Center.

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**YATES, KEITH T., 67**

Ocala - Keith Thomas "Worm" Yates, 67, died Dec. 18, 2011 following a brief illness at the VA Hospital in Gainesville. He had lived in this area all of his life. He was a member of the 1st Christian Church of Ocala. He served in the U.S. Army, enjoyed fishing, golfing, was a former jockey, and retired from Farnsworth Farm. He is survived by sisters, Kathy Yates of Ocala, Carol Yates of Morriston, Velma Conroy of Prospect, KY, and Anne Hovendon of Louisville, KY; brother, Kenneth Yates of Louisville, KY; son, Roy Yates of Manchester, TN; and a granddaughter. He was preceded in death by his parents, Roy and Kathleen Yates, his brother, Frank Yates, Sr., and nephew, Mike Hovendon. The family will hold a memorial service at the 1st Christian Church in Ocala on Ft. King Street on Jan. 4th at 2 p.m. Donations can be made to the Veterans Administration Hospital (Attn: Volunteer Services, Palliative Care Unit, 1601 S.W. Archer Rd., Gainesville, FL 32608). Arrangements are under the direction of Knauff Funeral Home - Williston.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 2, 2012****AMES, FRANCIS PATRICK, 91**

Ocala - Francis P. Ames, of Ocala, FL, passed away on December 8, 2011 in Ocala. Mr. Ames was the son of Francis William and Agnes (Walsh) Ames of New York. Mr. Ames entered the Army Air Corps and served as a distinguished fighter pilot during W.W. II. After the service Mr. Ames was an Engineer with AT&T Telecommunications Company for many years. He was Catholic by faith. He enjoyed photography as a hobby and was especially proud of and loved his family. Mr. Ames moved to Ocala from Phoenix, AZ in 1996. Francis leaves behind his loving wife Diana of Ocala; his daughters Deborah Worth and husband Steve of Philadelphia, PA, Denise Granito and husband Conrad of Providence, RI; and his son David Ames of Gilbert, AZ; his grandchildren Michael Worth, Tracy DiFonzo, Stephanie Ames, Etienne Mechrefe, Amelie Tartaglione, and his great-grandchildren Yasmine Mechrefe, Lillia Mechrefe, Anthony Mechrefe, and Kate Worth, and his sister Patricia DeVeux. Memorial Service for Mr. Ames will be Saturday, January 7, 2012 at 2:00 P.M. at Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL with Pastor Jeremy Culpepper officiating. Memorials may be made to the charity of your choice . Condolences may be posted to [Hiers-Baxley.com](http://Hiers-Baxley.com).

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#### **CRIPPEN, RAYMOND LAVERNE, 79**

Ocala - Raymond Laverne Crippen, 79, died December 23, 2011 in Ocala. Mr. Crippen was born January 6, 1932 in Erie, PA to Austin and Lillian Crippen. Ray was born during the Great Depression and through hard work and dedication rose to the top of his profession and served as President of the Florida Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, founding partner of the CPA firm of Crippen, Trice, Ford, Torres, LLP and member of Grace Episcopal Church. He also was a member of the Ocala Elks, Charter President of Ocala Kiwanis Club, Past President of Marion County Economic Development Council, and Life Member of VFW and American Legion. He was a graduate of the University of Florida, Class of 1958 and was an avid Gator football fan. He loved traveling and golfing. He is survived by his wife of 39 years, Elsie Crippen of Ocala; sons, Jeff (April) Crippen of Ocala and Mike Crippen of Clearwater, FL; daughters, Sandie (Dan) Llamas of Land O' Lakes, FL, Susie Crippen of Thousand Oaks, CA, and Tracey Morris of Belleview, FL; brother, Bob Crippen of Salt Springs, FL; and grandchildren Dawn Crippen, Brittany Crippen, Brooke Crippen, Taylor Gibson, Matthew Llamas, Brenna Crippen, Daniel Crippen, and James (Tab) Morris. A memorial

gathering will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Chapel, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Thursday, January 5, 2012 from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Those who wish may make contributions to the University of Florida Foundation, Inc., PO Box 14425, Gainesville, FL 32604-9949, or FICPA Educational Foundation Inc., PO Box 5437, Tallahassee, FL 32314. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 3 to January 4, 2012

**DUFFY, RENE J.**

Ocala - Rene J. Duffy, 86, Loving husband, father and grandfather, Rene passed away on Thursday, December 29th in Miami FL. Born in NH, he was a resident of FL for over 50 years. He was a Navy veteran serving honorably in the South Pacific during World War II. Rene was predeceased by his wife of 55 years, Theresa, and is survived by his daughters Kristine Register and Nancy Dzamba, son-in-laws Jorge Rodriguez and John Dzamba, and grandchildren Lindsey Eccles and Jason Dzamba. Mr. Duffy will be interred at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266.

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**KONSTAND, FRED**

Fred Konstand, US Navy WWII Veteran, 91, passed on December 31st, 2011. Born and resided in Akron, OH, lived in Wellington, FL coming from Gainesville, FL. His illustrious career as a Real Estate Developer included Summit Mall, Akron, OH and The Gainesville Hilton just to name a few. He was a member of numerous organizations including Shriners and AHEPA. He is survived by his beloved wife of 67 years Vasila; his children, William (Janet) and Karen; his grandchildren, William (Stacy), Fred, Nicholas and Jill; and great granddaughter, Kylie. Arrangements entrusted to Babione Funeral Home, [www.BabioneBocaRaton.com](http://www.BabioneBocaRaton.com)

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**LYNN, ROY "EUGENE" 59**

Ft. McCoy - Eugene Lynn was born in Irvin, Florida on 01/25/1952 and passed away at the Tuscany House on 12/31/2011. Eugene was a mechanic, was of the Baptist faith and will now be our families "Guardian Angel." He is preceded in death by both parents, Ruby & Newton Lynn and other loved ones. He is survived by his wife of 35 years, Linda Lynn; daughters, Michelle Clark & Wendy Mooney (Justin); sons, Gerald Boatwright (Tammy), Joshua Lynn (Amy) & Elijah Lynn (Marie); sisters, Delta Anderson (Bill), Ester Thompson (Craig) & Juanita Hebert (Dave); sister-in-Law, Terri Lynn; brothers, Tommy Lynn (Patsy), Edd Lynn (Gail), Frank Lynn & Andy Lynn. Eugene has 17 grandchildren. Visitation will be held at the Countryside Funeral Home in Anthony, Florida between the hours of 6:00-8:00PM on Friday, January 6th. Graveside Services will be held at the Ft. McCoy Cemetery in Ft. McCoy, Florida at 1:00 PM with Rev. Frank Jessup officiating on Saturday, January 7, 2012.

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**RICKENBACH, RICHARD "RICK" VERNON**

Richard "Rick" Vernon Rickenbach, 87, passed away peacefully at his home Thursday, December 29, 2011. He was born January 8, 1924 in Punta Gorda, Florida. Rick was the son of Anna Maria and August Rickenbach. He will best be remembered by his family as a wonderful husband, father and grandfather and will be greatly missed. At the University Of Florida, he was

a member of the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity and the UF marching band, and graduated with a Masters degree in history. Following college, he served in the army. Upon moving to Ocala, he worked for the Ocala Star Banner. He married Bettie Long, his best friend and partner of 59 years, at The First Presbyterian Church where he became an elder of the church. Rick and Bettie were business owners in Ocala for 50 years starting with the purchase of Cole Office Equipment. In 1968 Rick was asked to open Rheinauers Gift Shop when Rheinauers relocated from downtown to the Ocala Shopping Center where he collected beautiful gifts for special occasions. Throughout his life, his dedication to community was immense. He was involved in many Ocala and Gainesville organizations. Among those, FAFO, Friends of the Library, HOPS, Friends of Music, Ocala Community Concerts, The Appleton Museum of Art and The Florida Museum of Natural History in Gainesville. He had a strong love of family and a terrific dry sense of humor. He enjoyed the arts, music, traveling, antiquing, entertaining friends, playing the piano and listening to Bettie play the piano. Rick was a kind gentleman and his life made a difference to so many people. He was preceded in death by his parents, three sisters Charlotte Stebbings, Marie Taylor, and Stella Martin, and his two brothers Adolph and August Rickenbach. Survivors include his wife Bettie Long Rickenbach; his daughter Marie R. Tuck of Ocala; his son August Walter Rickenbach, II of Saint Augustine, FL; grandsons William H. Tuck, III of Ocala and Richard Connor Tuck of Ocala, a niece Margaret Kratt and two nephews James Martin and Charles R. Mahoney. In lieu of flowers, contributions in Rick's memory may be made to The Appleton Museum of Art, 4333 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida 34470. Services are being held privately.

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#### **SMITH, VINSON C.**

Vinson C. Smith, age 97, of Ocala died Saturday December 31, 2011 at Estelle's Hospice House. He was born on November 26, 1914 in Marlboro, Mass. Mr. Smith was a WWII U.S. Army veteran and received both a Bronze Star and a Purple Heart for his service. He was also a past member of the American Legion, the VFW and the Moose. Survivors include two sons and daughter-in-law Stephen and Susan Smith of Ocala, Mark Smith of Taunton, Mass., two daughters and sons-in-law Susan and Al Rounds of Taunton, Mass., Meg and Mike Hackett of Palmetto, FL., seven grandchildren and four great grandchildren. The family suggests donations to Hospice of Marion County. Forest Lawn Funeral Home is in charge of the cremation arrangements.

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on earth. Words could never describe how much we will miss our little baby boy - "Bruen-Bruen Whatcha Doin". The viewing will be held on Thursday January 5, 2012 from 5-7 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church. The Funeral will also be at Trinity Baptist Church on Friday, January 6, 2012 at 1 p.m. Trinity Baptist Church is located at 1600 SE 58th Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. (The corner of SE 17th Street and Baseline Road/CR 35/58th Ave.) All funeral arrangements are being made at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, (352) 629-7171.

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**EAGAN, JR., JOHN J. "JACK", 88**

Ocala - John J. "Jack" Eagan, Jr., 88, Ocala, "Knocked on Heaven's Door for the third time" on New Years Day, 2012. Born on March 3, 1923 in Brooklyn, NY, son to the late John J. and Alice (Essex) Eagan, Sr., he moved here from Woodhaven, NY in 1990. He was a US Army Air Corp veteran of WWII; having served as an airplane armorer at the rank of corporal in the South Pacific for 38 months. He then worked as a pressman for the New York Times for 42 years;



retiring in 1990. Jack was a member of the Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala; and lifetime member of the Knights of Columbus and the Angela S. Santos VFW Post#4781, Ocala. He loved the holidays with his family and enjoyed reading. Jack was also preceded in death by his daughter Mary Elizabeth Eagan and his brother Edward. He is survived by his Beloved Wife of 64 years, Lorraine, daughters Maureen T. Florio (Patrick) of Valley Stream, NY and Kathleen M. Eagan of Hicksville, NY: 6 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. A Funeral Mass will be held on Friday, January 6, 2012 at 8:30 A.M. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Father Patrick O'Doherty officiating, followed by burial with full military honors at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. A Visitation will be held on Thursday, January 5, 2012 from 2:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. and 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Memorial Contributions may be given to the Alpha Center for Women, 118 N. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL 34475. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**GATRELL, FREDERICK DONALD (FRED), 91**

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### **KONSTAND, FRED**

Fred Konstand, US Navy WWII Veteran, 91, passed on December 31st, 2011. Born and resided in Akron, OH, lived in Wellington, FL coming from Gainesville, FL. His illustrious career as a Real Estate Developer included Summit Mall, Akron, OH and The Gainesville Hilton just to name a few. He was a member of numerous organizations including Shriners and AHEPA. He is survived by his beloved wife of 67 years Vasila; his children, William (Janet) and Karen; his grandchildren, William (Stacy), Fred, Nicholas and Jill; and great granddaughter, Kylie.

Arrangements entrusted to Babione Funeral Home, [www.BabioneBocaRaton.com](http://www.BabioneBocaRaton.com)

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### **LALLA, JOANN, 76**

Ocala - Joann Lalla, 76, passed away on Sunday, Jan. 1, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born in Etowah, TN and moved to Ocala from New Berlin, NY in 1987. She was a member of Christ the King Anglican Church of Ocala, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, Appleton Museum and was a former volunteer at Ocala Civic Theatre where she helped establish Act IV. She enjoyed Frank Sinatra music, water color painting, floral arranging, and collecting lighthouses, snow babies and tea cups. She is survived by her husband of 55 years, Richard A. Lalla of Ocala, her daughters, Paulette (Ron) Tracy of Johnson City, NY, Concetta (Larry) Fischer of Vestal, NY, Many (Ken) Lobdell of Greene, NY and Natalie (Clifford) June of Lapeer, MI, her son, Richard A. (Heather) Lalla of Marietta, GA and her nine grandchildren and two great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her mother, Janet Rediker and her stepfather, Lester Rediker. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, Jan. 5, 2012 at 2:00 P.M. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Father Donald J. Curran, Jr. officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Hospice of Marion County.

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### **LYNN, ROY "EUGENE" 59**

Ft. McCoy - Eugene Lynn was born in Irvin, Florida on 01/25/1952 and passed away at the Tuscany House on 12/31/2011. Eugene was a mechanic, was of the Baptist faith and will now be our families "Guardian Angel." He is preceded in death by both parents, Ruby & Newton Lynn and other loved ones. He is survived by his wife of 35 years, Linda Lynn; daughters, Michelle Clark & Wendy Mooney (Justin); sons, Gerald Boatwright (Tammy), Joshua Lynn (Amy) & Elijah Lynn (Marie); sisters, Delta Anderson (Bill), Ester Thompson (Craig) & Juanita Hebert (Dave); sister-in-Law, Terri Lynn; brothers, Tommy Lynn (Patsy), Edd Lynn (Gail), Frank Lynn & Andy Lynn. Eugene has 17 grandchildren. Visitation will be held at the Countryside Funeral

Home in Anthony, Florida between the hours of 6:00-8:00PM on Friday, January 6th. Graveside Services will be held at the Ft. McCoy Cemetery in Ft. McCoy, Florida at 1:00 PM with Rev. Frank Jessup officiating on Saturday, January 7, 2012.

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**PERRY-RICKETSON, BOBBIE FAY, 78**

Ocala - Bobbie Fay Perry-Ricketson, 78, of Ocala, passed away January 2, 2012. Born in Savannah, Georgia, she came to this area from DeLeon Springs, FL and was also formerly of Miami, FL. She was a retired nurse, member of Heritage Baptist Church, Ocala and enjoyed camping, fishing and watching sports. She is survived by her children, Donald Perry and his wife Norma of Belleview, Janet Meyers and her husband Mike of Ocala and Jerry Perry and his wife Trish of Ocala; 7 grandchildren, Keith Perry, Kristy Perry, Kerri Anne Perry, Kim Aaron, Eric Meyers, Sean Perry and Cody Perry; and 5 great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944) on Friday (January 6th) from 12-2 P.M. Funeral Services will follow at the Funeral Home at 2 P.M. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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**RICKENBACH, RICHARD "RICK" VERNON**

Richard "Rick" Vernon Rickenbach, 87, passed away peacefully at his home Thursday, December 29, 2011. He was born January 8, 1924 in Punta Gorda, Florida. Rick was the son of Anna Maria and August Rickenbach. He will best be remembered by his family as a wonderful husband, father and grandfather and will be greatly missed. At the University Of Florida, he was a member of the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity and the UF marching band, and graduated with a Masters degree in history. Following college, he served in the army. Upon moving to Ocala, he worked for the Ocala Star Banner. He married Bettie Long, his best friend and partner of 59 years, at The First Presbyterian Church where he became an elder of the church. Rick and Bettie were business owners in Ocala for 50 years starting with the purchase of Cole Office Equipment. In 1968 Rick was asked to open Rheinauers Gift Shop when Rheinauers relocated from downtown to the Ocala Shopping Center where he collected beautiful gifts for special occasions. Throughout his life, his dedication to community was immense. He was involved in many Ocala and Gainesville organizations. Among those, FAFO, Friends of the Library, HOPS, Friends of Music, Ocala Community Concerts, The Appleton Museum of Art and The Florida Museum of Natural History in Gainesville. He had a strong love of family and a terrific dry sense of humor. He enjoyed the arts, music, traveling, antiquing, entertaining friends, playing the piano and listening to Bettie play the piano. Rick was a kind gentleman and his life made a difference to so many people. He was preceded in death by his parents, three sisters Charlotte Stebbings, Marie Taylor, and Stella Martin, and his two brothers Adolph and August Rickenbach. Survivors include his wife Bettie Long Rickenbach; his daughter Marie R. Tuck of Ocala; his son August Walter Rickenbach, II of Saint Augustine, FL; grandsons William H. Tuck, III of Ocala and Richard Connor Tuck of Ocala, a niece Margaret Kratt and two nephews James Martin and Charles R. Mahoney. In lieu of flowers, contributions in Rick's memory may be made to The Appleton Museum of Art, 4333 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida 34470. Services are being held privately.

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**SMITH, VINSON C.**

Vinson C. Smith, age 97, of Ocala died Saturday December 31, 2011 at Estelle's Hospice House. He was born on November 26, 1914 in Marlboro, Mass. Mr. Smith was a WWII U.S. Army veteran and received both a Bronze Star and a Purple Heart for his service. He was also a past member of the American Legion, the VFW and the Moose. Survivors include two sons and daughter-in-law Stephen and Susan Smith of Ocala, Mark Smith of Taunton, Mass., two daughters and sons-in-law Susan and Al Rounds of Taunton, Mass., Meg and Mike Hackett of Palmetto, FL., seven grandchildren and four great grandchildren. The family suggests donations to Hospice of Marion County. Forest Lawn Funeral Home is in charge of the cremation arrangements.

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**USHER, CHARLES "CHUCK", 41**

Dunnellon - Mr. Charles "Chuck" Usher, 41, of Dunnellon, died Sunday, January 1, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Pahokee, FL, he moved to Marion County 24 years ago. He was an electrician, and his hobbies were fishing and playing video games. He was a member of New Harvest Church of God in Silver Springs. He is survived by his mother Jeanette B. Kirby, his father James Chalker Usher, Sr., sisters Sherrie Lamoureux and Renee Zahn, brothers James Curtis Whitaker, Michael Roy Usher, Jimmy Usher, Jr., James Allen Whitaker, and step sisters Lisa Arrington, Penny Whitaker, and Victoria Cary. Visitation for Mr. Usher will be from 5-7 P.M. Thursday, January 5, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, with Rev. Jim Miller and Rev. Ted Pressley officiating. Funeral services will be held at 2 P.M. Friday at the funeral home. Interment will follow in Barnes Cemetery.

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**WALKER, IRENE, 81**

Ocala - Irene Walker, 81, of Ocala and formerly of Interlachen, passed away Monday, Jan. 2nd at Legacy House in Ocala following an extended illness. She was born in Logan County, West Virginia and, coming from Naples, had been a resident of Interlachen from 1988 until 2000 when she moved to Ocala. She was a member of the College Road Baptist Church in Ocala. She enjoyed making crafts. Surviving are her husband of 42 years, Kenneth Walker of Ocala; one brother, Sidney Frye of Charleston, WV; and numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be 10:00 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 5th at the College Road Baptist Church in Ocala with Pastor John Downing officiating. Calling hours will begin one hour prior to the time of services. A committal service will follow the funeral at 2:00 p.m. at Palatka Memorial Gardens. Memorial gifts may be sent to College Road Baptist Church (for the building fund) 5010 S.W. College Road, Ocala, FL 34474. Messages of sympathy may be sent to mastersobit@hotmail.com. Masters Funeral Home of Interlachen is in charge of arrangements.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 5, 2012****BOTHWELL, SR., SHELLY DeWITT, 72**

Bellevue - Mr. Shelly DeWitt Bothwell, Sr., 72, passed away on December 29, 2011. He leaves to cherish his memory, a devoted and caring wife: Johnnie Mae Bothwell; three children: Shelly

Bothwell, Jr. (Anita), Tieljuanwa Bothwell and Rayshell Bothwell; 8 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild; 2 sisters: Charice Ponder and Sara Glover; and a host of nieces, nephews and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 7, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at Clearwater Baptist Church. Visitation will be on Friday, January 6, 2012 from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry of Ocala, Florida.

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That Will Never Fade."

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### **CHAPPELL, JACKSON "BRUEN"**

Ocala - Jackson "Bruen" Chappell passed away on January 1, 2012 to be with the Lord. He was the precious son of Joshua and Chelsea Chappell (Stone). He is survived by two siblings, Joshua "Brookes" Chappell and Caison "Brenn" Chappell. His paternal grandparents include Jack Chappell, Shelley Chappell, Tracy Chappell. His paternal great-grandparents include Dennis and Norma-Jean Chappell, Phyllis Walker, Sharon and Leo Linz and Patti Ajar. His maternal grandparents are Randy and Kala Stone. His maternal great-grandparents include Angie Stone, and Zoot and Kitten Parker. Bruen gave us all a lifetime of love and smiles during his short time on earth. Words could never describe how much we will miss our little baby boy - "Bruen-Bruen Whatcha Doin". The viewing will be held on Thursday January 5, 2012 from 5-7 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church. The Funeral will also be at Trinity Baptist Church on Friday, January 6, 2012 at 1 p.m. Trinity Baptist Church is located at 1600 SE 58th Ave., Ocala, FL 34480. (The corner of SE 17th Street and Baseline Road/CR 35/58th Ave.) All funeral arrangements are being made at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, (352) 629-7171.

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### **CLARK, LEDRESSTA, 58**

Ocala - Ledressta (Ms. Pankie) Clark passed away on December 25, 2011 at her residence under the care of Hospice of Marion County. Survivors include her children; Steve, Kenny (Sarah), Erica (Eric); seven brothers, five sisters, a host of grandchildren, family members and friends. A wake will be held on Thursday, January 5, 2012 from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. at Holy Band of Inspiration Church, 1019 NW 10th St., Ocala, FL, Elder Leon L. Thomas, Sr. officiating. Funeral services will be held at the church on Sunday, January 8, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. Bishop Lillie Hanks, eulogist. Public viewing Friday 4 p.m. - 6 p.m. at Brown Memorial Funeral Home, 706 SW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave., Ocala, FL. Interment will be at St. Mary's Cemetery, Silver Springs, FL.

Professional services are entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs., Inc., 352/563-1394.

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### **ELLIOTT, LOTTIE P.**

Lottie Parsons Elliott, 94, formerly of Ocala, Florida, died on December 31, 2011, at North Florida Regional Medical Center, in Gainesville, Florida. She was a Gainesville resident for the last 8 years. Mrs. Elliott was preceded in death by; her husband, Peter Elliott, eight brothers and sisters, and her stepdaughter, Mary Elliott Campbell.

She graduated from Bethune-Cookman University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education. She taught elementary school and retired after 30 years. Mrs. Elliott volunteered as a Gray Lady at Munroe Memorial Hospital for a number of years. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and was Worthy Matron for a number of years, and was a member of Greater Hopewell Baptist Church, Ocala, Florida, for 70 plus years.

She is survived by four daughters, Carolyn Taylor Foxx (Douglas), Alyce Elliott Thomas, Dottie Elliott Reece (Alfred), and Lottie Elliott Manns (Chet), several grandchildren, great grandchildren, one sister-in-law, Doris Parsons of Jacksonville, Florida.

Funeral services for Mrs. Elliott will be held 1:00pm, Saturday, January 7, 2012 at Great Hope Well Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL, Reverend Edward Bland, Pastor and Eulogist; burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, FL. Arrangements entrusted to Chestnut Funeral Home, Inc., 18 N.W. 8th Avenue, Gainesville, FL.

Mrs. Elliott will repose in the Cunningham Funeral Home, Ocala, FL, on Friday, January 6, 2012, from 2-7pm, and on Saturday at the Church from 12noon until the hour of service. Family and friends are asked to meet on Saturday at the Church at 12:30pm.

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### **FEAR, JAMIE McCLELLAN, 53**

Woodbridge, VA - Jamie McClellan Fear passed away at her home on December 17, 2011 after a 12-year cancer battle. Her husband, a photography teacher at Suitland High School, chronicled Jamie's fight in a collection of prints entitled Jamie's Journey. A native of Knoxville, TN, her family moved to Ocala, FL where she grew up. Her father, H.E. "Mac" McClellan preceded her in death. She is survived by her husband, Don Fear, stepson, Alan Fear of Pittsburg, PA, her mother, Margaret McClellan of Ocala, FL, her brother, Dick McClellan of Richmond, VA, and her sisters, Judith Romberg-Muir of Round Hill, VA, and Joanne Chirdon of Pembroke Pines, FL. A memorial service was held Sat., Dec. 31, 2011 in Woodbridge, VA.

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**FINLEY, LAURA M., 48**

Orange Springs - Laura M. Finley, 48, passed away peacefully Thurs., Dec. 29, 2011 at her home. She was born on June 12, 1963 in Miami, FL to Raymond and Barbara Kania. Laura enjoyed working as a food service manager at North Marion High School. She enjoyed the simple things of life such as nature, gardening, animals, baking, music, attending church, helping others, and most of all she enjoyed spending time with her family and four young grandchildren. Laura was preceded in death by her father Raymond Kania of Orange Springs, FL, mother-in-law Maggie Finley of Orange Springs, FL, and loved ones. She is survived by her husband of 29 years, Lenn Finley, two sons: Bruce (Sirena) and Raymond (Brandi), mother Barbara Kania of Silver Springs, FL, brother David Maples, sisters: Nancy Smith (Paul) and Lisa Kania, nephew Brett, niece Brenda, and four grandchildren: Hailey, Aden, Miles and Landen Finley. Laura's memorial service will be held Sat., Jan. 7, 2012 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Orange Springs Baptist Church, 22800 N.E. Hwy. 315, Fort McCoy, FL 32134, officiated by Pastor Raymond Force. In lieu of flowers, contributions in Laura's memory may be sent to the church listed above before the service.

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Bellevue - Carol Ann Lawrence, 65, of Bellevue, passed away Jan. 2, 2012. Carol was born in Fall River, Mass., and was owner of Carol Lawrence Realty. She was a member of the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), and enjoyed boating, gardening, reading, quilting, and sewing. Her family and grandchildren gave her the most enjoyment in life. She is survived by her children, Scott Mancauskas of Summerfield, Dwayne Mancauskas of Apopka, and Dawn Grundy of Ludlow, Mass., and 6 grandchildren. She was preceded in Death by her loving companion, William "Howard" Warrington. Visitation will be Saturday, Jan. 7, 2012 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. and 4 - 6 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd., Bellevue, FL. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy can be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Online condolences can be made at our website [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**SMITH, CLARA MAE, 58**

Ocala - Clara Mae Smith (Foster) of Ocala passed away on January 2, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory 4 children: Tanya Hastings (Barron), Taqwanya Smith, Kalliah Burton and Ashley Foster; 8 grandchildren: Tony Harris, Alyssia Hastings, Khaliel Burton, Kashara Burton, Sierra Wilkerson, Kierra Sanchez, Anesiya Patton and Ineziya Speed; 3 brothers: Samuel Smith (Debbie), Joseph Smith (Rhonda) and Willie Bee Smith; and a sister: Lula Mae Robinson.

Funeral services for Ms. Smith will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday, January 7, 2012 at Welcome Stranger Baptist Church. Visitation will be on Friday, January 6, 2012 from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Wake will be on Friday, January 6, 2012 from 6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. at Rehoboth Ministries. Services have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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**USHER, CHARLES "CHUCK", 41**

Dunnellon - Mr. Charles "Chuck" Usher, 41, of Dunnellon, died Sunday, January 1, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. A native of Pahokee, FL, he moved to Marion County 24 years ago. He was an electrician, and his hobbies were fishing and playing video games. He was a member of New Harvest Church of God in Silver Springs. He is survived by his mother Jeanette B. Kirby, his father James Chalker Usher, Sr., sisters Sherrie Lamoureux and Renee Zahn, brothers James Curtis Whitaker, Michael Roy Usher, Jimmy Usher, Jr., James Allen Whitaker, and step sisters Lisa Arrington, Penny Whitaker, and Victoria Cary. Visitation for Mr. Usher will

be from 5-7 P.M. Thursday, January 5, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, with Rev. Jim Miller and Rev. Ted Pressley officiating. Funeral services will be held at 2 P.M. Friday at the funeral home. Interment will follow in Barnes Cemetery. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 4 to January 5, 2012

**WALKER, IRENE, 81**

Ocala - Irene Walker, 81, of Ocala and formerly of Interlachen, passed away Monday, Jan. 2nd at Legacy House in Ocala following an extended illness. She was born in Logan County, West Virginia and, coming from Naples, had been a resident of Interlachen from 1988 until 2000 when she moved to Ocala. She was a member of the College Road Baptist Church in Ocala. She enjoyed making crafts. Surviving are her husband of 42 years, Kenneth Walker of Ocala; one brother, Sidney Frye of Charleston, WV; and numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be 10:00 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 5th at the College Road Baptist Church in Ocala with Pastor John Downing officiating. Calling hours will begin one hour prior to the time of services. A committal service will follow the funeral at 2:00 p.m. at Palatka Memorial Gardens. Memorial gifts may be sent to College Road Baptist Church (for the building fund) 5010 S.W. College Road, Ocala, FL 34474. Messages of sympathy may be sent to mastersobit@hotmail.com. Masters Funeral Home of Interlachen is in charge of arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 4 to January 5, 2012

**WHITMORE-SHELLMAN, SHIRLEY TEMPLE, 75**

Ocala - On Thursday, December 22, 2011, God called the spirit of our dearly beloved home to be with Him throughout eternity. She was the daughter of the late Charlie V. and Willie B. Whitmore. She was the thirteenth of fourteen siblings, three brothers and two sisters preceded her in death. She was a dedicated educator in Marion County Schools, a member of Alpha Kappa Sorority Inc., and a member of St. Paul A. M. E. of Ocala, Florida. She leaves to cherish her memory two daughters: Pamela Y. Shellman and Bonica Shellman, adopted daughter: Dr. Runette Flowers, God daughter ShirNanci Frazier, two grandsons: Gregory Shellman-Hall and Graylon Shellman-Ross, eight sisters: Chester Holly (Elbert), Laverne Armstrong, Willa Walker (Howard), Evanell Coleman, Amanda Jonnson, Ruby Caldwell (Virgil), Gustave White (Dan), and Gloria Jones. A Celebration of Life service will be held on Saturday, January 7, 2012, beginning with the Ivy Beyond The Wall Ritual at 4:15 p.m., followed by the memorial service at 4:30 p.m. at St. Paul AME Church, Ocala, FL with Pastor Patrick Sasnert. The family is requesting that in lieu of flowers contributions be made to Macedonia Baptist Church, Eatonville, FL for the Shirley T. Shellman Education Scholarship Fund. Information provided by O.B. Samuel Funeral Home.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 6, 2012**

**BOTHWELL, SR., SHELLY DeWITT, 72**

Belleview - Mr. Shelly DeWitt Bothwell, Sr., 72, passed away on December 29, 2011. He leaves to cherish his memory, a devoted and caring wife: Johnnie Mae Bothwell; three children: Shelly Bothwell, Jr. (Anita), Tieljuanwa Bothwell and Rayshell Bothwell; 8 grandchildren; 1 great-grandchild; 2 sisters: Charice Ponder and Sara Glover; and a host of nieces, nephews and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 7, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at

Clearwater Baptist Church. Visitation will be on Friday, January 6, 2012 from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry of Ocala, Florida.  
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**CARPENTER, LEE THORNE, 82**

Bryson City, NC - Lee Thorne Carpenter, 82, of the Alarka Community went home to be with the Lord Wednesday, January 4, 2012 in a Swain County health care facility. A native of Moore County, NC, she had been a resident of Swain County for the past 10 years. She was a member of St. Mark's United Methodist Church in Ocala, FL. She was preceded in death by nine brothers and sisters; and one daughter, Diane Regen. She is survived by her husband of 55 years, Robert Carpenter; one daughter, Debra Terry and husband Lee of Rockfish, NC; one grandpup, Prissy, who meant the world to her; and one grandchild, Ron Regen. No services are planned. Crisp Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

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**CLARK, LEDRESSTA, 58**

Ocala - Ledressta (Ms. Pankie) Clark passed away on December 25, 2011 at her residence under the care of Hospice of Marion County. Survivors include her children; Steve, Kenny (Sarah), Erica (Eric); seven brothers, five sisters, a host of grandchildren, family members and friends. A wake will be held on Thursday, January 5, 2012 from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. at Holy Band of Inspiration Church, 1019 NW 10th St., Ocala, FL, Elder Leon L. Thomas, Sr. officiating. Funeral services will be held at the church on Sunday, January 8, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. Bishop Lillie Hanks, eulogist. Public viewing Friday 4 p.m. - 6 p.m. at Brown Memorial Funeral Home, 706 SW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave., Ocala, FL. Interment will be at St. Mary's Cemetery, Silver Springs, FL. Professional services are entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs., Inc., 352/563-1394.

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**COOLIDGE, THOMAS T., 98**

Dunnellon - Thomas T. Coolidge of Dunnellon, FL died on Monday, December 26, 2011 at Legacy House of Ocala. Born in Hudson, MA on January 1, 1913, he resided in Massachusetts and Maine until he and his wife Ruth moved to Dunnellon, FL in 1979. He was a dedicated member of Holy Faith Episcopal Church and affiliated with VFW 4864 of Citrus Springs, FL. Tom graduated from Bowdoin College, Brunswick, ME in 1936. He was a decorated officer in World War II and retired from the Army Reserves as a Lt. Col. 1962. Tom was an Architectural Engineer in Worcester, MA until his retirement the late 60's. He was preceded in death by his wife Ruth Jackson Coolidge who died in 1999. He is survived by three sons, George A. Coolidge of Massachusetts, Jack J. Coolidge of Arizona, and Thomas S. Coolidge of Florida; six grandchildren, and 19 great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at 2:00 Saturday, January 28 at Holy Faith Episcopal Church, 19924 W. Blue Cove Drive, Dunnellon FL. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Holy Faith Episcopal Church.

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**ELLIOTT, LOTTIE P.**

Lottie Parsons Elliott, 94, formerly of Ocala, Florida, died on December 31, 2011, at North Florida Regional Medical Center, in Gainesville, Florida. She was a Gainesville resident for the last 8 years. Mrs. Elliott was preceded in death by; her husband, Peter Elliott, eight brothers and sisters, and her stepdaughter, Mary Elliott Campbell.

She graduated from Bethune-Cookman University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education. She taught elementary school and retired after 30 years. Mrs. Elliott volunteered as a Gray Lady at Munroe Memorial Hospital for a number of years. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and was Worthy Matron for a number of years, and was a member of Greater Hopewell Baptist Church, Ocala, Florida, for 70 plus years.

She is survived by four daughters, Carolyn Taylor Foxx (Douglas), Alyce Elliott Thomas, Dotty Elliott Reece (Alfred), and Lotty Elliott Manns (Chet), several grandchildren, great grandchildren, one sister-in-law, Doris Parsons of Jacksonville, Florida.

Funeral services for Mrs. Elliott will be held 1:00pm, Saturday, January 7, 2012 at Great Hope Well Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL, Reverend Edward Bland, Pastor and Eulogist; burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, FL. Arrangements entrusted to Chestnut Funeral Home, Inc., 18 N.W. 8th Avenue, Gainesville, FL.

Mrs. Elliott will repose in the Cunningham Funeral Home, Ocala, FL, on Friday, January 6, 2012, from 2-7pm, and on Saturday at the Church from 12noon until the hour of service. Family and friends are asked to meet on Saturday at the Church at 12:30pm.

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**FEAR, JAMIE McCLELLAN, 53**

Woodbridge, VA - Jamie McClellan Fear passed away at her home on December 17, 2011 after a 12-year cancer battle. Her husband, a photography teacher at Suitland High School, chronicled Jamie's fight in a collection of prints entitled Jamie's Journey. A native of Knoxville, TN, her family moved to Ocala, FL where she grew up. Her father, H.E. "Mac" McClellan preceded her in death. She is survived by her husband, Don Fear, stepson, Alan Fear of Pittsburg, PA, her mother, Margaret McClellan of Ocala, FL, her brother, Dick McClellan of Richmond, VA, and her sisters, Judith Romberg-Muir of Round Hill, VA, and Joanne Chirdon of Pembroke Pines, FL. A memorial service was held Sat., Dec. 31, 2011 in Woodbridge, VA.

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**FINLEY, LAURA M., 48**

Orange Springs - Laura M. Finley, 48, passed away peacefully Thurs., Dec. 29, 2011 at her home. She was born on June 12, 1963 in Miami, FL to Raymond and Barbara Kania. Laura enjoyed working as a food service manager at North Marion High School. She enjoyed the simple things of life such as nature, gardening, animals, baking, music, attending church, helping others, and most of all she enjoyed spending time with her family and four young grandchildren. Laura was preceded in death by her father Raymond Kania of Orange Springs, FL, mother-in-law Maggie Finley of Orange Springs, FL, and loved ones. She is survived by her husband of 29 years, Lenn Finley, two sons: Bruce (Sirena) and Raymond (Brandi), mother Barbara Kania of Silver Springs, FL, brother David Maples, sisters: Nancy Smith (Paul) and Lisa Kania, nephew Brett, niece Brenda, and four grandchildren: Hailey, Aden, Miles and Landen Finley. Laura's memorial service will be held Sat., Jan. 7, 2012 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Orange Springs Baptist

Church, 22800 N.E. Hwy. 315, Fort McCoy, FL 32134, officiated by Pastor Raymond Force. In lieu of flowers, contributions in Laura's memory may be sent to the church listed above before the service.

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**LAWRENCE, CAROL ANN, 65**

Bellevue - Carol Ann Lawrence, 65, of Bellevue, passed away Jan. 2, 2012. Carol was born in Fall River, Mass., and was owner of Carol Lawrence Realty. She was a member of the Multiple Listing Service (MLS), and enjoyed boating, gardening, reading, quilting, and sewing. Her family and grandchildren gave her the most enjoyment in life. She is survived by her children, Scott Mancauskas of Summerfield, Dwayne Mancauskas of Apopka, and Dawn Grundy of Ludlow, Mass., and 6 grandchildren. She was preceded in Death by her loving companion, William "Howard" Warrington. Visitation will be Saturday, Jan.7, 2012 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. and 4 - 6 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd., Bellevue, FL. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy can be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Online condolences can be made at our website [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**MAXEY, BENJAMIN, SR.,74**

Tampa - Benjamin Maxey, Sr., 74, passed away on December 31, 2011 at his residence. Mr. Maxey leaves to cherish his memory, children: Lavern Maxey, Beverly Thomas Maxey, Benjamin Maxey, Jr., Christopher Maxey, Seleitha Maxey Daniels (Kenneth), Alicia Maxey, Sylvia Wesley, Carlos Maxey (Brenda) of Gainesville, FL; stepsons, Melvin Lewis, Kenneth Jones; brothers, Odell "Pop" Green and Benard Smith, Sr.; sister, Rosa Lee Brown; a special friend, Bettye Lewis; 14 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins. Funeral services for Mr. Maxey will be held on Saturday, January 7, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at the New Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel of Faith, Rev. Edward Bland, Eulogist. Wake service on Friday, January 6, 2012 at the New Cunningham Funeral Home from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Visitation will be Friday, January 6, 2012 from 10 until 6 p.m. at the New Cunningham Funeral Home. Interment, Florida National Cemetery.

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**PECKINPAUGH, EVANGELINE A., 66**

Ocala - Evangeline Alma (Van Hentenryck) Peckinpaugh, 66, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Dec. 28, 2011. Eve was born in Portsmouth, NH and raised in Michigan. She was a property manager and worked for the city of Royal Oak in the community development department. She enjoyed designing yards and planting flowers and trees, so everyone could enjoy their beauty. She was married to her husband Ed for 45 years. They have two children Edward of Florida and Aimee Krause of Tennessee, and also three grandchildren, Danny, Amber and Payton who she loved. No services will be held. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474.

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**RUSHING, INEZ "TEENIE", 57**

Ocala - Inez "Teenie" Rushing, 57, transitioned to her heavenly home on December 26, 2011. She leaves to cherish her memory, two daughters: Katrina Thomas and Milkesa Bradshaw; two sons: Jimmie L. Bradshaw, Jr. and Terry L. Bradshaw; two sisters: Mildred Blunt and Mary Hester, three brothers: Pernell Adkins, Fred Clemons and Bennett Howell, ten grandchildren, two great grand children and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Funeral Services for Mrs. Rushing will held on Saturday, January 7, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Keith Blunt Pastor and Eulogist.

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**TELESCA, ANGELO C., 88**

Dunnellon - On December 21, 2011, Angelo C. Telesca was taken in the Hands of Our Lord. Angelo was born in Port Chester, NY on August 10, 1923. He was the son of the late Susan and John Telesca of Port Chester, NY. Angelo married the love of his life Rose (Iannuzzi) Telesca on May 11, 1946. They had three children: Charles A. Telesca of Silver Springs, FL, Maryann S. Bova of Danbury, CT, and Patricia Magaletti of Moore, SC. He was the proud grandfather of his four grandchildren: Nicole, Charlie III, Justin, and David. Angelo moved to Brewster, NY and in his previous years, he worked at Willow Motors in Port Chester, NY for 27 years. He then did volunteer services with the Brewster Fire Dept. as a Fire Police and a in Rye, NY as Reserve Police. Angelo loved his country. During 1941-1945, he was a proud United States Navy Submariner. He later was involved in many clubs: VFW, DAV, Sub Vets, Sturgeon Club, American Legion Post #58 Dunnellon, Nautilus Base Sub Club, and in his younger years, he was one of the first Eagle Scouts. Now reunited in Heaven with his loving wife, who predeceased him in Feb. 2011, he will be missed by many. A Memorial Service was held on January 5, 2012 in Bushnell, FL.

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**VANN, MARY ELIZABETH, 85**

Ocala - Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Vann, 85, of Ocala, passed away peacefully Wednesday, January 4, 2012, at the Ocala Health and Rehabilitation Center. A native of Tarrant City, Alabama, she moved to the Ocala area in 2005, coming here from Chalkville, Alabama. She was active in all phases of church work for many years, and was a long time member of First Baptist Church of Chalkville. She is survived by her two daughters, Joy Vann Upton and Cindy Vann Harris, her brother Dan Self, four grandchildren, and 6 great-grandchildren. Services and interment will be in Birmingham, Alabama. Local arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, PO Box 96011, Washington, DC 20090-6011.

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#### **DAMICO, ALVIN FRANK, 74**

Ocala - Alvin F. Damico, 74, of Ocala, FL, passed away on January 4, 2012. He will be deeply missed by his wife of 47 years Kathy and their two dogs Shadow and Belle. He is survived by his daughter Dee and her husband Chris Maloy of Ocala; his son Leo Rideout and Michelle of New Hampshire; grandchildren: Krista and Mark, BJ and Meg, Christopher and Carrie, Jade and Rachel; great-granddaughter Mackenzie; great-grandson Christopher Leo, and numerous family and friends throughout the country. No services will be held. Friends are welcome at their home to pay their respects. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Estelle's House of Hospice, 2897 SE 62nd Street, Ocala, FL 34480.

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**MANN, GRACE LEE, 87**

Salt Springs - Grace Lee Mann, 87, of Salt Springs, Florida passed away on Tuesday, January 3, 2012 at her home. Grace was born on Friday, October 3, 1924 in Dog Bluff, South Carolina to the late Dewey and Neita (Demery) Cannon. She was a Native American of the Waccamaw Tribe. Mrs. Mann is also preceded in death by her beloved husband Herbert Mann. She enjoyed traveling. Condolences may be sent to the family by signing Grace's online page at [www.WattsFuneralHomes.com](http://www.WattsFuneralHomes.com). Mrs. Mann is survived by her loving sons: Charles H. Mann of Salt Springs, Florida and Lambert P. Mann of Lakeland, Florida; four grandchildren; four great grandchildren; and many other family and friends who will miss her dearly. Visitation will be 1-2:30 P.M., Saturday, January 7, 2012 at Watts Funeral Home Chapel in San Mateo, Florida. Graveside service will be 12:30 P.M., Monday, January 9, 2012 at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Watts Funeral Home and Cremation Center, Inc., San Mateo, Florida.

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Tampa - Benjamin Maxey, Sr., 74, passed away on December 31, 2011 at his residence. Mr. Maxey leaves to cherish his memory, children: Lavern Maxey, Beverly Thomas Maxey, Benjamin Maxey, Jr., Christopher Maxey, Seleitha Maxey Daniels (Kenneth), Alicia Maxey, Sylvia Wesley, Carlos Maxey (Brenda) of Gainesville, FL; stepsons, Melvin Lewis, Kenneth Jones; brothers, Odell "Pop" Green and Benard Smith, Sr.; sister, Rosa Lee Brown; a special friend, Bettye Lewis; 14 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins. Funeral services for Mr. Maxey will be held on Saturday, January 7, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at the New Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel of Faith, Rev. Edward Bland, Eulogist. Wake service on Friday, January 6, 2012 at the New Cunningham Funeral Home from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Visitation will be Friday, January 6, 2012 from 10 until 6 p.m. at the New Cunningham Funeral Home. Interment, Florida National Cemetery.

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**NIX, CHARLOTTE ESTHER, 81**

Ocala - Charlotte Nix passed away on Wednesday, January 4, 2012, at Hospice of Marion County Estelle's House. Born in Murrinston, she lived in Ocala all her life except for the time she spent in the military as a clerk in the Pacific Theatre following WWII with the Occupational Army. She spent most of her career as a bookkeeper and was a member of the First Assembly of God in Ocala. Preceded in death by husband, J.W. Nix, and sons, Mike, Pat and Buck; she is survived now by her daughter, Susan Marks, Ocala; seven grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be Saturday, January 7, 2012, at 5:00 p.m. with visitation beginning at 4:00 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. Interment with military honors will be Monday, January 9th, at 4:00 p.m. in Forest Lawn Memorial Park.

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**PECKINPAUGH, EVANGELINE A., 66**

Ocala - Evangeline Alma (Van Hentenryck) Peckinpough, 66, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Dec. 28, 2011. Eve was born in Portsmouth, NH and raised in Michigan. She was a property manager and worked for the city of Royal Oak in the community development department. She enjoyed designing yards and planting flowers and trees, so everyone could enjoy their beauty. She was married to her husband Ed for 45 years. They have two children Edward of Florida and Aimee Krause of Tennessee, and also three grandchildren, Danny, Amber and Payton who she loved. No services will be held. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474.

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**RUSHING, INEZ "TEENIE", 57**

Ocala - Inez "Teenie" Rushing, 57, transitioned to her heavenly home on December 26, 2011. She leaves to cherish her memory, two daughters: Katrina Thomas and Milkesa Bradshaw; two sons: Jimmie L. Bradshaw, Jr. and Terry L. Bradshaw; two sisters: Mildred Blunt and Mary Hester, three brothers: Pernell Adkins, Fred Clemons and Bennett Howell, ten grandchildren, two great grand children and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Funeral Services for Mrs. Rushing will held on Saturday, January 7, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Keith Blunt Pastor and Eulogist.

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**SMOKER, DENNIS LEROY, 62**

Belleview - Born March 2, 1949 in Camden, IN, Dennis Leroy Smoker died December 31, 2011 in Belleview, FL. He proudly served our country during the Vietnam War and received the Bronze Star. Mr. Smoker worked for Marion County for 19 years. He is survived by his children, Denise Smoker of Tampa, FL, Dennis Allen Smoker of Summerfield, FL, and Bryan Irwin of Belleview, FL; mother, Frances Smith; father, Ernest Smoker; brothers, Ernie, Richard, Jimmy, and Eddie; sisters, Phyllis Smith, and Shelby Wogoman; and nine grandchildren. He was preceded in death by Terry Smoker. Graveside service with honors at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL, to be held Monday, January 9, 2012 1:00 P.M. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**TELESCA, ANGELO C., 88**

Dunnellon - On December 21, 2011, Angelo C. Telesca was taken in the Hands of Our Lord. Angelo was born in Port Chester, NY on August 10, 1923. He was the son of the late Susan and John Telesca of Port Chester, NY. Angelo married the love of his life Rose (Iannuzzi) Telesca on May 11, 1946. They had three children: Charles A. Telesca of Silver Springs, FL, Maryann S. Bova of Danbury, CT, and Patricia Magaletti of Moore, SC. He was the proud grandfather of his four grandchildren: Nicole, Charlie III, Justin, and David. Angelo moved to Brewster, NY and in his previous years, he worked at Willow Motors in Port Chester, NY for 27 years. He then did volunteer services with the Brewster Fire Dept. as a Fire Police and a in Rye, NY as Reserve Police. Angelo loved his country. During 1941-1945, he was a proud United States Navy Submariner. He later was involved in many clubs: VFW, DAV, Sub Vets, Sturgeon Club,

American Legion Post #58 Dunnellon, Nautilus Base Sub Club, and in his younger years, he was one of the first Eagle Scouts. Now reunited in Heaven with his loving wife, who predeceased him in Feb. 2011, he will be missed by many. A Memorial Service was held on January 5, 2012 in Bushnell, FL.

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**VANN, MARY ELIZABETH, 85**

Ocala - Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Vann, 85, of Ocala, passed away peacefully Wednesday, January 4, 2012, at the Ocala Health and Rehabilitation Center. A native of Tarrant City, Alabama, she moved to the Ocala area in 2005, coming here from Chalkville, Alabama. She was active in all phases of church work for many years, and was a long time member of First Baptist Church of Chalkville. She is survived by her two daughters, Joy Vann Upton and Cindy Vann Harris, her brother Dan Self, four grandchildren, and 6 great-grandchildren. Services and interment will be in Birmingham, Alabama. Local arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, PO Box 96011, Washington, DC 20090-6011.

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**CASEY, LAURIE JEAN, 51**

Ocala - Laurie Jean Casey, 51, passed away Jan. 3, 2012, in Ocala. Born in Manchester, NH, and raised in Hialeah, FL, she worked in the insurance industry for decades, most recently as an agent for Ocala Insurance. She was known for her sense of humor and love of family and friends. She is survived by her sons, Danny Schlenker of Ocala and Kyle Schlenker of Tampa; her mother, Claire Casey of Eustis; brothers Richard Casey of Eustis, Robert Casey of Delray Beach; sister Mary Ann Casey of Broward County; grandson Dominick Schlenker; granddaughters Jayden Dodge and Astyn Schlenker; and daughter-in-law Alexis Royal. Memorial service will start at 12:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 14th, at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church of Ocala.

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**COTTON, NAOMA LILLIE**

Ocala - Naoma Lillie Cotton, 83, passed away on Thursday, Jan. 5, 2012 at Lane Purcell Hospice House in Sumterville. She was born in Kirkland, Ohio and moved to Marion County in 1947. She was a homemaker and loved to square dance, travel, camp and read and loved life. She is survived by her husband of 64 years, Jim Cotton of Ocala, her daughters, Beverly Brack and her husband Bill of Bushnell and Jolene Dobbs and her husband Mike of St. Petersburg, her son, Mikel Cotton and his wife Debbie of Gainesville, her sister, Mildred Sperring and her husband Foy of Crossville, TN, her brother, Wilbur (Dusty) Yaxley and his wife June of Brandon and her nine grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, Jan. 14, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Bill Brack officiating. She will be laid to rest at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Hospice. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.

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**DAMICO, ALVIN FRANK, 74**

Ocala - Alvin F. Damico, 74, of Ocala, FL, passed away on January 4, 2012. He will be deeply missed by his wife of 47 years Kathy and their two dogs Shadow and Belle. He is survived by his daughter Dee and her husband Chris Maloy of Ocala; his son Leo Rideout and Michelle of New Hampshire; grandchildren: Krista and Mark, BJ and Meg, Christopher and Carrie, Jade and Rachel; great-granddaughter Mackenzie; great-grandson Christopher Leo, and numerous family and friends throughout the country. No services will be held. Friends are welcome at their home to pay their respects. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Estelle's House of Hospice, 2897 SE 62nd Street, Ocala, FL 34480.

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**KEELEY, SR., JAMES J., 85**

Ocala - James J. Keeley, Sr., 85, Ocala, passed away on Wednesday, January 4, 2012 in Ocala, FL. Born in Brooklyn, New York on January 8, 1926, son to the late Charles and Catherine (Hunter) Keeley. He came here from Patchogue, L.I., N.Y. in 1998. James was a Veteran, having served during WWII both as a seaman in the U.S. Merchant Marines and as a paratrooper in the U.S. Army 82nd Airborne Division, in the Arctic, European, Middle East and Asian Theatres. At the age of 16, he was awarded the Bronze Medal for Bravery by the Russian Government for combat operations off the Russian coast. He went on to serve as a manager for 30 years with the Swezey Fuel Co, Patchogue, L.I., N.Y., retiring in 1997. He was a life member of the American Legion Post #469, Patchogue, NY, the Angela Santos VFW Post #4781, Ocala, the 82nd Airborne Division Association and the Oak Run Veterans Association. He is survived by his beloved wife of 62 years, Joan; children: Donna, Jimmy, Deborah, Diane and Jeffrey; sisters: Margaret, Doris and Beatrice; 14 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at 12:00 (Noontime) on Wednesday, January 11, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala with urn committal services to follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial Contributions may be given to the American Cancer Society . Condolences may be expressed to [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**MANN, GRACE LEE, 87**

Salt Springs - Grace Lee Mann, 87, of Salt Springs, Florida passed away on Tuesday, January 3, 2012 at her home. Grace was born on Friday, October 3, 1924 in Dog Bluff, South Carolina to the late Dewey and Neita (Demery) Cannon. She was a Native American of the Waccamaw Tribe. Mrs. Mann is also preceded in death by her beloved husband Herbert Mann. She enjoyed traveling. Condolences may be sent to the family by signing Grace's online page at [www.WattsFuneralHomes.com](http://www.WattsFuneralHomes.com). Mrs. Mann is survived by her loving sons: Charles H. Mann of Salt Springs, Florida and Lambert P. Mann of Lakeland, Florida; four grandchildren; four great grandchildren; and many other family and friends who will miss her dearly. Visitation will be 1-2:30 P.M., Saturday, January 7, 2012 at Watts Funeral Home Chapel in San Mateo, Florida. Graveside service will be 12:30 P.M., Monday, January 9, 2012 at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Watts Funeral Home and Cremation Center, Inc., San Mateo, Florida.

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**NIX, CHARLOTTE ESTHER, 81**

Ocala - Charlotte Nix passed away on Wednesday, January 4, 2012, at Hospice of Marion County Estelle's House. Born in Morriston, she lived in Ocala all her life except for the time she spent in the military as a clerk in the Pacific Theatre following WWII with the Occupational Army. She spent most of her career as a bookkeeper and was a member of the First Assembly of God in Ocala. Preceded in death by husband, J.W. Nix, and sons, Mike, Pat and Buck; she is survived now by her daughter, Susan Marks, Ocala; seven grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be Saturday, January 7, 2012, at 5:00 p.m. with visitation beginning at 4:00 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. Interment with military honors will be Monday, January 9th, at 4:00 p.m. in Forest Lawn Memorial Park.

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**PETERSON, CAROL ALICE, 72**

Ocala - Carol Alice Peterson of Ocala, Florida passed away December 23, 2011 after a long battle with lung cancer. She was born May 20, 1939 in Sioux Falls, So. Dakota. She was preceded in death by her husband Arnold and mother Gladys Berry and she is survived by sons: Michael, Mark (Raelynn); grandsons: Shawn (Linsey) Tyler, Tanner; great-grandson Rylan; sister Bobbie (Darryl) Kuhlman; and brother Dennis (Theresa). Carol was formally from Sioux Falls, So. Dakota where she met and married her husband Arnold. They moved to Orlando, Florida where Arnold worked and helped build Disney World and Carol was a dental assistant. They later moved to Gainesville and then to Ocala. She loved to travel and she loved her children and grandchildren. Memorial service will be January 14, 2012 at 11:30 a.m. at Druid Hills United Methodist Church. To those who wish to make a memorial donation, please donate to Druid Hills United Methodist Church, 1712 S.E. Lake Weir Road, Ocala, Florida 34471.

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**ROW, CHARLES R.,**

Charles R. Row, 76, passed away Thursday, January 5, 2012 at Piedmont Medical Center in Rock Hill from complications associated with Parkinson's disease. A native of Arkansas, KS, Mr. Row was born December 4, 1935 son of the late Roy and Abigail Murtz Row. He graduated from the University of Missouri in 1957 and worked at the Johnson Space Center in Houston, TX, before transferring to the National Headquarters of NASA in Washington, DC. He also worked with the National Science Foundation as director of personnel and the Farm Credit Administration from 1960 to 1993 before retiring to Ocala, FL where he lived with his wife of 36 years Gwen Mills Row from 1996 to 2010 when they moved to Rock Hill. Surviving in addition to his wife are three sons, one daughter and six grandchildren. Services are private. Condolences can be e-mailed to the family online at [www.basscauthenfuneralhome.com](http://www.basscauthenfuneralhome.com). Bass-Cauthen Funeral Home is serving the family, 700 Heckle Boulevard, Rock Hill, SC.

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**SNELL, HAZEL DOROTHY, 98**

Ocala - Hazel D. Snell of Ocala, FL, went to be with her Lord on January 3, 2012 in Ocala. Mrs. Snell was the daughter of Arthur D. and Annie Belle (Bertheaume) Nerbonne of Penacook, NH. Mrs. Snell was an accountant with the State of New Hampshire for many years. She was

Catholic by faith and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She was also a member of Friendship Bowling League of OTOW; New England Club; Friendship Club of OTOW; and Queen of Peace Bowling League. Mrs. Snell moved from New Hampshire to Lady Lake, FL in 1984 and then to Ocala in 1988. Hazel leaves behind her nieces: Norma Hartin of Peoria, Arizona and Joan Muzzey of Penacook, NH; and other nieces and nephews along with many church friends and neighbors. Mrs. Snell was predeceased by her husband Charles Muzzey in 1971 and second husband Henry A. Snell. Funeral Mass for Mrs. Snell will be Thursday, January 12, 2012 at 8:30 A.M. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, SR 200, in Ocala, FL with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Visitation will be Wednesday, January 11, 2012 from 5:00 - 7:00 P.M. at Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 S.W. 110th St., Ocala, FL with a prayer service at 6:00 P.M. conducted by Dr. Raymond A. Waite. Interment will be in Calvary Cemetery Concord, NH. Condolences may be posted to [Hiers-Baxley.com](http://Hiers-Baxley.com).  
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**FORT, JR., JAMES R. "BUDDY"**

Ocala - Mr. James R. "Buddy" Fort, Jr., died Sunday, January 8, 2012, at Sylvia's Hospice House. He was a native and lifelong resident of Ocala. Buddy worked for the City of Ocala for over 36 years, retiring as the Deputy Director of the Ocala Electric Utility. He was a life member and Past Exalted Ruler of the Ocala Elks Lodge #286; a life member of the Marion Dunn Lodge #19, F.& A.M.; a member of the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry; the Society of Mayflower Descendants of Florida; Sons of the American Revolution, and was a long time member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala. He served his country during WWII in the United States Air Force. He is survived by his wife of 64 years Margaret Ann Tubbs Fort; his son James R. Fort, III and wife Nancy of Dade City, FL; son Michael L. Fort of Winter Park, FL, sister Virginia McLucas and her husband Jack, of Ocala; 4 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Visitation for Mr. Fort will be held from 5-7 PM Wednesday, January 11, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Graveside services will be held at 11 AM Thursday at Woodlawn Cemetery on NE 3rd Street in Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to the Florida United Methodist Children's Home, 51 Main Street, Enterprise, FL 32725. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 10 to January 11, 2012

**HARRIS, CLARISSA MAUDE, 82**

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**NEARING, REGINALD KIDWELL, 80**

Ocala - On Thursday, December 29, 2011, Reginald K. "Reggie" Nearing of Ocala, FL and a

native of the Washington D.C. metropolitan area passed away peacefully with family by his side. Beloved husband of 39 years to Carole A. Nearing; adoring father to Colleen Nearing Snyder (Tom), Steven Nearing (Melissa), and Lisa Croci. He was born August 6, 1931 in Hyattsville, MD, son of the late James A. and Mary E. Nearing. Devoted brother of Robert Nearing and the late James Nearing, cherished grandfather to Bryan, Kristen, Andi, Halle, Carly, and Cassie, he will be fondly remembered by Aliko Nearing, countless friends, and extended family members. In 1948, Reggie worked with his father to establish the J.A. Nearing Company. He postponed his work with the family business in 1951 to proudly enlist in the United States Marine Corps, during the Korean War, where he attained the rank of Staff Sgt. After completing his military service, Reggie returned to work tirelessly alongside his father J.A. and brothers Jimmy and Bobby to build a thriving enterprise and well-known manufacturer of JANCO Greenhouses. Reggie continued volunteering his community service for 40 years through Civitan International, where he was honored for his 30 years of perfect attendance. His pride in this country, the Marine Corps, his passion for golf, Redskins football, and his sense of humor, live on in the hearts of those who knew and loved him. A memorial service will be held Saturday, January 14, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 Southwest State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476. A reception will follow at Golden Hills Golf & Turf Club, 4782 NW 80th Ave., Ocala, FL 34482. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Hospice House of Marion County, Inc., 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474, [www.hospiceofmarion.com](http://www.hospiceofmarion.com) and St. Jude Children Research Hospital 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105, [www.stjude.org](http://www.stjude.org). Express condolences at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 10 to January 11, 2012

#### **RODENBAUGH - NELLIE MAE, 97**

Mrs. Nellie Mae Rodenbaugh, 97, passed away in Ocala, FL on January 6th. She was born in Youngstown, New York on April 19, 1914. Nellie was preceded in death by her loving husband Grover. She is survived by her two sons: Paul Rodenbaugh of Ocala, FL and Peter Rodenbaugh of Woodbridge, VA. One daughter: Jill Garnett of Owosso, MI. Four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. A funeral service will take place at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell on Wednesday January 11th at 12:30PM. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 9 to January 10, 2012

#### **WILSON, IRENE L., 89**

Belleview - Irene L. Wilson, 89, of Belleview Florida, peacefully passed away Tuesday December 27, 2011 at Estelle's House. She was born on May 8, 1922 in Hampton, Nova Scotia, to the late Vaughn and Laura Poole. She is survived by her husband, Aden Wilson, her granddaughter, Billy Jean Maurer and two great granddaughters, Elyssa and Emily Maurer, Catherine Maurer of New Hampshire and Christine McPhee of North Carolina. A Memorial Mass will take place at St. Theresa's Church, Belleview on January 14, 2012 at 10:00 am. Before moving to Florida, Irene lived in Beverly, Massachusetts and worked at Beverly Hospital as a neo-natal nurse. Irene shared fifty-four years with her devoted and dedicated husband by her side. She had a passion for horses, reading, and cooking all of which she shared with her close family who will now carry on those memories for generations to come. Nana or Nonni as we called her also loved butterflies and her favorite flowers were pansies. Her smile and beautiful blue eyes will be missed here on earth but we are assured by our faith that she is already riding

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**MONTGOMERY, MARY ELIZABETH, 74**

Ocala - Born June 11, 1937 in Stanaford, WV, Mary Elizabeth Montgomery died January 6, 2012 in Ocala, FL. She was a graduate from Vermilion High School in 1956. She then joined the US Air Force and proudly served our country with three years of service. She worked for the City of Vermilion as Deputy Bailiff, the Sparkle Market, and owned and operated Accurate Catering for 14 years. Mary was a life member of AMVETS Post 17 of Sandusky, OH; member of American Legion Auxiliary Unit 284, Belleview, FL. Mary was 4th District President of the Dept of FL American Legion Auxiliary, receiving the Outstanding District President, two years in a row. Additionally, she was National Administrative Director of the Sad Sacks (fun & honor group of AMVETS) supporting nurses' scholarships. Mary is survived by her beloved husband of 45 years, Gerald, Sr. of Ocala, FL; daughters, Malinda Lee Sommers of Collins, OH, and Cheri Lynn Cordes of Lorain, OH; sons, Troy Allen Montgomery of La Grange, KY, and Gerald Lee Montgomery, Jr. of Lorain, OH; eight grandchildren; brothers, Robert B. Hunter, Jr. of Greenwood, MS, and John Dana Hunter of Village of Sheffield, OH. She was preceded in death by her father, Robert B. Hunter, Sr., and mother, Evelyn Greene-Thomas; sisters, Evelyn Greene Losh, and Rena E. Kennedy; granddaughter, Crystal. Celebration of life to be held Monday, January 16, 2012 6:00 P.M. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, 352-245-2424. Committal service will be Tuesday, January 17, 2012 11:00 A.M. at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to the American Diabetes Association . Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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Memphis, TN 38105, [www.stjude.org](http://www.stjude.org). Express condolences at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).  
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**SCIONTI, RICHARD ANDREW, 68**

Ocala - In loving memory of Richard Andrew Scionti, born on March 16, 1943, and entered into rest on December 24, 2011. Survived by his loving wife Joan E. Scionti and children; Marc Micale, Jodi Nix, Richard Scionti Jr., Thomas Scionti, and five grandchildren. Richard Scionti lived in Ocala, Florida for 25 years and along with his wife, they have been long time business owners of Sciontis Karate for Kids in Ocala and Belleview. Funeral services will be held Saturday, January 14, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 S.W. 17th Street, Ocala, Florida.

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**SUTHERLAND, HOWARD W., 84**

Ocala - Howard W. Sutherland, 84, of Ocala, FL, went to be with the Lord on January 3, 2012 at his daughter's residence under the loving care of his family. Howard was born on February 16, 1927, in Belleview, PA to his parents James Homer and Louise Augusta Sutherland. He moved to Ocala 38 years ago from Pennsylvania and served many of those years in various positions of maintenance and customer service. Survived by his son, Scott Sutherland of Monument, CO; two daughters; Colleen Livingston of Ocala, FL, and Tammy Smith of Heflin, AL; 9 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. An intimate family service will be held on Thursday, January 12, 2012.

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**VOILES, DAVID KELLY, 43**

Brooksville - David Kelly Voiles, 43, of Brooksville, Florida passed away January 3, 2012; after law enforcement officials recovered his body from the lake at Sherman Hills Golf Course in Ridge Manor, Florida. He is survived by his wife Teresa Voiles (Burr) of Brooksville, FL, parents, Patsy P. Pitman of Weeki Wachee, FL, formerly of Mooresville, IN, and David Miller and his wife Marjie Squitieri of Ocala, FL, step-grandparents, step-brother, two step-sisters, aunts, uncles, nephews, cousins and friends. Gathering In Memory will be held on Thursday, January 12, 2012 from 2:30 - 4:30 and 7 - 9 at the Brooksville Chapel of Brewer & Sons Funeral Home. Celebration of Life Service will be held on Friday, January 13, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Brooksville with Pastor Joe Santarelli officiating. David will be laid to rest at the Florida National Cemetery with Full Military Honors following the service. Visit [www.brewerfuneral.com](http://www.brewerfuneral.com) for full obit and to leave condolences - Brewer & Sons, 352-796-4991.  
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**WILSON, IRENE L., 89**

Belleview - Irene L. Wilson, 89, of Belleview Florida, peacefully passed away Tuesday December 27, 2011 at Estelle's House. She was born on May 8, 1922 in Hampton, Nova Scotia, to the late Vaughn and Laura Poole. She is survived by her husband, Aden Wilson, her granddaughter, Billy Jean Maurer and two great granddaughters, Elyssa and Emily Maurer, Catherine Maurer of New Hampshire and Christine McPhee of North Carolina. A Memorial Mass will take place at St. Theresa's Church, Belleview on January 14, 2012 at 10:00 am. Before moving to Florida, Irene lived in Beverly, Massachusetts and worked at Beverly Hospital as a

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#### **BEEBE, KENNETH L., 91**

Ocala - Kenneth L. Beebe, 91, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, Jan. 10, 2012. He is survived by a companion Caryle Thoms, of Ocala; son, Kenneth Beebe (wife Candace) of Trinity, FL; 4 grandchildren; 4 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild. There will be a visitation at Roberts Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, on Thursday, Jan 12th from 6-8 p.m., and on Friday, Jan. 13th from 11 a.m. until time of service at 12 noon. Interment will take place in Pennsylvania at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Shriners Childrens Hospital, 12502 USF Pine Dr., Tampa, FL 33612. Please view and sign the online guestbook at [robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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#### **BROWN, MINISTER SERNETHER I., 72**

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#### **CAMPBELL, MILLIE, 81**

Dunnellon - Ms. Millie Campbell, 81, of Dunnellon, Florida, quietly answered the call to Eternal Rest at her residence on January 9, 2012. Ms. Campbell was a faithful member of the Beulah Missionary Baptist Church for many years under the Leadership of Rev. Holloway. She leaves to cherish her loving memories, her son: Randolph Campbell of Dunnellon FL, one sister: Thelma (Rubin) Jones, cousin: Mrs. Nellie Mae Smith and family of Daytona FL, Pastor Holloway & family along with the Beulah Missionary Baptist church, a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends. Services for Ms. Millie Campbell will be held 11 a.m. on Saturday, January 14, 2012 at Beulah Missionary Baptist Church in Dunnellon FL. Visitation has been set to take place One hour prior to services only. The burial will follow these services at the Dunnellon Community Cemetery. Services are under the Direction of Carnegie Funeral Home, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida. You may visit the online Condolences at [www.carnegiefuneralhome.com](http://www.carnegiefuneralhome.com).

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**CHURCH, HERMAN, 91**

Lexington, SC - Herman Church was 91 and a resident of Ocala for about thirty years and moved in March 2010 to live with his daughter and son-in-law, Linda and Stewart Schnur in Lexington SC. He died in Christ Saturday, January 7, 2012. He was born in Bell Buckle, TN and was preceded in death by his wife Cora whom he was married to for forty-nine years. He had retired after working for the city of Miami Beach, FL and moved to Ocala, FL and here he became a member of the Maricamp Road Church of Christ. Family in Lexington, SC did receive visitors on Monday, January 9th from 6 to 8 P.M. at the Barr-Price Funeral Home in Lexington, SC. Final services will take place at Hillcrest Funeral Home in Shelbyville, on Saturday, January 14th at 2:00 P.M. with graveside services to follow at Hazel cemetery in Bell Buckle. In lieu of flowers, donations in memory of Herman Church, who had diabetes as does his great-granddaughter Gracie, may be made to, Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation, the Palmetto Chapter ([www.jdrf.org](http://www.jdrf.org)). Surviving are his daughter and son-in-law Linda and Stewart Schnur and their three daughters Carol Leonard, Cathy Bryant, and Stephanie Crawford and five great-granddaughters Gracie, Caitlin, Reagan, Lindsey, and Baylee. Special thanks are expressed to the Lexington Medical Center for their care and support of the family during this difficult time. The greatest thanks goes to Christ for the grace and mercy He has shown to His children. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 11 to January 12, 2012

**FREET, MARY LOUISE "PENNY", 67**

Ocala - Mary Louise "Penny" Freet died Wednesday, January 4, 2012. She was a native of Marion, Indiana and moved to Florida in the 60's. Penny was an RN and also worked as a bus driver for Marion County Schools before pursuing her dream of owning and operating her own trucking company. She was preceded in death by her father Ray Freet, Sr., beloved mother Clara Freet, and her brother Jack. She leaves to treasure her memory, brother Ray Freet, Jr. of Ocala, FL and sister Trudy Gardner of Summerfield, FL, aunts: Helen Moore and Gertrude Umphress, both of Citrus County, and numerous nieces, nephews, and a host of other relatives. She is also survived by her best friend and business partner Mary Fanelli. A celebration of her life will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, January 14, 2012 at 9309 Spring Rd., Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 12 to January 13, 2012

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Madera, PA - Chester J. Materna, age 90, originally from Madera, PA, formerly of Maple Hts., Ohio and Fort McCoy, Florida, passed away on January 7, 2012. Father of Gary (Diana) Materna, Daniel (Barbara) Materna, and the late David (Caron) Materna; brother of the late Joseph Materna, Michael Materna, Andrew Materna, Frank Materna, Julia Machen, Louise Suvak, Betty Suvak, and Estelle Ward. Preceded in death by former spouse and mother of their three sons, June Raleigh. Previously married to Lola Materna of Indiana. Loving grandfather, great-grandfather, and dear uncle to many. Mass of Christian Burial, Saturday, January 14, 11:00 a.m. at Saint Barbara National Catholic Church, 76 Emery Avenue, Houtzdale, PA. Interment Saint Barbara Cemetery, Brisbin, PA. FAMILY WILL VISIT WITH FRIENDS AT THE CHURCH ONE HOUR PRIOR TO MASS SATURDAY MORNING. Memorials may be made to Hospice of the Nature Coast in Florida, or Father Flanagan's Boys Town in Boys Town, NE. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 11 to January 12, 2012

**MONTGOMERY, MARY ELIZABETH, 74**

Ocala - Born June 11, 1937 in Stanaford, WV, Mary Elizabeth Montgomery died January 6, 2012 in Ocala, FL. She was a graduate from Vermilion High School in 1956. She then joined the US Air Force and proudly served our country with three years of service. She worked for the City of Vermilion as Deputy Bailiff, the Sparkle Market, and owned and operated Accurate Catering for 14 years. Mary was a life member of AMVETS Post 17 of Sandusky, OH; member of American Legion Auxiliary Unit 284, Belleview, FL. Mary was 4th District President of the Dept of FL American Legion Auxiliary, receiving the Outstanding District President, two years in a row. Additionally, she was National Administrative Director of the Sad Sacks (fun & honor group of AMVETS) supporting nurses' scholarships. Mary is survived by her beloved husband of 45 years, Gerald, Sr. of Ocala, FL; daughters, Malinda Lee Sommers of Collins, OH, and Cheri Lynn Cordes of Lorain, OH; sons, Troy Allen Montgomery of La Grange, KY, and Gerald Lee Montgomery, Jr. of Lorain, OH; eight grandchildren; brothers, Robert B. Hunter, Jr. of Greenwood, MS, and John Dana Hunter of Village of Sheffield, OH. She was preceded in death by her father, Robert B. Hunter, Sr., and mother, Evelyn Greene-Thomas; sisters, Evelyn Greene Losh, and Rena E. Kennedy; granddaughter, Crystal. Celebration of life to be held Monday, January 16, 2012 6:00 P.M. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, 352-245-2424. Committal service will be Tuesday, January 17, 2012 11:00 A.M. at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to the American Diabetes Association . Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).  
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daughters and spouses, Audrey J. Mushinsky of East Lyme, CT Susan E. (David) Rogan of Saratoga, CA. Ruth A. (Brian) Mushinsky-Dirlam, of Gales Ferry, CT, and Elizabeth A. (John) Pisaretz of Bridgeport, CT and their father, Robert F. Mushinsky of Mystic; sister, Joan Gattilia of Wallingford and six grandchildren (Stephanie, Christopher, Andrew, Jesse, Sunshine and Hannah) who affectionately called her Gramma Charlie. She was predeceased by her parents, sister, Elizabeth Gerosa, and beloved son, David S. Mushinsky. The family would like to acknowledge with sincerest gratitude all her friends and professionals who helped both her and her family especially during recent years of declining health. At Shirley's request, there will be no services. She was a charitable person and gave generously to causes she supported. The family requests that donations in her honor be made to: The Salvation Army, PO Box 3628, Ocala, FL 34478; Mystic & Noank Library, 40 Library St., Mystic, CT 06355, or Leslie E. Buck Memorial Fund, c/o Deans Mill School, 5 Deans Mill Road, Stonington, CT 06378. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944).

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### **POPE, LEOLA BELAND, 85**

Ocala - Leola Beland Pope, 85, passed away Monday, January 9, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House, in Ocala, FL after a long illness. She was the beloved mother of Leslie Pope Hall of Ocala, and Sally Pope Davis, who resides in New York City, with her husband, Arthur P. Davis, and grandmother to Robert A. Hall of Boulder, CO and Ryan A. Hall, of Jacksonville. She was born in The Pas, Manitoba, Canada, on September 28, 1926, the daughter of Donat Beland and Emma St. Goddard. The family moved to Belandville, Florida in 1929, a northwestern Florida farming community established by her grandfather, Albert Beland. Leola graduated from Pensacola High School in 1945 and Florida State University in 1949 with a degree in speech and education. After graduation, she spent a short time in Okinawa, Japan, after WWII working for the U.S. Civil Service, then moved to New York City, where she attended the Barbizon School of Modeling and had a successful career in runway modeling. In 1952, she married Robert Roger Pope, an officer and Search and Rescue pilot in the U.S. Coast Guard. She enjoyed being a Coast Guard wife and lived in many locations including Puerto Rico, Washington, D.C., Miami, San Francisco, Los Angeles, and Kodiak, Alaska. After Captain Pope died suddenly in 1969, while serving as Commanding Officer of the U.S. Coast Guard Station in Kodiak, she moved with her two daughters to New London, CT where she began a new career as the Cadet Social Director for the U.S. Coast Guard Academy. She served in that role until 1984 when she retired and moved to Seattle and started a second career in Real Estate. She relocated to the Tampa area in 1995 and to Ocala in 2000 to be closer to her eldest daughter, Leslie and her family. She was a charming woman with a beautiful smile and personality, who believed in the importance of exercise, especially swimming, and loved working in her garden, which she took great pride. She enjoyed travel, the music of the 1940's, and was a devoted mother, grandmother, and always had a poodle as her companion. In addition to her daughters and grandsons, she is survived by her sister, Bibianna Beland Weide of Seattle, her sister-in-law, Doris Pope Stout of Pottersville, New Jersey, and many nieces and nephews. In addition, she is predeceased by her brother, Marcel Beland, of Milton, FL, and her son-in-law, James F. Hall, of Ocala. A memorial mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Church on Saturday, January 14th at 10 a.m. Memorial contributions in memory of Mrs. Pope may be made to the Hospice of Marion County or the American Cancer Society .

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**SCIONTI, RICHARD ANDREW, 68**

Ocala - In loving memory of Richard Andrew Scionti, born on March 16, 1943, and entered into rest on December 24, 2011. Survived by his loving wife Joan E. Scionti and children; Marc Micale, Jodi Nix, Richard Scionti Jr., Thomas Scionti, and five grandchildren. Richard Scionti lived in Ocala, Florida for 25 years and along with his wife, they have been long time business owners of Sciontis Karate for Kids in Ocala and Belleview. Funeral services will be held Saturday, January 14, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 S.W. 17th Street, Ocala, Florida.

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**SMITH, ALTON L., 57**

Ocala - Mr. Alton L. Smith, "Pookie", 57, transitioned from this life December 30, 2011 at Ocala Regional. He leaves to cherish his loving memories, three sisters: Gloria J. Smith; Tina L. Gunter-Smith (Rico); Gina A. Gunter - all of Ocala; three brothers: McArthur Smith of Jacksonville, FL; Jimmy L. Smith, Jr. of Clearwater, FL; David A. Gunter (Rita) of Houston, TX; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and sorrowing friends. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, January 14, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. at Brown Memorial Funeral Home Chapel, Pastor Leroy Thomas, Eulogist. Arrangements entrusted to Brown Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Services, LLC, 706 SW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave., Ocala, FL.

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**SMITH, SR., LEO W.**

Ocala - Leo W. Smith, Sr. passed from this life on January 10, 2012 at The Windsor of Ocala, Florida. He was born in Zolfo Springs, Florida and moved to Ocala in 1964 from Gainesville. Mr. Smith was a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps. , was shot down during WW II and was in a POW camp for 11 months. He worked at Dingman Pontiac-Cadillac for many years, and was a local businessman in Ocala and Gainesville, and dealt in real estate investment. Mr. Smith is survived by his daughters Terri Warrington of Alachua, Lea (Pat) Duke of Summerfield, Deborah (Greg) Brochetti of Williston; his sons Leo W. (Janice) Smith, Jr., and Lester T. Smith both of Ocala; and his sister Janice Fulford of Daytona. He was preceded in death by his wife of 57 years, Ara Marie Smith (died June, 15, 2004). A graveside service will take place on Friday, January 13, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, with the visitation held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Thursday, January 12, 2012, from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Those who wish may make contributions to the Marion County Veterans Park, 111 S.E. 25th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471.

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**SUTHERLAND, HOWARD W., 84**

Ocala - Howard W. Sutherland, 84, of Ocala, FL, went to be with the Lord on January 3, 2012 at his daughter's residence under the loving care of his family. Howard was born on February 16, 1927, in Belleview, PA to his parents James Homer and Louise Augusta Sutherland. He moved to Ocala 38 years ago from Pennsylvania and served many of those years in various positions of maintenance and customer service. Survived by his son, Scott Sutherland of Monument, CO; two daughters; Colleen Livingston of Ocala, FL, and Tammy Smith of Heflin, AL; 9 grandchildren

and 12 great-grandchildren. An intimate family service will be held on Thursday, January 12, 2012.

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**VOILES, DAVID KELLY, 43**

Brooksville - David Kelly Voiles, 43, of Brooksville, Florida passed away January 3, 2012; after law enforcement officials recovered his body from the lake at Sherman Hills Golf Course in Ridge Manor, Florida. He is survived by his wife Teresa Voiles (Burr) of Brooksville, FL, parents, Patsy P. Pitman of Weeki Wachee, FL, formerly of Mooresville, IN, and David Miller and his wife Marjie Squitieri of Ocala, FL, step-grandparents, step-brother, two step-sisters, aunts, uncles, nephews, cousins and friends. Gathering In Memory will be held on Thursday, January 12, 2012 from 2:30 - 4:30 and 7 - 9 at the Brooksville Chapel of Brewer & Sons Funeral Home. Celebration of Life Service will be held on Friday, January 13, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Brooksville with Pastor Joe Santarelli officiating. David will be laid to rest at the Florida National Cemetery with Full Military Honors following the service. Visit [www.brewerfuneral.com](http://www.brewerfuneral.com) for full obit and to leave condolences - Brewer & Sons, 352-796-4991. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 11 to January 12, 2012

**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 13, 2012**

**BEEBE, KENNETH L., 91**

Ocala - Kenneth L. Beebe, 91, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, Jan. 10, 2012. He is survived by a companion Caryle Thoms, of Ocala; son, Kenneth Beebe (wife Candace) of Trinity, FL; 4 grandchildren; 4 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild. There will be a visitation at Roberts Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala, on Thursday, Jan 12th from 6-8 p.m., and on Friday, Jan. 13th from 11 a.m. until time of service at 12 noon. Interment will take place in Pennsylvania at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Shriners Childrens Hospital, 12502 USF Pine Dr., Tampa, FL 33612. Please view and sign the online guestbook at [robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**CAMPBELL, MILLIE, 81**

Dunnellon - Ms. Millie Campbell, 81, of Dunnellon, Florida, quietly answered the call to Eternal Rest at her residence on January 9, 2012. Ms. Campbell was a faithful member of the Beulah Missionary Baptist Church for many years under the Leadership of Rev. Holloway. She leaves to cherish her loving memories, her son: Randolph Campbell of Dunnellon FL, one sister: Thelma (Rubin) Jones, cousin: Mrs. Nellie Mae Smith and family of Daytona FL, Pastor Holloway & family along with the Beulah Missionary Baptist church, a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends. Services for Ms. Millie Campbell will be held 11 a.m. on Saturday, January 14, 2012 at Beulah Missionary Baptist Church in Dunnellon FL. Visitation has been set to take place One hour prior to services only. The burial will follow these services at the Dunnellon Community Cemetery. Services are under the Direction of Carnegie Funeral Home, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida. You may visit the online Condolences at [www.carnegiefuneralhome.com](http://www.carnegiefuneralhome.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 12 to January 13, 2012

**FREET, MARY LOUISE "PENNY", 67**

Ocala - Mary Louise "Penny" Freet died Wednesday, January 4, 2012. She was a native of Marion, Indiana and moved to Florida in the 60's. Penny was an RN and also worked as a bus driver for Marion County Schools before pursuing her dream of owning and operating her own trucking company. She was preceded in death by her father Ray Freet, Sr., beloved mother Clara Freet, and her brother Jack. She leaves to treasure her memory, brother Ray Freet, Jr. of Ocala, FL and sister Trudy Gardner of Summerfield, FL, aunts: Helen Moore and Gertrude Umphress, both of Citrus County, and numerous nieces, nephews, and a host of other relatives. She is also survived by her best friend and business partner Mary Fanelli. A celebration of her life will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, January 14, 2012 at 9309 Spring Rd., Ocala, FL.

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**KARP, WILLIAM H., 57**

Lebanon, TN - William H. Karp, 57, passed away Thursday, December 29th, 2011 at his home in Lebanon, TN. Born in Coral Gables, FL to Kenneth Karp and Patricia Jolly Karp, Hal as he was known to his friends and family moved to Ocala, FL in 1975 where he started several businesses, including horse insurance and surety companies. A loving husband and father, he was involved with all his children's activities from coaching little league to attending every school sports program and dance recital. He enjoyed fishing, old cars and working on watches in his spare time. He is survived by his wife of 37 years, Virginia Dell Karp of Lebanon, TN, his 3 children Aaron Karp, Chad Karp and Mackenzie Karp, his daughter-in-law Kelly Chandler and granddaughter Lily Ann Karp, his mother Patricia Jolly Karp of Ocala, FL and his 4 siblings Pam Heil and her husband Gary, David Karp, his wife Debbie and their 2 children Adam and Avery, Phillip Karp and his wife Amy and Amy Karp and her partner Bill. Hal was a good man, a loyal friend and a trusted partner. He will be dearly missed by his friends and family. At his request,

no services will be held on Hal's behalf. The family welcomes donations to the American Cancer Society made in his memory. Cremation Society of Tennessee is assisting the family with arrangements.

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**KELLY, KATHERINE D., 92**

Deland - Born September 24, 1919 in Wheeling, WV, Katherine D. Kelly died January 10, 2012 in Deland, FL. She was a member of Calvary Community Church. She is survived by her sons, James of Deland, FL, Thomas of Orlando, FL, and Fred of Detroit, MI; daughters, Patricia Chatfield of Jacksonville, FL, and Kathryn Szewc of Grants Pass, OR; 13 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. Visitation will be one hour prior to the funeral service which will be held Saturday, January 14, 2012, 12:00 P.M. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, 352-245-2424. Memorial contributions may be sent to Calvary Community Church, Summerfield, FL. Vault interment at Pine Level Cemetery, Oxford, FL. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**POPE, LEOLA BELAND, 85**

Ocala - Leola Beland Pope, 85, passed away Monday, January 9, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House, in Ocala, FL after a long illness. She was the beloved mother of Leslie Pope Hall of Ocala, and Sally Pope Davis, who resides in New York City, with her husband, Arthur P. Davis, and grandmother to Robert A. Hall of Boulder, CO and Ryan A. Hall, of Jacksonville. She was born in The Pas, Manitoba, Canada, on September 28, 1926, the daughter of Donat Beland and Emma St. Goddard. The family moved to Belandville, Florida in 1929, a northwestern Florida farming community established by her grandfather, Albert Beland. Leola graduated from Pensacola High

School in 1945 and Florida State University in 1949 with a degree in speech and education. After graduation, she spent a short time in Okinawa, Japan, after WWII working for the U.S. Civil Service, then moved to New York City, where she attended the Barbizon School of Modeling and had a successful career in runway modeling. In 1952, she married Robert Roger Pope, an officer and Search and Rescue pilot in the U.S. Coast Guard. She enjoyed being a Coast Guard wife and lived in many locations including Puerto Rico, Washington, D.C., Miami, San Francisco, Los Angeles, and Kodiak, Alaska. After Captain Pope died suddenly in 1969, while serving as Commanding Officer of the U.S. Coast Guard Station in Kodiak, she moved with her two daughters to New London, CT where she began a new career as the Cadet Social Director for the U.S. Coast Guard Academy. She served in that role until 1984 when she retired and moved to Seattle and started a second career in Real Estate. She relocated to the Tampa area in 1995 and to Ocala in 2000 to be closer to her eldest daughter, Leslie and her family. She was a charming woman with a beautiful smile and personality, who believed in the importance of exercise, especially swimming, and loved working in her garden, which she took great pride. She enjoyed travel, the music of the 1940's, and was a devoted mother, grandmother, and always had a poodle as her companion. In addition to her daughters and grandsons, she is survived by her sister, Bibianna Beland Weide of Seattle, her sister-in-law, Doris Pope Stout of Pottersville, New Jersey, and many nieces and nephews. In addition, she is predeceased by her brother, Marcel Beland, of Milton, FL, and her son-in-law, James F. Hall, of Ocala. A memorial mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Church on Saturday, January 14th at 10 a.m. Memorial contributions in memory of Mrs. Pope may be made to the Hospice of Marion County or the American Cancer Society .

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### **ROBERTS, MARIE H., 73**

Silver Springs - Marie H. Roberts fell asleep in death on Friday, January 6, 2012, at Villages Regional Hospital. Marie was born on August 30, 1938 in Ft. Drum, FL. She was a member of the Forest Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses. Marie was preceded in death by her father, General W. Hair, Sr.; mother, Irene Hair; sister, Rita Watts; and brother Gerald F. Hair, Sr. She is survived by her loving husband of 40 years, Gerald L. Roberts, Silver Springs, FL; daughter Melanie (Mike) Tackett, Gainesboro, TN; son, Chris Ricke of Miami, FL; daughter, Kathy (Chip) Brown, Ocala, FL; daughter, Bambi (Steve) Decker, Mayo, FL; daughter Rea (Victor) Nicholson, Port St. Lucie, FL; daughter, Phyllis "Peppi" Gaston, Silver Springs, FL; and her brother, G.W. (Betty) Hair, Jr. of Okeechobee, FL and also, 16 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, multiple nieces and nephews, extended family and many cherished and beloved friends. Services will be at Forest Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, 18081 SE 17th Street, Silver Springs, FL, at 4:00 p.m., on January 14, 2012.

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### **SHEFFIELD, JR., WILLIAM "BILL" BERT, 78**

Bronson - Born to William B. and Vera Sheffield on August 13, 1933 in Gainesville, FL, he passed from this life on Tuesday Jan. 10, 2012. He is survived by his loving wife and soul mate of 57 years, Bertie Reed Sheffield, his daughter Dr. Cynthia Lee Sheffield, son William Bert Sheffield, III and wife Catherine, one grandson John Stephen Sheffield and wife Bethany, two great grandchildren Cailyn Elsie and Cade John, his brother Tommy Sheffield, sisters Priscilla Tison and Mary Daniel along with numerous nieces, nephews, and friends. He is preceded in

death by his sister, Nancy Townsend. William attended GHS and later served proudly in the Navy Seabees, after which he joined the Plumbers and Pipefitters Union #234, where he worked until retiring after 50+ years. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, eating out and spending time with his children and grandchildren. There will be no services at this time. A memorial services will be held at a later date. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 1301 N. Young Blvd., Chiefland, FL 32626, 352-493-0050. On line condolences may be sent through our website at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**SMITH, ALTON L., 57**

Ocala - Mr. Alton L. Smith, "Pookie", 57, transitioned from this life December 30, 2011 at Ocala Regional. He leaves to cherish his loving memories, three sisters: Gloria J. Smith; Tina L. Gunter-Smith (Rico); Gina A. Gunter - all of Ocala; three brothers: McArthur Smith of Jacksonville, FL; Jimmy L. Smith, Jr. of Clearwater, FL; David A. Gunter (Rita) of Houston, TX; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and sorrowing friends. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, January 14, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. at Brown Memorial Funeral Home Chapel, Pastor Leroy Thomas, Eulogist. Arrangements entrusted to Brown Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Services, LLC, 706 SW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave., Ocala, FL.

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**SMITH, SR., LEO W.**

Ocala - Leo W. Smith, Sr. passed from this life on January 10, 2012 at The Windsor of Ocala, Florida. He was born in Zolfo Springs, Florida and moved to Ocala in 1964 from Gainesville. Mr. Smith was a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps. , was shot down during WW II and was in a POW camp for 11 months. He worked at Dingman Pontiac-Cadillac for many years, and was a local businessman in Ocala and Gainesville, and dealt in real estate investment. Mr. Smith is survived by his daughters Terri Warrington of Alachua, Lea (Pat) Duke of Summerfield, Deborah (Greg) Brochetti of Williston; his sons Leo W. (Janice) Smith, Jr., and Lester T. Smith both of Ocala; and his sister Janice Fulford of Daytona. He was preceded in death by his wife of 57 years, Ara Marie Smith (died June, 15, 2004). A graveside service will take place on Friday, January 13, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, with the visitation held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Thursday, January 12, 2012, from 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. Those who wish may make contributions to the Marion County Veterans Park, 111 S.E. 25th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 14, 2012**

**GLEASON, JR., DON OLIVER "SKIP", 40**

Tupelo, MS - Don Oliver "Skip" Gleason, Jr. passed away early Thursday, January 12, 2012 in Tupelo surrounded by his family. An attorney, Skip Gleason was a partner in the Tupelo law firm of Gleason and McHenry, PLLC. Skip received both his Bachelor of Arts and his law degree from the University of Mississippi, where he was a member of social fraternity, Phi Kappa Psi. He was a member of the Mississippi Bar Association, the Board of Governors of the Mississippi Association for Justice, and the Natchez Trace Golf Club in Saltillo. He was a devoted Ole Miss Football fan, a certified scuba diver and avid golfer. Skydiving and running

with the bulls in Pamplona were only a few examples of the zest with which he lived life. Skip is survived by his very significant other, Lexi Leigh Nash of Saltillo; parents, Don and Claudia Gleason of Oxford; sister, and brother-in-law, Marc and Patricia Gleason Barrios Showalter and niece, Emory Barrios of Oxford; sister, Anne Gleason Pitts of Oxford; brother, Jon Hunter Gleason currently of Tupelo and nephew, Kalin Hunter Gleason of Colorado Springs, CO and a whole host of dear family and friends. A visitation for family and friends will be held at the Natchez Trace Golf Clubhouse on Saturday, January 14, 2012 from 1:00 until 3:00 p.m. A memorial service will be held in the Grove at the University of Mississippi in Oxford on Sunday, January 15, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. Interment will follow at Oxford Memorial Cemetery for family and friends. Waller Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Memorials may be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and Research Center, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-1905 or the charity of choice . For additional information or to sign an online guestbook, visit our website [www.wallerfuneralhome.com](http://www.wallerfuneralhome.com) or call 662-234-7971.

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**KARP, WILLIAM H., 57**

Lebanon, TN - William H. Karp, 57, passed away Thursday, December 29th, 2011 at his home in Lebanon, TN. Born in Coral Gables, FL to Kenneth Karp and Patricia Jolly Karp, Hal as he was known to his friends and family moved to Ocala, FL in 1975 where he started several businesses, including horse insurance and surety companies. A loving husband and father, he was involved with all his children's activities from coaching little league to attending every school sports program and dance recital. He enjoyed fishing, old cars and working on watches in his spare time. He is survived by his wife of 37 years, Virginia Dell Karp of Lebanon, TN, his 3 children Aaron Karp, Chad Karp and Mackenzie Karp, his daughter-in-law Kelly Chandler and granddaughter Lily Ann Karp, his mother Patricia Jolly Karp of Ocala, FL and his 4 siblings Pam Heil and her husband Gary, David Karp, his wife Debbie and their 2 children Adam and Avery, Phillip Karp and his wife Amy and Amy Karp and her partner Bill. Hal was a good man, a loyal friend and a trusted partner. He will be dearly missed by his friends and family. At his request, no services will be held on Hal's behalf. The family welcomes donations to the American Cancer Society made in his memory. Cremation Society of Tennessee is assisting the family with arrangements.

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**KELLY, KATHERINE D., 92**

Deland - Born September 24, 1919 in Wheeling, WV, Katherine D. Kelly died January 10, 2012 in Deland, FL. She was a member of Calvary Community Church. She is survived by her sons, James of Deland, FL, Thomas of Orlando, FL, and Fred of Detroit, MI; daughters, Patricia Chatfield of Jacksonville, FL, and Kathryn Szewc of Grants Pass, OR; 13 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. Visitation will be one hour prior to the funeral service which will be held Saturday, January 14, 2012, 12:00 P.M. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, 352-245-2424. Memorial contributions may be sent to Calvary Community Church, Summerfield, FL. Vault interment at Pine Level Cemetery, Oxford, FL. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**OSWALD, JEANETTE K.**

Ocala - Jeanette Kleinibst Oswald passed away in her sleep after a long illness on January 13,

2012. Wife of the late Louis Oswald, mother of Michael, Jeffrey, Alan and Sandy, grandmother of Sylvan, Emily, Jenny, Robert, Marc, Claire, Brian, and Colin, great grandmother of Jack, Jessie, and River. Friends and family are invited to a memorial service at Temple B'nai Darom, 49 Banyan Course, Ocala, FL on Sunday, January 15, at 11:30 a.m. Shiva will be observed for family only. The arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce West Chapel, 352-854-2266.

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**ADAMS, MARGARET, 82**

Ocala- Born October 21, 1929 in Chicago Illinois, Margaret Adams (nee Murphy) passed away on December 21, 2011. She was predeceased by Virgil, her husband of 40 years. She is survived by her daughter Ellen (Craig), granddaughter Sarah, sisters Mary and Kay Masterson, and many nieces and nephews. She will be remembered fondly by the many friends she and Virgil made

during their 20 years in Ocala, FL along with their friends and relatives during their time in Michigan. A private service and burial was held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Contributions in her memory may be made to the Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 15 to January 16, 2012

**BAWGUS, BRUCE J., 72**

Ocala - Bruce J. Bawgus, age 72, of Ocala, Florida, passed away January 9, 2012 at Crystal River Health and Rehab. Born on December 9, 1939 in Cherokee, TN to Charles J. and Georgia (Murray) Bawgus. Bruce moved to Ocala in 1999 from Baltimore, MD. Survived by his wife, Charlene Bawgus; daughter's, Linda and her husband Stephen Evans, Terry Bawgus and Janet Williamson; son's, William C. Bawgus, Bruce J. Bawgus Jr, William L. Bawgus and Jeffery Bawgus; six sisters; ten grandchildren; three great-grandchildren. Private cremation will take place under the direction of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL. Memorial Services will be held at Dunnellon Seventh Day Adventist Church on Sunday, January 22, 2012 at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Alzheimer's Association . Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 15 to January 16, 2012

**DROUIN, DORIS MARIE, 81**

Doris M. Drouin of Dunnellon, FL. passed away on January 11, 2012 in Ocala, Fl. Mrs. Drouin was the daughter of Umberto and Eva (Gambi) Albertieri of Jamaica, N.Y. Mrs. Drouin was a waitress in the restaurant industry for many years. She was Catholic by faith and was a member of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church of Citrus Springs. She enjoyed Big Band Music; reading; singing; and dancing. She was especially proud of her grandchildren and her music. Mrs. Drouin moved to Dunnellon from Houston, TX in 1998. Doris leaves behind her loving sons Salvatore R. and wife Karen Ruggiero of Vero Beach, FL.; and Dennis A. and wife Margo Ruggiero of Kennesaw, GA.; her companion Robert "Bob" Hester of Dunnellon, FL; her grandchildren Alexandra and Jacob Ruggiero of Kennesaw, GA. Doris was predeceased by her son Joseph J. Ruggiero (1986) and her husband Walter Drouin in (2003). Funeral Mass for Mrs. Drouin will be Tuesday, January 17, 2012 at 11:00 AM at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish 1460 W. St. Elizabeth Place Citrus Springs, FL 34434 with Father Eric G. Peters officiating. Gathering will be Monday, January 16, 2012 from 6:00 - 8:00 P.M. at Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel 9695 S.W. 110th St. Ocala, FL. Condolences may be posted to Hiers-Baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 15 to January 16, 2012

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Gleason currently of Tupelo and nephew, Kalin Hunter Gleason of Colorado Springs, CO and a whole host of dear family and friends. A visitation for family and friends will be held at the Natchez Trace Golf Clubhouse on Saturday, January 14, 2012 from 1:00 until 3:00 p.m. A memorial service will be held in the Grove at the University of Mississippi in Oxford on Sunday, January 15, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. Interment will follow at Oxford Memorial Cemetery for family and friends. Waller Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Memorials may be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and Research Center, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-1905 or the charity of choice . For additional information or to sign an online guestbook, visit our website [www.wallerfuneralhome.com](http://www.wallerfuneralhome.com) or call 662-234-7971.  
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### **KELLY, ROBERT DONALD**

Mr. Robert Donald Kelly, 84, died at Estelle's Hospice House on Thursday, January 12, 2012. Robert was born in Philadelphia, PA on December 19, 1927 to parents, Samuel and Mildred (Fogel) Kelly. He served in the US Coast Guard during WWII. He moved to Ocala in September 1979 and was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his wife, Eleanor and is survived by his three sons, Matthew D. Kelly, Steven D. Kelly (wife, Bettie), and Thomas A. Kelly; granddaughter, Erin M. Kelly; brother, George Kelly (wife, Ginny) and numerous nephews and nieces. The Kelly family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Homes Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave on Thursday, January 19th from 5:00 to 7:00 PM. Funeral services will be at the funeral home on Friday, January 20th at 11:00 with interment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Downtown Chapel. 352-622-4141.

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### **KINDER, JACK D., 55**

Ocala - Jack D. Kinder, 55, of Ocala, Florida died at his home on Monday, January 9, 2012 with his wife Eva at his side. Jack is the son of the late Jack Kinder and Carol Kinder. Jack was in the housing and finance business for over 35 years and owner of Kinder Mobile Homes and Kinder Homes LLC. Jack has been in Ocala since 1988 by way of Slidell, LA and Renton, WA. He was educated and raised in Miami, Florida. Besides being a successful businessman, Jack was also a dedicated husband to Eva Kennedy Kinder and father to Elyse, Christopher, and Jack Kinder. Jack also had his success with many charities, his favorite being St. Jude's, which reflects his love of children. When he was not working, Jack enjoyed his paradise, which was Siesta Key with his friends and family. He loved the sun, surf and sand. Jack You Will Be Missed. A funeral service will be held 10:00 AM, Wednesday, January 18, 2012 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. A Celebration of Life will be held at Jack and Eva Kinder's home. The family has requested in lieu of flowers, please send contributions to American Cancer Society . Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 South Pine Ave., Ocala, FL is assisting the family.  
[www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com)

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### **LEMONS, THOMAS C.**

Ocala - Thomas C. Lemons, 74, passed away on Wednesday, Jan. 11, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Wellington, TX and moved to this area in 1968. He was a graduate of Bixby High School in Bixby, OK and served his country in the U.S. Army. He was a

world renowned crew chief for Big Daddy Don Garlits for 17 years leading the car to ten world championships. He is survived by his sister, Wanda Lemons Kannady and her husband Bill of Sheldon, MO, special friends, Don and Pat Garlits and the entire Garlits Drag Racing family, and his nieces, Marsha Hooper and her husband Rick and Marilyn Deem and her husband Brian. He was preceded in death by his parents, Cecil and Clara Holt Lemons and his nephew, Michael William Kannady. A visitation will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 17, 2012 from 6-8 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd. in Belleview. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Don Garlits Museum of Drag Racing 13700 SW 16th Ave., Ocala, FL 34473 or the 1320 Quarter Mile Foundation, 6210 Beverly Dr., Cleveland, OH. 44130.

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**MCDONALD, OLIVER WAYNE "MAC" JR.,**

Oliver Wayne "Mac" McDonald, Jr., age 79, of Ocala, FL passed away on Saturday, January 14, 2012. He was born in Ocala, FL on June 10, 1932. Mac was a lifelong resident of Ocala. He joined the US Navy when he was 17 years old and served for 26 years during which time he fought in the Korean Conflict and completed 3 tours in Vietnam. After his military career Mac worked for the Florida Department of Corrections at the Lowell Prison Institute where he retired a second time. Mac loved the outdoors and spending time with friends in various veteran organizations. One of his favorite events was attending reunions of the Ocala High School and retired Navy Veterans. He is survived by Glenda McDonald of Ocala, FL; son Mitchell McDonald of Ocklawaha, FL; brother Darrell McDonald of Pensacola, FL; several grandchildren and great grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Friday, January 20, 2012 from 4-8pm. A funeral service will also be held at the funeral home on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 11am. Interment will follow at Waldena Cemetery, Ocklawaha, FL. Mac fought many battles and won but lost his battle with cancer. He was deeply loved and will be greatly missed. In lieu of flowers the family asks that family and friends make a donation to the veteran's organization of their choice.

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**OSWALD, JEANETTE K.**

Ocala - Jeanette Kleinibst Oswald passed away in her sleep after a long illness on January 13, 2012. Wife of the late Louis Oswald, mother of Michael, Jeffrey, Alan and Sandy, grandmother of Sylvan, Emily, Jenny, Robert, Marc, Claire, Brian, and Colin, great grandmother of Jack, Jessie, and River. Friends and family are invited to a memorial service at Temple B'nai Darom, 49 Banyan Course, Ocala, FL on Sunday, January 15, at 11:30 a.m. Shiva will be observed for family only. The arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce West Chapel, 352-854-2266.

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**PENALVERT, DOMINGO, 75**

Ocala - Domingo Penalvert, 75, passed away on Wednesday, January 4, 2012 in Ocala, FL. Born in Barranquitas, Puerto Rico on April 4, 1936. He came to the United States in 1957 where he later married and had two children in Long Island, NY. To provide a better life for his family, they moved to Port Charlotte, FL where he worked for the County for 20 years until he and his wife retired in Ocala. Born with a true admiration of plants and trees, Domingo spent most of his



time outdoors. He was a loving, kind and genuine person who always made the best of every situation. "Don't worry, it will all work out" he would say. Domingo leaves behind his loving wife Joyce Penalvert of 47 years; daughters Maria Penalvert of Ocala, Melissa Smoak and husband Jason Smoak of Port Charlotte, FL; brothers Desi Penalvert of Ocala and Angelo Penalvert of Barranquitas, Puerto Rico; sister Milagro Penalvert Rosado of Brentwood, NY; and grandchildren Cheryl Sims, Joshua Jacobs, Christian Britt, Chase Smoak and Racheal Smoak. A memorial service will be held at Hospice Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34471 on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family is asking that donations be sent to Hospice Legacy House.

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### **PISANO, ROBERT "BOB", 69**

Dunnellon - Robert "Bob" Pisano passed away January 10, 2012 of Dunnellon, FL. He was born on March 11, 1942 in White Plains, NY to John and Mary Pisano. Bob graduated from St. Thomas Aquinas High School in Fort Lauderdale, FL, received a Bachelor's Degree from the University of Tampa, and a Master's Degree from FAU. Bob taught at Cardinal Gibbons High School in Fort Lauderdale from 1964-1968 He worked in the Broward County School System for 30 years at Boyd Anderson High School serving as Teacher, Guidance Counselor, Acting Principal and Peer Counselor Coordinator. Bob served one year as the Mayor of Oakland Park after a four year term on the City Council. His passion was raising and racing thoroughbred horses. Bob leaves behind his beloved wife Donna Pisano of Dunnellon, FL; daughter Robyn Pisano of Stuart, FL; former wife Joyce Pisano of St. Augustine, FL; step children Debra (David) Rose, Marc (Michelle) Anders of Orlando, FL; Janine Rubinoff and Liana Rubinoff of Fort Lauderdale, FL and Tryna Rubinoff of Tallahassee, FL and 3 grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents, John and Mary Pisano. Bob made an impression on the lives of everyone he touched and will definitely leave a void in the lives of those left behind. He will be missed. Donations may be made to the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation, PO Box 3387, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866. Arrangements are by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, FL.

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### **SCHIAVO, PATRICK L., 83**

Ocala - Mr. Patrick L. Schiavo, 83, passed away Tuesday, January 10, 2012. He was born in Dobbs Ferry, New York to Ralph and Concetta (Venuto) Schiavo. Mr. Schiavo was a retired New York Accountant. He enjoyed golf, the movies, and spending time with his family, especially with his grandchildren and great grandchildren. He is predeceased by 6 sisters, 1 brother, and his son-in-law Gerald Buch in 2009. He is survived by his loving wife of 59 years, Mary Schiavo, son Ralph Schiavo; 3 daughters Susan (Joseph) Slavin, Mary Ellen Buch, Renee (Frederick) Des Marais; 4 sisters Josephine Blunda, Helen (John) Willis Détente, Edith (Robert) Wergen, Margaret (Robert) Wilmoth; 7 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Visitation will be Monday, January 16, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Home, 6241 S.W. SR 200, Ocala, FL from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. There will be a mass on Tuesday, January 17, 2012 at 12 noon at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Committal with military honors will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3232 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Please view and sign our guest book at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**SMYTH, BOB, 84**

Ocala - Bob Smyth was born in New York City on July 17, 1927; he died January 10, 2012 in Ocala, Florida. He entered the U.S. Navy in June of 1945 and graduated from Naval Flight Training in 1948. In 1952, he graduated from the U.S. Navy Test Pilot School and served as an exchange officer with the British Royal Navy in 1953-54. In 1955, Bob resigned his commission from the U.S. Navy and accepted a position as an Engineering Test Pilot with Grumman. He flight-tested the F9F Cougar and F11F Tiger series and participated in Gulfstream I Test and Certification program from 1955 to 1960. Bob performed the first flight of the A2F-1 (A-6A) Intruder in April 1960. He was then appointed as a consulting pilot and astronaut liaison on the Apollo Lunar Module program until the spring of 1966. Bob then became the project pilot for the Gulfstream II, performing its first flight in October 1966. In September of 1965, Bob was married to Sally Shuman of Marblehead, Massachusetts, in New York City. In 1967, Bob was appointed Chief Test Pilot for Grumman. Several years later on December 21, 1970, along with fellow Grumman Test Pilot Bill Miller, he performed the first flight of the F-14A Tomcat. He holds the distinction, along with Bill Miller, as the first crew to eject from an F-14 on December 30, just a little over a week from its first flight. Bob was named Director of Flight Test in 1974. He was also the project pilot for the Gulfstream III, performing its first flight in December 1979. Bob left Grumman in 1981 and joined Gulfstream in Savannah, Georgia, as Director of Flight Operations. In 1985, he was promoted to Vice President of Flight Ops and Quality Control. Bob participated in most of the Gulfstream III and IV record setting flights around world, over the poles, etc. Some of Bob's accomplishments in aviation include certified Airline Transport Pilot (G-I, II, III, and IV), single-engine land and multi-engine land-and-sea aircraft. He was a Fellow of Society of Experimental Test Pilots and was elected to the Carrier Test Pilots Hall of Honor on board the USS Yorktown in Charleston, SC in 1991. He was also a long time member of the Cruising Club of America. In June of 1993, Bob retired from Gulfstream and moved to the Leeward Air Ranch in Ocala, Florida, where he spent the last thirteen years with his wife Sally and their three dachshunds Pfeffer, Minna, and Bella enjoying an active life of flying and traveling. Bob is survived by his wife Sally, sons Robert K. Smyth, Jr. and Andrew W. Smyth and his two grandchildren, Haven and Freya, all of whom reside in Northern California, and brother Donald Smyth of Sonora, California. The Smyth family is grateful to Hospice of Marion County and requests that any donations or remembrances be made to that organization. Private family celebration of life will be held. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, FL, 352-245-2424.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 16, 2012****ADAMS, MARGARET, 82**

Ocala- Born October 21, 1929 in Chicago Illinois, Margaret Adams (nee Murphy) passed away on December 21, 2011. She was predeceased by Virgil, her husband of 40 years. She is survived by her daughter Ellen (Craig), granddaughter Sarah, sisters Mary and Kay Masterson, and many nieces and nephews. She will be remembered fondly by the many friends she and Virgil made during their 20 years in Ocala, FL along with their friends and relatives during their time in Michigan. A private service and burial was held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Contributions in her memory may be made to the Hospice of Marion County.

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**BAWGUS, BRUCE J., 72**

Ocala - Bruce J. Bawgus, age 72, of Ocala, Florida, passed away January 9, 2012 at Crystal River Health and Rehab. Born on December 9, 1939 in Cherokee, TN to Charles J. and Georgia (Murray) Bawgus. Bruce moved to Ocala in 1999 from Baltimore, MD. Survived by his wife, Charlene Bawgus; daughter's, Linda and her husband Stephen Evans, Terry Bawgus and Janet Williamson; son's, William C. Bawgus, Bruce J. Bawgus Jr, William L. Bawgus and Jeffery Bawgus; six sisters; ten grandchildren; three great-grandchildren. Private cremation will take place under the direction of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL. Memorial Services will be held at Dunnellon Seventh Day Adventist Church on Sunday, January 22, 2012 at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Alzheimer's Association .

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**DROUIN, DORIS MARIE, 81**

Doris M. Drouin of Dunnellon, FL. passed away on January 11, 2012 in Ocala, FL. Mrs. Drouin was the daughter of Umberto and Eva (Gambi) Albertieri of Jamaica, N.Y. Mrs. Drouin was a waitress in the restaurant industry for many years. She was Catholic by faith and was a member of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church of Citrus Springs. She enjoyed Big Band Music; reading; singing; and dancing. She was especially proud of her grandchildren and her music. Mrs. Drouin moved to Dunnellon from Houston, TX in 1998. Doris leaves behind her loving sons Salvatore R. and wife Karen Ruggiero of Vero Beach, FL.; and Dennis A. and wife Margo Ruggiero of Kennesaw, GA.; her companion Robert "Bob" Hester of Dunnellon, FL; her grandchildren Alexandra and Jacob Ruggiero of Kennesaw, GA. Doris was predeceased by her son Joseph J. Ruggiero (1986) and her husband Walter Drouin in (2003). Funeral Mass for Mrs. Drouin will be Tuesday, January 17, 2012 at 11:00 AM at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish 1460 W. St. Elizabeth Place Citrus Springs, FL 34434 with Father Eric G. Peters officiating. Gathering will be Monday, January 16, 2012 from 6:00 - 8:00 P.M. at Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel 9695 S.W. 110th St. Ocala, FL. Condolences may be posted to Hiers-Baxley.com.

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**KELLY, ROBERT DONALD**

Mr. Robert Donald Kelly, 84, died at Estelle's Hospice House on Thursday, January 12, 2012. Robert was born in Philadelphia, PA on December 19, 1927 to parents, Samuel and Mildred (Fogel) Kelly. He served in the US Coast Guard during WWII. He moved to Ocala in September 1979 and was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his wife, Eleanor and is survived by his three sons, Matthew D. Kelly, Steven D. Kelly (wife, Bettie), and Thomas A. Kelly; granddaughter, Erin M. Kelly; brother, George Kelly (wife, Ginny) and numerous nephews and nieces. The Kelly family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Homes Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave on Thursday, January 19th from 5:00 to 7:00 PM. Funeral services will be at the funeral home on Friday, January 20th at 11:00 with interment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Downtown Chapel. 352-622-4141.

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**KINDER, JACK D., 55**

Ocala - Jack D. Kinder, 55, of Ocala, Florida died at his home on Monday, January 9, 2012 with his wife Eva at his side. Jack is the son of the late Jack Kinder and Carol Kinder. Jack was in the housing and finance business for over 35 years and owner of Kinder Mobile Homes and Kinder Homes LLC. Jack has been in Ocala since 1988 by way of Slidell, LA and Renton, WA. He was educated and raised in Miami, Florida. Besides being a successful businessman, Jack was also a dedicated husband to Eva Kennedy Kinder and father to Elyse, Christopher, and Jack Kinder. Jack also had his success with many charities, his favorite being St. Jude's, which reflects his love of children. When he was not working, Jack enjoyed his paradise, which was Siesta Key with his friends and family. He loved the sun, surf and sand. Jack You Will Be Missed. A funeral service will be held 10:00 AM, Wednesday, January 18, 2012 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. A Celebration of Life will be held at Jack and Eva Kinder's home. The family has requested in lieu of flowers, please send contributions to American Cancer Society . Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 South Pine Ave., Ocala, FL is assisting the family.  
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### **LEMONS, THOMAS C.**

Ocala - Thomas C. Lemons, 74, passed away on Wednesday, Jan. 11, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born in Wellington, TX and moved to this area in 1968. He was a graduate of Bixby High School in Bixby, OK and served his country in the U.S. Army. He was a world renowned crew chief for Big Daddy Don Garlits for 17 years leading the car to ten world championships. He is survived by his sister, Wanda Lemons Kannady and her husband Bill of Sheldon, MO, special friends, Don and Pat Garlits and the entire Garlits Drag Racing family, and his nieces, Marsha Hooper and her husband Rick and Marilyn Deem and her husband Brian. He was preceded in death by his parents, Cecil and Clara Holt Lemons and his nephew, Michael William Kannady. A visitation will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 17, 2012 from 6-8 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd. in Belleview. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Don Garlits Museum of Drag Racing 13700 SW 16th Ave., Ocala, FL 34473 or the 1320 Quarter Mile Foundation, 6210 Beverly Dr., Cleveland, OH. 44130.

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### **MCDONALD, OLIVER WAYNE "MAC" JR.,**

Oliver Wayne "Mac" McDonald, Jr., age 79, of Ocala, FL passed away on Saturday, January 14, 2012. He was born in Ocala, FL on June 10, 1932. Mac was a lifelong resident of Ocala. He joined the US Navy when he was 17 years old and served for 26 years during which time he fought in the Korean Conflict and completed 3 tours in Vietnam. After his military career Mac worked for the Florida Department of Corrections at the Lowell Prison Institute where he retired a second time. Mac loved the outdoors and spending time with friends in various veteran organizations. One of his favorite events was attending reunions of the Ocala High School and retired Navy Veterans. He is survived by Glenda McDonald of Ocala, FL; son Mitchell McDonald of Ocklawaha, FL; brother Darrell McDonald of Pensacola, FL; several grandchildren and great grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Friday, January 20, 2012 from 4-8pm. A funeral service will also be held at the funeral home on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 11am. Interment will follow at Waldena Cemetery, Ocklawaha, FL. Mac fought many battles and won but lost his battle with cancer. He was deeply loved and will be greatly missed.

In lieu of flowers the family asks that family and friends make a donation to the veteran's organization of their choice.

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**PENALVERT, DOMINGO, 75**

Ocala - Domingo Penalvert, 75, passed away on Wednesday, January 4, 2012 in Ocala, FL. Born in Barranquitas, Puerto Rico on April 12, 1936. He came to the United States in 1957 where he later married and had two children in Long Island, NY. To provide a better life for his family, they moved to Port Charlotte, FL where he worked for the County for 20 years until he and his wife retired in Ocala. Born with a true admiration of plants and trees, Domingo spent most of his time outdoors. He was a loving, kind and genuine person who always made the best of every situation. "Don't worry, it will all work out" he would say. Domingo leaves behind his loving wife Joyce Penalvert of 47 years; daughters Maria Penalvert of Ocala, Melissa Smoak and husband Jason Smoak of Port Charlotte, FL; brothers Desi Penalvert of Ocala and Angelo Penalvert of Barranquitas, Puerto Rico; sister Milagro Penalvert Rosado of Brentwood, NY; and grandchildren Cheryl Sims, Joshua Jacobs, Christian Britt, Chase Smoak and Racheal Smoak. A memorial service will be held at Hospice Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34471 on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family is asking that donations be sent to Hospice Legacy House.

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**PISANO, ROBERT "BOB", 69**

Dunnellon - Robert "Bob" Pisano passed away January 10, 2012 of Dunnellon, FL. He was born on March 11, 1942 in White Plains, NY to John and Mary Pisano. Bob graduated from St. Thomas Aquinas High School in Fort Lauderdale, FL, received a Bachelor's Degree from the University of Tampa, and a Master's Degree from FAU. Bob taught at Cardinal Gibbons High School in Fort Lauderdale from 1964-1968 He worked in the Broward County School System for 30 years at Boyd Anderson High School serving as Teacher, Guidance Counselor, Acting Principal and Peer Counselor Coordinator. Bob served one year as the Mayor of Oakland Park after a four year term on the City Council. His passion was raising and racing thoroughbred horses. Bob leaves behind his beloved wife Donna Pisano of Dunnellon, FL; daughter Robyn Pisano of Stuart, FL; former wife Joyce Pisano of St. Augustine, FL; step children Debra (David) Rose, Marc (Michelle) Anders of Orlando, FL; Janine Rubinoff and Liana Rubinoff of Fort Lauderdale, FL and Tryna Rubinoff of Tallahassee, FL and 3 grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents, John and Mary Pisano. Bob made an impression on the lives of everyone he touched and will definitely leave a void in the lives of those left behind. He will be missed. Donations may be made to the Thoroughbred Retirement Foundation, PO Box 3387, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866. Arrangements are by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, FL.

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**SCHIAVO, PATRICK L., 83**

Ocala - Mr. Patrick L. Schiavo, 83, passed away Tuesday, January 10, 2012. He was born in Dobbs Ferry, New York to Ralph and Concetta (Venuto) Schiavo. Mr. Schiavo was a retired New York Accountant. He enjoyed golf, the movies, and spending time with his family, especially with his grandchildren and great grandchildren. He is predeceased by 6 sisters, 1 brother, and his son-in-law Gerald Buch in 2009. He is survived by his loving wife of 59 years,

Mary Schiavo, son Ralph Schiavo; 3 daughters Susan (Joseph) Slavin, Mary Ellen Buch, Renee (Frederick) Des Marais; 4 sisters Josephine Blunda, Helen (John) Willis Détente, Edith (Robert) Wergen, Margaret (Robert) Wilmoth; 7 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Visitation will be Monday, January 16, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Home, 6241 S.W. SR 200, Ocala, FL from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. There will be a mass on Tuesday, January 17, 2012 at 12 noon at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Committal with military honors will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3232 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Please view and sign our guest book at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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### **BRYANT, JACK, 86**

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### **CAUDA, JR., JEROME "JERRY" EMIL, 76**

Ocala - Jesus came and called "Jerry" to his eternal home on January 10, 2012. Mr. Cauda was the son of the late Jerome Emil Cauda, Sr. and Marie (Cella) Cauda of Bronx, N.Y. Mr. Cauda was of the Catholic faith, was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, and very active in the organization and implementation of the Latin Mass at Queen of Peace. Mr. Cauda was born in Bronx, NY and was a Programmer with Big Blue, IBM for 33 years. Mr. Cauda served his Country in the U.S. Air Force, and was past President of the Italian American Club and Republican Club at On Top of the World Communities. Life member of Hughsonville Fire Company of New York. Jerry enjoyed traveling, especially to Italy and cruising to the Caribbean. Jerry is survived by his sister Madeline Harbottle and husband Jim of Chandler, Arizona; sister-in-law Kitty Cauda of New York; niece Linda Diaz-Paz of Virginia; nephews: Jim Harbottle of Florida; and Joe Cauda of New York; great-nieces: Nicole and Meagan Cauda; and great-nephew Ronaldo Diaz-Paz; cousins: Bob and Carol Berta, Ocala, FL; and many close friends and neighbors. Jerry was predeceased by his brother Lawrence Cauda (2011). Funeral Mass will be Friday, January 20, 2012 at 8:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Inurnment will follow at Florida National Cemetery at 11:00 AM with Military Honors provided by Angela Santos VFW Post #4781 of Ocala. Memorials may be made to Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 S.W. SR200, Ocala, FL 34476 or American Cancer Society, 2201 SE 30th Ave. #301, Ocala, FL 34471-7500. Condolences may be posted to [hiers-baxley.com](http://hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 17 to January 18, 2012

### **HENDRICKS, DONNA WALDRON, 56**

Salt Springs - Donna Waldron Hendricks, 56, passed away on January 9, 2012, at Tuscany House. Born in Ocala she lived in Marion County all her life and worked as a cook in Salt Springs. She loved fishing, being on the river, and in the last few years she enjoyed making jewelry. Preceded in death by her father, Luther Waldon; and sister, Leslie; she is survived by sons, Kevin (Kristi) Hendricks, Port Orange; Craig Hendricks, Salt Springs; granddaughter, Alexis; mother, Patricia Waldron; sister, Jeannette Gottenstrater; niece, Crystal Meeks, and great-niece, Hannah, all of Salt Springs. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 17 to January 18, 2012

### **KAUTZ, DORIE A., 79**

Ocala - Mrs. Dorie A. Kautz, 79, went on to be with the Lord on January 13, 2012. She was born in Sioux County, North Dakota on May 14, 1932. She moved here in 1985 from IL. Dorie is predeceased by two brothers: Willard Geffert and Edwin Geffert. She is survived by her loving husband Robert of 59 years; two daughters: Susanne Cartwright (Thomas) of Indiana and Linda Houghton (Michael) of Illinois; four grandchildren: Cori (Brandon), Amy, David and Mary, and one great-granddaughter: Aubrey. Dorie was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church in Ocala. Her greatest achievement was being a wonderful loving wife, mother and grandmother. The family requests that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266, made the arrangements. To leave a message visit [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**LEE, CHARLES W. "BUCK", 77**

Ocala - Charles William "Buck" Lee, 77, of Ocala, went to his heavenly home on January 11, 2012. Born in Hoxie, Arkansas, he and his wife came to Ocala 49 years ago. He was a US Navy Veteran of the Korean War and retired Mathematics Professor and Director of Data Processing at Central Florida Community College, where he worked for 35 years. He was a faithful member of Druid Hills United Methodist Church and enjoyed spending time with his family, fishing and traveling. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Sarah K. Bennett Lee; daughters, Susan (Randy) Leighton of Dunnellon, Sherri (Glen) Kramer of Mount Pleasant, SC, Kathy (Brian) Benda of Orange Park, FL and Carol (Tom) Rykalsky of Orange Park, FL; sisters, Emily (Charles) Carter of Texas, Ruth Trotter of Arizona; grandchildren, Dustin, Danielle, Kelsey, Amanda, Shawn, Noah, Matthew, Brett, Ryan, Luke and Anna; great grandchildren, Jordan Marie and Kydin. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944) on Friday, Jan. 20th, from 5-7PM. A Memorial Service will be held at Druid Hills United Methodist Church (1712 SE Lake Weir Rd., Ocala 34471) on Saturday, Jan. 21st, at 11AM. Interment with military honors will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens at 3PM. For those who wish, the family is accepting flowers or memorial donations. A condolence message may be left at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**MITCHELL, JEAN, 82**

Summerfield - Jean Mitchell, 82, of Del Web Spruce Creek in Summerfield, FL, went home to her Lord and Savior on Jan. 4, 2012. Born Oct. 28, 1929 in Philadelphia, PA, she was the daughter of the late George and Mary Feichthaler and wife to the late Leonard W. Mitchell, Sr. She is survived by two daughters and a son; also surviving are two brothers and one sister, and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren. In keeping with her wishes, there will be no funeral or memorial services. Memorial contributions in Jean's name may be made to the American Diabetes Association .

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**RIVERA, LUIS ALBERTO, 78**

Ocala - Luis Alberto Rivera, 78, of Ocala, passed away on Saturday, January 14, 2012 in Ocala, FL. Born in Puerto Rico, son to the late Ramon and Ramona (Adonte) Rivera, he moved to the United States when he was 17 years old and lived in Ocala the last 25 years. For many years he and his first wife, Clara, owned and operated the Rivera's Restaurant of Ocala. He was one of 18



siblings. Luis is survived by his beloved wife Barbara Rivera of Ocala; step-children: Mary Ann Schutt, James D. Schutt, Judith Tague, Charles Schutt and Kevin Schutt, all of Indiana; 11 step-grandchildren and 4 step-great-grandchildren: 5 sisters, 3 brothers and over 20 nieces and nephews. A Mass of Celebration will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Thursday, January 19, 2012 at 11:00 AM followed by entombment at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. The visitation will be held on Wednesday, January 18, 2012 from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM and 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).  
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**TAYLOR, ELIZABETH H., 82**

Ocala - Mrs. Elizabeth H. Taylor, 82, passed away in Ocala, FL on January 6, 2012. She was born in Chatham, VA on June 4, 1929. She was a volunteer for the American Red Cross. She is preceded in death by her loving husband of 52 years Jessie. She moved to this area in 1988 from Norfolk, VA. She is survived by her son: Richard Taylor and wife (Carolyn) of Chesapeake, VA; one grandson: Christopher Taylor and wife (Linda); and two great-grandchildren: Madison Taylor and Allison Taylor. A graveside service will take place at Florida National Cemetery on January 20th at 1 P.M. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266, made the arrangements. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to be made to the American Red Cross. You may leave condolences at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).  
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### **GALLERY, IRV, 96**

Ocala - Irv Gallery went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, January 15, 2012. He was born in Temple, Michigan to Arthur and Grace Gallery as William Irving Gallery on May 5, 1915. He worked as a self-employed mechanic and moved from Saginaw, Michigan to Ocala in 1961. Mr. Gallery had a very strong faith and loved to talk to people about the Lord. He is preceded in death by his wife of 67 years, Sylvia Gallery, 2 grandsons, Ryan Bailey and Jim Merritt, 1 brother and 3 sisters. He is survived by a son and daughter-in-law; Jerry and Nancy Gallery, two daughters and sons-in-law; Janet and Larry Rich, Judy and Glenn Bailey, 2 granddaughters, 1 grandson, 4 great-grandsons and 1 great-granddaughter. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at First Baptist Church of Silver Springs at 10:00 AM, the family will receive friends from 9:00 until service time. Entombment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Your Ocala Dignity Provider, is assisting the family. [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com).  
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### **HENDRICKS, DONNA WALDRON, 56**

Salt Springs - Donna Waldron Hendricks, 56, passed away on January 9, 2012, at Tuscan House. Born in Ocala she lived in Marion County all her life and worked as a cook in Salt Springs. She loved fishing, being on the river, and in the last few years she enjoyed making jewelry. Preceded in death by her father, Luther Waldon; and sister, Leslie; she is survived by sons, Kevin (Kristi) Hendricks, Port Orange; Craig Hendricks, Salt Springs; granddaughter, Alexis; mother, Patricia Waldron; sister, Jeannette Gottenstrater; niece, Crystal Meeks, and great-niece, Hannah, all of Salt Springs. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County.  
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### **KAUTZ, DORIE A., 79**

Ocala - Mrs. Dorie A. Kautz, 79, went on to be with the Lord on January 13, 2012. She was born in Sioux County, North Dakota on May 14, 1932. She moved here in 1985 from IL. Dorie is predeceased by two brothers: Willard Geffert and Edwin Geffert. She is survived by her loving husband Robert of 59 years; two daughters: Susanne Cartwright (Thomas) of Indiana and Linda Houghton (Michael) of Illinois; four grandchildren: Cori (Brandon), Amy, David and Mary, and one great-granddaughter: Aubrey. Dorie was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church in Ocala. Her greatest achievement was being a wonderful loving wife, mother and grandmother. The family requests that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266, made the arrangements. To leave a message visit

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**KEE, JR., IRBY C., 90**

Ocala - Irby C. Kee, Jr., age 90, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Monday, January 16, 2012 at his residence. He was born in Ripley, Tennessee and moved to Ocala in 1980 from Memphis, Tennessee. He served his country in the U.S. Navy during W.W. II and for 33 years he served as an Engineer with the Ford Motor Company in Memphis, TN, Ohio and Michigan. He was a very active member of the Maricamp Church of Christ and he loved playing golf, traveling, his rose garden, but most of all, loved spending time with his loving family and friends. He is survived by his loving wife of 63 years, Sarah A. Kee of Ocala, FL; his son, Mack Kee of Belleview, FL; his daughter, Donna Kee of Ocala, FL; his sister, Jane Hogan of Memphis, TN and his 4 loving grandchildren, Chelsey and Gavin Kee and Dylan and Megan Kee-Manon. There will be a "Celebration of Life Service" at 2:00 PM, on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 S.W. 2nd Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34471, with the family receiving friends at the Funeral Home, one hour prior to service time. The family has requested a private family interment in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL, with Military Honors, at a later date. The family also request, donations in lieu of flowers, may be made to, Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860, in Memory of Mr. Irby C. Kee, Jr. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 18 to January 19, 2012

**KING, GLADYS RUTH, 80**

Ocala - Gladys Ruth King, 80, was called by our gracious Lord Jehovah on Monday January 9, 2012 at 4 a.m. She was born April 13, 1931 in Chicopee, MA and has made her home in Ocala for the past 36 years. Gladys was preceded in death by her husband Arthur R. King, II and son Dorian Jacques. Mema, as she was affectionately known, leaves to carry on, her nine children: Judson King and his wife Tracy, Arthur King and his wife Laurie, Gladys Longfellow, Paulette King, David Jacques and wife Debbie, Dennis Jacques, Donald Jacques, Damon Jacques, and Douglas Jacques. She also leaves behind 16 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren, and her brother Theodore Ludwin. Gladys was a loving wife and mother who gave guidance, love, and devotion. She was always sharing and forgiving and will always be loved and remembered. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 18 to January 19, 2012

**LEE, CHARLES W. "BUCK", 77**

Ocala - Charles William "Buck" Lee, 77, of Ocala, went to his heavenly home on January 11, 2012. Born in Hoxie, Arkansas, he and his wife came to Ocala 49 years ago. He was a US Navy Veteran of the Korean War and retired Mathematics Professor and Director of Data Processing at Central Florida Community College, where he worked for 35 years. He was a faithful member of Druid Hills United Methodist Church and enjoyed spending time with his family, fishing and traveling. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Sarah K. Bennett Lee; daughters, Susan (Randy) Leighton of Dunnellon, Sherri (Glen) Kramer of Mount Pleasant, SC, Kathy (Brian) Benda of Orange Park, FL and Carol (Tom) Rykalsky of Orange Park, FL; sisters, Emily (Charles) Carter of Texas, Ruth Trotter of Arizona; grandchildren, Dustin, Danielle, Kelsey, Amanda, Shawn, Noah, Matthew, Brett, Ryan, Luke and Anna; great grandchildren, Jordan Marie and Kydin. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944) on Friday, Jan. 20th, from 5-7PM. A Memorial

Service will be held at Druid Hills United Methodist Church (1712 SE Lake Weir Rd., Ocala 34471) on Saturday, Jan. 21st, at 11AM. Interment with military honors will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens at 3PM. For those who wish, the family is accepting flowers or memorial donations. A condolence message may be left at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).  
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**LEE, GLORIA, 71**

Dunnellon - Gloria Lee, 71, passed away at Legacy House, Ocala, on January 14, 2012. She was born in Homosassa, FL and was a former dispatcher for the Marion County Sheriffs Dept. Ms. Lee is survived by one son, Joseph Roger Peebles III of Silver Springs, FL; a daughter Janet Ann Beck of Dunnellon, FL; and a brother Fred Silas of Citrus Springs, FL. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, Jan. 19, 2012, at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Condolences may be made to [www.RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://www.RobertsofDunnellon.com).  
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**MITCHELL, JEAN, 82**

Summerfield - Jean Mitchell, 82, of Del Web Spruce Creek in Summerfield, FL, went home to her Lord and Savior on Jan. 4, 2012. Born Oct. 28, 1929 in Philadelphia, PA, she was the daughter of the late George and Mary Feichthaler and wife to the late Leonard W. Mitchell, Sr. She is survived by two daughters and a son; also surviving are two brothers and one sister, and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren. In keeping with her wishes, there will be no funeral or memorial services. Memorial contributions in Jean's name may be made to the American Diabetes Association .  
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**REYNOLDS, MATTHEW JOHN, 20**

Ocala - Matthew John Reynolds passed away on Sunday, January 15, 2012 in Ocala, Florida. Matt was born in York, PA on February 13, 1991 to parents Russell and Barbara (Walters) Reynolds, Jr. Growing up, Matt played Little League baseball and was a member of the Boy Scouts of America. Matt moved with his family to Ocala in 2003 and graduated from West Port High School in 2009. He was currently a student at the College of Central Florida, worked at

Zaxbys, and was formerly a volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was loved and will be greatly missed by those who survive him, including his parents, Russell and Barbara Reynolds Jr.; sister, Kim Reynolds of N. Las Vegas, NV; brother, Joseph Reynolds of Ocala; sister, Kelly Reynolds of Ocala; paternal grandfather, Russell E. Reynolds Sr. of Red Lion, PA; numerous aunts and uncles and 7 cousins. The family will receive friends on Thursday, January 19th at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church from 1:30 to 3:30 PM with Mass at 3:30 PM. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorial contributions to Blessed Trinity Catholic Church or the charity of your choice in Matt's honor. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 352-732-9944.

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**RIVERA, LUIS ALBERTO, 78**

Ocala - Luis Alberto Rivera, 78, of Ocala, passed away on Saturday, January 14, 2012 in Ocala, FL. Born in Puerto Rico, son to the late Ramon and Ramona (Adonte) Rivera, he moved to the United States when he was 17 years old and lived in Ocala the last 25 years. For many years he and his first wife, Clara, owned and operated the Rivera's Restaurant of Ocala. He was one of 18 siblings. Luis is survived by his beloved wife Barbara Rivera of Ocala; step-children: Mary Ann Schutt, James D. Schutt, Judith Tague, Charles Schutt and Kevin Schutt, all of Indiana; 11 step-grandchildren and 4 step-great-grandchildren: 5 sisters, 3 brothers and over 20 nieces and nephews. A Mass of Celebration will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Thursday, January 19, 2012 at 11:00 AM followed by entombment at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. The visitation will be held on Wednesday, January 18, 2012 from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM and 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**SEIGER, JACK JOSEPH, 86**

Ocala - Jack Joseph Seiger, 86, passed away at home on Tuesday, January 10, 2012. Jack was born in Atlantic City, New Jersey to Leon and Bessie Fox Seiger and grew up in Miami, Florida. He served in the U.S. Navy, then went on to a 30 plus year career as an aircraft mechanic with National/Pan Am Airlines. He retired in 1982 and moved to Ocala in 1993. Jack is survived by his loving wife of 38 years, Alice; son Steve (Sandi) Seiger, Wheat Ridge, CO; daughter Peggy (Ron) Elimelech, Miami, FL; stepson Robert (Donna) Bradford, Deltona, FL; five grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held, Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 7:00 PM at Hospice Legacy House, 9505 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala, FL, (352)291-5100. Burial will be at Deltona Memorial Gardens on Sunday, January 22, 2012. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266.

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**SPEIGHTS, ARTHUR C., 33**

Ocala - Arthur C. Speights, 33, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Friday, Jan. 13, 2012 at the Park Meadow Health Care Center in Gainesville. Arthur was born in Ocala and was a lifelong resident. Arthur worked in the Restaurant Industry and was of the Baptist Faith. He was a member of A.R.C. of Marion County, Marion Therapeutic Riding Assoc., and participated in Special Olympic here in Marion Co. Arthur enjoyed all sports. He is preceded by his grandfather, Dr. N.H. Jones, parents, Willie Earl and Olivia (Jones) Speights. Arthur is survived by his

brother, Nathaniel Speights of Ocala, FL, and numerous half brothers and sisters. There will be a gathering on Thursday, Jan. 19th at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., from 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. with his celebration of life service beginning at 2:00 p.m. with the burial following. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 352-622-4141.

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**TAYLOR, ELIZABETH H., 82**

Ocala - Mrs. Elizabeth H. Taylor, 82, passed away in Ocala, FL on January 6, 2012. She was born in Chatham, VA on June 4, 1929. She was a volunteer for the American Red Cross. She is preceded in death by her loving husband of 52 years Jessie. She moved to this area in 1988 from Norfolk, VA. She is survived by her son: Richard Taylor and wife (Carolyn) of Chesapeake, VA; one grandson: Christopher Taylor and wife (Linda); and two great-grandchildren: Madison Taylor and Allison Taylor. A graveside service will take place at Florida National Cemetery on January 20th at 1 P.M. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266, made the arrangements. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to be made to the American Red Cross. You may leave condolences at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 19, 2012**

**BOETIUS, FRANKIE, 86**

Dunnellon - Mrs. Frankie Boetius, 86, of Dunnellon Florida passed away on January 16, 2012. Those she leaves to cherish her memories: her husband: Andre Boetius of Dunnellon Florida; two stepsons: Corey and Andre Jr.; two stepdaughters: Arleigh and Jackie Boetius; and one brother: James Hunter of Los Angeles, CA. Services for Mrs. Frankie Boetius will be held 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at New Bethel Baptist Church Dunnellon FL. Viewing will take place one hour prior to services on Saturday. Burial will follow in the Dunnellon Community Cemetery. Services are under the direction of Carnegie Funeral Home, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida. You may visit the online condolences at [www.carnegiefuneralhome.com](http://www.carnegiefuneralhome.com).

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**BRACEY, CATHERINE RENEE**

Ocala - On January 10, 2012 became absent from her mortal body to be present with the Lord. Catherine was born July 12, 1965 in Ocala, FL. She was educated by the Marion County School System. She was a graduate of Forest High School. She leaves to remember and treasure memories of her....Her mother: Lizzie Bracey; daughters: Latoya Bracey, Ashley Bracey, Tara Bracey, Felicia Bracey and Natesha Bracey; one grandson: Tohrion Youmans; brother: Keith Bracey and Melissa Johnson; aunts: Dr. Shirley McCray, Christine Bracey, Gerridine Martin, Jeanette Cosby, Dale Bracey, Tonya Charles and Retrina Washington. A host of nephews, one niece, cousins and dear friends. Celebration of life for Mrs. Bracey will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 11:00 am at Intimacy House of God, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be held on Friday, January 20, 2012 from 3:00pm to 7:00pm at TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, 127 NW 20TH ST, Ocala FL 34475. "New Era of Compassion and Service"

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**COZZINO, CONCETTA "CONNIE", 62**

Ocala - Ms. Concetta "Connie" Cozzino, 62, passed away on January 17, 2012. Connie was born in New York City on July 12, 1949. She was a retired Grocery Manager. She was predeceased by her parents Ralph and Beatrice Cozzino. She moved to this area from Winter Park, FL in 2000. Connie is survived by her sister Julia Cozzino of Ocala and her brother Ralph Cozzino, Jr. of Bloomingdale, NJ; two uncles: Vincent Bochicciho and Vincent Cozzino; one aunt: Elaine Cozzino; five nephews: Richard Miller, Michael Miller, Ryan Miller, Matthew Cozzino and Jonathan Cozzino; six cousins: Elaina Cozzino, Marie Connor, Karen Cozzino, Theresa DeChirico James, Frank DeChirico and James DeChirico. Connie is the most wonderful person you could ever know and will be missed greatly. There will be a memorial service at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR# 200 in Ocala, (352)854-2266, on Friday January 20th at 11AM. The family requests donations to Saint Judes Cancer Research. To leave condolences ([www.roberfsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.roberfsfuneralhomes.com)).

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**DAVIS, RUBY LEE**

Dunnellon - Mrs. Ruby Lee Davis of Dunnellon, Florida passed away on January 17, 2012 at Diamond Ridge Health And Rehab. She leaves to cherish her memories and legacy, granddaughter: Victoria Thomas (Minister Willie) of Dunnellon, Florida; two grandsons: Gregory Martin (Benita) of Bronson, Florida and Juan Martin of St. Petersburg, Florida; 5 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren. The Home Going Celebration for Mrs. Ruby Davis will be held on Saturday January 21, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Outreach Church of Christ Written In Heaven, Dunnellon, Florida. Burial will follow in the Dunnellon Community Cemetery. Visitation will be held 1 hour prior to services on Saturday. Services are under the direction of Carnegie Funeral Home, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida. You may visit the online condolences at [www.carnegiefuneralhome.com](http://www.carnegiefuneralhome.com).

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**GALLERY, IRV, 96**

Ocala - Irv Gallery went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, January 15, 2012. He was born in Temple, Michigan to Arthur and Grace Gallery as William Irving Gallery on May 5, 1915. He worked as a self-employed mechanic and moved from Saginaw, Michigan to Ocala in 1961. Mr. Gallery had a very strong faith and loved to talk to people about the Lord. He is preceded in death by his wife of 67 years, Sylvia Gallery, 2 grandsons, Ryan Bailey and Jim Merritt, 1 brother and 3 sisters. He is survived by a son and daughter-in-law; Jerry and Nancy Gallery, two daughters and sons-in-law; Janet and Larry Rich, Judy and Glenn Bailey, 2 granddaughters, 1 grandson, 4 great-grandsons and 1 great-granddaughter. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at First Baptist Church of Silver Springs at 10:00 AM, the family will receive friends from 9:00 until service time. Entombment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Your Ocala Dignity Provider, is assisting the family. [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com).

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**MUSLEH, RAYMOND J. "RAY", 84**

Ocala - Raymond J. "Ray" Musleh, age 84, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, January 12, 2012. He was born in Ocala, FL on September 10, 1927. Ray lived all his life in Ocala. He was a 1944 graduate of Ocala High School. Ray joined the US Army where he served for 4 years and was a Reporter for Stars and Stripes. After his military service, Ray returned to Ocala where he took over the family business called Sam's Liquors. After selling Sam's Liquors in 1971, Ray joined the Real Estate community when he started ABC Realty. He later moved to Roberts Realty where he worked until the time of his death. He was the original Sports Editor for the Ocala Star before it merged with the Ocala Banner. Ray was an active lifelong member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He was a true Gator fan and was a 55 year member of the Gator Boosters Assoc. He is survived by his wife Nancy Polk Musleh of Ocala, FL; Jay (Sigrid) Musleh of Ocala, FL; daughter Jan Musleh McCall of Ocala, FL; sister Naifey Musleh (Harry) Saunders of Ocala, FL; brother The Honorable Victor J. (Barbara) Musleh, Sr. of Ocala, FL; 6 grandchildren Heather, J.R., Jessica, Christina, Tyler and Hunter; 2 great grandchildren Leighton and Benson. Ray was preceded in death by his first wife of 54 years Agnes Musleh, parents Salem and Zahra Musleh, brothers Salem, Jr. and E.G. "Gus" Musleh, and a sister Renee Musleh. A funeral mass will be celebrated at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 Southeast 17th Street, Ocala, FL on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 11:30 a.m. A visitation will take place at the church on Saturday from 10:30 a.m. until the time of the service at 11:30 a.m. Entombment will take place at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum, Ocala, FL.

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Reddick - Nathaniel Sampson, Sr., 54, passed away on January 14, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory loving wife: Sharon Sampson; sons: Nathaniel Sampson, Jr., Keyvious Sampson, Darios Sampson and Artrell Manuel; daughters: Nicole Reason (Anthony), Tyeesha Atkins, Na'Tesia Sampson, Herchell Evans, Jana Taylor and Breanne Sampson; 18 grandchildren; five sisters: Gladys Edwards, Shanita Cole, Liz Bagley, Annette Morant and Eartha Hill; 2 brothers: Alton DeWese and Earl Lawton; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. at United Reddick Baptist Church. Rev. Carl Gadson, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, January 20, 2012 from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry of Ocala, Florida - "Providing a Memory that Will Never Fade".  
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**BOETIUS, FRANKIE, 86**

Dunnellon - Mrs. Frankie Boetius, 86, of Dunnellon Florida passed away on January 16, 2012. Those she leaves to cherish her memories: her husband: Andre Boetius of Dunnellon Florida; two stepsons: Corey and Andre Jr.; two stepdaughters: Arleigh and Jackie Boetius; and one brother: James Hunter of Los Angeles, CA. Services for Mrs. Frankie Boetius will be held 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at New Bethel Baptist Church Dunnellon FL. Viewing will

take place one hour prior to services on Saturday. Burial will follow in the Dunnellon Community Cemetery. Services are under the direction of Carnegie Funeral Home, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida. You may visit the online condolences at [www.carnegiefuneralhome.com](http://www.carnegiefuneralhome.com).

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### **BRACEY, CATHERINE RENEE**

Ocala - On January 10, 2012 became absent from her mortal body to be present with the Lord. Catherine was born July 12, 1965 in Ocala, FL. She was educated by the Marion County School System. She was a graduate of Forest High School. She leaves to remember and treasure memories of her....Her mother: Lizzie Bracey; daughters: Latoya Bracey, Ashley Bracey, Tara Bracey, Felicia Bracey and Natesha Bracey; one grandson: Tohrion Youmans; brother: Keith Bracey and Melissa Johnson; aunts: Dr. Shirley McCray, Christine Bracey, Gerridine Martin, Jeanette Cosby, Dale Bracey, Tonya Charles and Retrina Washington. A host of nephews, one niece, cousins and dear friends. Celebration of life for Mrs. Bracey will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 11:00 am at Intimacy House of God, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be held on Friday, January 20, 2012 from 3:00pm to 7:00pm at TONY TANNER FUNERAL SERVICES, 127 NW 20TH ST, OCALA FL 34475. "New Era of Compassion and Service"

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### **COZZINO, CONCETTA "CONNIE", 62**

Ocala - Ms. Concetta "Connie" Cozzino, 62, passed away on January 17, 2012. Connie was born in New York City on July 12, 1949. She was a retired Grocery Manager. She was predeceased by her parents Ralph and Beatrice Cozzino. She moved to this area from Winter Park, FL in 2000. Connie is survived by her sister Julia Cozzino of Ocala; and two uncles: Vincent Bochicciho and Vincent Cozzino; one aunt: Elaine Cozzino; five nephews: Richard Miller, Michael Miller, Ryan Miller, Matthew Cozzino and Jonathan Cozzino; six cousins: Elaina Cozzino, Marie Connor, Karen Cozzino, Theresa DeChirico James, Frank DeChirico and James DeChirico. Connie is the most wonderful person you could ever know and will be missed greatly. There will be a memorial service at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR# 200 in Ocala, (352)854-2266, on Friday January 20th at 11AM. The family requests donations to Saint Judes Cancer Research. To leave condolences ([www.roberfsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.roberfsfuneralhomes.com)).

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### **DAVIS, RUBY LEE**

Dunnellon - Mrs. Ruby Lee Davis of Dunnellon, Florida passed away on January 17, 2012 at Diamond Ridge Health And Rehab. She leaves to cherish her memories and legacy, granddaughter: Victoria Thomas (Minister Willie) of Dunnellon, Florida; two grandsons: Gregory Martin (Benita) of Bronson, Florida and Juan Martin of St. Petersburg, Florida; 5 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren. The Home Going Celebration for Mrs. Ruby Davis will be held on Saturday January 21, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Outreach Church of Christ Written In Heaven, Dunnellon, Florida. Burial will follow in the Dunnellon Community Cemetery. Visitation will be held 1 hour prior to services on Saturday. Services are under the direction of Carnegie Funeral Home, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida. You may visit the online condolences at [www.carnegiefuneralhome.com](http://www.carnegiefuneralhome.com).

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**DOUGHERTY, JAMES R., 88**

Ocala - Mr. James R. Dougherty, 88, passed away in Ocala, FL on January 17, 2012. He was born in Utica, NY on August 15, 1923. James was a US Navy Veteran of WWII. He was a retired Government Carpenter Supervisor. He moved to this area in 2000 from New Harford, NY. James is survived by his loving wife Helen of 67 years; one son Russell P. Dougherty of Ocala, FL; one daughter Suzanne Feigen of Brockton, MA; six granddaughters: Heather, Carrie, Jill, Erin, Abby and Katie; and one great-grandson Avery. Services will be private. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, (352)854-2266 made the arrangements.

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**GOODROE, REV. HERBERT BENSON**

Ocala - After a long illness, he went to meet his Lord and Savior on Tuesday, January 17, 2012. He was born January 3, 1922, in Moultrie, Georgia, and grew up in Plant City, Florida. After high school graduation there, he played baseball for the Plant City Berries and attended the University of Tampa. During World War II, he served in the U.S. Army in the South Pacific and occupied Japan. After returning, he earned a bachelor's degree from Wake Forest in North Carolina. While in college, he married Margaret Owen of Tampa, and they recently observed their 64th anniversary. Their three children are Dr. David Goodroe, Ocala, Susan Goodman, London, England, and Alan Goodroe, Dallas, Texas. They have eight grandchildren and 3 great-grand children. He is also survived by a brother, Nucomb "Chief", and sister, Margie, and predeceased by a brother, Charles "Tebo", all in Florida. Called to the ministry in 1950, he entered the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Ky. where he and his wife both received their masters degrees. For more than fifty years, he served in Florida churches as a pastor, as associational missionary, and represented the Florida Baptist Convention in pioneer missions in the Dakotas. After retiring in Ocala, he preached in more than 30 local churches until he was 85. A service of worship and "celebration of life" will be held on Monday, Jan. 23rd, at 11:00 AM at College Road Baptist Church, 5010 SW College Rd., Ocala, with visitation one hour before. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be given to the College Road Church building fund or to Hospice, West Team, Ocala. Interment will follow at the National Cemetery in Bushnell. Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge is in charge.

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**JOHNSON, CLEOPHUS, 79**

Morrison - Mr. Cleophus Johnson, 79, went to be with the Lord on January 16, 2012. He was born in Blitchton, FL on September 16, 1932 to the late Everett and Mariah Luckey Johnson. Deacon Cleophus Johnson was a member of The Greater Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church where he served faithfully as Sunday School Superintendent, Sunday School Teacher, choir member and Chairman of the Deacon Board. He loved all sports and enjoyed spending time with his family especially the grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He was employed at Yandles Building Supply as a truck driver. His early education was at Pine Grove Elementary School and he graduated from Howard Academy. He served in the US Army for 2 years and 8 years in the Reserve. He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Carolyn Johnson; daughters, Geraldine Johnson and Rosalind (Wagner) Shell, Orlando, FL, Merceda Williams, Morrison, FL, and Tamara Johnson, Chicago, IL; sons, Darell Johnson, Grand Cayman Islands, Cleophus (Karma) Johnson, Marietta, GA, Ret. MSgt. Barney (Sharita) Johnson, San Antonio, TX, Doyle (Della)

Johnson, Tampa, FL, Felix (Angelina) Johnson, Ocala, FL, and Adrian Johnson, Morriston, FL; one goddaughter, Dwanette Pullings, Augusta, GA; brothers, Mark Sanders (Gay), Gibston, FL, Robert Johnson, Morriston, FL; sisters, Emma Pullings, Fayetteville, NC, Gladys Williams, Jacksonville, FL, 27 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren; sister-in-law, Essie (Robert) Clark, Morriston, FL; 4 brothers-in-law, Chester Pullings, Virgil (Lusenia) Pullings, Morriston, FL, Ret. Sgt. Donald (Mary) Pullings, Hutto, TX, Ret. Capt. Jake (Ilene) Pullings, Elgin, SC and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his brother, Edgar Johnson and sister, Juanita Chester. Visitation will be held at Sellers Funeral Home (440 SW Broadway, Ocala, FL, 34478) on Friday, January 20, 2012 from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Wake 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at Sellers Funeral Home. Services will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. at The Greater Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Otis Williams, Sr. officiating. Interment will be held at Pine Grove Cemetery, Blitchton, FL.  
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### **LORENZO, EZEQUIEL, 81**

Ocala - Ezequiel Lorenzo, 81, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, Jan 17, 2012 at his residence. Ezequiel was born in Mayaguez, Puerto Rico and retired from New York City Transit Authority, where he was an inspector of rails and tracks. He moved to the Ocala area in 1989 from Queens, NY. Ezequiel was a US Army Sgt that served during the Korean War, and enjoyed doing wood working and collecting model cars. Ezequiel is preceded in death by a son Edward Lorenzo, daughter Nancy Lorenzo, and son John Lorenzo. He is survived by his devoted wife of 40 years Miriam Lorenzo of Ocala, FL, son Ed Lorenzo and wife Neomi of Maryland, granddaughter Daphne Roberts and husband Andrew of Virginia, great-grandson Alexander Roberts, and brother Louis Lorenzo of Kansas. The family will be receiving friends on Sunday, Jan. 22nd at the Roberts Bruce East Chapel, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, from 4:00 - 6:00 PM; all are welcome to come and visit and share with the family. There will be a celebration of Ezequiel's life on Monday, Jan. 23rd at the funeral chapel at 11:30 AM; all are welcome to attend the service, and the committal service will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Legacy Hospice House of Marion Co. in memory of Ezequiel. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce East Chapel, 352-732-9944.  
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### **MUSLEH, RAYMOND J. "RAY", 84**

Ocala - Raymond J. "Ray" Musleh, age 84, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, January 17, 2012. He was born in Ocala, FL on September 10, 1927. Ray lived all his life in Ocala. He was a 1944 graduate of Ocala High School. Ray joined the US Army where he served for 4 years and was a Reporter for Stars and Stripes. After his military service, Ray returned to Ocala where he took over the family business called Sam's Liquors. After selling Sam's Liquors in 1971, Ray joined the Real Estate community when he started ABC Realty. He later moved to Roberts Realty where he worked until the time of his death. He was the original Sports Editor for the Ocala Star before it merged with the Ocala Banner. Ray was an active lifelong member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He was a true Gator fan and was a 55 year member of the Gator Boosters Assoc. He is survived by his wife Nancy Polk Musleh of Ocala, FL; Jay (Sigrid) Musleh of Ocala, FL; daughter Jan Musleh McCall of Ocala, FL; sister Naifey Musleh (Harry) Saunders of Ocala, FL; brother The Honorable Victor J. (Barbara) Musleh, Sr. of Ocala, FL; 6 grandchildren Heather, J.R., Jessica, Christina, Tyler and Hunter; 2 great-grandchildren Leighton

and Benson. Ray was preceded in death by his first wife of 54 years Agnes Musleh, parents Salem and Zahra Musleh, brothers Salem, Jr. and E.G. "Gus" Musleh, and a sister Renee Musleh. A funeral mass will be celebrated at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 Southeast 17th Street, Ocala, FL on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 11:30 a.m. A visitation will take place at the church on Saturday from 10:30 a.m. until the time of the service at 11:30 a.m. Entombment will take place at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum, Ocala, FL.

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**PERKINS, FREDDIE LEE, 79**

Ocala - Mr. Freddie Lee Perkins (Yank), age 79, transitioned from this life on January 3, 2012 at Oakhurst Nursing Center, Ocala, Florida. He was a Truck Driver for Baxter Medical Company. He was educated in Marion County School System. He served in the United States Air Force. He was a faithful member of Ocala Church of Christ. He was a member of Howard High School Class of 1951. He is survived by his daughter: Ora A. Townsend; loving cousins: Nathaniel Lewis, Pamela Lewis; grandsons: Terrance (Sheneese) Townsend, Samuel A. Glover; and great-grandsons: Omari and Elijah Townsend. He was preceded in death by his mother Thelma B. Walker. Funeral Services for Freddie Lee Perkins will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 Northwest 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34475 with Pastor Robin Williams officiating. Interment will take place at a later date. Viewing will be on Saturday, 9:00 a.m. until the time of service.

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**SAMPSON, SR., NATHANIEL, 54**

Reddick - Nathaniel Sampson, Sr., 54, passed away on January 14, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory loving wife: Sharon Sampson; sons: Nathaniel Sampson, Jr., Keyvious Sampson, Darius Sampson and Artrell Manuel; daughters: Nicole Reason (Anthony), Tyeesha Atkins, Na'Tesia Sampson, Herchell Evans, Jana Taylor and Breanne Sampson; 18 grandchildren; five sisters: Gladys Edwards, Shanita Cole, Liz Bagley, Annette Morant and Eartha Hill; 2 brothers: Alton DeWese and Earl Lawton; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. at United Reddick Baptist Church. Rev. Carl Gadson, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, January 20, 2012 from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry of Ocala, Florida - "Providing a Memory that Will Never Fade".

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will be held on Sunday, January 22, 2012 at 2:30 p.m. at Meadowbrook Church, Tim Gilligan, Pastor. Jamie D. Gilmore, Sr., Eulogist. Wake will be on Friday, January 20, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. at Greater Hopewell MB Church. Visitation will be on Saturday, January 21, 2012 from 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry of Ocala, Florida - "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade".  
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Black and Raymond J. Black; sister, Beatrice Reitz; nephew, Jason Black; niece, Donna Segobia. Friends may call from 12:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Saturday, January 21st at Yates Funeral Home, Fort Pierce. A funeral service will follow at 1:30 p.m. in the funeral home chapel with Rev. Craig Bridgers officiating. Burial with Military Honors will follow at Hillcrest Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, friends may contribute to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34470. A guestbook may be signed at [www.yatesfuneralhome.com](http://www.yatesfuneralhome.com).

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**BONFADINI, JOHN A.**

Ocala - Mr. John A. Bonfadini, husband of late wife Olivia, father of Dr. Lana Russ-Trent, grandfather of Derik Russ, and great-grandfather of Wade Russ and Caden Russ, died January 17, 2012. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West handled the arrangement.

Goodbye, Daddy!

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**DOUGHERTY, JAMES R., 88**

Ocala - Mr. James R. Dougherty, 88, passed away in Ocala, FL on January 17, 2012. He was born in Utica, NY on August 15, 1923. James was a US Navy Veteran of WWII. He was a retired Government Carpenter Supervisor. He moved to this area in 2000 from New Harford, NY. James is survived by his loving wife Helen of 67 years; one son Russell P. Dougherty of Ocala, FL; one daughter Suzanne Feigen of Brockton, MA; six granddaughters: Heather, Carrie, Jill, Erin, Abby and Katie; and one great-grandson Avery. Services will be private. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, (352)854-2266 made the arrangements.

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**GOODROE, REV. HERBERT BENSON**

Ocala - After a long illness, he went to meet his Lord and Savior on Tuesday, January 17, 2012. He was born January 3, 1922, in Moultrie, Georgia, and grew up in Plant City, Florida. After high school graduation there, he played baseball for the Plant City Berries and attended the University of Tampa. During World War II, he served in the U.S. Army in the South Pacific and occupied Japan. After returning, he earned a bachelor's degree from Wake Forest in North Carolina. While in college, he married Margaret Owen of Tampa, and they recently observed their 64th anniversary. Their three children are Dr. David Goodroe, Ocala, Susan Goodman, London, England, and Alan Goodroe, Dallas, Texas. They have eight grandchildren and 3 great-grand children. He is also survived by a brother, Nucomb "Chief", and sister, Margie, and predeceased by a brother, Charles "Tebo", all in Florida. Called to the ministry in 1950, he entered the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Ky. where he and his wife both received their masters degrees. For more than fifty years, he served in Florida churches as a pastor, as associational missionary, and represented the Florida Baptist Convention in pioneer missions in the Dakotas. After retiring in Ocala, he preached in more than 30 local churches until he was 85. A service of worship and "celebration of life" will be held on Monday, Jan. 23rd, at 11:00 AM at College Road Baptist Church, 5010 SW College Rd., Ocala, with visitation one hour before. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be given to the College Road Church building fund or to Hospice, West Team, Ocala. Interment will follow at the National Cemetery in Bushnell. Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge is in charge.

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**HANSON, STACY PRATER, 41**

August, GA - Stacy Prater Hanson, 41, passed away Sunday, Jan. 15, 2021 in her home in August, GA. Her survivors include her sons, Tyler and Zachary, parents, Robert and Kathy Prater of Ocala, and siblings David and Kaylie Prater of Enterprise, AL. Stacy was a cheerleader and member of the homecoming court at North Marion High School, she graduated in '88. Stacy attended Seton Hall University then resided in Ocala where she worked as a 911 operator and dispatcher for the MCSO. Later, she became a dispatcher for the ACSO in Aiken, SC and was recently employed at University Hospital in Augusta, GA. A visitation for family and friends of the Prater family will be held at Golden Cross Farm on Monday, Jan. 23 from 5-7 p.m. Please email dkprater@aol.com for details. In lieu of flowers, a college fund is being set up for Stacy's sons.

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**JOHNSON, CLEOPHUS, 79**

Morrison - Mr. Cleophus Johnson, 79, went to be with the Lord on January 16, 2012. He was born in Blitchton, FL on September 16, 1932 to the late Everett and Mariah Luckey Johnson. Deacon Cleophus Johnson was a member of The Greater Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church where he served faithfully as Sunday School Superintendent, Sunday School Teacher, choir member and Chairman of the Deacon Board. He loved all sports and enjoyed spending time with his family especially the grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He was employed at Yandles Building Supply as a truck driver. His early education was at Pine Grove Elementary School and he graduated from Howard Academy. He served in the US Army for 2 years and 8 years in the Reserve. He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Carolyn Johnson; daughters, Geraldine Johnson and Rosalind (Wagner) Shell, Orlando, FL, Merceda Williams, Morrison, FL, and Tamara Johnson, Chicago, IL; sons, Darell Johnson, Grand Cayman Islands, Cleophus (Karma) Johnson, Marietta, GA, Ret. MSgt. Barney (Sharita) Johnson, San Antonio, TX, Doyle (Della) Johnson, Tampa, FL, Felix (Angelina) Johnson, Ocala, FL, and Adrian Johnson, Morrison, FL; one goddaughter, Dwanette Pullings, Augusta, GA; brothers, Mark Sanders (Gay), Gibston, FL, Robert Johnson, Morrison, FL; sisters, Emma Pullings, Fayetteville, NC, Gladys Williams, Jacksonville, FL, 27 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren; sister-in-law, Essie (Robert) Clark, Morrison, FL; 4 brothers-in-law, Chester Pullings, Virgil (Lusenia) Pullings, Morrison, FL, Ret. Sgt. Donald (Mary) Pullings, Hutto, TX, Ret. Capt. Jake (Ilene) Pullings, Elgin, SC and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his brother, Edgar Johnson and sister, Juanita Chester. Visitation will be held at Sellers Funeral Home (440 SW Broadway, Ocala, FL, 34478) on Friday, January 20, 2012 from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Wake 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. at Sellers Funeral Home. Services will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. at The Greater Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Otis Williams, Sr. officiating. Interment will be held at Pine Grove Cemetery, Blitchton, FL.

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**LORENZO, EZEQUIEL, 81**

Ocala - Ezequiel Lorenzo, 81, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, Jan 17, 2012 at his residence. Ezequiel was born in Mayaguez, Puerto Rico and retired from New York City Transit Authority,

where he was an inspector of rails and tracks. He moved to the Ocala area in 1989 from Queens, NY. Ezequiel was a US Army Sgt that served during the Korean War, and enjoyed doing wood working and collecting model cars. Ezequiel is preceded in death by a daughter Nancy Lorenzo and son John Lorenzo. He is survived by his devoted wife of 40 years Miriam Lorenzo of Ocala, FL, son Edward Lorenzo and wife Neomi of Maryland, granddaughter Daphne Roberts and husband Andrew of Virginia, great-grandson Alexander Roberts, and brother Louis Lorenzo of Kansas. The family will be receiving friends on Sunday, Jan. 22nd at the Roberts Bruce East Chapel, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, from 4:00 - 6:00 PM; all are welcome to come and visit and share with the family. There will be a celebration of Ezequiel's life on Monday, Jan. 23rd at the funeral chapel at 11:30 AM; all are welcome to attend the service, and the committal service will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Legacy Hospice House of Marion Co. in memory of Ezequiel. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce East Chapel, 352-732-9944.

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#### **MUSLEH, RAYMOND J. "RAY", 84**

Ocala - Raymond J. "Ray" Musleh, age 84, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, January 17, 2012. He was born in Ocala, FL on September 10, 1927. Ray lived all his life in Ocala. He was a 1944 graduate of Ocala High School. Ray joined the US Army where he served for 4 years and was a Reporter for Stars and Stripes. After his military service, Ray returned to Ocala where he took over the family business called Sam's Liquors. After selling Sam's Liquors in 1971, Ray joined the Real Estate community when he started ABC Realty. He later moved to Roberts Realty where he worked until the time of his death. He was the original Sports Editor for the Ocala Star before it merged with the Ocala Banner. Ray was an active lifelong member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He was a true Gator fan and was a 55 year member of the Gator Boosters Assoc. He is survived by his wife Nancy Polk Musleh of Ocala, FL; Jay (Sigrid) Musleh of Ocala, FL; daughter Jan Musleh McCall of Ocala, FL; sister Naifey Musleh (Harry) Saunders of Ocala, FL; brother The Honorable Victor J. (Barbara) Musleh, Sr. of Ocala, FL; 6 grandchildren Heather, J.R., Jessica, Christina, Tyler and Hunter; 2 great-grandchildren Leighton and Benson. Ray was preceded in death by his first wife of 54 years Agnes Musleh, parents Salem and Zahra Musleh, brothers Salem, Jr. and E.G. "Gus" Musleh, and a sister Renee Musleh. A funeral mass will be celebrated at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 Southeast 17th Street, Ocala, FL on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 11:30 a.m. A visitation will take place at the church on Saturday from 10:30 a.m. until the time of the service at 11:30 a.m. Entombment will take place at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum, Ocala, FL.

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#### **ORME, ROBERT "KENNY", 70**

Ocala - Martin Luther said "If you're not allowed to laugh in heaven, I don't want to go there." Kenny Orme went to laugh with his heavenly father on January 17, 2012 following a long battle with cancer. He came into this world on Sept. 26, 1941 in Leesburg FL and was big brother to Freddy, Charles "Butch" and Jackie. Following high school graduation, he served in the United States Navy for 4 years during which time he married the love of his life, Shirley. The automobile business brought him, Shirley and their two boys to Ocala in 1969 and shortly after he became a hearing aid specialist and owner/proprietor of Ocala Hearing Aid Center. Ken was a member of the Leesburg Jaycees, Ocala Elks Club and the Bonita Club in Yankeetown where he

pursued a passion for the outdoors and fishing with his family and friends. He also enjoyed hunting, golfing, trips to North Carolina and cruising with friends. He was a man of strong faith and was devoted to Fort King Presbyterian Church, serving as an elder, on various committees and belting out hymns every Sunday as a choir member. Kenny will greet his loved ones in heaven someday, including his loving wife of 50 years, Shirley, sons Robbie (wife Traci) and Kevin (Theresa) and the joys of his heart, his grandchildren, Jessie (Wessie), Hayleigh (Boo), Hannah (Banana), Sarah (Bear) and Austin (from Boston). A celebration of life will be held Wed., Jan 25th at 2:00 p.m. at Fort King Presbyterian Church, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, a contribution to the memorial garden fund at Fort King Presbyterian Church can be made and mailed to the church at 13 NE 36th Ave., Ocala, FL 34470 in his honor.  
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**PERKINS, FREDDIE LEE, 79**

Ocala - Mr. Freddie Lee Perkins (Yank), age 79, transitioned from this life on January 3, 2012 at Oakhurst Nursing Center, Ocala, Florida. He was a Truck Driver for Baxter Medical Company. He was educated in Marion County School System. He served in the United States Air Force. He was a faithful member of Ocala Church of Christ. He was a member of Howard High School Class of 1951. He is survived by his daughter: Ora A. Townsend; loving cousins: Nathaniel Lewis, Pamela Lewis; grandsons: Terrance (Sheneese) Townsend, Samuel A. Glover; and great-grandsons: Omari and Elijah Townsend. He was preceded in death by his mother Thelma B. Walker. Funeral Services for Freddie Lee Perkins will be held on Saturday, January 21, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 Northwest 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34475 with Pastor Robin Williams officiating. Interment will take place at a later date. Viewing will be on Saturday, 9:00 a.m. until the time of service.

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**TOMLIN, JR., EDWARD, 64**

Ocala - Edward (Tom) Tomlin, Sr., 64, passed away on January 16, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory, a loving wife: Mazella Tomlin; sons: Edward Tomlin III, Michael P. Tomlin (Kia), and Bobby Burley, Jr.; daughters: Rometha Gilmore (Jamie), and Kantrell Burley; 15 grandchildren; sisters: Alice Tomlin, Belinda Davis (Lonnie), Brenda Bernard, Pamela Hopkins, Karen Crudup (Andre), Delonia Hicks (Michael), Gwen Nixon (Orange), Jacqueline Franklin, Albertha King, Azzie Hill-deceased (Willie), Daphne Oliver (Tyrone); brothers: Michael G. Tomlin, Wade Tomlin-deceased, Raymond King III (Carolyn), Carey Majors III, Anthony Nobles (Connie), McDaniel Woods (Danicka), Brian King (Krystal), John Nobles (Valerie); mother-in-law Lorene King; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held on Sunday, January 22, 2012 at 2:30 p.m. at Meadowbrook Church, Tim Gilligan, Pastor. Jamie D. Gilmore, Sr., Eulogist. Wake will be on Friday, January 20, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. at Greater Hopewell MB Church. Visitation will be on Saturday, January 21, 2012 from 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry of Ocala, Florida - "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade".

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**CLARK, ALMA P., 83**

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**COBB, WILLIAM THOMAS**

William Thomas Cobb, 59, passed away Saturday, January 21, 2012. Born in Live Oak, FL, he served in the US Army and later worked as an automotive body and restoration specialist. He was a member of Oakcrest Baptist Church. He is preceded in death by his parents, John Nolan Cobb, Sr. and Rosa Katherine Cobb; grandmother, Daisy C. Brock; uncle, Jack Cash; and cousin, Andrew Thomas Cash. He is survived by his brother, John Nolan (Gisela) Cobb, Jr., Harlem, GA; aunt, Ouida Cash, Ocala; sister, Barbara Ann (Gary) Sullivan, Bronson, FL; three nephews including special nephew, Jerry Lee (Dawn) Cobb. Graveside services will be 11:00 am, Monday, January 23, 2012, in Anthony Cemetery with Rev. Royce Pope officiating. Flowers are accepted or donations may be made to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.

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**SACCHETTI, JOYCE LEE**

Summerfield - Born July 10, 1934 in Pulaski, VA; died December 16, 2011 in Summerfield, FL. She was long time marine insurance underwriter and treasurer for ABWA Miami Chapter she was also nominated "Woman of the Year" for ABWA. She is survived by her beloved husband of 58 years, Frank of Summerfield, FL; sons, Frank of Summerfield, FL, and Guy Louis of Summerfield, FL; sister, Doris (Larry) Webster of Colchester, CT; three grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; sister-in-law, Dorothy Manuel of Wilmington, DE; brother-in-law, Raymond (Carol) of Port St. Lucie, FL. Memorial service will be held Saturday, January 28, 2012 3:PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**STEBBINS, RONALD, 67**

Ocala - Ronald David Stebbins, 67 passed away on January 19, 2012 at the Summerfield Hospice House after a courageous battle with cancer. Ron was born in Ocala, Florida on December 28, 1944 to parents Emily (Billings) and Arnold Stebbins. Ron graduated from Ocala High School in 1962 and then joined the Navy. He was honorably discharged in 1965 after serving in Vietnam and specializing in Cryptology. After serving, Ron began work for Skyline Mobile Home. He eventually moved to Sarasota, Florida and was production manager for Sarasota and Bradenton Skyline Mobile Home Division. In 1980, he moved his family to Belleview and opened a cabinet business and eventually, Unlimited Auto Repair, which he ran until being diagnosed with cancer. Ron spent the last weeks of his life visiting with scores of friends (many from his childhood in Ocala), extended family, family friends and his beloved children and grandchildren. Ron loved race cars, fishing, baseball, coaching baseball and crossword puzzles and was an avid Gator fan. Most of all, he loved spending time with his children and grandchildren. He was a member of St. Theresa's Catholic church and frequently attended Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with his children. He was loved and will be greatly missed by those who survive him including his children; three daughters and sons-in-law, Melissa and Michael Bianculli, Stephanie and Steven Johnson and Jennifer and David Eck and his son Mark Stebbins. He is also survived by his nine precious grandchildren; Gerald, Garret, Emily, Ethan, Justin, Joseph, Claire, Katherine and Michael. He is preceded in death by his brother, Kenneth and his parents. Visitation will take place on January 23, 2012 at Heirs-Baxley Funeral Home from 5:00-7:00 p.m. and a funeral mass will be celebrated January 24, 2012 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 Southeast 17th Street, Ocala, FL at 11:00 am.

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**SWONGER, RHODA LEONORA, 83**

Eagan, MN - Rhoda Leonora (Roemhildt) Swonger, born March 22, 1928, died peacefully on

December 23rd, 2011. Her Minnesota life was fully lived as beloved wife, mother, teacher, church volunteer, and insurance executive, until retirement to Ocala in 1985. Her new life of golf with Loren and travel to six continents was enriched by community service and involvement in the arts including Horse Fever, Gallery East and the Marion County Civic Chorale. Rhoda continued to learn and grow as a stained-glass artist and in her ten-year involvement in the Guardian Ad Litem program in Marion County and the Florida Governor's Commission on Foster Care. She spent her last four months back in Minnesota having deep visits with her family while in the care of her loving daughter Laurie and son-in-law Tom. She powerfully helped and enriched many lives, and will be fondly remembered and deeply missed. Preceded in death by husband, Loren Hugh Swonger; parents Nora and Leo Roemhildt, brother, Robert Roemhildt and grandson, Daniel Swonger, she is survived by children, Steven Swonger (Heidi) Todd; Laurie Ann (Thomas) Rossin; Scott Timothy (Phyllis) Swonger; brother, Donald (Lucy) Roemhildt; sister, Jeanette (Gordon) Strand; four grandchildren, three step-grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren, and her special Guardian Ad Litem children. A memorial service will be held Saturday, 1/28 at 1:00 PM at Joy Lutheran Church, 7045 Southwest 83rd Place, Ocala, FL, (352)854-4509, with fellowship following. Memorial gifts will be donated by her family to the Guardian Ad Litem program.

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#### **WALLER, WILLIAM, 99**

Ocala - William L. Waller died Tuesday, January 17, after a short illness, just five months before his 100th birthday. He was born in Silver Creek, Mississippi, graduated from Millsaps College, and came to Florida as a young man. He was predeceased by his wife of 69 years, Dora Mae Tompkins Waller, his brother Hal K. Waller, and his parents Knox and Etta Jane Waller. He is survived by his son, Curt Waller and wife Aletha, and his daughter, Jane Sands and husband Stephen. Also surviving are grandchildren, Reed Waller and Scott and Jen Sands, and great-grandchildren Caleb Waller and Emily and Catherine Sands. He was a long-time member of the First United Methodist Church and past president of the Ocala Kiwanis Club. He was a sergeant in the U. S. Army and served in the Philippines during World War II. He was employed for many years by Carl Rose in several capacities and retired in 1974 from Ocala Limerock. He fostered in his son a love of hunting and the outdoors and in his first grandson, a love of golf. His integrity, positive outlook, and the love and respect he demonstrated towards all he encountered will be an enduring legacy for his family. Family graveside services were held Friday at Woodlawn Cemetery.

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**COBB, WILLIAM THOMAS**

William Thomas Cobb, 59, passed away Saturday, January 21, 2012. Born in Live Oak, FL, he served in the US Army and later worked as an automotive body and restoration specialist. He was a member of Oakcrest Baptist Church. He is preceded in death by his parents, John Nolan Cobb, Sr. and Rosa Katherine Cobb; grandmother, Daisy C. Brock; uncle, Jack Cash; and cousin, Andrew Thomas Cash. He is survived by his brother, John Nolan (Gisela) Cobb, Jr., Harlem, GA; aunt, Ouida Cash, Ocala; sister, Barbara Ann (Gary) Sullivan, Bronson, FL; three nephews including special nephew, Jerry Lee (Dawn) Cobb. Graveside services will be 11:00 am, Monday, January 23, 2012, in Anthony Cemetery with Rev. Royce Pope officiating. Flowers are accepted or donations may be made to the American Cancer Society . Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.  
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**ELLIS, SR., GEORGE C.**

Mr. George C. Ellis, Sr., age 87, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Friday, January 20, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. He moved to Ocala, Florida in 1986 from his native Gilbert, West Virginia. He served his country in the U.S. Navy during W.W. II. He was a payroll clerk for the Gay Mining Company with over (20) years service. He was a member of the 1st Baptist Church of Ocala, and he loved woodworking, building clocks, was an avid sports fan, loved fishing & traveling, but most of all, loved spending time with his loving family and friends. He is survived by his loving wife of (65) years, Elsie M. Ellis of Ocala, Fl.; his son, George C. Ellis, Jr. of Ocala, Fl.; his daughter, Brenda Lea Hatfield of Spencer, West Virginia; his brother, Mack O'Dell Ellis of Hilton Head, South Carolina; his (2) sisters, Zella Fay Ellis of Indiana and Betty Lou Mull of Oregon; (4) grandchildren and (4) great-grandchildren. A "Celebration of Life" service will be at 11:00am, on Tuesday, January 24, 2012 at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 S.E. Maricamp Road, Ocala, Florida 34471 with

interment to follow with Military Honors in Florida National Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home on Monday, January 23, 2012, from 5:00 until 7:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations, may be made to Hospice of Marion County, in Memory of Mr. George C. Ellis, Sr.

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**SACCHETTI, JOYCE LEE**

Summerfield - Born July 10, 1934 in Pulaski, VA; died December 16, 2011 in Summerfield, FL. She was long time marine insurance underwriter and treasurer for ABWA Miami Chapter she was also nominated "Woman of the Year" for ABWA. She is survived by her beloved husband of 58 years, Frank of Summerfield, FL; sons, Frank of Summerfield, FL, and Guy Louis of Summerfield, FL; sister, Doris (Larry) Webster of Colchester, CT; three grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; sister-in-law, Dorothy Manuel of Wilmington, DE; brother-in-law, Raymond (Carol) of Port St. Lucie, FL. Memorial service will be held Saturday, January 28, 2012 3:PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**STEBBINS, RONALD, 67**

Ocala - Ronald David Stebbins, 67 passed away on January 19, 2012 at the Summerfield Hospice House after a courageous battle with cancer. Ron was born in Ocala, Florida on December 28, 1944 to parents Emily (Billings) and Arnold Stebbins. Ron graduated from Ocala High School in 1962 and then joined the Navy. He was honorably discharged in 1965 after serving in Vietnam and specializing in Cryptology. After serving, Ron began work for Skyline Mobile Home. He eventually moved to Sarasota, Florida and was production manager for Sarasota and Bradenton Skyline Mobile Home Division. In 1980, he moved his family to Belleview and opened a cabinet business and eventually, Unlimited Auto Repair, which he ran until being diagnosed with cancer. Ron spent the last weeks of his life visiting with scores of friends (many from his childhood in Ocala), extended family, family friends and his beloved children and grandchildren. Ron loved race cars, fishing, baseball, coaching baseball and crossword puzzles and was an avid Gator fan. Most of all, he loved spending time with his children and grandchildren. He was a member of St. Theresa's Catholic church and frequently attended Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with his children. He was loved and will be greatly missed by those who survive him including his children; three daughters and sons-in-law, Melissa and Michael Bianculli, Stephanie and Steven Johnson and Jennifer and David Eck and his son Mark Stebbins. He is also survived by his nine precious grandchildren; Gerald, Garret, Emily, Ethan, Justin, Joseph, Claire, Katherine and Michael. He is preceded in death by his brother, Kenneth and his parents. Visitation will take place on January 23, 2012 at Heirs-Baxley Funeral Home from 5:00-7:00 p.m. and a funeral mass will be celebrated January 24, 2012 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 Southeast 17th Street, Ocala, FL at 11:00 am.

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**SWONGER, RHODA LEONORA, 83**

Eagan, MN - Rhoda Leonora (Roemhildt) Swonger, born March 22, 1928, died peacefully on December 23rd, 2011. Her Minnesota life was fully lived as beloved wife, mother, teacher,

church volunteer, and insurance executive, until retirement to Ocala in 1985. Her new life of golf with Loren and travel to six continents was enriched by community service and involvement in the arts including Horse Fever, Gallery East and the Marion County Civic Chorale. Rhoda continued to learn and grow as a stained-glass artist and in her ten-year involvement in the Guardian Ad Litem program in Marion County and the Florida Governor's Commission on Foster Care. She spent her last four months back in Minnesota having deep visits with her family while in the care of her loving daughter Laurie and son-in-law Tom. She powerfully helped and enriched many lives, and will be fondly remembered and deeply missed. Preceded in death by husband, Loren Hugh Swonger; parents Nora and Leo Roemhildt, brother, Robert Roemhildt and grandson, Daniel Swonger, she is survived by children, Steven Swonger (Heidi) Todd; Laurie Ann (Thomas) Rossin; Scott Timothy (Phyllis) Swonger; brother, Donald (Lucy) Roemhildt; sister, Jeanette (Gordon) Strand; four grandchildren, three step-grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren, and her special Guardian Ad Litem children. A memorial service will be held Saturday, 1/28 at 1:00 PM at Joy Lutheran Church, 7045 Southwest 83rd Place, Ocala, FL, (352)854-4509, with fellowship following. Memorial gifts will be donated by her family to the Guardian Ad Litem program.

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### **WALLER, WILLIAM, 99**

Ocala - William L. Waller died Tuesday, January 17, after a short illness, just five months before his 100th birthday. He was born in Silver Creek, Mississippi, graduated from Millsaps College, and came to Florida as a young man. He was predeceased by his wife of 69 years, Dora Mae Tompkins Waller, his brother Hal K. Waller, and his parents Knox and Etta Jane Waller. He is survived by his son, Curt Waller and wife Aletha, and his daughter, Jane Sands and husband Stephen. Also surviving are grandchildren, Reed Waller and Scott and Jen Sands, and great-grandchildren Caleb Waller and Emily and Catherine Sands. He was a long-time member of the First United Methodist Church and past president of the Ocala Kiwanis Club. He was a sergeant in the U. S. Army and served in the Philippines during World War II. He was employed for many years by Carl Rose in several capacities and retired in 1974 from Ocala Limerock. He fostered in his son a love of hunting and the outdoors and in his first grandson, a love of golf. His integrity, positive outlook, and the love and respect he demonstrated towards all he encountered will be an enduring legacy for his family. Family graveside services were held Friday at Woodlawn Cemetery.

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#### **COOKE, JANET MERRY, 78**

Ocala - Mrs. Janet Merry Cooke, 78, passed away January 20, 2012. Born in Beverly, MA, a graduate of Beverly High School, she attended Bates College, Lewiston, ME, and the Katherine Gibbs School, Boston. Having lived in Rumson, NJ for 36 years, relocating to Ocala, FL in 2006, she leaves her husband, Robert H. Cooke. She will be remembered for her zest for life, and her forgiving and patient nature. Her gentleness, strength, and love are eternal through her four children: Betsy Groh of San Rafael, CA; Robert Hildreth (Francesca) of Sherborn, MA; Nancy Hockenberry (Tom) of Jacksonville, FL; and Susan Lavoie (Mark) of Marblehead, MA; and her ten grandchildren: Matthew, Thomas, and James Groh; William, Janet, and Rosemarie Parry;

Alexa and R. Harrison Hildreth; and Grace and Bennett Lavoie. Also surviving are her two brothers: Bennett Merry of Danvers, MA; and Peter Rowe Merry of Salem, MA.  
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He is survived by his loving wife of (65) years, Elsie M. Ellis of Ocala, Fl.; his son, George C. Ellis, Jr. of Ocala, Fl.; his daughter, Brenda Lea Hatfield of Spencer, West Virginia; his brother, Mack O'Dell Ellis of Hilton Head, South Carolina; his (2) sisters, Zella Fay Ellis of Indiana and Betty Lou Mull of Oregon; (4) grandchildren and (4) great-grandchildren.

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**HEBERT, JR, JOSEPH R., 77**

Dunnellon - Joseph R. Hebert, Jr., 77, of Dunnellon, Florida, passed away on Monday, January 16, 2012 at his home. A native of Springfield, Massachusetts, he was born June 21, 1934 to Joseph R., Sr. and Margaret (Dow) Hebert and was a retired police officer, serving on the Derry, NH and Chester NH Police Departments, retiring as Chief of Police from Chester, NH. Mr. Hebert was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War Era; a member of both the American Legion Post #155 and also the VFW Auxiliary Post #7991; the Loyal Order of Moose, Dunnellon and was of the Catholic faith. He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Christina R. Hebert of Dunnellon, FL; sons Joseph R. (Linda) Hebert of Derry, NH and Stephen P. (Christine) Hebert of Hooksett, NH; daughters Christine L. Dessanti of Dunnellon, FL and Theresa L. (Stephen) Granata of Raymond, NH; sisters Theresa Andrews of Tampa, FL and Gloria Dagoumas of Lowell, MA and seven grandchildren. A graveside service will be held on Fri., Jan. 27th at 10:00 A.M. at Fero Memorial Gardens, Beverly Hills, with military honors rendered by his American Legion Post #155.

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**KREUTCHIC, JERRY L.**

Jerry Lawrence Kreutchic, 61, of Micanopy, passed away January 20, 2012 at his home. Born in Brooklyn, New York, he has been a resident of this area for 31 years. He was a retired insurance agency owner and is survived by his sons, Marc D. Kreutchic and David M. Kreutchic both of Micanopy, FL; mother, Alice Kreutchic of Ocala; brother, Jack I. Kreutchic and his wife Cheri of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his father, Irving Kreutchic. The family will receive friends at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel West (6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala

854-2266) on Tuesday (Jan. 34th) from 12:30 - 1PM. Funeral Services will follow at the Funeral Home at 1PM with interment at B'nai Darom Cemetery. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial donations be made to the American Red Cross.

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**NISSON, MARION FRANCES, 86**

Ocala - Jesus called for Marion on January 22, 2012 in Ocala. Mrs. Nisson was the daughter of Francis D. and Marguerite L. (Merillat) Colbert of Washington, D.C. Mrs. Nisson was a homemaker. She was Catholic by faith and a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church and the Order of Secular Franciscans. She enjoyed her family, her church, and dancing. Mrs. Nisson moved to New Port Richey, FL from Wheaton, MD, and later moved to Ocala in 1989. Marion leaves behind her loving husband of 67 years Arthur B. Nisson of Ocala; her daughter Patricia E. Lacey of Ocala; 2 sons Michael A. Nisson of Cape Coral, FL and Kevin B. Nisson of Damascus, MD; 8 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. Marion was predeceased by her brothers Robert E. Colbert (2004) and Jack Colbert (1986). Funeral Mass will be Wednesday, January 25, 2012 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, SR 200 at 8:30 AM with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday, January 24, 2012 from 2:00 - 4:00 and 6:00 - 8:00 PM at Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 S.W. 110th St., Ocala, FL. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery Bushnell, FL. Condolences may be posted to Hiers-Baxley.com.

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**BIRCH, EVELYN JEANETTE, 90**

Ocala - Evelyn Jeanette Birch (lovingly known as "Nanny" by all), 90, passed away on January 20, 2012 at her residence. She was born on November 5, 1921 to Andrew Anderson and Marie Viola Eckert Anderson in Long Branch, NJ. Mrs. Birch was a homemaker, of the Baptist faith, and loved going to Flea Markets, and playing video games. She loved her little dog, Chichi. She was a loving grandmother and great-grandmother. She lived half of her time with her daughter in Greenville, SC and the other half with her daughter in Ocala. She is survived by two daughters, Donna L. Moore of Ocala and Debra K. Andrews of Greenville, SC; her brother, William Anderson and her sister, Maryann Urban, her grandchildren, Tina Mickel, Maurice A. Markwith, II, John A. Birch, and Dale W. Birch, II; great-grandchildren, Tyler V. Mickel, Brittany L. Markwith, Macy A. Markwith, Jacklyn Markwith, Jesse DeAmicas, Grace Stanley, Dale W. Birch, III, Maggie Mae Johnson, Gracie Gale Johnson and Aaliyah Rosario. She was preceded in death by her husband, Earl W. Birch in 1994 her son, Dale W. Birch in 1996, her brother, Albert Anderson and her sister, Helen Elkins, both in 2011. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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children: Betsy Groh of San Rafael, CA; Robert Hildreth (Francesca) of Sherborn, MA; Nancy Hockenberry (Tom) of Jacksonville, FL; and Susan Lavoie (Mark) of Marblehead, MA; and her ten grandchildren: Matthew, Thomas, and James Groh; William, Janet, and Rosemarie Parry; Alexa and R. Harrison Hildreth; and Grace and Bennett Lavoie. Also surviving are her two brothers: Bennett Merry of Danvers, MA; and Peter Rowe Merry of Salem, MA.  
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**GAEL, ARTHUR R., 67**

Ocala - Arthur R. Gael, 67, passed away Jan. 9, 2012. He was preceded in death by his wife, Susan Gael. Survivors include his son and daughter-in-law Richard and Amy Gael of Orlando, FL. A Celebration of Life for family and friends of the Gael family will be held at Weirsdale Presbyterian Church, on Saturday, Jan. 28th from 11:00 - 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, a contribution to the Weirsdale Presbyterian Church can be made and mailed to the church at P.O. Box 269, Weirsdale, FL 32195.

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**HILLSON, ARTHUR W., 93**

Ocala - Mr. Arthur W. Hillson, 93, Of Ocala, passed away at his residence on Saturday, January 21, 2012. Mr. Hillson was born in S. Boston, MA on March 28, 1918 to parents, Harold L. and Mary (Clancy) Hillson. Arthur was a retired carpenter and moved from Wilmington, MA in 1983. He was a US Army Veteran, having served proudly during WWII and was a member of VFW Post 4781. He formerly played the drums for the Tune Twister band in Pine Run and was a bowling league member for many years. Arthur was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy. He is survived by his two daughters, Donna Cassidy (husband, Roger) of Pepperell, MA and Barbara Harris of Ocala; granddaughter, Tracy Weymouth (husband, Barry) of Plaistow, NH; great-granddaughters, Kayla, Holly, and Ava Weymouth; and brother, Harold Hillson of Louisville, KY. The family will receive friends on Thursday, January 26th, from 10:00 to 11:00 AM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West with funeral services commencing at 11:00 AM. Interment will follow with military honors at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266.



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**IHLE, RENEE, 53**

Fort McCoy - Mrs. Reneé Ihle, 53, passed away Friday, January 20, 2012 after a long fought battle with Cancer. She was born on April 27, 1958 in Staten Island, New York and moved to Fort McCoy, FL in June 1990. A couple years later, she attended barber school and opened the Fort McCoy Barber Shop. The barber shop was a staple in the community for 16 years. Reneé was an avid Martial Artist for many years, earning her black belt in Tae Kwon Do. She took pride in her wonderful garden at home. She was also an animal lover and was very proud of her Award winning Japanese Chins. Reneé then began volunteering at the Ocala Civic Theater after one of her dogs landed the role of Toto in their adaptation of the Wizard of OZ. She was loved and will greatly be missed by all of her friends and family. She is survived by her father Bruce Smith; mother, Frances Batalias; husband, James Ihle; sister, Barbara Dixon; children, Desiré Cardenas, Amber Beegle, James Ihle II, Adam Ihle, Elizabeth Ihle, and Ingrid Sheppard; 7 grandchildren, Grace and Alex Cardenas, Rachael, Alalise and Angelina Beegle, Jacob and Charleigh Ihle. Memorial Services will be held on Thursday, January 26th at 11:00 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Fort McCoy.

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**KALIVODA, MARILYN R. SHELDON, 75**

Ocala - Marilyn R. Sheldon Ka-livoda, 75, formerly of Erie, PA, died Dec. 14, 2011. Born in Erie on Feb. 27, 1936, Marilyn graduated from Academy High School in 1954 and earned a B.S. degree in Art Education at Edinboro State Teacher's College in 1958. After teaching many years, she and her husband were commissioned Officers with the Salvation Army. Survivors include her husband of 53 years, John S. Kalivoda; one son, Kurt Alan Kalivoda and his wife Wendy of Dunnellon, FL; one daughter, Karen Ann Kalivoda of Syracuse, NY; and several other relatives and friends. A memorial service celebrating the life of Marilyn R. Kalivoda will be held 7:00 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 27th at the Salvation Army, 2901 NE 14th St., Ocala, FL.

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**LAMBERT, MARY LOUISE "CRICKETT" HAMILTON, 93**

New Orleans, LA - On January 22, 2012, Mary Louise "Crickett" Hamilton Lambert passed away with her family at her side. Born January 24, 1918, Crickett, at age 93 she was a vibrant

loving mother to her two sons, Hugh "Skipper" and Harold "Pepper", and the widow of her loving husband, Harold, who passed away in November 2004. She and Harold lived the life of a military U.S. Army Air Corps pilot, serving overseas in British Guiana, South America, where Harold was a Major in command of a search and rescue squadron. In South America, Crickett would drive her children and other military base children around on a three wheel motor scooter with a steering wheel and a bench front seat large enough for four (no seatbelts). She organized trips to visit indigenous Indian tribes, as well as cocktail and bridge parties on the base, and an annual Easter egg hunt in a grass field infested with ants and other creatures, some larger than the eggs. The family would board the military amphibious (PBY) aircraft from native dugout canoes paddled by locals out to the aircraft that were anchored in the Amazon River. We all survived the many adventures in South America without serious incident and with great memories captured on 8mm celoid film by a wind-up Kodak movie camera. Crickett and Harold, over their 60 years of marriage, lived in Atlanta, GA, Nashville, TN, Los Angeles, CA, Tuscaloosa, AL, Raleigh, NC, Ann Arbor, MI, New Orleans, LA, Ocala, FL, Chicago, IL, Rochester, NY, and St. Joseph, MO, and probably many other places not necessarily in that order. Crickett was the longtime president of her Pioneer Sunday School class at St. Paul United Methodist Church in Ocala, FL. She was also president of the residents' association of Chambrel at Pinecastle assisted living in Ocala, FL for several years. Before Chambrel, she and Harold lived in Golden Hills Country Club Estates, Ocala, FL, after his retirement as a pilot from United Airlines in 1975. Crickett was an avid golfer and bridge player. She loved to tell stories and work crossword puzzles, and she always told the best jokes, such as the infamous "Timbuktu", "foo bird", and "tickets to Pittsburgh" jokes. Crickett is survived by her two sons, Harold L. Lambert, II of Ocala, FL, and Hugh P. Lambert of New Orleans, LA, her favorite (and only) daughter-in-law, Beth Vizard Lambert, and two grandchildren, Palmer and Reyn. She and Harold will be buried at Mount Olivet Cemetery in the Hamilton Family tomb in Nashville, TN, following a private ceremony. Crickett will be remembered for her vibrant personality, her love of song and dance, her boundless sense of humor, and her love of life and family. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Macular Degeneration Foundation, P.O. Box 151, Northampton, MA 01061-0515. To view and sign the family guest book, please visit [www.lakelawnmetairie.com](http://www.lakelawnmetairie.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 25 to January 26, 2012

### **MOBLEY, HATTIE BLAIR, 79**

Bellevue - Born March 9, 1932 in Summerfield, FL, Hattie Blair Mobley went Home to be with the Lord January 23, 2012 in Ocala, FL. She was a loving wife, mother, and grandmother, who spent her life helping children of all ages in devotion to The Lord; and was lovingly known as "Aunt Hattie." Preceded in death by her husband, Harvey Mobley; and sister, Mary Blair. She is survived by her daughter, Priscilla (Mike) Coffey of Hernando, FL; son, Kent Mobley of Bellevue, FL; grandchildren, Mark and Lance Mobley, and Tracey Booth; great-grandchildren, Hayden, Jeremy, Jacob, Joseph, Tyler, and Jady; brother, Chuck Blair residing in AL. Visitation will be one hour prior to funeral service which is to be held, Friday, January 27, 2012 11:00 AM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Bellevue, 352-245-2424. In lieu of flowers, you may honor Hattie with donations to Love A Child, Inc., PO Box 60063, Ft. Myers, FL 33906. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 25 to January 26, 2012

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### **SAPP, ILA MAMIE, 95**

Ocala - Ila M. Sapp died January 17, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born December 1, 1916 at Pumpkin City, Florida and was the daughter of John L. and Mamie Nancy Thornton Drawdy and was preceded in death by her husband Gus H. Sapp. Mrs. Sapp grew up during the frontier days in South Florida and traveled by buckboard wagon across the state following her father who was a Florida Cracker (cowboy) as he moved cattle. She graduated from Ft. Myers High School and attended Florida State College for Women and was a life-long Florida State University fan. After retirement from the Hillsborough County Probate Court office, she moved from Tampa to Ft. Myers to care for her mother. She moved to Ocala in 1989. She was a member at First Baptist Church. She loved her family, gardening and traveling to many areas of the world. She was a volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center for many years and accumulated over 2644 hours of service. As a form of exercise and recreation, she became a member of the Bonnie Belle Dancers and enjoyed performing with the group for many years. Survivors include her daughter Mrs. William (Carol) Sanborn of Land O' Lakes and her son William E. (Dianne) Sapp of Ocala. Her grandchildren are William Sanborn, Mrs. Paul (Erin) Chung, Paul B. (Terri) Sapp, John L. (Lacy) Sapp, and Mark E. (Tiffany) Sapp. Her great-grandchildren are Amelia and Delaney Chung, Brynlee, Jacob, Andy, Abigail, Holston, and Matthew Sapp. A memorial service will be held by her family January 27, 2012 with Gathering at 6:00 and services at 7:00 at Heirs-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 25 to January 26, 2012

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#### **BIRCH, EVELYN JEANETTE, 90**

Ocala - Evelyn Jeanette Birch (lovingly known as "Nanny" by all), 90, passed away on January 20, 2012 at her residence. She was born on November 5, 1921 to Andrew Anderson and Marie Viola Eckert Anderson in Long Branch, NJ. Mrs. Birch was a homemaker, of the Baptist faith, and loved going to Flea Markets, and playing video games. She loved her little dog, Chichi. She was a loving grandmother and great-grandmother. She lived half of her time with her daughter in Greenville, SC and the other half with her daughter in Ocala. She is survived by two daughters, Donna L. Moore of Ocala and Debra K. Andrews of Greenville, SC; her brother, William

Anderson and her sister, Maryann Urban, her grandchildren, Tina Mickel, Maurice A. Markwith, II, John A. Birch, and Dale W. Birch, II; great-grandchildren, Tyler V. Mickel, Brittany L. Markwith, Macy A. Markwith, Jacklyn Markwith, Jesse DeAmicas, Grace Stanley, Dale W. Birch, III, Maggie Mae Johnson, Gracie Gale Johnson and Aaliyah Rosario. She was preceded in death by her husband, Earl W. Birch in 1994 her son, Dale W. Birch in 1996, her brother, Albert Anderson and her sister, Helen Elkins, both in 2011. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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**BROWN, ALICE FLEMING, 78**

Ocala - Alice Fleming Brown, 78, passed away on January 21, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, a loving husband; Oscar Brown: daughters; Carolyn Burton and Angela Howard; sons: Victor Brown and Eric Brown; 9 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great-grandchildren: brothers: James Fleming and Thomas Fleming, Jr.; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 28, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at New St. Lewis Missionary Baptist Church, Josephus Bynum, Pastor. Wake service will be held on Thursday, January 26, 2012 from 6-8p.m. at New St. Lewis Missionary Baptist Church. Visitation will be on Friday, January 27, 2012 from 10a.m.-7p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry - "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade".

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**CASEY, BETTY COOKE, 85**

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**GAEL, ARTHUR R., 67**

Ocala - Arthur R. Gael, 67, passed away Jan. 9, 2012. He was preceded in death by his wife, Susan Gael. Survivors include his son and daughter-in-law Richard and Amy Gael of Orlando, FL. A Celebration of Life for family and friends of the Gael family will be held at Weirsdale Presbyterian Church, on Saturday, Jan. 28th from 11:00 - 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, a contribution to the Weirsdale Presbyterian Church can be made and mailed to the church at P.O. Box 269, Weirsdale, FL 32195.  
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**HILLSON, ARTHUR W., 93**

Ocala - Mr. Arthur W. Hillson, 93, Of Ocala, passed away at his residence on Saturday, January 21, 2012. Mr. Hillson was born in S. Boston, MA on March 28, 1918 to parents, Harold L. and Mary (Clancy) Hillson. Arthur was a retired carpenter and moved from Wilmington, MA in 1983. He was a US Army Veteran, having served proudly during WWII and was a member of VFW Post 4781. He formerly played the drums for the Tune Twister band in Pine Run and was a bowling league member for many years. Arthur was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy. He is survived by his two daughters, Donna Cassidy (husband, Roger) of Pepperell, MA and Barbara Harris of Ocala; granddaughter, Tracy Weymouth (husband, Barry) of Plaistow, NH;

great-granddaughters, Kayla, Holly, and Ava Weymouth; and brother, Harold Hillson of Louisville, KY. The family will receive friends on Thursday, January 26th, from 10:00 to 11:00 AM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West with funeral services commencing at 11:00 AM. Interment will follow with military honors at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 25 to January 26, 2012

**IHLE, RENEE, 53**

Fort McCoy - Mrs. Reneé Ihle, 53, passed away Friday, January 20, 2012 after a long fought battle with Cancer. She was born on April 27, 1958 in Staten Island, New York and moved to Fort McCoy, FL in June 1990. A couple years later, she attended barber school and opened the Fort McCoy Barber Shop. The barber shop was a staple in the community for 16 years. Reneé was an avid Martial Artist for many years, earning her black belt in Tae Kwon Do. She took pride in her wonderful garden at home. She was also an animal lover and was very proud of her Award winning Japanese Chins. Reneé then began volunteering at the Ocala Civic Theater after one of her dogs landed the role of Toto in their adaptation of the Wizard of OZ. She was loved and will greatly be missed by all of her friends and family. She is survived by her father Bruce Smith; mother, Frances Batalias; husband, James Ihle; sister, Barbara Dixon; children, Desiré Cardenas, Amber Beegle, James Ihle II, Adam Ihle, Elizabeth Ihle, and Ingrid Sheppard; 7 grandchildren, Grace and Alex Cardenas, Rachael, Alalise and Angelina Beegle, Jacob and Charleigh Ihle. Memorial Services will be held on Thursday, January 26th at 11:00 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Fort McCoy.

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**KALIVODA, MARILYN R. SHELDON, 75**

Ocala - Marilyn R. Sheldon Ka-livoda, 75, formerly of Erie, PA, died Dec. 14, 2011. Born in Erie on Feb. 27, 1936, Marilyn graduated from Academy High School in 1954 and earned a B.S. degree in Art Education at Edinboro State Teacher's College in 1958. After teaching many years, she and her husband were commissioned Officers with the Salvation Army. Survivors include her husband of 53 years, John S. Kalivoda; one son, Kurt Alan Kalivoda and his wife Wendy of Dunnellon, FL; one daughter, Karen Ann Kalivoda of Syracuse, NY; and several other relatives and friends. A memorial service celebrating the life of Marilyn R. Kalivoda will be held 7:00 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 27th at the Salvation Army, 2901 NE 14th St., Ocala, FL.

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**LAMBERT, MARY LOUISE "CRICKETT" HAMILTON, 93**

New Orleans, LA - On January 22, 2012, Mary Louise "Crickett" Hamilton Lambert passed away with her family at her side. Born January 24, 1918, Crickett, at age 93 she was a vibrant loving mother to her two sons, Hugh "Skipper" and Harold "Pepper", and the widow of her loving husband, Harold, who passed away in November 2004. She and Harold lived the life of a military U.S. Army Air Corps pilot, serving overseas in British Guiana, South America, where Harold was a Major in command of a search and rescue squadron. In South America, Crickett would drive her children and other military base children around on a three wheel motor scooter with a steering wheel and a bench front seat large enough for four (no seatbelts). She organized trips to visit indigenous Indian tribes, as well as cocktail and bridge parties on the base, and an annual Easter egg hunt in a grass field infested with ants and other creatures, some larger than

the eggs. The family would board the military amphibious (PBY) aircraft from native dugout canoes paddled by locals out to the aircraft that were anchored in the Amazon River. We all survived the many adventures in South America without serious incident and with great memories captured on 8mm celoid film by a wind-up Kodak movie camera. Crickett and Harold, over their 60 years of marriage, lived in Atlanta, GA, Nashville, TN, Los Angeles, CA, Tuscaloosa, AL, Raleigh, NC, Ann Arbor, MI, New Orleans, LA, Ocala, FL, Chicago, IL, Rochester, NY, and St. Joseph, MO, and probably many other places not necessarily in that order. Crickett was the longtime president of her Pioneer Sunday School class at St. Paul United Methodist Church in Ocala, FL. She was also president of the residents' association of Chambrel at Pinecastle assisted living in Ocala, FL for several years. Before Chambrel, she and Harold lived in Golden Hills Country Club Estates, Ocala, FL, after his retirement as a pilot from United Airlines in 1975. Crickett was an avid golfer and bridge player. She loved to tell stories and work crossword puzzles, and she always told the best jokes, such as the infamous "Timbuktu", "foo bird", and "tickets to Pittsburgh" jokes. Crickett is survived by her two sons, Harold L. Lambert, II of Ocala, FL, and Hugh P. Lambert of New Orleans, LA, her favorite (and only) daughter-in-law, Beth Vizard Lambert, and two grandchildren, Palmer and Reyn. She and Harold will be buried at Mount Olivet Cemetery in the Hamilton Family tomb in Nashville, TN, following a private ceremony. Crickett will be remembered for her vibrant personality, her love of song and dance, her boundless sense of humor, and her love of life and family. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Macular Degeneration Foundation, P.O. Box 151, Northhampton, MA 01061-0515. To view and sign the family guest book, please visit [www.lakelawnmetairie.com](http://www.lakelawnmetairie.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 25 to January 26, 2012

**MOBLEY, HATTIE BLAIR, 79**

Bellevue - Born March 9, 1932 in Summerfield, FL, Hattie Blair Mobley went Home to be with the Lord January 23, 2012 in Ocala, FL. She was a loving wife, mother, and grandmother, who spent her life helping children of all ages in devotion to The Lord; and was lovingly known as "Aunt Hattie." Preceded in death by her husband, Harvey Mobley; and sister, Mary Blair. She is survived by her daughter, Priscilla (Mike) Coffey of Hernando, FL; son, Kent Mobley of Bellevue, FL; grandchildren, Mark and Lance Mobley, and Tracey Booth; great-grandchildren, Hayden, Jeremy, Jacob, Joseph, Tyler, and Jady; brother, Chuck Blair residing in AL. Visitation will be one hour prior to funeral service which is to be held, Friday, January 27, 2012 11:00 AM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Bellevue, 352-245-2424. In lieu of flowers, you may honor Hattie with donations to Love A Child, Inc., PO Box 60063, Ft. Myers, FL 33906. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 25 to January 26, 2012

**PETERS, GLADYS H., 91**

Ocala - Mrs. Gladys H. Peters, 91, of Ocala, died Tuesday, January 24, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. A native of Memphis, TN, she moved to Ocala in 1975, coming here from Maine. She was a former bookkeeper for the A.B. Dick Office Machine Company. She taught Bunka for many years at the Marion County Senior Center. Bunka is the Japanese art of Punch Embroidery and Threadpainting. Mrs. Peters was a very active member of First Baptist Church of Ocala, where she belonged to the Forever Young group. She was preceded in death by her husband Don in 1992. She is survived by her niece Mary Ferreri and nephew William H. Roberts, both of Mississippi. Funeral services will be held at 11 AM on Saturday, January 28, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd.,

Ocala, with Rev. Kevin Kite officiating. Visitation will be held from 10 AM until service time. Memorial contributions may be made to the Youth Ministry at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL 34471.

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**PINCKNEY, JR., JAMES C., 27**

Ocala - James C. Pinckney, Jr., 27, passed away on January 23, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory, a loving mother Audrey Clark; father James Pinckney, Sr. (deceased); sisters: TiAnna Greene (Michael), Kathy Pinckney, Erica Clark (Eric), Ebony Jackson and Katie Pinckney (deceased); brothers: Benjamin Pinckney, Kenneth Clark (Sarah), Christopher Jackson, Freddrick Wood and Jeffrey Hall, Jr.; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 28, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. at House of God Keith Dominion. Wake service will be held on Thursday, January 26, 2012 from 7-8 p.m. at Tabernacle of Deliverance Outreach Ministry, Rozella Brown, Pastor. Visitation will be on Friday, January 27, 2012 from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry - "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 26 to January 27, 2012

**SAPP, ILA MAMIE, 95**

Ocala - Ila M. Sapp died January 17, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born December 1, 1916 at Pumpkin City, Florida and was the daughter of John L. and Mamie Nancy Thornton Drawdy and was preceded in death by her husband Gus H. Sapp. Mrs. Sapp grew up during the frontier days in South Florida and traveled by buckboard wagon across the state following her father who was a Florida Cracker (cowboy) as he moved cattle. She graduated from Ft. Myers High School and attended Florida State College for Women and was a life-long Florida State University fan. After retirement from the Hillsborough County Probate Court office, she moved from Tampa to Ft. Myers to care for her mother. She moved to Ocala in 1989. She was a member at First Baptist Church. She loved her family, gardening and traveling to many areas of the world. She was a volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center for many years and accumulated over 2644 hours of service. As a form of exercise and recreation, she became a member of the Bonnie Belle Dancers and enjoyed performing with the group for many years. Survivors include her daughter Mrs. William (Carol) Sanborn of Land O' Lakes and her son William E. (Dianne) Sapp of Ocala. Her grandchildren are William Sanborn, Mrs. Paul (Erin) Chung, Paul B. (Terri) Sapp, John L. (Lacy) Sapp, and Mark E. (Tiffany) Sapp. Her great-grandchildren are Amelia and Delaney Chung, Brynlee, Jacob, Andy, Abigail, Holston, and Matthew Sapp. A memorial service will be held by her family January 27, 2012 with Gathering at 6:00 and services at 7:00 at Heirs-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL.

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**TENAMORE, EMIL JOSEPH, 86**

Ocala - Mr. Emil Tenamore, age 86, passed away, January 23, 2012. Born in Dunkirk, NY, he has been a resident of this area since 1988. He was an Allegheny Ludlum/AlTech retiree and a member of the Dunkirk Auxiliary Police. Mr. Tenamore was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II; and a member of both the American Legion (Post 0400) and VFW Post 1976. He is survived by his beloved wife of 42 years, Sophie A. Tenamore of Ocala, FL; daughters: Valerie (& James) Sholly of PennYan, NY; Judith (& Daniel Halas) Tenamore of Fredonia, NY; son Joseph E.



Tenamore of Lakeland, FL; step-daughter Pat Kibbe of Dunkirk, NY; son-in-law George Civilelto of Dunkirk, NY; 9 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren, Florida family Linda (Dittmar) Wissel & Family; and Ruth Bolduc. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Home, Downtown Chapel, from 11:00 to 1:00 p.m., on Friday, January 27, 2012; with the funeral service to be held directly afterwards at 1:00 pm. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations be made to Sylvia's House - Hospice of Marion County in Emil's name. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 26 to January 27, 2012

**WILLIAMS, GERALDINE, 91**

Ocala - Mother Geraldine Williams, 91, passed away on January 18, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Mother Williams leaves to cherish her memory: sons: John R. Williams and Clarence M. Williams; daughters: Ernestine Steward and Cynthia Williams, all of Ocala, FL; adopted children: Ivory Vicks, San Bernardino, CA, Charlie Wade, Crystal River, FL, Sandra Avera, Ocala, FL; godchildren, Grandvera Bryant, Elouise Baldwin; 24 grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral Services for Mother Williams will be held on Saturday, January 28, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at New St. John Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks, pastor. A wake service will be held on Thursday, January 26, 2012 at New St. John Baptist Church from 6pm to 7pm; visitation will be on Friday January 27, 2012 from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 26 to January 27, 2012

**WINGO, MARIAN JUANITA YOUNG, 81**

Ocala - Marian Juanita Young Wingo, 81, passed away on January 20, 2012. Born and raised in Ocala, Florida, Marian was a long time member of Pentecostal Full Gospel Church located in Ocala, FL where she was known as Mother Wingo. She later rejoined her family church St. Paul A.M.E. which remained her church home until her passing where she served faithfully as a member of the Missionary Society. She completed her education in Marion County Public Schools; graduating from Howard Academy, class of 1949. She attended both Bethune-Cookman College and North Carolina A&T. She later went on to complete her degree at Florida Community College and University of North Florida both in Jacksonville, FL where she worked for many years in the Duval County Public School system. Marian was married to Eugene Boysie Wingo who preceded her death; also preceding her in death are her parents Theodore Roosevelt Young, Sr., Sylvester and Mary Vereen Jones, and her brother Theodore (Tim Buddy) Roosevelt Young, Jr. Affectionately known as Granny to family and friends, she leaves to cherish her memories, her brother Henry Sylvester Jones and Phyllis LeArthur Jones her devoted sister-in-law and friend. Granny also leaves 5 children, Sylvia Jones and Victor Wingo both of Ocala, FL; Stephanie "Cookie" Autry of Denver, CO; Debby Wingo and Mary "Toni" Wingo both of Jacksonville, FL; 15 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grand baby, her pride and joy, Miss Rhyan Nichole Sessoms; an honorary son Dr. Fred Seamon of Tallahassee, FL; and a host of nieces, nephews, loving cousins, and friends. A public viewing will be held on Friday, January 27th from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.; the family will greet family and friends from 3:00-6:00 PM at Summer's Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL. Funeral services will take place Saturday, January 28th at St. Paul A.M.E. Church, 718 NW 7th Street, Ocala, FL at 11:00 AM. Rev. Patrick Sasnett, Pastor presiding. Pastor Lillie Tuggerson, Eulogist. The funeral procession will leave from the home of Henry and Phyllis Jones, 2414 NW

18th Street, Ocala, FL. Interment will be at the Silver Springs Cemetery. The family will be receiving family and friends immediately following at St. Paul A.M.E. Church. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations be made to Summer's Funeral Home on behalf of Marian Juanita Young Wingo. Condolences may also be posted at summersfh@aol.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 26 to January 27, 2012

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#### **CAMP, JR., HORACE WILLIAM, 63**

Ocala - Horace William Camp, Jr., 63, born September 17, 1948, to Horace W. Sr. and Elaine M. Camp, passed away January 23, 2012. Survivors include his father, Horace W. Camp, Sr.; two sisters, Elaine Camp and Nancy Camp, all of Ocala; one brother, Grady Paul Camp, of Jacksonville; three nieces, three great-nieces, and one great-nephew. Services will be held at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, Florida, Saturday, January 28th at 2:00 p.m., with visitation starting at 1:30. Graveside to follow service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Woodside Baptist Church building fund, Ocala, Florida.

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**HARPER, JEANNE J., 84**

Dunnellon - Jeanne J. Harper, 84, of Dunnellon passed away Monday afternoon. She was born on October 28, 1927 in Highland Park, Michigan to the late Thomas and Bessie Hueston. She was the wife of Ellwood (Herb) Harper. She is survived by a son, Lawrence (Linda) McBride of Littleton, Colorado, a daughter, Joyce (Raymond) Bowers of Champaign, Illinois, 3 grandchildren, Lauren McBride, Bryon Bowers and Timothy Bowers, and 4 great-grandchildren, Brittany Bowers, Kaylee Bowers, Seth Bowers and Maizie Bowers, a brother, Douglas (Josephine) Hueston of Deerfield Beach, FL, two nieces, Sherry and Susan and one nephew, Thomas Hueston. Jeanne will be missed by all that knew her. The viewing will be on Sunday, January 29, 2012, at Ocala West Methodist Church, Ocala starting at 2:00 p.m. The funeral will

follow at 3:00 p.m., to be conducted by Pastor Allan Jefferson. Burial will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at a later date. Memorials to the church or Legacy House would be appreciated. Arrangements are entrusted to Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 27 to January 28, 2012

**HILLER, RICHARD JULIUS "DICK", 91**

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**PETERS, GLADYS H., 91**

Ocala - Mrs. Gladys H. Peters, 91, of Ocala, died Tuesday, January 24, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. A native of Memphis, TN, she moved to Ocala in 1975, coming here from Maine. She was a former bookkeeper for the A.B. Dick Office Machine Company. She taught Bunka for many years at the Marion County Senior Center. Bunka is the Japanese art of Punch Embroidery and Threadpainting. Mrs. Peters was a very active member of First Baptist Church of Ocala, where she belonged to the Forever Young group. She was preceded in death by her husband Don in 1992. She is survived by her niece Mary Ferreri and nephew William H. Roberts, both of Mississippi. Funeral services will be held at 11 AM on Saturday, January 28, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Kevin Kite officiating. Visitation will be held from 10 AM until service time. Memorial contributions may be made to the Youth Ministry at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL 34471. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 26 to January 27, 2012

**PINCKNEY, JR., JAMES C., 27**

Ocala - James C. Pinckney, Jr., 27, passed away on January 23, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory, a loving mother Audrey Clark; father James Pinckney, Sr. (deceased); sisters: TiAnna Greene (Michael), Kathy Pinckney, Erica Clark (Eric), Ebony Jackson and Katie Pinckney (deceased); brothers: Benjamin Pinckney, Kenneth Clark (Sarah), Christopher Jackson, Fredrick Wood and Jeffrey Hall, Jr.; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 28, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. at House of God Keith Dominion. Wake service will be held on Thursday, January 26, 2012 from 7-8 p.m. at Tabernacle of Deliverance Outreach Ministry, Rozella Brown, Pastor. Visitation will be on

Friday, January 27, 2012 from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry - "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade". Published in Ocala Star-Banner from January 26 to January 27, 2012

**ROBINSON, ZAMARION ELLI, 15 mo.**

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**SAPP, ILLA MAMIE, 95**

Ocala - Ila M. Sapp died January 17, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born December 1, 1916 at Pumpkin City, Florida and was the daughter of John L. and Mamie Nancy Thornton Drawdy and was preceded in death by her husband Gus H. Sapp. Mrs. Sapp grew up during the frontier days in South Florida and traveled by buckboard wagon across the state following her father who was a Florida Cracker (cowboy) as he moved cattle. She graduated from Ft. Myers High School and attended Florida State College for Women and was a life-long Florida State University fan. After retirement from the Hillsborough County Probate Court office, she moved from Tampa to Ft. Myers to care for her mother. She moved to Ocala in 1989. She was a member at First Baptist Church. She loved her family, gardening and traveling to many areas of the world. She was a volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center for many years and accumulated over 2644 hours of service. As a form of exercise and recreation, she became a member of the Bonnie Belle Dancers and enjoyed performing with the group for many years. Survivors include her daughter Mrs. William (Carol) Sanborn of Land O' Lakes and her son William E. (Dianne) Sapp of Ocala. Her grandchildren are William Sanborn, Mrs. Paul (Erin) Chung, Paul B. (Terri) Sapp, John L. (Lacy) Sapp, and Mark E. (Tiffany) Sapp. Her great-grandchildren are Amelia and Delaney Chung, Brynlee, Jacob, Andy, Abigail, Holston, and Matthew Sapp. A memorial service will be held by her family January 27, 2012 with Gathering at 6:00 and services at 7:00 at Heirs-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL.

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**STALNAKER, ROBERT, 75**

Ocala - Richard Lee "Dick" Stalnaker, age 75, of Ocala, FL passed away on Wednesday, January 25, 2012. He was born in Rochester, NH on October 16, 1936 to William H. and Evelyn Shea Stalnaker. His family moved to Wildwood, FL when Dick was only 12 years old. After graduating from Wildwood High School in 1955, Dick joined the US Army where he served most of his time in Germany. After completing his military service, Dick worked in Route Sales with Coca-Cola and Dandee Bread Co. in Ocala, FL. He spent 45 years in Automobile Sales for his brother Bill at Ocala Lincoln Mercury. Mr. Stalnaker is survived by his wife of 50 years Sandra Stalnaker, daughter Melanie Stalnaker Hitchcock and her husband Tom, son Seth Stalnaker and his wife Lisa, grandson Phoenix Stalnaker, niece Cindy Lacasse, great-nieces Lacy Sapp and Christy Santi, 2 great-great-nieces, 2 great-great-nephews and several other family members and friends. He was preceded in death by both his parents and his brother William R. "Bill" Stalnaker. Dick liked NASCAR, the Atlanta Braves, the Florida Gators, quail hunting and golfing. A memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Monday, January 30, 2012 at 10:30 a.m.

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**TENAMORE, EMIL JOSEPH, 86**

Ocala - Mr. Emil Tenamore, age 86, passed away, January 23, 2012. Born in Dunkirk, NY, he has been a resident of this area since 1988. He was an Allegheny Ludlum/AlTech retiree and a member of the Dunkirk Auxiliary Police. Mr. Tenamore was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II; and a member of both the American Legion (Post 0400) and VFW Post 1976. He is survived by his beloved wife of 42 years, Sophie A. Tenamore of Ocala, FL; daughters: Valerie (& James) Sholly of PennYan, NY; Judith (& Daniel Halas) Tenamore of Fredonia, NY; son Joseph E. Tenamore of Lakeland, FL; step-daughter Pat Kibbe of Dunkirk, NY; son-in-law George Civilelto of Dunkirk, NY; 9 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren, Florida family Linda (Dittmar) Wissel & Family; and Ruth Bolduc. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Home, Downtown Chapel, from 11:00 to 1:00 p.m., on Friday, January 27, 2012; with the funeral service to be held directly afterwards at 1:00 pm. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations be made to Sylvia's House - Hospice of Marion County in Emil's name.

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**WILLIAMS, GERALDINE, 91**

Ocala - Mother Geraldine Williams, 91, passed away on January 18, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Mother Williams leaves to cherish her memory: sons: John R. Williams and Clarence M. Williams; daughters: Ernestine Steward and Cynthia Williams, all of Ocala, FL; adopted children: Ivory Vicks, San Bernardino, CA, Charlie Wade, Crystal River, FL, Sandra Avera, Ocala, FL; godchildren, Grandvera Bryant, Elouise Baldwin; 24 grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral Services for Mother Williams will be held on Saturday, January 28, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at New St. John Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks, pastor. A wake service will be held on Thursday, January 26, 2012 at New St. John Baptist Church from 6pm to 7pm; visitation will be on Friday January 27, 2012 from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral

Home. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens.

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**WINGO, MARIAN JUANITA YOUNG, 81**

Ocala - Marian Juanita Young Wingo, 81, passed away on January 20, 2012. Born and raised in Ocala, Florida, Marian was a long time member of Pentecostal Full Gospel Church located in Ocala, FL where she was known as Mother Wingo. She later rejoined her family church St. Paul A.M.E. which remained her church home until her passing where she served faithfully as a member of the Missionary Society. She completed her education in Marion County Public Schools; graduating from Howard Academy, class of 1949. She attended both Bethune-Cookman College and North Carolina A&T. She later went on to complete her degree at Florida Community College and University of North Florida both in Jacksonville, FL where she worked for many years in the Duval County Public School system. Marian was married to Eugene Boysie Wingo who preceded her death; also preceding her in death are her parents Theodore Roosevelt Young, Sr., Sylvester and Mary Vereen Jones, and her brother Theodore (Tim Buddy) Roosevelt Young, Jr. Affectionately known as Granny to family and friends, she leaves to cherish her memories, her brother Henry Sylvester Jones and Phyllis LeArthur Jones her devoted sister-in-law and friend. Granny also leaves 5 children, Sylvia Jones and Victor Wingo both of Ocala, FL; Stephanie "Cookie" Autry of Denver, CO; Debby Wingo and Mary "Toni" Wingo both of Jacksonville, FL; 15 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grand baby, her pride and joy, Miss Rhyan Nichole Sessoms; an honorary son Dr. Fred Seamon of Tallahassee, FL; and a host of nieces, nephews, loving cousins, and friends. A public viewing will be held on Friday, January 27th from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.; the family will greet family and friends from 3:00-6:00 PM at Summer's Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL. Funeral services will take place Saturday, January 28th at St. Paul A.M.E. Church, 718 NW 7th Street, Ocala, FL at 11:00 AM. Rev. Patrick Sasnett, Pastor presiding. Pastor Lillie Tuggerson, Eulogist. The funeral procession will leave from the home of Henry and Phyllis Jones, 2414 NW 18th Street, Ocala, FL. Interment will be at the Silver Springs Cemetery. The family will be receiving family and friends immediately following at St. Paul A.M.E. Church. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations be made to Summer's Funeral Home on behalf of Marian Juanita Young Wingo. Condolences may also be posted at [summersfh@aol.com](mailto:summersfh@aol.com).  
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**BROWN, ALICE FLEMING, 78**

Ocala - Alice Fleming Brown, 78, passed away on January 21, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, a loving husband; Oscar Brown; daughters; Carolyn Burton and Angela Howard; sons: Victor Brown and Eric Brown; 9 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren; and 2 great-great-grandchildren; brothers: James Fleming and Thomas Fleming, Jr.; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 28, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at New St. Lewis Missionary Baptist Church, Josephus Bynum, Pastor. Wake service will be held on Thursday, January 26, 2012 from 6-8p.m. at New St. Lewis Missionary Baptist Church. Visitation will be on Friday, January 27, 2012 from 10a.m.-7p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry - "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade".

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**CAMP, JR., HORACE WILLIAM, 63**

Ocala - Horace William Camp, Jr., 63, born September 17, 1948, to Horace W. Sr. and Elaine M. Camp, passed away January 23, 2012. Survivors include his father, Horace W. Camp, Sr.; two sisters, Elaine Camp and Nancy Camp, all of Ocala; one brother, Grady Paul Camp, of Jacksonville; three nieces, three great-nieces, and one great-nephew. Services will be held at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, Florida, Saturday, January 28th at 2:00 p.m., with visitation starting at 1:30. Graveside to follow service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Woodside Baptist Church building fund, Ocala, Florida.

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**DAY, SR., JOSEPH "JOE" G., 98**

Ocala - Joseph "Joe" G. Day, Sr., 98, of Ocala, passed away on January 24, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. He was born on December 18, 1913 in Sumerduck, Virginia. He is survived by his son Joseph Day, Jr., of Ocala, two granddaughters; Lori Day of Ocala and Diane Barr of Mt. Zion, WV; two great-granddaughters and six great-great-grandchildren. Joe was preceded in death by his wife of 69 years, Jean Day, who passed away September 10, 2009. Funeral services will be held at 1 PM on Monday, January 30, 2012, at Barnes Cemetery, located on County Rd 312. Arrangements are under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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**HARPER, JEANNE J., 84**

Dunnellon - Jeanne J. Harper, 84, of Dunnellon passed away Monday afternoon. She was born on October 28, 1927 in Highland Park, Michigan to the late Thomas and Bessie Hueston. She was the wife of Ellwood (Herb) Harper. She is survived by a son, Lawrence (Linda) McBride of Littleton, Colorado, a daughter, Joyce (Raymond) Bowers of Champaign, Illinois, 3 grandchildren, Lauren McBride, Bryon Bowers and Timothy Bowers, and 4 great-grandchildren, Brittany Bowers, Kaylee Bowers, Seth Bowers and Maizie Bowers, a brother, Douglas (Josephine) Hueston of Deerfield Beach, FL, two nieces, Sherry and Susan and one nephew, Thomas Hueston. Jeanne will be missed by all that knew her. The viewing will be on Sunday, January 29, 2012, at Ocala West Methodist Church, Ocala starting at 2:00 p.m. The funeral will follow at 3:00 p.m., to be conducted by Pastor Allan Jefferson. Burial will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at a later date. Memorials to the church or Legacy House would be appreciated. Arrangements are entrusted to Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, FL.

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Hiller of Dunnellon; sons: Richard (Allison) of Acworth, GA, and Michael Hiller of Marietta, GA; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. Visitation will be Friday, January 27th from 3 to 5 p.m. at Fero Funeral Home in Beverly Hills, FL. The funeral will be Saturday, January 28th at 11 a.m. at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens in Ocala, FL. The family extends their deepest gratitude to the staff at Hampton Manor West and Hospice of Marion County. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions should be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements entrusted to Fero Funeral Home, [www.ferofuneralhome.com](http://www.ferofuneralhome.com).  
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**HYBACK, EDWARD CHARLES, 75**

Silver Springs - Edward Charles Hyback passed away on Tuesday, January 24, 2012. He was born in Batavia, New York. He worked for Kodak for 25 years in management, retired and later went to work for the New York Thru-way for 10 years. He retired to Florida in 1999. He was an active member at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Englewood, FL. Upon moving to Ocala, he became active at Our Redeemer L.C. Ed is survived by his partner in life, Ruth Chernus; brother Keith, sons: David and Christopher; daughter Audrey; grandsons: Donnie and David; daughter-in-law Sharon Hyback, widow of deceased eldest son Dennis and granddaughters: Amanda, Samantha and Kimberly; great-grandchildren: Kaia, James, Madison, Destiny and Chance. A Memorial Service will be held on Monday, January 30, 2012 at 1PM, at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church located at 5200 SW 200 Rd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Our Redeemer Memorial Fund.

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**ROBINSON, ZAMARION ELI, 15 mo.**

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**SAPP, ILA MAMIE, 95**

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**SCARBERRY, JR., HOLLEY R.**

Bellevue - Mr. Holley R. Scarberry, Jr. of Bellevue passed away at Tuscan Hospice House on Wednesday, January 25, 2012. Mr. Scarberry was a native of Lawrence County, OH moving to this area from Fellsmere, FL 14 years ago. Mr. Scarberry was a retired owner of an auto body shop. He enjoyed spending time with his family camping out and attending Bluegrass Festivals. He is survived by his wife Alta Scarberry of Bellevue; daughter Phyllis Justice of Bellevue; sons Jerry D. Scarberry of Silver Springs, and Mark Scarberry of Fellsmere, FL; 9 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by 2 grandsons Allen Scarberry and Larry "DJ" Justice, Jr. A funeral was held at 7 p.m. on Friday, January 27, 2012 at Heirs-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd, Bellevue. A visitation will be held 2 hours prior to the funeral. A committal service will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, January 28, 2012 at Hillcrest Cemetery. Online condolences may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**SPENCE, MICHAEL, 66**

Salt Springs - Michael Spence, 66, passed away Jan 27, 2012 from stomach cancer. He was born June 21, 1945 in Panama City, FL. He attended Mayo Florida Elementary School and Paxon High School in Jacksonville, FL. He worked at Millwright Local 2010 out of Jacksonville, FL. He is survived by his wife Sherrill Spence, daughter Donna Spence and son Wayne Spence of Chesterfield MI, son Ben Crews (Rhonda) of Bryceville, FL, daughter Jill Crews of Pensacola, FL, 9 grandchildren: Brittany Nobles, Rachelle Spence, Desiree Nobles, Charity Crews, Chasity Crews, Logan Nobles, Brittany Shiver, Taryn Spence and Connor Spence, and siblings: Buddy Hunt and Jean Evans. A Memorial Service will be held 1:00 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 30th at First Baptist Church, 24100 NE Hwy. 314, Salt Springs, FL 32134. Michael's favorite saying: "Glad you got to see me."

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**STALNAKER, RICHARD, 75**

Ocala - Richard Lee "Dick" Stalnaker, age 75, of Ocala, FL passed away on Wednesday, January 25, 2012. He was born in Rochester, NH on October 16, 1936 to William H. and Evelyn Shea Stalnaker. His family moved to Wildwood, FL when Dick was only 12 years old. After graduating from Wildwood High School in 1955, Dick joined the US Army where he served most of his time in Germany. After completing his military service, Dick worked in Route Sales with Coca-Cola and Dandee Bread Co. in Ocala, FL. He spent 45 years in Automobile Sales for his brother Bill at Ocala Lincoln Mercury. Mr. Stalnaker is survived by his wife of 50 years Sandra Stalnaker, daughter Melanie Stalnaker Hitchcock and her husband Tom, son Seth Stalnaker and his wife Lisa, grandson Phoenix Stalnaker, niece Cindy Lacasse, great-nieces Lacy Sapp and Christy Santi, 2 great-great-nieces, 2 great-great-nephews and several other family members and friends. He was preceded in death by both his parents and his brother William R. "Bill" Stalnaker. Dick liked NASCAR, the Atlanta Braves, the Florida Gators, quail hunting and golfing. A memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Monday, January 30, 2012 at 10:30 a.m.

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**WALLEN, CHRISTOPHER AARON, 35**

Ocklawaha, FL - Born February 16, 1976 in Dayton, Ohio, Christopher Aaron Wallen, 35, passed away January 21, 2012. Mr. Wallen was a Building Contractor and Tile Setter. Survivors include his wife Rachael D. Wallen, Ocklawaha; parents, William H. Wallen and Alexa R. Keating, Ocala; 3 daughters, Patience, Lindsey and Aaron; and 2 brothers, Jamie and Billy Wallen. Memorial Services will be 2 p.m. Sunday, January 29, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony with the Rev. James Hubbard officiating.

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**BEAN, JOYCE GAIL (RAINES), 73**

Ocala - Joyce Gail (Raines) Bean, 73, of Ocala, FL, passed away Sunday, January 22nd, 2012. Born March 27th, 1938 in Huntington, West Virginia, she was the daughter of Walter and Sarah Raines. She had a long career as Food and Beverage Director for Holiday Inn Corporation and then was named one of the top 10 Sales Directors for Holiday Inn just before she left the company and relocated to the Ocala area. She was preceded in death by her parents and brother Lowell, sister Ruth and sister in law Nancy. Surviving her are her loving husband of 52 years, Currie, her siblings Walter (Lois Jean), Aileen, Lois, Lucille (Grayson) and Ronny, 3 sons Daniel (Maria) Bean of Georgia, Timothy (Lori) Bean of Michigan, Robert (Laura) Bean of Michigan, 2 daughters Susan (James) Knapp of Michigan, Neena (Gordon) Dubay of Ft. Myers, Florida, 4 grandchildren, Daniel, Sarah, Emily and Morgan. We will miss the many fishing trips, phone calls to get recipes and all the many times we spent together. May you rest in peace and we will see you again. We love you.

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**BELL, GREGORY MARK, 59**

Ocala - Gregory Mark Bell, 59, of Ocala, FL, passed away at his home on Tuesday, January 24, 2012. Greg was born on September 5, 1952 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin; son to the late Clyde F. and Delores C. Bell. He served with the U.S. Army in Vietnam, Korea and Germany and retired while serving at the Pentagon. Along with his family, he moved here in 1986 from Virginia. He enjoyed yard work, the computer and reading books; but the true love of his life was time with his grandkids. Greg is survived by his loving wife of 34 years, Kwang Bell of Ocala; children, Andrew Bell of Ocala and Jennifer Bell of Aliso Viejo, CA; grandchildren, Sienna, Kingston, Sarah and Jillian; 2 brothers Jeffrey Bell and Todd Bell and a sister Victoria. Cremation arrangements are under the care of the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**CASTLEBERRY-MURRAY - JIMMIE SUE, 67**

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**HYBACK, EDWARD CHARLES, 75**

Silver Springs - Edward Charles Hyback passed away on Tuesday, January 24, 2012. He was born in Batavia, New York. He worked for Kodak for 25 years in management, retired and later went to work for the New York Thru-way for 10 years. He retired to Florida in 1999. He was an active member at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Englewood, FL. Upon moving to Ocala, he became active at Our Redeemer L.C. Ed is survived by his partner in life, Ruth Chernus; brother Keith, sons: David and Christopher; daughter Audrey; grandsons: Donnie and David; daughter-in-law Sharon Hyback, widow of deceased eldest son Dennis and granddaughters: Amanda, Samantha and Kimberly; great-grandchildren: Kaia, James, Madison, Destiny and Chance. A Memorial Service will be held on Monday, January 30, 2012 at 1PM, at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church located at 5200 SW 200 Rd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Our Redeemer Memorial Fund.

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**SCARBERRY, JR., HOLLEY R.**

Belleview - Mr. Holley R. Scarberry, Jr. of Belleview passed away at Tuscan Hospice House on Wednesday, January 25, 2012. Mr. Scarberry was a native of Lawrence County, OH moving to this area from Fellsmere, FL 14 years ago. Mr. Scarberry was a retired owner of an auto body shop. He enjoyed spending time with his family camping out and attending Bluegrass Festivals. He is survived by his wife Alta Scarberry of Belleview; daughter Phyllis Justice of Belleview; sons Jerry D. Scarberry of Silver Springs, and Mark Scarberry of Fellsmere, FL; 9 grandchildren,

10 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by 2 grandsons Allen Scarberry and Larry "DJ" Justice, Jr. A funeral was held at 7 p.m. on Friday, January 27, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd, Belleview. A visitation will be held 2 hours prior to the funeral. A committal service will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, January 28, 2012 at Hillcrest Cemetery. Online condolences may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).  
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**SPENCE, MICHAEL, 66**

Salt Springs - Michael Spence, 66, passed away Jan 27, 2012 from stomach cancer. He was born June 21, 1945 in Panama City, FL. He attended Mayo Florida Elementary School and Paxon High School in Jacksonville, FL. He worked at Millwright Local 2010 out of Jacksonville, FL. He is survived by his wife Sherrill Spence, daughter Donna Spence and son Wayne Spence of Chesterfield MI, son Ben Crews (Rhonda) of Bryceville, FL, daughter Jill Crews of Pensacola, FL, 9 grandchildren: Brittany Nobles, Rachele Spence, Desiree Nobles, Charity Crews, Chasity Crews, Logan Nobles, Brittany Shiver, Taryn Spence and Connor Spence, and siblings: Buddy Hunt and Jean Evans. A Memorial Service will be held 1:00 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 30th at First Baptist Church, 24100 NE Hwy. 314, Salt Springs, FL 32134. Michael's favorite saying: "Glad you got to see me."  
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**STALNAKER, RICHARD, 75**

Ocala - Richard Lee "Dick" Stalnaker, age 75, of Ocala, FL passed away on Wednesday, January 25, 2012. He was born in Rochester, NH on October 16, 1936 to William H. and Evelyn Shea Stalnaker. His family moved to Wildwood, FL when Dick was only 12 years old. After graduating from Wildwood High School in 1955, Dick joined the US Army where he served most of his time in Germany. After completing his military service, Dick worked in Route Sales with Coca-Cola and Dandee Bread Co. in Ocala, FL. He spent 45 years in Automobile Sales for his brother Bill at Ocala Lincoln Mercury. Mr. Stalnaker is survived by his wife of 50 years Sandra Stalnaker, daughter Melanie Stalnaker Hitchcock and her husband Tom, son Seth Stalnaker and his wife Lisa, grandson Phoenix Stalnaker, niece Cindy Lacasse, great-nieces Lacy Sapp and Christy Santi, 2 great-great-nieces, 2 great-great-nephews and several other family members and friends. He was preceded in death by both his parents and his brother William R. "Bill" Stalnaker. Dick liked NASCAR, the Atlanta Braves, the Florida Gators, quail hunting and golfing. A memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Monday, January 30, 2012 at 10:30 a.m.  
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Ocklawaha, FL - Born February 16, 1976 in Dayton, Ohio, Christopher Aaron Wallen, 35, passed away January 21, 2012. Mr. Wallen was a Building Contractor and Tile Setter. Survivors include his wife Rachael D. Wallen, Ocklawaha; parents, William H. Wallen and Alexa R. Keating, Ocala; 3 daughters, Patience, Lindsey and Aaron; and 2 brothers, Jamie and Billy Wallen. Memorial Services will be 2 p.m. Sunday, January 29, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony with the Rev. James Hubbard officiating.

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#### **BEAN, JOYCE GAIL (RAINES), 73**

Ocala - Joyce Gail (Raines) Bean, 73, of Ocala, FL, passed away Sunday, January 22nd, 2012. Born March 27th, 1938 in Huntington, West Virginia, she was the daughter of Walter and Sarah Raines. She had a long career as Food and Beverage Director for Holiday Inn Corporation and then was named one of the top 10 Sales Directors for Holiday Inn just before she left the company and relocated to the Ocala area. She was preceded in death by her parents and brother Lowell, sister Ruth and sister in law Nancy. Surviving her are her loving husband of 52 years, Currie, her siblings Walter (Lois Jean), Aileen, Lois, Lucille (Grayson) and Ronny, 3 sons Daniel (Maria) Bean of Georgia, Timothy (Lori) Bean of Michigan, Robert (Laura) Bean of Michigan, 2 daughters Susan (James) Knapp of Michigan, Neena (Gordon) Dubay of Ft. Myers, Florida, 4 grandchildren, Daniel, Sarah, Emily and Morgan. We will miss the many fishing trips, phone calls to get recipes and all the many times we spent together. May you rest in peace and we will see you again. We love you.

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**BELL, GREGORY MARK, 59**

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#### **BRITT, KIMI ASANO, 86**

Summerfield - Kimi Asano Britt, 86, passed away at Arbor Village on January 26, 2012. She moved to the United States from Japan in 1957. She was a member of New Beginnings Christian Fellowship; past member of the Tuesday Spruce Creek South Bowling League; member of the Spruce Creek South Veteran's Club, and the Tri-County Japanese Friendship Club. She is survived by her husband, Richard Britt, Summerfield, FL; daughter, Masako Yamada, Japan; a granddaughter and two great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Friday, February 3, 2012, at 10:30 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - The Villages. Inurnment will be in

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Summerfield - Kimi Asano Britt, 86, passed away at Arbor Village on January 26, 2012. She moved to the United States from Japan in 1957. She was a member of New Beginnings Christian Fellowship; past member of the Tuesday Spruce Creek South Bowling League; member of the Spruce Creek South Veteran's Club, and the Tri-County Japanese Friendship Club. She is survived by her husband, Richard Britt, Summerfield, FL; daughter, Masako Yamada, Japan; a granddaughter and two great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Friday, February 3, 2012, at 10:30 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - The Villages. Inurnment will be in Florida National Cemetery at 1:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Spruce Creek South Veteran's Club, 17356 S.E. 98th Circle, Summerfield, FL 34491. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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Pedro, FL - Clell Robinson, 70, of Pedro, FL passed away on Saturday, January 28, 2012. He was born in Henon, Kentucky and moved to Florida in 1956. Mr. Robinson was a Heavy Equipment Mechanic and Farmer. He was also an avid deer and bird hunter. He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Emma Lou (Pedro, FL); sons: Mac Robinson (Reddick, FL), Clell Robinson, Jr. (Lafayette, LA), and Douglas Robinson (Pedro, FL); daughters: Melanie Dotson (Pedro, FL) and Melinda Barnes (Pedro, FL); siblings: Maxine Blackburn (Anthony, FL), Ray Robinson (Easley, SC), Peggy Compton (Americas, GA), Eula Hernandez (Ocala, FL) and Sharon Young (Ocala, FL). There are also nine grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by: his father, Elcain Robinson, his mother, Minta Maynard and his brother, Willie Robinson. Services will be held at Pedro Baptist Church on Thursday, February 2, 2012 at 10:00 AM. Following the service; burial will take place at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Arthritis Foundation or Florida Baptist Children's Homes. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com). Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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### **WALDON, ALBERT OVERALL, 97**

Ocala - Lt. Col. Albert Overall Waldon, 97, passed away on January 24, 2012 in Ocala. Al was born in Atlanta, GA on September 3, 1914 to parents Albert and Myra (Overall) Waldon. As a young man, Al was involved with the Boy Scouts of America, earned the rank of Eagle Scout and attended the World Jamboree in England. He graduated from Atlanta's Boy's High and then earned his Bachelor's Degree from Georgia Tech, where he was a member of Kappa Alpha. He was also commissioned in the US Army upon graduation. At the start of WWII, he entered service as an armor officer but then joined the Army Air Corp to be a glider pilot. As a result of his combat participation in glider assault landings in Holland during operation Market Garden, he was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for heroism and extraordinary achievement. Al remained in the military reserves with a transition to the US Air Force until his retirement in 1974. It was during his military service that Al married his lifelong companion Alice (Wartmann) Waldon of Ocala, FL. Al is survived by Alice and their children, The Rev. Mark Waldon of Totowa, NJ, Gale Waldon of Orlando, FL and son Craig (Charlotte Sue) Waldon of Greenville, SC and grandchildren, N. Wayne Waldon of Washington, DC and Mrs. Jill (Campbell) Waldon Lewis who are the parents of great-granddaughter Hazel Burke Lewis. On completion of active military service, Al and Alice returned to Ocala to work and raise their family. Al had a long and varied career working in sales and the investment and securities field. He was a pioneer in retirement planning and investing. Later in life, he returned to college to earn his Masters Degree in Education from the University of Florida. He then joined the original faculty of Daytona Beach Junior College teaching in the business school. Years later, he became a teacher in the Marion County School System. Al and Alice both loved golf and for many years spent half their time at Hound Ears, their second home, near Boone, NC. Al also cherished his involvement with the Kiwanis Club of Ocala. He and Alice believed that they should pass on a portion of their good fortune and are active in the charitable support of universities and local charities. Any memorials to Al should be sent to Hospice of Marion County or to the United Way. A memorial service will be held at a later date in fellowship with First United Methodist Church of Ocala.

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Rebecca Jarrell and Curtis Eugene (Bud) Jarrell, all of Sparr, FL. Roy has many nieces and nephews who were so close to him and will miss him greatly. It's incredible how he touched the lives of each one of them. He was such an easy person to love. He experienced many sorrows in life but oh, so many, joys. He loved his family so much and before his illness, he called them often and took pride in each of their achievements. Even after he got sick, he still laughed when we told him about his family and we could tell he still enjoyed hearing about them and loved the pictures we shared of them. Roy was a great inspiration to all who knew him even though he was silenced by a stroke ten years ago. He would always let people know how much he loved them, with his warm hand shakes, hugs and always that big smile he had for everyone. He loved children and they were drawn to him. His silence was ended when the Lord whispered, "Roy, it's time to come home." He is now singing and rejoicing in the joy of the Lord. Our loss is surely heaven's gain. Visitation for family and friends will be at Countryside Funeral Home at 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd. in Anthony, FL from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Thursday evening, Feb. 2, 2012. Funeral services will be held at Southern Home Old Regular Baptist Church at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, Feb. 3, 2012 with Southern Home Church Elders officiating. Interment will follow immediately after the service at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to the Southern Home Baptistry Fund at Southern Home Church, P.O. Box 396, Sparr, FL 32192.

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the Navy when he was very young and retired after 20 years as a Chief Petty Officer. He received several awards for high achievement while he was in the Navy. Roy truly met the "Love of his Life," Arleen Whaley and they were married on August 30, 1958. They were married for 34 years, when she passed away on November 18, 1992. He kept her picture by his bed every night and cherished her always. Roy and Arleen had one son Mark Jarrell of San Francisco, CA, who survives. Roy and Arleen moved to St. Louis, Missouri after Roy was discharged from the Navy before moving to Ocala, Florida in 1982. After moving to Ocala, Roy worked for the State of FL as a warehouse manager. His parents preceded him in death as well as four brothers: Henry Ray Jarrell, Jack Jarrell, Morris Jarrell and Steve Jarrell and one sister, Virginia Muriel Ferrell. Two sisters survive: Naomi Cooper and her husband John Cooper of Delaware, Ohio and Nyoka Barnhart of Matewan, West Virginia, also two brothers, Elder Charles Jarrell and his wife, Rebecca Jarrell and Curtis Eugene (Bud) Jarrell, all of Sparr, FL. Roy has many nieces and nephews who were so close to him and will miss him greatly. It's incredible how he touched the lives of each one of them. He was such an easy person to love. He experienced many sorrows in life but oh, so many, joys. He loved his family so much and before his illness, he called them often and took pride in each of their achievements. Even after he got sick, he still laughed when we told him about his family and we could tell he still enjoyed hearing about them and loved the pictures we shared of them. Roy was a great inspiration to all who knew him even though he was silenced by a stroke ten years ago. He would always let people know how much he loved them, with his warm hand shakes, hugs and always that big smile he had for everyone. He loved children and they were drawn to him. His silence was ended when the Lord whispered, "Roy, it's time to come home." He is now singing and rejoicing in the joy of the Lord. Our loss is surely heaven's gain. Visitation for family and friends will be at Countryside Funeral Home at 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd. in Anthony, FL from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Thursday evening, Feb. 2, 2012. Funeral services will be held at Southern Home Old Regular Baptist Church at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, Feb. 3, 2012 with Southern Home Church Elders officiating. Interment will follow immediately after the service at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to the Southern Home Baptistry Fund at Southern Home Church, P.O. Box 396, Sparr, FL 32192.

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### **WILKERSON, JR., JOHN HENRY, 69**

Citra - John Henry Wilkerson, Jr. passed away on January 30, 2012. He retired from CSX railroad and a member of New Chapel Baptist Church. Mr. Wilkerson has saddened the hearts of many in his passing, He will be missed by many, his loving and devoted wife: Mackie Wilkerson of Citra, Florida; daughters: Sylvia (John) Stroud, Iris Anderson, and Helene (Calvin) Woods, sons: Carlton Tugerson, John (Sherida) Wilkerson, Randell Wikerson, James (Diana) Wilkerson, Eugene McMahaon, Derrick (Yolanda) McMahan, Marvin (Bertha) McMahan, Harold McMahan, Timothy (Gwen) McMahan and Robert (Felicia) Williams, 69 grandchildren and a host of great-grands, siblings: Althea Davis, Johnnie (Freeman) Dubois, Sam, Peter, Paul, George and Clyde Wilkerson and David Fountain. Services of love and memories will be held on Saturday, February 4, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. at New Chapel Missionary Baptist Church (The community of Blitchton, FL). Burial will follow in the New Hope Cemetery, Citra Florida. Visitation hours will be held on Thursday, February 2, 2012 from 6:30-7:30 p.m. at New Chapel Missionary Baptist Church. Services are under the professional care of Carnegie Funeral Home, 217 S.E. 4th Ave., Chiefland, Florida (352-493-1857). You may visit online condolences

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A "Celebration of Life Service" will be on Wednesday, February 8, 2012, beginning at 10:30 AM, at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 S.W. 2nd Avenue, Ocala, FL. 34471, with interment to follow in Woodlawn Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home from 9:30AM until service time. The family request, in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Ocala West United Methodist Church; Hospice of Marion County or Marion County Humane Society, in Memory of Mrs. Martha Rose LaSota Newell.

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### **NEUBAUER, ELIZABETH**

Elizabeth "Betty" Neubauer, age 86, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, February 3, 2012. She was born in Buffalo, NY on August 11, 1925, raised in Jamestown, NY and lived there all her life until moving to Florida in 1994 with her husband Norman "Pete" Neubauer who passed away in 1998. During her life Betty was a homemaker raising three children. She also worked as a supply clerk at Women's Christian Assoc. Hospital in Jamestown, NY. She enjoyed knitting, crocheting, dancing and singing with her family. Betty was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church where she was active in the Fountains of Living Waters prayer group. She is survived by a daughter Diana (Bruce) Mace of Ocala, FL; son James (Suzanne) Purpura, Jr. of Jamestown, NY; son Jerry (Sheryl) Purpura of Ocala, FL; sister Rosemarie Wilder of Jamestown, NY; step son Clayton Neubauer of Elkins, WV; step daughter Susan Koresko of Jamestown, NY; 16 grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren; 3 great great grandchildren. She was predeceased by a brother Anthony Cordosi, sister Margaret "Dolly" Bernhardt, and two grandchildren Christa Hearburg-Purpura and Dana Neubauer. Services and interment will take place in Jamestown, NY. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 5 to February 6, 2012

### **NEWELL, MARTHA ROSE LASOTA**

Mrs. Martha Rose LaSota Newell, age 90, of Ocala, Florida passed away on Wednesday, February 1, 2012 at Oakhurst Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. She was born in Hamtramck, Michigan and she moved to Ocala, Florida in 1971 from Belleview, Florida. She worked as a Bookkeeper for over (50) years. She was a devoted, Founding Member of Ocala West United Methodist Church and was a Past President of the United Methodist Women's Association and was also active in mission work for the church. She was an active, Founding Member of the Marion County Animal Shelter; was a Past President of the Pilot Club of Ocala and was appointed as the Delegate for Pilot Club International. For over (30) years, she was an active member of Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ladies Auxiliary and was also a (5) gallon donor, at the Marion County Blood Bank. Martha loved reading, raising African Violets, cooking and traveling, but most of all, loved spending time with her loving family and friends. She was preceded in death by her son, James J. LaSota. She is survived by a son, Arnold Joseph LaSota of British Columbia, Canada; her daughter, Cindy E. Hurst of Dunnellon, FL.; her (4) grandchildren, Robbin Sinay, Kristine LaSota-Ritter, Rhonda Waugh and Steven LaSota; also her (8) great-grandchildren.

A "Celebration of Life Service" will be on Wednesday, February 8, 2012, beginning at 10:30 AM, at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 S.W. 2nd Avenue, Ocala, FL. 34471, with interment to follow in Woodlawn Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the

Funeral Home from 9:30AM until service time. The family request, in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Ocala West United Methodist Church; Hospice of Marion County or Marion County Humane Society, in Memory of Mrs. Martha Rose LaSota Newell.

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**PROFY, DR. CAROL M., 86**

Dunnellon - Dr. Carol M. Profy, age 86, passed away January 31, 2012 in Ocala, FL. She was born in New York City to August and Loretta (Polnick) Vouaux and lived her early years in Flushing, NY before moving to Dunnellon in 1994. Dr. Profy received her undergraduate degree from Barnard College in New York and her medical doctorate from The Women's Medical College of Pennsylvania. She was a pediatrician for 7 years in Flushing, NY before she ended her medical career to raise two sons. After learning the art of film making, she was an award-winning amateur film maker. Her hobbies included model railroads, traveling the U.S., and spending quality time with her family. Survivors include sons: Paul Profy, Dunnellon, FL; Albert Profy, Jr., Needham, MA; and granddaughter Katherine Profy, Needham, MA. A committal service is scheduled for 10:00 a.m. Monday, February 6, 2012 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with Rev. Terry McKee officiating. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Online condolences may be offered at [www.RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://www.RobertsofDunnellon.com).

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**VINEYARD, WILLIAM LEE, 79**

Dunnellon - William Lee Vineyard passed away on January 30, 2012 at 1:22 p.m. at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL. He was born Feb. 23, 1932 to Edward and Rosie (Branham) Vineyard in LeFlore County, Oklahoma. The family moved during the Depression to Michigan in 1937. He lived most of his early life in Grand Rapids and then Hudsonville, Michigan. Bill served his country for 30 years. First in Naval Reserves in 1950; next for three years (1950-1953) in the Army where he obtained the rank of Corporal. He learned Morse code in the Army Signal Corp; which later led to his working for the CIA for twenty-seven years in the communications group. He retired in 1983, but continued to take TDY trips over the next fourteen years. He served in this capacity in over thirty countries. He, his wife Marilyn and three children spent ten and a half years overseas. Bill was a dedicated worker and served his country with pride. He received many commendations from the government and served as Office in Charge at his last Post in Pakistan. Bill was an avid hunter, bowler, golfer and fisherman and was a natural handy-man who could fix almost anything. He is preceded in death by his father Edward D. Vineyard and mother Rosie Branham Vineyard; a younger brother John and a niece, Colleen and brother-in-law Dale Deering. Surviving him is his caring companion of 14 years Rheta Driggers, her sons Jack and Brad, granddaughters Leslie and Sherry and her great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his three children: Kimberly Sparks, son Michael Vineyard/Barbara and Michelle A. Schmitz and seven grandchildren (Meghan, Joshua, Sean, Timothy, Michael, Matthew and Thomas Jr.). He also leaves two brothers, Howard/Virginia and Gerald/Iva of Florida; two sisters, Lorena Brown/Ray and Betty Deering of Michigan and a sister-in-law, Irene and her three children. He also leaves several nieces, nephews and many friends. His ex-wife Marilyn of 41 years still resides in Virginia. Services were held at 4:00 p.m. on February 2, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon and final burial in Arlington Cemetery. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Condolences may be left at [robertsofdunnellon.com](http://robertsofdunnellon.com).

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**YACKOWSKI, WALTER**

Ocala - Walter (Buddy) Yachowski, 89, of Ocala, FL passed away Sunday, January 29, 2012 at the Legacy House Hospice Center, Ocala, FL. He was born on March 24, 1922 in Ashley, PA to the late Jon and Stephania Yackowski. Walter grew up in Ashley, PA and graduated from Ashley High School where he was an extraordinary athlete in three sports. Following his graduation he enlisted in the U.S. Army during World War II. Upon his discharge he moved to Naugatuck, CT with his late wife, Olga (Kortis). Walter was an employee of Uniroyal footwear division for over 30 years. In 1980 her and his wife moved to Ocala, FL to enjoy the warm weather. Wally learned to play and love the game of golf. Walter was a communicant of St. Paul's Polish National Catholic Church in Belleview, FL. He is predeceased by brothers: John and Joseph, a sister Helen, and his grandson Brian Vance. Family members include his daughter Nancy (Yackowski) Vance and her husband Earl, Clermont, FL; son David Yackowski, and his wife Cindy, Ocala, FL; grandchildren: Lori Bernoir and her husband Kevin, Minneola, FL, Eric Vance, Phoenix, AZ, Raymond Vance, Cedar Rapids, IA and Amy Yackowski and her husband Rob Hunter, Phoenix, AZ; great grandsons Seth, Vance, Guy and Paxton. He is survived by brother: Alexander Yackowski and his wife Pauline, Ocala, FL; three sisters: Alice Sztaba, New Britain, CT; Julia Wysocki, New Britian, CT; and Stella Korowotny, Canton, GA. He also has numerous nieces and nephews throughout the country. A memorial service will be held at St. Paul's PNCC on his 90th birthday to celebrate his life. In lieu of flowers, please made donations to Hospice of Marion County.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 7, 2012**

**MEREDITH, PEARL CATHERINE HART 81**

Ocala - Pearl Catherine Hart Meredith, 81, departed this life Friday, February 3, 2012; born August 24, 1930 in Darlington, SC to the late George W. and Elenora Hanford Hart. She was preceded in death by brothers; Clifford and William; sisters Doris, Georgia and Adelaide and daughter, Sabrina. She leaves to cherish her memory, a devoted daughter, Viva Mitchell Evans (Reddick), brother; Randolph (Betsy) Hart (NY); 8 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and a host of sorrowing friends. Funeral Services to be held in Darlington, SC on Saturday, February 11, 2012 at Bethel AME Church S. Main Street at 11:00.

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**MERRITT, SR., DREW "PETE" TALMADGE, 79**

Ocala - Drew "Pete" Talmadge Merritt, Sr., 79, died February 2, 2012. Born in Lee, FL on August 22, 1932, he was preceded in death by parents: Ben Brevan and Janie Merritt; siblings: Ben Merritt, Helen Lee, Lois Southall, June Kinsey, Bonnie Lyon; and son Drew Merritt, Jr. He is survived by siblings: Roy Merritt, Evelyn Sapp, Hazel Latner, Gene Merritt, Barbara Durden, Betty Reames, 28 grandchildren, and 29 great-grandchildren. Drew was a retired lineman who worked all over the United States. His hobbies included winning at cards, restoring old tractors, and fishing. Drew also loved watching westerns and listening to bluegrass music. Services will be held at Beggs Funeral Home in Madison, Florida on Wednesday, February 8, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. There will be a viewing held prior to the service, starting at 12:00 for family and 1:00 p.m.

for friends. Graveside service to follow at Macedonia Cemetery, Madison, Florida.  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 8, 2012**

#### **ALMEIDA, HADA ESTHER, 89**

Bellevue - Hada Esther Almeida, 89, of Bellevue, passed away at her residence, on Saturday, January 28, 2012. Mrs. Almeida was a native of Ponce, Puerto Rico. She was a devoted housewife. She was a volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center, loved to bowl at the Ocala AMF where she was on a league called the "Pinwheels" for over 40 years, member of the Red Hat Society, Knights of Columbus, Associate of the Bellevue Lions and the Ocala Elks. Most of all she was passionate about volunteering and supporting the Soup Kitchen at St. Theresa Catholic Church. She is preceded in death by her Husband Frank "Papa" Almeida. She is survived by her daughter Francine (Mark) Hubbard; her sons: Frank (Kathy) Almeida, Jr., Franco Almeida; all of Bellevue, and her son Francois Almeida of Orlando; brother Manny Rodriguez of Winter Haven; sister Gladys Vazquez of New Jersey; 6 grandchildren; and her great-grandson Elijah. Memorial services will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, February 11, 2012 at St. Theresa Catholic Church. In lieu of flowers, Hada's wishes were that donations be made to St. Theresa Soup Kitchen, 11528 SE Highway 301 Bellevue, FL 34420, (352)245-2458. Online condolences may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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#### **BARRETT, VINCENT N., 89**

Ocala - Vincent N. Barrett of Ocala past away Feb. 4, 2012. He was the son of Isadora and Joshua Barrett. He was born in Manchester, Jamaica WI on May 24, 1922. Vincent loved nothing more than caring and providing for his family. He spent and enjoyed many hours working in his garden. He retired from Emhart Corp. Berlin, Connecticut. Ocala, FL later became his place of retirement. Five brothers and two sisters precede him in death. He leaves loving memories with: his wife Mary at home; four sons, Pastor Colin and wife (Brenda) Barrett, Yemassee, SC, Derrick, Maurice, George and wife (Leah) Barrett, all of Ocala, two daughters, Linda and husband (Julius) Bentley of Vidalia, GA, Deena and husband Pastor (Morris) Holmes of Oklahoma City, ten grandchildren, great-grands, nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of friends. There will be a eulogy and celebration of life on Feb. 11th at 1:00 p.m. at Shalom Park, 6840 SW 80th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34431; contact 352-502-2691 for directions.

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#### **FOWLER, DORSEY WILBER, 89**

Ocala - Born June 20, 1922 in Johnstown, PA, Mr. Dorsey Wilber Fowler died February 3, 2012 in Ocala, FL. Survived by beloved wife of 65 years, Marjorie of Ocala, FL; son, Thomas R. Fowler of Dale, TX; daughter, Jackie (Steven) Kramer of Fremont, OH; four grandsons; six great-grandchildren. PFC Fowler served in the US Army during WWII in Europe. Mr. Fowler served his apprenticeship in printing at the Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA. As a typesetter he worked at the US Government Printing Office, and the CIA. He retired from the Defense Mapping Agency. He was a 65 year member of VFW, and was current member of VFW Post 4493 in Candler, FL, Eagles 4251, Bellevue, FL. Memorial service will be held Thursday, February 9, 2012 2:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - Bellevue, 352-245-



2424. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be given to his wife, via the funeral home. Inurnment will be held at a later date at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **LIPSKI, JOHN EDWARD, 75**

Missoula, MT - John Edward ("Ski") Lipski passed away peacefully on Sunday, February 5th, 2012 in St Patrick's Hospital with his daughter and a dear family friend by his side. John, born November 22, 1936, in Freehold, New Jersey, to Rose Eleanor and John Walter Lipski, spent his entire childhood in Freehold with his twin sister Eleanor. The twins had a loving and supportive bond with each other and were surrounded by a vivacious and loving family. After graduating from Freehold High School, John and several classmates attended Upper Iowa University on football scholarships. Following their first season, John led a panty raid on the girls' dormitory. John and all accomplices lost their scholarships and were kicked out of school. While waiting to enter the Marine Corps, John spent a semester at the University of Maryland. In the mid 1950's, John entered the Marine Corps; he was originally stationed at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, and later at Parris Island, South Carolina. He played football for the Marines and, while stationed at Parris Island, he served as a military policeman. He was proud of his military service and led his life by the Marine ideals and standards. Upon his discharge from the Marine Corps, John came to Montana to visit a Marine friend who was attending the University of Montana. He loved the area so much he returned to New Jersey only to visit family. While attending the University of Montana himself, John tended bar at the Gay 90's, Florence Hotel and Stockman's Bar. Many of the friends John made in these early days remained friends until the end. One winter day in 1963, John offered to help a well dressed, elder woman across the snowy street. John was always well dressed himself and wore wing tip shoes even in inclement weather. Despite the chivalry, he ended up slipping and it was this woman who saved him from falling. When he stopped by her office to thank her for the assistance across the street, he saw her daughter Chari working in the office. Unbeknownst to him, the woman who helped him across the street, Ivah Schmitz, would become his beloved future mother-in-law as John and Chari wed in 1964. About the same time, he took a job at Western Montana Bank, where he worked for 13 years. He was known for his hard work, as well as antics, in the workplace. Always full of good humor and having a story to tell, the bank years were filled with wonderful friendships and memories. Chari and John had two children together, John Joseph ("Joe") and Angela Rae, whom he adored and was immensely proud of. In 1978, John and Chari bought Eastgate Liquor Store and Lounge, which he diligently ran for 22 years. One of his proudest moments of these years was the introduction of two people, Dennis Washington and then head coach Larry Donovan, and a deal that led to the creation of Washington Grizzly Stadium. He spent many seasons in the stadium and loved each game and the festive atmosphere of game day. In 2000, he sold the bar and started spending winters in Ocala, Florida, where he was able to reunite with old high school friends also in the area. Many will remember John for the smiles he brought to their faces, whether due to dismay or hilarity. He had a way of getting complete strangers in foreign countries to give him a lick of their ice cream cone or becoming friends with someone he met on a shuttle bus from the airport. He always remembered the generosity anyone showed him and recounted those stories over and over. He was a old school traditionalist who didn't like change, loved Frank Sinatra ("I Did It My Way") and Louis Armstrong ("What a Wonderful World") and couldn't believe the magic of the internet world. He was a Marine through and through. John is

survived by his children, Joe and Angie (Dean Johnson), his twin sister Eleanor Ward (Norman) and two nephews, Christopher (Jo Guelke) and Michael Thompson. He was preceded in death by his mother and father and his nephew John Silvey Thompson III. A viewing will be held on Thursday, February 9th, from 4-6 at Garden City Funeral Home, Missoula, MT. A Catholic funeral will be held on Friday, February 10th, at 10:30 a.m., at St. Francis Xavier Church, with a reception immediately following at a location to be determined. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Western Montana Humane Society or a charity of choice. Condolences can be left at [missoulafuneralhomes.com](http://missoulafuneralhomes.com). We are honored to have had him in our lives and he will be missed as a father and brother and friend to all.

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### **MANCUSO, MARJORIE, 87**

Ocala - Marjorie Mancuso, 87, a 25 year resident of Ocala, FL and formerly of Poughkeepsie, NY, passed away peacefully on Friday, February 3, 2011 surrounded by her loving and devoted family. Marjorie was predeceased by her loving husband, Anthony Joseph (Tony) Mancuso. Marjorie "Billie" Mancuso was born in Huddersfield, county of Yorkshire, England in 1924 the youngest child of Frank and Ellen Yarnold Sykes. Marjorie was predeceased by her older brother, Reginald and sister Amy. During WWII, Marjorie joined the British Royal Air Force where she trained as a nurse. It was there that she met the love of her life, Tony, who was serving in the U.S. Army Air Corp. They married and were the parents of four loving daughters, Antonia Diane Smith (Thomas), Clinton, CT, Donna Marie (Raymond) Venditti, Austin, TX, Theresa Maria (Stanley) Witkowicz, North Haven, CT and Stephanie Jeanne (Kenneth) Pectal, Pleasant Valley, NY. Marjorie continued her nursing career in the U.S. as a registered nurse with Bowne Memorial Hospital caring for TB patients. Later she worked as a private duty nurse for many elderly patients with her tender loving care and compassionate ways. Her infectious smile and tender voice enabled her patients to respond positively to a have good quality of life in their final days. When she "retired", Marjorie and Tony owned and operated Mancuso's Depot Restaurant in Bangall, New York. Soon after, they moved to Ocala, Florida where Marjorie enjoyed gardening, crafts and many activities in the sunny south. Of all her activities, Marjorie's favorite was dancing, which she loved all of her life and which gave her so much happiness. She enjoyed her tap dancing lessons and performances with the Bonnie Belles Tap Dance Troupe. She valued the friendship of Bonnie, her teacher, and all of her dance members. Marjorie was always appreciative and thankful for the blessings given to her by God. She was a loving wife taking the excellent care of her husband and love, Tony, until his death in 1998. She loved each of her daughters in a special way, "my girls" as she called them. She was the most wonderful mother teaching them through her example and tender loving ways. Her daughters cared lovingly for Marjorie "Mom" throughout her final years giving her many happy times and memories. Above all Marjorie loved God, her family, friends and neighbors. Many of her family and friends nicknamed her "Lovie" because of her English accent and expressions of endearment. They enjoyed every opportunity to spend time and talk with her. Marjorie is survived by her four daughters, grandchildren Thomas Lloyd Smith, Toni Marie Smith, Jason Anthony (Renee)Pectal, Stefanie Marie (James) Collins, Anthony Joseph Witkowicz and Christina Marie Venditti, great-grandchildren Christopher Thomas Anthony Goss and Brittany Marie Goss. Marjorie is also survived by her loving sister-in-law Margaret E. Mancuso. In addition, nephew, Martin (Angela) Hampshire of Huddersfield, England, cousins Betty Boulain of Portsmouth, England, Elaine McKay of Annan, Scotland and their families. Marjorie's legacy was to enjoy each day of life

that God has given you, work hard, love one another, be kind and caring, smile and always take time to dance. Marjorie had many homes in life, England, New York, and Florida. She has now gone to her final home where she will rest peacefully in the loving hands of God. Marjorie had a lifelong love of all creatures great and small and spent much time with family pet "Roxy" and visits from "Nubby", "Callie", "Missy", "Red", "Britany", "Eclipse", "Brooke" and the newest rescues, "Lucky" and "Tink". In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Marjorie's memory to the Dutchess County SPCA or a charity of your choice. Marjorie's family wishes to thank all of the doctors, nurses, and medical assistants who cared for her with kindness, knowledge and compassion over the years. Arrangements are under the direction of Timothy P. Doyle Funeral Home, 371 Hooker Avenue, Poughkeepsie, NY. Burial will be 1:30 p.m. Friday, February 10, 2012 at the Florida National Cemetery. If you would like to send an online condolence, please visit, [www.doylefuneralhome.com](http://www.doylefuneralhome.com).

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### **MANGES, GORDON "GUS" W., 84**

Ocala - Gordon "Gus" William Manges, age 84, passed away February 6, 2012 in Ocala, FL. He was born in Woodlawn, PA to George and Josephine Manges and lived in Aliquippa, PA during his childhood years before he joined the United States Navy and served during World War II. He later joined the United States Air Force as a pilot and primarily flew the KC-135 in the Strategic Air Command. At the beginning of his military career, he married Dolores Marie Dushac of Aliquippa, PA and they were blessed with three children; Susan Jeanne, Gary Wade, and Craig William. After traveling throughout the United States, ranging from Alaska, Texas, New York, and including several overseas temporary duty assignments, Gus retired as Lt. Colonel from the US Air Force in 1972. The Manges family later moved to Florida in 1975 and made Ocala their home. Gus managed Wild Waters where he was known as "Gator Gus." For the last 35 years, he has traveled across the nation visiting family, friends, not ever missing a Gator football game. His hobbies included Gator football, golf, camping and traveling. They have encountered many great friends along the way, from retired military officers, RV tailgators, Georgieboy campers, and many more. One of his most memorable experiences was recently being honored by participating in the Ocala Honor Flight for World War II Veterans. He is survived by his children and sister, Audrey and her husband Bill Dybvad and family of Dayton, OH. Also, grandchildren; John T and Heather Manges, Jamie Schofield, Craig Manges Jr., Erin Fabian, Zach Crawford, Lauren and Taylor Manges and five great-grandchildren. There will be a celebration of life beginning with a viewing at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, on Wednesday, February 8th from 5-7 p.m. At Hiers-Baxley, the following day on February 9th, there will be a service at 11 a.m. and a processional to the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida at 1:30 p.m.

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### **MEREDITH, PEARL CATHERINE HART 81**

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nephews and a host of sorrowing friends. Funeral Services to be held in Darlington, SC on Saturday, February 11, 2012 at Bethel AME Church S. Main Street at 11:00.  
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**MERRITT, SR., DREW "PETE" TALMADGE, 79**

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**RAMSEY, MARGUERITE CATHERINE, 99**

Anthony - Marguerite Catherine Ramsey, 99, of Anthony, FL, went home peacefully to be with the Lord on Sunday, February 5, 2012 at her home. Mrs. Ramsey was born on February 8, 1912 in Savannah, GA. After living many years in Jacksonville, FL, she moved to Ocala, FL 19 years ago. She was an extraordinary homemaker who enjoyed hosting friends and family for any occasion, especially celebrating holidays and special moments. Her devotion was to serve the Lord through being a Minister's Wife, mother, daughter, aunt, cousin and friend. Her mission was to be a sweet beacon with her love and kindness to all that she met in life. Her hobbies included gardening, cooking, sewing, bird watching, traveling and fishing. Over her many years, she has been a member and leader of many church groups and organizations. Even into her 99th year, she was an active member of Unity Baptist Church in Anthony, FL. She is survived by her son, Carter Ramsey, Jr. (Joyce) of St. Simmons Island, GA; daughter, Becky Bunn (Jerry) of Anthony, FL along with 16 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren and 17 great-great-grandchildren. She was preceded in her death by her husband of 62 years, Reverend Carter Ramsey, Sr.; her daughters, Virginia Bushman, Catherine Evanson, Barbara Ann Johnson and China Hiott. Visitation and her 100th Birthday Celebration will be held at Countryside Funeral Home (9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony, FL) on Wednesday, February, 8th from 5:00 to 7:30 p.m. A Funeral Service will be held at Unity Baptist Church (1290 NE 100th Street, Ocala, FL) on Thursday, February 9th, with visitation from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. and Services beginning at 11:00 a.m. A Graveside Service following the ceremony will be held at Riverside Memorial Park Cemetery (7242 Normandy Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL) at 3:30 p.m.  
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**WILLEMSSEN, JANICE LORRAINE, 82**

Salisbury, NC - Mrs. Janice Lorraine Willemsen, 82, of Salisbury, NC passed away Monday, February 06, 2012 at Autumn Care of Salisbury, NC. She was born August 31, 1929 in Esterville, IA to the late Anna Lane Jamison and Guy M. Jamison. Mrs. Willemsen worked for Rockwell International in Downers Grove, IL as a line supervisor in the Circuit Board Dept for 16 years until her retirement. She was a Cub Scout and Girl Scout leader. Preceding her in death

was her husband, Richard G. Willemsen on October 29, 2009. She is survived by a son, Alan Willemsen and his wife Julie of Grimes, IA; daughter, Marlene M. Minshew of Salisbury, NC; brother, Marvin Jamison and wife Frances of Clive, IA; and sister, Beverly Cadwell and husband Glenn of Ft. Myers, FL; three grandchildren and several nieces and nephews also survive her. Mrs. Willemsen will be cremated, and a memorial service and burial will be held at a later date in Grimes, Iowa. Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Willemsen family. Online condolences may be made at [www.summersettfuneralhome.com](http://www.summersettfuneralhome.com).  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 9, 2012**

#### **ALMEIDA, HADA ESTHER, 89**

Bellevue - Hada Esther Almeida, 89, of Bellevue, passed away at her residence, on Saturday, January 28, 2012. Mrs. Almeida was a native of Ponce, Puerto Rico. She was a devoted housewife. She was a volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center, loved to bowl at the Ocala AMF where she was on a league called the "Pinwheels" for over 40 years, member of the Red Hat Society, Knights of Columbus, Associate of the Bellevue Lions and the Ocala Elks. Most of all she was passionate about volunteering and supporting the Soup Kitchen at St. Theresa Catholic Church. She is preceded in death by her Husband Frank "Papa" Almeida. She is survived by her daughter Francine (Mark) Hubbard; her sons: Frank (Kathy) Almeida, Jr., Franco Almeida; all of Bellevue, and her son Francois Almeida of Orlando; brother Manny Rodriguez of Winter Haven; sister Gladys Vazquez of New Jersey; 6 grandchildren; and her great-grandson Elijah. Memorial services will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, February 11, 2012 at St. Theresa Catholic Church. In lieu of flowers, Hada's wishes were that donations be made to St. Theresa Soup Kitchen, 11528 SE Highway 301 Bellevue, FL 34420, (352)245-2458. Online condolences may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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#### **BARRETT, VINCENT N., 89**

Ocala - Vincent N. Barrett of Ocala past away Feb. 4, 2012. He was the son of Isadora and Joshua Barrett. He was born in Manchester, Jamaica WI on May 24, 1922. Vincent loved nothing more than caring and providing for his family. He spent and enjoyed many hours working in his garden. He retired from Emhart Corp. Berlin, Connecticut. Ocala, FL later became his place of retirement. Five brothers and two sisters precede him in death. He leaves loving memories with: his wife Mary at home; four sons, Pastor Colin and wife (Brenda) Barrett, Yemassee, SC, Derrick, Maurice, George and wife (Leah) Barrett, all of Ocala, two daughters, Linda and husband (Julius) Bentley of Vidalia, GA, Deena and husband Pastor (Morris) Holmes of Oklahoma City, ten grandchildren, great-grands, nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of friends. There will be a eulogy and celebration of life on Feb. 11th at 1:00 p.m. at Shalom Park, 6840 SW 80th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34431; contact 352-502-2691 for directions.

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#### **CASOLO, JOHN PETER, 49**

Ocala - John P. Casolo, age 49, was called home to our Lord on February 7, 2012. He was born in Norwalk, CT and raised in Thomaston, CT. He was deeply loved and will be truly missed by his wife of 24 years, Doreen Casolo, his four children, Eric and Ryan Williams, and Kayla and

Matthew Casolo, and his parents Audrey and John Casolo. John also will be missed by his father and mother-in-law Walt and Joan Plawecki, sisters Jennifer and Shari Casolo, brothers Lew, Scott and Jeff Casolo, brother and sisters-in-law John and Denise Richardson and Dan and Michele Plawecki, and many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. John and his family moved to Ocala in 1991 from Connecticut. John worked 30 years as a master automotive technician. In 2009, John and his wife Doreen purchased the automotive repair shop "Top Tech of Ocala". The service to celebrate John's life will be held on Saturday, February 11, 2012 at 9:00 AM at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, 10670 SE Maricamp Road (Across from Lake Weir High School), Candler, FL. John's memory will live on in all who celebrate his generous life and spirit. Instead of flowers, donations can be made to: Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL, 352-622-4141.

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**CHISHOLM, EDWARD C., 46**

Ocala - Edward C. Chisholm, 46, passed away on February 3, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory a loving mother, Delorise Chisholm; father, Clemmie Chisholm, Jr; daughters: Tamara Lecorn and Ciera Chisholm; grandchildren: Jer'ni Turner, Jermoni Turner and Keragan Mosby; brothers: Edgar Chisholm, Clifton Chisholm, Reginald Sesler and Anthony Brewton; sisters: Rachel Chisholm, Tasha Chisholm-Snowden, Thawanis Chisholm, Kalisha Chisholm, Katonya Chisholm, Katrina Welcome, Tracy Welcome and Taneshia Welcome; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 11, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at Pentecostal Full Gospel Church, Ocala, Bernard Tuggerson, Pastor, James Pullings, Eulogist. Wake will be held on Thursday, February 10, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. at Isom Memorial CME Church. Visitation will be on Friday, February 10, 2012 from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, Ocala FL. "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade".

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**COLLINS, BETTY JANE, 87**

Ocala - Betty Jane Collins, 87, of Ocala, FL, went to be with our Lord on Sat, Feb. 4, 2012. Betty was born in Miami, FL and lived in Islamorada for many years. Betty retired from Monroe Co. Tax Collector's office as a supervisor and moved to Ocala 7 years ago. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Islamorada for many years. Betty is preceded in death by a brother Richard G. Crawshaw and sister Ruth E. Aberathy. Betty is survived by her devoted family: daughter Jo Collins of Ocala, FL, son Don Collins of Snellville, GA, 2 granddaughters Shelly Coe and husband Westly of Bethlehem, GA, and Spenser M. Norris of Snellville, GA, and 1 great-granddaughter Madyson Coe. Family has asked that donations in lieu of flowers be made to: Florida Baptist Children Homes, P.O. Box 8190, Lakeland, FL 33802-9963 in memory of Betty. Arrangements under the care of Roberts Bruce West Funeral Chapel, Ocala, FL, 352-854-2266.

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**FOWLER, DORSEY WILBER, 89**

Ocala - Born June 20, 1922 in Johnstown, PA, Mr. Dorsey Wilber Fowler died February 3, 2012

in Ocala, FL. Survived by beloved wife of 65 years, Marjorie of Ocala, FL; son, Thomas R. Fowler of Dale, TX; daughter, Jackie (Steven) Kramer of Fremont, OH; four grandsons; six great-grandchildren. PFC Fowler served in the US Army during WWII in Europe. Mr. Fowler served his apprenticeship in printing at the Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA. As a typesetter he worked at the US Government Printing Office, and the CIA. He retired from the Defense Mapping Agency. He was a 65 year member of VFW, and was current member of VFW Post 4493 in Candler, FL, Eagles 4251, Belleview, FL. Memorial service will be held Thursday, February 9, 2012 2:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - Belleview, 352-245-2424. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be given to his wife, via the funeral home. Inurnment will be held at a later date at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **HICKS, DENEASE W., 103**

Ocala - Born May 18, 1908 in Hahira, GA, DeNease W. Hicks died February 4, 2012 in Ocala, FL. She graduated high school in 1925 and began her teaching career in a one-room school house in Pavo, GA. She attended Florida State College for Women. Her family moved to the Reddick area of Marion County, FL in the 1930's. DeNease continued her teaching career in the schools of Dunnellon, Fairfield, and East Marion. She moved to the Ocala area in 1940. In 1941, she married Isaac L. Hicks of Lynn, FL. DeNease went back to college in the early 1950's and finished her education at the University of Florida. She taught in several schools in the Ocala area including Belleview Elementary, Greeneville Elementary, Roosevelt Village, and South Ocala Elementary. She retired from teaching in 1968. She was a charter member of Druid Hills United Methodist Church. She was also a 50 year member of Ocala Eastern Star #29. She is survived by her daughter, Lucy (Bob) Williams; grandson, Carlin "Chip" (Terry) Baskin; great-grandson, Ian Baskin; great-granddaughter, Jessica Price; great-great grandchildren, Addison Pearson and Jayla Flint; sister, Floy Smith; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Isaac; and granddaughter, Lee Baskin. Celebration of life will be held at Druid Hills United Methodist Church on Saturday, February 11, 2012 at 11:00 AM. Interment at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Memorial Fund at Druid Hills United Methodist Church. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Ocala, 352-629-7171. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **KINARD, JR., WILLIAM A., 60**

Ocala - William "Bill" A. Kinard, Jr., age 60, of Ocala, died Monday February 6, 2012 at home. He was born on October 31, 1951, a son to the late William Austin Kinard, Sr. and Eugenia (Starling) Kinard of Ocala. Bill was employed with the Marion County Road Department. He leaves behind to cherish his memories in addition to his mother, his wife of 26 years Pamela, two sons and two daughters William Austin Kinard, III, Ian Matthew Kinard, Amber Sellars, and Brie Kinard all of Ocala, a brother, Robert Kinard in Dunnellon, three sisters, Barbara Stein of Ocala, Sharon Williams in Ocala, Sandy Poupard of Keystone Heights, eight grandchildren, one great-grandchild and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. A visitation has been scheduled for Thursday, February 9, 2012 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A celebration of life service will be held on Friday, February 10, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. also

at the funeral home, with burial to follow in the Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. The family suggests donation in lieu of flowers to Hospice of Marion County or to the American Cancer Society . Forest Lawn Funeral Home has been entrusted with the care of Mr. Kinard.

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### **LIPSKI, JOHN EDWARD, 75**

Missoula, MT - John Edward ("Ski") Lipski passed away peacefully on Sunday, February 5th, 2012 in St Patrick's Hospital with his daughter and a dear family friend by his side. John, born November 22, 1936, in Freehold, New Jersey, to Rose Eleanor and John Walter Lipski, spent his entire childhood in Freehold with his twin sister Eleanor. The twins had a loving and supportive bond with each other and were surrounded by a vivacious and loving family. After graduating from Freehold High School, John and several classmates attended Upper Iowa University on football scholarships. Following their first season, John led a panty raid on the girls' dormitory. John and all accomplices lost their scholarships and were kicked out of school. While waiting to enter the Marine Corps, John spent a semester at the University of Maryland. In the mid 1950's, John entered the Marine Corps; he was originally stationed at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, and later at Parris Island, South Carolina. He played football for the Marines and, while stationed at Parris Island, he served as a military policeman. He was proud of his military service and led his life by the Marine ideals and standards. Upon his discharge from the Marine Corps, John came to Montana to visit a Marine friend who was attending the University of Montana. He loved the area so much he returned to New Jersey only to visit family. While attending the University of Montana himself, John tended bar at the Gay 90's, Florence Hotel and Stockman's Bar. Many of the friends John made in these early days remained friends until the end. One winter day in 1963, John offered to help a well dressed, elder woman across the snowy street. John was always well dressed himself and wore wing tip shoes even in inclement weather. Despite the chivalry, he ended up slipping and it was this woman who saved him from falling. When he stopped by her office to thank her for the assistance across the street, he saw her daughter Chari working in the office. Unbeknownst to him, the woman who helped him across the street, Ivah Schmitz, would become his beloved future mother-in-law as John and Chari wed in 1964. About the same time, he took a job at Western Montana Bank, where he worked for 13 years. He was known for his hard work, as well as antics, in the workplace. Always full of good humor and having a story to tell, the bank years were filled with wonderful friendships and memories. Chari and John had two children together, John Joseph ("Joe") and Angela Rae, whom he adored and was immensely proud of. In 1978, John and Chari bought Eastgate Liquor Store and Lounge, which he diligently ran for 22 years. One of his proudest moments of these years was the introduction of two people, Dennis Washington and then head coach Larry Donovan, and a deal that led to the creation of Washington Grizzly Stadium. He spent many seasons in the stadium and loved each game and the festive atmosphere of game day. In 2000, he sold the bar and started spending winters in Ocala, Florida, where he was able to reunite with old high school friends also in the area. Many will remember John for the smiles he brought to their faces, whether due to dismay or hilarity. He had a way of getting complete strangers in foreign countries to give him a lick of their ice cream cone or becoming friends with someone he met on a shuttle bus from the airport. He always remembered the generosity anyone showed him and recounted those stories over and over. He was a old school traditionalist who didn't like change, loved Frank Sinatra ("I Did It My Way") and Louis Armstrong ("What a Wonderful World") and couldn't believe the magic of the internet world. He was a Marine through and through. John is



survived by his children, Joe and Angie (Dean Johnson), his twin sister Eleanor Ward (Norman) and two nephews, Christopher (Jo Guelke) and Michael Thompson. He was preceded in death by his mother and father and his nephew John Silvey Thompson III. A viewing will be held on Thursday, February 9th, from 4-6 at Garden City Funeral Home, Missoula, MT. A Catholic funeral will be held on Friday, February 10th, at 10:30 a.m., at St. Francis Xavier Church, with a reception immediately following at a location to be determined. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Western Montana Humane Society or a charity of choice. Condolences can be left at [missoulafuneralhomes.com](http://missoulafuneralhomes.com). We are honored to have had him in our lives and he will be missed as a father and brother and friend to all.

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### **MANCUSO, MARJORIE, 87**

Ocala - Marjorie Mancuso, 87, a 25 year resident of Ocala, FL and formerly of Poughkeepsie, NY, passed away peacefully on Friday, February 3, 2011 surrounded by her loving and devoted family. Marjorie was predeceased by her loving husband, Anthony Joseph (Tony) Mancuso. Marjorie "Billie" Mancuso was born in Huddersfield, county of Yorkshire, England in 1924 the youngest child of Frank and Ellen Yarnold Sykes. Marjorie was predeceased by her older brother, Reginald and sister Amy. During WWII, Marjorie joined the British Royal Air Force where she trained as a nurse. It was there that she met the love of her life, Tony, who was serving in the U.S. Army Air Corp. They married and were the parents of four loving daughters, Antonia Diane Smith (Thomas), Clinton, CT, Donna Marie (Raymond) Venditti, Austin, TX, Theresa Maria (Stanley) Witkowicz, North Haven, CT and Stephanie Jeanne (Kenneth) Pectal, Pleasant Valley, NY. Marjorie continued her nursing career in the U.S. as a registered nurse with Bowne Memorial Hospital caring for TB patients. Later she worked as a private duty nurse for many elderly patients with her tender loving care and compassionate ways. Her infectious smile and tender voice enabled her patients to respond positively to a have good quality of life in their final days. When she "retired", Marjorie and Tony owned and operated Mancuso's Depot Restaurant in Bangall, New York. Soon after, they moved to Ocala, Florida where Marjorie enjoyed gardening, crafts and many activities in the sunny south. Of all her activities, Marjorie's favorite was dancing, which she loved all of her life and which gave her so much happiness. She enjoyed her tap dancing lessons and performances with the Bonnie Belles Tap Dance Troupe. She valued the friendship of Bonnie, her teacher, and all of her dance members. Marjorie was always appreciative and thankful for the blessings given to her by God. She was a loving wife taking the excellent care of her husband and love, Tony, until his death in 1998. She loved each of her daughters in a special way, "my girls" as she called them. She was the most wonderful mother teaching them through her example and tender loving ways. Her daughters cared lovingly for Marjorie "Mom" throughout her final years giving her many happy times and memories. Above all Marjorie loved God, her family, friends and neighbors. Many of her family and friends nicknamed her "Lovie" because of her English accent and expressions of endearment. They enjoyed every opportunity to spend time and talk with her. Marjorie is survived by her four daughters, grandchildren Thomas Lloyd Smith, Toni Marie Smith, Jason Anthony (Renee)Pectal, Stefanie Marie (James) Collins, Anthony Joseph Witkowicz and Christina Marie Venditti, great-grandchildren Christopher Thomas Anthony Goss and Brittany Marie Goss. Marjorie is also survived by her loving sister-in-law Margaret E. Mancuso. In addition, nephew, Martin (Angela) Hampshire of Huddersfield, England, cousins Betty Boulain of Portsmouth, England, Elaine McKay of Annan, Scotland and their families. Marjorie's legacy was to enjoy each day of life

that God has given you, work hard, love one another, be kind and caring, smile and always take time to dance. Marjorie had many homes in life, England, New York, and Florida. She has now gone to her final home where she will rest peacefully in the loving hands of God. Marjorie had a lifelong love of all creatures great and small and spent much time with family pet "Roxy" and visits from "Nubby", "Callie", "Missy", "Red", "Britany", "Eclipse", "Brooke" and the newest rescues, "Lucky" and "Tink". In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Marjorie's memory to the Dutchess County SPCA or a charity of your choice . Marjorie's family wishes to thank all of the doctors, nurses, and medical assistants who cared for her with kindness, knowledge and compassion over the years. Arrangements are under the direction of Timothy P. Doyle Funeral Home, 371 Hooker Avenue, Poughkeepsie, NY. Burial will be 1:30 p.m. Friday, February 10, 2012 at the Florida National Cemetery. If you would like to send an online condolence, please visit, [www.doylefuneralhome.com](http://www.doylefuneralhome.com).

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### **MANGES, GORDON "GUS" W., 84**

Ocala - Gordon "Gus" William Manges, age 84, passed away February 6, 2012 in Ocala, FL. He was born in Woodlawn, PA to George and Josephine Manges and lived in Aliquippa, PA during his childhood years before he joined the United States Navy and served during World War II. He later joined the United States Air Force as a pilot and primarily flew the KC-135 in the Strategic Air Command. At the beginning of his military career, he married Dolores Marie Dushac of Aliquippa, PA and they were blessed with three children; Susan Jeanne, Gary Wade, and Craig William. After traveling throughout the United States, ranging from Alaska, Texas, New York, and including several overseas temporary duty assignments, Gus retired as Lt. Colonel from the US Air Force in 1972. The Manges family later moved to Florida in 1975 and made Ocala their home. Gus managed Wild Waters where he was known as "Gator Gus." For the last 35 years, he has traveled across the nation visiting family, friends, not ever missing a Gator football game. His hobbies included Gator football, golf, camping and traveling. They have encountered many great friends along the way, from retired military officers, RV tailgators, Georgieboy campers, and many more. One of his most memorable experiences was recently being honored by participating in the Ocala Honor Flight for World War II Veterans. He is survived by his children and sister, Audrey and her husband Bill Dybvad and family of Dayton, OH. Also, grandchildren; John T and Heather Manges, Jamie Schofield, Craig Manges Jr., Erin Fabian, Zach Crawford, Lauren and Taylor Manges and five great-grandchildren. There will be a celebration of life beginning with a viewing at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, on Wednesday, February 8th from 5-7 p.m. At Hiers-Baxley, the following day on February 9th, there will be a service at 11 a.m. and a processional to the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida at 1:30 p.m.

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### **MERRITT, SR., DREW "PETE" TALMADGE, 79**

Ocala - Drew "Pete" Talmadge Merritt, Sr., 79, died February 2, 2012. Born in Lee, FL on August 22, 1932, he was preceded in death by parents: Ben Brevan and Janie Merritt; siblings: Ben Merritt, Helen Lee, Lois Southall, June Kinsey, Bonnie Lyon; and son Drew Merritt, Jr. He is survived by siblings: Roy Merritt, Evelyn Sapp, Hazel Latner, Gene Merritt, Barbara Durden, Betty Reames; children: Deborah Merritt Long, Robert Merritt, Vicky Gomar, Janie Laird, Derrick Bickford, and Drusilla Morgan; 28 grandchildren; and 29 great-grandchildren. Drew was

a retired lineman who worked all over the United States. His hobbies included winning at cards, restoring old tractors, and fishing. Drew also loved watching westerns and listening to bluegrass music. Services will be held at Beggs Funeral Home in Madison, Florida on Wednesday, February 8, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. There will be a viewing held prior to the service, starting at 12:00 for family and 1:00 p.m. for friends. Graveside service to follow at Macedonia Cemetery, Madison, Florida.

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**RAMSEY, MARGUERITE CATHERINE, 99**

Anthony - Marguerite Catherine Ramsey, 99, of Anthony, FL, went home peacefully to be with the Lord on Sunday, February 5, 2012 at her home. Mrs. Ramsey was born on February 8, 1912 in Savannah, GA. After living many years in Jacksonville, FL, she moved to Ocala, FL 19 years ago. She was an extraordinary homemaker who enjoyed hosting friends and family for any occasion, especially celebrating holidays and special moments. Her devotion was to serve the Lord through being a Minister's Wife, mother, daughter, aunt, cousin and friend. Her mission was to be a sweet beacon with her love and kindness to all that she met in life. Her hobbies included gardening, cooking, sewing, bird watching, traveling and fishing. Over her many years, she has been a member and leader of many church groups and organizations. Even into her 99th year, she was an active member of Unity Baptist Church in Anthony, FL. She is survived by her son, Carter Ramsey, Jr. (Joyce) of St. Simmons Island, GA; daughter, Becky Bunn (Jerry) of Anthony, FL along with 16 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren and 17 great-great-grandchildren. She was preceded in her death by her husband of 62 years, Reverend Carter Ramsey, Sr.; her daughters, Virginia Bushman, Catherine Evanson, Barbara Ann Johnson and China Hiott. Visitation and her 100th Birthday Celebration will be held at Countryside Funeral Home (9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony, FL) on Wednesday, February, 8th from 5:00 to 7:30 p.m. A Funeral Service will be held at Unity Baptist Church (1290 NE 100th Street, Ocala, FL) on Thursday, February 9th, with visitation from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. and Services beginning at 11:00 a.m. A Graveside Service following the ceremony will be held at Riverside Memorial Park Cemetery (7242 Normandy Boulevard, Jacksonville, FL) at 3:30 p.m.

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**WILLEMSSEN, JANICE LORRAINE, 82**

Salisbury, NC - Mrs. Janice Lorraine Willemsen, 82, of Salisbury, NC passed away Monday, February 06, 2012 at Autumn Care of Salisbury, NC. She was born August 31, 1929 in Esterville, IA to the late Anna Lane Jamison and Guy M. Jamison. Mrs. Willemsen worked for Rockwell International in Downers Grove, IL as a line supervisor in the Circuit Board Dept for 16 years until her retirement. She was a Cub Scout and Girl Scout leader. Preceding her in death was her husband, Richard G. Willemsen on October 29, 2009. She is survived by a son, Alan Willemsen and his wife Julie of Grimes, IA; daughter, Marlene M. Minshew of Salisbury, NC; brother, Marvin Jamison and wife Frances of Clive, IA; and sister, Beverly Cadwell and husband Glenn of Ft. Myers, FL; three grandchildren and several nieces and nephews also survive her. Mrs. Willemsen will be cremated, and a memorial service and burial will be held at a later date in Grimes, Iowa. Summersett Funeral Home is serving the Willemsen family. Online condolences may be made at [www.summersettfuneralhome.com](http://www.summersettfuneralhome.com).

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### **APPLEBY, RUTH ELIZABETH HAYES, 94**

Tallahassee - Born Feb. 7, 1917, Ruth Elizabeth Hayes Appleby died Feb. 4, 2012. Ruth grew up on the Hayes family farm in North Bend, Ohio. She graduated with a B.S. Ed from Miami University, Oxford, Ohio and pursued a M.S. Ed at University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. She had a rewarding career in education while teaching at: J.S. Connor Elementary in Cleves, Ohio; East Marion, N.H. Jones and Highlands Elementary in Ocala, Florida. Music and sports were an integral part of her life and she touched many lives through these gifts. As a young girl, she studied the piano and played the saxophone in Taylor High School marching band. She participated in basketball, tennis and track. Later, she was a Girl Scout leader, a ballroom and square dancer and participated in Senior Olympics, becoming the FL State Race Walking Champion of her age group at 75 and placing 10th in the National Senior Olympics. She was a proud and patriotic American and Marion County, FL resident. She cherished the natural beauty of Florida, enjoyed the local theatres and arts, was an avid health advocate and loved to travel. She was predeceased by her husband of 62 years, Albert N. Appleby and her two brothers, Robert T. Hayes and Joseph H. Hayes. She is survived by her three daughters, Judy Appleby (Richard Berg), Janet Temkin, and Candace Bodner (Gary); her grandchildren, Daniel DoDai, Danielle Yarros, Matthew Berg, Kris Temkin, Amber Santiago, Mikal Temkin, Cassandra Jacobs; and nine great grandchildren. A private family service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: Girl Scouts of America Gateway Council, 810 NW 8th St., Gainesville, FL 32601, (866)868-6307, [www.girlscoutsgateway.org](http://www.girlscoutsgateway.org); Ocala Civic Theatre, 4337 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470, (352)236-2274, [www.ocalacivictheatre.com](http://www.ocalacivictheatre.com); Florida Senior Games, Florida Sports Charitable Foundation, 2930 Kerry Forest Blvd., Suite 101, Tallahassee, FL 32309, (866)354-2637 or (850)488-8347, [www.flasports.com](http://www.flasports.com); [games@flasports.com](mailto:games@flasports.com).

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### **CASOLO, JOHN PETER, 49**

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**HICKS, DENEASE W., 103**

Ocala - Born May 18, 1908 in Hahira, GA, DeNease W. Hicks died February 4, 2012 in Ocala, FL. She graduated high school in 1925 and began her teaching career in a one-room school house in Pavo, GA. She attended Florida State College for Women. Her family moved to the Reddick area of Marion County, FL in the 1930's. DeNease continued her teaching career in the schools of Dunnellon, Fairfield, and East Marion. She moved to the Ocala area in 1940. In 1941, she married Isaac L. Hicks of Lynn, FL. DeNease went back to college in the early 1950's and finished her education at the University of Florida. She taught in several schools in the Ocala area including Belleview Elementary, Greeneville Elementary, Roosevelt Village, and South Ocala Elementary. She retired from teaching in 1968. She was a charter member of Druid Hills United Methodist Church. She was also a 50 year member of Ocala Eastern Star #29. She is survived by her daughter, Lucy (Bob) Williams; grandson, Carlin "Chip" (Terry) Baskin; great-grandson, Ian Baskin; great-granddaughter, Jessica Price; great-great grandchildren, Addison Pearson and Jayla Flint; sister, Floy Smith; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Isaac; and granddaughter, Lee Baskin. Celebration of life will be held at Druid Hills United Methodist Church on Saturday, February 11, 2012 at 11:00 AM. Interment at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Memorial Fund at Druid Hills United Methodist Church. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Ocala, 352-629-7171. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**KINARD, JR., WILLIAM A., 60**

Ocala - William "Bill" A. Kinard, Jr., age 60, of Ocala, died Monday February 6, 2012 at home. He was born on October 31, 1951, a son to the late William Austin Kinard, Sr. and Eugenia (Starling) Kinard of Ocala. Bill was employed with the Marion County Road Department. He leaves behind to cherish his memories in addition to his mother, his wife of 26 years Pamela, two sons and two daughters William Austin Kinard, III, Ian Matthew Kinard, Amber Sellars, and Brie Kinard all of Ocala, a brother, Robert Kinard in Dunnellon, three sisters, Barbara Stein of Ocala, Sharon Williams in Ocala, Sandy Poupard of Keystone Heights, eight grandchildren, one great-grandchild and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. A visitation has been scheduled for Thursday, February 9, 2012 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A celebration of life service will be held on Friday, February 10, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. also

at the funeral home, with burial to follow in the Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. The family suggests donation in lieu of flowers to Hospice of Marion County or to the American Cancer Society . Forest Lawn Funeral Home has been entrusted with the care of Mr. Kinard.

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**MERRITT, SR., DREW "PETE" TALMADGE, 79**

Ocala - Drew "Pete" Talmadge Merritt, Sr., 79, died February 2, 2012. Born in Lee, FL on August 22, 1932, he was preceded in death by parents: Ben Brevan and Janie Merritt; siblings: Ben Merritt, Helen Lee, Lois Southall, June Kinsey, Bonnie Lyon; and son Drew Merritt, Jr. He is survived by siblings: Roy Merritt, Evelyn Sapp, Hazel Latner, Gene Merritt, Barbara Durden, Betty Reames; children: Deborah Merritt Long, Robert Merritt, Vicky Gomar, Janie Laird, Derrick Bickford, and Drusilla Morgan; 28 grandchildren; and 29 great-grandchildren. Drew was a retired lineman who worked all over the United States. His hobbies included winning at cards, restoring old tractors, and fishing. Drew also loved watching westerns and listening to bluegrass music. Services will be held at Beggs Funeral Home in Madison, Florida on Wednesday, February 8, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. There will be a viewing held prior to the service, starting at 12:00 for family and 1:00 p.m. for friends. Graveside service to follow at Macedonia Cemetery, Madison, Florida.

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**ZINO, ANTHONY J., 97**

Ocala - Anthony J. Zino, age 97, of Ocala, Florida, passed away February 6, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born on January 5, 1915 in Brooklyn, New York to Joseph and Catherine (LaGreca) Zino. Anthony moved to Ocala 22 years ago from Queens, New York. He was a retired Cook and a member of the Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in Ocala, FL. He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Zino in 2008. He is survived by his daughter, Stephanie and her husband William Canary of Ocala, FL; four grandchildren, Steve, Jennifer, Michael and Billy; six great-grandchildren. Family will be receiving friends on today, February 10, 2011 from 6 until 8 p.m. and Saturday from 9 until 11:00 a.m. at the Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in Ocala, FL. Mass of the Resurrection will be offered on Saturday at 11:00 a.m. at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. Entombment will follow the Mass at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL.

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**APPLEBY, RUTH ELIZABETH HAYES, 94**

Tallahassee - Born Feb. 7, 1917, Ruth Elizabeth Hayes Appleby died Feb. 4, 2012. Ruth grew up on the Hayes family farm in North Bend, Ohio. She graduated with a B.S. Ed from Miami University, Oxford, Ohio and pursued a M.S. Ed at University of Florida, Gainesville, FL. She had a rewarding career in education while teaching at: J.S. Connor Elementary in Cleves, Ohio; East Marion, N.H. Jones and Highlands Elementary in Ocala, Florida. Music and sports were an integral part of her life and she touched many lives through these gifts. As a young girl, she

studied the piano and played the saxophone in Taylor High School marching band. She participated in basketball, tennis and track. Later, she was a Girl Scout leader, a ballroom and square dancer and participated in Senior Olympics, becoming the FL State Race Walking Champion of her age group at 75 and placing 10th in the National Senior Olympics. She was a proud and patriotic American and Marion County, FL resident. She cherished the natural beauty of Florida, enjoyed the local theatres and arts, was an avid health advocate and loved to travel. She was predeceased by her husband of 62 years, Albert N. Appleby and her two brothers, Robert T. Hayes and Joseph H. Hayes. She is survived by her three daughters, Judy Appleby (Richard Berg), Janet Temkin, and Candace Bodner (Gary); her grandchildren, Daniel DoDai, Danielle Yarros, Matthew Berg, Kris Temkin, Amber Santiago, Mikal Temkin, Cassandra Jacobs; and nine great grandchildren. A private family service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: Girl Scouts of America Gateway Council, 810 NW 8th St., Gainesville, FL 32601, (866)868-6307, [www.girlscoutsgateway.org](http://www.girlscoutsgateway.org); Ocala Civic Theatre, 4337 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470, (352)236-2274, [www.ocalacivictheatre.com](http://www.ocalacivictheatre.com); Florida Senior Games, Florida Sports Charitable Foundation, 2930 Kerry Forest Blvd., Suite 101, Tallahassee, FL 32309, (866)354-2637 or (850)488-8347, [www.flasports.com](http://www.flasports.com); [games@flasports.com](mailto:games@flasports.com).

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**WILLIAMS, HORACE JESSE NEWTON, 86**

McIntosh - Born April 10, 1925 in McIntosh, FL, Horace Jesse Newton "Newt" Williams passed away at Shands Hospital on Wednesday, February 7, 2012. He was a veteran of WWII and Korea, and has lived in Marion County or the Orlando area all of his life. Newt is survived by his wife, Frances, and five children: Beverly Diane Moore of Texas; Newton "Duane" Williams of South Carolina; Walter Richard "Dickie" Williams of Williston, Florida; William "Billy" David Williams of Orlando, FL; and Mark Newton Williams of Fayetteville, NC; seven grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Julia Mae Leitner of Citra, FL. Newt taught high school auto mechanics and agriculture in Orlando and until his retirement worked for the Florida State Park Service at Paines Prairie Preserve. He was an active member of the Black Jack Amateur (Ham) Radio Club in Orlando and the Silver Springs Radio Club in Ocala where GI's and their families stayed connected during war years and served those communities in emergency situations. A Memorial Service will be held 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, February 12th at McIntosh United Methodist Church.

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Ocala - Therese V. McPherson, 51, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Wed., Feb. 7th at her home with her family by her side. Therese was born in Washington, DC and grew up in Bethesda, MD. Therese graduated from Pennsylvania State University and was a lifelong Nittany Lion fan. She came to Ocala with her family 3 years ago after living in Chicago and Virginia. Therese worked as a registered nurse and was an avid tennis player, but also enjoyed all athletic activities, especially with her children participating. She was an accomplished and creative chef and loved a wide variety of music. She was a member of Altrusa International, a literacy organization. Therese is survived by her devoted husband Dr. Lon H. McPherson, son Aubrey Edward McPherson, son Cameron John McPherson, daughter Harriet (Hattie) Anne McPherson, all of Ocala, FL, step daughter Brittany Ferguson of Kankakee, IL, step daughter Abigail Perry of Springfield, MO. Therese is also survived by parents Edward and Margaret Veihmeyer of Silver Spring, MD, sisters Catherine Hughes of Burke, VA, Margaret Malone of Cold Spring Harbor, NY, Mary Patricia Veihmeyer of Bethesda, MD, Nancy Guza of Powell, OH and brother John Veihmeyer of Potomac, MD. There will be a Memorial Mass celebrating Therese's life on Wed., Feb. 15th at 5:00 p.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Fr. Patrick Sheedy. The family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to Altrusa International of Ocala c/o Jamie Hampy, 334 NW Third Ave., Ocala, FL 34475. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL, 352-622-4141.

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Ocala - Former New Hampshire resident Robert "Bob" W. Orr, 72, died on February, 4th, 2012 at his home in Ocala. A service will be held at the National Military Cemetery at Bushnell, FL on Feb. 23rd at 1:30 PM with a celebration of life to follow at the VFW Post #4781 in Ocala. Mr. Orr was born March 8th, 1939 in Littleton, NH, to Wheeler and Doris Orr. He was a graduate of the Saint Johnsbury Academy in St. Johnsbury VT where he acted as the student council

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married Elaine Cornell on February 11, 1961 in Mt. Washington, Kentucky. He was a graduate of Berea College and Eastern Kentucky University. He and Elaine moved to Ocala in 1991. He was a member of College Road Baptist Church where he served as a deacon, usher, and on the disaster relief team. He was a Mason, belonging to the Blue Lodge #566, Scottish Rite, Shriners and High Twelve. He was a member of the Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel, and was a Kentucky Colonel. He enjoyed traveling, reading, woodworking, and spending time with his family and especially the grandchildren. He is survived by his wife, Elaine, of 50 years, son, Marvin (Julie) of Summerfield, FL, and daughter, Sharon (Brian) Stump of Monroe, Michigan, grandchildren: Micah Mimbs, Melissa (Gerry) Davis, Wayne Mimbs II, Sarah Stump, Melissa Stump, Tyler Stump, great-grandchildren: Jared Davis, Brandon Davis, Wayne Mimbs III, and Payton James Terry. He was preceded in death by his parents, Ed and Maggie Whiteaker, brother, Jack Whitaker, and a sister, Joyce Brown. A Celebration of Life service will be held at College Road Baptist Church on Monday, February 13, 2012 at 11:00 AM. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be sent to Take Stock In Children or College Road Baptist Church Building Fund.

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### **WILLIAMS, HORACE JESSE NEWTON, 86**

McIntosh - Born April 10, 1925 in McIntosh, FL, Horace Jesse Newton "Newt" Williams passed away at Shands Hospital on Wednesday, February 7, 2012. He was a veteran of WWII and Korea, and has lived in Marion County or the Orlando area all of his life. Newt is survived by his wife, Frances, and five children: Beverly Diane Moore of Texas; Newton "Duane" Williams of South Carolina; Walter Richard "Dickie" Williams of Williston, Florida; William "Billy" David Williams of Orlando, FL; and Mark Newton Williams of Fayetteville, NC; seven grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Julia Mae Leitner of Citra, FL. Newt taught high school auto mechanics and agriculture in Orlando and until his retirement worked for the Florida State Park Service at Paines Prairie Preserve. He was an active member of the Black Jack Amateur (Ham) Radio Club in Orlando and the Silver Springs Radio Club in Ocala where GI's and their families stayed connected during war years and served those communities in emergency situations. A Memorial Service will be held 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, February 12th at McIntosh United Methodist Church.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 13, 2012**

#### **ALLEN, VIRGIL, 83**

Ocala - Virgil Allen, 83, passed away at Estelle's House on Thursday, February 9, 2012. Born in Hazard, Kentucky, he came to Marion County in 1989. He served in the US Army and was a Property Manager. He is survived by his loving wife of 57+ years, Pauline Allen; sons, Keith Ray Allen, Gary Dean Allen, Darnell Glenn Allen; brother, Glinza Allen and sister, Josephine Masters, both of Frankfort, KY; three grandsons; two great-grandsons; and one great-granddaughter. Funeral Service will be held at 2:00 p.m., Monday, February 13, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony, FL, with Pastor David Chaffin officiating. Visitation will be from Noon-2:00 prior to the service. Interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala.

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**CHAMBERS, EDITH ANN, 69**

Ocala - Edith Chambers, 69, passed away at Estelle's House on Friday, February 10, 2012. Born in Turtletown, TN, she came to Ocala from New Jersey in 1999. She was a Certified Nursing Assistant. Preceded in death by son, Jack Dillabough; she is survived by her husband, Elmer Chambers; sons, Ron Dillabough, NJ; John Dillabough, PA; Travis Dillabough, NJ; and daughter, Terri McCall, DE; one brother, Arthur Reynolds, WA; and six grandchildren. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 12 to February 13, 2012

**FIRTH, JERE LEE, JR., 55**

Ocklawaha - Jere Lee Firth Jr., 55, of Ocklawaha, FL, passed away Saturday, Feb 11, 2012 with his loving family at his side. He was Navy veteran serving during the Vietnam War, and was a lift station mechanic for the city of Ocala until 1992. He is survived by his devoted wife of 37 years, Cynthia Firth; 3 daughters; Jodie White (Robert); Jamie Albritton (Donald); Jamaica Hoffman (Frederick), all of Ocklawaha, FL; mother, Ruth Firth, of York Haven., PA.; 5 sisters and 4 grandchildren. There will be a celebration of life on Wednesday, Feb. 15th at 5:30 pm at ROBERTS BRUCE CHAPEL EAST, 2739 SE MARICAMP RD, OCALA. Please view and sign the online guestbook at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 13 to February 14, 2012

**McPHERSON, THERESE V., 51**

Ocala - Therese V. McPherson, 51, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Wed., Feb. 7th at her home with her family by her side. Therese was born in Washington, DC and grew up in Bethesda, MD. Therese graduated from Pennsylvania State University and was a lifelong Nittany Lion fan. She came to Ocala with her family 3 years ago after living in Chicago and Virginia. Therese worked as a registered nurse and was an avid tennis player, but also enjoyed all athletic activities, especially with her children participating. She was an accomplished and creative chef and loved a wide variety of music. She was a member of Altrusa International, a literacy organization. Therese is survived by her devoted husband Dr. Lon H. McPherson, son Aubrey Edward McPherson, son Cameron John McPherson, daughter Harriet (Hattie) Anne McPherson, all of Ocala, FL, step daughter Brittany Ferguson of Kankakee, IL, step daughter Abigail Perry of Springfield, MO. Therese is also survived by parents Edward and Margaret Veihmeyer of Silver Spring, MD, sisters Catherine Hughes of Burke, VA, Margaret Malone of Cold Spring Harbor, NY, Mary Patricia Veihmeyer of Bethesda, MD, Nancy Guza of Powell, OH and brother John Veihmeyer of Potomac, MD. There will be a Memorial Mass celebrating Therese's life on Wed., Feb. 15th at 5:00 p.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Fr. Patrick Sheedy. The family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to Altrusa International of Ocala c/o Jamie Hampy, 334 NW Third Ave., Ocala, FL 34475. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL, 352-622-4141. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 12 to February 13, 2012

**ORR, ROBERT W., 72**

Ocala - Former New Hampshire resident Robert "Bob" W. Orr, 72, died on February, 4th, 2012 at his home in Ocala. A service will be held at the National Military Cemetery at Bushnell, FL on Feb. 23rd at 1:30 PM with a celebration of life to follow at the VFW Post #4781 in Ocala. Mr. Orr was born March 8th, 1939 in Littleton, NH, to Wheeler and Doris Orr. He was a graduate of

the Saint Johnsbury Academy in St. Johnsbury VT where he acted as the student council president and played football, basketball and track holding many records. He was also a graduate of the Norwich Military Academy at Norwich, VT where he achieved academic honors. He served in the United States Army as a tank commander and spent time overseas in Korea serving his country. After military service, Mr. Orr worked in sales and distribution of laboratory and medical supplies with Scientific Products, Curtin Matheson, and Fisher Scientific, ultimately starting his own company. He was retired. He lived most of his life in the New England area. He was active in his church and served as Deacon at the Bedford Presbyterian Church in Bedford, NH. He moved to Florida in 2001 and has been active in the local VFW Post #4781 and the local Moose Lodge. And anyone who knew Bob knew of his passion for the New England Patriots. He is survived by his sister Barbara Young, sons Scott Orr and Timothy Orr, and grandchildren Daniel, Katie, Jonathan and Alison. Condolences may be sent to Scott Orr at 4321 Plumosa Dr., Yorba Linda, CA 92886. Donations in his honor can be made to the Children's Cancer Society, VFW Post 4781 or Odessey Hospice.

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##### **BAKER, ERIC CLAIBORNE**

Eric Claiborne Baker, 21, of Ocklawaha, FL passed away on Saturday, February 11, 2012. He was born in Georgetown, OH and then moved with his family to FL in 1997. Eric graduated from Leesburg High School in 2008 where he was captain of the golf team. Also in 2008 he was Lake County Golfer of the Year. He was a member of the Junior Jacket Football Team. He was attending Kaiser College of golf and was to graduate in June. While in school Eric has been working at Cane Garden Country Club. Eric is survived by his parents, Andy and Chaddi Baker, sisters, Chasity Hupp & Amanda Hahn, fiancée, Adrian Montgomery, maternal grandparents,



Charlie Hahn and Dorothy Setty, aunts, Jamie Setty, Margie (Rick) Dearth, and Amy Baker, uncles, Charlie (Kim) Hahn, Cyrus (Sherron) Baker, Kenny (Shannon) Baker, Seth (Denise) Baker, and Zane (Laura) Baker, nieces, Hannah & Ava, nephews, Austin & Kaleb, and 18 cousins. He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Phillip Eric and Barbara Joan Baker and cousin, Samuel Dearth. Services for Eric will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 15, 2012 at 1PM at the Beyers Funeral Home Chapel, 134 N. Hwy 27/441, Lady Lake. Visitation will be from 11am-1pm prior to the service. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com). Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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### **MCKINZIE, ALVIN 88**

Alvin McKinzie, 88, of Ocala died peacefully in the care of Hospice of Marion County on February 11, 2012. He was born in Swainsboro, GA. He moved to Ocala from St. Petersburg, FL. He was the owner of an auto service station until his retirement. He was a member of Trinity Baptist Church. He is survived by his twin sister Alma Bedford; brother Daniel McKinzie, Jr.; son Richard Alvin McKinzie; daughters Barbara Antisdell, Betty Sue Ringo and Starr Deloris Darnell; 9 grandchildren; his second wife Inez Belle McKinzie; step son Wayne Belle (Geraldine); step grandson Joseph Wayne Belle (Darlene); step granddaughter Teresa Christine Hinkle; great grandchildren Kristi Belle, Ashley Hinkle, Katie Belle; great great grandchildren Nicholas Jeter, Bethney Jeter, Madison Combee and Emma Casteel. He was a life time Gideon. A graveside service was held Monday, February 13, 2012 at Hillcrest Cemetery, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations to 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 few weeks. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL.

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### **TACHETT, DAVID LEE**

Mr. David Lee Tackett, 71, of Ocala, passed away at Estelle's Hospice House on Saturday, February 11, 2012. David was born in Cincinnati, OH on June 8, 1940 to parents, Herbert and Martha (Cullen) Tackett. He was a US Air Force Veteran. David moved to Ocala from Cincinnati in 1970. He spent many years as an over the road truck driver and enjoyed artistic painting. He was greatly loved and will be missed by those who survive him, including his wife, Vickie Tackett of Ocala; son, Mike Tackett of Gainesville; and sisters, Carole Sutton of Amelia

Courthouse, VA and Janet Barrass of Verona, KY. Memorial services will be at Living Waters Worship Center, 3801 N Hwy 301, at 11:00 AM Saturday, February 18th. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Downtown Chapel. 352-622-4141  
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### **VOZZELLA, ROBERT WILLIAM**

Robert William Vozzella went to be with the Lord on February 12, 2012. He was born in Boston (12/12/36) and is survived by his loving wife Linda, of 27 years. Loving father of, Walter G. Remick Jr. of Bemidji, MN, Paul Vozzella, of California, Robert Vozzella, Jr., of Arkansas, Michael Vozzella, of Illinois, Anita Poncia, of Dedham MA, Carole McLaughlin, of Venice, FL, Dianne Joyce, West Roxbury, MA, David Vozzella of Hyde Park, MA, Dawn and Tammy Vozzella of Weymouth, MA. Son of the late John and Rose Vozzella, of Kingston MA, brother of John Vozzella of Hingham, MA and Paul Vozzella of Niantic, CT. He had 11 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. He retired from Blanche P. Field, LLC of Boston, MA and Stop & Shop Supermarket of Bedford, MA and moved to Ocala, FL in 2001. He served in the US Navy, on the "USS Oakhill LSD7". He was an active member of St. Jude Catholic Community, and served as their head usher. He belonged to the Oak Run Italian American Club, Irish Club, VFW Veterans Club, and Democratic Club and was a former Surgeon and Co - Captain/Rifleman of the Honor Guard at the VFW Post 4252 in Hernando, FL and a member of the American Legion Post 354 in Ocala, FL. Viewing at St. Jude Catholic Community Church, 443 Marion Oaks Drive. Ocala on Thursday February 16, from 5:00 to 8:00 pm. Funeral Mass on Friday February 17, at 10:00 am and burial at the Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Follow by a reception at the Oak Run Orchid Club. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West (352)854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences ( [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) )  
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### **WOOLLEY, ROSE MARIE**

Ocala - Rose Marie Woolley, 83, passed from this life on February 8, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born on August 22, 1928 in St. Louis, MO, and moved to the Lake City area in 1963. Mrs. Woolley was a homemaker, a musician, of the Christian faith, and loved bowling and sewing. She is survived by two daughters, Deborah W. Torres and husband Randall of Tampa, FL., and Patricia M. Woolley of Ocala, FL, and also three grandchildren and three great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, James P. Woolley in 2008, and her daughter Cynthia L. Woolley in 2011. A funeral service for Mrs. Woolley will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services chapel on Thursday, February 16th, at 4pm, with the visitation held at Hiers-Baxley one hour before, at 3pm. Rev. Samuel W. Clements will be officiating. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park.  
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### **LAVENDER, ETTA LEE, 89**

Etta Lee Lavender, 89, died February 13, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala. She was married to Arthur F. Lavender on June 5, 1942 at Sacramento, CA. He preceded her in death on February 26, 2009 in Ocala. She is survived by one daughter, Alice Faye Fenn, two sons, Charles L. Lavender of Ocala and Larry W. Lavender of Stockbridge, Ga. She was also preceded in death on March 22, 2002, by a granddaughter, Sara Lavender Lawrence. Private family services will be held with burial to take place at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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### **LOPRESTI, RALPH, 84**

Ocala - Ralph Lopresti, 84, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, February 13, 2012 at Oakhurst Rehabilitation and Nursing Center. A native of Baldwin, NY, he moved to this area from New York in 1985. Mr. Lopresti served in the United States Army during World War II; he was a retired corrections officer, and a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, he also enjoyed golfing. He is survived by his wife Connie; daughter Suzanne Lopresti; son Ralph and daughter in law Connie Lopresti, 3 grandchildren Matthew McCarthy, Shane Lopresti, and Amanda Lopresti; sisters Marie Buxbaum and Theresa Zoccoli; A Funeral Mass will be held at 10am on Thursday, February 16, 2012 at Immaculate Heart of Mary, Candler. A visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell.

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### **MARIGIOTTA, THERESA MARIA**

Theresa Marie Margiotta (nee Stengel) of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, Feb. 12. with her loving family by her side. Born in NYC, she lived most of her married life in Rockaway, NJ before moving to Ocala. She is survived by her beloved husband of 65 years, Eugene. Also 5 children, Joan, Ellen, Theresa, Jean Anne and Eugene. She is also survived by 8 adoring grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. She had unconditional love for her family and an uncanny wisdom that will be missed but not forgotten. A viewing will be held at St. Jude's Catholic Church, Ocala (Marion Oaks) at 10:00 AM Wednesday, Feb.15th followed by a Mass of Christian burial at 11:00 AM. In lieu of flowers, donations canbe made to St. Jude's

community. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 352-854-2266

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Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL.

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**PENDARVIS, BOBBY LEWIS, 67**

Fort McCoy - Bobby L. Pendarvis, 67, passed away at Estelle's House on February 12, 2012. Born in Tidewater, Florida, he lived in Marion County most all his life. He served with the US Army, and was a Trim Carpenter with Skyline Manufacturing. He is survived by his wife, Denise D. Pendarvis; sons, Timothy Daniel Pendarvis (Kerya) and Brian Lewis Pendarvis, both of Ocala; mother, Louise Pendarvis, Plant City; brother, Howard Junior Pendarvis (Judy), Dunnellon; sister, Sarah Jane Pendarvis, Plant City; ad numerous loving nieces and nephews. Funeral Service will be 5:00 pm, Thursday, February 16, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony with Pastor Dennis New officiating. The family will receive friends at 4:30 prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society or Hospice of Marion County Estelle's House.

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**SMITH, MARJORIE "MIDGE" W.**

Ocala - Born July 18, 1924 in Norwalk, CT; died February 10, 2012 in Ocala, FL. She retired from the Wilton Public School System. She is survived by her son, Brian & Eileen Smith of Ocala, FL; brother, Donald R. Webb of Ocala, FL; seven grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and one great-great grandson. Preceded in death by husband John R. Smith, Sr.; and son, John R. Smith, Jr. Celebration of life will be held Saturday, February 18, 2012 at 12:30 PM HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to Hospice of Marion County.

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**SULLIVAN, DANIEL PHILIP**

Summerfield- Born May 6, 1922 in Troy, NY; died February 12, 2012 in Summerfield, FL. He was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. He proudly served our country during WW II and

Korea in the US Navy and US Marines. He was a member of VFW Post # 8083, Spruce Creek Veterans Club, Fleet Reserve, DESA, USDR, Corpsmen United, US L. S. T. He is survived by his beloved wife of 49 years, Eleanor of Summerfield, FL; nephews, Donald, Edward, Daniel, and William Sullivan; nieces, Mary Beth Gelsleichter, and Colleen Weatherstone; and three great-nieces. He was preceded in death by his parents, Daniel and Mary; brothers, George and Edward. Funeral mass will be Thursday, February 16, 2012 at 11:00 AM at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview, FL. Viewing will be one hour prior. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages 352-753-8353. Committal service will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, contributions are recommended to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or your favorite charity .

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### **TATRO, GARY J.**

Summerfield - Gary J. Tatro, 63, passed away on Sunday, Feb. 12, 2012. He was born in North Adams, MA and moved to this area in 1985. He enjoyed Classic Cars, hunting, fishing and bowling. He is survived by his daughters, Connie J. Kingsley of Ocala and Sheri Ladwig of North Branch, MN, his sisters, Bette Arnold of Stamford, VT and Kathleen Western of Deland, his brothers, Michael and David Tatro of Stamford, VT and Robert Tatro of Bennington, VT, his five granddaughters, his fiancé, Nancy Ascierito of Summerfield, his Godson, Peter Letourneau of Orange City, his step- children, Gina Mullins and Joseph Ascierito of Summerfield, his two step-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife, Barbara

Tatro. Funeral services will be held on Friday, at 11:00 AM at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be on Thursday from 7-9 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Burial will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.  
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**TAYLOR, LAKIE ANISE, 90**

Lakie Anise Taylor, 90, passed away on Sunday, February 12, 2012. She was born December 15, 1921 to Joseph and Rose Collins Taylor in Heenan, (Pike County) KY. She attended Pikeville College in Kentucky, where she learned to utilize her talent for art. She was very creative and passed this legacy on to her children and grandchildren. She also worked for and retired from the South Williamson, KY branch of Appalachian Regional Health-Care as a Food Service Supervisor. Mom loved Jesus and was a member of the Big Branch Old Regular Baptist Church on since 1949. This was another legacy she passed on to her children and grandchildren. We love you Mom, you will live in our hearts forever. After marriage of 70+ years, she was preceded in death by her husband, James Landon Taylor, II and also grandsons, Eric N. Weidle and Collin Jackson, and granddaughter Lacy Mae Taylor and 8 brothers and sisters. She is survived by her daughters, Lanise G. (Charlie) Weidle, Middletown, OH; Loretta D. (Doug) Leach, Versailles, KY; and her son, James L. (Catherine) Taylor, III, Ocala; 7 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren, 2 step great grandchildren. Services will be at 6:00 pm, Wednesday, February 15, 2012 at Southern Home Old Regular Baptist Church in Citra with the Elders of the Southern Home and Naomi Churches officiating. Interment will be at the Big Branch Old Regular Baptist Church and the Taylor Family Cemetery on Brushy Creek, KY., 1:00 P.M., Saturday, February 18, 2012. (with visitation preceding on Friday evening from 6 - 8 p.m., at Roger's Funeral Home, Belfry, KY. Donations can be made to the Southern Home, Naomi or Big Branch Church in lieu of flowers. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.

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**TIRADO, ROSETTA, 69**

Mrs. Rosetta Tirado, 69, of Ocala, died at her home Sunday, February 12, 2012. A native of Italy, Mrs. Tirado immigrated to the United States in 1968, moving to New Jersey, and later moving to Ocala in 1980. Mrs. Tirado was a very outgoing person, and her greatest joys were spending time with friends and family, especially her granddaughter Victoria. She belonged to the New Apostolic Church of Ocala. Mrs. Tirado is survived by her husband of 42 years, Eusebio Tirado, her 3 sons Marcus, Domenico and David Tirado, sister Franca Carbone and Giovanna Esposito, brother Toribio Esposito, and her beloved granddaughter Victoria Tirado. Funeral services for Mrs. Tirado will be held at 2 PM Wednesday, February 15, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., with Rev. Roy Bumbach officiating. Visitation will be from noon until service time. Entombment will follow in Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum, 1515 NE 3rd St., Ocala.

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**VOZZELLA, ROBERT WILLIAM**

Robert William Vozzella went to be with the Lord on February 12, 2012. He was born in Boston (12/12/36) and is survived by his loving wife Linda, of 27 years. Loving father of, Walter G. Remick Jr. of Bemidji, MN, Paul Vozzella, of California, Robert Vozzella, Jr., of Arkansas, Michael Vozzella, of Illinois, Anita Poncia, of Dedham MA, Carole McLaughlin, of Venice, FL,

Dianne Joyce, West Roxbury, MA, David Vozzella of Hyde Park, MA, Dawn and Tammy Vozzella of Weymouth, MA. Son of the late John and Rose Vozzella, of Kingston MA, brother of John Vozzella of Hingham, MA and Paul Vozzella of Niantic, CT. He had 11 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. He retired from Blanche P. Field, LLC of Boston, MA and Stop & Shop Supermarket of Bedford, MA and moved to Ocala, FL in 2001. He served in the US Navy, on the "USS Oakhill LSD7". He was an active member of St. Jude Catholic Community, and served as their head usher. He belonged to the Oak Run Italian American Club, Irish Club, VFW Veterans Club, and Democratic Club and was a former Surgeon and Co - Captain/Rifleman of the Honor Guard at the VFW Post 4252 in Hernando, FL and a member of the American Legion Post 354 in Ocala, FL. Viewing at St. Jude Catholic Community Church, 443 Marion Oaks Drive. Ocala on Thursday February 16, from 5:00 to 8:00 pm. Funeral Mass on Friday February 17, at 10:00 am and burial at the Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Follow by a reception at the Oak Run Orchid Club. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West (352)854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences ( [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) )  
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### **WOOLLEY, ROSE MARIE**

Ocala - Rose Marie Woolley, 83, passed from this life on February 8, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born on August 22, 1928 in St. Louis, MO, and moved to the Lake City area in 1963. Mrs. Woolley was a homemaker, a musician, of the Christian faith, and loved bowling and sewing. She is survived by two daughters, Deborah W. Torres and husband Randall of Tampa, FL., and Patricia M. Woolley of Ocala, FL, and also three grandchildren and three great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, James P. Woolley in 2008, and her daughter Cynthia L. Woolley in 2011. A funeral service for Mrs. Woolley will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services chapel on Thursday, February 16th, at 4pm, with the visitation held at Hiers-Baxley one hour before, at 3pm. Rev. Samuel W. Clements will be officiating. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 16, 2012**

#### **BYNES, SEBORN, 66**

Ocala - Mr. Seborn Bynes 66, a native of Ocala Florida passed away at his Daughter Residence (Williston, Florida) on Sunday February 12, 2012. Those Mr. Bynes leaves to cherish his love and Memories are his wife: Shelia Bynes, His Children: Gena McClinton , Seborn Bynes Jr., Seborn Bynes III, Ellen Bynes, Jerry Bynes, Derrick Bynes, LaSheena Bynes, Crystal Dees Bynes, Terrance Bynes, Shenise Bynes, Shantel Bynes, Curtis Goodman and Pookie.28 Grandchildren and 4 Greatgrands. One Brother: Thomas Bynes,. Two Sisters: Lesliemae Slate and Christola Gondon. Services of Love will be held on Saturday February 18, 2012 at 11am At Church of God by Faith Righteousness and True Holiness (16655 Jacksonville Rd) in Citra Florida. Viewing for Mr. Bynes will be held One Hr. Prior to Services on Saturday. Burial will follow immediately following Saturdays Services in the Citra Community Cemetery. Services are under the Direction of Carnegie Funeral Home 217 SE 4th ave. Chiefland Florida. You may visit the online Condolences

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**COTE, JOELLYN DOWNING TREFETHEN**

Joellyn Downing Trefethen Cote, 70, of Dunnellon, Fla., died Saturday, Feb. 11, at home after a courageous battle with cancer. She was born Nov. 9, 1941, in Exeter, N.H., to the late Harold and Olive Trefethen. Joellyn grew up in New Hampshire where she raised her family and lived life to the fullest. During her working years, she made shoes and car parts, managed a convenience store, and helped run a family construction business. After moving from Epping, N.H., to Florida in 1981, she and her husband built a successful crafts business. She enjoyed playing slot machines, watching Elvis performances and spending time with her family and friends. She is survived by her husband of 52 years, Robert Cote; daughters Lois Brauckmuller (husband, Bill), Brenda Noller (husband, Mike) and Dianne Deonath, all of Dunnellon; grandchildren Chris Brauckmuller (fiancé, Kelly Popielinski), Jamie Brauckmuller, Amanda Schaffer (husband, Mike), Cote Deonath and Jade Deonath; sisters Priscilla Driver, Judith Jean and Rae Reed; brothers Ashley Trefethen, Kris Trefethen, Tim Trefethen and Mercer Trefethen; and numerous extended family members. She was predeceased by brothers Marvin Trefethen, Gary Sullivan, David Sullivan and Roland Trefethen; and sisters Lois St. John, Janet Parenteau and Kristen Pratt. A memorial service will be held at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 18. As an expression of sympathy, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Condolences may be left at robertsofdunnellon.com

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**DAVIS-COLEMAN, JANNIE MAE, 93**

Ocala - Jannie Mae Davis-Coleman age 93, received the call W came home on Wednesday February 8, 2012 to be with our heavenly father She was born to the late Jessie Davis and Anna Whatle. (Davis) an March 16, 1918, in Headland Alabama. A servant of God, Jannie Mae, who was affectionately known as "Mama Jannie" attended Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church. She was a member of the choir and mother of the church. She was a virtuous woman of God, an avid gardener, as well as being a Grand Cook for her family, friends and church. She leaves to carry on her legacy her children; Jewel Mosley (Richard), John Humphrey (Anne), Janice McClaud, Willie Earl Moore (Rose), Robert Moore (Audrey), Linda Peoples, Joyce Rivers (David), Robbie Moore (LueGene) and step-children Roy Coleman (Anna Laura), Garfield Coleman (Tina), John Coleman Jr. (Helen), Virginia Jackson, Elaine Had, Grace Bynum (Pastor Joseph Bynum), and Rebecca Webb. Jannie Mae was preceded in death by her sons James Humphrey Jr. Joseph Humphrey, and step-son Calvin Coleman. In addition to her remaining eight loyal children, she leaves to mourn her passing, an adopted daughter Louise Dukes and special nieces Dolly Freeman and hell Austin, 35 grandchildren, over 100 great grandchildren, great-great grandchildren, great nieces and nephews. Celebration of Life will beheld Saturday, February 18th at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church at 11:00am. Visitation will be Friday February 17th from the hours of 11am to 7pm at Tony Tanner Funeral Services 127 NW 20th St. A New Era of Compassion and Service.

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**HERRIN, JEFFREY K, 43**

Jeffrey K. Herrin, age 43 of Inglis, died Sunday, February 12, 2012. Jeff was born in Ocala, Fl and moved to Inglis 22 years ago. He loved his family, outdoors and fishing. Survivors include



his wife Jennifer Herrin, son Koen Herrin, mother Jeanine Herrin, father JL Herrin and brother Joel Herrin. Memorial services will be conducted on Sunday February 19th 2012 at 4:00pm at the Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL 34432. Pastor Scott Sibinski will be officiating. Gathering will follow at Gruffs Restaurant in Dunnellon. In lieu of flowers the family is asking for contribution to be made to Jennifer and son Koen Herrin. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.  
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**KLUMBACK, CHRISTINE**

Christine" Chris" Klumbach was born on September 11, 1924 in Philadelphia, PA to Joseph and Elsie DeGiorgio, she went home to the Lord on February 14, 2012 in Ocala, Fl. Christine was a Sales Secretary in the Bookbindery Business . She moved to Ocala, Florida from Kregsgeville, PA in 1993. Chris was a very active Member of Queen Of Peace Catholic Church, where she served as a Eucharistic Minister, Served Communion to the Sick and a Member of the Council of Catholic Women she was most noted as the Head Greeter before Mass. She was active in the Polk Township Fire Co. Auxiliary, Past President of the Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Post 4781 and also, a Life Member . American Legion Post 284, Belleview, Palm Cay Singles Club, Prestige 55. Chris is Survived by her Sister Vita Dailey of Dunnellon, Niece Christina Caffrey of Rockledge, PA, Niece Theresa Mink of Stroudsburg, PA and Numerous Nieces and Nephews. Visitation will be Thursday February 16, 2012 from 4-7PM with Prayers at 4PM with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty at Hiers-

Baxley Funeral Services, Timberridge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, Fl 34481. A Funeral Mass will be said on Friday February 17, 2012 at 8:30 AM with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty, Celebrant at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery. Friends may contribute to the charity of their choice in Christine's name or have a Mass Said in her memory.

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**LAVENDER, ETTA LEE, 89**

Etta Lee Lavender, 89, died February 13, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala. She was married to Arthur F. Lavender on June 5, 1942 at Sacramento, CA. He preceded her in death on February 26, 2009 in Ocala. She is survived by one daughter, Alice Faye Fenn, two sons, Charles L. Lavender of Ocala and Larry W. Lavender of Stockbridge, Ga. She was also preceded in death on March 22, 2002, by a granddaughter, Sara Lavender Lawrence. Private family services will be held with burial to take place at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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**LOPRESTI, RALPH, 84**

Ocala - Ralph Lopresti, 84, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, February 13, 2012 at Oakhurst Rehabilitation and Nursing Center. A native of Baldwin, NY, he moved to this area from New York in 1985. Mr. Lopresti served in the United States Army during World War II; he was a retired corrections officer, and a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, he also enjoyed golfing. He is survived by his wife Connie; daughter Suzanne Lopresti; son Ralph and daughter in law Connie Lopresti, 3 grandchildren Matthew McCarthy, Shane Lopresti, and Amanda Lopresti; sisters Marie Buxbaum and Theresa Zoccoli; A Funeral Mass will be held at

10am on Thursday, February 16, 2012 at Immaculate Heart of Mary, Candler. A visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell.

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### **MARIGIOTTA, THERESA MARIA**

Theresa Marie Margiotta (nee Stengel) of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, Feb. 12. with her loving family by her side. Born in NYC, she lived most of her married life in Rockaway, NJ before moving to Ocala. She is survived by her beloved husband of 65 years, Eugene. Also 5 children, Joan, Ellen, Theresa, Jean Anne and Eugene. She is also survived by 8 adoring grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren. She had unconditional love for her family and an uncanny wisdom that will be missed but not forgotten. A viewing will be held at St. Jude's Catholic Church, Ocala (Marion Oaks) at 10:00 AM Wednesday, Feb.15th followed by a Mass of Christian burial at 11:00 AM. In lieu of flowers, donations canbe made to St. Jude's community. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 352-854-2266

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### **MASON, EDWARD A.**

Ocala - Edward A. Mason passed away at Sylvia's House hospice in Ocala, FL on February 12, 2012 at the age of 76, after a long, valiant struggle with cancer. He was the beloved husband of Rose Mason, also of Ocala, and the father of 5 children: Jeffrey Mason of Lititz, PA; Kelly Mason of Shenandoah, PA; Leslie Mason of Philadelphia, PA; Rhodes Mason of Collingswood, NJ; and Christopher Mason of Palmyra, PA. He was pre-deceased by a brother, Francis D. Mason Jr., and a sister, Mary Shilling. In addition to his wife and children, he is survived by his younger brother Richard and his wife Kay of Syracuse, NY, 8 step-children and 24 grandchildren, as well as many cousins, nieces and nephews. Born the son of the late F. Donald and Pearl Sherman Mason, Edward Mason grew up on a dairy farm in Dryden, NY. After graduating from Dryden High School, where he lettered in baseball his freshman year and was the quarterback of the football team, he attended Cornell University for a year, where he played trumpet in the marching band, and then enlisted in a US Army Communications Intelligence unit during the Korean conflict in 1953, achieving the rank of sergeant before honorable discharge in 1956. He next attended Florida State University, where he became an avid, lifelong football fan, then graduated from Pitt with a major in Marketing. He took his first job in sales and marketing with Bell of PA and held successive positions in Bell of PA, BellSouth and AT&T, retiring in 1989 while living in Atlanta, GA. He moved to The Villages in Central Florida in 2001 where he met his wife of 10 years, Rose Truluck, and they married on Valentine's Day, 2002. Ed Mason was a jazz aficionado, Seminole football fan, golfing enthusiast and enjoyed spending the last years of his life with his wonderful, supportive wife Rose, children and grandchildren. A memorial service is planned for Friday, February 17th, 2012 at 1PM with Rev. Allen Johnson, Officiating and a Reception To Follow Service at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Service, Ocala Chapel, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd , Ocala, Fl and the family asks that charitable donations be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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### **MORGAN, JOE, 63**

Ocala - Joe Morgan, 63, passed away at Sylvia's House Hospice on Friday, February 10, 2012. He is survived by brothers: Eddie C. Gaston, Charlie C. Gaston, Willie Croskey and a host of other relatives and friends. A memorial service will be held on Friday, February 17, 2012 at 6:00 p.m. in the BROWN MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 706 SW Martin Luther King Avenue, Ocala, FL. Arrangements entrusted to BROWN MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATIONS SERVICES, LLC. 352-840-0611

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**PENDARVIS, BOBBY LEWIS, 67**

Fort McCoy - Bobby L. Pendarvis, 67, passed away at Estelle's House on February 12, 2012. Born in Tidewater, Florida, he lived in Marion County most all his life. He served with the US Army, and was a Trim Carpenter with Skyline Manufacturing. He is survived by his wife, Denise D. Pendarvis; sons, Timothy Daniel Pendarvis (Kerya) and Brian Lewis Pendarvis, both of Ocala; mother, Louise Pendarvis, Plant City; brother, Howard Junior Pendarvis (Judy), Dunnellon; sister, Sarah Jane Pendarvis, Plant City; and numerous loving nieces and nephews. Funeral Service will be 5:00 pm, Thursday, February 16, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony with Pastor Dennis New officiating. The family will receive friends at 4:30 prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society or Hospice of Marion County Estelle's House.

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**SMITH, MARJORIE "MIDGE" W.**

Ocala - Born July 18, 1924 in Norwalk, CT; died February 10, 2012 in Ocala, FL. She retired from the Wilton Public School System. She is survived by her son, Brian & Eileen Smith of Ocala, FL; brother, Donald R. Webb of Ocala, FL; seven grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and one great-great grandson. Preceded in death by husband John R. Smith, Sr.; and son, John R. Smith, Jr. Celebration of life will be held Saturday, February 18, 2012 at 12:30 PM HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to Hospice of Marion County.

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**SNOW, MYRTLY BESS, 73**

Myrtle Bess Snow 73 passed away on February 8, 2012 at Sylvia House. She leave to cherish her memories one daughter, Roslyn Snow, Santos, FL, one son, Michael Henry, Belleview, FL, grandson Dexter Randolph; Santos, FL two sisters: Mercie Bess and Hazel Jackson both of Ocala. FL five brothers: Merdic Bess Jr., Eugene Bess, Emanuel Bess Dudley Bess, all of Ocala FL Vassural Bess of Winter Haven, and a host of loving nieces, nephews, cousins, sorrowing friends. Funeral Services for Myrtle Bess Snow will be held on Saturday, February 18, 2012, at 12:00 p.m. at Belleview Church of Christ, Minister, Dan Mann, Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, February 17, 2012 from 9:00am to 5:00 pm at The New Cunningham Funeral Home. A wake service will be held on Friday at The New Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel of Faith 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens.

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**SULLIVAN, DANIEL PHILIP**

Summerfield- Born May 6, 1922 in Troy, NY; died February 12, 2012 in Summerfield, FL. He

was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. He proudly served our country during WW II and Korea in the US Navy and US Marines. He was a member of VFW Post # 8083, Spruce Creek Veterans Club, Fleet Reserve, DESA, USDR, Corpsmen United, US L. S. T. He is survived by his beloved wife of 49 years, Eleanor of Summerfield, FL; nephews, Donald, Edward, Daniel, and William Sullivan; nieces, Mary Beth Gelslechter, and Colleen Weatherstone; and three great-nieces. He was preceded in death by his parents, Daniel and Mary; brothers, George and Edward. Funeral mass will be Thursday, February 16, 2012 at 11:00 AM at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview, FL. Viewing will be one hour prior. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, The Villages 352-753-8353. Committal service will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, contributions are recommended to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or your favorite charity .

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### **TACKETT, DAVID LEE**

Mr. David Lee Tackett, 71, of Ocala, passed away at Estelle's Hospice House on Saturday, February 11, 2012. David was born in Cincinnati, OH on June 8, 1940 to parents, Herbert and Martha (Cullen) Tackett. He was a US Air Force Veteran. David moved to Ocala from Cincinnati in 1970. He spent many years as an over the road truck driver and enjoyed artistic painting. He was greatly loved and will be missed by those who survive him, including his wife, Vickie Tackett of Ocala; son, Mike Tackett of Gainesville; and sisters, Carole Sutton of Amelia Courthouse, VA and Janet Barrass of Verona, KY. Memorial services will be at Living Waters Worship Center, 3801 N Hwy 301, at 11:00 AM Saturday, February 18th. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Downtown Chapel. 352-622-4141

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### **TATRO, GARY J.**

Summerfield - Gary J. Tatro, 63, passed away on Sunday, Feb. 12, 2012. He was born in North Adams, MA and moved to this area in 1985. He enjoyed Classic Cars, hunting, fishing and bowling. He is survived by his daughters, Connie J. Kingsley of Ocala and Sheri Ladwig of North Branch, MN, his sisters, Bette Arnold of Stamford, VT and Kathleen Western of Deland, his brothers, Michael and David Tatro of Stamford, VT and Robert Tatro of Bennington, VT, his five granddaughters, his fiancé, Nancy Ascierio of Summerfield., his Godson, Peter Letourneau of Orange City, his step- children, Gina Mullins and Joseph Ascierio of Summerfield, his two step-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his wife, Barbara Tatro. Funeral services will be held on Friday, at 11:00 AM at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be on Thursday from 7-9 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Burial will be at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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### **TAYLOR, LAKIE ANISE, 90**

Lakie Anise Taylor, 90, passed away on Sunday, February 12, 2012. She was born December 15, 1921 to Joseph and Rose Collins Taylor in Heenan, (Pike County) KY. She attended Pikeville College in Kentucky, where she learned to utilize her talent for art. She was very creative and passed this legacy on to her children and grandchildren. She also worked for and retired from the South Williamson, KY branch of Appalachian Regional Health-Care as a Food Service Supervisor. Mom loved Jesus and was a member of the Big Branch Old Regular Baptist Church

on since 1949. This was another legacy she passed on to her children and grandchildren. We love you Mom, you will live in our hearts forever. After marriage of 70+ years, she was preceded in death by her husband, James Landon Taylor, II and also grandsons, Eric N. Weidle and Collin Jackson, and granddaughter Lacy Mae Taylor and 8 brothers and sisters. She is survived by her daughters, Lanise G. (Charlie) Weidle, Middletown, OH; Loretta D. (Doug) Leach, Versailles, KY; and her son, James L. (Catherine) Taylor, III, Ocala; 7 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren, 2 step great grandchildren. Services will be at 6:00 pm, Wednesday, February 15, 2012 at Southern Home Old Regular Baptist Church in Citra with the Elders of the Southern Home and Naomi Churches officiating. Interment will be at the Big Branch Old Regular Baptist Church and the Taylor Family Cemetery on Brushy Creek, KY., 1:00 P.M., Saturday, February 18, 2012. (with visitation preceding on Friday evening from 6 - 8 p.m., at Roger's Funeral Home, Belfry, KY. Donations can be made to the Southern Home, Naomi or Big Branch Church in lieu of flowers. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.

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### **HERRIN, JEFFREY K, 43**

Jeffrey K. Herrin, age 43 of Inglis, died Sunday, February 12, 2012. Jeff was born in Ocala, Fl and moved to Inglis 22 years ago. He loved his family, outdoors and fishing. Survivors include his wife Jennifer Herrin, son Koen Herrin, mother Jeanine Herrin, father JL Herrin and brother Joel Herrin. Memorial services will be conducted on Sunday February 19th 2012 at 4:00pm at the Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL 34432. Pastor Scott Sibinski will be officiating. Gathering will follow at Gruffs Restaurant in Dunnellon. In lieu of flowers the family is asking for contribution to be made to Jennifer and son Koen Herrin. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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### **KLUMBACK, CHRISTINE**

Christine "Chris" Klumbach was born on September 11, 1924 in Philadelphia, PA to Joseph and Elsie DeGiorgio, she went home to the Lord on February 14, 2012 in Ocala, FL. Christine was a Sales Secretary in the Bookbinding Business . She moved to Ocala, Florida from Kregsgeville, PA in 1993. Chris was a very active Member of Queen Of Peace Catholic Church, where she served as a Eucharistic Minister, Served Communion to the Sick and a Member of the Council of Catholic Women she was most noted as the Head Greeter before Mass. She was active in the Polk Township Fire Co. Auxiliary, Past President of the Ladies Auxiliary of VFW Post 4781 and also, a Life Member . American Legion Post 284, Belleview, Palm Cay Singles Club, Prestige 55. Chris is Survived by her Sister Vita Dailey of Dunnellon, Niece Christina Caffrey of Rockledge, PA, Niece Theresa Mink of Stroudsburg, PA and Numerous Nieces and Nephews. Visitation will be Thursday February 16, 2012 from 4-7PM with Prayers at 4PM with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timberridge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. A Funeral Mass will be said on Friday February 17, 2012 at 8:30 AM with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty, Celebrant at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery. Friends may contribute to the charity of their choice in Christine's name or have a Mass Said in her memory.

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### **MASON, EDWARD A.**

Ocala - Edward A. Mason passed away at Sylvia's House hospice in Ocala, FL on February 12, 2012 at the age of 76, after a long, valiant struggle with cancer. He was the beloved husband of Rose Mason, also of Ocala, and the father of 5 children: Jeffrey Mason of Lititz, PA; Kelly Mason of Shenandoah, PA; Leslie Mason of Philadelphia, PA; Rhodes Mason of Collingswood, NJ; and Christopher Mason of Palmyra, PA. He was pre-deceased by a brother, Francis D. Mason Jr., and a sister, Mary Shilling. In addition to his wife and children, he is survived by his younger brother Richard and his wife Kay of Syracuse, NY, 8 step-children and 24 grandchildren, as well as many cousins, nieces and nephews. Born the son of the late F. Donald and Pearl Sherman Mason, Edward Mason grew up on a dairy farm in Dryden, NY. After graduating from Dryden High School, where he lettered in baseball his freshman year and was the quarterback of the football team, he attended Cornell University for a year, where he played trumpet in the marching band, and then enlisted in a US Army Communications Intelligence unit during the Korean conflict in 1953, achieving the rank of sergeant before honorable discharge in 1956. He next attended Florida State University, where he became an avid, lifelong football fan, then graduated from Pitt with a major in Marketing. He took his first job in sales and marketing with Bell of PA and held successive positions in Bell of PA, BellSouth and AT&T, retiring in 1989 while living in Atlanta, GA. He moved to The Villages in Central Florida in 2001 where he met his wife of 10 years, Rose Truluck, and they married on Valentine's Day, 2002. Ed Mason was a jazz aficionado, Seminole football fan, golfing enthusiast and enjoyed spending the last years of his life with his wonderful, supportive wife Rose, children and grandchildren. A



memorial service is planned for Friday, February 17th, 2012 at 1PM with Rev. Allen Johnson, Officiating and a Reception To Follow Service at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Service, Ocala Chapel, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd , Ocala, Fl and the family asks that charitable donations be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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**MORGAN, JOE, 63**

Ocala - Joe Morgan, 63, passed away at Sylvia's House Hospice on Friday, February 10, 2012. He is survived by brothers: Eddie C. Gaston, Charlie C. Gaston, Willie Croskey and a host of other relatives and friends. A memorial service will be held on Friday, February 17, 2012 at 6:00 p.m. in the BROWN MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL, 706 SW Martin Luther King Avenue, Ocala, FL. Arrangements entrusted to BROWN MEMORIAL FUNERAL HOME AND CREMATIONS SERVICES, LLC. 352-840-0611

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**SNOW, MYRTLY BESS, 73**

Myrtle Bess Snow 73 passed away on February 8, 2012 at Sylvia House. She leave to cherish her memories one daughter, Roslyn Snow, Santos, FL, one son, Michael Henry, Belleview, FL, grandson Dexter Randolph; Santos, FL two sisters: Mercie Bess and Hazel Jackson both of

Ocala. FL five brothers: Merdic Bess Jr., Eugene Bess, Emanuel Bess Dudley Bess, all of Ocala FL Vassural Bess of Winter Haven, and a host of loving nieces, nephews, cousins, sorrowing friends. Funeral Services for Myrtle Bess Snow will be held on Saturday, February 18, 2012, at 12:00 p.m. at Belleview Church of Christ, Minister, Dan Mann, Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, February 17, 2012 from 9:00am to 5:00 pm at The New Cunningham Funeral Home. A wake service will be held on Friday at The New Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel of Faith 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens.  
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**WILSON, PEGGY J., 82**

Peggy J. Wilson, 82, of Dunnellon, FL, went to be with her Lord from Ocala, FL on Tuesday, February 14, 2012. Born on October 8, 1929 in Carmi, Illinois, daughter to the late Harvey and Vivian (Wright) McDaniels, she moved here from Miami, FL in 1976. She was a cashier for many years, and retired from Walgreens. Peggy was a member of House of Power Church, Lecanto, FL where she sang with the choir. Her Family and Church were her life. She did enjoy knitting. Peggy is survived by her beloved husband of 61 years, Paul Wilson of Dunnellon: children, Gloria Jean Gindy (Mark) of Ocala, Larry Wilson (Amy) of Miami and Garry Wilson (Debbie) of Dunnellon: grandchildren, Paul, Jennifer, Karen, Charles, Lauren, David and Daniel; great-grandchildren, Halie, Nathan, Elissa and Ayden. The Funeral Service will be held at 11:00AM on Saturday, February 18, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Family will receive their friends at the TimberRidge Chapel on Friday, February 17, 2012 from 4:00PM to 6:00PM. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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Maddie Bensinger and Helen (Andrew) Flor; great grandchildren, Aric, Rachel and Ethan-David Flor. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Ronald McDonald House or the Shepherd Spinal Center, Atlanta, GA. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944)  
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**FRITCKE**

Emil and Theresa Fritcke, and their daughter Donna Marie Fritcke, will be laid to rest at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery in Ocala, Florida on Monday, February 27th. Services will be at 1:30 pm. Emil was born March 6, 1925 in Cleveland, Ohio. He was a WWII Army veteran and an accountant with Quaker State Oil Company for 42 years. Emil passed away on October 16, 2007. Theresa (Ropchuck) was born on August 19, 1927 in Hawk Run, Pennsylvania. In addition to being a devoted wife of 56 years and mother, she was a receptionist for several small businesses. Theresa passed away on February 12, 2008. Donna Marie was born in Cleveland, Ohio on April 27, 1952. She was a graduate of University Hospitals of Cleveland Institute of Pathology. Donna Marie was a histotechnologist for several health care companies in Florida and a devoted Florida Gator fan. Donna passed away on June 3, 2010. Arrangements are under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, The Villages, FL. 352-753-8353  
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**LANKENAU, MICHAEL J.**

Michael J. Lankenau, 84, of Ocala, passed away on Thursday, February 16, 2012 at Legacy House in Ocala, FL. Michael was born in Brooklyn, NY. He served in the US Navy during WWII. He retired from the NYPD in 1973 and worked for Mutual of NY before moving to Ocala in 1979 from Smithtown, NY. He is survived by his wife Lena of 63 years, his sons; William, Robert and Michael, sisters; Marie Fiorillo and Camille Prinzivalli, 6 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. Visitation at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Monday, Feb. 20th from 2 - 4 and 6 - 8. Funeral Mass on Tuesday, Feb 21st at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. The family requests donations be sent to Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL, 34481 in Michael's name.  
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**OBER, DEWITT R.**

DeWitt R. Ober, 83, a retired Master Sergeant for the U.S. Air Force, died Wednesday, February 15, 2012 at the Tuscany Hospice House in Summerfield. A native of Texarkana, Texas, he moved here from Huntsville, Alabama, in 1988. He was a veteran of World War II, Korean and Vietnam Wars. He was a lifetime member of VFW Post 4209, DAV Chapter 85 and Air Force Sergeants Association Chapter 566. He served as Treasurer of the Northeast Homeowners Association for the years 1991-92. Mr. Ober was Protestant. He was preceded in death by his wife of 52 years, Barbara J. Ober, on April 7, 2001, son Dwight W. Ober on November 1, 1996, and brother Bobby H. Ober on June 22, 1993. Survivors include his son Karl R. Ober, Orlando; brother Wayne Ober, Lacey's Spring, Alabama; sisters, Floy Brown and Deloise Davis, Texarkana, Texas; and one granddaughter. Private family services were held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL., under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Fl.



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Memphis where he met his wife Ann Elise Longhill. They were married April 8, 1961, in Memphis, TN. He attended Wichita State University then worked for Boeing Aircraft for three years and for G.E. Medical Systems in St. Louis, MO as a Sr. Field Engineer for 30 years. Dan was active in Mary Queen of Peace parish in St. Louis and in St. John the Baptist parish in Dunnellon, FL where he and Ann Elise (Nikki) retired in 1998. One of his greatest joys was sitting on his dock watching the Rainbow River and all the wildlife. He also enjoyed the family visits from his children and grandchildren whom he loved so much. Daniel is pre-deceased by his mother, Mary Graper, and his father Daniel J. Connors, Sr., and his sister Mary Connors, and is survived by his devoted wife Ann Elise (Nikki), his loving children: Mary Elise, Kristin (Keith), Kathy (Joe Clare), Daniel III (Christeen), Maggie, Angela, John (Katinka), Molly and David (Johnna), his beloved grandchildren: Sean (Jackie), Erica (Logan), Ashleigh, Lauren, Kyle, Brendan, Joey, Nick, Daniel IV, Gabrielle, Haley, Caitlyn, Alex, Cristian, Olivia, and Elian, and great grandchildren: Riley and Ryan as well as his dear sisters-in-law Margaret Longhill, Chris Lyle, and Jean Longhill and many beloved nieces and nephews. Visitation will be Wednesday 3:00 - 6:00 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. A Mass of Christian Burial will be Thursday, 10:00 a.m. at St. John the Baptist Roman Catholic Church. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery. Condolences may be left at [www.RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://www.RobertsofDunnellon.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 21 to February 22, 2012

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retirement and have been very active in many local charity events. He is survived by his second wife, LaVerne K. Hope, and his step-daughter, Judy (Jerry) Cook of Ocala. Viewing will take place at Forest Lawn Funeral Home on Wed., Feb. 22nd from 2:30-3:30 p.m. with a service to follow at 3:30 p.m. to be conducted by Dr. John Few. Burial will take place at Huntsville, Alabama. In lieu of flowers the family wishes memorial contributions be made to Marion County Hospice, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478 or Ocala Royal Dames for Cancer Research, Inc., P.O. Box 6163 Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements are entrusted to Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, FL.

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#### **KELLY, RICHARD WARNER , 74**

Ocala - Richard W. Kelly passed away on February 20, 2012. He was born in Jonesboro-Hodge, LA, on February 18, 1938. Richard graduated from Minden High School in 1956. He attended the University of Arkansas at Little Rock and was a Machinist by trade. Richard was married to Cynthia Kelly May 27, 1976. Richard served in the Louisiana Army National Guard from 1956 to 1968. He retired from Maybelline, Inc. in 1995. Richard was preceded in death by his father, Rufus W. Kelly, and mother, Lucille L. Kelly, of Searcy, AR. He is survived by his wife of 35

years, Cynthia Kelly; daughter, Deanne Kelly, Magnolia, AR; daughter, Jewell Kelly and husband Darmon Jones of Ocala; son, Richard Kelly Jr., of Ocala; sister, Marguerite (Bill) Sutterfield, Searcy, AR; brother, Michael L. (Virginia) Kelly, LTC (Ret.) US Army, Panama City Beach, FL; brother, Patrick C. (Annette) Kelly, Tempe, AZ; sister, Roberta (Michael) Meeks, Lawrenceville, GA; his eight grandchildren, Tyler Kelly, Ryley Jordan, Baley and Paxton Pace of Magnolia, AR; Lourdes Jones, Emma Kelly and Scartlett Kelly, Ocala; Saige Kelly, Little Rock, AR; along with a host of nephews and nieces and other loved ones. Memorial service will be held 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 22, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. In lieu of flowers, the family would like donations made to Hospice of Marion County.

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**MARTINO, ROSS F., 93**

Ocala - Ross F. Martino, 93, of Ocala, FL passed away at home on Feb. 13, 2012. Born in Pittsburgh, PA and a lifelong Steeler fan, he was the loving husband of 68 years to Emily, and father to Raymond and Nancy. He served in the US Army during WWII as Chief Warrant Officer, III and was awarded numerous medals before joining the US Army Reserves and he was later recalled to active duty. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Funeral Services will be Friday, 2/24/12 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church at 8:30 a.m. with Fr. O'Doherty officiating. Final resting place will be in Bushnell at the FL National Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or Queen of Peace Catholic Church.

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**MADORE MOTTL, GEORGETTE ANNE MARIE, 59**

Ocala - Georgette Anne Marie Madore Mottl, 59, of Ocala passed away on Friday, February 10, 2012 at Moffitt Cancer Center in Tampa. Mrs. Mottl is a native of North Hampton, MA, moving to this area from Miami in 1978. She is a 2002 graduate of St. Leo College, member of Phi Beta Kappa, and past Head Chair of the DEC. An avid reader, she had a thirst for knowledge, and loved to spend time with her family and her granddaughters in particular. Survivors include her husband Ed, daughter Nicole Bridgette Martin of Ocala; son Michael Alan (Karen) Mottl of

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### **OPITZ, KAREN, 70**

Ocala - Karen Opitz went to be with her Lord on Feb. 17, 2012. She was born December 9, 1941 in Milwaukee, WI. She graduated with both Bachelor and Master's degrees in education from the University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee. In 1977, the family moved from Milwaukee to Ocala and purchased a small printing company renaming it First Impressions Printing. Karen grew First Impressions to be the largest printing/design firm in Marion County winning over 100 Addy awards for design excellence. As President, Karen actively supported the Economic Development Council, the Chamber of Commerce, and many local charities. She was later named Marion County's first Small Business Person of the Year by the Chamber of Commerce. After 29 years, in 2005, the Opitz's sold the company and retired to travel the world. Throughout her life Karen and her husband Charles explored more than 60 countries, most exotic and remote, fulfilling her love of travel. Karen is survived by her loving husband of 47 years, Charles, and two sons, Mike (Denise) and Dan (Sook). She has two grandsons, Forrest and Drew along with her mother, Lillian and a sister, Sandra (Roy) and sister-in-law, Nancy (John). She also leaves many friends and relatives. All her friends are invited to a celebration of her life on Thursday, March 1st to be held at First Presbyterian Church of Ocala (511 SE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL 34471) at 4:00 p.m. with a reception following in the Fellowship Hall adjacent to the Church. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to First Presbyterian Church. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.

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### **CALLAHAN, MAURICE FRANKLIN, 75**

Pensacola, FL - Maurice F. Callahan passed away from this earthly life on February 17, 2012 in Pensacola, FL. During the last days of his life, he was under the care and compassionate staff of Regency Hospice and Asbury Place. The family wishes to express their deepest gratitude to both. Born on February 6, 1937 in North Carolina, Maurice lived most of his life in Ocala, FL. He ran a successful heating and air conditioning business for over 45 years. Some of his passions in life was traveling, flying, and photography. He was one of five children born to the late James and Cassie Callahan. Also preceding him in death were two sisters, Rebecca Ann and June Lorraine, two brothers, Ronald William and Donald James and a son, Alan Rodney. Survivors include two daughters, Katherine Reeve and Wanda Brown and a son, Ronnie Callahan. He had two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. A private memorial will held at a later date with his immediate family. Reeds Funeral Home in Pensacola will be handling the final arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 23 to February 25, 2012

### **CONN, MARIE T., 98**

Viginia - Marie T. Conn, age 98, passed away on February 10, 2012, in Alexandria, VA. She was born in Green Bay, WI and was an Army nurse when she met and married then Lt. Charles Conn, US Army, in 1941. She resided in Ocala from 1977 to 2007. Col. Conn died in 1997. She is survived by her daughter, Anna Martin; her son, Joseph Conn; two grandchildren Charles Conn and Benjamin Martin and numerous nephews and nieces. Internment will be at Arlington National Cemetery on a future date. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in her name to Capital Care Hospice, 2900 Telestar Ct., Falls Church, VA 22042. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 22 to February 23, 2012

### **DAWE, DVM, RONALD LOUIS, 66**

Ocala - Dr. Ronald Louis Dawe, well-known equine veterinarian, died Saturday, February 18, 2012; he was 66. Dr. Dawe, who lived in Ocala, FL, had battled cancer over the past year as well as dementia, brought on by a brain injury sustained while treating a horse in 2006. He was educated at Ashland College and Ohio State University and practiced his devotion and veterinary skills in many states. Dr. Dawe was a member of the AAEP, AVMA, AVCA, IVAS, FAEP, TOBA, FTFMA, and FTBA. Most importantly, he was a member of The Atlanta church of Christ and a true disciple of the Lord. Dr. Dawe is survived by his loving wife and partner, Ellen, and their three cherished children (Lauren, 21; Matthew, 14 and Nathan, 12). In addition, he is survived by one brother and two sisters: Peter Dawe (Stroudsburg, PA), Tammy (Dawe) Meiner (Washington, NJ) and Noel (Dawe) Gieda (Flanders, NJ) as well as their families. Dr. Dawe was pre-deceased by his parents, brother Richard (Rusty) Dawe and a sister, Victoria Jeanne Dawe. A celebration of Dr. Dawe's life will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 25, 2012, at the Meadowbrook Church, located at 4741 SW 20 St., Ocala, FL 34474. In lieu of flowers, the family humbly requests assistance in helping to off-set medical, funeral and emergency expenses that the family must now endure as they have exhausted their savings and are now losing their home. The American Cancer Society has provided a website for donations to help at <http://www.giveforward.com/rondawe>.

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**EDWARDS, MATTIE, 93**

Ocala - Mattie Edwards, 93, passed away on Thursday, February 16, 2012 at Legacy House. She leaves to cherish her memory, three sons, Oscar Cox, Willingboro, NJ, George Edwards, Sugar Hill, GA; and Johnnie Edwards, Ocala, FL; five daughters, Mildred Archie, Washington, NJ; Jean Townsend, Lorene Gabriel, both of Delray Beach, FL; Antionette Cox, Dunnellon, FL; and Rachel Edwards, Ocala, FL; 28 grandchildren; 86 great-grandchildren; 43 great-great-grands; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Ms. Edwards will be held on Saturday, February 25, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. at Siloam Baptist Church, Rev. Reginald Thomas, Pastor and Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, February 24, 2012 from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A wake service will be held on Friday at Siloam Baptist Church, 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. Interment: Siloam Baptist Church, Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations made to Siloam Baptist Church.

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**KELLY, RICHARD WARNER , 74**

Ocala - Richard W. Kelly passed away on February 20, 2012. He was born in Jonesboro-Hodge, LA, on February 18, 1938. Richard graduated from Minden High School in 1956. He attended the University of Arkansas at Little Rock and was a Machinist by trade. Richard was married to Cynthia Kelly May 27, 1976. Richard served in the Louisiana Army National Guard from 1956 to 1968. He retired from Maybelline, Inc. in 1995. Richard was preceded in death by his father, Rufus W. Kelly, and mother, Lucille L. Kelly, of Searcy, AR. He is survived by his wife of 35 years, Cynthia Kelly; daughter, Deanne Kelly, Magnolia, AR; daughter, Jewell Kelly and husband Darmon Jones of Ocala; son, Richard Kelly Jr., of Ocala; sister, Marguerite (Bill) Sutterfield, Searcy, AR; brother, Michael L. (Virginia) Kelly, LTC (Ret.) US Army, Panama City Beach, FL; brother, Patrick C. (Annette) Kelly, Tempe, AZ; sister, Roberta (Michael) Meeks, Lawrenceville, GA; his eight grandchildren, Tyler Kelly, Ryley Jordan, Baley and Paxton Pace of Magnolia, AR; Lourdes Jones, Emma Kelly and Scartlett Kelly, Ocala; Saige Kelly, Little Rock, AR; along with a host of nephews and nieces and other loved ones. Memorial service will be held 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 22, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. In lieu of flowers, the family would like donations made to Hospice of Marion County.

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**MARCELLETTI, DR. PASQUALE, 70**

Ocala - Dr. Pasquale Marcelletti of Ocala went to be with our Lord on February 17, 2012. He was the son of Joseph and Elizabeth Marcelletti of North Bergen, NJ. He was beloved by his wife JoAnn Marcelletti and sister Carolyn Cairolì. He is survived by his children: Nadine, Joseph S. Marcelletti of NJ and Joseph A. Marcelletti of Ocala; granddaughter Arielle Rajob and stepdaughter Danielle Rajob of Ocala, and stepdaughter Justine Propst of PA, and many nieces and nephews. A memorial will be held on Friday, February 24th at 1:00 p.m. at St. John Lutheran Church presided by Rev. Kenneth Shamens. Arrangements entrusted to Brown Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Services, LLC, 706 SW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave., Ocala, FL.

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**MARTINO, ROSS F., 93**

Ocala - Ross F. Martino, 93, of Ocala, FL passed away at home on Feb. 13, 2012. Born in Pittsburgh, PA and a lifelong Steeler fan, he was the loving husband of 68 years to Emily, and father to Raymond and Nancy. He served in the US Army during WWII as Chief Warrant Officer, III and was awarded numerous medals before joining the US Army Reserves and he was later recalled to active duty. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Funeral Services will be Friday, 2/24/12 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church at 8:30 a.m. with Fr. O'Doherty officiating. Final resting place will be in Bushnell at the FL National Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or Queen of Peace Catholic Church.

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**PASCUAL, CARMEN C., 86**

Ocala - Carmen C. Pascual, 86, of Ocala, died Monday February 20, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born on February 22, 1925 in Banes, Cuba a daughter to the late Alfredo and Felicita Cisneros. In addition to her parents she was also preceded in death by her husband of 61 years Carlos Pascual. Carmen belonged to Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She leaves behind to cherish her memories two sons and daughters-in-law Charles and JoAnn Pascual of Tampa, FL, Cesar Pascual and Geraldine Adams of Atlanta, GA, two daughters and a son-in-law Carmen and Don Maines of Ocala, FL, Cristina Pascual of Ocala, FL, four sisters and a brother, Ana Burgos, Delia Jarro, Mary Wright, Julia Fitzpatrick, Fred Cisneros, six grandchildren, seven great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. A visitation has been scheduled for Wednesday, February 22, 2012 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Thursday, February 23, 2012 at 1:00pm at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. The family recommends donations

to the ARC Marion Foundation in lieu of flowers. Forest Lawn Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

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### **SCALES, FLORENCE LYTLE, 93**

Weirsdale - Mrs. Florence Lytle Scales, 93, of Weirsdale, FL passed away at her home on Wed, Feb. 22, 2012. Mrs. Scales was born in Weirsdale and spent most of her life there. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church. She is survived by her daughters-in-law; Leslie E. Scales and Harriet C. Scales, grandchildren; Matthew Key Scales of Leesburg, Wade Barton Scales of Miami, Earl Lytle Scales, Jr. of Gainesville, Dr. Erin McKee Scales of St. Augustine, Dr. John Socrates Scales of Gainesville, Brett Gunning Scales of Weirsdale and Alexandra Marie Scales of Weirsdale, and 6 great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, P.B. Key Scales, Jr. and her 4 sons; P.B. Key Scales, III, Dr. John Fairley Scales, Earl Lytle Scales, and George Gunning Scales. Graveside services for Mrs. Scales will be held on Sat, Feb 25, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. at Greenwood Cemetery in Weirsdale. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com). Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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**SIMS, BETTY MARTIN STEPHENS, 98**

Dunnellon - Betty Martin Stephens Sims, Dunnellon, Florida, 98, died Tuesday, February 14, 2012. She was born August 13, 1913 in Shellman, Georgia. She taught school in Levy and Marion Counties for over 31 years, worked as a rural mail carrier and real estate agent. She was active in several organizations including The Women's Club of Dunnellon, Historical Society, Order of Eastern Star #235, The NRLCA (letter carrier's association), was a former member of Delta Dapa Gamma Sorority. She was a member of The First Baptist Church of Dunnellon where she taught Sunday School until the age of 90. After moving into an assisted living facility in 2008, she enjoyed the bus ministry of Riverland Baptist Church. Survivors include 3 sons: Martin Stephens, Ocala, FL, Dix Stephens, Trenton, FL and Stan Stephens, Bradenton, FL, 2 stepsons: George Stephens, Inglis, FL and Judson Stephens, Leesburg, FL, 2 stepdaughters: Ellen Teague, Gaithersburg, MD and Mary Hay, Hawthorne, FL, 31 grandchildren, 60 great-grandchildren and 37 great-great-grandchildren. Funeral services are scheduled for 10:30 a.m. Saturday, February 25, 2012 at The Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, Florida. Visitation will be 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Friday, February 24, 2012 at the funeral home. Online condolences may be offered at robertsofdunnellon.com.

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**SMITH, RUTH W., 68**

Ocala - Ruth W. Smith, 68, passed away on Sunday, February 12, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, a loving husband; Joe Lee Smith Sr.; daughters: Gwendolyn Gillings, Valerie Roberts & Tawana Smith; son, Joe Lee Smith Jr.; 18 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren; sister, Daisy Bell; brother, Tony Rice; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be on Saturday, February 25, 2012 at 3pm at Greater A.O.H. Church of God, D. D. Brown Pastor. Visitation will be on Friday, February 24, 2012 from 10am-6pm at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a memory that will never fade".

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**SPENCER, JR., HARRY IRA**

Silver Springs - Announcing the passing of Harry Ira Spencer, Jr. of Silver Springs, FL. Born and raised in Ocala, son of "Pop & Mom" Spencer. He retired from the State Road Department of Florida and Holiday Inn Restaurant. "Bubba" died at his home in Silver Springs on February 16, 2012. He is survived by his wife of 25 years, Carolyn, of Silver Springs; one daughter, Little Carolyn of Silver Springs; one son Harry Ira III of Orlando, and two sisters, Betty Spencer Barton of Weirsdale and Frances Spencer of Belleview, 3 nieces and 9 nephews. A Graveside service will be held on Friday, February 24, 2:00 PM at Highland Memorial Park.

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### **TERRY, MINNIE LEE, 83**

Mrs. Minnie Lee Terry age 83 Transitioned From This Life on Sunday February 19,2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida She Was a Window Assembler For Custom Window Systems. She Was Born in Lakeland, Georgia. She Was Educated in West Louisville School System, Jacksonville, Florida She was a Member of United Tabernacle Church of God in Christ, Zuber, Florida. Where she was the church Mother. She is Survived by Her Husband James Terry Sr. Daughters: Barbara Cabarris, Jeanette Lucky, Carolyn Terry-James (Lester), Patsy Freitag, Patricia Terry, Laura Lester(Earl).Sons: James Terry Jr., Robert Terry, Earnest Terry, Kelvin Terry, Daryl Terry 2Step-Sons:Kenny Jackson, Virgil Richardson Brother: Anderson Dixon, 35 Grandchildren, 86 Great-Grandchildren, 20 Great-Great Grandchildren. Funeral Services For Mrs. Minnie Lee Terry, age 83, Retired Window Assemble for Custom Windows will be held on Saturday February 25, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. at Theological Seminary 1105 Northwest 4th Street Ocala, Florida Reverend Dr. Fred Maeweathers Sr. Moderator and Elder Elton Oliver Sr. conducting the services. Interment will be in the Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, Florida under the Care of Summers Funeral Home Inc. 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida 34475 352-351-0566 Visitation will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 P.M. AT THE CHURCH ON Saturday 12:00 P.M. until time of Service. No Viewing After THE Eulogy. You may signed the Guest Register Book at [www.Summersfh.com](http://www.Summersfh.com) A Summers Funeral Service Makes the Difference. Our Family Serving Your Family.

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### **TUGGERSON, CARLTON LEE, 52**

Reddick - Mr. Carlton Lee Tuggerson, 52, died February 19, 2012. Mr. Tuggerson attended Free Will Temple of God under the leadership of Pastor Gary Honor. Funeral Services will be on Saturday, February 25, 2012, 1:00 p.m., at Church of God By Faith in Righteousness and True Holiness Church, Citra, FL with Elder Artes Jackson providing the Words of Comfort and Reverend Michael Baker, Sr. presiding. A Wake Service will be held on Thursday at 7 p.m. at Sellers Funeral Home. The family will be receiving friends during this hour of reflection. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 until 7 p.m. Family and friends are

asked to meet at the residence on Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkerson (1288 N.E. 140th Street, Citra, FL) on Saturday at 12:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Tuggerson, who was preceded in death by parents Mrs. Helen and Mr. John Wilkerson, Jr.; fiancée Debra Taylor; daughters: Shenita Tuggerson, Tyronjla Smith, Taquanya Taylor; son Tyrell Taylor; sisters: Sylvia (John) Stroud, Iris Anderson, Helen (Calvin) Woods; brothers: John (Sherida) Wilkerson, Randall Wilkerson, James (Diane) Wilkerson, Anton Davis; 8 grandchildren; aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends.

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Soldotna, AK - Soldotna, Alaska resident Esther R. Wondrack-Stonaker-DeCesare, 84, died Saturday, Feb. 11, 2012 at Harbor Lights Assisted Living near Soldotna. Private services will be held at a later date. Essie was born Nov. 7, 1927 in Bloomfield, New Jersey to Millard and Florence (Ori) Burris. Essie was a member of Bonnie's Belles. "She was a loving mother, daughter, sister, aunt and friend. Essie was a lively spirit who tapped danced her way in the people's heart from the East Coast to the Last Frontier of Alaska. She will be dearly missed by those who knew and loved her," her family said. Essie is survived by her children, Donald, Susan and Gary; several grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Arrangements were by Peninsula Memorial Chapel, Kenai, AK.

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##### **BISHOP, PAM, 76**

Gainesville - Pam Bishop, age 76, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, February 22, 2012 at home surrounded by her family. Pam was born December 18, 1935 and raised in Gainesville, Florida. She was the youngest of four siblings, one brother and two sisters, who preceded her in death. Pam was an original member of the Pinegrove Baptist Church and graduated from P. K. Yonge. Soon after her graduation, Pam met her soul-mate of 56 years, Doug Bishop, whom she married on November 24, 1955. Doug and Pam recently celebrated a wonderful 50 years of marriage with family and friends. In her early years, Pam worked at the telephone company, but motherhood soon took center stage with the addition of Donna, Greg and Sande. With the success of Doug's business, Pam devoted her life and time to her husband and three children. Later in life, Pam and Doug traveled North America in their RV bus, with Pam driving of course. From Canada and Alaska to Mexico and Maine, Pam drove through 49 states. Pam and Doug visited National Parks and resorts along the way with Biloxi, Mississippi being one of Pam's personal favorites. A true southern woman of many passions, Pam's favorites were cooking, golfing, fishing in Crystal River, playing bridge with her friends, attending Florida football games for five decades and crossword puzzles. Pam is survived by her husband, Richard Douglas Bishop; daughter, Donna Joy Bishop Eiland and son-in-law Mark; son, Gregory Thomas Bishop and daughter-in-law Kimberly; daughter, Sandra Kay Hunter and, of course, her loving puppy, Princess. Pam's pride and joy were her seven grandchildren, James, Tyler, Kirk, Tara, Erin,



Clayton and Kendylle. Pam was a loving, loyal, caring and best friend to many. Her love and laughter will be long remembered and her spirit will live on through her children and grandchildren for years to come. Funeral Service will be held Saturday, February 25, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church, 4000 N.W. 53rd Avenue, with Dr. Dan Johnson officiating, and a reception immediately following. Interment will be at 3:00 p.m. in the Cedar Key Cemetery, Cedar Key, Florida. The family will receive friends Friday, February 24, 2012 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME, WEST AREA, 823 N.W. 143rd Street. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Alachua Chapter of the American Cancer Society , 2119 S.W. 16th Street, Gainesville, FL 32608.

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### **CALLAHAN, MAURICE FRANKLIN, 75**

Pensacola, FL - Maurice F. Callahan passed away from this earthly life on February 17, 2012 in Pensacola, FL. During the last days of his life, he was under the care and compassionate staff of Regency Hospice and Asbury Place. The family wishes to express their deepest gratitude to both. Born on February 6, 1937 in North Carolina, Maurice lived most of his life in Ocala, FL. He ran a successful heating and air conditioning business for over 45 years. Some of his passions in life was traveling, flying, and photography. He was one of five children born to the late James and Cassie Callahan. Also proceeding him in death were two sisters, Rebecca Ann and June Lorraine, two brothers, Ronald William and Donald James and a son, Alan Rodney. Survivors include two daughters, Katherine Reeve and Wanda Brown and a son, Ronnie Callahan. He had two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. A private memorial will held at a later date with his immediate family. Reeds Funeral Home in Pensacola will be handling the final arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 23 to February 25, 2012

### **DAWE, DVM, RONALD LOUIS, 66**

Ocala - Dr. Ronald Louis Dawe, well-known equine veterinarian, died Saturday, February 18, 2012; he was 66. Dr. Dawe, who lived in Ocala, FL, had battled cancer over the past year as well as dementia, brought on by a brain injury sustained while treating a horse in 2006. He was educated at Ashland College and Ohio State University and practiced his devotion and veterinary skills in many states. Dr. Dawe was a member of the AAEP, AVMA, AVCA, IVAS, FAEP, TOBA, FTFMA, and FTBA. Most importantly, he was a member of The Atlanta church of Christ and a true disciple of the Lord. Dr. Dawe is survived by his loving wife and partner, Ellen, and their three cherished children (Lauren, 21; Matthew, 14 and Nathan, 12). In addition, he is survived by one brother and two sisters: Peter Dawe (Stroudsburg, PA), Tammy (Dawe) Meiner (Washington, NJ) and Noel (Dawe) Gieda (Flanders, NJ) as well as their families. Dr. Dawe was pre-deceased by his parents, brother Richard (Rusty) Dawe and a sister, Victoria Jeanne Dawe. A celebration of Dr. Dawe's life will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 25, 2012, at the Meadowbrook Church, located at 4741 SW 20 St., Ocala, FL 34474. In lieu of flowers, the family humbly requests assistance in helping to off-set medical, funeral and emergency expenses that the family must now endure as they have exhausted their savings and are now losing their home. The American Cancer Society has provided a website for donations to help at

<http://www.giveforward.com/rondawe>.

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**EDWARDS, MATTIE, 93**

Ocala - Mattie Edwards, 93, passed away on Thursday, February 16, 2012 at Legacy House. She leaves to cherish her memory, three sons, Oscar Cox, Willingboro, NJ, George Edwards, Sugar Hill, GA; and Johnnie Edwards, Ocala, FL; five daughters, Mildred Archie, Washington, NJ; Jean Townsend, Lorene Gabriel, both of Delray Beach, FL; Antionette Cox, Dunnellon, FL; and Rachel Edwards, Ocala, FL; 28 grandchildren; 86 great-grandchildren; 43 great-great-grands; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Ms. Edwards will be held on Saturday, February 25, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. at Siloam Baptist Church, Rev. Reginald Thomas, Pastor and Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, February 24, 2012 from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A wake service will be held on Friday at Siloam Baptist Church, 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. Interment: Siloam Baptist Church, Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations made to Siloam Baptist Church.

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**HINEMAN, DOROTHY, 81**

Ocala - Dorothy "Rusty" M. Hineman, 81, of Ocala, FL, died Saturday, February 18, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born August 23, 1930 in Wheeling, WV. She moved here from West Palm Beach in 1996. Mrs. Hineman was a Homemaker. She was a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church, and the Red Hat Society. She also enjoyed community volunteer work. She is survived by: son Michael Hineman (Kim) of Crawfordville, FL, mother Henrietta Moore of Canton, OH, 2 brothers William J. Moore, Jr. of Canton, OH, Gary L. Moore of Mineral Springs, OH, 5 grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Richard D. Hineman, son Richard A. Hineman, daughter Brenda Maceyka, and grandson Chad Maceyka. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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**KOON, IRMA JEAN, 88**

Greenville, SC - Irma Jean Cowsert Koon, 88, widow of Hugh W. Koon, Jr., died Wednesday, February 22, 2012 at Cascades in Greenville, SC. A native of Florida for over 80 years, Irma Jean was born on September 24, 1923 in Tarpon Springs to John and Irma Cowsert, both deceased. She graduated from St. Petersburg High School in 1941. She received her nursing degree from Mount Park Hospital Nursing School and then patriotically served her country during WWII as a 2nd Lt Army nurse. After the war, she worked at Bay Pines Veterans Hospital and in 1947 she married Hugh Koon. In that same year, both Hugh and Irma enrolled on the GI Bill to the University of Florida, where Irma was in the first class of women admitted. Irma was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Kathryn and Richard Guthrie; grandchildren, Kevin and Denise Guthrie; and great-grandchild, Collin Sipe. She is predeceased by her husband, Hugh Koon; infant daughter, Debbie; her brother, Col. John Cowsert; and sister, Caroline Hammer. She will be interred with her husband in the Columbarium at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL.

Arrangements by Cannon Funeral Home, Fountain Inn, SC.

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**MARCELLETTI, DR. PASQUALE, 70**

Ocala - Dr. Pasquale Marcelletti of Ocala went to be with our Lord on February 17, 2012. He was the son of Joseph and Elizabeth Marcelletti of North Bergen, NJ. He was beloved by his wife JoAnn Marcelletti and sister Carolyn Cairoli. He is survived by his children: Nadine, Joseph S. Marcelletti of NJ and Joseph A. Marcelletti of Ocala; granddaughter Arielle Rajob and stepdaughter Danielle Rajob of Ocala, and stepdaughter Justine Propst of PA, and many nieces and nephews. A memorial will be held on Friday, February 24th at 1:00 p.m. at St. John Lutheran Church presided by Rev. Kenneth Shamens. Arrangements entrusted to Brown Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Services, LLC, 706 SW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave., Ocala, FL.

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**PASCUAL, CARMEN C., 86**

Ocala - Carmen C. Pascual, 86, of Ocala, died Monday February 20, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born on February 22, 1925 in Banes, Cuba a daughter to the late Alfredo and Felicita Cisneros. In addition to her parents she was also preceded in death by her husband of 61 years Carlos Pascual. Carmen belonged to Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She leaves behind to cherish her memories two sons and daughters-in-law Charles and JoAnn Pascual of Tampa, FL, Cesar Pascual and Geraldine Adams of Atlanta, GA, two daughters and a son-in-law Carmen and Don Maines of Ocala, FL, Cristina Pascual of Ocala, FL, four sisters and a brother, Ana Burgos, Delia Jarro, Mary Wright, Julia Fitzpatrick, Fred Cisneros, six grandchildren, seven great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. A visitation has been scheduled for Wednesday, February 22, 2012 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Thursday, February 23, 2012 at 1:00pm at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. The family recommends donations to the ARC Marion Foundation in lieu of flowers. Forest Lawn Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

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**PATTERSON, FRANK, 68**

Clearwater - Frank (Shaq) Patterson passed away Feb. 17, 2012 in Clearwater, FL. He was born Feb. 17, 1944 in Lowell, FL to mother Daisy Cabarris Drayton and father Herbert (Dorothy) Patterson, deceased. He relocated to Clearwater, FL and remained there until he relocated to heaven. He retired three years ago due to his failing health. He is survived by a devoted and loving companion, Pauline Gross, a devoted daughter Paulette Collins, son Arthur Benjamin, sisters: Pastor Doris Patterson, Celia Berrain, Ocala, FL, Mae Vaughns, Sparr, FL, Faye Drayton, Clearwater, FL, Lashon Paschale, Bradenton, FL, Doretha Ray and Audra Carnegia, both of Reddick, FL, Laurie Mae and Everlen proceeded him in death, brothers: James Lee Gadson, James C. Gadson, Lowell, FL, Hurburt Martin, Gainesville, FL, Lawrence Drayton and Claude Gadson proceeded him in death, aunt Creola Fowler, Dunnellon, FL, uncles: Willie Patterson, Ocala, FL, Mathew Adkins, Reddick, FL, Leslie Adkins, Dunnellon, FL, and a host of sorrowing nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 25, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. at the First Church of Deliverance, 803 Carlton St., Clearwater, FL 33755

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**PERFETTI, DARLENE MARIE, 69**

Ocala - Darlene Marie Perfetti (nee Estok), 69, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Thursday, February 16th, 2012. She was born on St. Patrick's Day, 1942, in Teaneck, NJ, to the late Edward and Marie Estok and sister of the late Edward Estok, Jr. of Lodi, NJ, and was graduated from Lodi High in 1960. Darlene married her husband of 29 years, the late Valentino Perfetti on September 10, 1972. The couple relocated in 1976 and lived most of their lives in Dingmans Ferry, PA, until retiring to Ocala in 1998. Darlene loved jazz and polka music, Slovak and Italian cultures and the New York Yankees. She was an avid crocheter, decorator and cook. Darlene was a beloved and devoted wife and mother. She is survived by her daughter Valerie Marie of Philadelphia, PA. Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 24 to February 25, 2012

**ROWBOTHAM, MARGARET HOPE, 86**

Ocala - Margaret Hope Rowbotham, age 86, of Ocala, FL, passed away on February 20, 2012. She was formerly of Seabeck, Washington, and Lakehurst, New Jersey. Mrs. Rowbotham is survived by her sister, Rose Dutka, of Ocala, FL, and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Samuel Rowbotham. She was formerly a long time employee of Greyhound Bus Company in Philadelphia. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 24 to February 25, 2012

**SCALES, FLORENCE LYTLE, 93**

Weirsdale - Mrs. Florence Lytle Scales, 93, of Weirsdale, FL passed away at her home on Wed, Feb. 22, 2012. Mrs. Scales was born in Weirsdale and spent most of her life there. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church. She is survived by her daughters-in-law; Leslie E. Scales and Harriet C. Scales, grandchildren; Matthew Key Scales of Leesburg, Wade Barton Scales of Miami, Earl Lytle Scales, Jr. of Gainesville, Dr. Erin McKee Scales of St. Augustine, Dr. John Socrates Scales of Gainesville, Brett Gunning Scales of Weirsdale and Alexandra Marie Scales of Weirsdale, and 6 great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, P.B. Key Scales, Jr. and her 4 sons; P.B. Key Scales, III, Dr. John Fairley Scales, Earl Lytle Scales, and George Gunning Scales. Graveside services for Mrs. Scales will be held on Sat, Feb 25, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. at Greenwood Cemetery in Weirsdale. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com). Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 23 to February 24, 2012

**SIMS, BETTY MARTIN STEPHENS, 98**

Dunnellon - Betty Martin Stephens Sims, Dunnellon, Florida, 98, died Tuesday, February 14, 2012. She was born August 13, 1913 in Shellman, Georgia. She taught school in Levy and Marion Counties for over 31 years, worked as a rural mail carrier and real estate agent. She was active in several organizations including The Women's Club of Dunnellon, Historical Society, Order of Eastern Star #235, The NRLCA (letter carrier's association), was a former member of Delta Dapa Gamma Sorority. She was a member of The First Baptist Church of Dunnellon where she taught Sunday School until the age of 90. After moving into an assisted living facility in 2008, she enjoyed the bus ministry of Riverland Baptist Church. Survivors include 3 sons:

Martin Stephens, Ocala, FL, Dix Stephens, Trenton, FL and Stan Stephens, Bradenton, FL, 2 stepsons: George Stephens, Inglis, FL and Judson Stephens, Leesburg, FL, 2 stepdaughters: Ellen Teague, Gaithersburg, MD and Mary Hay, Hawthorne, FL, 31 grandchildren, 60 great-grandchildren and 37 great-great-grandchildren. Funeral services are scheduled for 10:30 a.m. Saturday, February 25, 2012 at The Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, Florida. Visitation will be 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Friday, February 24, 2012 at the funeral home. Online condolences may be offered at robertsofdunnellon.com.

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**SMITH, RUTH W., 68**

Ocala - Ruth W. Smith, 68, passed away on Sunday, February 12, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, a loving husband; Joe Lee Smith Sr.; daughters: Gwendolyn Gillings, Valerie Roberts & Tawana Smith; son, Joe Lee Smith Jr.; 18 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren; sister, Daisy Bell; brother, Tony Rice; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be on Saturday, February 25, 2012 at 3pm at Greater A.O.H. Church of God, D. D. Brown Pastor. Visitation will be on Friday, February 24, 2012 from 10am-6pm at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a memory that will never fade".

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**SPENCER, JR., HARRY IRA**

Silver Springs - Announcing the passing of Harry Ira Spencer, Jr. of Silver Springs, FL. Born and raised in Ocala, son of "Pop & Mom" Spencer. He retired from the State Road Department of Florida and Holiday Inn Restaurant. "Bubba" died at his home in Silver Springs on February 16, 2012. He is survived by his wife of 25 years, Carolyn, of Silver Springs; one daughter, Little Carolyn of Silver Springs; one son Harry Ira III of Orlando, and two sisters, Betty Spencer Barton of Weirsdale and Frances Spencer of Belleview, 3 nieces and 9 nephews. A Graveside service will be held on Friday, February 24, 2:00 PM at Highland Memorial Park.

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**TERRY, MINNIE LEE, 83**

Mrs. Minnie Lee Terry age 83 Transitioned From This Life on Sunday February 19,2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida She Was a Window Assembler For Custom Window Systems. She Was Born in Lakeland, Georgia. She Was Educated in West Louisville School System, Jacksonville, Florida She was a Member of United Tabernacle Church of God in Christ, Zuber, Florida. Where she was the church Mother. She is Survived by Her Husband James Terry Sr. Daughters: Barbara Cabarris, Jeanette Lucky, Carolyn Terry-James(Lester), Patsy Freitag, Patricia Terry, Laura Lester(Earl).Sons: James Terry Jr., Robert Terry, Earnest Terry, Kelvin Terry, Daryl Terry 2Step-Sons:Kenny Jackson, Virgil Richardson Brother: Anderson Dixon, 35 Grandchildren, 86 Great-Grandchildren, 20 Great-Great Grandchildren. Funeral Services For Mrs. Minnie Lee Terry, age 83, Retired Window Assemble for Custom Windows will be held on Saturday February 25, 2012 at 1:00 p.m. at Theological Seminary 1105 Northwest 4th Street Ocala, Florida Reverend Dr. Fred Maeweathers Sr. Moderator and Elder Elton Oliver Sr. conducting the services. Interment will be in the Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, Florida under the Care of Summers Funeral Home Inc. 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala,

Florida 34475 352-351-0566 Visitation will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 P.M. AT THE CHURCH ON Saturday 12:00 P.M. until time of Service. No Viewing After THE Eulogy. You may signed the Guest Register Book at [www.Summersfh.com](http://www.Summersfh.com) A Summers Funeral Service Makes the Difference. Our Family Serving Your Family. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 23 to February 24, 2012

**TUGGERSON, CARLTON LEE, 52**

Reddick - Mr. Carlton Lee Tuggerson, 52, died February 19, 2012. Mr. Tuggerson attended Free Will Temple of God under the leadership of Pastor Gary Honor. Funeral Services will be on Saturday, February 25, 2012, 1:00 p.m., at Church of God By Faith in Righteousness and True Holiness Church, Citra, FL with Elder Artes Jackson providing the Words of Comfort and Reverend Michael Baker, Sr. presiding. A Wake Service will be held on Thursday at 7 p.m. at Sellers Funeral Home. The family will be receiving friends during this hour of reflection. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 until 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence on Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkerson (1288 N.E. 140th Street, Citra, FL) on Saturday at 12:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Tuggerson, who was preceded in death by parents Mrs. Helen and Mr. John Wilkerson, Jr.; fiancée Debra Taylor; daughters: Shenita Tuggerson, Tyronjla Smith, Taquanya Taylor; son Tyrell Taylor; sisters: Sylvia (John) Stroud, Iris Anderson, Helen (Calvin) Woods; brothers: John (Sherida) Wilkerson, Randall Wilkerson, James (Diane) Wilkerson, Anton Davis; 8 grandchildren; aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends.

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**WALDEN, JR., JEFFERSON FRANKLIN "JEFF", 68**

Ocala - Memorial services for Jefferson Franklin "Jeff" Walden, Jr., 68, of Ocala, FL, are at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, February 24, 2012, at Oakcrest Baptist Church, Ocala, FL, with Rev. Tommy Gray officiating. Mr. Walden passed away on Monday, February 20, 2012, in Ocala, FL. Mr. Walden was born in Whigham, GA, on June 25, 1943, to the late Jefferson Franklin Walden, Sr. and Claudia Eunice Dees Walden. He served in the US AirForce during the Vietnam War. He was self-employed in the finance and mortgage business and a member of the Oakcrest Baptist Church in Ocala, FL. He is survived by: his wife, Patricia O. Walden of Ocala, FL; biological daughters and sons-in-law, Patricia and Neal Headman of Springfield, IL, Melanie and Mark Higgins of Springdale, AR, Claudia Jane and Tyler Emmons of Gainesville, FL, Rhoda and Clay Walkup of North Carolina; stepchildren and spouses, Jessie and Tommie Fraser of Augusta, GA, John Orren Crawford of Tampa, FL, Kathryn and Eric Simanton of Gainesville, FL; 15 grandchildren; and a brother and sister-in-law, Freddie and Linda Walden of Southington, CT. Guests may sign the online register at [www.clarkfuneral.com](http://www.clarkfuneral.com).

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 25, 2012**

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**FULLER, ADELINE M., 93**

Dunnellon - Adeline M. Fuller, 93, died Monday, February 20, 2012. She was born August 6, 1918 in Bay Shore, Long Island, NY and moved to Ocala in 2004 from Long Island, NY. Adeline was a therapy aide in a Bay Shore Hospital. She was a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church. She was a 65-year member of the VFW Post #4781, Bay Shore Methodist Church Food Pantry, Historical Society, all of Bay Shore, NY. She enjoyed knitting, crocheting, quilting, canning fruits and vegetables, making homemade wine, visiting and speaking to elementary students about her life experiences, volunteering & entertaining patients at hospitals and spending quality time with her family. Survivors include daughters Jane Geant, Ocala, FL and Bernadette Nelson, Tupperlake, NY; brother Harold Overton, Long Island, NY; 5 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Services are scheduled for 11:00 a.m., Monday, February 27, 2012 at the Ocala West United Methodist Church with The Reverend Lessie Reiman officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions to the Marion County Hospice, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Online condolences may be offered at [www.RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://www.RobertsofDunnellon.com). Arrangements under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon.

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**PATTERSON, FRANK, 68**

Clearwater - Frank (Shaq) Patterson passed away Feb. 17, 2012 in Clearwater, FL. He was born Feb. 17, 1944 in Lowell, FL to mother Daisy Cabarris Drayton and father Herbert (Dorothy) Patterson, deceased. He relocated to Clearwater, FL and remained there until he relocated to heaven. He retired three years ago due to his failing health. He is survived by a devoted and loving companion, Pauline Gross, a devoted daughter Paulette Collins, son Arthur Benjamin, sisters: Pastor Doris Patterson, Celia Berrain, Ocala, FL, Mae Vaughns, Sparr, FL, Faye Drayton, Clearwater, FL, Lashon Paschale, Bradenton, FL, Doretha Ray and Audra Carnegia, both of Reddick, FL, Laurie Mae and Everlen preceded him in death, brothers: James Lee Gadson, James C. Gadson, Lowell, FL, Hurburt Martin, Gainesville, FL, Lawrence Drayton and Claude Gadson preceded him in death, aunt Creola Fowler, Dunnellon, FL, uncles: Willie Patterson, Ocala, FL, Mathew Adkins, Reddick, FL, Leslie Adkins, Dunnellon, FL, and a host of sorrowing nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, February 25, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. at the First Church of Deliverance, 803 Carlton St., Clearwater, FL 33755  
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**PERFETTI, DARLENE MARIE, 69**

Ocala - Darlene Marie Perfetti (nee Estok), 69, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Thursday, February 16th, 2012. She was born on St. Patrick's Day, 1942, in Teaneck, NJ, to the late Edward and Marie Estok and sister of the late Edward Estok, Jr. of Lodi, NJ, and was graduated from Lodi High in 1960. Darlene married her husband of 29 years, the late Valentino Perfetti on September 10, 1972. The couple relocated in 1976 and lived most of their lives in Dingmans Ferry, PA, until retiring to Ocala in 1998. Darlene loved jazz and polka music, Slovak and Italian cultures and the New York Yankees. She was an avid crocheter, decorator and cook. Darlene was a beloved and devoted wife and mother. She is survived by her daughter Valerie Marie of Philadelphia, PA. Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.  
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**ROWBOTHAM, MARGARET HOPE, 86**

Ocala - Margaret Hope Rowbotham, age 86, of Ocala, FL, passed away on February 20, 2012. She was formerly of Seabeck, Washington, and Lakehurst, New Jersey. Mrs. Rowbotham is survived by her sister, Rose Dutka, of Ocala, FL, and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Samuel Rowbotham. She was formerly a long time employee of Greyhound Bus Company in Philadelphia.  
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**WALDEN, JR., JEFFERSON FRANKLIN "JEFF", 68**

Ocala - Memorial services for Jefferson Franklin "Jeff" Walden, Jr., 68, of Ocala, FL, are at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, February 24, 2012, at Oakcrest Baptist Church, Ocala, FL, with Rev. Tommy Gray officiating. Mr. Walden passed away on Monday, February 20, 2012, in Ocala, FL. Mr. Walden was born in Whigham, GA, on June 25, 1943, to the late Jefferson Franklin Walden, Sr. and Claudia Eunice Dees Walden. He served in the US AirForce during the Vietnam War. He was self-employed in the finance and mortgage business and a member of the Oakcrest Baptist

Church in Ocala, FL. He is survived by: his wife, Patricia O. Walden of Ocala, FL; biological daughters and sons-in-law, Patricia and Neal Headman of Springfield, IL, Melanie and Mark Higgins of Springdale, AR, Claudia Jane and Tyler Emmons of Gainesville, FL, Rhoda and Clay Walkup of North Carolina; stepchildren and spouses, Jessie and Tommie Fraser of Augusta, GA, John Orren Crawford of Tampa, FL, Kathryn and Eric Simanton of Gainesville, FL; 15 grandchildren; and a brother and sister-in-law, Freddie and Linda Walden of Southington, CT. Guests may sign the online register at [www.clarkfuneral.com](http://www.clarkfuneral.com).  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 26, 2012**

#### **BELL, ELISA, 52**

Dunnellon - Elisa Bell, 52, of Dunnellon, passed away Monday, February 20, 2012 in Ocala, Florida. Elisa was born in Honesdale, PA, moved to Dunnellon in 2003 from Ft. Lauderdale, FL. She was a Human Resources Manager for K-Mart for 30 years. She enjoyed life to the fullest, going to the beach, reading and spending quality time with her Family especially her granddaughters Terra and Kathrin. Survivors include her husband Troy, Dunnellon, FL; sons: Travis Bell, Dunnellon, FL and Jesse (Melissa) Clark, Ft. McCoy, FL; Father Wallace Lee (Ann) Pelton, Stroudsburg, PA; brother Wally Pelton, Ocala, FL; sisters: Leslie (Peter) Nichol, Boston, MA; Dawn Pelton (Trip Flavin) Boston, MA; granddaughters: Terra Clark and Kathrin Clark, Ft. McCoy, FL; and friends and co-workers from K-Mart in Ocala and Ft. Lauderdale. A Private Celebration of Elisa's life will be scheduled at a later date and time. Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be offered at [www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com).

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#### **CLARK, CAROL ANN, 68**

Ocklawaha - Carol Ann Clark, 68, passed away on Thursday, February 23, 2012 at her home in Ocklawaha after a long illness. Born in Detroit, MI, September 12, 1943, she moved to Ocklawaha in 2004. She loved her children and enjoyed being a homemaker. Preceded in death by her daughter, Stephanie Faye; she is survived by her husband, Andrew Lamar Clark of Ocklawaha; son, Lamar "Bubba" (Stephanie) Andrew Clark of Mississippi; daughter, Terry Ebersold of Sanford; son-in-law, Timothy Faye of Mississippi; father, Andrew Leroy Clark of Georgia; sister, Jackie Wendleken of Georgia; brother, Roy Clark of Georgia; grandchildren, Christopher, Kayla, Felisha, Casey, and Courtney. Visitation will be held Sunday, February 26, from 4:00-6:00 pm at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony.

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#### **DONTHNIER, SR., MERLE EUGENE, 87**

East Lansing, Michigan - Merle Eugene Donthnier, Sr., born on February 4, 1945, in Montgomery County, Ohio, the son of Margaret and Artie Donthnier passed away peacefully on February 22, 2012, at home at the age of 87. He attended Brookville High School (Brookville, Ohio) and was a veteran of the European campaign during World War II. He was a service manager of General Motors and Ford dealerships and enjoyed his life as a Boy Scout leader (Dayton, Ohio) and, later, on the banks of the Withlacoochee River in Florida. He was preceded in death by brothers, Arthur and Harold; his son, Merle, Jr.; and great grandson, John Wilson

Reynolds, Jr. Surviving are his beloved wife of 66 years, Margaret; daughter, Donna, (Khamphou Keomany) of East Lansing, MI; son, Michael, of Ocala, FL; daughter-in-law, Joann, of Yulee, FL; grandchildren, (Dawn, Kim, Jessica, Ariel, Lucas, and Brian); and great grandchildren. Visitation is from 6 to 8 p.m. on Monday with a 3 p.m. funeral service on Tuesday at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens at 5050 W. 20th St., Ocala, Florida. In lieu of flowers, a memorial contribution can be made to your local Boy Scouts. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 26 to February 27, 2012

**FULLER, ADELINE M., 93**

Dunnellon - Adeline M. Fuller, 93, died Monday, February 20, 2012. She was born August 6, 1918 in Bay Shore, Long Island, NY and moved to Ocala in 2004 from Long Island, NY. Adeline was a therapy aide in a Bay Shore Hospital. She was a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church. She was a 65-year member of the VFW Post #4781, Bay Shore Methodist Church Food Pantry, Historical Society, all of Bay Shore, NY. She enjoyed knitting, crocheting, quilting, canning fruits and vegetables, making homemade wine, visiting and speaking to elementary students about her life experiences, volunteering & entertaining patients at hospitals and spending quality time with her family. Survivors include daughters Jane Geant, Ocala, FL and Bernadette Nelson, Tupperlake, NY; brother Harold Overton, Long Island, NY; 5 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Services are scheduled for 11:00 a.m., Monday, February 27, 2012 at the Ocala West United Methodist Church with The Reverend Lessie Reiman officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions to the Marion County Hospice, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Online condolences may be offered at [www.RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://www.RobertsofDunnellon.com). Arrangements under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon.

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**MIMMS, WALTER KELLY**

Dunnellon - Walter Kelly Mimms, 56, went home peacefully to be with the Lord after a three-year battle with cancer on February 22, 2012. Born in Tampa he moved to Dunnellon from Anthony eleven years ago. He was a Carpenter by trade. Preceded in death by his father, Walter Francis Mimms; he is survived by his mother, Mable Gene Mimms, Dunnellon; sister, Kay Atkins; nephew Ben; and numerous friends and extended family. Funeral Service will be 11:00 am, Tuesday, February 28, with Bishop Robert M. Hoki officiating at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony with interment to follow in Anthony Cemetery. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Citrus County.

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**SWAIM, DONALD C., 88**

Summerfield - Memorial services to honor the late Donald C. Swaim will be held at the Victory Baptist Church, 6185 SE 140th St., Belleview, FL, at 10 AM, on March 3, 2012. Don passed away at his home on the evening of February 18th, 2012 and is survived by his wife, Evelyn, 6 children, 15 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. Born June 23, 1923, in Elsie, MI, after graduating from Howell High School (Howell, MI, class of '42), Don enlisted as a radio signalman in the Army. Don and Evelyn met right after the war while he was working for General Motors in Kansas City, KS; They wed in June, 1947. The business Don started in 1957,

a self employed contractor, grew along with his family in the home he built in rural Shawnee, KS. Don is a WWII Veteran who made a second career as an Army Reservist. After retiring from the Reserves in 1983, and with all the kids on their own, in 1991 he and Evelyn moved to Summerfield, FL, to put down roots and make new friends. Don's interment will be at the Shawnee Mission Memorial Cemetery, Shawnee, KS. Instead of flowers, the family requests donations be made in his honor to the Paralyzed American Veterans Association, ([www.pva.org](http://www.pva.org)).

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### **WARNER, CHESTER**

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Left to grieve are Jean and Chet's only child, Chester Ralph Warner (Barbara), grandchildren Amanda Lipham (Jerry), Chelsea Lipham (Jeremy), Ryan Warner, and Michael Warner, three great-granddaughters, nieces, nephews-especially Eric West (Jan), close friends Rick and Alice Anderson, and George (Chet's trusty feline companion).

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Ocala - John C. Arnold, Jr., 89, of Ocala, FL, left this world peacefully on Saturday, February 25, 2012 from Ocala, FL. Born on January 10, 1923 in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, son to the late John C. and Mary Suvella (Morrison) Arnold, Sr., he moved to Ocala, FL from Binghamton, NY in 1991. After serving in the U.S. Army during WWII, John served with civil service Army/Air Corp as an outside engineer with telephone communications. He medically retired in 1965 and continued working for a private company until 1991. Moving to Oak Run in Ocala with his wife Pat, he spent his retirement years as an avid golfer, loved playing solitaire on his computer, working in the yard, ballroom dancing and he could fix just about anything that was broken around the house. He was also interested in all areas pertaining to geography. John is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Pat; children, Ron Arnold , Gulf Shores, AL, Connie Miller (Bubba), Elberta, AL, Cindy Stiles, Mobile, AL, David Downs (Kim), Whitney Point, NY, Diane Hunt (David) Binghamton, NY, and Ann-Victoria Waters, Charlotte, NC: 6 grandchildren: 4 great-grandchildren: sister Doris Reese, Enon, OH and brother EM Arnold, Memphis, TN. A visitation will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Wednesday, February 29, 2012 from 11:00AM to 12:00PM (Noontime), at which time the funeral service will be held with Rev .Robert M. Lewis officiating. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with full military honors. Memorial Contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association , 1101 N. Lake Destiny Rd, Suite 415, Maitland, FL 32751 (407-660-1926). Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 28 to February 29, 2012

**CRISP, ELIZABETH "BETTY", 73**

Hickory, NC - Elizabeth "Betty" Crisp, 73, of Hickory, died February 24, 2012 at Catawba Valley Medical Center in Hickory. A native of Ocala FL, she was the daughter of the late Philemon Ernest Head and Mary Louise Atkinson. Betty was the manager for Woodland Mobile Home Park in Hickory. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by first husband Glynn Judd; brother: James Head; and granddaughter: Elaine Judd. She is survived by her second husband of 34 years, Dale Crisp of Hickory; daughters: Nancy Judd of Claremont and Beth Prebor and husband, Darrell of Vale; son: Alan Judd of Hickory; step-sons: Tony Crisp and

Paul Crisp both of Lenoir; 11 grandchildren; and 9 great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Tuesday, February 28, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel of Willis-Reynolds Funeral Home in Newton with Mr. Aaron Watts officiating. The family will receive friends prior to the service at the funeral home from 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. Memorials may be made to Christian Ministries, 31 1st Ave. SE, Hickory, NC 28602. Condolences may be sent to the Crisp family at [www.drumfuneralhome.com](http://www.drumfuneralhome.com). The Crisp family has entrusted the funeral arrangements to Willis-Reynolds Funeral Home & Crematory in Newton.

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**HENSLEY, JULIA E., 91**

Eastlake Weir - Julia E. Hensley, 91 of Eastlake Weir, went home to be with the Lord, on February 24, 2012. Julia was a loving wife, mother and grandmother who enjoyed life, her faith in the Lord and the time spent with her family and friends. She served as Post Master for the Lake Weir area where she retired from after many years of dedicated service. Julia was preceded in death by her beloved husband of 59 years, Phillip E, Hensley Sr. She is survived by her son, Phillip E. Hensley of Weirsdale; daughters: Pauline Wimberly of Eastlake Weir and Frances Kelchner of Ocala; six grandchildren: PJ and Chris Hensley of Weirsdale, Katie Walker of Eastlake Weir, Jennifer and Julia Kelchner of Ocala, Elizabeth Ritz; and great-grandchild, Ethan Ritz, also from Ocala. Graveside funeral services will be held at the Myrtle Hill Memorial Park, 4207 E. Lake Ave., Tampa, 33610 on Wednesday, February 29, 2012 at 10:00 A.M. The family will receive friends one hour prior to services.

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**MILLER, CHARLENE KAY, 58**

Bellevue - Charlene Kay Miller, 58, went to be with The Lord on February 25, 2012 in Bellevue, FL; born October 27, 1953 in Herrin, IL. She enjoyed writing poetry and enjoyed the outdoors. She is survived by her fiancé, Robert Boyle of Bellevue, FL; daughter, Christy Miller of Bellevue, FL; parents, Charles & Wanda Walker of Bellevue, FL; grandchildren, Casey,



Chris, Kayla, and Sierra; sister, Brenda D'Arville of Dunnellon, FL; brothers, Glenn Walker, and Dale Walker, both of Belleview, FL. Funeral service will be held Thursday, March 1, 2012 4:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. Visitation will be one hour prior to service. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).  
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**SAWYER, LOU SADIE, 84**

North Carolina - Lou Sadie Lindley Sawyer died on February 26, 2012. She was 84. Preceded in death by her husband of 61 years, Quentin (Buzz) Sawyer, she was the devoted mother of Larry Sawyer and wife Leigh of Sneads Ferry, NC, Jerry Sawyer and wife Vicky of Worton, MD, Jay Sawyer and wife Martha of Galena, MD, Patricia Lundelius and husband Charles of Bethesda, MD; dear sister of Evelyn Mazejka and deceased sister Kathleen Tinnin; loving grandmother of nine grandchildren: Terri Sawyer; Emily Kegerries, Jennifer Robbins, Jamie Griffin, Rebecca Sawyer, Meredith Deckelman, Alexandria Lundelius, Christina Lundelius, Trey Lundelius, and three great grand children. She is also survived by loving nieces and nephews. Born and raised in the Snow Camp community she attended Eli Whitney School graduating at the top of her class. Shortly after graduation she married the love of her life and began a 20-year career as a Navy wife serving her family and country during frequent moves and challenges. Returning to NC, she and husband Quentin began second careers at the University of North Carolina where she served as the administrative assistant in the Recreation Administration Department. An avid sports fan, she embraced all sports "Carolina" and frequently entertained student athletes and University friends in her home. Her home was always open for good food, fun times, and a warm welcome. She and Quentin retired to Citra, FL where they reunited with Navy friends and enjoyed a rich life of blue grass music, golf, and church activities. During recent years at Brookdale Manor she relished her role as cheerful greeter and pianist for fellow residents. She loved people and they loved her. Visitation and funeral details; in lieu of flowers, please make contributions to Center United Methodist Church, 9204 Center Church Rd., Snow Camp, NC 27349. Funeral services will be held at Center United Methodist Church, Snow Camp, NC, on Friday, March 2nd at 11:00AM with a reception to follow. The family will receive friends at the Best Western Motel on Huffman Mill Rd. in Burlington from 6:00 to 8:00PM on Thursday, March 1st. Arrangements are with McClure Funeral Home in Graham. Condolences may be made at [www.mcclurefuneralservice.net](http://www.mcclurefuneralservice.net).

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made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Cancer Society . A visitation has been scheduled for Monday, February 27, 2012 from 5:00pm-7:00 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The funeral will be on Tuesday, February 28, 2012 at 10:00 a.m., also at the funeral home with burial to follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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Memorial services are scheduled to be held Wednesday, February 29th, at 10:00 a.m., at Countryside Funeral Home in Anthony. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Legacy Hospice, 9505 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala, FL, 34481.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 29, 2012**

**ARNOLD, JR., JOHN C., 89**

Ocala - John C. Arnold, Jr., 89, of Ocala, FL, left this world peacefully on Saturday, February 25, 2012 from Ocala, FL. Born on January 10, 1923 in Tuscaloosa, Alabama, son to the late John C. and Mary Suvella (Morrison) Arnold, Sr., he moved to Ocala, FL from Binghamton, NY in 1991. After serving in the U.S. Army during WWII, John served with civil service Army/Air Corp as an outside engineer with telephone communications. He medically retired in 1965 and continued working for a private company until 1991. Moving to Oak Run in Ocala with his wife Pat, he spent his retirement years as an avid golfer, loved playing solitaire on his computer, working in the yard, ballroom dancing and he could fix just about anything that was broken around the house. He was also interested in all areas pertaining to geography. John is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Pat; children, Ron Arnold , Gulf Shores, AL, Connie Miller (Bubba), Elberta, AL, Cindy Stiles, Mobile, AL, David Downs (Kim), Whitney Point, NY, Diane Hunt (David) Binghamton, NY, and Ann-Victoria Waters, Charlotte, NC: 6 grandchildren: 4 great-grandchildren: sister Doris Reese, Enon, OH and brother EM Arnold, Memphis, TN. A visitation will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Wednesday, February 29, 2012 from 11:00AM to 12:00PM (Noontime), at which time the funeral service will be held with Rev .Robert M. Lewis officiating. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with full military honors. Memorial Contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association , 1101 N. Lake Destiny Rd, Suite 415, Maitland, FL 32751 (407-660-1926). Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**CASH, OMA L, 81**

Ft. McCoy - Oma L. Cash, 81, of Ft. McCoy, passed away February 27, 2012. Born in Trussville, Alabama, she came to this area from Leeds, AL. She was a retired waitress and owned and operated Miss Oma's Nursery in Ft. McCoy for 20 years. Mrs. Cash was a Baptist by faith and enjoyed gardening, walking and the outdoors. She is survived by her son, Thomas L. Summerville of Ft. McCoy, FL; daughter, Rebecca G. Stevens of Apopka, FL; brother, Aubrey L. Waters of Trussville, AL, Cleary Truman Waters of Ashville, AL, Dennis Wayne Watters of Jasper, AL and Edgar L. Watters of Pell City, AL; sister, Margaret Ann Isenhower of Leeds, AL;

3 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Arnold O. Cash. A graveside service will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens (5050 SW 20th St., Ocala) on Thursday (March 1st) at 2PM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141.

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**CRISP, ELIZABETH "BETTY", 73**

Hickory, NC - Elizabeth "Betty" Crisp, 73, of Hickory, died February 24, 2012 at Catawba Valley Medical Center in Hickory. A native of Ocala FL, she was the daughter of the late Philemon Ernest Head and Mary Louise Atkinson. Betty was the manager for Woodland Mobile Home Park in Hickory. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by first husband Glynn Judd; brother: James Head; and granddaughter: Elaine Judd. She is survived by her second husband of 34 years, Dale Crisp of Hickory; daughters: Nancy Judd of Claremont and Beth Prebor and husband, Darrell of Vale; son: Alan Judd of Hickory; step-sons: Tony Crisp and Paul Crisp both of Lenoir; 11 grandchildren; and 9 great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Tuesday, February 28, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. in the Chapel of Willis-Reynolds Funeral Home in Newton with Mr. Aaron Watts officiating. The family will receive friends prior to the service at the funeral home from 6:00 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. Memorials may be made to Christian Ministries, 31 1st Ave. SE, Hickory, NC 28602. Condolences may be sent to the Crisp family at [www.drumfuneralhome.com](http://www.drumfuneralhome.com). The Crisp family has entrusted the funeral arrangements to Willis-Reynolds Funeral Home & Crematory in Newton.

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**D'AMATO, LOUISE, 71**

Ocala - Louise D'Amato was born in Brooklyn, NY 12-7-40 to Vincent and Christina Spatafora and was the older of two siblings. On Oct. 28th, 1961, she married her childhood sweetheart and lifetime companion, John D'Amato. Louise was dearly loved by her surviving husband, John, daughters: Christina and Angela, son-in-law: Carlton and grandchildren: Emma, Wyatt, Alexa, Wilson and Sadie. Louise was baptized as one of Jehovah's Witnesses on 3-4-73. She was a most faithful servant of Jehovah for over 38 years. Louise was a loving wife and homemaker and her passion was serving her God and being with her most beloved grandchildren. She very sadly fell asleep in death, Friday, Feb. 24th. Louise was dearly loved by her worldwide spiritual family and will be remembered until we see her again. A memorial service will be held Mar. 3rd at 11 a.m. at the Shady Oaks Congregation: 3660 SW 7th PL, Ocala, FL 34474. Brother Tony Salemi will be officiating.

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**DONTHNIER, SR., MERLE EUGENE, 87**

East Lansing, Michigan - Merle Eugene Donthnier, Sr., born on February 4, 1925, in Montgomery County, Ohio, the son of Margaret and Artie Donthnier passed away peacefully on February 22, 2012, at home at the age of 87. He attended Brookville High School (Brookville, Ohio) and was a veteran of the European campaign during World War II. He was a service manager of General Motors and Ford dealerships and enjoyed his life as a Boy Scout leader (Dayton, Ohio) and, later, on the banks of the Withlacoochee River in Florida. He was preceded in death by brothers, Arthur and Harold; his son, Merle, Jr.; and great grandson, John Wilson Reynolds, Jr. Surviving are his beloved wife of 66 years, Margaret; daughter, Donna,

(Khamphou Keomany) of East Lansing, MI; son, Michael, of Ocala, FL; daughter-in-law, Joann, of Yulee, FL; grandchildren, (Dawn, Kim, Jessica, Ariel, Lucas, and Brian); and great grandchildren. Visitation is from 6 to 8 p.m. on Monday with a 3 p.m. funeral service on Tuesday at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens at 5050 W. 20th St., Ocala, Florida. In lieu of flowers, a memorial contribution can be made to your local Boy Scouts. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from February 26 to February 29, 2012

**HENSLEY, JULIA E., 91**

Eastlake Weir - Julia E. Hensley, 91 of Eastlake Weir, went home to be with the Lord, on February 24, 2012. Julia was a loving wife, mother and grandmother who enjoyed life, her faith in the Lord and the time spent with her family and friends. She served as Post Master for the Lake Weir area where she retired from after many years of dedicated service. Julia was preceded in death by her beloved husband of 59 years, Phillip E, Hensley Sr. She is survived by her son, Phillip E. Hensley of Weirsdale; daughters: Pauline Wimberly of Eastlake Weir and Frances Kelchner of Ocala; six grandchildren: PJ and Chris Hensley of Weirsdale, Katie Walker of Eastlake Weir, Jennifer and Julia Kelchner of Ocala, Elizabeth Ritz; and great-grandchild, Ethan Ritz, also from Ocala. Graveside funeral services will be held at the Myrtle Hill Memorial Park, 4207 E. Lake Ave., Tampa, 33610 on Wednesday, February 29, 2012 at 10:00 A.M. The family will receive friends one hour prior to services.

[www.gardenofmemories.com](http://www.gardenofmemories.com)  
[tampa.com](http://tampa.com).

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**HOLGATE, SARA A., 73**

Summerfield - Sara A. Holgate, 73, Summerfield, FL, died Wednesday, February 22, 2012. She was born in Portland, OR and moved to Summerfield in October 2005. She was Presbyterian by faith. Ms. Holgate's previous residences were Pittsburgh, PA, Baton Rouge, LA, and Allentown, PA. Sara was retired in 1991 as an educator of high school english and music at Woodland Hills School District, Pittsburgh, PA. She received her Bachelor of Arts from Concordia College in Moorehead, MN, where she was also a member of the choir, and her Master's degree from Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh, PA in English literature. She was a former member and board member of the Pennsylvania State Education Association (PSEA) and member of Delta Kappa Gamma. She is survived by her friend and partner Nancy Noonan, Summerfield, FL and cousins Phyllis Dieckmann, Kirkland, WA and Jo Robertson, Portland, OR. A memorial service for Ms. Sara Holgate will be held on Saturday March 3, 2012 at 11:00 AM at Beyers Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Bruce Seaman officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be sent to the Scleroderma Foundation, 300 Rosewood Drive, Suite 105, Danvers, MA or Hubbard House Family Care Facility, 29 W. Miller Street, Orlando, FL 32806. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com). Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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**MILLER, CHARLENE KAY, 58**

Bellevue - Charlene Kay Miller, 58, went to be with The Lord on February 25, 2012 in Bellevue, FL; born October 27, 1953 in Herrin, IL. She enjoyed writing poetry and enjoyed the outdoors. She is survived by her fiancé, Robert Boyle of Bellevue, FL; daughter, Christy Miller

of Belleview, FL; parents, Charles & Wanda Walker of Belleview, FL; grandchildren, Casey, Chris, Kayla, and Sierra; sister, Brenda D'Arville of Dunnellon, FL; brothers, Glenn Walker, and Dale Walker, both of Belleview, FL. Funeral service will be held Thursday, March 1, 2012 4:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. Visitation will be one hour prior to service. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).  
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**NIPPER, MARY LOU, 76**

Maryville, TN - Mary Louise "Marylou" Cates Nipper, age 76, of Maryville, TN, formerly of Jacksonville and Ocala, FL, passed away Saturday, February 25, 2012, at her home. She was born February 22, 1936, in Citra, FL. She graduated from Ocala High School in 1953. She was a resident of Jacksonville, FL, for 30 years and of Maryville, TN, for 10.5 years. She retired as VP of Operations and Security from American National Bank in Jacksonville, FL, after 20 years of service. She was an avid reader, loved music, and singing. She was a member of her church choir for most of her life. She was a member of First Baptist Church in Ocala, FL, and San Jose Baptist Church in Jacksonville, FL. She was preceded in death by her son, Ray L. "Buddy" Nipper, Jr.; parents, Rev. Wayne and Irene Spencer Cates; and sister, Velera Franks. She is survived by her children, David and Rhonda Nipper both of Maryville, TN; sister, Ruth Limbaugh of Orlando, FL; beloved dog, Indy; and several friends, neighbors, nieces, and nephews. In memory of Marylou, donations may be made to Second Harvest Food Bank, 136 Harvest Lane, Maryville, TN 37801, (865)521-0000. Arrangements provided by Miller Funeral Home, Maryville, TN, (865)982-6041, [www.millerfuneralhome.org](http://www.millerfuneralhome.org).  
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**OPITZ, KAREN, 70**

Ocala - Karen Opitz went to be with her Lord on Feb. 17, 2012. She was born December 9, 1941 in Milwaukee, WI. She graduated with both Bachelor and Master's degrees in education from the University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee. In 1977, the family moved from Milwaukee to Ocala and purchased a small printing company renaming it First Impressions Printing. Karen grew First Impressions to be the largest printing/design firm in Marion County winning over 100 Addy awards for design excellence. As President, Karen actively supported the Economic Development Council, the Chamber of Commerce, and many local charities. She was later named Marion County's first Small Business Person of the Year by the Chamber of Commerce. After 29 years, in 2005, the Opitz's sold the company and retired to travel the world. Throughout her life Karen and her husband Charles explored more than 60 countries, most exotic and remote, fulfilling her love of travel. Karen is survived by her loving husband of 47 years, Charles, and two sons, Mike (Denise) and Dan (Sook). She has two grandsons, Forrest and Drew along with her mother, Lillian and a sister, Sandra (Roy) and sister-in-law, Nancy (John). She also leaves many friends and relatives. All her friends are invited to a celebration of her life on Thursday, March 1st to be held at First Presbyterian Church of Ocala (511 SE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL 34471) at 4:00 p.m. with a reception following in the Fellowship Hall adjacent to the Church. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to First Presbyterian Church. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.

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### **TIPTON, POLLY ARNOLD, 88**

Dunnellon - Mrs. Polly Arnold Tipton, age 88, died suddenly at her Dunnellon, FL home Jan. 23, 2012. She was born in Greenville County, SC to James Connor Arnold and Lillian Surcey Arnold. Mrs. Tipton grew up and attended the Greer, SC Public Schools. As a young adult, she relocated to Charlotte, NC, where she met and married the love of her life, Thomas S. Tipton. A few years into their marriage, they moved to Miami, where their only child, Pamela Jean Tipton, was born. Mrs. Tipton was predeceased by her parents, her husband and daughter. She was also predeceased by her stepmother, Mable Hawkins Arnold; brothers, James C. Arnold, Jr., Robert R. Arnold, Aaron A. Arnold, and stepbrother, George Sumner; sisters, Lois Arnold, Ruth A. Gosnell and Edith A. Floyd. Surviving family members include a brother, Lee Arnold; sisters, Loletta Faulkenberry of Burlington, NC, Christine A. Williams of Charlotte, NC and Nell Rose Altieri of Okla. City. Other surviving family members include numerous nieces and nephews. Mrs. Tipton was a most interesting and vivacious person throughout her life. Her artistic talents were well known by all who knew her and especially those who received gifts of her intricate fashion designs. She was also an accomplished gardener who took great pride in cultivating colorful and unusual flowers and plants. Whether a tree needed to be trimmed or removed, she happily took on the tasks. Her remains have been interred alongside those of her husband in Arlington National Cemetery, Virginia. A memorial prayer service will be held 11:30 a.m. on Friday, March 2nd at St. John Baptist Catholic Church, in honor of: Late Mrs. Polly Arnold Tipton. Donations may be made in lieu of flowers to: St. John Baptist Catholic Church, 7525 South US. Hwy 41, Dunnellon, Florida 34432.

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#### **WILLIAMS, JR., HOWARD CROSBY, 63**

Ocala - Howard C. Williams died Monday morning, February 27, 2012 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville. He was born January 12, 1949 in Jersey City, NJ. He moved to Ocala from Port Monmouth, NJ in 1986. He was employed at E-One for the past 25 years as a welder. Howie was a decorated Vietnam veteran and was an avid fisherman. Survivors include his wife Bettyanne Williams, daughter Sherry Neville, son Howard C. Williams III and a step-daughter Paula Lindgren, 2 grandchildren, Kristina and Lucas Neville and 2 step grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. Services are pending.

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#### **ANDERSON, DELORIS CARROLL, 61**

Ocala - Deloris Carroll Anderson of Ocala went home to be with the Lord on February 25, 2012.

Born to Sumular Carroll and Flossie Mae White on August 24, 1950. She was a Minister of the Gospel, loved her children very much, enjoyed helping others and, spending time with her family and friends. She graduated from Howard High School and Central Florida Community College Criminal Justice Program. She is survived by her daughters Chrishonda Johnson (Brandon), Shamira Lee and goddaughter Shelia Seymour (Lewis), godson Denzel Acie, grandchildren: Diamond Porter, Brandon Johnson II, and Gabriel Johnson, sisters: Barbara McMillan (Willie), Bonnie Williams, B. Velma Williams, Trina Anderson (Roosevelt), Tina Upshaw, Janie Major (Randy), Candance Carroll and Sharree Roberts, brothers: Michael Williams, Michael Major, Kelvin Carroll and Derrick Carroll. She loved dearly and cherished many nieces, nephews and all of her family and friends. Viewing for the family and friends will be held at Tony Tanner Funeral Services, 127 NW 20th St., on Saturday, March 3, 2012 from 2pm-5pm.

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### **CERRATO, CARMEN JOHN, 86**

Summerfield - Carmen John Cerrato, 86, Summerfield, FL, passed away Monday morning, February 27th, 2012 at his home in Spruce Creek South. His parting journey was peaceful and surrounded by his immediate family. He was Catholic by faith and held tight to Jesus as his life journey came to an end. Carmen was born in Bayonne, NJ, August 26th, 1925 to Anthony Cerrato and Lucia Falgiano. He married his childhood sweetheart and the love of his life, Rose Elizabeth Chiacchiera. They were the best of friends for 9 years prior to their marriage. Their 63rd wedding anniversary was February 20th, 2012. Mr. Cerrato proudly served and protected our country during WWII in the US Navy on the destroyer escort (DE-582) USS Metivier in the South Pacific. Carmen was employed by Esso Standard Oil at the Bayway refinery in Elizabeth, NJ and later retired as Supervisor from the City of Hallandale Water Plant in Hallandale, FL. Carmen and Rose owned and operated a small apartment complex "The Keyporter Apartments" in Hollywood, FL that they named after their home town, Keyport, NJ. They relocated to Summerfield, FL nine years ago and were Florida residents for 46 years. Carmen was a loving husband, devoted father, cherished family member, dedicated employee and the "world's best fisherman". He was a benevolent man, respected by many and earned the reputation as the "life of the party". Carmen rarely met a stranger, provided lots of laughs and laughed a lot. He loved



to travel and always took great pride in everything he did. Carmen is survived by his loving wife Rose, his twin children Daniel & Patricia, son-in-law Neal Marsteller, daughter-in-law Sandra and his grandchildren, Glen, Daniel, Escarlin and great-granddaughter Valerie; his Marsteller grandchildren, Shaun, Raymond, Suzanne and great-grandson Justin. He also leaves behind many friends, relatives and fond memories. He is predeceased by his older brother Anthony. Visitation from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. and life celebration service at 3:00 p.m., followed by an honor guard ceremony will be held Saturday, March 3rd, 2012 at Beyers Funeral Home, Lady Lake. For those who wish to pay their respects, flowers may be sent to Beyers Funeral Home, Lady Lake or a memorial contribution may be made in his name to Marion County Hospice, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com). Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 1 to March 2, 2012

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### **GNEITING, EDWARD L., 94**

Palm Coast - Edward L. Gneiting, 94, of Palm Coast, FL, formerly of Ocala, was reunited in Heaven with his Beloved Wife of 71 years, Margaret on Thursday, February 23, 2012. He was born in Natrona, Pennsylvania and was the son to the late Emil and Anna (Birkner) Gneiting. Ed was a U.S. Army Air Force Veteran, having served during WWII. He was a metallurgist with Washington Steel Corp of Houston, PA until retirement. Ed was a member of Joy Evangelical Lutheran Church, Ocala. He was a Master Mason, Shriner and Past Ambassador for the Syria Shrine of Pittsburgh, PA and member of the American Legion Post#354 of Ocala. Ed is survived by his daughters: Marjorie Sunner (George) of Loudon, TN and Katherine George (Frank) of Palm Coast, FL: grandchildren, Michele McGinley, Gregory Sunner, Heather George and Megan George: great-grandchildren, Jamison McGinley, Morgan McGinley and Jacob Edward George. A Memorial Service will be held on Monday, March 5, 2012 at 11:00AM at Joy Evangelical Lutheran Church, 7045 SW 83rd Pl., Ocala. Inurnment will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, with full military honors. Family requests that Memorial Contributions may be given to Joy Evangelical Lutheran Church. Condolences may be expressed to [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala.

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**HOLGATE, SARA A., 73**

Summerfield - Sara A. Holgate, 73, Summerfield, FL, died Wednesday, February 22, 2012. She was born in Portland, OR and moved to Summerfield in October 2005. She was Presbyterian by faith. Ms. Holgate's previous residences were Pittsburgh, PA, Baton Rouge, LA, and Allentown, PA. Sara was retired in 1991 as an educator of high school english and music at Woodland Hills School District, Pittsburgh, PA. She received her Bachelor of Arts from Concordia College in Moorehead, MN, where she was also a member of the choir, and her Master's degree from Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh, PA in English literature. She was a former member and board member of the Pennsylvania State Education Association (PSEA) and member of Delta Kappa Gamma. She is survived by her friend and partner Nancy Noonan, Summerfield, FL and cousins Phyllis Dieckmann, Kirkland, WA and Jo Robertson, Portland, OR. A memorial service for Ms. Sara Holgate will be held on Saturday March 3, 2012 at 11:00 AM at Beyers Funeral Home Chapel with Pastor Bruce Seaman officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be sent to the Scleroderma Foundation, 300 Rosewood Drive, Suite 105, Danvers, MA or Hubbard House Family Care Facility, 29 W. Miller Street, Orlando, FL 32806. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com). Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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**LASHOMB, WALLACE, 82**

Summerfield - Wallace LaShomb, 82, of Summerfield, passed away at Tuscany Hospice House on Tuesday, February 28, 2012. A native of Massena, NY, he moved to Summerfield 30 years ago. Mr. LaShomb was a retired Inspector for Alcoa Aluminum. He was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church, was involved in Neighborhood Watch, enjoyed square dancing, and was a great handy man. Survivors include his wife Elaine of Summerfield; sons Richard LaShomb of Massena, NY, Clark (Gail) LaShomb of Hudson, NY, Glenn (Rosa) LaShomb of Winthrop, NY; step-sons Chris Travers of Malone, NY, Steven (Cindy) Travers of Malone, NY, Mark Travers of Ocala; step-daughter Vicki (Lloyd) Widrick of Orlando, FL; daughter-in-law Mary Pelkey of Ocala; brother Leland LaShomb of Syracuse, NY; 15 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and 1 great-great-grandson. He was preceded in death by his son Douglas LaShomb. A Funeral Mass will be held on Friday, March 2, 2012 at 11:30 a.m. at St. Theresa Catholic Church. A gathering of family and friends will be held from 10-11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Memorial Contributions may be made to Alzheimer's and Dementia Alliance of Florida, PO Box 5967, Ocala, FL 34478. Online condolences may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**NIPPER, MARY LOU, 76**

Maryville, TN - Mary Louise "Marylou" Cates Nipper, age 76, of Maryville, TN, formerly of Jacksonville and Ocala, FL, passed away Saturday, February 25, 2012, at her home. She was born February 22, 1936, in Citra, FL. She graduated from Ocala High School in 1953. She was a resident of Jacksonville, FL, for 30 years and of Maryville, TN, for 10.5 years. She retired as VP of Operations and Security from American National Bank in Jacksonville, FL, after 20 years of service. She was an avid reader, loved music, and singing. She was a member of her church choir for most of her life. She was a member of First Baptist Church in Ocala, FL, and San Jose Baptist Church in Jacksonville, FL. She was preceded in death by her son, Ray L. "Buddy"

Nipper, Jr.; parents, Rev. Wayne and Irene Spencer Cates; and sister, Velera Franks. She is survived by her children, David and Rhonda Nipper both of Maryville, TN; sister, Ruth Limbaugh of Orlando, FL; beloved dog, Indy; and several friends, neighbors, nieces, and nephews. In memory of Marylou, donations may be made to Second Harvest Food Bank, 136 Harvest Lane, Maryville, TN 37801, (865)521-0000. Arrangements provided by Miller Funeral Home, Maryville, TN, (865)982-6041, [www.millerfuneralhome.org](http://www.millerfuneralhome.org).  
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**OPITZ, KAREN, 70**

Ocala - Karen Opitz went to be with her Lord on Feb. 17, 2012. She was born December 9, 1941 in Milwaukee, WI. She graduated with both Bachelor and Master's degrees in education from the University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee. In 1977, the family moved from Milwaukee to Ocala and purchased a small printing company renaming it First Impressions Printing. Karen grew First Impressions to be the largest printing/design firm in Marion County winning over 100 Addy awards for design excellence. As President, Karen actively supported the Economic Development Council, the Chamber of Commerce, and many local charities. She was later named Marion County's first Small Business Person of the Year by the Chamber of Commerce. After 29 years, in 2005, the Opitz's sold the company and retired to travel the world. Throughout her life Karen and her husband Charles explored more than 60 countries, most exotic and remote, fulfilling her love of travel. Karen is survived by her loving husband of 47 years, Charles, and two sons, Mike (Denise) and Dan (Sook). She has two grandsons, Forrest and Drew along with her mother, Lillian and a sister, Sandra (Roy) and sister-in-law, Nancy (John). She also leaves many friends and relatives. All her friends are invited to a celebration of her life on Thursday, March 1st to be held at First Presbyterian Church of Ocala (511 SE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL 34471) at 4:00 p.m. with a reception following in the Fellowship Hall adjacent to the Church. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to First Presbyterian Church. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.

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**PATRICK, ESTHER C., 92**

Silver Springs - Mrs. Esther C. Patrick, age 92, of Silver Springs, Florida passed away peacefully on Sunday, February 26, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born on April 1, 1920 in Manila, Philippines and she moved to Ocala in 1976 from Walden, New York. She was a survivor of W.W.II, when Japan occupied the Philippines. She was a home maker and attended services at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. She loved gardening and plants, crocheting and traveling, was a wonderful seamstress, but most of all, loved spending time with her loving family and friends. She was preceded in death by her loving husband of 63 years, Ernest L. Patrick. She is survived by her son, Ernest R. and wife Monica Patrick of Wallkill, NY; her daughter Marie and husband, Kevin LaBud of Glendale Hts., IL; 5 grandchildren, Elisha, Matthew and Jeremy Patrick; also Fred and James Cunha and 3 great-grandchildren. A "Celebration of Life Service" will be at 10:00 AM, on Friday, March 2, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 S.W. 2nd Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471, with interment to follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home, today, from 6:00 until 8:00 PM. The family requests, in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, at P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860, in memory of Mrs. Esther C. Patrick.

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**SHERWOOD, JERRY, 64**

Ocala - Jerry Sherwood, 64, of Ocala passed on Tuesday Feb. 28, 2012 surrounded by his loving family. He was born on January 3, 1948 in Pontiac, Michigan to the late Cecil and Mary (Seib) Sherwood. Jerry had a passion for his work as a builder and was a man of vision. If there was a problem to solve or solution to be found, he was the go to person. Jerry will be missed by all that knew him and will be remembered for his strength and integrity. A visitation will be on Sat., March 3, 2012 from 2:30 to 3:00 p.m. with a Memorial Service to follow. Pastor Tim Ingram, a family friend, will be conducting the service at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. The family will be welcoming everyone back to their home after the service. Jerry is survived by his loving wife, Pam Sherwood, a son Ryan (Lori) Sherwood, of Ocala, FL, and a stepson, Ian (Carolyn) Reilly, brothers, Doug Sherwood and Walter Wilbanks. His love was his grandchildren, Jordy Sherwood, Jonas Reilly, Evelyn Reilly, Elliot Reilly and Joy Reilly. Jerry's grandson Jordy was very proud and happy that his grandpa became an angel and we feel secure that he will be watching over us all. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements are under the direction of Forest Lawn Funeral Home Ocala, FL.

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**TIPTON, POLLY ARNOLD, 88**

Dunnellon - Mrs. Polly Arnold Tipton, age 88, died suddenly at her Dunnellon, FL home Jan. 23, 2012. She was born in Greenville County, SC to James Connor Arnold and Lillian Surcey Arnold. Mrs. Tipton grew up and attended the Greer, SC Public Schools. As a young adult, she relocated to Charlotte, NC, where she met and married the love of her life, Thomas S. Tipton. A few years into their marriage, they moved to Miami, where their only child, Pamela Jean Tipton, was born. Mrs. Tipton was predeceased by her parents, her husband and daughter. She was also predeceased by her stepmother, Mable Hawkins Arnold; brothers, James C. Arnold, Jr., Robert R. Arnold, Aaron A. Arnold, and stepbrother, George Surner; sisters, Lois Arnold, Ruth A. Gosnell and Edith A. Floyd. Surviving family members include a brother, Lee Arnold; sisters, Loletta Faulkenberry of Burlington, NC, Christine A. Williams of Charlotte, NC and Nell Rose Altieri of Okla. City. Other surviving family members include numerous nieces and nephews. Mrs. Tipton was a most interesting and vivacious person throughout her life. Her artistic talents were well known by all who knew her and especially those who received gifts of her intricate fashion designs. She was also an accomplished gardener who took great pride in cultivating colorful and unusual flowers and plants. Whether a tree needed to be trimmed or removed, she happily took on the tasks. Her remains have been interred alongside those of her husband in Arlington National Cemetery, Virginia. A memorial prayer service will be held 11:30 a.m. on Friday, March 2nd at St. John Baptist Catholic Church, in honor of: Late Mrs. Polly Arnold Tipton. Donations may be made in lieu of flowers to: St. John Baptist Catholic Church, 7525 South US. Hwy 41, Dunnellon, Florida 34432.

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**VANCE, LOIS VIRGINIA, 65**

Ocala - Lois V. Vance, 65, passed away on February 24, 2012 at Sylvia's House under the care

of Hospice of Marion County. She leaves to cherish her memory, a devoted husband of 47 years, Lester B. Vance; two daughters: Marcella C. Gaines (Brian) and Viola M. Vance, both of Ocala, FL; two granddaughters: Ashley Y. Gaines, Ocala, FL, Meteshia Gaines, Orlando, FL; foster grandson, Curtland J. Duncan, Ocala, FL; goddaughters: Lexus Gumbsy and Nickki Adams, both of Ocala, FL; her parents: Clifford and Marcella Spencer, Ocala, FL; six sisters: Peggy Jackson, Tampa, FL, Gloria White (Joseph), Orlando, FL; Enda Reedy (James), St. Petersburg, FL, Elvenia Collins (Jake), Ocala, FL, Hairetta Finley, Orlando, FL and Icella Spencer, St. Petersburg, FL; special friend, Leona R. Chisholm; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. A wake service will be held 6:00 PM on March 1, 2012 at Mt. Tabor AME Church. Visitation will be on Friday, March 2, 2012 from 4:00PM until 7:00PM at Mt. Tabor AME. Homegoing service will be on Saturday, March 3, 2012, at 11:00AM at the House of God Church (27th Avenue). In lieu of flowers, the family requests that a donation in her name be made to the Shades of Beige Club (Shades of Beige, c/o Mrs. Carrie Woodbury, 808 N.W. 6th Terrace, Ocala, Florida, 34475). Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery (Bushnell, FL) on March 5, 2012 at 2:30PM. Professional services are entrusted to J. Hadley Funeral Home, 2030 North Temple Avenue, Starke, FL, (352) 351-0210 or (904) 368-0210. Jessica Hadley, LFD.

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#### **VOLPATO, JR., THOMAS MICHAEL, 57**

Astor - Thomas Michael Volpato, Jr., 57, of Astor, Florida, formerly of Interlachen, Florida, past away Feb. 26, 2012 at home surrounded by family. A native of Miami Florida he was born Sept. 17, 1954 to Thomas Volpato Sr. and Rachel (Chapman) Volpato. He was an avid boater and loved his Blackwater Yacht Club family. His passion was to be surrounded by good company, food and music. He worked at Mobile Home Electric and Air for the last 17 years. He loved Life and everyone called him "friend". He was preceded in eternal rest by his mother Rachel Volpato, and his father in law Milton Goetzke. Those who cherish his legacy of love are Sharen Volpato wife of 38 years, Astor, Florida; father Thomas and Jeanette Volpato, Interlachen, FL; daughters: Tonya Venable and Tiffany Jackson, both of Interlachen, FL; sister Donna and Dan Sakuta of St. Petersburg, FL; mother-in-law Elvira Goetzke of Bronson, FL; and grandchildren: Cody Jackson, Alexis Venable, Aaliyah Venable, Ashton Ziolko, Zachary Feldpausch and Rachel Feldpausch. Funeral arrangements are entrusted by Beyers Funeral Home Astor, FL.

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#### **WILLIAMS, JR., HOWARD CROSBY, 63**

Ocala - Howard C. Williams died Monday morning, February 27, 2012 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville. He was born January 12, 1949 in Jersey City, NJ. He moved to Ocala from Port Monmouth, NJ in 1986. He was employed at E-One for the past 25 years as a welder. Howie was a decorated Vietnam veteran and was an avid fisherman. Survivors include his wife Bettyanne Williams, daughter Sherry Neville, son Howard C. Williams III and a step-daughter Paula Lindgren, 2 grandchildren, Kristina and Lucas Neville and 2 step grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. Services are pending.

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**WYMAN, JANICE LEE "JAN", 67**

Citra - Janice Lee "Jan" Wyman, 67, died Saturday, February 25, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, FL. She was born September 15, 1944 in Delavan, WI and moved to Citra in 1974.

Memorial services are scheduled to be held Wednesday, February 29th, at 10:00 a.m., at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, FL 32617. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Legacy Hospice, 9505 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala, FL, 34481.

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**ANDERSON, DELORIS CARROLL, 61**

Ocala - Deloris Carroll Anderson of Ocala went home to be with the Lord on February 25, 2012. Born to Sumular Carroll and Flossie Mae White on August 24, 1950. She was a Minister of the Gospel, loved her children very much, enjoyed helping others and, spending time with her family and friends. She graduated from Howard High School and Central Florida Community College Criminal Justice Program. She is survived by her daughters Chrishonda Johnson (Brandon), Shamira Lee and goddaughter Shelia Seymour (Lewis), godson Denzel Acie, grandchildren: Diamond Porter, Brandon Johnson II, and Gabriel Johnson, sisters: Barbara McMillan (Willie), Bonnie Williams, B. Velma Williams, Trina Anderson (Roosevelt), Tina Upshaw, Janie Major (Randy), Candance Carroll and Sharree Roberts, brothers: Michael Williams, Michael Major, Kelvin Carroll and Derrick Carroll. She loved dearly and cherished many nieces, nephews and all of her family and friends. Viewing for the family and friends will be held at Tony Tanner Funeral Services, 127 NW 20th St., on Saturday, March 3, 2012 from 2pm-5pm.

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**CERRATO, CARMEN JOHN, 86**

Summerfield - Carmen John Cerrato, 86, Summerfield, FL, passed away Monday morning, February 27th, 2012 at his home in Spruce Creek South. His parting journey was peaceful and surrounded by his immediate family. He was Catholic by faith and held tight to Jesus as his life journey came to an end. Carmen was born in Bayonne, NJ, August 26th, 1925 to Anthony Cerrato and Lucia Falgiano. He married his childhood sweetheart and the love of his life, Rose Elizabeth Chiacchiera. They were the best of friends for 9 years prior to their marriage. Their 63rd wedding anniversary was February 20th, 2012. Mr. Cerrato proudly served and protected our country during WWII in the US Navy on the destroyer escort (DE-582) USS Metivier in the South Pacific. Carmen was employed by Esso Standard Oil at the Bayway refinery in Elizabeth, NJ and later retired as Supervisor from the City of Hallandale Water Plant in Hallandale, FL. Carmen and Rose owned and operated a small apartment complex "The Keyporter Apartments" in Hollywood, FL that they named after their home town, Keyport, NJ. They relocated to Summerfield, FL nine years ago and were Florida residents for 46 years. Carmen was a loving husband, devoted father, cherished family member, dedicated employee and the "world's best fisherman". He was a benevolent man, respected by many and earned the reputation as the "life of the party". Carmen rarely met a stranger, provided lots of laughs and laughed a lot. He loved to travel and always took great pride in everything he did. Carmen is survived by his loving wife Rose, his twin children Daniel & Patricia, son-in-law Neal Marsteller, daughter-in-law Sandra

and his grandchildren, Glen, Daniel, Escarlin and great-granddaughter Valerie; his Marsteller grandchildren, Shaun, Raymond, Suzanne and great-grandson Justin. He also leaves behind many friends, relatives and fond memories. He is predeceased by his older brother Anthony. Visitation from 2:00 to 3:00 p.m. and life celebration service at 3:00 p.m., followed by an honor guard ceremony will be held Saturday, March 3rd, 2012 at Beyers Funeral Home, Lady Lake. For those who wish to pay their respects, flowers may be sent to Beyers Funeral Home, Lady Lake or a memorial contribution may be made in his name to Marion County Hospice, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com). Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 1 to March 2, 2012

### **D'AMATO, LOUISE, 71**

Ocala - Louise D'Amato was born in Brooklyn, NY 12-7-40 to Vincent and Christina Spatafora and was the older of two siblings. On Oct. 28th, 1961, she married her childhood sweetheart and lifetime companion, John D'Amato. Louise was dearly loved by her surviving husband, John, daughters: Christina and Angela, son-in-law: Carlton and grandchildren: Emma, Wyatt, Alexa, Wilson and Sadie. Louise was baptized as one of Jehovah's Witnesses on 3-4-73. She was a most faithful servant of Jehovah for over 38 years. Louise was a loving wife and homemaker and her passion was serving her God and being with her most beloved grandchildren. She very sadly fell asleep in death, Friday, Feb. 24th. Louise was dearly loved by her worldwide spiritual family and will be remembered until we see her again. A memorial service will be held Mar. 3rd at 11 a.m. at the Shady Oaks Congregation: 3660 SW 7th PL, Ocala, FL 34474. Brother Tony Salemi will be officiating.

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### **JENSEN, FRANK E., 92**

Ocala - Frank E. Jensen, 92, resident of Ocala, FL, went to be with Jesus his Savior on Monday,

February 27, 2012. He was born on February 3, 1920 in Chippawa Falls, WI to Danish immigrants Hans and Sophia Bengsten Jensen. With his family, he moved to Wellsville, NY, in March 1920. Frank graduated with honors from Wellsville Central Schools in 1937. Soon after graduating, he was employed by Bradley Producing Corporation and later became president of the company, retiring in October 1994. While living in Wellsville, Frank held positions as president of Wellsville Rotary Club and a Paul Harris Fellow, president of Wellsville Chamber of Commerce, president of Wellsville Area United Fund and Chairman of the Budget Committee, Trustee and Chairman of the Investment Committee for Woodlawn Cemetery Association, and Chairman of the Christian & Missionary Alliance Church building program. Frank was an avid golfer, trap shooter, and horseshoe pitcher for many years, becoming proficient in each sport. In 1993, he and his wife relocated to Oak Run, Ocala, Florida where he was Neighborhood 2 Representative for 10 years. He is survived by his wife, Esther Ketchner Jensen, one son, James (Marsha Young) Jensen of Orleans, MA, three daughters, Marilyn (John) Wadsworth of Rochester, NY, Karen Baylis of Ocala, FL and West Palm Beach, FL, Frances Anne Jung, of St. Paul, MN, five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a son, Kirby Jensen, in 1998. He was also predeceased by a sister and four brothers. Viewing will be on Monday, March 5, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL at 2 - 4 p.m. and 6 - 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held at Friendship Baptist Church, S.W. 105th Street, Ocala on Tuesday, March 6, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. with Pastor Randall Brown officiating. Burial will be in the Woodlawn Cemetery, Wellsville, NY. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Building Fund, Friendship Baptist Church.

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### **MAYNARD, MARIE C., 33**

Hernando - Marie C. Maynard, 33, of Hernando, FL, passed away at her residence on February 29, 2012. She was born in Waukegan, IL on March 24, 1978 to parents, Raymond Lee and Katheryn (Kelly) Maynard. Marie was a homemaker. She was preceded in death by her father,



Raymond Lee Maynard and her grandfather, Ray J. Maynard. She is survived by her daughter, Maddie Maynard; son, Mikey Bartlett; mother, Katheryn Maynard; sister, Katie Truelove; paternal grandmother, Charlotte Maynard; companion, Mike Bartlett; and numerous extended family. Memorial services will be held on Tuesday, March 6th at 4:00 PM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce West Chapel, 6241 SW SR 200, 352-854-2266.  
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**ROJAHN, VIRGINIA HAMPTON, 68**

Bonifay, FL - Virginia Hampton Rojahn, daughter of Ruby Hampton Rojahn Mautner of Ocala/Marion County, passed away Saturday, February 18th, 2012 at age 68 in Bonifay, Northwest Florida. Preceding her in death were her father Charles Rojahn and above named mother Ruby. Surviving are, her stepfather Howard Mautner of Ocala/Marion County, plus Florida-resident daughters Lisa of Laurel Hill, Tina of Mossy Head, and Melanie of Plantation, son Tim of Jacksonville, and several Marion County cousins. Friends and family are welcome to attend a brief graveside service at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, March 3rd at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens Cemetery, Ocala.

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**ROMBERG, DELBERT "DEL", 98**

Ocala - Delbert "Del" Romberg, 98, was born southwest of Williamsburg, IA to Charles and Sarah Romberg on January 26, 1914 and went to be with his Lord and Savior on February 28, 2012. Del married his high school classmate, Helen Marie Seitsinger, who is now almost 97 1/2 years old, on August 15, 1934 at her home farm at Kinross, IA. They farmed for 33 years where they enjoyed their registered Horned Hereford Cattle. Del also started and owned a precast concrete business until moving to Ocala. Delbert and Helen moved to Ocala in 1974. He worked for Gullic Realty and later opened his own office Romberg Realty until 1994 when at age 80 he retired. Del loved his wife of 77 1/2 years (girlfriend/boyfriend for 81 1/2 years) and their Ocala

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**SHERWOOD, JERRY, 64**

Ocala - Jerry Sherwood, 64, of Ocala passed on Tuesday Feb. 28, 2012 surrounded by his loving family. He was born on January 3, 1948 in Pontiac, Michigan to the late Cecil and Mary (Seib) Sherwood. Jerry had a passion for his work as a builder and was a man of vision. If there was a problem to solve or solution to be found, he was the go to person. Jerry will be missed by all that knew him and will be remembered for his strength and integrity. A visitation will be on Sat., March 3, 2012 from 2:30 to 3:00 p.m. with a Memorial Service to follow. Pastor Tim Ingram, a family friend, will be conducting the service at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. The family will be welcoming everyone back to their home after the service. Jerry is survived by his loving wife, Pam Sherwood, a son Ryan (Lori) Sherwood, of Ocala, FL, and a stepson, Ian (Carolyn) Reilly, brothers, Doug Sherwood and Walter Wilbanks. His love was his grandchildren, Jordy Sherwood, Jonas Reilly, Evelyn Reilly, Elliot Reilly and Joy Reilly. Jerry's grandson Jordy was very proud and happy that his grandpa became an angel and we feel secure that he will be watching over us all. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements are under the direction of Forest Lawn Funeral Home Ocala, FL.

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**VANCE, LOIS VIRGINIA, 65**

Ocala - Lois V. Vance, 65, passed away on February 24, 2012 at Sylvia's House under the care of Hospice of Marion County. She leaves to cherish her memory, a devoted husband of 47 years, Lester B. Vance; two daughters: Marcella C. Gaines (Brian) and Viola M. Vance, both of Ocala, FL; two granddaughters: Ashley Y. Gaines, Ocala, FL, Meteshia Gaines, Orlando, FL; foster grandson, Curtland J. Duncan, Ocala, FL; goddaughters: Lexus Gumbsy and Nickki Adams, both of Ocala, FL; her parents: Clifford and Marcella Spencer, Ocala, FL; six sisters: Peggy Jackson, Tampa, FL, Gloria White (Joseph), Orlando, FL; Enda Reedy (James), St. Petersburg, FL, Elvenia Collins (Jake), Ocala, FL, Hairetta Finley, Orlando, FL and Icella Spencer, St. Petersburg, FL; special friend, Leona R. Chisholm; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. A wake service will be held 6:00 PM on March 1, 2012 at Mt. Tabor AME Church. Visitation will be on Friday, March 2, 2012 from 4:00PM until 7:00PM at Mt. Tabor AME. Homegoing service will be on Saturday, March 3, 2012, at 11:00AM at the House of God Church (27th Avenue). In lieu of flowers, the family requests that a donation in her name be made to the Shades of Beige Club (Shades of Beige, c/o Mrs. Carrie Woodbury, 808 N.W. 6th Terrace, Ocala, Florida, 34475). Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery (Bushnell, FL) on March 5, 2012 at 2:30PM. Professional services are entrusted to J. Hadley Funeral Home, 2030 North Temple Avenue, Starke, FL, (352) 351-0210 or (904) 368-0210. Jessica Hadley, LFD.

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**VOLPATO, JR., THOMAS MICHAEL, 57**

Astor - Thomas Michael Volpato, Jr., 57, of Astor, Florida, formerly of Interlachen, Florida, past away Feb. 26, 2012 at home surrounded by family. A native of Miami Florida he was born Sept. 17, 1954 to Thomas Volpato Sr. and Rachel (Chapman) Volpato. He was an avid boater and loved his Blackwater Yacht Club family. His passion was to be surrounded by good company, food and music. He worked at Mobile Home Electric and Air for the last 17 years. He loved Life and everyone called him "friend". He was preceded in eternal rest by his mother Rachel Volpato, and his father in law Milton Goetzke. Those who cherish his legacy of love are Sharen Volpato wife of 38 years, Astor, Florida; father Thomas and Jeanette Volpato, Interlachen, FL; daughters: Tonya Venable and Tiffany Jackson, both of Interlachen, FL; sister Donna and Dan Sakuta of St. Petersburg, FL; mother-in-law Elvira Goetzke of Bronson, FL; and grandchildren: Cody Jackson, Alexis Venable, Aaliyah Venable, Ashton Ziolkko, Zachary Feldpausch and Rachel Feldpausch. Funeral arrangements are entrusted by Beyers Funeral Home Astor, FL.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 3, 2012****JENSEN, FRANK E., 92**

Ocala - Frank E. Jensen, 92, resident of Ocala, FL, went to be with Jesus his Savior on Monday, February 27, 2012. He was born on February 3, 1920 in Chippawa Falls, WI to Danish immigrants Hans and Sophia Bengsten Jensen. With his family, he moved to Wellsville, NY, in March 1920. Frank graduated with honors from Wellsville Central Schools in 1937. Soon after graduating, he was employed by Bradley Producing Corporation and later became president of

the company, retiring in October 1994. While living in Wellsville, Frank held positions as president of Wellsville Rotary Club and a Paul Harris Fellow, president of Wellsville Chamber of Commerce, president of Wellsville Area United Fund and Chairman of the Budget Committee, Trustee and Chairman of the Investment Committee for Woodlawn Cemetery Association, and Chairman of the Christian & Missionary Alliance Church building program. Frank was an avid golfer, trap shooter, and horseshoe pitcher for many years, becoming proficient in each sport. In 1993, he and his wife relocated to Oak Run, Ocala, Florida where he was Neighborhood 2 Representative for 10 years. He is survived by his wife, Esther Ketchner Jensen, one son, James (Marsha Young) Jensen of Orleans, MA, three daughters, Marilyn (John) Wadsworth of Rochester, NY, Karen Baylis of Ocala, FL and West Palm Beach, FL, Frances Anne Jung, of St. Paul, MN, five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a son, Kirby Jensen, in 1998. He was also predeceased by a sister and four brothers. Viewing will be on Monday, March 5, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL at 2 - 4 p.m. and 6 - 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held at Friendship Baptist Church, S.W. 105th Street, Ocala on Tuesday, March 6, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. with Pastor Randall Brown officiating. Burial will be in the Woodlawn Cemetery, Wellsville, NY. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Building Fund, Friendship Baptist Church.

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### **MAYNARD, MARIE C., 33**

Hernando - Marie C. Maynard, 33, of Hernando, FL, passed away at her residence on February 29, 2012. She was born in Waukegan, IL on March 24, 1978 to parents, Raymond Lee and Katheryn (Kelly) Maynard. Marie was a homemaker. She was preceded in death by her father, Raymond Lee Maynard and her grandfather, Ray J. Maynard. She is survived by her daughter, Maddie Maynard; son, Mikey Bartlett; mother, Katheryn Maynard; sister, Katie Truelove; paternal grandmother, Charlotte Maynard; companion, Mike Bartlett; and numerous extended family. Memorial services will be held on Tuesday, March 6th at 4:00 PM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce West Chapel, 6241 SW SR 200, 352-854-2266.

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### **ROJAHN, VIRGINIA HAMPTON, 68**

Bonifay, FL - Virginia Hampton Rojahn, daughter of Ruby Hampton Rojahn Mautner of

Ocala/Marion County, passed away Saturday, February 18th, 2012 at age 68 in Bonifay, Northwest Florida. Preceding her in death were her father Charles Rojahn and above named mother Ruby. Surviving are, her stepfather Howard Mautner of Ocala/Marion County, plus Florida-resident daughters Lisa of Laurel Hill, Tina of Mossy Head, and Melanie of Plantation, son Tim of Jacksonville, and several Marion County cousins. Friends and family are welcome to attend a brief graveside service at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, March 3rd at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens Cemetery, Ocala.

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**PATRICIA T. DEVORE**

Patricia T. DeVore lost her battle with Multiple Myeloma on March 3, 2012 after a courageous ten year fight. She was born in Sutton, Vermont on October 13, 1932 to Frances and Ivy Thayer. She grew up in Vernon, Connecticut and attended Rockville High School. She started working for Pratt & Whitney in East Hartford, Connecticut and then transferred to the Florida Research and Development Center in 1960. She retired from Pratt & Whitney in 1997 after forty-two years of service. While at Pratt & Whitney she served on the Board of Directors of the Employees Club from 1974 to 1982 and again from 1989 through February of 1992 during which time she participated in the planning for the annual Christmas Party. She also developed the idea for an annual Luncheon and Fashion Show which she organized and presided over for several years. A number of these fashion shows were held at The Breakers Hotel in Palm Beach. During 1982 she served as Fundraising Chairperson for Florida Special Olympics District 10. She received many awards for her work at Pratt & Whitney over the years. On June 10, 2001 she was elected to the Rockville High School Wall of Fame in recognition of Scholarship, Leadership and Community Service. Upon retirement, she continued her volunteer work by serving as Program Chairman for the United Technologies Retirees' Club. She continued this for several years until dealing with the chemo for treatment of Multiple Myeloma took too much of her strength. She also served as a volunteer assistant to the first grade teacher at Jupiter Farms Elementary school for several hours two days each week. This continued until chemo treatments made it too uncertain when she would be available to assist. She loved working with first grade kids and was very sad when



she had to stop. She was an avid reader and loved spending time at the library. She was preceded in death by her son John Patrick Lehan and her life long friend and "Maid of Honor" Linda Taylor. She will forever live in the hearts of her loving husband of thirty-six years, John A. DeVore, son Michael Patrick Lehan (Janis), granddaughter Michelle Lynn Lehan, grandson Michael Patrick Lehan Jr., sisters Joan Boyd (John) and Alyce Ruffini (Charles) and brother Robert Thayer (Cecelia). She will also be greatly missed by her beloved Persian cats Jack, Sadie and Bear. Friends are invited to meet with the family from 2-4 & 6-8 PM, Thursday, March 8, 2012 at the Taylor & Modeen Funeral Home, 250 Center St., Jupiter, FL. A Celebration of her Life will be held at 11 AM, Friday, March 9, 2012 at the funeral home. Patricia will be laid to rest in Millwood Cemetery in Reddick, Florida at 2 PM, Saturday, March 10, 2012. The family suggests contributions to Safe Harbor Animal Rescue, 185 E. Indiantown Road, Jupiter, FL 33477. For directions and online condolences, please visit [taylorandmodeen.com](http://taylorandmodeen.com). Taylor & Modeen Funeral Home, Family Owned & Operated. 561-744-2030, Jupiter, FL  
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### **PATRICIA T. DEVORE**

Patricia T. DeVore lost her battle with Multiple Myeloma on March 3, 2012 after a courageous ten year fight. She was born in Sutton, Vermont on October 13, 1932 to Frances and Ivy Thayer. She grew up in Vernon, Connecticut and attended Rockville High School. She started working for Pratt & Whitney in East Hartford, Connecticut and then transferred to the Florida Research and Development Center in 1960. She retired from Pratt & Whitney in 1997 after forty-two years of service. While at Pratt & Whitney she served on the Board of Directors of the Employees Club from 1974 to 1982 and again from 1989 through February of 1992 during which time she participated in the planning for the annual Christmas Party. She also developed the idea for an annual Luncheon and Fashion Show which she organized and presided over for several years. A number of these fashion shows were held at The Breakers Hotel in Palm Beach. During 1982 she served as Fundraising Chairperson for Florida Special Olympics District 10. She received many awards for her work at Pratt & Whitney over the years. On June 10, 2001 she was elected to the Rockville High School Wall of Fame in recognition of Scholarship, Leadership and Community Service. Upon retirement, she continued her volunteer work by serving as Program Chairman for the United Technologies Retirees' Club. She continued this for several years until dealing with the chemo for treatment of Multiple Myeloma took too much of her strength. She also served as a volunteer assistant to the first grade teacher at Jupiter Farms Elementary school for several hours two days each week. This continued until chemo treatments made it too uncertain when she would be available to assist. She loved working with first grade kids and was very sad when she had to stop. She was an avid reader and loved spending time at the library. She was preceded in death by her son John Patrick Lehan and her life long friend and "Maid of Honor" Linda Taylor. She will forever live in the hearts of her loving husband of thirty-six years, John A. DeVore, son Michael Patrick Lehan (Janis), granddaughter Michelle Lynn Lehan, grandson Michael Patrick Lehan Jr., sisters Joan Boyd (John) and Alyce Ruffini (Charles) and brother Robert Thayer (Cecelia). She will also be greatly missed by her beloved Persian cats Jack, Sadie and Bear. Friends are invited to meet with the family from 2-4 & 6-8 PM, Thursday, March 8, 2012 at the Taylor & Modeen Funeral Home, 250 Center St., Jupiter, FL. A Celebration of her Life will be held at 11 AM, Friday, March 9, 2012 at the funeral home. Patricia will be laid to rest in Millwood Cemetery in Reddick, Florida at 2 PM, Saturday, March 10, 2012. The family suggests contributions to Safe Harbor Animal Rescue, 185 E. Indiantown Road, Jupiter, FL 33477. For directions and online condolences, please visit [taylorandmodeen.com](http://taylorandmodeen.com). Taylor & Modeen Funeral Home, Family Owned & Operated. 561-744-2030, Jupiter, FL  
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**JAMES, FLORINE LAWTON, 70**

Ocala - Florine L. James, 70, passed away on March 4, 2012 in Gainesville, FL. She was born in Citra, FL on May 11, 1941. A long time resident of Ocala, she attended Antioch Missionary Baptist Church. Mrs. Florine L. James is survived by her six children Bernadine Y. Jackson, Booker T. James, Jr., Sylvia Y. James, Ronnie L. James, Tiwana D. James, and Michael L. James. A celebration of life will be held on Friday, March 9, 2012 at 6 p.m. at Antioch Missionary Baptist Church in Sparr, FL. Funeral services will be conducted by Sellers Funeral Home and commence at 1 p.m. March 10, 2012 at New Saint John Baptist Church in Ocala, FL.

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### **TIMKO, JR., CAPTAIN ANDREW PAUL, 61**

Salt Springs - Andy Timko, longtime resident of Salt Springs, passed away on the morning of Feb. 26, 2012. He was born in Pittsburgh, PA on May 31, 1950, to Andrew and Patricia Timko. Growing up in South Florida the eldest of six children, Andy enjoyed an active and adventurous childhood. Graduating from Ft. Lauderdale High School in 1968, he later attained a degree in Architectural Woodworking from DBCC and began a career in construction in 1973. Andy was an avid outdoorsman his whole life. A proficient camper, boating and fishing always held a special place in his heart. Certified by the Coast Guard, he could often be seen captaining the "Cracker Jack" throughout the waters of Florida. Andy met Dianne Douglass while playing a restaurant's trivia contest, and after forgetting the name of the realty office she worked at, called every one in Ft. Lauderdale until he found her again. They were married on Apr. 14, 1984, loved each other for over 27 years and produced two wonderful daughters, Andrea and Brenda. Andy shone as a construction foreman during a long career with Pinkerton & Laws. He was well known for completing his projects on time and under budget; numerous hotels and commercial properties in the SE bear his signature. He is survived by his wife, Dianne; his children Andrea Snyder (Todd) of Raleigh, NC, Brenda Timko of Ocala, FL and Rebel the family dog; his father, Andrew Timko of Salt Springs, FL, his four sisters, Patty Cooke of Atlanta, GA, Paula Ramsey of Salt Springs, FL, Katie Caulfield of Salt Springs, FL and Mary Albin of Ft. Lauderdale, FL. His mother, Patricia Bates and his brother, Robert Timko, preceded him in death. While he will be greatly missed by his family and many friends, we find solace in the fact that he is absent from the body and present with the Lord. The immediate family held a private cremation committal service. A Celebration of Life will be held at Andy & Dianne's residence, Mar. 10, 2012 beginning at 11 AM. All are encouraged to share a memory and lesson learned from Andy. Cremation arrangements are by Florida Cremation, Ocala, FL.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 9, 2012**

**BRADSHAW, ELIZABETH DEANN, 48**

Ocala - Elizabeth Deann Bradshaw, 48, passed away on March 6, 2012 at Monroe Regional Medical Center. She was born on January 4, 1964 in Phoenix, Arizona to Roger and Mary (Blevins) Bradshaw. She moved from Phoenix to Ocala in 2002. Along with her parents, Elizabeth is survived by a daughter Brittany E. Rutter, and other loving family members. A memorial service will take place on March 10, 2012 at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, FL at 3:00 p.m., to be conducted by Pastor Goodroe. In lieu of flower, donations may be made to a favorite charity . Arrangements are entrusted to Forest Lawn Funeral Home Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 8 to March 9, 2012

**GORDON, JANICE K., 65**

Citra - Janice K. Gordon, 65, passed away on Tuesday, March 6, 2012. Born in Ocala she lived in Marion County all her life. Preceded in death by her son, Marvin Gordon; Janice is survived by her husband, Malvin Gordon; son, Melvin Lamar Gordon, and daughter, Lisa Michelle Gordon, both of Citra; four grandchildren, Tonya, Audrey, Jacob and Hayden; brothers, Gilbert Smith and Harold Smith, both of Ocala; and sister, Glenda Pierce, Citra. Visitation will be 6:00 p.m., Thursday, March 8, at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony. Funeral Service will be 11:00 a.m. on Friday, March 9, 2012 at First Baptist Church, Ft. McCoy, with Rev. Ted Burrell officiating. Interment to follow in Ft. McCoy Cemetery. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 8 to March 9, 2012

**HANSON, MARK SEVERIN, 81**

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**JAMES, FLORINE LAWTON, 70**

Ocala - Florine L. James, 70, passed away on March 4, 2012 in Gainesville, FL. She was born in Citra, FL on May 11, 1941. A long time resident of Ocala, she attended Antioch Missionary Baptist Church. Mrs. Florine L. James is survived by her six children Bernadine Y. Jackson, Booker T. James, Jr., Sylvia Y. James, Ronnie L. James, Tiwana D. James, and Michael L. James. A celebration of life will be held on Friday, March 9, 2012 at 6 p.m. at Antioch Missionary Baptist Church in Sparr, FL. Funeral services will be conducted by Sellers Funeral Home and commence at 1 p.m. March 10, 2012 at New Saint John Baptist Church in Ocala, FL.

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**McNEAL, MARY NELL, 90**

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Columbus, OH - Bettie Lou (Harbage) Allen of Columbus, Ohio, passed away on March 5, 2012, at home with her family by her side. Bettie was born in Columbus on July 28, 1924. She is preceded in death by her husband, Alvin A. "Mike" Allen; father, Edwin M. Harbage; mother, Helen K. (Murray); and sister, Phyllis J. (Cvitanovich). She is survived by daughter, Phyllis "Diana" Unrue (widow of James Thomas) of Gainesville, Virginia; her grandchildren, Michele "Miki" Head (husband Ken) of Suffolk, Virginia; Michael "Mike" Unrue (wife Tina) of Gainesville, Virginia and Marlo "Molly" Bridenstine (husband Joel) of Cheyenne, Wyoming. Bettie has seven great-grandchildren; Meghan, Brandon, Sarah, Jamie, Joel II, Joshua, and Samantha; and one great-great grandchild, Theodore. Bettie was a beloved Mother, Grandmother, Aunt and friend to many. Bettie was a graduate of Holy Family High School, class of 1942. Bettie and Mike retired to Ocala, Florida, where they lived for 20 years before moving to Gainesville, Virginia, to live with their grandson. Friends may call at the O. R. WOODYARD CO. CHAPEL, 1346 S. High St., Columbus, OH, Sunday 5-8 p.m. Funeral Mass will be held Monday 10:30 a.m. at Holy Family Church, 584 W. Broad Street. Final resting place is Green Lawn Cemetery in Columbus, Ohio. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Medi Home Hospice Manassas, 9625 Surveyor Court, Suite 230, Manassas, VA 20110, in honor of Bettie Lou Allen.

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Dunnellon - John Jacob Kivitt, (Jack), 87 died Wednesday, March 7, 2012. Formerly a resident of Oakland and Brigantine, NJ, Jack was a US Army Veteran. He is predeceased by wife, Doris Kivitt. Surviving are brothers: Charles and Robert; sons: Allen, John, Glenn and Dean; 11 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Following cremation, a memorial service will be planned at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell.

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**KUEHN, RAYMOND A., 65**

Ocala - Raymond A. Kuehn, 65, US Navy-Vietnam War Veteran of Ocala, FL was born on August 29, 1946 and died March 5, 2012 at Munroe Regional Hospital, Ocala, FL. He is survived by his devoted wife, Mary Kuehn; 8 children; 15 grandchildren; 5 sisters; 2 brothers and many extended family and friends. His services are 2:30 PM, Friday, March 16, 2012, at Florida National Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Avenue, Bushnell, FL 33513, with Marion County Military Honor Guard, officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations in his name can be made to the Marion County Humane Society. Arrangements by Veterans Funeral Care, 727-524-9202.

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#### **DHUE, NANCY**

Ocala - Nancy Dhue, of Ocala, FL passed away on Wednesday, February 29, 2012 in Ocala. Born in Denver, Pennsylvania, daughter to the late Warren and Mildred (Muntz) Lutz, she moved here from Michigan in 1984. Nancy was a homemaker who spent her life caring for her three sons and her husband. In her later years she was noted for her golfing, cooking and some traveling with her husband Ray. Nancy was also preceded in death by her son Raymond from Lakeland, FL in 2011 and her brother Joseph Lutz in 1969. She is survived by her beloved husband of 67 years, Ray Dhue of Ocala, sons, Steven Dhue (Elizabeth) of Michigan and Hunter Dhue of Boulder City, Nevada; grandchildren, Amy, Bryan, Keegan and Ali; great-grandchildren, Taylor, Addison, Kyle, Morgan and Bryce; daughter-in-law, Kathy Dhue of Lakeland, FL. Private family services will be held at a later date. Memorial Contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Condolences may be expressed to [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.

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#### **FAIRCHILD, PETER "SPIKE", 71**

Ocala - Born June 4, 1940 in Philadelphia, Peter "Spike" Fairchild, died February 26, 2012 at home in Ocala. He is survived by his wife Barbara, brother John Fairchild, sister Laurey Jaggard, and stepmom Marge Fairchild. He served in the U.S. Navy and retired as a Chief Petty Officer. He worked as an estimator/planner at NARF in Alameda, CA. He loved the travel his job required. He moved to Ocala 17 years ago and had a second home in Blairsville, Georgia. He had a great sense of humor and was cherished by all. He donated his body to science.

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Ocala - Lucy Jernigan Gay, 84, passed away on March 7, 2012 at Estelle's House. She was born on January 4, 1928 in Clermont, Florida, the daughter of Perry Almond Jernigan and Clellah Lochner Jernigan. Her family moved to Ocala when she was six months old. Lucy graduated from Ocala High School in 1946 and married Verton Eugene Gay in 1948. Lucy was employed as the Bookkeeper for Jim Jernigan's Studio. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Ocala, and for many years was the Chairperson of the Kindergarten Sunday School Classes. She was a member of the Friendly Fellowship Sunday School Class. and United Methodist Women. Lucy was a member of the Ocala Junior Woman's Club and was named their Most Valuable Member in 1958. She was also an avid Gator fan. She was predeceased by her husband of 61 years. She is survived by her daughter, LuAnne Gay, her brother Jim Jernigan and her sister-in-law, Betty Jernigan, nephews, Richard (Sharon) and John (Sheila) Jernigan and a niece, Jan Jernigan Chapman (AI). She is also survived by sisters-in-law, Catherine Gay, Joyce Gay Mainer and several nieces. Visitation will be at Hiers Funeral Home on Tuesday, March 13th from 5 - 7 p.m. Graveside services will be held at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery on Wednesday, March 14th at 11:00 a.m., with Dr. John Few conducting the service. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made to the First United Methodist Church or to Interfaith.

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### **KIVITT, JOHN JACOB "JACK", 87**

Dunnellon - John Jacob Kivitt, (Jack), 87 died Wednesday, March 7, 2012. Formerly a resident of Oakland and Brigantine, NJ, Jack was a US Army Veteran. He is predeceased by wife, Doris Kivitt. Surviving are brothers: Charles and Robert; sons: Allen, John, Glenn and Dean; 11 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. Following cremation, a memorial service will be planned at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell.

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### **KUEHN, RAYMOND A., 65**

Ocala - Raymond A. Kuehn, 65, US Navy-Vietnam War Veteran of Ocala, FL was born on August 29, 1946 and died March 5, 2012 at Munroe Regional Hospital, Ocala, FL. He is survived by his devoted wife, Mary Kuehn; 8 children; 15 grandchildren; 5 sisters; 2 brothers and many extended family and friends. His services are 2:30 PM, Friday, March 16, 2012, at Florida National Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Avenue, Bushnell, FL 33513, with Marion County Military Honor Guard, officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations in his name can be made to the Marion County Humane Society. Arrangements by Veterans Funeral Care, 727-524-9202.

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**DELEONABREU, KATHERINE E.**

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Visitation for Mrs. Deleonabreu will be held today, March 12, 2012 from 4:00 pm to the hour of service, at the Heinz Funeral Home in Inverness. Her funeral service will begin at 6:00 PM. In lieu of flowers the family suggests donation be made in Katherine's name to the Special Olympics Florida, Development Dept., 1915 Don Wickham Drive, Clermont, FL 34711. Heinz Funeral Home & Cremation, Inverness, FL.

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**DHUE, NANCY**

Ocala - Nancy Dhue, of Ocala, FL passed away on Wednesday, February 29, 2012 in Ocala. Born in Denver, Pennsylvania, daughter to the late Warren and Mildred (Muntz) Lutz, she moved here from Michigan in 1984. Nancy was a homemaker who spent her life caring for her three sons and her husband. In her later years she was noted for her golfing, cooking and some traveling with her husband Ray. Nancy was also preceded in death by her son Raymond from Lakeland, FL in 2011 and her brother Joseph Lutz in 1969. She is survived by her beloved husband of 67 years, Ray Dhue of Ocala, sons, Steven Dhue (Elizabeth) of Michigan and Hunter Dhue of Boulder City, Nevada; grandchildren, Amy, Bryan, Keegan and Ali; great-grandchildren, Taylor, Addison, Kyle, Morgan and Bryce; daughter-in-law, Kathy Dhue of Lakeland, FL. Private family services will be held at a later date. Memorial Contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Condolences may be expressed to [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.

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**FAIRCHILD, PETER "SPIKE", 71**

Ocala - Born June 4, 1940 in Philadelphia, Peter "Spike" Fairchild, died February 26, 2012 at home in Ocala. He is survived by his wife Barbara, brother John Fairchild, sister Laurey Jaggard, and stepmom Marge Fairchild. He served in the U.S. Navy and retired as a Chief Petty Officer. He worked as an estimator/planner at NARF in Alameda, CA. He loved the travel his job required. He moved to Ocala 17 years ago and had a second home in Blairsville, Georgia. He had a great sense of humor and was cherished by all. He donated his body to science.

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**GAUDETTE, GEORGE A., 63**

Ocala - George A. Gaudette, 63, of Ocala Palms Florida, died Saturday, March 10, 2012 after a brief illness. Born in Palmer, MA on November 11, 1948, to Aime T. Gaudette and the late Virginia (Santucci) Gaudette, he was the oldest of five children. George graduated from Monson High School and served in the United States Navy. He married Kathryn (Pixley) and was the proud father of two children. George worked for IBM out of Springfield, MA and Burlington, VT for many years until his retirement at age 55. During his retirement he enjoyed golfing, trips to Disney World and relaxing by his pool while watching the golfers on the 14th Fairway in his backyard. George is survived by his wife Kathryn, a son Jesse Gaudette, daughter-in-law Amanda Gaudette of Burlington, VT; a daughter Sarah Gaudette, son-in-law Andrew Coulter of Bradenton, FL; his sisters, Denise Bird of Ocala, FL, Donna Furlong of North Reading, MA, Joanne Keller and her husband Robert Spencer of Umatilla, FL, and Janine Anderson and her husband Scott of Palmer, MA; nieces and nephews, Christopher & Karen Furlong of Boston, MA, Susan Bird of Steamboat Springs, CO, Cynthia Bird Oilette and her husband Pete of CT, Jeffrey & Nicole Anderson of Palmer, MA, Alycia & Justine Keller of FL, and two great nieces, Sariya Dodge of Mount Dora, FL, and Olivia Ouillette of CT. A memorial service will be held on Tuesday March 13th at 1 PM in the clubhouse of Ocala Palms, 5000 North U.S. Highway 27, Ocala, FL 34482. The Gaudette family wishes to thank Hospice of Marion County and all the staff at the Florida Cancer Center at Waterman Hospital in Tavares, FL.

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**MICHELL, PATRICE GOODIER, 67**

Ocala - Patrice Goodier Michell, 67, passed away on Saturday, March 10, 2012, at Sylvia's

Hospice House. Born in Milwaukee, WI, Patrice returned to Ocala in 2010 from Pleasant Hill, IA. During her life she worked as a teacher, homemaker, and realtor. She enjoyed crafts, gardening, reading, and was involved in the Jaycees in Ocala. She is survived by her son Jeffery Mitchell of Gainesville; daughter Suzi Wingo of Ocala; sisters Mary Schuh of Dunedin and Suzie Crooke of Altamonte Springs; companion Victor Cameruci of Pleasant Hill, IA; and granddaughters Jordan and Alexandra Wingo. The family will hold a private ceremony at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - Ocala Chapel.

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#### **CHANCEY, EDNA M., 79**

Dunnellon - Edna M. Chancey, 79, of Dunnellon, Florida, passed away on Sunday, March 11, 2012 in the loving care of her family and the staff of Legacy House of Hospice of Marion County. She was born on Wednesday, October 12, 1932 to Kenneth L. and Margaret Wheatfill in Terre Haute, Indiana. She moved to Kissimmee, FL in 1959 from Terre Haute. She then moved to Orlando in 1961, where she worked for several insurance agencies for over 10 years. She then went to work in Orlando for Boise Cascade Corporation in 1970, retiring as shipping supervisor after 17 years of service. She and her husband, Ralph, then moved to Crystal River, Florida where she went to work for Harold B. Stephens, Atty. for two years. She has lived in the Dunnellon area since 1993 and moved into Dunnellon Square Mobile Home Park in 2001. She was an active resident in the park, having been secretary of their homeowner's association as well as president of the association. Also, she wrote their monthly newsletter for several years. She was a life member of the VFW Post #4864 Ladies Auxiliary of Citrus Springs. She was of the Baptist faith and attended the Lighthouse Baptist Church in Citrus Springs. Edna was preceded in death by her granddaughter, Christine Tillman; brother, Raymond Wheatfill and by her husband Ralph after 38 years of marriage. Between them, they had eight children, which included one son and seven daughters: Robert Patterson of Coleman, FL, Vicki Tillman of Ruskin, FL, Cathy Joslyn of Venice, FL, Cheryl Clayton of Walterboro, SC, Sandi Detrick of St. Paris, OH, Shelly Frazier of Tallahassee, FL, Laura Jergens of Roopville, GA and Missy Hendrix of Perry, GA. She also is survived by 17 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and sister, Wanda Acosta of Dunnellon, FL. Viewing will take place at Fero Funeral Home in Beverly Hills from 5:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M. on Thursday, March 15, 2012. The funeral service will be held at Fero Funeral Home on Friday, March 16, 2012 at 11:30 P.M. with the Reverend Jess Burton of the Lighthouse Baptist Church. Interment will follow at Fero Memorial Gardens. Arrangements entrusted to Fero Funeral Home.

[www.ferofuneralhome.com](http://www.ferofuneralhome.com)

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#### **CUMMINGS, RUTH ELLEN, 84**

Ocala - Ruth Ellen Cummings, 84, of Ocala, FL passed away on March 12, 2012. The daughter of Lester R. Jacobs and Martha Heard, she was a graduate of Princeton High School and continued her studies at Bradley University in Peoria, IL, where she met her future husband Lt. Col. Dan M. Cummings. As the wife of a career Army Officer, Mrs. Cummings enjoyed the



years they were stationed in Germany and traveled extensively throughout Europe. Surviving are her four children and daughter-in-law; Linda Griffith of Oxford, GA, Janice Tarter-Smith of Ft. McCoy, FL, Glenn and Susan Cummings of Tampa, FL and Alice Carson of Germantown, MD, and grandchildren Christopher Griffith, Melanie Tarter, Danielle Cummings, Rachel and Ethan Carson, and a great grandson Nicholas Griffith. Mrs. Cummings is also survived by her brother, Robert L. Jacobs of Ocala, FL. Interment will be at the Tampico Memorial Cemetery in Tampico, IL. In lieu of flowers, those that wish may make contributions to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474.

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#### **GARNER, JR., FRED TANNER, 84**

Ocala - Fred Tanner Garner, Jr., 84, went to be with the Lord on March 9, 2012. Born and raised in North Carolina he then served 20 years in the US Army and was a veteran of the Korean War. During his years of service, he traveled to many foreign countries where in Japan he met the love of his life, his wife of 53 years, Reiko. He is preceded in death by his parents Fred Garner, Sr. and Bertie L. Garner, his wife Reiko and son-in-law George Petriccione. He is survived by five children, Diane Millender, Michael Garner (Kim), Rebecca Petriccione, Richard Garner and Cynthia Poole (Dan), eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Known to everyone as PopPop, he loved fishing and took great pride in his family who will miss him greatly. A memorial service in his honor will be held Saturday, March 17, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. at the Crossroads Community Church with Pastor Paul Woosley officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his name to Hospice of Marion County, Estelle's House, Ocala, Florida. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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**JAZZ, EVELYN J., 83**

Silver Springs - Evelyn J. Jazz, 83, of Silver Springs, passed away March 12, 2012. She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard K. Jazz and her son, Steven K. Jazz. She is survived by her sons, Michael (Donna) Jazz of Silver Springs, Jeff (Judy) Jazz of Auburn, MA; daughter, Janet Jazz of Ocala and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. A private graveside service will be held at a later date. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 14 to March 16, 2012

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**OLSEN, EDWIN C. "SINGING EDDIE", 86**

Dunnellon - A memorial service for Edwin C. "Singing Eddie" Olsen, who went to be with the Lord on February 16, 2012, will be Friday, March 16, 2012 at 10 AM at Rainbow Springs Village Church, 20222 SW 102 Street Road, Dunnellon. Military services will follow at 1 PM at Bushnell National Cemetery. Mr. Olsen was born July 9, 1925 in Brooklyn, NY. He was a chef at well-known resorts such as Tappas in Tarpon Springs and the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island, MI among others. He was a veteran of World War II and Korea and a life member of VFW Post 4864. An avid fisherman, he also enjoyed cooking and eating. Ed is survived by his

wife of 41 years, Doris, and nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Citrus County or Rainbow Springs Village Church. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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#### **BOGGESS, JAMES BRIAN, 55**

Ocala - James Brian Boggess, 55, of Ocala, passed away March 13, 2012. Born in Detroit, Michigan, he came to this area in 1986 from Germany. He had been stationed in Germany while serving in the US Army. He loved Germany, continued to work there in civil service and met his wife, Doris while living there. He enjoyed cooking, bowling, football, animals, his aquarium and traveling. He is survived by his wife of 32 years, Doris Boggess; sons, Stephen Boggess of Philadelphia, PA and Thomas Boggess of Ocala; sister, Pamala DuFore of Jacksonville, NC; brother, Gerald Boggess of Melvindale, MI; grandson, Stephen Boggess, Jr. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala) on Friday (March 16th) from 10-11AM. Funeral Services will follow at the Funeral Home at 11AM. Interment with military honors will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

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#### **BOYLAN, JOYCE PATRICIA, 89**

Paradise, CA - Paradise, CA - Joyce Patricia Boylan, 89, of Paradise, CA and formerly of Ocala, FL, passed away peacefully on March 7, 2012 under the loving care of Paradise Hospice. She was born January 10, 1923 in Iron River, MI, the daughter of the late James E. and Lillian (Altenhofen) Sarber. She graduated from Iron River High School in 1940 and the Deaconess Hospital School of Nursing in Detroit, MI in 1943 as a registered nurse. She spent 45 years nursing, most of it in pediatric nursing. Joyce served in the US Navy Nurse Corps in World War II and the Korean Conflict. She was a member of the VFW Ocala Post 4781, Queen of Peace Church in Ocala, Oak Run Choraleers NY Club, and Ocala Retired Nurses Association. Joyce was preceded in death by her sisters, Marion Sarber, Margaret Dent, Dorothy St. Peter, and Delores Dent, brothers, William, Howard, and Robert Sarber and special sister-in-law/friend, Kay Ruff. She is survived by her loving husband, Joseph C. Boylan, daughter, Joanna Boylan, grandchildren, Laura, Beth and Joachim Avazedo and Steven Boylan, four great-grandchildren, and many beloved nieces and nephews. A Funeral Service will be held Friday, March 16, 2012 at 11 a.m. at St. Agnes Catholic Church, Iron River, MI. Local funeral arrangements by the Jacobs Funeral Home, Iron River, MI.

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Philadelphia, PA; sister-in-law, Juanita Thompson (Elmo) of Providence, Rhode Island; and brother, Robert Bryant (Ellen) of Quincy, FL; eleven grandchildren; twelve great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews cousins, and sorrowful friends. Funeral Services for Moonyeen Yvonne Bryant will be held on Saturday, March 17, 2012, at 11:00 A.M. at St. Paul AME Church, Rev. Patrick Sasnett Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, March 16, 2012 from 10 A.M. until 6 P.M. at the New Cunningham Funeral Home. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens.

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Carson, and a great grandson Nicholas Griffith. Mrs. Cummings is also survived by her brother, Robert L. Jacobs of Ocala, FL. Interment will be at the Tampico Memorial Cemetery in Tampico, IL. In lieu of flowers, those that wish may make contributions to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474.

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Ocala - Mary Katherine Curdts, age 94, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, March 13, 2012. She was born in Kirkwood, MO on June 15, 1917. She was married to George Dilworth Curdts for 58 years. Mary and her husband moved to Ocala from Columbia, MO in 1998. Her greatest love was her family. She is survived by her daughter Rhonda and her husband Donnie Slone of Ocala, FL; two granddaughters Cheryl and her husband Dusty Moses, Marcia and her husband Adam Mecca; great-granddaughters Braylen and Erin Moses, and Lily Mecca. She was preceded in death by her husband George who passed away on July 5, 2008. A funeral service will be held at First Presbyterian Church, 511 SE 3rd St., Ocala, FL on Friday, March 16, 2012 at 11:00 AM with visitation one hour prior to the service. Interment will take place in St. Louis, MO. Local arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL.

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children, Diane Millender, Michael Garner (Kim), Rebecca Petriccione, Richard Garner and Cynthia Poole (Dan), eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Known to everyone as PopPop, he loved fishing and took great pride in his family who will miss him greatly. A memorial service in his honor will be held Saturday, March 17, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. at the Crossroads Community Church with Pastor Paul Woosley officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his name to Hospice of Marion County, Estelle's House, Ocala, Florida. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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**GRIFFIN, MAURICE, 42**

Reddick - Maurice Griffin, 42, passed away on Sunday, March 11, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory a loving mother, Ida Mae Griffin; father, Lorenzo Griffin, Sr.; son, Maurice Griffin, Jr.; daughter, Tiera Hosendove; granddaughter, Remedi Dowdy; brothers, Lorenzo Griffin, Jr., and Altione Griffin; sister, Lanis Baker and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, March 17, 2012 at 2 p.m. at United Reddick Missionary Baptist Church, Herman Boone, Pastor. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade".

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**JAZZ, EVELYN J., 83**

Silver Springs - Evelyn J. Jazz, 83, of Silver Springs, passed away March 12, 2012. She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard K. Jazz and her son, Steven K. Jazz. She is survived by her sons, Michael (Donna) Jazz of Silver Springs, Jeff (Judy) Jazz of Auburn, MA; daughter, Janet Jazz of Ocala and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. A private graveside service will be held at a later date. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944.

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**OLSEN, EDWIN C. "SINGING EDDIE", 86**

Dunnellon - A memorial service for Edwin C. "Singing Eddie" Olsen, who went to be with the Lord on February 16, 2012, will be Friday, March 16, 2012 at 10 AM at Rainbow Springs Village Church, 20222 SW 102 Street Road, Dunnellon. Military services will follow at 1 PM at Bushnell National Cemetery. Mr. Olsen was born July 9, 1925 in Brooklyn, NY. He was a chef at well-known resorts such as Tappas in Tarpon Springs and the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island, MI among others. He was a veteran of World War II and Korea and a life member of VFW Post 4864. An avid fisherman, he also enjoyed cooking and eating. Ed is survived by his wife of 41 years, Doris, and nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Citrus County or Rainbow Springs Village Church. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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**PARKER, JANET A. "JAN", 80**

Dunnellon - Janet A. (Jan) Parker, wife of her beloved husband Dr. Edward J. Parker of Dunnellon, FL, died on March 13, 2012 at Legacy House, Ocala, FL after a long struggle with a chronic respiratory disease (COPD). Jan was born in Bellshill, Scotland on June 1, 1931 to Tom and Jeanie Herbison. She leaves her husband of 58 years, Edward J. Parker; two daughters;

Jeanne (Tim) Brown of Cicero, NY and Susan (Bob) Hirsch of Tonawanda, NY; five grandchildren, Michael Brown of Utica, NY, Rob (Elaina) Hirsch of Baltimore, MD, Melissa (Adam) Kane of Clay, NY, Michael Hirsch of Tonawanda, NY, and Janet Hirsch of Baltimore, MD; brother John (Reitta) Herbison of Greeley, CO; cousin Ruth (Dave) Oswald of Naperville, IL; sister-in-law Catherine (Frank) Gotovich of Cape Cod, MA, numerous cousins and relatives in Scotland, and many wonderful friends. Jan's early years were spent in West Orange and Summitt, NJ. She was a First Class Girl Scout having achieved the Cured Bar Award, the highest award in Girl Scouting, in the 1940's. Jan graduated in 1954 from Keuka College in Keuka Park, NY with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Business (Retailing) and Home Economics. Jan taught Home Economics at the State University of New York Campus School in Oswego, NY and was the textbook manager at the State University College of Morrisville in Morrisville, NY for many years and retired in 1990. She moved to Dunnellon, FL in 1993 with her husband Ed. Jan enjoyed bagpipers, tartans, Scottish music and dancing, crafts of various sorts including sewing and knitting, cooking and baking and interacting with young children. Jan was fiercely proud of her Scottish ancestry including her Aunt Peggy Herbison, the Right Honorable Margaret Herbison, and her career in the House of Commons serving in a cabinet position under Prime Minister Wilson, and as a member of the Queen's Privy Council. Most of all Jan loved her beautiful family and liked to please them. Her love of People was nurtured by her love of God. Baptized a Presbyterian in Scotland as an infant she learned to love Jesus in the protestant churches of her early childhood. She knew intimately the bible, verses and stories and sacred hymns. She carried all of her love of Jesus on to the Catholic faith raising her children and converting to Catholicism in the early eighties. As a Roman Catholic, she served as a Eucharistic Minister for many years in Morrisville, NY and also was a motivating force in establishing a Newman Chapter at Morrisville College, working with Reverend Don Karlim. Jan served many years as principal advisor to the Newman Society and was their dynamic supporter. Jan was the moving force in establishing an annual Bachelaurate mass for all catholic Newman students at St. Joan of Arc Church in Morrisville, NY. A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West on Friday, March 16th from 5-7PM. A funeral mass will take place on Saturday the 17th at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 7525 Hwy. 41, in Dunnellon at 11AM. Friends may leave condolences at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).  
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**TRIPP, DOUGLAS EDWARD, 55**

Ocala - Douglas Edward Tripp passed away on Friday, March 9, 2012. Born in Salisbury, MD, he moved to Ocala in the late 70's and was a Flooring Contractor. Preceded in death by his parents, William and Lillie Tripp; he is survived by sons, Ross Tripp, Ocala; Reese Tripp, Tampa; and Ryan Tripp, Ocala; brother, Thomas (Natalie) Tripp, Clearwater; and sister, Nancy (Steven) Bair, Tampa. Graveside services will be 11:00 a.m., Saturday, March 17, 2012, at Woodlawn Cemetery, Ocala. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony.  
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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 16, 2012**

**ALEXANDER, THOMAS LEE, 63**

Bellevue - Thomas Lee Alexander, 63, passed away on Thursday, March 15, 2012 at Estelle's

Hospice House. He was born in McIntosh and was a lifetime resident of Marion County. He owned and operated Alexander's Pool Service and loved to fish and loved his church and family. He is survived by his daughters, Stacy Lee Riedle of Micanopy and Reba Lee Estes of Ocala, his sons, Thomas Shane Alexander of Ocala and Thomas Shane Alexander, II of Citra, his nine grandchildren, Laura, Kayla, Josh, Gabriel, Zachariah, Chris, Daniel, Nathan and Jed and his great granddaughter, Morgan. He was preceded in death by his wife, Margaret Brumbley Alexander. Funeral services will be held on Sunday, March 18, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be on Saturday from 5-7 PM. Burial will be in Anthony Cemetery.

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### **BARROW, VALERIE ANN, 61**

Anthony - Valerie Ann Barrow passed away at home on March 14, 2012. Born in Memphis, TN, she came to Marion County from the Miami area in 1966. Valerie was a devoted wife and mother, a soft spoken, very friendly person, who was very involved with her children, grandchildren, Church, and profession. Valerie married in 1968 and was a stay at home mother to her three children. After the children were older she decided to continue her education by earning her GED in 1981, an Associate of Arts with Honors in 1991, and a Bachelor's Degree with Distinction in Exceptional Education in 1993. She worked as a special education elementary school teacher while continuing her education and earning a Master's Degree in Applied Behavioral Analysis in 2006, at the age of 55. She then worked with children and adults with special needs and disabilities until her illness. She was proud of all of her accomplishments in life, but the most important thing to her was her commitment to the Lord and service in the church, having taught both children and adults in Bible study for many years. She is survived by her husband of over 43 years, Michael Coy Barrow; son, Michael Coy (Kimberly) Barrow, Jr, Virginia Beach, VA; daughters, Beth Michelle (Michael) Lacassagne, Abita Springs, LA; Sara Grace (Kevin) Craddock, Lake Panasoffkee, FL; mother, Elinor Alice Allred, Anthony, FL; grandchildren, Logan, Madison, Connor, Abigail & Courtney; sister, Vicky Joy (Gary) Trimble, St. Augustine, FL; and numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be at 2:00 pm, Sunday, March 18, at Central Church of Christ, Ocala with Colin Williamson officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. Interment following service in Anthony Cemetery.

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### **BOGGESS, JAMES BRIAN, 55**

Ocala - James Brian Boguess, 55, of Ocala, passed away March 13, 2012. Born in Detroit, Michigan, he came to this area in 1986 from Germany. He had been stationed in Germany while serving in the US Army. He loved Germany, continued to work there in civil service and met his wife, Doris while living there. He enjoyed cooking, bowling, football, animals, his aquarium and traveling. He is survived by his wife of 32 years, Doris Boguess; sons, Stephen Boguess of Philadelphia, PA and Thomas Boguess of Ocala; sister, Pamala DuFore of Jacksonville, NC; brother, Gerald Boguess of Melvindale, MI; grandson, Stephen Boguess, Jr. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala) on Friday (March 16th) from 10-11AM. Funeral Services will follow at the Funeral Home at 11AM. Interment with military honors will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

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**GILLAN, JR., THOMAS, 81**

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Murrell Gillan, Timothy Gillan. Survived by wife: Betty Ward Gillan, sister Mary Leonard "Frank" of Arizona, brothers: Terry Gillan of Hernando, Richard Gillan of New York, sons Thomas C. Gillan, III (Brenda) of Edgewater, John W. Gillan, Sr., Timothy C. Gillan (Ann), both of Belleview, daughter-in-law: Tammy Gillan of Apopka, son-in-law: Willie Bennett of Deltona, 11 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren. Services: St. Theresa Catholic Church on March 17, 2012 at 10am, officiated by Father David Vivero. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Diabetes Research, Kidney Foundation or Marion County Hospice. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 16 to March 17, 2012

**GRIFFIN, MAURICE, 42**

Reddick - Maurice Griffin, 42, passed away on Sunday, March 11, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory a loving mother, Ida Mae Griffin; father, Lorenzo Griffin, Sr.; son, Maurice Griffin, Jr.; daughter, Tiera Hosendove; granddaughter, Remedi Dowdy; brothers, Lorenzo Griffin, Jr., and Altione Griffin; sister, Lanis Baker and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, March 17, 2012 at 2 p.m. at United Reddick Missionary Baptist Church, Herman Boone, Pastor. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

"Providing A Memory That Will Never Fade".

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**JAZZ, EVELYN J., 83**

Silver Springs - Evelyn J. Jazz, 83, of Silver Springs, passed away March 12, 2012. She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard K. Jazz and her son, Steven K. Jazz. She is survived by her sons, Michael (Donna) Jazz of Silver Springs, Jeff (Judy) Jazz of Auburn, MA; daughter, Janet Jazz of Ocala and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. A private graveside service will be held at a later date. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 14 to March 16, 2012

**OLSEN, EDWIN C. "SINGING EDDIE", 86**

Dunnellon - A memorial service for Edwin C. "Singing Eddie" Olsen, who went to be with the Lord on February 16, 2012, will be Friday, March 16, 2012 at 10 AM at Rainbow Springs Village Church, 20222 SW 102 Street Road, Dunnellon. Military services will follow at 1 PM at Bushnell National Cemetery. Mr. Olsen was born July 9, 1925 in Brooklyn, NY. He was a chef at well-known resorts such as Tappas in Tarpon Springs and the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island, MI among others. He was a veteran of World War II and Korea and a life member of VFW Post 4864. An avid fisherman, he also enjoyed cooking and eating. Ed is survived by his wife of 41 years, Doris, and nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Citrus County or Rainbow Springs Village Church. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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**PARKER, JANET A. "JAN", 80**

Dunnellon - Janet A. (Jan) Parker, wife of her beloved husband Dr. Edward J. Parker of Dunnellon, FL, died on March 13, 2012 at Legacy House, Ocala, FL after a long struggle with a

chronic respiratory disease (COPD). Jan was born in Bellshill, Scotland on June 1, 1931 to Tom and Jeanie Herbison. She leaves her husband of 58 years, Edward J. Parker; two daughters; Jeanne (Tim) Brown of Cicero, NY and Susan (Bob) Hirsch of Tonawanda, NY; five grandchildren, Michael Brown of Utica, NY, Rob (Elaina) Hirsch of Baltimore, MD, Melissa (Adam) Kane of Clay, NY, Michael Hirsch of Tonawanda, NY, and Janet Hirsch of Baltimore, MD; brother John (Reitta) Herbison of Greeley, CO; cousin Ruth (Dave) Oswald of Naperville, IL; sister-in-law Catherine (Frank) Gotovich of Cape Cod, MA, numerous cousins and relatives in Scotland, and many wonderful friends. Jan's early years were spent in West Orange and Summitt, NJ. She was a First Class Girl Scout having achieved the Cured Bar Award, the highest award in Girl Scouting, in the 1940's. Jan graduated in 1954 from Keuka College in Keuka Park, NY with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Business (Retailing) and Home Economics. Jan taught Home Economics at the State University of New York Campus School in Oswego, NY and was the textbook manager at the State University College of Morrisville in Morrisville, NY for many years and retired in 1990. She moved to Dunnellon, FL in 1993 with her husband Ed. Jan enjoyed bagpipers, tartans, Scottish music and dancing, crafts of various sorts including sewing and knitting, cooking and baking and interacting with young children. Jan was fiercely proud of her Scottish ancestry including her Aunt Peggy Herbison, the Right Honorable Margaret Herbison, and her career in the House of Commons serving in a cabinet position under Prime Minister Wilson, and as a member of the Queen's Privy Council. Most of all Jan loved her beautiful family and liked to please them. Her love of People was nurtured by her love of God. Baptized a Presbyterian in Scotland as an infant she learned to love Jesus in the protestant churches of her early childhood. She knew intimately the bible, verses and stories and sacred hymns. She carried all of her love of Jesus on to the Catholic faith raising her children and converting to Catholicism in the early eighties. As a Roman Catholic, she served as a Eucharistic Minister for many years in Morrisville, NY and also was a motivating force in establishing a Newman Chapter at Morrisville College, working with Reverend Don Karlim. Jan served many years as principal advisor to the Newman Society and was their dynamic supporter. Jan was the moving force in establishing an annual Bachelaurate mass for all catholic Newman students at St. Joan of Arc Church in Morrisville, NY. A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West on Friday, March 16th from 5-7PM. A funeral mass will take place on Saturday the 17th at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 7525 Hwy. 41, in Dunnellon at 11AM. Friends may leave condolences at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).  
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### **SOUTHERN, JEAN FIORENTINO, 57**

Ocala - Jean Fiorentino Southern, age 57, of Ocala passed away March 14, 2012 with her family in attendance. She was born on May 13, 1954 in Long Island, New York a daughter to the late Dominick and Lucille (Fishetti) Fiorentino. She leaves behind to cherish her memories her husband Mark Southern, two daughters, Theresa Daniels of Ft. Lauderdale and Tiffany Fiorentino in Ocala, seven brothers Vincent, Alex, Dominick, and Michael Fiorentino, and Rocco and Dominick Spano, five sisters, Mary Albin, Ann Toliver, Lucille Rizzo, Linda Thomas, Phyllis Merino, five grandchildren, one great-grandchild and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. A visitation has been scheduled for Friday, March 16, 2012 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The funeral service will be on Saturday, March 17, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. also at the funeral home. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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**TRIPP, DOUGLAS EDWARD, 55**

Ocala - Douglas Edward Tripp passed away on Friday, March 9, 2012. Born in Salisbury, MD, he moved to Ocala in the late 70's and was a Flooring Contractor. Preceded in death by his parents, William and Lillie Tripp; he is survived by sons, Ross Tripp, Ocala; Reese Tripp, Tampa; and Ryan Tripp, Ocala; brother, Thomas (Natalie) Tripp, Clearwater; and sister, Nancy (Steven) Bair, Tampa. Graveside services will be 11:00 a.m., Saturday, March 17, 2012, at Woodlawn Cemetery, Ocala. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony.

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**WELCH, FLOYCE ROBERTS, 89**

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**ALEXANDER, THOMAS LEE, 63**

Belleview - Thomas Lee Alexander, 63, passed away on Thursday, March 15, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. He was born in McIntosh and was a lifetime resident of Marion County. He owned and operated Alexander's Pool Service and loved to fish and loved his church and family. He is survived by his daughters, Stacy Lee Riedle of Micanopy and Reba Lee Estes of Ocala, his sons, Thomas Shane Alexander of Ocala and Thomas Shane Alexander, II of Citra, his nine grandchildren, Laura, Kayla, Josh, Gabriel, Zachariah, Chris, Daniel, Nathan and Jed and his great granddaughter, Morgan. He was preceded in death by his wife, Margaret Brumbley Alexander. Funeral services will be held on Sunday, March 18, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be on Saturday from 5-7 PM. Burial will be in Anthony Cemetery.

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**BARROW, VALERIE ANN, 61**

Anthony - Valerie Ann Barrow passed away at home on March 14, 2012. Born in Memphis, TN, she came to Marion County from the Miami area in 1966. Valerie was a devoted wife and mother, a soft spoken, very friendly person, who was very involved with her children, grandchildren, Church, and profession. Valerie married in 1968 and was a stay at home mother to her three children. After the children were older she decided to continue her education by earning her GED in 1981, an Associate of Arts with Honors in 1991, and a Bachelor's Degree with Distinction in Exceptional Education in 1993. She worked as a special education elementary school teacher while continuing her education and earning a Master's Degree in Applied Behavioral Analysis in 2006, at the age of 55. She then worked with children and adults with special needs and disabilities until her illness. She was proud of all of her accomplishments in life, but the most important thing to her was her commitment to the Lord and service in the church, having taught both children and adults in Bible study for many years. She is survived by her husband of over 43 years, Michael Coy Barrow; son, Michael Coy (Kimberly) Barrow, Jr, Virginia Beach, VA; daughters, Beth Michelle (Michael) Lacassagne, Abita Springs, LA; Sara Grace (Kevin) Craddock, Lake Panasoffkee, FL; mother, Elinor Alice Allred, Anthony, FL; grandchildren, Logan, Madison, Connor, Abigail & Courtney; sister, Vicky Joy (Gary) Trimble, St. Augustine, FL; and numerous nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be at 2:00 pm, Sunday, March 18, at Central Church of Christ, Ocala with Colin Williamson officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. Interment following service in Anthony Cemetery.

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Maureen Manswell, Doreen Brown, and Ann Marie Hamilton, son Steve Manswell, sisters, Cleo Barton and Jean John, 15 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his son Charles Manswell. Funeral services for Mr. Manswell will be held at 10 AM Tuesday, March 20, 2012 at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Silver Springs Shores with Rev. Marnie Silk-Wright officiating. Visitation will be Monday from 5-7 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 17 to March 18, 2012

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**SZELIGA, JR., JEROME C., 75**

Ocala - Jerome C. Szeliga, Jr., 75, went to be with The Lord on Thursday, March 1, 2012. God had blessed him and his wife Jeannie with two wonderful sons, a grandson, and 55 years of marriage. Jerry, born in Manhattan, NY and raised in Long Beach, CA, graduated from R.E. Lee High School, Jacksonville, FL and served his country in the Jax Air National Guard. He was a salesman and branch manager of two pipe and valve fittings companies in Ft. Lauderdale and Jax. He was a master plumber and building contractor in Marion County, and later retired from Flair Pneumatic Products as a purchasing agent. Jerry was predeceased by his son Chris. He is



survived by his wife Jeannie, his son Tim, his grandson Chris, his sister Mary Lou Barrow, her children, and many loving friends.

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**CARMODY, LOUISE HOMER WEAVER**

Louise Homer Weaver Carmody, age 89, passed away peacefully at Haven Hospice in Gainesville, Florida, on March 15, 2012 after a recent illness. She was born September 26, 1922 to Edith and Homer Weaver in Jacksonville, Alabama. She attended Jacksonville State College where she studied Education. She had a passion for good cooking and was celebrated by her sons-in-law in their memories of her famously delicious Southern Fried Chicken and Pecan Pie. Living in Ocala, Florida for 50 years, she was a devoted member of the First United Methodist Church and the United Methodist Women's Club. Dancing and playing bridge brought fulfillment in her retirement years. For the past two years, she was a resident at Azalea Trace in North Florida Retirement Village. The family is so grateful for the personal care provided to her, and all of the daily little activities, music and special moments given from loving hearts of a devoted staff. She was preceded in death by her sister, Elizabeth Weaver; husband, Robert Carmody; daughter, Janice Elizabeth Yarbrough; and former husband, John Henry Yarbrough. She is survived by her sister, Frances Weaver Logan and brother, Bill Weaver, both of Atlanta, Georgia; children Nancy Yarbrough of Ocala; Dan Yarbrough of Ocala; Pamela Monaco (John) of Gainesville; and grandchildren Alexandra Monaco and John Monaco, Jr. of Gainesville. A gathering of friends will take place at the Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East 2739 SE Maricamp Rd (352) 732-9944 on Saturday, March 24th from 12-2PM With services to follow at 2PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to be sent to the Alzheimer's Association (alz.org) to send condolences (WWW.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**COATS, SR., GERALD (JERRY) SCOTT, 41**

Ocala - Our beloved Gerald (Jerry) Scott Coats, Sr., an amazing husband, father, son, brother, uncle, friend and owner of Coats Roofing LLC, left us on March 14, 2012 to be an angel in heaven with his mother Jean Marie O'Bryan. Born on April 1, 1970 in Elmira, NY, Gerald moved to Ocala, FL after meeting his wife in the fall of 1999. He leaves behind his wife Tammy Lynn Coats, two young boys: Gerald Scott Coats, Jr. (Scotty) and Jacob Christopher Coats, father Jesse O'Bryan, siblings: Michael (Melonda) O'Bryan, Allen (Krista) Coats, Kathy Wytrwa, Doug O'Bryan, in-laws: Robert (Kelly) Payne, Richard (Deana) Nelson, Robert Payne, Jr., Erin Sherlock, Brandi Payne, Elizabeth Payne and many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and friends. Visitation will be held 4PM until 6PM on Tuesday, March 20th at Roberts Funeral Homes, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL 34476, with a funeral service to follow at 6PM.

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**CRUPO, LUCILLE E., 94**

Ocklawaha - Lucille E. Crupo, 94, of Ocklawaha, passed away March 13, 2012. Born in Waterbury, Connecticut, she graduated from St. Anne's Grammar School and Waterbury Catholic High School. She was a licensed beautician in Connecticut and was a retired executive secretary for Scovills Manufacturing also in Connecticut. Mrs. Crupo was a member of St. Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church. She trained, bred and competed in show and obedience with mini-poodles, was an avid bowler on leagues in CT and FL, active in Homemakers, a fundraiser organization, member of the Order of Eastern Star, Ocala Chapter 29 and was a dancer with the Senior Rockettes in FL. She is survived by her daughters, Barbara P. Craig of

Ocklawaha and Marcia Houle of Bristol, CT; grandsons, Leo Provancher of Oklahoma and Brian Provancher of Alabama; great-grandchildren, Christopher, Weston, Alyssa, Crystal, Jeremy and Amanda Provancher; great-great-grandsons, Gavin Alexander and Karsen Phillips; nephews, Stanley and John Tetreault of CT and Allan Blake of Ocala. A Memorial Mass will be held at St. Joseph of the Forest (17301 E. Hwy 40, Silver Springs) on Wednesday (March 21st) at 11AM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944).

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**FLETCHER, CHRISTIANA CLEMENTINA, 102**

Ocala - Christiana Clementina Fletcher, 102, of Ocala, passed away March 12, 2012. She was born in Jamaica, West Indies and came to this area 24 years ago. She was a homemaker and a member of the Trinity World Outreach Church. She is survived by her sons, Cecil (Ruby) Fletcher of Ocala and Horatio (Enez) Fletcher; daughters, Eleanor (Roosevelt) Kerr of Port LaBelle, FL and Fay (Lionel) Gordon-McKenzie; 18 grandchildren, 52 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great-grandchildren and many nieces, nephews and friends. She was preceded in death by her husband, George Fletcher. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944) on Friday (March 23rd) from 6-8 PM. Funeral Services will be held at Trinity World Outreach Church (1105 SE Sanchez Ave., Ocala) on Saturday (March 24th) at 11AM. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.

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**HILLYGUS, EVELYN M., 76**

Ocala - Evelyn M. Hillygus, 76, retired nurse, passed away Tuesday, March 6th, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. Formerly of Danville, Illinois, Evelyn moved to Ocala with her family in 1976 where she worked at Marion Community Hospital and later Monroe Regional Hospital. She was preceded in death by husband of over 37 years, Glenn M. Hillygus, son Douglas M. Howell, Sr., three sisters, and three brothers. She is survived by sons David Howell and John Hillygus, daughter Sandra Skates all of Ocala, son William Howell of Danville, Illinois, foster child Mariah Rose Marlo-Morin of Ocala, brother Raymond Nolan of Springfield, Missouri, several grand and great-grandchildren. A private family service will be held Monday, March 19th, 2012 at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. In lieu of flowers, those that wish may make contributions in Evelyn's name to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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**SOUTHERN, JEAN FIORENTINO, 57**

Ocala - Jean Fiorentino Southern, age 57, of Ocala passed away March 14, 2012 with her family in attendance. She was born on May 13, 1954 in Long Island, New York a daughter to the late Dominick and Lucille (Fishetti) Fiorentino. She leaves behind to cherish her memories her husband Mark Southern, two daughters, Theresa Daniels of Ft. Lauderdale and Tiffany Fiorentino in Ocala, seven brothers Vincent, Alex, Frank, Dominick, and Michael Fiorentino, and Rocco and Dominick Spano, five sisters, Mary Albin, Ann Toliver, Lucille Rizzo, Linda Thomas, Phyllis Merino, five grandchildren, one great-grandchild and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. A visitation has been scheduled for Friday, March 16, 2012 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The funeral service will be on Saturday, March 17, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. also at the funeral home. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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**SZELIGA, JR., JEROME C., 75**

Ocala - Jerome C. Szeliga, Jr., 75, went to be with The Lord on Thursday, March 1, 2012. God had blessed him and his wife Jeannie with two wonderful sons, a grandson, and 55 years of marriage. Jerry, born in Manhattan, NY and raised in Long Beach, CA, graduated from R.E. Lee High School, Jacksonville, FL and served his country in the Jax Air National Guard. He was a salesman and branch manager of two pipe and valve fittings companies in Ft. Lauderdale and Jax. He was a master plumber and building contractor in Marion County, and later retired from Flair Pneumatic Products as a purchasing agent. Jerry was predeceased by his son Chris. He is survived by his wife Jeannie, his son Tim, his grandson Chris, his sister Mary Lou Barrow, her children, and many loving friends.

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**TARDY, JAMES R.**

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**WEBB, ELMA LOY, 80**

Ocala - Elma Loy Webb, 80, passed away peacefully on March 13, 2012, surrounded by her loving family. She was preceded in death by her parents, Elmer C. and Addie M. Loy and daughter Sandra C. Webb. She is survived by her high-school sweetheart and husband of 62 years, William E. Webb, Sr., and her children, son William E. Webb, Jr., M.D. and his wife Joey, son Benjamin C. Webb and daughter Stephanie Hayes. She adored her five grandchildren, Jessica, Jena, Kyle, Cory and Kaitlyn and three great-grandchildren, Tayler, Jayden and Jordyn. Surviving also are an aunt, Lillie R. Evans, as well as many cousins and nephews. Born in Plant City, Florida, on October 3, 1931, Elma began her dedication to the Lord when she began playing the piano at Cork United Methodist church at age 12. She also played the organ for Bethany Baptist Church. Elma graduated from Plant City High School in 1949 and worked as the secretary for Cork Elementary School for nearly thirty years. She was a beloved and devoted wife, mother and "Nana." She will be truly missed by her family and many friends. We find comfort in knowing that she is with the angels and those who have passed before her. At her request, no funeral or memorial services will be held. We ask that any memorial donations made are directed to the Hospice Services of Florida.

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**CARMODY, LOUISE HOMER WEAVER**

Louise Homer Weaver Carmody, age 89, passed away peacefully at Haven Hospice in Gainesville, Florida, on March 15, 2012 after a recent illness. She was born September 26, 1922 to Edith and Homer Weaver in Jacksonville, Alabama. She attended Jacksonville State College where she studied Education. She had a passion for good cooking and was celebrated by her sons-in-law in their memories of her famously delicious Southern Fried Chicken and Pecan Pie. Living in Ocala, Florida for 50 years, she was a devoted member of the First United Methodist Church and the United Methodist Women's Club. Dancing and playing bridge brought fulfillment in her retirement years. For the past two years, she was a resident at Azalea Trace in North Florida Retirement Village. The family is so grateful for the personal care provided to her, and all of the daily little activities, music and special moments given from loving hearts of a

devoted staff. She was preceded in death by her sister, Elizabeth Weaver; husband, Robert Carmody; daughter, Janice Elizabeth Yarbrough; and former husband, John Henry Yarbrough. She is survived by her sister, Frances Weaver Logan and brother, Bill Weaver, both of Atlanta, Georgia; children Nancy Yarbrough of Ocala; Dan Yarbrough of Ocala; Pamela Monaco (John) of Gainesville; and grandchildren Alexandra Monaco and John Monaco, Jr. of Gainesville. A gathering of friends will take place at the Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East 2739 SE Maricamp Rd (352) 732-9944 on Saturday, March 24th from 12-2PM With services to follow at 2PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to be sent to the Alzheimer's Association (alz.org) to send condolences (WWW.robertsfuneralhomes.com)  
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**COATS, SR., GERALD (JERRY) SCOTT, 41**

Ocala - Our beloved Gerald (Jerry) Scott Coats, Sr., an amazing husband, father, son, brother, uncle, friend and owner of Coats Roofing LLC, left us on March 14, 2012 to be an angel in heaven with his mother Jean Marie O'Bryan. Born on April 1, 1970 in Elmira, NY, Gerald moved to Ocala, FL after meeting his wife in the fall of 1999. He leaves behind his wife Tammy Lynn Coats, two young boys: Gerald Scott Coats, Jr. (Scotty) and Jacob Christopher Coats, father Jesse O'Bryan, siblings: Michael (Melonda) O'Bryan, Allen (Krista) Coats, Kathy Wyrwa, Doug O'Bryan, in-laws: Robert (Kelly) Payne, Richard (Deana) Nelson, Robert Payne, Jr., Erin Sherlock, Brandi Payne, Elizabeth Payne and many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and friends. Visitation will be held 4PM until 6PM on Tuesday, March 20th at Roberts Funeral Homes, 6241 SW St. Rd. 200, Ocala, FL 34476, with a funeral service to follow at 6PM.  
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**CRUPO, LUCILLE E., 94**

Ocklawaha - Lucille E. Crupo, 94, of Ocklawaha, passed away March 13, 2012. Born in Waterbury, Connecticut, she graduated from St. Anne's Grammar School and Waterbury Catholic High School. She was a licensed beautician in Connecticut and was a retired executive secretary for Scovills Manufacturing also in Connecticut. Mrs. Crupo was a member of St. Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church. She trained, bred and competed in show and obedience with mini-poodles, was an avid bowler on leagues in CT and FL, active in Homemakers, a fundraiser organization, member of the Order of Eastern Star, Ocala Chapter 29 and was a dancer with the Senior Rockettes in FL. She is survived by her daughters, Barbara P. Craig of Ocklawaha and Marcia Houle of Bristol, CT; grandsons, Leo Provancher of Oklahoma and Brian Provancher of Alabama; great-grandchildren, Christopher, Weston, Alyssa, Crystal, Jeremy and Amanda Provancher; great-great-grandsons, Gavin Alexander and Karsen Phillips; nephews, Stanley and John Tetreault of CT and Allan Blake of Ocala. A Memorial Mass will be held at St. Joseph of the Forest (17301 E. Hwy 40, Silver Springs) on Wednesday (March 21st) at 11AM. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944).  
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**FLETCHER, CHRISTIANA CLEMENTINA, 102**

Ocala - Christiana Clementina Fletcher, 102, of Ocala, passed away March 12, 2012. She was born in Jamaica, West Indies and came to this area 24 years ago. She was a homemaker and a member of the Trinity World Outreach Church. She is survived by her sons, Cecil (Ruby)

Fletcher of Ocala and Horatio (Enez) Fletcher; daughters, Eleanor (Roosevelt) Kerr of Port LaBelle, FL and Fay (Lionel) Gordon-McKenzie; 18 grandchildren, 52 great-grandchildren and 10 great-great-grandchildren and many nieces, nephews and friends. She was preceded in death by her husband, George Fletcher. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944) on Friday (March 23rd) from 6-8 PM. Funeral Services will be held at Trinity World Outreach Church (1105 SE Sanchez Ave., Ocala) on Saturday (March 24th) at 11AM. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.

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**HILLYGUS, EVELYN M., 76**

Ocala - Evelyn M. Hillygus, 76, retired nurse, passed away Tuesday, March 6th, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. Formerly of Danville, Illinois, Evelyn moved to Ocala with her family in 1976 where she worked at Marion Community Hospital and later Monroe Regional Hospital. She was preceded in death by husband of over 37 years, Glenn M. Hillygus, son Douglas M. Howell, Sr., three sisters, and three brothers. She is survived by sons David Howell and John Hillygus, daughter Sandra Skates all of Ocala, son William Howell of Danville, Illinois, foster child Mariah Rose Marlo-Morin of Ocala, brother Raymond Nolan of Springfield, Missouri, several grand and great-grandchildren. A private family service will be held Monday, March 19th, 2012 at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. In lieu of flowers, those that wish may make contributions in Evelyn's name to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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**MULKEY, WALTER, 74**

Ocala - Walter Mulkey passed away on March 17, 2012. Born in Ocala, he lived here all his life. He served in the US Army, was a Retired Captain (1986) from the Ocala Fire Department, and also worked in the shipping department at Sears many years. He was a member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church and the North Marion Lions Club. He is survived by his loving wife of 42 years, Martha A. Mulkey; son, Alan Mulkey; daughter, Melissa (Philip) Huston, Ocala; grandson, Philip Huston, Jr.; and brother, Robert L. Mulkey, Citra. A memorial service will be held 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 22, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony, with Pastor Bob King officiating.

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**NAKER, LEROY, 78**

Ocala - Mr. Leroy E. Naker, 78, passed away on March 17, 2012 in Ocala. He was born in Genoa, IL on January 12, 1934. He served in the US Navy for thirty years. He is predeceased by his wife Barbara Elaine of 27 years and a stepdaughter Roxanne Hyck. He moved to this area in 1981. Leroy is survived by his daughter: Doreen Carrico (Dennis) of Carol Stream, IL, two sons: Kenneth Naker (Vicky) of Chipley, FL and David Naker (Kimberly) of Navarre, FL, his mother: Minnie Ragland of Ocala, FL, two stepdaughters: Cheryl Caplinger of Ocala, FL and Suzanne Ryan of Jacksonville, FL, and also six grandchildren. The family requests donations to be made to Hospice of Marion County (Estelle's House). Roberts Funeral Homes Downtown Chapel made the arrangements, (352)622-4141.

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**STANLEY, MARGARET C., 87**

Citra - Age 87, Margaret C. Stanley suddenly passed away on March 15, 2012. A long time resident and Church member in Citra Florida. Margaret retired from Central States Paper Plant in Palatka, Florida. Survivors include her beloved son Randall Boyt and his fiancée Linda Williams; her granddaughter Bethany Sheffield and great-grandchildren, Cailyn and Cade and numerous nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends on Wednesday, March 21, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. for a memorial service at the Victory Baptist Church at 3760 NE 175th St. Road, Citra, Florida 32113 with refreshments following. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Victory Baptist Church in honor of Margaret C. Stanley.  
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**TENNEY, EDITH A., 87**

Ocala - Edith A. Tenney, 87, of Ocala, FL, passed away Saturday, March 17, 2012. She was born October 29, 1924 in Rutland, VT. Mrs. Tenney was a homemaker. She was a member of First Christian Church of the Disciples. Edith is survived by her son Mark Daly (Judith) of Ocala, her son Ronald Daly (Jane) of Burlington, VT, her daughter Lynn MacFadden (Bruce) of Ocala, her step-daughter Terry Marconi (Mike), eleven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Edith was predeceased by her husband Arthur Tenney, her daughter Marcia A. Quenneville, her brothers Gordon and Kenneth Allen and her sister Muriel L. Howard. A memorial service will be held at a later date.  
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**BEAVER, MARION ELIZABETH, 91**

Rocky Mount, VA - Marion Elizabeth Beaver ("Dee Dee"), 91, of Rocky Mount, passed away March 1, 2012. She was born August 23, 1920 in Elyria, Ohio. She is preceded in death by her husband, Thomas Henry Beaver and her stepson, Thomas Henry Beaver, Jr. As a Navy wife, Marion traveled and lived in many places. Her most recent move was to Rocky Mount, VA from Ocala, FL. She is survived by her sister, Marjorie Holihan of Port Clinton, OH; her four children, Richard Jay (Dick) Beaver (Judy) of Virginia Beach, VA, Robert James (Buck) Beaver (Pamela) of Conifer, CO, Betty Beaver Werner (Dave) of Rocky Mount, VA, and Phyllis Beaver Graham (Kerry) of Newnan, GA; her six grandchildren, Danny Beaver of Cincinnati, OH, Todd Beaver (Genie) of Atlanta, GA, Joe Beaver (Rebecca) of Morris, MN, Jay Beaver (Angela) of Apex, NC, Jim Beaver (Marisa) of Colorado Springs, CO, and Carolyn Reilly (Ian) of Rocky Mount, VA. Marion delighted in her 10 (plus one on the way) great-grandchildren. Her sweet spirit will be missed by her family and friends. A celebration of her life will be conducted from Redwood United Methodist Church, Rocky Mount, VA, 11 AM Monday, March 26, 2012 with Rev. Brad Dulaney officiating. Her cremains will be placed next to her husband's in Arlington National Cemetery at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her honor to any charity specializing in the care of children. The family is being served by Conner-Bowman Funeral Home, Route 220 at Wirtz Road, Rocky Mount, VA.  
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**EBY, VIRGINIA CLAIRE RICKS, 87**

Orlando - Virginia Claire Ricks Eby, age 87, died Monday, March 19, 2012. She was born in Ocala, Florida, on September 21, 1924. Growing up in Ocala, Virginia spent many happy days at

Silver Springs. Her parents used to tell her that if she could find enough blue in the sky to make a Dutchman a pair of pants, she could go to the Springs. While still in high school, Virginia received her social security card from MGM Studios so she could perform as an extra in news shorts with Newt Perry, a swimming instructor, and with Ross Allen, of the Reptile Institute at Silver Springs, and in full-length movies, such as Moon over Miami, that were filmed at Silver Springs. While at the Florida State College for Women (now Florida State University) in Tallahassee, Virginia won flying lessons that she thoroughly enjoyed. She graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Economics in 1946. From graduation until December 1947, she worked for Rich's department store in Atlanta, Georgia, where she met her late husband George Wesley Eby of Winter Garden, Florida. She and George married on September 12, 1947 in Ocala. They lived in Atlanta until George graduated from Emory with a Bachelor of Science degree in business administration. They lived in Orlando and George farmed in Winter Garden. Virginia substitute taught in public schools and later taught business communications at Mid-Florida Technical College. She also was a chaperone for the Miss Florida Pageant and later sold real estate. Virginia was a member of Goss Memorial United Methodist Church from 1947 until its closing in 2000, when she transferred her membership to First United Methodist Church of Orlando. She was a member of Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority and Sorosis Club of Orlando. She is preceded in death by her parents O.B. (Doc) Ricks and Vera Burch Ricks; siblings Barbara Ricks Reid, Oscar Benjamin Ricks, and Raymond Daniel Ricks; husband George Wesley Eby, and son George Stephen Eby. She is mourned by her daughters Barbara Eby Weaver and son-in-law Ken of Clemson, SC, Stephanie Eby Little and son-in-law Trent of Orlando, and son Kevin Ricks Eby and daughter-in-law Holly of Orlando; grandchildren Michael Weaver and Connie, Joy Weaver Taylor and Rick, Patrick Weaver and Macy, Heather Little Comer and Scott, Megan Burch Little, Georganna Elizabeth Little, Savannah Claire Eby, Randolph Stephen Eby; and four great-grandchildren. Visitation will be Wednesday, March 21, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m., at Carey Hand Funeral Home, 2811 Curry Ford Road, Orlando. The funeral service will be at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 22nd at First United Methodist Church of Orlando. A reception at the church will follow the funeral service; then the burial will be at 1:30 p.m. at Woodlawn Memorial Park. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 21 to March 22, 2012

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Ocala - Mr. Leroy E. Naker, 78, passed away on March 17, 2012 in Ocala. He was born in Genoa, IL on January 12, 1934. He served in the US Navy for thirty years. He is predeceased by his wife Barbara Elaine of 27 years and a stepdaughter Roxanne Hyck. He moved to this area in 1981. Leroy is survived by his daughter: Doreen Carrico (Dennis) of Carol Stream, IL, two sons: Kenneth Naker (Vicky) of Chipley, FL and David Naker (Kimberly) of Navarre, FL, his mother: Minnie Ragland of Ocala, FL, two stepdaughters: Cheryl Caplinger of Ocala, FL and Suzanne Ryan of Jacksonville, FL, and also six grandchildren. The family requests donations to be made to Hospice of Marion County (Estelle's House). Roberts Funeral Homes Downtown Chapel made the arrangements, (352)622-4141.

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**STANLEY, MARGARET C., 87**

Citra - Age 87, Margaret C. Stanley suddenly passed away on March 15, 2012. A long time resident and Church member in Citra Florida. Margaret retired from Central States Paper Plant in Palatka, Florida. Survivors include her beloved son Randall Boyt and his fiancée Linda Williams; her granddaughter Bethany Sheffield and great-grandchildren, Cailyn and Cade and numerous nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends on Wednesday, March 21, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. for a memorial service at the Victory Baptist Church at 3760 NE 175th St. Road, Citra, Florida 32113 with refreshments following. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Victory Baptist Church in honor of Margaret C. Stanley.

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**TENNEY, EDITH A., 87**

Ocala - Edith A. Tenney, 87, of Ocala, FL, passed away Saturday, March 17, 2012. She was born October 29, 1924 in Rutland, VT. Mrs. Tenney was a homemaker. She was a member of First Christian Church of the Disciples. Edith is survived by her son Mark Daly (Judith) of Ocala, her son Ronald Daly (Jane) of Burlington, VT, her daughter Lynn MacFadden (Bruce) of Ocala, her step-daughter Terry Marconi (Mike), eleven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Edith was predeceased by her husband Arthur Tenney, her daughter Marcia A. Quenneville, her brothers Gordon and Kenneth Allen and her sister Muriel L. Howard. A memorial service will be held at a later date.

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**BEAVER, MARION ELIZABETH, 91**

Rocky Mount, VA - Marion Elizabeth Beaver ("Dee Dee"), 91, of Rocky Mount, passed away March 1, 2012. She was born August 23, 1920 in Elyria, Ohio. She is preceded in death by her

husband, Thomas Henry Beaver and her stepson, Thomas Henry Beaver, Jr. As a Navy wife, Marion traveled and lived in many places. Her most recent move was to Rocky Mount, VA from Ocala, FL. She is survived by her sister, Marjorie Holihan of Port Clinton, OH; her four children, Richard Jay (Dick) Beaver (Judy) of Virginia Beach, VA, Robert James (Buck) Beaver (Pamela) of Conifer, CO, Betty Beaver Werner (Dave) of Rocky Mount, VA, and Phyllis Beaver Graham (Kerry) of Newnan, GA; her six grandchildren, Danny Beaver of Cincinnati, OH, Todd Beaver (Genie) of Atlanta, GA, Joe Beaver (Rebecca) of Morris, MN, Jay Beaver (Angela) of Apex, NC, Jim Beaver (Marisa) of Colorado Springs, CO, and Carolyn Reilly (Ian) of Rocky Mount, VA. Marion delighted in her 10 (plus one on the way) great-grandchildren. Her sweet spirit will be missed by her family and friends. A celebration of her life will be conducted from Redwood United Methodist Church, Rocky Mount, VA, 11 AM Monday, March 26, 2012 with Rev. Brad Dulaney officiating. Her cremains will be placed next to her husband's in Arlington National Cemetery at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her honor to any charity specializing in the care of children. The family is being served by Conner-Bowman Funeral Home, Route 220 at Wirtz Road, Rocky Mount, VA.

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Ocala - Marjorie Elizabeth Cauley, 79, of Ocala, FL, passed away at home in the loving care of her family on March 14, 2012. She was the daughter of Mary Mack and Artie Schellenberg. She was born and raised in Allentown, PA, and graduated from Central Catholic High School in 1951. She worked, very happily, for the Archdiocese of Allentown until the family relocated from Bethlehem, PA to Hatfield, PA. She then worked for nearly twenty years, amongst wonderful people and good friends, and retired as the Director of Human Resources for Teva Pharmaceuticals in Sellersville, PA in 1997. She and her husband, John E. Cauley, retired to Oak Run in Ocala, FL. In Oak Run, both Marge and Jack, yet again, found happiness and great friends. She was a selfless, loving wife, mother, grandmother, and friend. She bestowed love, kindness, and generosity far beyond her family to all who crossed her path. She was preceded in death by her son, Kevin Cauley and is survived by her loving and devoted husband of 59 years John E. Cauley, Ocala, FL, four children: Karen Cauley, Devon, PA, Elizabeth Wallace, Flemington, NJ, Janet Cauley Schlarbaum, Newtown Square, PA and Tom Cauley, Kimberton, PA, her brothers: Richard, Jack and James Schellenberg, all of Bethlehem, PA, her sister Lenore Mathews, Center Valley, PA, eleven grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews, all of

whom adored her and will miss her. She was a member of the Oak Run Art Club and helped with painting the stage props. She loved cooking and entertaining large groups, and was a member of the Oak Run Tennis Club and Water Volleyball Club. She also enjoyed traveling and attending the 7th Calvary Reunions with her loving husband, but most of all, loved spending time with her loving family and friends. Father Patrick O'Doherty will celebrate a mass of Christian Burial at the Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala, FL on Saturday, March 24, 2012 at 10AM. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476 or Hospice of Marion County, Inc., S.W. 34th Avenue, Ocala, Florida.

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**EBY, VIRGINIA CLAIRE RICKS, 87**

Orlando - Virginia Claire Ricks Eby, age 87, died Monday, March 19, 2012. She was born in Ocala, Florida, on September 21, 1924. Growing up in Ocala, Virginia spent many happy days at Silver Springs. Her parents used to tell her that if she could find enough blue in the sky to make a Dutchman a pair of pants, she could go to the Springs. While still in high school, Virginia received her social security card from MGM Studios so she could perform as an extra in news shorts with Newt Perry, a swimming instructor, and with Ross Allen, of the Reptile Institute at Silver Springs, and in full-length movies, such as Moon over Miami, that were filmed at Silver Springs. While at the Florida State College for Women (now Florida State University) in Tallahassee, Virginia won flying lessons that she thoroughly enjoyed. She graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Economics in 1946. From graduation until December 1947, she worked for Rich's department store in Atlanta, Georgia, where she met her late husband George Wesley Eby of Winter Garden, Florida. She and George married on September 12, 1947 in Ocala. They lived in Atlanta until George graduated from Emory with a Bachelor of Science degree in business administration. They lived in Orlando and George farmed in Winter Garden. Virginia substitute taught in public schools and later taught business communications at Mid-Florida Technical College. She also was a chaperone for the Miss Florida Pageant and later sold real estate. Virginia was a member of Goss Memorial United Methodist Church from 1947 until its closing in 2000, when she transferred her membership to First United Methodist Church of Orlando. She was a member of Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority and Sorosis Club of Orlando. She is preceded in death by her parents O.B. (Doc) Ricks and Vera Burch Ricks; siblings Barbara Ricks Reid, Oscar Benjamin Ricks, and Raymond Daniel Ricks; husband George Wesley Eby, and son George Stephen Eby. She is mourned by her daughters Barbara Eby Weaver and son-in-law Ken of Clemson, SC, Stephanie Eby Little and son-in-law Trent of Orlando, and son Kevin Ricks Eby and daughter-in-law Holly of Orlando; grandchildren Michael Weaver and Connie, Joy Weaver Taylor and Rick, Patrick Weaver and Macy, Heather Little Comer and Scott, Megan Burch Little, Georganna Elizabeth Little, Savannah Claire Eby, Randolph Stephen Eby; and four great-grandchildren. Visitation will be Wednesday, March 21, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m., at Carey Hand Funeral Home, 2811 Curry Ford Road, Orlando. The funeral service will be at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 22nd at First United Methodist Church of Orlando. A reception at the church will follow the funeral service; then the burial will be at 1:30 p.m. at Woodlawn Memorial Park. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 21 to March 22, 2012

**KENT, REVA L., 75**

Ocala - Reva L. Kent, 75, of Ocala, passed away March 20, 2012. Born in Wayland, New York,

she came to this area in 1993 from Chili, New York. She was a retired credit clerk for a grocer and a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Candler. Mrs. Kent was also a member of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary Post #4493, Candler and enjoyed camping and traveling. She is survived by her husband, Robert L. Kent; children, Kathy (Craig) Stokes, Jeremiah (Antoinette "Tony") Hurley, Timothy (Lorie) Hurley all of Rochester, NY, Robert Kent, Jr. (Pamela) of Henrietta, NY, Kirk Kent of Newark, NY and Mark Kent of Georgia; mother-in-law, Florentine Kent of Ocala; 10 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944) on Thursday (March 22nd) from 6-8PM and on Friday (March 23rd) from 10-11AM. Funeral Services will follow at 11AM at the Funeral Home.

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#### **MULKEY, WALTER, 74**

Ocala - Walter Mulkey passed away on March 17, 2012. Born in Ocala, he lived here all his life. He served in the US Army, was a Retired Captain (1986) from the Ocala Fire Department, and also worked in the shipping department at Sears many years. He was a member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church and the North Marion Lions Club. He is survived by his loving wife of 52 years, Martha A. Mulkey; son, Alan Mulkey; daughter, Melissa (Philip) Huston, Ocala; grandson, Philip Huston, Jr.; and brother, Robert L. Mulkey, Citra. A memorial service will be held 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 22, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony, with Pastor Bob King officiating.

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#### **WHITEHURST, DOROTHY J., 77**

Ocala - Dorothy J. Whitehurst, 77, passed away on March 19, 2012 at her residence. She was born October 2, 1934 in North Carolina to Malcolm Sr. and Zudie Mae Jarvis. She was a loving wife and mother. She was married to Ellsworth L. Whitehurst. He preceded her in death in 1996. She is survived by her four daughters; Pamela Waters, Lynne Salzano, Bonnie Reed, Amy Logan. Siblings; Patricia Slaton, Malcolm Jarvis Jr., and Margaret Mae Jones, Seven grandchildren, and several great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Friday, March 23, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Sparr United Methodist Church, 13100 NE Jacksonville Road, Citra, Florida, 32113. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in her name to the church or to Hospice of Marion County.

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**MARSH, JAMES "JIM" W., 82**

Ocala - James "Jim" W. Marsh, 82, joined the Lord in Heaven on Tuesday, March 13, 2012. Jim was born on June 15, 1929 in Greenville, MI. He grew up in Grand Rapids, graduating high school and attended junior college there for a short time until he joined the United States Army on July 23, 1955. Jim had a distinguished military career as an Army operations officer, battalion adjutant, top-notch aviator, and instructor pilot in both rotary and fixed wing aircraft. He retired from the Army after 21 years, having served in the Korean War and two terms in Vietnam. Flying as an EVAC helicopter pilot, Jim was responsible for saving the lives of hundreds of our brave soldiers. Jim was a Bronze Medal recipient. In his civilian years, he continued to fly helicopters in various capacities including emergency air lift operations for local hospitals. Jim acquired skills as a golfer while serving in the Military. After retiring as a pilot, he spent the remainder of his working life as a golf professional at clubs in Florida and Georgia, taking pride in his position as assistant pro at the Bay Hill Club and Lodge in Orlando. His skills as a golf instructor were well known as was his skill as a golf club maker and repairman. He continued his formal education and obtained a bachelor of Business Administration from Florida Atlantic University with a major in Marketing. Jim leaves his beautiful and devoted wife Florence, having enjoyed 42 years of a loving marriage. He also leaves five children: Robert, a long-time PGA pro in Alabama; Katheryn, a talented and well known artist in St. Augustine, FL; Stephen, a postal worker and member of a volunteer mountain rescue team in California; JoEllen, a special needs teaching paraprofessional in Seminole County, FL; Tracy, a print operator and an inspiration to her family in Crawfordville, FL; all of whom loved their father. He also leaves six devoted grandchildren: Zebulon, Joshua, Donavon, Kelsey, Katelynn, and Kourtney, and six loving great-grandchildren: Alexandria, Jordynn, Allyssa, Kevin, Sarah, and Connor. Also, nieces and nephews, with a loving mention of his dear nieces Kimberly and Michele. His extended family loved him and will dearly miss him. Jim is survived by his brother Arno, a jazz tenor saxophonist of considerable notoriety of whom he greatly admired. Memorial services will be held Sunday, March 25th at 2:00 p.m. at Wings of Faith Fellowship, 5066 SE 64th Ave. Rd., Ocala, FL 34472. Memorial contributions can be made to Shands Cancer Center at UF, P.O. Box 100385, Gainesville, FL 32610.

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Summerfield - Millinee Hulsey Mosley was born on July 3, 1937 and went home to be with the Lord on March 21, 2012 after a courageous battle with cirrhosis of the liver. Millinee was peacefully carried away to heaven surrounded by a host of family and friends at her home in Summerfield, FL. She was born and raised picking cotton in Lauderdale County, AL. After much encouragement from her husband, she completed her GED on May 21, 1969. In 1950, she accepted Jesus Christ as her personal Saviour and it was her faith in God that equipped her to be the godly woman that we all knew her to be. She was an active member at Ocala Baptist Temple in Ocala, FL for 13 years. Millinee was one of nine children born to the late Arthur and Roxie Hulsey, and was the cute chick of her loving old crow, O.B. Mosley, for over 57 years of marriage. Millinee will forever be remembered by: her devoted brother Tab Hulsey; her beloved children, Lydia Willard, Keith, and Mark Mosley; their loving spouses, Grady, Debbie, and Beverly; her 7 treasured grandchildren; her 14 great-grandchildren, as well as countless other nieces, nephews, friends, and family whom were blessed to know her. Friends and family are invited to attend the visitation from 12-2 p.m. followed immediately by the funeral service at 2 p.m. on March 24th, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala,

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Ocala - Marjorie Elizabeth Cauley, 79, of Ocala, FL, passed away at home in the loving care of her family on March 14, 2012. She was the daughter of Mary Mack and Artie Schellenberg. She was born and raised in Allentown, PA, and graduated from Central Catholic High School in 1951. She worked, very happily, for the Archdiocese of Allentown until the family relocated from Bethlehem, PA to Hatfield, PA. She then worked for nearly twenty years, amongst wonderful people and good friends, and retired as the Director of Human Resources for Teva Pharmaceuticals in Sellersville, PA in 1997. She and her husband, John E. Cauley, retired to Oak Run in Ocala, FL. In Oak Run, both Marge and Jack, yet again, found happiness and great friends. She was a selfless, loving wife, mother, grandmother, and friend. She bestowed love, kindness, and generosity far beyond her family to all who crossed her path. She was preceded in death by her son, Kevin Cauley and is survived by her loving and devoted husband of 59 years John E. Cauley, Ocala, FL, four children: Karen Cauley, Devon, PA, Elizabeth Wallace, Flemington, NJ, Janet Cauley Schlarbaum, Newtown Square, PA and Tom Cauley, Kimberton, PA, her brothers: Richard, Jack and James Schellenberg, all of Bethlehem, PA, her sister Lenore Mathews, Center Valley, PA, eleven grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews, all of whom adored her and will miss her. She was a member of the Oak Run Art Club and helped with painting the stage props. She loved cooking and entertaining large groups, and was a member of the Oak Run Tennis Club and Water Volleyball Club. She also enjoyed traveling and attending the 7th Calvary Reunions with her loving husband, but most of all, loved spending time with her loving family and friends. Father Patrick O'Doherty will celebrate a mass of Christian Burial at the Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala, FL on Saturday, March 24, 2012 at 10AM. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476 or Hospice of Marion County, Inc., S.W. 34th Avenue, Ocala, Florida.

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**HUDSON, "BUTCH" ROBERT BRIAN, 55**

Ocala - Born March 12, 1957 in Ingleside, WV, "Butch" Robert Brian Hudson died March 19, 2012 in Ocala, FL. He proudly served our country in the US Army during the Persian Gulf War. He is survived by his beloved wife, Christina of Ocala, FL; son, Kristopher; brother, Mack; sisters, Judy Leighton and Rebecca Hudson; aunt, Jo Howard; nephews, Michael Hudson, and R. Lane; grandchildren, Emma, Ava, Elana, and Cayson; step-daughter, Kristy Martter; step-son, Jeremiah Bennett; and mother-in-law, Mary Pickrell; father-in-law, Clyde Pickrell; sister-in-law, Beverly Pickrell; and brother-in-law, Tony Pickrell. Visitation will be Monday 4:00 PM-7:00 PM with funeral service Tuesday, March 27, 2012 11:00 AM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, 352-245-2424. Military honors will be offered at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).  
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### **MARSH, JAMES "JIM" W., 82**

Ocala - James "Jim" W. Marsh, 82, joined the Lord in Heaven on Tuesday, March 13, 2012. Jim was born on June 15, 1929 in Greenville, MI. He grew up in Grand Rapids, graduating high school and attended junior college there for a short time until he joined the United States Army on July 23, 1955. Jim had a distinguished military career as an Army operations officer, battalion adjutant, top-notch aviator, and instructor pilot in both rotary and fixed wing aircraft. He retired from the Army after 21 years, having served in the Korean War and two terms in Vietnam. Flying as an EVAC helicopter pilot, Jim was responsible for saving the lives of hundreds of our brave soldiers. Jim was a Bronze Medal recipient. In his civilian years, he continued to fly helicopters in various capacities including emergency air lift operations for local hospitals. Jim acquired skills as a golfer while serving in the Military. After retiring as a pilot, he spent the remainder of his working life as a golf professional at clubs in Florida and Georgia, taking pride in his position as assistant pro at the Bay Hill Club and Lodge in Orlando. His skills as a golf instructor were well known as was his skill as a golf club maker and repairman. He continued his formal education and obtained a bachelor of Business Administration from Florida Atlantic University with a major in Marketing. Jim leaves his beautiful and devoted wife Florence, having enjoyed 42 years of a loving marriage. He also leaves five children: Robert, a long-time PGA pro in Alabama; Katheryn, a talented and well known artist in St. Augustine, FL; Stephen, a postal worker and member of a volunteer mountain rescue team in California; JoEllen, a special needs teaching paraprofessional in Seminole County, FL; Tracy, a print operator and an inspiration to her family in Crawfordville, FL; all of whom loved their father. He also leaves six devoted grandchildren: Zebulon, Joshua, Donavon, Kelsey, Katelynn, and Kourtney, and six loving great-grandchildren: Alexandria, Jordynn, Allyssa, Kevin, Sarah, and Connor. Also, nieces and nephews, with a loving mention of his dear nieces Kimberly and Michele. His extended family loved him and will dearly miss him. Jim is survived by his brother Arno, a jazz tenor saxophonist of considerable notoriety of whom he greatly admired. Memorial services will be held Sunday, March 25th at 2:00 p.m. at Wings of Faith Fellowship, 5066 SE 64th Ave. Rd., Ocala, FL 34472. Memorial contributions can be made to Shands Cancer

Center at UF, P.O. Box 100385, Gainesville, FL 32610.

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### **MATTHEWS, ALICE REBECCA WALTERS, 88**

Ocala - Alice Rebecca Walters Matthews, 88, died March 23, 2012 at Marion House. She was

born August 2, 1923 in Pine Tops, NC to Luther and Mary Salterwaite Walters. Alice moved to Ocala from NC in 1954, where she was a homemaker, loved quilting and gardening. She was of the Baptist faith. She was preceded in death by her husband, Oscar Matthews on January 19, 1999 and daughter Peggy Brock in 1988. She is survived by daughter, Faye (Harold) Miller of Crystal River, FL; son, Vernon R. (Violet) Matthews of Ocala; son-in-law, Dickie Brock of Citra, FL; 3 grandchildren, Billy Miller, Michael Brock, and Vanessa Cutright; 5 great-grandchildren. A graveside service will be Monday, March 26, 2012 at 11:00 AM at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE Third Street, Ocala with Rev. Randy Stone officiating. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Tributes may be made at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**MONROE, BOBBY LEE, 70**

Summerfield - Bobby Lee Monroe, 70 years old, passed away March 21, 2012 at Tuscan House-Hospice in Summerfield. He was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He was born 1/27/1942 in Weirsdale. He was a member and deacon at Ocklawaha First Baptist Church. He loved fishing, serving his Lord and church, and singing in Church. He is survived by his loving wife Cheryl Monroe, two sons, Michael Shearer and Bobby Monroe, Jr., three daughters, Cynthia Clifford, Rhonda Harris, and Angela Griener, mother Lillian Monroe, brother Ronnie Monroe and sister Marilyn Dianne Sanderson, and 13 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, Lee Monroe, and two brothers, Willie Monroe and Tommie Monroe. There will be a celebration of his life on Sunday, March 25th at 3:30 p.m. at Ocklawaha First Baptist Church at 12299 S.E. 133rd Terrace. In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to Ocklawaha First Baptist Church.

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**MOORE, EDNA IRENE, 89**

Belleview - Edna Irene Moore, 89, of Belleview, FL passed away at her residence on Wednesday, March 21, 2012. She was born in Key West, FL on March 17, 1923 to parents, Cleveland and Naomi (Knowles) Lowe. Edna was a homemaker and was described as a creative artist in crafts. She was preceded in death by her husband and two children. Survivors include her son, George A. Moore, Jr. and daughter-in-law, Norma J Moore, four grandchildren, six great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild, along with numerous extended family. There will be graveside services for Edna on Saturday, March 24th at 10:00 AM at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 352-622-4141.

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**MOSLEY, MILLINEE HULSEY, 74**

Summerfield - Millinee Hulsey Mosley was born on July 3, 1937 and went home to be with the Lord on March 21, 2012 after a courageous battle with cirrhosis of the liver. Millinee was peacefully carried away to heaven surrounded by a host of family and friends at her home in Summerfield, FL. She was born and raised picking cotton in Lauderdale County, AL. After much encouragement from her husband, she completed her GED on May 21, 1969. In 1950, she accepted Jesus Christ as her personal Saviour and it was her faith in God that equipped her to be the godly woman that we all knew her to be. She was an active member at Ocala Baptist Temple

in Ocala, FL for 13 years. Millinee was one of nine children born to the late Arthur and Roxie Hulsey, and was the cute chick of her loving old crow, O.B. Mosley, for over 57 years of marriage. Millinee will forever be remembered by: her devoted brother Tab Hulsey; her beloved children, Lydia Willard, Keith, and Mark Mosley; their loving spouses, Grady, Debbie, and Beverly; her 7 treasured grandchildren; her 14 great-grandchildren, as well as countless other nieces, nephews, friends, and family whom were blessed to know her. Friends and family are invited to attend the visitation from 12-2 p.m. followed immediately by the funeral service at 2 p.m. on March 24th, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Those who wish may make contributions to Hospice of Marion County, Inc. in memory of Millinee Mosley at P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34474.  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 25, 2012**

#### **CRENSHAW, ANNIE MAE, 85**

Mrs. Annie Mae Crenshaw, age 85, of Orange Springs, Florida passed away on Tuesday, March 21, 2012 at her residence. She was born in Lynchburg, Virginia and moved to Orange Springs, Florida in 1986 from Hawthorne, Florida. Annie served her country in the U.S. Army during W.W. 11 and for over 25 years she has worked as a dietician at the Gainesville, VA Medical Center. She was Baptist by faith. She loved Jai- Alai, NASCAR, country music and rose gardening. She was preceded in death by her parents, R.P. and Mitte Lawhorn; her daughter Betty Faye Hamilton; her sister, Margaret Hudson and her (2) brothers, Dudley and Calvin Lawhorn. She is survived by her daughter, Brenda J. Hewett of Orange Springs, FL.; her (3) sons, Stanley L. Pollard, Jr. of Interlachen, FL.; Steven Lawborn of Virginia and Joseph A. Crenshaw of Orange Springs, FL.; her (12) grandchildren, her (9) great-grandchildren and her (8) great-great-grandchildren. A "Celebration of Life Service" will be on Monday, March 26, 2012 at 1:00 PM at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 S.W. 2nd Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34471, with interment to follow with Military Honors in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Funeral Home, today, from 3:00 until 5:00 PM. The family request, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, "East Team", P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Fl. 34478-4860, in memory of Mrs. Annie Mae Crenshaw. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 352-622-4141.  
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Ortiz Argana and her husband Joseph Argana, Car-men Ortiz, Cyda Ortiz, Doris Ortiz, a son Rafeal Victor Ortiz, two sisters, Delia Ortiz, Olga Ortiz, brother-in-law Gilbert Martinez, five grandchildren Jenny L. Re, Miranda M Re, Luis Ortiz, Jr., Roberto Palacios, Giovanni Zavalle, four great grandchildren, and numerous other family and friends. A visitation has been scheduled for Sunday March 25, 2012 from 3:00pm to 6:00pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The Celebration of Life Service will be held on Monday March 26, 2012 also at the funeral home at 2:00pm. Burial with military honors will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Online condolences may be left at [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com). Forest Lawn Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements.

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### **PREVETE, GERARD JOHN, 56**

Ocala - Gerard John Prevete, 56, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Monday, March 19, 2012 in Ocala. He moved here 24 years ago from Bellport, New York. Gerard was a member of St. Jude Catholic Community of Ocala where he served as a catechist. Gerard was a history teacher having taught in Marion County for 23 years; the last 13 years at Belleview High School. He had the reputation of being an exceptional teacher. Gerard also enjoyed golfing; was a voracious reader and "loved to learn". He was a lifelong children's advocate. He was preceded in death by his father Benjamin W. Prevete. Gerard is survived by his beloved wife of 34 years, Michele of Ocala; children Cheryl-Lynne Prevete and Adam G. Prevete, both of Virginia Beach, VA and Peter B. Prevete of Ocala; brother-in-law, Robert A. Inglese of Ocala; sister-in-law Toni George (David) of Philomath, OR and nieces Alex and Jessie. A Mass will be celebrated at St. Jude Catholic Community, Ocala at a later date. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **RASHFORD - HYACINTH GUYHOLDA**

Hyacinth Guyholda Rashford, age 90, of Ocala, FL, passed away March 22, 2012 at the Tuscany House. She was born on June 27, 1921 in Kingston, Jamaica, West Indies a daughter to the late Obediah Stamp and the late Chaqieta (Batist) Stamp. In addition to her parents she was also preceded in death by her husband Grant Rashford and her eldest son Ronald Latibeaudiere. She was a medical technician for over 20 years at the Lennox Hill Hospital in New York. Survivors include her children Frederick Latibeaudiere and his wife Yvonne of Ontario, Canada, Inez Pink of Ocala, FL, Victor Pink of New York, and Yvonne D. Pink-Stewart and her husband Phillmore of Ocala, FL, one sister Vera Grant in Kingston, Jamaica, grandchildren, Sheron Latibeaudiere, Cerise Latibeaudiere-McDonald, Kirk Latibeaudiere, Joclyn Pink, Victor Pink, Jr., Isha Pink, Christina Stewart, Rachel Pink and two great grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews, other family members and friends. A visitation has been scheduled at the funeral home for Wednesday March 28, 2012 from 6:00 to 8:00pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The funeral will be Thursday March 29, 2012 at 11:00am with a visitation for one hour prior at the Silver Springs Shores Seventh Day Adventist Church. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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### **ROTH, EVELYN REHOR, 81**

Ocala - Evelyn Rehor Roth, 81, passed away March 23, 2012 in Ocala. Mrs. Roth was born in Cleveland, Ohio to Joseph and Mae (Vancura) Rehor. She was a Clerical Office Worker for a

manufacturing company. Evelyn and her husband moved from Willoughby, Ohio to Ocala in 2000. She enjoyed cooking, her family, and was an avid reader. She was Catholic by faith. Mrs. Roth leaves behind her loving husband, Carl, of 59 years; her daughter Linda Toth and husband Gary of Mentor, OH; daughter Brenda Stamford and husband Don of Ocala, FL; daughter Sandra Simmons and husband Jim of Painesville, OH; her sister, Eleanor Harmacek of Butler, KY; 7 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren and expecting a 5th great-grandchild. A funeral mass will be Friday, March 30, 2012 at 8:00 AM at St. Jude Catholic Community, 443 Marion Oaks Drive, Ocala, FL 34473 with Father Barthelemy Garcon officiating. Condolences may be expressed at Hiers-Baxley.com.

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**ST. JOHN, DOROTHY "DOTTIE", 81**

Ocala - Dorothy "Dottie" St. John, 81, of Ocala, passed away March 22, 2012. She was born in Spring Grove, Indiana on September 27, 1930 to Robert and Dorothy (Draver) St. John. Dottie came to this area over 40 years ago from Indiana, was a retired CPA for the Ocala Lumber Company, Catholic by faith and at one time enjoyed playing golf and in recent years watching it on TV. She is survived by her brother, Robert St. John of Phoenix, AZ; one niece and good friend, Rita T. Trahan and her family of Ocala. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944).

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**STEINMETZ, MICHAEL A., 55**

Michael A. Steinmetz, 55, of Lady Lake, Florida, died Friday, March 23, 2012. He was born January 12, 1957 in Worcester, MA. He moved to Summerfield, FL in 1973 and to Weirsdale, FL from there in 2010. He was a retired truck driver and former nursery owner & operator and apiarist. He was an Eagle Scout and current assistant Scout Master of Troop 369, St. John Lutheran Church of Summerfield, FL. He was a member of Belleview First Assembly of God. He enjoyed his cooking, farm, horses and was a great outdoors man. He enjoyed traveling, camping, his family and serving his Lord. He is survived by: Wife: Phyllis J. Steinmetz, Weirsdale, FL Sons: Aaron Davenport, of Ocklawaha, FL, Adam Davenport (Katie) of Ocala, FL, Dustin Steinmetz of Palatka, FL, Aaron Steinmetz of Belleview, FL, Cody Steinmetz of Weirsdale, FL, Cory Steinmetz of Weirsdale, FL. Brother: Bernard E. Steinmetz, Jr. (Marie Jean) of Merritt Island, FL. 2 Grandsons: Grayson and Nikko Davenport. Funeral services for Mr. Steinmetz will be held at Oxford Assembly of God on Wednesday, March 28, 2012 at 11:00 AM. Family and friends may call at Beyers Funeral Home, Lady Lake, FL on Tuesday March 27, 2012 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. Interment will be at Pine Level Cemetery, Oxford, FL. In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Boy Scout Troop 369, St. John Lutheran Church, 10495 SE Sunset Harbor Rd., Summerfield, FL. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com). Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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Esther Anna (Blaasch) Moore, age 85, originally from Owego, NY, and recently of Ocala, FL, went to be with the lord March 22, 2012. She was preceded in death by her husband Harold. Survivors include two brothers, Ernst P. Blaasch and his wife Shirley, Paul A Blaasch, brothers and sisters-in-law, Stan and Phyllis Pylipow, Rodney and Sharon Moore, Alice Wadin, daughters, Joyce Cook, Mary Ellen Schildwaster, Marie Russo, numerous nieces, nephews, grandchildren and her best friend Ruby, her dog. In honor of her wishes there will be no funeral services. A lifelong celebration will be made at the discretion of the family. On line condolences would be appreciated and may be made at [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com). Forest Lawn Funeral Home will help with the arrangements for Mrs. Moore. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 26 to March 27, 2012

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**RASHFORD - HYACINTH GUYHOLDA**

Hyacinth Guyholda Rashford, age 90, of Ocala, FL, passed away March 22, 2012 at the Tuscany House. She was born on June 27, 1921 in Kingston, Jamaica, West Indies a daughter to the late Obediah Stamp and the late Chaqieta (Batist) Stamp. In addition to her parents she was also preceded in death by her husband Grant Rashford and her eldest son Ronald Latibeaudiere. She was a medical technician for over 20 years at the Lennox Hill Hospital in New York. Survivors include her children Frederick Latibeaudiere and his wife Yvonne of Ontario, Canada, Inez Pink of Ocala, FL, Victor Pink of New York, and Yvonne D. Pink-Stewart and her husband Phillmore of Ocala, FL, one sister Vera Grant in Kingston, Jamaica, grandchildren, Sheron Latibeaudiere, Cerise Latibeaudiere-McDonald, Kirk Latibeaudiere, Joclyn Pink, Victor Pink, Jr., Isha Pink, Christina Stewart, Rachel Pink and two great grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews, other family members and friends. A visitation has been scheduled at the funeral home for Wednesday March 28, 2012 from 6:00 to 8:00pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The funeral will be Thursday March 29, 2012 at 11:00am with a visitation for one hour prior at the Silver Springs Shores Seventh Day Adventist Church. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 25 to March 26, 2012

**ROTH, EVELYN REHOR, 81**

Ocala - Evelyn Rehor Roth, 81, passed away March 23, 2012 in Ocala. Mrs. Roth was born in Cleveland, Ohio to Joseph and Mae (Vancura) Rehor. She was a Clerical Office Worker for a manufacturing company. Evelyn and her husband moved from Willoughby, Ohio to Ocala in 2000. She enjoyed cooking, her family, and was an avid reader. She was Catholic by faith. Mrs. Roth leaves behind her loving husband, Carl, of 59 years; her daughter Linda Toth and husband Gary of Mentor, OH; daughter Brenda Stamford and husband Don of Ocala, FL; daughter Sandra Simmons and husband Jim of Painesville, OH; her sister, Eleanor Harmacek of Butler, KY; 7 grandchildren, 4 great-grandchildren and expecting a 5th great-grandchild. A funeral mass will be Friday, March 30, 2012 at 8:00 AM at St. Jude Catholic Community, 443 Marion Oaks Drive, Ocala, FL 34473 with Father Barthelemy Garcon officiating. Condolences may be expressed at [Hiers-Baxley.com](http://Hiers-Baxley.com).

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**ST. JOHN, DOROTHY "DOTTIE", 81**

Ocala - Dorothy "Dottie" St. John, 81, of Ocala, passed away March 22, 2012. She was born in Spring Grove, Indiana on September 27, 1930 to Robert and Dorothy (Draver) St. John. Dottie came to this area over 40 years ago from Indiana, was a retired CPA for the Ocala Lumber Company, Catholic by faith and at one time enjoyed playing golf and in recent years watching it on TV. She is survived by her brother, Robert St. John of Phoenix, AZ; one niece and good friend, Rita T. Trahan and her family of Ocala. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944).

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**STEINMETZ, MICHAEL A., 55**

Michael A. Steinmetz, 55, of Lady Lake, Florida, died Friday, March 23, 2012. He was born January 12, 1957 in Worcester, MA. He moved to Summerfield, FL in 1973 and to Weirsdale, FL from there in 2010. He was a retired truck driver and former nursery owner & operator and apiarist. He was an Eagle Scout and current assistant Scout Master of Troop 369, St. John Lutheran Church of Summerfield, FL. He was a member of Belleview First Assembly of God. He enjoyed his cooking, farm, horses and was a great outdoors man. He enjoyed traveling, camping, his family and serving his Lord. He is survived by: Wife: Phyllis J. Steinmetz, Weirsdale, FL Sons: Aaron Davenport, of Ocklawaha, FL, Adam Davenport (Katie) of Ocala, FL, Dustin Steinmetz of Palatka, FL, Aaron Steinmetz of Belleview, FL, Cody Steinmetz of Weirsdale, FL, Cory Steinmetz of Weirsdale, FL. Brother: Bernard E. Steinmetz, Jr. (Marie Jean) of Merritt Island, FL. 2 Grandsons: Grayson and Nikko Davenport. Funeral services for Mr. Steinmetz will be held at Oxford Assembly of God on Wednesday, March 28, 2012 at 11:00 AM. Family and friends may call at Beyers Funeral Home, Lady Lake, FL on Tuesday March 27, 2012 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. Interment will be at Pine Level Cemetery, Oxford, FL. In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be made to Boy Scout Troop 369, St. John Lutheran Church, 10495 SE Sunset Harbor Rd., Summerfield, FL. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com). Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 27, 2012****ARCHER, RUBY COOK, 85**

Ruby Cook Archer, 85, passed away on March 18, 2012, at Hospices' Sylvia's House. She was born in Fountain Inn, South Carolina on October 30, 1926. She is survived by her son, Charles L. Archer, Jr. (Larry and Kim) of Ocala; granddaughter, Michelle Byall of Tampa, FL; two sisters-in-law and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband of 58 years, Charles L. Archer, Sr., and her brother, Edwin Cook, of Fountain Inn, SC. She graduated from Anderson College, Anderson, SC and upon graduation with Assistant to the Dean for several years until her marriage in 1951. She was a member of the Fort King Presbyterian Church, Ocala, where she served in several capacities over the years: Session member, Sunday School Superintendent for the children, choir member, pianist, member of the Women of the Church and recipient of the Presbyterian Women's Lifetime Achievement Award. For a number of years, Ruby was Director of Music at Ocala's New Hope School and Opportunity Workshop at ARC (Association for Retarded Citizens) and worked with the citizens there in music. She's a 50 year

member of the P.E.O. International Sisterhood, a sisterhood promoting educational opportunities for women and served as President of the Ocala Chapter from 1977 to 1979. A memorial service will be held at the Fort King Presbyterian Church on Thursday, March 29, 2012 at 3:00 pm. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Fort King Presbyterian Church, 13 NE 36th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34470.

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#### **CONNELL, DR. RICHARD C.**

Dr. Richard C. Connell, beloved husband, father and grandfather, was called home to the Lord on Sunday March 25, 2012 surrounded by his loving family. A memorial service is planned for 1:00 pm Wednesday March 28 at First United Methodist Church in Dunnellon, FL. Born July 17, 1927 to Clyde and Verna Connell in Racine, WI; he was 84 years old. He met the love of his life, Beverly J Carlstrom, at the beer garden in Racine, WI. They were married October 16, 1954 and celebrated nearly 58 years of happiness and blessings. Dick proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy in WWII and during the Korean Conflict in the U.S. Army. He was a graduate of Spring Hill College, Mobile, AL and Marquette University Dental School, Milwaukee, WI. Dr. Connell practiced dentistry in Racine, WI for over 30 years. He and Beverly retired to Florida where they made homes in Sarasota and Dunnellon. He was an avid golfer and enjoyed piloting his Piper Cherokee 003Whiskey. He and Bev traveled extensively - from Nassau to Alaska, to the Holy Land and Europe. He was preceded in death by an infant son, John William, his parents and sister. Dr. Connell is survived by his beloved wife Beverly, son Brian (Teri) Connell of Marion, IA, daughter Julie (Jim) Poling of Dunnellon, and son Tom (Joan) Connell of San Pablo, CA, and Grandchildren Abby, Christopher, Sam, Quinn, Julian, Eric, Michael and Jenna. In lieu of flowers, Memorials may be made to Odyssey VistaCare Hospice Foundation [www.ovhf.org](http://www.ovhf.org)  
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Floresville Texas- Dorothy Hartlein, 89, passed away March 23, 2012 at Regency Manor in Floresville, Texas. She was formerly of the Ocala and Graham, Florida area. She was born March 17, 1923 in Lawrenceburg, Tennessee to the late Andrew and Mattie Revelle Houser. She was a retired from International Shoe and a member of Concordia Lutheran Church in Sikeston, Mo. On September 13, 1942 she married Gordon W. Hartlein who preceded her in death on June 17, 2007. Her survivors include four sons and daughter-in-laws: Kenneth (Charlotte) Hartlein of

Floresville Texas, Don (Suzanne) Hartlein of Portageville, Missouri, Jerry (Margie) Hartlein of Gainesville, Florida, Larry (Nelda) Hartlein of Affton, Missouri, and one sister and brother-in-law, Faye (Norman) Brodeur of Odessa, Missouri. She is also survived by ten grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, four brothers and one sister. Visitation will be held Wednesday, March 28, from 5 to 8 p.m. at Ponder Funeral Home in Sikeston, Mo. Services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Thursday at Ponder Funeral Home with Rev. A.J. Wollenburg, pastor officiating. Interment will follow in the Garden of Memories Cemetery in Sikeston, Mo. Pall Bearers will be Ken Hartlein, Don Hartlein, Jerry Hartlein, Larry Hartlein, Rodney Hartlein and Jeff Hartlein.

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### **HEALEY, CATHERINE SCHLOSSER**

Catherine Schlosser Healey, Ocala, FL, passed away peacefully Saturday, March 24, at her residence. She was born October 7, 1920 in Kleinbetschkerek, Romania and immigrated to The United States in 1935 at the young age of 15. She was one of five children to the late George and Catharina Schlosser and was married in 1945 to the late Daniel J. Healey. Making her home in North Merrick, NY she retired from Macy's with 19 years of service and moved to Miami, FL. Catherine found great reward as a contributing member of her neighborhood ladies club providing handmade knitted goods for the local women's shelter and children's hospital. She was an active member of the St. John the Baptist Church, Dunnellon, FL. Catherine touched the lives of her Family, Friends and anyone fortunate enough to meet her was forever blessed. Survivors include her sons Stephen (Claire) Healey, Angeles City, Philippines; Wayne (Marilyn) Chalker, NC; Daughter, Maureen (Tom) Peterson, Ocala, FL; Grandchildren, Colleen (Bryan) Beard, High Point, NC; Keith (Emily) Peterson, Lake City, FL; Joseph & Stephanie Healey, Angeles City, Philippines; Great Grandchildren Jared, Logan & Conner Beard, Nola Lee Peterson and her guardian and faithful dog Bonnie. A Funeral Mass is scheduled for 10:00 am Thursday, March 29, 2012 at the St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon with Father Kevin MacGabhann officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474 or Pet Network, Inc., P.O. Box 56, Morriston, FL 32668. Arrangements are entrusted to The Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Online condolences at [www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com)

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### **MOORE - ESTHER ANNA (BLAASCH)**

Esther Anna (Blaasch) Moore, age 85, originally from Owego, NY, and recently of Ocala, FL, went to be with the lord March 22, 2012. She was preceded in death by her husband Harold. Survivors include two brothers, Ernst P. Blaasch and his wife Shirley, Paul A Blaasch, brothers and sisters-in-law, Stan and Phyllis Pylipow, Rodney and Sharon Moore, Alice Wadin, daughters, Joyce Cook, Mary Ellen Schildwaster, Marie Russo, numerous nieces, nephews, grandchildren and her best friend Ruby, her dog. In honor of her wishes there will be no funeral services. A lifelong celebration will be made at the discretion of the family. On line condolences would be appreciated and may be made at [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com). Forest Lawn Funeral Home will help with the arrangements for Mrs. Moore.

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### **WILSON, CHARLES BOONE, 82**



Charles Boone Wilson, 82, of Ocala, FL. passed away March 22, 2012 after a brief illness. He was born May 3, 1929 in Spencer, West Virginia. "Charlie" joined the Air Force in 1948 and served worldwide as a weather forecaster before retiring in 1970 at Patrick Air Force Base, Florida. After retirement, Charlie started a wholesale golf distributing company in Melbourne, Fl. He retired to Ocala, in 2003. He loved his farm and the Tennessee Walking Horses that he and his wife raised and showed. Charlie was an avid golfer, having played in a number of tournaments in Europe during his Air Force career. He was a member of Silver Springs Shores Golf Club. Charlie never met a stranger and he will be sadly missed by everyone he touched. He is survived by his loving wife Laurie, Ocala; children Susan McKeown (Kevin), Satellite Beach, Carol Langston (Steve), Chattanooga, Tn., Janet Walker (Joseph), Ft. Walton Beach, Fl., Mark B. Wilson (Lisa) of Indialantic, Fl., Brenda Goodwin (Ryan), Melbourne, Fl. Grandchildren are Kevin McKeown ('Asa) Pt. St Lucie, Fl., Lauren Wilson, Blake Wilson and Laina Wilson of Indialantic, Fl. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Humane Society of Marion County, Florida. A Celebration of Charlie's life will be held at a later date.  
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#### **BROWN, JOSEPH MARTIN, 35**

Middletown, IN - Joseph Martin Brown, 35, died Thursday, March 22, 2012, at his residence in Middletown, Indiana. Joe loved horses, music and working on cars. He was loved by many and had a huge heart. He will be very much missed. Survivors are, mother Mazie Brown, father Ronald Brown, fiancée Crystal Lee, and stepson Brayden Rogers, and brother Ronald Brown, Jr. Funeral services will be at 1:00 p.m. Wednesday at the Murphy-Parks Funeral Home in Shelbyville, Indiana. Additional arrangements are pending.

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**CUMMING, DAVID C., 70**

Clearwater - David C. Cumming, 70, of Clearwater, passed away March 14, 2012. David was born in Ocala and received his Bachelors degree in criminology from FSU. He served in the Army in Germany and Vietnam, where he received a purple heart. David also worked for 30 years as a special agent of the FBI. He is survived by his beloved wife of 30 years, Anne-Marie; sons Christian (Lauren) and David A. Cumming; daughters Michelle Cumming and Heather (Paul) Kunk; brother, Richard (Marti) Cumming; sister, Diane (Scotty) Andrews and grandchildren, Baergan, Liam, and Keiran. David was predeceased by his brother, Anthony. Burial was held at Har Sinai Cemetery in Baltimore, MD. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 28 to March 29, 2012

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**DYKEMAN, CLIFFORD, 55 & DYKEMAN, BRENDA, 50**

Silver Springs - On March 16, 2012, Clifford and Brenda Dykeman of Silver Springs went to be

with our Lord. They are survived by Cliff's parents, Janice and Ken Blystone, Cliff and Brenda's children, Michael Dykeman, Sherry (Jeremiah) Tagle, David (Kelly) Harris, Tracey (Lamar) Brown, RD and family, 32 grandchildren, and 14 siblings. They were faithful members of Christ Community Church and were working on starting a youth group at the church. They were members of Bikers for Christ. There will be a memorial ride on Sat., March 31st starting at 10 a.m., leaving Winn Dixie RT 40 & RT 314. Services will follow at 11 a.m. on Sat., March 31st at Christ Community Church, 37 Dogwood Road, Ocala, FL.

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### **ERICKSON, RICHARD WALTER, 75**

Citra - Richard Walter "Dick" Erickson went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, March 27, 2012 at 4:45 a.m. at his home surrounded by his loving family. Born in North Attleboro, Massachusetts, he came to Ocala in 1988. He was a tool and die maker for a wire manufacturing company and he retired from the Marion County Road Department. Preceded in death by three sons, Richard M., Karl R. and Keith R. Erickson; he is survived by his wife of 49 years, Theresa Doris Erickson; daughters, Laurie (Frank) Pierce, Citra; Donna (Daniel) Eisentraut, Key West; eight grandchildren, four great-grandchildren; brother, Alva Erickson; and sisters, Jean Northup and Carol Howell. Friends and family are invited to a memorial service at the family's home, 14118 NE 53rd Court Road, Citra, on Friday, March 30 at 6:30 p.m.

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### **LETU, CHARLES R., 67**

Citra - Charles R. Letu, 67, of Citra, loving husband, father, and brother, left to be with the Lord on March 23, 2012. He was born in Oceanport, New Jersey on December 16, 1944. He moved to Florida as an infant where he lived in the Bradenton, Tampa, Brandon, W. Palm Beach, and Plant City areas before moving to Ocala 20 years ago. He was a longtime truck driver, and after moving to Ocala area, he was employed with Patrick Industries and retired March 5th after working for Art Walkers Construction of Citra. He was a "serious" model train collector and spent many hours searching for just the right one. He enjoyed sharing his love for trains with his grandson Zackary. Mr. Letu is survived by his wife Barbara, step-son Tony Frier (Greg Gude) of Jersey City, NJ., step-daughter Kathie Thomas (Bill) of Plant City, son Bradley (Rachel) of Live Oak, two daughters Sherri and April, two sisters Ruth Kersey of W. Palm Beach, Lois Harry (David) of Baltimore, MD, nine grandchildren, most loving nieces Annette, Jessica, Shelby, and Ashley, two nephews Jeff and Tim, mother-in-law Mildred McLemore, brother-in-laws, Bobby, Richard, Roy, Randy, and families, sister-in-law Rosemary and family. He was predeceased by his mother and father Earl and Martha Letu, and two brothers David and Phil Letu. Appreciation goes out to the many nurses, doctors and staff at Ocala Regional Medical Center for the excellent care given to him during his illness and for the concern and loving compassion shown for the family during this most difficult time. He will be missed dearly from our family, sure to be reunited again with our dear Lord and Savior. "Go My Love and Rest."

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### **MACFARLANE, ROBERT OLIVER, 86**

Moultrie, GA - Robert Oliver MacFarlane, 86, of Moultrie, GA, and a former Ocala resident, died Friday, March 23, 2012 in Moultrie. Graveside rites, with full military honors, will be 11:00 A.M. Saturday, March 31, 2012 at Westview Cemetery in Moultrie. Born July 25, 1925 in Los Angeles, CA, he was the son of the late Robert MacFarlane and Olivia Helga Oliver MacFarlane. He was a retired United States Air Force Chief Master Sergeant, serving during World War II, the Korean Conflict and the Vietnam War. He was preceded in death by two sisters, Dorothy Aultman and Doris Holmes. Surviving are nieces and nephews, including Robert Aultman and wife Patsy of Moultrie, John Holmes, Melody Holmes, Stuart Aultman and wife Karen of Inverness, FL; a great-niece, Katy Aultman of Atlanta; great-nephews, Bert Aultman of

Washington, D.C., Rhett Aultman of San Francisco and Taylor Aultman of Sarasota, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Colquitt Regional Hospice, P.O. Box 3548, Moultrie, GA 31776. Arrangements by Cobb Funeral Chapel, Moultrie, GA. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 28 to March 29, 2012

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**ABBATIELLO, PATRICIA A., 62**

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**BROWN, JOSEPH MARTIN, 35**

Middletown, IN - Joseph Martin Brown, 35, died Thursday, March 22, 2012, at his residence in Middletown, Indiana. Joe loved horses, music and working on cars. He was loved by many and had a huge heart. He will be very much missed. Survivors are, mother Mazie Brown, father Ronald Brown, fiancée Crystal Lee, and stepson Brayden Rogers, and brother Ronald Brown, Jr.

Funeral services will be at 1:00 p.m. Wednesday at the Murphy-Parks Funeral Home in Shelbyville, Indiana. Additional arrangements are pending.

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### **CUMMING, DAVID C., 70**

Clearwater - David C. Cumming, 70, of Clearwater, passed away March 14, 2012. David was born in Ocala and received his Bachelors degree in criminology from FSU. He served in the Army in Germany and Vietnam, where he received a purple heart. David also worked for 30 years as a special agent of the FBI. He is survived by his beloved wife of 30 years, Anne-Marie; sons Christian (Lauren) and David A. Cumming; daughters Michelle Cumming and Heather (Paul) Kunk; brother, Richard (Marti) Cumming; sister, Diane (Scotty) Andrews and grandchildren, Baergan, Liam, and Keiran. David was predeceased by his brother, Anthony. Burial was held at Har Sinai Cemetery in Baltimore, MD.

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**DYKEMAN, CLIFFORD, 55 & DYKEMAN, BRENDA, 50**

Silver Springs - On March 16, 2012, Clifford and Brenda Dykeman of Silver Springs went to be with our Lord. They are survived by Cliff's parents, Janice and Ken Blystone, Cliff and Brenda's children, Michael Dykeman, Sherry (Jeremiah) Tagle, David (Kelly) Harris, Tracey (Lamar) Brown, RD and family, 32 grandchildren, and 14 siblings. They were faithful members of Christ Community Church and were working on starting a youth group at the church. They were members of Bikers for Christ. There will be a memorial ride on Sat., March 31st starting at 10 a.m., leaving Winn Dixie RT 40 & RT 314. Services will follow at 11 a.m. on Sat., March 31st at Christ Community Church, 37 Dogwood Road, Ocala, FL.

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**ERICKSON, RICHARD WALTER, 75**

Citra - Richard Walter "Dick" Erickson went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, March 27, 2012 at 4:45 a.m. at his home surrounded by his loving family. Born in North Attleboro, Massachusetts, he came to Ocala in 1988. He was a tool and die maker for a wire manufacturing company and he retired from the Marion County Road Department. Preceded in death by three sons, Richard M., Karl R. and Keith R. Erickson; he is survived by his wife of 49 years, Theresa Doris Erickson; daughters, Laurie (Frank) Pierce, Citra; Donna (Daniel) Eisentraut, Key West; eight grandchildren, four great-grandchildren; brother, Alva Erickson; and sisters, Jean Northup and Carol Howell. Friends and family are invited to a memorial service at the family's home, 14118 NE 53rd Court Road, Citra, on Friday, March 30 at 6:30 p.m.

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**LETU, CHARLES R., 67**

Citra - Charles R. Letu, 67, of Citra, loving husband, father, and brother, left to be with the Lord on March 23, 2012. He was born in Oceanport, New Jersey on December 16, 1944. He moved to Florida as an infant where he lived in the Bradenton, Tampa, Brandon, W. Palm Beach, and Plant City areas before moving to Ocala 20 years ago. He was a longtime truck driver, and after moving to Ocala area, he was employed with Patrick Industries and retired March 5th after working for Art Walkers Construction of Citra. He was a "serious" model train collector and spent many hours searching for just the right one. He enjoyed sharing his love for trains with his



grandson Zackary. Mr. Letu is survived by his wife Barbara, step-son Tony Frier (Greg Gude) of Jersey City, NJ., step-daughter Kathie Thomas (Bill) of Plant City, son Bradley (Rachel) of Live Oak, two daughters Sherri and April, two sisters Ruth Kersey of W. Palm Beach, Lois Harry (David) of Baltimore, MD, nine grandchildren, most loving nieces Annette, Jessica, Shelby, and Ashley, two nephews Jeff and Tim, mother-in-law Mildred McLemore, brother-in-laws, Bobby, Richard, Roy, Randy, and families, sister-in-law Rosemary and family. He was predeceased by his mother and father Earl and Martha Letu, and two brothers David and Phil Letu. Appreciation goes out to the many nurses, doctors and staff at Ocala Regional Medical Center for the excellent care given to him during his illness and for the concern and loving compassion shown for the family during this most difficult time. He will be missed dearly from our family, sure to be reunited again with our dear Lord and Savior. "Go My Love and Rest."

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**MACFARLANE, ROBERT OLIVER, 86**

Moultrie, GA - Robert Oliver MacFarlane, 86, of Moultrie, GA, and a former Ocala resident, died Friday, March 23, 2012 in Moultrie. Graveside rites, with full military honors, will be 11:00 A.M. Saturday, March 31, 2012 at Westview Cemetery in Moultrie. Born July 25, 1925 in Los Angeles, CA, he was the son of the late Robert MacFarlane and Olivia Helga Oliver MacFarlane. He was a retired United States Air Force Chief Master Sergeant, serving during World War II, the Korean Conflict and the Vietnam War. He was preceded in death by two sisters, Dorothy Aultman and Doris Holmes. Surviving are nieces and nephews, including Robert Aultman and wife Patsy of Moultrie, John Holmes, Melody Holmes, Stuart Aultman and wife Karen of Inverness, FL; a great-niece, Katy Aultman of Atlanta; great-nephews, Bert Aultman of Washington, D.C., Rhett Aultman of San Francisco and Taylor Aultman of Sarasota, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Colquitt Regional Hospice, P.O. Box 3548, Moultrie, GA 31776. Arrangements by Cobb Funeral Chapel, Moultrie, GA.

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Edwin McDonald, Sr., significant other; Medricka Morrison; brothers; Alan McDonald. Edwin McDonald, Jr., and Jamaal Wilson; grandparents; Lillian McDonald, Frank and Edith Quarterman, and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

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Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview, 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 29 to March 30, 2012

**WILBUR, JUSTIN DANIEL, 31**

Ocala - Justin Daniel Wilbur, 31, of Ocala, died Sunday, March 25, 2012, at home. He was born in Clearwater, Florida. Before moving to Ocala in 2005, he was a Seminole High School graduate. He owned and operated Justin's Lawn Maintenance and Landscape for almost ten years. He was an avid fisherman, and loved to compete in Bass Tournaments. He was from the Florida Pioneer Olliff family, who came to Florida in the mid-1800's. His sister, Melanie Kohler, is a local attorney in Ocala. Survivors include, parents Daniel and Susan Wilbur, sister Melanie and niece, Katie. Funeral Service to be held at E. James Reese Funeral Home, 6767 Seminole Blvd., Seminole, FL 33772, on Saturday at 2:00 p.m., to be followed by graveside service at the Serenity Gardens Cemetery. Visitation prior to service is from noon to 2:00 p.m. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 30 to March 31, 2012

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Ocala - Joan Ruth Boden, 82, of Ocala, Florida, passed away Friday, March 23, 2012 in the care of Hospice of Citrus County. Joan was born in Philadelphia, PA on June 11, 1929. She was preceded in death by her husband John (Jack) Boden and her only sister Claire Messmer. Joan is survived by her children Rick Cuthrell, Bob Cuthrell, Joan & Garry Conroy, her stepson John Boden, Jr., and a dear family friend Shawn Sullivan. She lived in Ocala for many years and worked in retail until she retired. She was a devout Catholic who gave generously to the church and to many charities. She will be dearly missed by all who knew her. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 30 to March 31, 2012

**KASPAR, CHRISTOPHER NATHAN, 4**

Las Vegas - Christopher Nathan Kaspar, age 4, passed away on March 25, 2012 in Las Vegas, Nevada. Christopher was born in Las Vegas on April 20, 2007. He is survived by his parents, John & Traci Kaspar of Las Vegas; brothers, Anthony Kaspar & Matthew David Kaspar of Las Vegas; sister, Ali Kaspar of Las Vegas; grandparents, Basil & Jereyl Kaspar of Belleview, Florida; grandmother, Stacy Leonardo of Ocala, Florida; and grandmother, Christine Reynolds-Dolan of Lake Wales, Florida. Christopher is also survived by aunts, uncles and many cousins. All services will be private. Arrangements under the direction of Palm Mortuary, 7400 W. Cheyenne Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from March 30 to March 31, 2012

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Jim was a former member of the Knights of Columbus and a member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon, FL. He was preceded in death by his wife Margaret Hanes Ludtka and is survived by his children, Gerard (Gail) Ludtka of Oak Ridge, TN, Marie Therese (Thomas) Eichinger of Dunnellon, FL and Richard Ludtka; grandchildren, Gregory (Nicole) Ludtka, Christopher Ludtka, Edmond Eichinger, and James Eichinger. Private cremation will take place under the direction of Brown Funeral Home & Crematory in Lecanto, FL. A Mass of the Resurrection will be held at 10AM, Wednesday, April 4, 2012. A graveside service will be held at 2PM at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL with military honors. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial donations be made in Jim's name to the Disabled American Veterans Association as well as Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 1 to April 2, 2012

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Ocala - Bessie Carpenter passed away in Ocala on Saturday, March 31, 2012. Mrs. Carpenter was born in Little Rock, AR. Mrs. Carpenter enjoyed bird watching, especially hummingbirds, two-step dancing, crafts, gardening, and country music. She was a seamstress and was employed at a sewing factory. She also worked at a western store, worked as a nurse's aide, and worked for a construction company. She is survived by her husband, Bill, of Ocala; son Al (Pam) Falk of Summerfield; daughters, Cindie (Dave) Mack of Fayetteville, GA, and Judith Wulf of Ocala; step-son, Carl (Alisa) Carpenter of Pelican, LA, and step-daughter, Deann Elkins of Natchitoches, LA; sisters, Kathy Kearns of Detroit, MI and Barbara Lenz of Lawrenceburg, TN, and brother, Franklin Marable of Dearborn Heights, MI; 11 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, April 3, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-Belleview. Visitation will be on Tuesday from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. at the funeral home. Online condolences may be left at [www.Hiers-Baxley.com](http://www.Hiers-Baxley.com). In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-Belleview. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 3 to April 4, 2012

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Gainesville - Mrs. Gordon died Saturday March 31, 2012 at Haven Hospice, Gainesville, FL. She was born in Jacksonville, FL. She was the daughter of Murrell Leslie Stumpf and Madeline Eugenia Nash Hall. She graduated from Landon High School, Jacksonville, FL; Central Florida Junior College, Ocala, FL, University of Florida, Gainesville, and Appalachian State University, Boone, NC. Mrs. Gordon retired from the Marion County Public School System where she was a teacher/librarian at a number of schools. She married her high school sweetheart, Stan Gordon. They would have celebrated 61 years of marriage April 15, 2012. She was a great Gator football fan and enjoyed watching tennis. Family trips were a priority and she traveled all over the USA and the United Kingdom. She was an avid reader and lover of books. She attended Grace Presbyterian Church, Gainesville. She was a member of Florida State Genealogical Society, a Florida Pioneer Descendant; a member of United Daughters of Confederacy; Colonial Dames of 17th Century; Daughters of the American Revolution; and a member of Georgia Salzberger Society. She was the matriarch of the Nash Family and the official Nash Family genealogist. She is preceded in death by her father, Leslie Stumpf; mother, Madeleine Hall; and son Brian Gordon. Survivors include husband, William S. (Stan) Gordon of Gainesville; daughter, Paula June Gordon Thomas (Chuck) Gainesville; brother, Al Hall Melrose; brother, Steve Hall (Mary) Gainesville; nephews, Stephen Hall, Gainesville, and Victor Hall, Apopka; and dozens of loving Nash Family cousins and Stumpf Family cousins. A memorial service will be held 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 4, 2012, at Grace Presbyterian Church, 3146 N.W. 13th Street, Gainesville, FL. In lieu of flowers donations may be sent to Haven Hospice 4200 N.W. 90th Blvd., Gainesville, FL or a favorite charity in memory of June S. Gordon. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 3 to April 4, 2012

#### **KELLERMANN, HERMAN H. "HANK", 84**

Ocala - Mr. Herman H. (Hank) Kellermann, 84, of Ocala, passed away March 30, 2012 at his home in Ocala. He is survived by his 3 children, Susan Watkins, Bill Kellermann, and Mary Bryant, all of Ohio; 5 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren; his brother, Jim, and his devoted companion of 7 years, Jane Wesley. He was preceded in death in 2000 by his wife of 50 years, Eloise, and was also preceded in death by his brothers, Edwin and Francis Kellermann. After serving in the Navy during World War II, he earned his BA at Valparaiso University and his

Masters' degree at the University of Kentucky. Before retiring to Florida, he was an administrator with the Federal Medicare Administration. Visitation for Mr. Kellermann will be held from 2-4 p.m. Wednesday, April 4, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, April 11, 2012 at St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 800 SE 41st Avenue, Ocala, with a cremation committal being held at 1 p.m. at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Marion Oaks. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 3 to April 4, 2012

**LAW, ADELE, 88**

Bellevue - Adele Law passed away in Ocala on Friday, March 30, 2012. Mrs. Law was born and grew up in Lake Kerr. She was a faithful member of First Baptist Church, Bellevue. She volunteered with the Good News Club, Shepherd's Lighthouse, Hampton Manor, and church activities. Mrs. Law also enjoyed hunting and fishing with her family and going to the gym. She worked in the Publix Bakery for 10 years. She is survived by her sons Ray of Appleton, AL and Tony and daughter-in-law, Tammy, of Bellevue, 6 grandchildren, and 15 great-grandchildren and several great-great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, April 4, 2012 at First Baptist Church, Bellevue, with Pastor Ronnie Walker officiating. Visitation will be from 6 until 8 p.m. on Tuesday at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Bellevue. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala FL 34478. Online condolences may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Bellevue. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 3 to April 4, 2012

**MACOLINO, JOHN CARL, 86**

Ocala - John Carl Macolino, 86, passed away on Friday, March 30, 2012, in Land-O-Lakes, FL. He was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Florida in 1975 and had been a resident of Ocala for the past 11 years. He was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church and was a retired carpenter. He served his country in the US Army during World War II. He is survived by his sons, John J. Macolino and his wife Judy of Ocala and Carl Macolino and his wife Connie of Westchester, PA; his brother, Raymond Macolino of Neptune City, NJ, his 4 grandchildren, Bret and his family of Ocala and Christian, Roman and Cesare and their families all of Coatesville, PA and his 8 great-grandchildren. Mr. Macolino will be buried at Florida National Cemetery next to his wife, Hilda B. Macolino who died in 2008. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 3 to April 4, 2012

**MANN, JACKIE S., 67**

Summerfield - Born October 16, 1944 in Demopolis, Alabama, Jackie S. Mann died April 1, 2012, in Summerfield, FL. Jackie retired after 38 years of service in the banking industry. "Gran" loved Our Lord, her family, church family, and she liked to "yard sale." She was a member of Pedro Baptist Church. Jackie will be deeply missed, but through our love of Jesus Christ, we will meet again. She is survived by her son, Kevin (Debbie) of St. Cloud, FL; and granddaughters, Lily and Malynn Mann of St. Cloud, FL; brother, Bo Spear of Ocala, FL; sisters, Estelle Money of Demopolis, AL, Dot Nichols of Chickasaw, AL, and Elizabeth Anderson of Perry, FL; and a host of extended family and friends. She was preceded in death by sister, Betty Caples. Funeral service Wednesday, April 4, 2012, 3:00 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Bellevue 352-245-2424 with Pastor Jack Anderson officiating. The family will receive friends

one hour prior to service. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). In lieu of flowers, contributions may be given to Florida Baptist Children's Home, PO Box 8190, Lakeland, FL 33802 or Hospice of Marion County. Interment will be at Riverside Cemetery, in Demopolis, AL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 3 to April 4, 2012

**McALLISTER, MARGARET ANN, 64**

Ocala - Margaret Ann (Johnson) McAllister of Cambridge, Massachusetts, formerly of Ocala, FL, passed away suddenly, Tuesday, March 27, 2012, at Mt. Auburn Hospital. Margaret was born April 13, 1947. She married her husband George, April 13, 1968 in Ocala. They moved to New Jersey in 1969 and resided there until 1979 before moving to Salem, MA, and finally to Cambridge in 1985. She had a B.A. in English from Florida A&M University, and a MLS from Rutgers University. She was a sister of Zeta Phi Beta, Sorority, Inc. Margaret was currently employed at Allergy Buyer's Club. She had previously worked at Baker & Taylor Co. in New Jersey, Arthur D. Little in Cambridge, and the Share Group in Somerville. She leaves her husband George J. McAllister of Cambridge; her son George J. McAllister II, and his wife Anna of Ocala, FL, and her daughter Valery D. (McAllister) Lawton, and her husband Keith of Chipley, FL; her grandchildren Ayana and Zion of Ocala; Alexander and Andrew of Chipley; her sister Zolena Bratton and her husband Melvin of Miami, FL; her niece Patrice, and nephew Torrence; and her special friends Jennifer Paige, of Chicago, Elliott McClinton, of Somerville, and Benita Johnson of Orlando, and many other dear relatives, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. She leaves a special aunt, Ethel Yon, of Ocala, FL. She was the daughter of the late Simon and Roberta Johnson. In lieu of flowers, you may also make a donation to the Lupus Foundation of America, Inc., 1-888-385-8787. Funeral services will be held 10 a.m., Friday, April 6, 2012, at Greater Hopewell Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, FL 34475-6146. Visiting hours will be held Thursday, April 5, from 6-8 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th St., Ocala, FL 34475, 352-351-0566.

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**McMULLEN, STEVEN TODD, 42**

Ocala - Todd McMullen of Ocala, FL passed away on Saturday, March 31st, 2012. He was 42. He was born in Starke, Florida. He grew up with his parents William Eli and Ruby Carolyn McMullen and his brother Billy McMullen in Vero Beach, FL. He attended the University of Florida where he earned his Master's degree in Accounting. While attending college he met the love of his life and his wife of over 20 years Angela Arnold McMullen. After graduating from UF, Todd and Angela moved to Ocala. Todd was an active member in the community especially with youth sports. Todd was a partner at Purvis, Gray & Co. in Ocala. He worked there for 21 years. Todd was a great husband and father, and brother. His greatest joy in life was being with his family. He loved coaching his sons Kirby and Hunter and their little league baseball teams. He loved to travel with his wife Angela to all of their games and tournaments. Todd is survived by his wife Angela and their sons Kirby and Hunter; their beloved dogs Diamond and Charlie; brother Billy McMullen (Liane); in-laws Richard and Sheila Arnold; brothers-in-law Phillip Arnold, David Arnold, John Arnold (Erin); sister-in-law Ashley Dorman (Brent); nieces Taylor and Peyton Dorman; nephew Eli McMullen; and grandmother-in-law Alma Peck. Todd was preceded in death by his parents William Eli and Ruby Carolyn McMullen. Todd will be greatly missed. Funeral services will be held at 1 PM Thursday, April 5, 2012, at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, with Dr. Darren Gaddis officiating; Interment will follow in Highland



Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street. A visitation will be held from 5-7 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.  
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**RANDALL-KOEHLER, JOAN E., 74**

Ocala - Joan E. "Pete" Randall-Koehler, 74, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Saturday, March 31, 2012, at home under the loving care of her family and friends. She was born in Providence, RI, on July 12, 1937, and was the daughter of the late Charles and Marjorie (Douphine) Randall. She grew up in Yarmouth, Cape Cod, MA, and graduated from Dennis-Yarmouth High School as Valedictorian of her class of 1955. Joan then went on to graduate from the Simmons Secretarial College in Boston, MA. She moved here from Yarmouth Port, Cape Cod, MA. Joan is survived by her loving husband, Jack Koehler of Ocala, FL; children, James, Douglas and Amy; step-children, Diantha and Chrysantha. A graveside service will be held on Wednesday, April 4, 2012 at 11:30 a.m. at the Pine Forest Cemetery, Mount Dora, FL. Memorial contributions in her memory may be made to First Christian Church (Disciples Of Christ), 1908 Fort King St., Ocala, FL 34471 or Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).  
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**WOLF, SHERRY KATE EDRINGTON**

Ocala, FL - Sherry Kate Edrington Wolf, 45, passed into her Lord Jesus' presence on Saturday, March 31, 2012 at her home in Ocala surrounded by her family. Sherry was born on October 7th, 1966 in Ocala, Florida. She attended St. John Lutheran School, Forest High School and graduated from the University of South Florida as a Speech Therapist. Sherry's greatest legacy is being a disciple and lover of God, who both created then saved her life and secondly a lover of others. Sherry's love for her Lord Jesus Christ, her husband John and her daughter Madeline was her life's passion. Sherry demonstrated her love for her Lord Jesus by sharing the Good News of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to anyone who would listen to the story. After her extensive radiation treatments, she used her lack of hair to engage in conversations with people she would meet. She leaves behind a legacy of praying for and caring for others which she recounted in her extensive written prayer journals. One of her greatest joys in life was her relationship with her daughter Madeline that began when she first saw Madeline the moment after her birth. In the intervening years their relationship deepened and became more abiding, genuine and meaningful for both of them. Her favorite worldly interests were triathlons and personal fitness. Her special message to anyone she met, "be fit, be joyful, and love the Lord your God." She is survived by her husband John Henry Wolf of Ocala; daughter Madeline Kate Seiberlich of Ocala; mother Brenda (Jim) Humphries of Ocala; father William Bard (Rhonda) Edrington IV of Nashville, TN; sisters Nina Edrington Stokes and Becky Edrington Curcio both of Ocala; brothers William Bard Edrington V of Albuquerque, NM, and Randle Cole Edrington Franklin, TN; step-children Cortney Sikking, Chris Wolf, and Tammy Leiner all of Ocala; grandmothers Ella Kate Willingham and Nancy Snow Edrington both of Ocala; grandchildren Noah Blake, Luke Sikking, and Mandy Paziienza; and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. Rest in peace our dearly beloved Sherry. Our hearts cry only selfishly because we miss your presence in our lives. She was a pillar of strength and inspiration for all who knew her. A celebration of life service will be held at 6 PM on Tuesday, April 3, 2012 at the First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Road Ocala, Florida 34471, with Dr. Mickey Graves officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions

can be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478 or The Salvation Army, PO Box 3628, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - Ocala Chapel.

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints." - Psalm 116:15  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 4, 2012**

#### **BODEN, JOAN RUTH, 82**

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#### **DELUCA, CHRISTINE J., 102**

Mahwah, NJ - Christine J. DeLuca of Mahwah, NJ passed away March 6, 2012 at the young age of 102. Christine resided in Orlando, FL from 1950-1987 then moved to Satellite Beach, FL until 2003. She then moved north to Mahwah, NJ to be close to her family. She is preceded in death by her husband Frank A. DeLuca, and she was the mother of three children: Frances DeLuca Derlinga of Mahwah, NJ, Frank J. DeLuca of Ocala, FL, and Christine DeLuca Koye who also preceded her. She was the loving grandmother to Marlene Richards, Thomas and Timothy Derlinga, Carlene Maimone, Frank P. DeLuca (Ocala, FL) and Deanne Denney (Ocala, FL and Colorado Springs, CO). She was also the beloved great-grandmother (GeeGee) to 12 great-grandchildren. There will be a memorial service on June 2nd at Immaculate Conception Church in Mahwah, NJ followed by a celebration of her wonderful life. Interment will be at Maryrest

Cemetery, also in Mahwah, NJ.

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**DITTO III, FRANK "WESLEY"**

Ocala - Frank "Wesley" Ditto, III, passed away on March 31, 2012, after an extending illness. Wes was born on November 26, 1951, in Ocala, FL to Louise Modlin Ditto and Frank "Sport" Ditto. He graduated from Ocala High School in 1970 and began working as a certified boat mechanic. Wes's passion was boating and waterskiing. On weekends, Wes could usually be found at Lake Weir and was always concerned with Lake Weir's preservation. He enjoyed tending to the yard and his hibiscus and camellia flowers. Wes is survived by his wife of 32 years, Mary Ditto; his daughter, Andrea, and his cousin Laura Lee Skipper as well as nieces and nephews. Contributions in his name can be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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**GORDON, JUNE ANN STUMPF**

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**McALLISTER, MARGARET ANN, 64**

Ocala - Margaret Ann (Johnson) McAllister of Cambridge, Massachusetts, formerly of Ocala, FL, passed away suddenly, Tuesday, March 27, 2012, at Mt. Auburn Hospital. Margaret was born April 13, 1947. She married her husband George, April 13, 1968 in Ocala. They moved to New Jersey in 1969 and resided there until 1979 before moving to Salem, MA, and finally to Cambridge in 1985. She had a B.A. in English from Florida A&M University, and a MLS from Rutgers University. She was a sister of Zeta Phi Beta, Sorority, Inc. Margaret was currently employed at Allergy Buyer's Club. She had previously worked at Baker & Taylor Co. in New Jersey, Arthur D. Little in Cambridge, and the Share Group in Somerville. She leaves her husband George J. McAllister of Cambridge; her son George J. McAllister II, and his wife Anna of Ocala, FL, and her daughter Valery D. (McAllister) Lawton, and her husband Keith of Chipley, FL; her grandchildren Ayana and Zion of Ocala; Alexander and Andrew of Chipley; her sister Zolena Bratton and her husband Melvin of Miami, FL; her niece Patrice, and nephew Torrence; and her special friends Jennifer Paige, of Chicago, Elliott McClinton, of Somerville, and Benita Johnson of Orlando, and many other dear relatives, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. She leaves a special aunt, Ethel Yon, of Ocala, FL. She was the daughter of the late Simon and Roberta Johnson. In lieu of flowers, you may also make a donation to the Lupus Foundation of America, Inc., 1-888-385-8787. Funeral services will be held 10 a.m., Friday, April 6, 2012, at Greater Hopewell Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, FL 34475-6146. Visiting hours will be held Thursday, April 5, from 6-8 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th St., Ocala, FL 34475, 352-351-0566.

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**McMULLEN, STEVEN TODD, 42**

Ocala - Todd McMullen of Ocala, FL passed away on Saturday, March 31st, 2012. He was 42. He was born in Starke, Florida. He grew up with his parents William Eli and Ruby Carolyn McMullen and his brother Billy McMullen in Vero Beach, FL. He attended the University of Florida where he earned his Master's degree in Accounting. While attending college he met the love of his life and his wife of over 20 years Angela Arnold McMullen. After graduating from UF, Todd and Angela moved to Ocala. Todd was an active member in the community especially with youth sports. Todd was a partner at Purvis, Gray & Co. in Ocala. He worked there for 21 years. Todd was a great husband and father, and brother. His greatest joy in life was being with his family. He loved coaching his sons Kirby and Hunter and their little league baseball teams. He loved to travel with his wife Angela to all of their games and tournaments. Todd is survived by his wife Angela and their sons Kirby and Hunter; their beloved dogs Diamond and Charlie; brother Billy McMullen (Liane); in-laws Richard and Sheila Arnold; brothers-in-law Phillip Arnold, David Arnold, John Arnold (Erin); sister-in-law Ashley Dorman (Brent); nieces Taylor and Peyton Dorman; nephew Eli McMullen; and grandmother-in-law Alma Peck. Todd was preceded in death by his parents William Eli and Ruby Carolyn McMullen. Todd will be greatly missed. Funeral services will be held at 1 PM Thursday, April 5, 2012, at First Baptist Church,

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death by his first wife, Margaret, and son, Joseph. Ken is survived by his loving wife, Lois Post; sons, Kenneth E. Jr. (Caroline) of Alaska, William R. (Kerri) of Morriston and Peter P. (Theresa) of Davie and daughter Mary E. Rowell (Charles) of Ocala; 8 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren. A visitation will be held on Saturday, April 7, 2012, at the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala from 12:00 to 1:00 p.m. at which time the funeral service will be held. Committal services will be held at a later date at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, with full military honors. Memorial contributions may be given to Shriners Hospitals for Children, Office of Development, 2900 Rocky Point Drive, Tampa, FL 33607 or Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Condolences may be expressed to [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **RANDALL-KOEHLER, JOAN E., 74**

Ocala - Joan E. "Pete" Randall-Koehler, 74, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Saturday, March 31, 2012, at home under the loving care of her family and friends. She was born in Providence, RI, on July 12, 1937, and was the daughter of the late Charles and Marjorie (Doughinee) Randall. She grew up in Yarmouth, Cape Cod, MA, and graduated from Dennis-Yarmouth High School as Valedictorian of her class of 1955. Joan then went on to graduate from the Simmons Secretarial College in Boston, MA. She moved here from Yarmouth Port, Cape Cod, MA. Joan is survived by her loving husband, Jack Koehler of Ocala, FL; children, James, Douglas and Amy; step-children, Diantha and Chrysantha. A graveside service will be held on Wednesday, April 4, 2012 at 11:30 a.m. at the Pine Forest Cemetery, Mount Dora, FL. Memorial contributions in her memory may be made to First Christian Church (Disciples Of Christ), 1908 Fort King St., Ocala, FL 34471 or Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 5, 2012**

#### **DELUCA, CHRISTINE J., 102**

Mahwah, NJ - Christine J. DeLuca of Mahwah, NJ passed away March 6, 2012 at the young age of 102. Christine resided in Orlando, FL from 1950-1987 then moved to Satellite Beach, FL until 2003. She then moved north to Mahwah, NJ to be close to her family. She is preceded in death by her husband Frank A. DeLuca, and she was the mother of three children: Frances DeLuca Derlinga of Mahwah, NJ, Frank J. DeLuca of Ocala, FL, and Christine Deluca Koye who also preceded her. She was the loving grandmother to Marlene Richards, Thomas and Timothy Derlinga, Carlene Maimone, Frank P. DeLuca (Ocala, FL) and Deanne Denney (Ocala, FL and Colorado Springs, CO). She was also the beloved great-grandmother (GeeGee) to 12 great-grandchildren. There will be a memorial service on June 2nd at Immaculate Conception Church in Mahwah, NJ followed by a celebration of her wonderful life. Interment will be at Maryrest Cemetery, also in Mahwah, NJ.

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#### **DITTO III, FRANK "WESLEY"**



Ocala - Frank "Wesley" Ditto, III, passed away on March 31, 2012, after an extending illness. Wes was born on November 26, 1951, in Ocala, FL to Louise Modlin Ditto and Frank "Sport" Ditto. He graduated from Ocala High School in 1970 and began working as a certified boat mechanic. Wes's passion was boating and waterskiing. On weekends, Wes could usually be found at Lake Weir and was always concerned with Lake Weir's preservation. He enjoyed tending to the yard and his hibiscus and camellia flowers. Wes is survived by his wife of 32 years, Mary Ditto; his daughter, Andrea, and his cousin Laura Lee Skipper as well as nieces and nephews. Contributions in his name can be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 4 to April 5, 2012

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Concord, NH. A private family service will be held in her hometown of St. Stephen, New Brunswick, Canada. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to the Humane Society of Marion County, P.O. Box 1542, Ocala, FL 34478. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 5 to April 6, 2012

**JOHNSON, JR., EARL**

Ocala - Born August 13, 1936, Earl Johnson, Jr. crossed over to eternal rest on March 31, 2012. He was educated in the Decatur Alabama Public System. He leaves to cherish his memories, a loving wife Dorothy Johnson, 10 children, Lamar Johnson, Deloris Fowler, Lorenzo Johnson, Cheryl Johnson, Window Johnson, Allen Johnson, Angela Williams, Betty Moore, Gloria Moore, Sheila Moore, 13 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. A Celebration of life will be held for Mr. Johnson will be held 11 a.m. on Sat., April 7th at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, 612 NW 4th Terrace, Ocala. Visitation held 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. at Tony Tanner Funeral Services located at 127 NW 20th St., Ocala, FL 34475.

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**McALLISTER, MARGARET ANN, 64**

Ocala - Margaret Ann (Johnson) McAllister of Cambridge, Massachusetts, formerly of Ocala, FL, passed away suddenly, Tuesday, March 27, 2012, at Mt. Auburn Hospital. Margaret was born April 13, 1947. She married her husband George, April 13, 1968 in Ocala. They moved to New Jersey in 1969 and resided there until 1979 before moving to Salem, MA, and finally to Cambridge in 1985. She had a B.A. in English from Florida A&M University, and a MLS from Rutgers University. She was a sister of Zeta Phi Beta, Sorority, Inc. Margaret was currently employed at Allergy Buyer's Club. She had previously worked at Baker & Taylor Co. in New Jersey, Arthur D. Little in Cambridge, and the Share Group in Somerville. She leaves her husband George J. McAllister of Cambridge; her son George J. McAllister II, and his wife Anna of Ocala, FL, and her daughter Valery D. (McAllister) Lawton, and her husband Keith of Chipley, FL; her grandchildren Ayana and Zion of Ocala; Alexander and Andrew of Chipley; her sister Zolena Bratton and her husband Melvin of Miami, FL; her niece Patrice, and nephew Torrence; and her special friends Jennifer Paige, of Chicago, Elliott McClinton, of Somerville, and Benita Johnson of Orlando, and many other dear relatives, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. She leaves a special aunt, Ethel Yon, of Ocala, FL. She was the daughter of the late Simon and Roberta Johnson. In lieu of flowers, you may also make a donation to the Lupus Foundation of America, Inc., 1-888-385-8787. Funeral services will be held 10 a.m., Friday, April 6, 2012, at Greater Hopewell Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, FL 34475-6146. Visiting hours will be held Thursday, April 5, from 6-8 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th St., Ocala, FL 34475, 352-351-0566.

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### **HAWTHORNE, MARGARET S., 85**

Ocala - Margaret S. Hawthorne, 85, of Ocala, died Monday, April 2, 2012, at Life Care Center of Ocala. She was born June 29, 1926, in St. Stephen, New Brunswick, Canada, and moved to Ocala in 1978 from Agawam, MA. Mrs. Hawthorne was a bookkeeper/homemaker and a member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Ocala. Her passions were shopping, gardening, and spending time with her pets. Mrs. Hawthorne was also a strong supporter of Brothers Keeper in Ocala. She is survived by her son, Brian Hawthorne, of Las Vegas, NV; daughter and son-in-law, Peggy and Jim Levesque of Hooksett, NH; and one granddaughter, Meghan O'Flynn of Concord, NH. A private family service will be held in her hometown of St. Stephen, New Brunswick, Canada. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to the Humane Society of Marion County, P.O. Box 1542, Ocala, FL 34478. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 5 to April 6, 2012

### **JOHNSON, JR., EARL**

Ocala - Born August 13, 1936, Earl Johnson, Jr. crossed over to eternal rest on March 31, 2012. He was educated in the Decatur Alabama Public System. He leaves to cherish his memories, a loving wife Dorothy Johnson, 10 children, Lamar Johnson, Deloris Fowler, Lorenzo Johnson, Cheryl Johnson, Window Johnson, Allen Johnson, Angela Williams, Betty Moore, Gloria Moore, Sheila Moore, 13 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. A Celebration of life will be held for Mr. Johnson will be held 11 a.m. on Sat., April 7th at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, 612 NW 4th Terrace, Ocala. Visitation held 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. at Tony Tanner Funeral Services located at 127 NW 20th St., Ocala, FL 34475.

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### **MARINO, ANNA, 92**

Ocala - Anna Marino, 92, of Ocala, died Tuesday, April 3, 2012, in St. Petersburg. She was married to the love of her life, George, for 62 years. She is survived by a loving family, including her daughters, Irene and Beth and her husband, T.K.; her granddaughter, Caryn and her husband, Michael. Anna was a volunteer for Munroe Regional Hospital for many years in the gift shop. She always had a smile on her face. She will never be forgotten. The family would be grateful for your donation to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and Suncoast Hospice Foundation.

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**RAINEY, JAMES, 66**

Ocala - James Rainey, 66, a truck driver, passed away March 29, 2012. He was a former resident of Miami, FL, and moved to Ocala 11 years ago. He is survived by his significant other, Patricia High Rainey of Ocala; mother, Mary Rainey Steadman of Miami; children, Carl, Youlanda, Calvin, Cynthia, and Bonnie Wilford; siblings, Jefferey, Artistine, Charles, Debra, Michael and Randolph Steadman; 10 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren. The service of remembrance will be held on April 7, 2012 at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church at 1:00 p.m. Visitation will be one hour prior to services. All flower arrangements may be delivered to the funeral home on Friday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Online condolences at [www.carnegiefuneralhome.com](http://www.carnegiefuneralhome.com). Professional services are under the care of Carnegie Funeral Home, 217 SE 4th Ave., Chiefland, FL 32644. 352-493-1857.

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**RAMSEY, GERALD LEE, 81**

Fort Mohave, AZ - Mr. Ramsey passed away on March 28, 2012, in Fort Mohave, AZ. He was born in Siglerville, PA. He moved to Pompano Beach, FL, with his family in 1971. He relocated to Ocala in 1981 where he lived until 2005. He and his wife retired to Fort Mohave, AZ, in 2005. He served his country during the Korean War. He was a member of the American Legion Post #0087. He was a life member of Tanana Lodge No. 3 F&AM of Fairbanks, AK. He was a member of the Ocala Shrine Club and the Scottish Rite. Mr. Ramsey is survived by his wife, Bernice, of Fort Mohave, AZ. He is also survived by sons, Gordon Ramsey (Nicole) of Ocala, FL and Edward Ramsey (Angie) of Ocala, FL.; a sister, Phyllis Kinzer (Donald) of McAlisterville, Pa survives. Grandchildren, Regan, Paige and Ethan also survive. Mr. Ramsey will be buried in Desert Lawn Cemetery, Mohave Valley, Arizona. Arrangements are by Desert Lawn Funeral Home and Crematory, Mohave Valley, Arizona.

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**WHITE, JR., WILLIE, 52**

Ocala - Mr. Willie White, Jr., 52, passed away at Tuscan House Hospice, Summerfield, FL on March 28, 2012. He is survived by one brother, eight sisters, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services for Mr. White will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 5, 2012 at the Temple of Grace Missionary Baptist Church, 1865 NW 42nd St., Ocala, FL, Pastor Ferdinand C. Graham; Pastor Erick Bethea, Eulogist. Interment will be at Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, FL on Friday, April 6, 2012. Brown Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Services, LLC, 706 SW Martin Luther King Ave., Ocala, FL 34471 is in charge of services.

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**WHITSTON, DAVID AUSTIN, 83**

Ocala - David Austin Whitston, went home to be with the Lord peacefully on April 3, 2012, at Sylvia's Hospice House surrounded by family and friends. David was born in Haines City, FL, on August 10, 1928, to the late Adam Whitston and Virginia Millar. David graduated from the University of Florida. David served our country in the United States Army during the Korean War. David retired from the Army Reserve as a colonel. David met his wife, Georgia Sparrow, in

Baltimore, MD, and was married on November 9, 1952. David worked for Florida Power Corporation for 41 years after which he started his own electrical engineering company. In 1996, Governor Lawton Chiles appointed him to the Florida Board of Professional Engineers where he served with distinction until 2004. Mr. Whitston is survived by his loving wife of 59 years, Georgia; sons, Bruce (Heather) and Lee (Kristen) of Ocala and daughter, Beth Respass (Jim) of Brunswick, GA; grandchildren, Christopher Windsor, Joshua, Adam, Matthew and Katherine Whitston, and Denise and Maggie Blauser. He is preceded in death by his daughter, Glenda Windsor. David was an active member of the First United Methodist Church. David loved fishing, vacationing and spending time with his family. David touched the lives of many people with his smile, generosity and trademark sense of humor, which he maintained to the end. A visitation will be held on Thursday, April 5th, from 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church, 1126 East Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470 followed by a memorial service at 11:00 a.m. and interment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Roberts Funeral Home is handling the arrangements.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 7, 2012**

#### **DELUCA, CHRISTINE J., 102**

Mahwah, NJ - Christine J. DeLuca of Mahwah, NJ passed away March 6, 2012 at the young age of 102. Christine resided in Orlando, FL from 1950-1987 then moved to Satellite Beach, FL until 2003. She then moved north to Mahwah, NJ to be close to her family. She is preceded in death by her husband Frank A. DeLuca, and she was the mother of three children: Frances DeLuca Derlinga of Mahwah, NJ, Frank J. DeLuca of Ocala, FL, and Christine Deluca Koye who also preceded her. She was the loving grandmother to Marlene Richards, Thomas and Timothy Derlinga, Carlene Maimone, Frank P. DeLuca (Ocala, FL) and Deanne Denney (Ocala, FL and Colorado Springs, CO). She was also the beloved great-grandmother (GeeGee) to 12 great-grandchildren. There will be a memorial service on June 2nd at Immaculate Conception Church in Mahwah, NJ followed by a celebration of her wonderful life. Interment will be at Maryrest Cemetery, also in Mahwah, NJ.

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#### **FLINT, GENE W., 70**

Ocala - Gene W. Flint, 70, of Ocala passed away on March 29, 2012, at his home surrounded by his loving family. He was born on January 31, 1942, in Braintree, VT, to Stanley and Laurie (LeCoursere) Flint. He was the husband of Carrie (Montgomery) Flint. The couple shared together in marriage for 43 years. Gene was an aluminum contractor for many years in the Ocala area. He was a member of the Agape Baptist Church where he served as a deacon. He will be missed by all who knew him. A celebration of life service is scheduled for Saturday, April 7, 2012, at 2 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home in Ocala, FL. Pastor Michael Hackathorn of the Agape Baptist Church will conduct the services. The family will receive friends from 1 p.m. until the start of the funeral service. Gene is survived by two sons: Victor and Kevin of Ocala; a daughter, Kristie (Flint) Smith of Newman, GA; five grandchildren, Coty, Devon, Carly, Eric and Ishelle. Also surviving are three brothers, Allen, Stan, and Terry, as well as three sisters, Delia, Donna, and Lois. Gene was preceded in death by his parents and three brothers, Gilbert, Donald, and Paul. The family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Agape Baptist



Church. The family asks that all those who attend please dress casually in honor of Gene.  
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**GLISSON II, JAMES MILTON, 45**

Ocala - James Milton Glisson II, 45, of Ocala, passed away at his residence on April 5, 2012. James was born in Ocala on September 17, 1966, to Jimmie and Mary (Caruthers) Glisson. He was an Eagle Scout and former state vice-president in the FFA. He was a member of Alpha Gamma Rho fraternity and achieved his Master's Degree at the University of Florida. He served in Tanzania in the Peace Corps. For 15 years he lived in England and worked for Oxfam. He was preceded in death by his parents, Jimmie and Mary Glisson. Survivors include his sister, Julie Tankersley (Jake); brother, Tim Glisson (Sara); nephew, Danny Tankersley; and niece, Gracie Glisson, all of Ocala. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East.

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**NICHOLS, JR., MERLE J., 75**

Dunnellon - Merle J Nichols Jr., 75, of Dunnellon, beloved husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather was called home to the Lord on April 5, 2012, surrounded by his loving family. A celebration service will be held at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, April 10, 2012, at Morriston Baptist Church, Morriston, FL. Merle was born Dec. 30, 1936, to Merle and Lillian Nichols in Kalamazoo, MI. He met the love of his life, Cynthia M. Waters, at the bus terminal in Baltimore, MD. They were married Dec. 15, 1956 and celebrated 55 years of happiness and blessings. Merle proudly served his country in the US Navy for four years and the in the United States Air Force for 23 years. He then went to work for Broward County Sheriff's Dept. as part of the DUI task force for nine years. They lived in Ft. Lauderdale and later moved to Dunnellon. Merle was an avid fisherman and loved his farm. He is survived by his beloved wife, Cynthia; three daughters, Pamela, Tamara, and Penny; son, Michael; 10 grandchildren, Matthew, Rusty, Jamie, Erin, Kelly, Jessica, Courtney, Joshua, Haley, Beth and 10 great-grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to [www.havenhospice.org](http://www.havenhospice.org) or to Morriston Baptist Church Building Fund at 20291 SE 33rd St, Morriston, FL 32668. Details and guestbook at [www.VeteransFuneralCare.com](http://www.VeteransFuneralCare.com).

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**DOYLE, MARGARET THERESA, 87**

Ocala - Margaret Theresa Doyle, age 87, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, April 3, 2012, at home with Odyssey Hospice. She was born in Calumet City, IL, on October 6, 1924. Mrs. Doyle was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. She loved music, laughter and her children. She was the former owner/operator of the Burger Chef restaurants in Ocala for 20 years. Mrs. Doyle moved to Ocala from Lafayette, IN, in 1968. Her favorite things in life were visits from family, children, napping with the television on, attending church and working the Micanopy and McIntosh festivals. She is survived by her five sons: Grant (Mary) Doyle, Bob (Anne) Doyle, Billy (Linda) Doyle, Tom Doyle and David Doyle; two daughters: Debbie (Ed) Lattin and Janine (Tim) Bloom; sister, Faye Anco; brother, Anthony Abate; 16 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Eston Doyle. A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL, on Thursday, April 12, 2012, from 6 to 8 p.m. A funeral Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 Southeast 17th St., Ocala, FL, on Friday, April 13, 2012, at 4 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Brothers Keeper, (Soup Kitchen), 2 SW Fort King St, Ocala, FL 34474 or Odyssey Hospice, 1320 SE 25th Loop, Suite #101, Ocala, FL 34471 in memory of Margaret Theresa Doyle.

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**EDMONDS, WESLEY THOMAS, JR.**

Mr. Wesley Thomas Edmonds Jr., 77, of Silver Springs, passed away on Thursday, April 5, 2012. Wesley was born in Ossining, NY on October 10, 1934 to parents, Wesley Thomas Edmonds Sr. and Ercell (Evans) Edmonds. He was an engineer for Sikorsky Aircraft in Connecticut, a world leader in the design, manufacture and service of military and commercial helicopters. In 1977, the company transferred him to Jupiter, FL, where he retired. He and his wife, Laurel, moved to Ocala in 2000. Wesley enjoyed working with wood, gardening and birding, and playing chess. He was preceded in death by Laurel in 2009. Survivors include his sister, Doris Fitzpatrick of Ocala; son, Keith Edmonds and wife, Lisa, of Connecticut; daughter, Wendy Green of Ocala; grandson, Justin Green of Ocala; and granddaughter, Heather Green of Orlando. The family will receive friends on Wednesday, April 11th from 2 to 3 PM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, followed immediately by graveside services at 3:30 PM at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East. 352-732-9944.

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**FARR, LARRY JAMES, 68**

Ocala - Larry James Farr, 68, of Ocala, Fla. passed away suddenly on April 4, 2012. Larry was born on March 21, 1944, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, son of Dorothy (Berger) and James Farr. After the loss of his mother in 1959, he resided with his grandparents, Fred and Lavana Berger of Bemidji, Minn. until he entered the U.S. Army in 1961. He proudly served in the U.S. Army for over 21 years, retiring in 1982. His career included tours in Germany, Alaska and Vietnam, and throughout the United States, especially in Lawton, Okla. where he met his wife, Susan (Barnicoat), who also was serving in the U.S. Army. After retiring from the Army, he was a caretaker for four family members before finally settling in Fort Myers, Fla. After Larry retired from the Lee County School system in 2006, they relocated to Ocala, Fla. where he was able to enjoy golfing, was active in the Veterans Club and traveled extensively with his wife, Susan. He thoroughly loved life and lived it to the fullest. A service will be held at 11 a.m. on April 10, 2012, at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church, 5200 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, Fla. followed by a celebration of life at 12:30 p.m. at SummerGlen. The family requests that everyone attending the services wear colorful clothing rather than black to honor Larry's wishes. No flowers please.

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**HULVEY, J. NELSON, 82**

Ft. McCoy - Mr. J. Nelson Hulvey, age 82, of Ft. McCoy, Fla. passed away at his home, with his beloved wife and sister-in-law at his side, on Tuesday, April 3, 2012. Nelson was born in Broadway, Va., on June 22, 1929, to Spencer and Gladys Hulvey. Nelson was a graduate of Spring City, Pa. High School. He served his country in the U.S. Navy for four years as a radar operator on the U.S.S. Caloosahatchee and also played baseball and football for the Navy teams. After the service, he worked as a plastering contractor, which he did in both St. Petersburg and Ocala, Fla. for many years, until retiring in 1973 and moving to Ft. McCoy, Fla., where he built his home in Tobacco Patch in the Ocala National Forest. He soon became a "legend" doing what he loved best, being a "Bass Guide!" He became one of the top known bass guides in the area, fishing people from all over the country, including many members of the Juniper Club, for over twenty five years. He is survived by his loving wife of (23) years, Annie; his son, Grant (Linda) Hulvey of Arizona; grandsons, Scott (Sarah and son Brandon) and Nicky (Danielle) Hulvey, also of Arizona; son, Jay (Debbie, children Jake and Allison) Hulvey, of Ocala, Fla.; daughter, Lisa

(John, children Trish, Stephanie, John and Ashley) Tanner of Oviedo, Fla. and three great-grandchildren and step-grandchildren, Leanne (Bill, II and sons, Bill, III, Lane and Kyle) Porter and Jack (Stella and son Derrick) Schwarz. He also leaves his beloved sister-in-law, Betty and Don and his best friend, Bill Snyder. A "celebration of life memorial service" will be held at his home, 14563 N.E. 189th Lane, Ft. McCoy, Fla. 32134, on Saturday, April 14, 2012, at 10:30 a.m., with Pastor Wayne Hunter of the First Baptist Church of Silver Springs officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations may be made to "Save Rodman Reservoir", P.O. Box 2, Palatka, FL. 32178, in memory of Mr. J. Nelson Hulvey. Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 S.W. 2nd Avenue, Ocala, FL. 34471, is in charge of arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 8 to April 9, 2012

**LAVIGNE, CATHERINE CORONA, 85**

Ocala - Catherine Corona LaVigne, 85, beloved wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, passed away at her home surrounded by her loving family on Wednesday, April 4, 2012. Catherine was born to Clarence and Mary (Griffin) Gillen in Brooklyn, N.Y. on June 21, 1926. Catherine moved to Florida from Saugerties, N.Y. in 1981, and moved to Ocala from Melbourne in 1991. She was an avid reader, enjoyed crocheting, and loved gardening. She is predeceased by her son, Keith LaVigne in 2007, her sister, Mary Lou Roland in 1994 and her granddaughter Casey Gillen LaVigne in 2004. Catherine is survived by her devoted husband of 67 years, William "Bill" LaVigne; daughter, Patricia Lizzi, of Oakridge, N.J.; daughter, Kathy Matysek (husband Daniel), of Sebastian, Fla.; daughter, Judy Lazaro (husband Trinidad), of Palm Bay, Fla.; son, Chris LaVigne (wife Justine), of Red Hook, N.Y.; daughter, Mary Beth Bryden (husband Dean), of Clifton Park, N.Y.; daughter, Deborah Benjamin (husband Thomas), of Saugerties, N.Y.; son, Jeffrey LaVigne (wife Rose), of Cummings, Ga.; son, Matthew LaVigne (wife Jennifer), of Beech Mountain, N.C.; daughter, Nicole Tricozzi (husband Chris), of Toledo, Ohio; brother, Joseph Gillen, Fort Worth, Texas; 25 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren. There will be a visitation Monday, April 9, 2012, at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2ND AVE, OCALA, from 5 to 7 p.m. with a prayer service at 6 p.m. A funeral Mass will be held Tuesday, April 10, 2012, 11 a.m. at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, 4047 NE 21st St., Ocala. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. In lieu of flowers, those that wish may make donations in Catherine's name to either St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or Hospice of Marion County. A special thank you to the remarkable staff of the Hospice of Marion County for the compassion, comfort, and tender care they provided to our beloved mother. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: [www.Robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.Robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**NOWICKI, BERNARD JOSEPH, 82**

Ocala - Bernard Joseph Nowicki of Ocala, FL, passed away on Friday, March 30, 2012. He moved from East Detroit, MI, to Ocala in 1992 after retiring from Padberg Linotype in Detroit, MI. Bernard was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He is survived by is wife of 59 years, Lillian; his daughter, Dianne (Dan) Anderson and grandson, Daniel B. Anderson, all of Ocala. A memorial service will be held on April 11, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. in the chapel at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in Bernard's name to: Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474.

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**OAKES, DENISE, 47**

Ocala - Ms Denise Oakes, 47, passed away on March 28, 2012, in Ocala, FL. She was born in Springfield, MA, on July 6, 1964. She was a health caregiver. She moved to this area in 2009 from North Carolina. Denise is predeceased by her sister, Lisa Allan. She is survived by her mother, Sandra Wood and husband, Woody of Ocala, FL; two sons, Darrell Lawson Jr. of Hudson, FL and James Lawson and wife Candice of Spring Hill, FL; one sister, Teresa Tredway and husband, Randy of Largo, FL and eight grandchildren. A memorial service will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR# 200 in Ocala, FL (352) 854-2266 on Wednesday, April 11, at noon. To leave condolences go to ([www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)). All of her family loves her and will dearly miss her.

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**SMITH, ANNA MARIE, 90**

Ocala - Anna Marie Smith, 90, died on April 5, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala. She was born August 9, 2012 in Hempstead, NY to Henry and Anna Hageueau Rulffes. She moved to the Ocala area from Long Island, NY in 1969. She was of the Lutheran faith. Anna loved her dogs, knitting, and doing crossword puzzles. She is survived by five sons, Rick, Charles "Chicky", Wayne, Jeff, and John Smith; daughter, Alanna Moore; grandchildren, Paul, Charles III, Alicia, Scott Jr., Jake, Ashley, Austin, Corey, Breanna, Lacy, Tucker; great-grandchildren, Skylar, Christian, Jacob, Lilly, Trinity, and Calista. She was preceded in death by her husband Charles Newton Smith, sons Scott and David, and grandson Jason. Visitation will be Friday, April 13, 2012 from 5:00 - 6:30 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Ocala Chapel, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala with service at 6:30 PM. Tributes may be made at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) .

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**SWANSON, VIVIEN LUISA, 70**

Ocala - Vivien Luisa Swanson was granted her angel wings on March 29, 2012 at the age of 70. Her final days were spent surrounded in love by family and friends. A memorial service is planned for Monday, April 9, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala, Florida. Vivien is survived by her husband Glenn Swanson, her three children Elizabeth Griffin, Laura Jones, and Edward Swanson, Laura's husband Kevin Jones, Edward's newlywed wife Amy, and five grandchildren: Allison Kuhn, Victoria Kuhn, Kaitie Jones, Seth Jones, and Lilly Zon. Vivien also has many aunts, uncles, nephews, nieces, cousins, and friends, living here and in Cuba, that love and will miss her greatly. Vivien was born on October 10, 1941 in Havana, Cuba. She came to the United States at the age of 21 with her mother, Juana Perez, and father, Fernando Rams, both since deceased. Vivien completed law school in Cuba before coming to the United States where she went back to college and earned an Accounting Degree from the University of South Florida. It was there that she met and fell in love with her husband of 46 years, Glenn Swanson. She also ran many successful accounting and tax offices with the last being ZS Accounting and Tax Services for 11 years. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Friends of the Ocala Public Library in her name. Checks can be mailed to 2720 East Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470.

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#### **THOMAS, MARY ELIZABETH**

Peacefully, on April 2, 2012, age 91, went home to be with her Lord. Beloved daughter of the late Esther Templon Thomas and Evan Thomas; dear sister of the late James Evan Thomas, Sr.; treasured aunt of Beverly T. Fletcher (Paul), David W. Thomas and Jennifer Thomas (the late Evan Thomas, Jr.) and the late Annette Locke; treasured great-aunt of eight and an adoring great-great-aunt of many, all of Ocala, FL. A Memorial Service to be announced later. Interment at St. George Cemetery. In lieu, of flowers memorials to the Alzheimer's Association are suggested. Ball Funeral Chapel, Inc., 412-343-1506 or [www.ballfc.com](http://www.ballfc.com)

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#### **WILEMON, M.L. "BILL"**

Ocala - M.L. "Bill" Wilemon passed away on April 5, 2012. Mr. Wilemon was born October 15, 1927 to James Otis and Lillian Holcomb Wilemon in Walnut Grove, AL. He was of the Baptist faith and moved from Altoona, AL to Ocala in 1956. He was a manager at Certified Grocers of Florida for 22 years. He is survived by his wife, Veralene Wilemon; children, Roger (Sherry) Wilemon, Diane (Larry) Mott, Gary (Winona) Wilemon, Greg (Rita) Wilemon; brothers, Kenneth Wilemon and Steve Wilemon of Alabama; grandchildren, Shayne, Travis, Darren, Michael, Lana; four great-grandchildren. A Service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala on Monday, April 9, 2012 at 2:00 PM with Pastor Joe LaCognata officiating. A visitation will be held one hour prior to the service. Interment will be in the Anthony Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, 7077 Bonneval Road, Suite 610, Jacksonville, FL 32216 and ALS Association, 3242 Parkside Center Circle, Tampa, FL 33619. Tributes may be placed on [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) .

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**DELUCA, CHRISTINE J., 102**

Mahwah, NJ - Christine J. DeLuca of Mahwah, NJ passed away March 6, 2012 at the young age of 102. Christine resided in Orlando, FL from 1950-1987 then moved to Satellite Beach, FL until 2003. She then moved north to Mahwah, NJ to be close to her family. She is preceded in death by her husband Frank A. DeLuca, and she was the mother of three children: Frances DeLuca Derlinga of Mahwah, NJ, Frank J. DeLuca of Ocala, FL, and Christine Deluca Koye who also preceded her. She was the loving grandmother to Marlene Richards, Thomas and Timothy Derlinga, Carlene Maimone, Frank P. DeLuca (Ocala, FL) and Deanne Denney (Ocala, FL and Colorado Springs, CO). She was also the beloved great-grandmother (GeeGee) to 12 great-grandchildren. There will be a memorial service on June 2nd at Immaculate Conception Church in Mahwah, NJ followed by a celebration of her wonderful life. Interment will be at Maryrest Cemetery, also in Mahwah, NJ.

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**DOYLE, MARGARET THERESA, 87**

Ocala - Margaret Theresa Doyle, age 87, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, April 3, 2012, at home with Odyssey Hospice. She was born in Calumet City, IL, on October 6, 1924. Mrs. Doyle was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. She loved music, laughter and her children. She was the former owner/operator of the Burger Chef restaurants in Ocala for 20 years. Mrs. Doyle moved to Ocala from Lafayette, IN, in 1968. Her favorite things in life were visits from family, children, napping with the television on, attending church and working the Micanopy and McIntosh festivals. She is survived by her five sons: Grant (Mary) Doyle, Bob (Anne) Doyle, Billy (Linda) Doyle, Tom Doyle and David Doyle; two daughters: Debbie (Ed) Lattin and Janine (Tim) Bloom; sister, Faye Anco; brother, Anthony Abate; 16 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Eston Doyle. A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL, on Thursday, April 12, 2012, from 6 to 8 p.m. A funeral Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 Southeast 17th St., Ocala, FL, on Friday, April 13, 2012, at 4 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Brothers Keeper, (Soup Kitchen), 2 SW Fort King St, Ocala, FL 34474 or Odyssey Hospice, 1320 SE 25th Loop, Suite #101, Ocala, FL 34471 in memory of Margaret Theresa Doyle.

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**EDMONDS, WESLEY THOMAS, JR.**

Mr. Wesley Thomas Edmonds Jr., 77, of Silver Springs, passed away on Thursday, April 5, 2012. Wesley was born in Ossining, NY on October 10, 1934 to parents, Wesley Thomas Edmonds Sr. and Ercell (Evans) Edmonds. He was an engineer for Sikorsky Aircraft in Connecticut, a world leader in the design, manufacture and service of military and commercial helicopters. In 1977, the company transferred him to Jupiter, FL, where he retired. He and his wife, Laurel, moved to Ocala in 2000. Wesley enjoyed working with wood, gardening and birding, and playing chess. He was preceded in death by Laurel in 2009. Survivors include his sister, Doris Fitzpatrick of Ocala; son, Keith Edmonds and wife, Lisa, of Connecticut; daughter, Wendy Green of Ocala; grandson, Justin Green of Ocala; and granddaughter, Heather Green of Orlando. The family will receive friends on Wednesday, April 11th from 2 to 3 PM at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, followed immediately by graveside services at 3:30 PM at Highland Memorial Park Cemetery. Arrangements are under the care of

Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East. 352-732-9944.  
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**FARR, LARRY JAMES, 68**

Ocala - Larry James Farr, 68, of Ocala, Fla. passed away suddenly on April 4, 2012. Larry was born on March 21, 1944, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, son of Dorothy (Berger) and James Farr. After the loss of his mother in 1959, he resided with his grandparents, Fred and Lavana Berger of Bemidji, Minn. until he entered the U.S. Army in 1961. He proudly served in the U.S. Army for over 21 years, retiring in 1982. His career included tours in Germany, Alaska and Vietnam, and throughout the United States, especially in Lawton, Okla. where he met his wife, Susan (Barnicoat), who also was serving in the U.S. Army. After retiring from the Army, he was a caretaker for four family members before finally settling in Fort Myers, Fla. After Larry retired from the Lee County School system in 2006, they relocated to Ocala, Fla. where he was able to enjoy golfing, was active in the Veterans Club and traveled extensively with his wife, Susan. He thoroughly loved life and lived it to the fullest. A service will be held at 11 a.m. on April 10, 2012, at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church, 5200 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, Fla. followed by a celebration of life at 12:30 p.m. at SummerGlen. The family requests that everyone attending the services wear colorful clothing rather than black to honor Larry's wishes. No flowers please.

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**HULVEY, J. NELSON, 82**

Ft. McCoy - Mr. J. Nelson Hulvey, age 82, of Ft. McCoy, Fla. passed away at his home, with his beloved wife and sister-in-law at his side, on Tuesday, April 3, 2012. Nelson was born in Broadway, Va., on June 22, 1929, to Spencer and Gladys Hulvey. Nelson was a graduate of Spring City, Pa. High School. He served his country in the U.S. Navy for four years as a radar operator on the U.S.S. Caloosahatchee and also played baseball and football for the Navy teams. After the service, he worked as a plastering contractor, which he did in both St. Petersburg and Ocala, Fla. for many years, until retiring in 1973 and moving to Ft. McCoy, Fla., where he built his home in Tobacco Patch in the Ocala National Forest. He soon became a "legend" doing what he loved best, being a "Bass Guide!" He became one of the top known bass guides in the area, fishing people from all over the country, including many members of the Juniper Club, for over twenty five years. He is survived by his loving wife of (23) years, Annie; his son, Grant (Linda) Hulvey of Arizona; grandsons, Scott (Sarah and son Brandon) and Nicky (Danielle) Hulvey, also of Arizona; son, Jay (Debbie, children Jake and Allison) Hulvey, of Ocala, Fla.; daughter, Lisa (John, children Trish, Stephanie, John and Ashley) Tanner of Oviedo, Fla. and three great-grandchildren and step-grandchildren, Leanne (Bill, II and sons, Bill, III, Lane and Kyle) Porter and Jack (Stella and son Derrick) Schwarz. He also leaves his beloved sister-in-law, Betty and Don and his best friend, Bill Snyder. A "celebration of life memorial service" will be held at his home, 14563 N.E. 189th Lane, Ft. McCoy, Fla. 32134, on Saturday, April 14, 2012, at 10:30 a.m., with Pastor Wayne Hunter of the First Baptist Church of Silver Springs officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations may be made to "Save Rodman Reservoir", P.O. Box 2, Palatka, FL. 32178, in memory of Mr. J. Nelson Hulvey. Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 S.W. 2nd Avenue, Ocala, FL. 34471, is in charge of arrangements.

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**LAVIGNE, CATHERINE CORONA, 85**

Ocala - Catherine Corona LaVigne, 85, beloved wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, passed away at her home surrounded by her loving family on Wednesday, April 4, 2012. Catherine was born to Clarence and Mary (Griffin) Gillen in Brooklyn, N.Y. on June 21, 1926. Catherine moved to Florida from Saugerties, N.Y. in 1981, and moved to Ocala from Melbourne in 1991. She was an avid reader, enjoyed crocheting, and loved gardening. She is predeceased by her son, Keith LaVigne in 2007, her sister, Mary Lou Roland in 1994 and her granddaughter Casey Gillen LaVigne in 2004. Catherine is survived by her devoted husband of 67 years, William "Bill" LaVigne; daughter, Patricia Lizzi, of Oakridge, N.J.; daughter, Kathy Matysek (husband Daniel), of Sebastian, Fla.; daughter, Judy Lazaro (husband Trinidad), of Palm Bay, Fla.; son, Chris LaVigne (wife Justine), of Red Hook, N.Y.; daughter, Mary Beth Bryden (husband Dean), of Clifton Park, N.Y.; daughter, Deborah Benjamin (husband Thomas), of Saugerties, N.Y.; son, Jeffrey LaVigne (wife Rose), of Cummings, Ga.; son, Matthew LaVigne (wife Jennifer), of Beech Mountain, N.C.; daughter, Nicole Tricozzi (husband Chris), of Toledo, Ohio; brother, Joseph Gillen, Fort Worth, Texas; 25 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren. There will be a visitation Monday, April 9, 2012, at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2ND AVE, OCALA, from 5 to 7 p.m. with a prayer service at 6 p.m. A funeral Mass will be held Tuesday, April 10, 2012, 11 a.m. at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, 4047 NE 21st St., Ocala. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. In lieu of flowers, those that wish may make donations in Catherine's name to either St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or Hospice of Marion County. A special thank you to the remarkable staff of the Hospice of Marion County for the compassion, comfort, and tender care they provided to our beloved mother. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: [www.Robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.Robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**NOWICKI, BERNARD JOSEPH, 82**

Ocala - Bernard Joseph Nowicki of Ocala, FL, passed away on Friday, March 30, 2012. He moved from East Detroit, MI, to Ocala in 1992 after retiring from Padberg Linotype in Detroit, MI. Bernard was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Lillian; his daughter, Dianne (Dan) Anderson and grandson, Daniel B. Anderson, all of Ocala. A memorial service will be held on April 11, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. in the chapel at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in Bernard's name to: Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474.

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**O'HANRAHAN, MICHAEL EDWARD ANTHONY, 19**

Ocala - Michael Edward Anthony O'Hanrahan, age 19, of Ocala, passed away Wednesday April 4, 2012. He was born on July 30 1992, in Dunedin, FL to Edward and Tracy O'Hanrahan both of Ocala. He was a 2010 graduate with honors from St. John's Lutheran School, where he belonged to the Prayer Force and the Anchor Sweethearts. He was currently attending USF. Michael was employed with O'Hanrahan Consultants Inc. in Marketing and Development of Chemical Products and was truly enjoying his work at the family company. He loved sports and played baseball and basketball, but most of all, his favorite was football. He played piano and guitar, and had received his pilots license at the age of 17. He will be dearly missed by his parents, a sister whom he helped deliver and name, Jessica, and a maternal grandmother Patricia Canatsey.

A visitation has been scheduled for Tuesday April 10, 2012 from 5:00pm to 7:00pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A Celebration of Life Service will be held at St. John's Lutheran Church at 1:00pm on Wednesday April 11, 2012. Entombment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Online condolences may be left at [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com). Forest Lawn Funeral Home is handling the arrangements for the O'Hanrahan family.  
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**OAKES, DENISE, 47**

Ocala - Ms Denise Oakes, 47, passed away on March 28, 2012, in Ocala, FL. She was born in Springfield, MA, on July 6, 1964. She was a health caregiver. She moved to this area in 2009 from North Carolina. Denise is predeceased by her sister, Lisa Allan. She is survived by her mother, Sandra Wood and husband, Woody of Ocala, FL; two sons, Darrell Lawson Jr. of Hudson, FL and James Lawson and wife Candice of Spring Hill, FL; one sister, Teresa Tredway and husband, Randy of Largo, FL and eight grandchildren. A memorial service will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR# 200 in Ocala, FL (352) 854-2266 on Wednesday, April 11, at noon. To leave condolences go to ([www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)). All of her family loves her and will dearly miss her.

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**SMITH, ANNA MARIE, 90**

Ocala - Anna Marie Smith, 90, died on April 5, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala. She was born August 9, 2012 in Hempstead, NY to Henry and Anna Hageueau Rulfes. She moved to the Ocala area from Long Island, NY in 1969. She was of the Lutheran faith. Anna loved her dogs, knitting, and doing crossword puzzles. She is survived by five sons, Rick, Charles "Chicky", Wayne, Jeff, and John Smith; daughter, Alanna Moore; grandchildren, Paul, Charles III, Alicia, Scott Jr., Jake, Ashley, Austin, Corey, Breanna, Lacy, Tucker; great-grandchildren, Skylar, Christian, Jacob, Lilly, Trinity, and Calista. She was preceded in death by her husband Charles Newton Smith, sons Scott and David, and grandson Jason. Visitation will be Friday, April 13, 2012 from 5:00 - 6:30 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Ocala Chapel, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala with service at 6:30 PM. Tributes may be made at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**SWANSON, VIVIEN LUISA, 70**

Ocala - Vivien Luisa Swanson was granted her angel wings on March 29, 2012 at the age of 70. Her final days were spent surrounded in love by family and friends. A memorial service is planned for Monday, April 9, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala, Florida. Vivien is survived by her husband Glenn Swanson, her three children Elizabeth Griffin, Laura Jones, and Edward Swanson, Laura's husband Kevin Jones, Edward's newlywed wife Amy, and five grandchildren: Allison Kuhn, Victoria Kuhn, Kaitie Jones, Seth Jones, and Lilly Zon. Vivien also has many aunts, uncles, nephews, nieces, cousins, and friends, living here and in Cuba, that love and will miss her greatly. Vivien was born on October 10, 1941 in Havana, Cuba. She came to the United States at the age of 21 with her mother, Juana Perez, and father, Fernando Rams, both since deceased. Vivien completed law school in Cuba before coming to the United States where she went back to college and earned an Accounting Degree from the University of South Florida. It was there that she met and fell in love with her husband of 46

years, Glenn Swanson. She also ran many successful accounting and tax offices with the last being ZS Accounting and Tax Services for 11 years. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Friends of the Ocala Public Library in her name. Checks can be mailed to 2720 East Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470.

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### **THOMAS, MARY ELIZABETH**

Peacefully, on April 2, 2012, age 91, went home to be with her Lord. Beloved daughter of the late Esther Templon Thomas and Evan Thomas; dear sister of the late James Evan Thomas, Sr.; treasured aunt of Beverly T. Fletcher (Paul), David W. Thomas and Jennifer Thomas (the late Evan Thomas, Jr.) and the late Annette Locke; treasured great-aunt of eight and an adoring great-great-aunt of many, all of Ocala, FL. A Memorial Service to be announced later. Interment at St. George Cemetery. In lieu, of flowers memorials to the Alzheimer's Association are suggested. Ball Funeral Chapel, Inc., 412-343-1506 or [www.ballfc.com](http://www.ballfc.com)

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### **TWIGG, DELPHIA VIRGINIA, 90**

Henderson, NV - Delphia Twigg nee Schooley, 90, passed away March 27, 2012, in Henderson, NV. She was formerly of Pine Run Estates, Ocala, FL. She was born June 22, 1921, in Etam, WV. On November 6, 1945 she married Elvin Twigg. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, son, a brother, and three sisters. She was a member of the Ocala, FL Salvation Army and a Life member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW, Post 4781. She is survived by a brother, Leonard Schooley, Oakland, MD; daughters, Linda (Geoff) Cotter, of Henderson, NV, and Lois (Robert) Koenig of Travelers Rest, SC. She is also survived by grandsons, Jason (Sophie) Koenig, of Bueren, Switzerland, Christian Koenig of Henderson, NV; granddaughter, Danika (Devon) Milhouse of Travelers Rest, SC; and great-grandchildren, Aria, Adaira, and Oskar. Memorial Service will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Garden on Tuesday, April 10, at 10:00 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to: Angela S. Santos, VFW Post 4781, 9401 SW

110th St. Ocala FL 34481.

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#### **BAUSHER, EDGAR W., 69**

Ocala - Edgar W. Bausher, 69, passed away in Ocala, Fla. on April 4, 2012. He was born in Pennsylvania on December 9, 1942. He was a retired electrician. He served in Turkey for the U.S. Air Force. He moved to this area in 2003 from Pennsylvania. Edgar was an avid golfer who played three or four times a week. He loved traveling and hiking daily. His claim to fame is being self-appointed Squirrel Animal Control Officer of On Top of the World. He was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. The family requests donations be made to Hospice of Marion County. Edgar is predeceased by his loving wife, Sandra. Edgar is survived by his daughter, Cathy Dederick, and a grandson, Matthew Dederick, both of Catskill, N.Y. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266, make the arrangements.

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#### **DEVYLDER, MARCEL E., 84**

Ocala - Marcel E. DeVyllder, 84, of Ocala, FL., passed away Thursday, April 5, 2012. He was born June 13, 1927, in Chicago, IL., and moved here in 1988. He was a retired bartender. Mr. DeVyllder was a veteran of the Army and served during World War II. He was of the Catholic faith. He is survived by two sisters, Marilyn Marshall and Charmaine Savaglio, both of Ocala, and partner, Julio Roldan, of Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to Legacy Hospice House, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481.

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**NORMAN, JANE A., 90**

Ocala - Jane A. Norman, 90, passed away on Saturday, April 7, 2012, at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born in Atkinson, Ga. and had been a resident of Ocala for the past 53 years. She was a retired beautician and was a member of the Woodside Baptist Church of Ocala. She also loved organic gardening, knitting, sewing and her family. Her vegetable soup will be missed by half of the male class of 1964 of Ocala High. She is survived by her daughters, Sandra Scott and her husband, Robert of Kensington, Conn. and Gail Stevens and her husband, Jerry of Ocala; her son, John Norman of Bradenton; her daughter-in-law, Sandy Norman of Tenn.; her grandchildren, Schantz, Shannon, Danielle, Dustin, Ethan, and Audrey and her eight great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Norman, and her son, Billy Norman. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, April 11, 2012, at 2:00 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Burial will be at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens in Dunnellon, FL. Those who wish may make donations to Hospice of Marion County.

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baseball and basketball, but most of all, his favorite was football. He played piano and guitar, and had received his pilots license at the age of 17. He will be dearly missed by his parents, a sister whom he helped deliver and name, Jessica, and a maternal grandmother Patricia Canatsey. A visitation has been scheduled for Tuesday April 10, 2012 from 5:00pm to 7:00pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A Celebration of Life Service will be held at St. John's Lutheran Church at 1:00pm on Wednesday April 11, 2012. Entombment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Online condolences may be left at [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com). Forest Lawn Funeral Home is handling the arrangements for the O'Hanrahan family.  
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**SETTER, PETER, 73**

Ocala - Peter Setter, 73, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, April 9, 2012. A Memorial Service will be held on Wednesday (tomorrow), April 11, 2012 at 1:00PM in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481.  
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**STONE, DAVID LEE, 76**

Ocala - Mr. David Lee Stone, 76, of Ocala, died Monday, April 9, 2012, at his residence. A native of Charleston, WV, he moved to Ocala in 1962, coming here from Charleston. After many years as a surveyor, he retired from Marion Engineering. During retirement he pursued his favorite past-time, fishing. He was a member of Living Waters Worship Center in Ocala. His survivors include his wife of 59 years, Virginia; sons, Roger Stone, Ocala and David Stone, Dallas, TX; daughters, Deborah Grant, Sandra Barney and Ruth Crouch, all of Ocala; his brother, Charles Stone, Rock Hill, SC; sisters, Louise Hendrix, Daytona Beach, and Mary Harrison, Charleston, WV; 15 grandchildren; 16 great- grandchildren; and 2 great- great-grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Stone will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, April 12, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. John Childers officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. on Wednesday at Hiers-Baxley.  
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**TWIGG, DELPHIA VIRGINIA, 90**

Henderson, NV - Delphia Twigg nee Schooley, 90, passed away March 27, 2012, in Henderson, NV. She was formerly of Pine Run Estates, Ocala, FL. She was born June 22, 1921, in Etam, WV. On November 6, 1945 she married Elvin Twigg. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, son, a brother, and three sisters. She was a member of the Ocala, FL Salvation Army and a Life member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW, Post 4781. She is survived by a brother, Leonard Schooley, Oakland, MD; daughters, Linda (Geoff) Cotter, of Henderson, NV, and Lois (Robert) Koenig of Travelers Rest, SC. She is also survived by grandsons, Jason (Sophie) Koenig, of Bueren, Switzerland, Christian Koenig of Henderson, NV; granddaughter, Danika (Devon) Milhouse of Travelers Rest, SC; and great-grandchildren, Aria, Adaira, and Oskar. Memorial Service will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Garden on Tuesday, April 10, at 10:00 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to: Angela S. Santos, VFW Post 4781, 9401 SW 110th St. Ocala FL 34481.  
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**WAGNER SR., STEPHEN WILLIAM, 91**

Ocala - Stephen William Wagner Sr., 91, passed away April 9, 2012 in Ocala. Mr. Wagner was born in Patchogue, New York to Charles and Mary (Jennewein) Wagner. He was an office manager for an artist supply company. Stephen and his wife moved from Machipongo, Virginia, to Ocala in 1989. He was involved in The Knights of Columbus of Ocala. Mr. Wagner was the founder of Friendship Radio Club of Palm Cay and the founder of The Republican Party of Palm Cay. He was commander of Coast Guard Auxiliary in Long Island, New York, and was also involved in the American Legion of Ocala, Florida. He enjoyed building model boats, collecting stamps and coins, and woodworking. Mr. Wagner leaves behind his loving wife, Marion, of 67 years; his three sons, Stephen William Wagner of Beverly Hills, Florida, Kenneth Charles of Bath, Maine, and Don Wagner of Long Island, New York; his daughter, Hildy Wagner of Ocala, Florida; 17 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren. He is predeceased by his sons, Peter and Gary Wagner. A Funeral Mass will be held Thursday, April 12, 2012 at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34481 with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. A visitation will be held, Wednesday, April 11, 2012, from 4 to 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL 34470 with full military honors provided by Angela Santos VFW Post 4781. Condolences may be posted to Hiers-Baxley.com.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 11, 2012****BAUSHER, EDGAR W., 69**

Ocala - Edgar W. Bausher, 69, passed away in Ocala, Fla. on April 4, 2012. He was born in Pennsylvania on December 9, 1942. He was a retired electrician. He served in Turkey for the U.S. Air Force. He moved to this area in 2003 from Pennsylvania. Edgar was an avid golfer who played three or four times a week. He loved traveling and hiking daily. His claim to fame is being self-appointed Squirrel Animal Control Officer of On Top of the World. He was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. The family requests donations be made to Hospice of Marion County. Edgar is predeceased by his loving wife, Sandra. Edgar is survived by his daughter, Cathy Dederick, and a grandson, Matthew Dederick, both of Catskill, N.Y. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266, make the arrangements.

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**COAN, JAMES T., 73**

Silver Springs - James T. Coan, 73, passed away April 6, 2012. Services will be held at Forest Assembly of God, 17530 E. Highway 40, Silver Springs, FL 34488, on Wednesday, April 11, 2012. Visitation will be held from 1 to 2 p.m. with the celebration of life to follow at 2 p.m. The interment service will take place at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 12, 2012, at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

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**COPELAND, MICHAEL JOHN, 70**

Ocala - Michael John Copeland, 70, passed away after a short illness on Easter Sunday, April 8,

2012. Michael was born in England. He worked 32 years for the Miami law firm of Steel, Hector, and Davis. He retired to Ocala in 1996. He was an avid sports fan, with season tickets to watch the Miami Dolphins and the University of Miami Hurricanes play. He leaves behind his loving wife, Georgianna, of 44 years; sister, Patricia Lewis of Miami Springs, FL; brother, Patric Copeland of Virginia; sister-in-law, Maura of Virginia; mother-in-law, Dorothy G. Wilcox of Ocala, FL; one niece and two nephews. He also leaves behind cousins in Canada, France, and Africa. A funeral service will be held Friday, April 13, 2012, at 2:00 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481, with Jeremy Culpepper officiating. A visitation will be held before the service from 12 to 2 p.m. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL. Condolences may be posted to Hiers-Baxley.com.

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**DEVYLDER, MARCEL E., 84**

Ocala - Marcel E. DeVyllder, 84, of Ocala, FL., passed away Thursday, April 5, 2012. He was born June 13, 1927, in Chicago, IL., and moved here in 1988. He was a retired bartender. Mr. DeVyllder was a veteran of the Army and served during World War II. He was of the Catholic faith. He is survived by two sisters, Marilyn Marshall and Charmaine Savaglio, both of Ocala, and partner, Julio Roldan, of Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to Legacy Hospice House, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481.

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**KAUFMANN, PATRICIA ANN, 77**

Dunnellon - Patricia Ann Kaufmann, 77, of Dunnellon, Florida, passed away peacefully on Monday morning, April 9, 2012, at Ocala Regional Medical Center, after a brief illness. She was born to Hazel Louise Larson and John Desales Webster in Chicago, Illinois, on September 6, 1934. When she was 18 years old, her family relocated to Miami, Florida. In Miami, she met the love of her life, George Henry Kaufmann. Pat and George were married on June 5, 1954, and they were blessed with three children, Laura Jean, George Edward and Jeanne Marie. She was preceded in death by her dearest son, George Edward Kaufmann; her parents, Hazel and John Webster; her sister, Elizabeth O'Reilly (nee Webster); brothers, John Joseph Webster and Francis Eugene Webster. Surviving are her husband, George H. Kaufmann; daughter, Laura Riley (Thomas) of Lansing, Michigan and daughter, Jeanne Mammana (Thomas) of Weirsdale, Florida; her granddaughters, Caitlin Riley, Kayla Kaufmann, Kymberlee Kaufmann, Andrea Poucher, Julia Poucher and Dalana Mammana; her brother, Charles Webster (Bonnie) of Miami; and many nieces and nephews. Pat retired from AmSouth Bank in 1998 after her career of many years in the banking industry. Memorial services to be held at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon, Florida, from 6 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, April 12, 2012. Donations may be made to a charity of your choice in the name of Patricia Ann Kaufmann.

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**LA VIGNE, CATHERINE CORONA, 85**

Ocala - Catherine Corona LaVigne, 85, beloved wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, passed away at her home surrounded by her loving family on Wednesday, April 4, 2012. Catherine was born to Clarence and Mary (Griffin) Gillen in Brooklyn, N.Y. on June 21, 1926. Catherine moved to Florida from Saugerties, N.Y. in 1981, and moved to Ocala from



Melbourne in 1991. She was an avid reader, enjoyed crocheting, and loved gardening. She is predeceased by her son, Keith LaVigne in 2007, her sister, Mary Lou Roland in 1994 and her granddaughter Casey Gillen LaVigne in 2004. Catherine is survived by her devoted husband of 67 years, William "Bill" LaVigne; daughter, Patricia Lizzi, of Oakridge, N.J.; daughter, Kathy Matysek (husband Daniel), of Sebastian, Fla.; daughter, Judy Lazaro (husband Trinidad), of Palm Bay, Fla.; son, Chris LaVigne (wife Justine), of Red Hook, N.Y.; daughter, Mary Beth Bryden (husband Dean), of Clifton Park, N.Y.; daughter, Deborah Benjamin (husband Thomas), of Saugerties, N.Y.; son, Jeffrey LaVigne (wife Rose), of Cummings, Ga.; son, Matthew LaVigne (wife Jennifer), of Beech Mountain, N.C.; daughter, Nicole Tricozzi (husband Chris), of Toledo, Ohio; brother, Joseph Gillen, Fort Worth, Texas; 25 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren. Visitation was held Monday, April 9, 2012, at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2ND AVE, OCALA, from 5 to 7 p.m. with a prayer service at 6 p.m. A Funeral Mass will be held Tuesday, April 10, 2012, 11 a.m. at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, 4047 NE 21st St., Ocala. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. In lieu of flowers, those that wish may make donations in Catherine's name to either St. Jude Children's Research Hospital or Hospice of Marion County. A special thank you to the remarkable staff of the Hospice of Marion County for the compassion, comfort, and tender care they provided to our beloved mother. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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#### **LEWIS, NANCY JEAN, 59**

Ocala - Nancy Jean Lewis passed away on Thursday, April 5, 2012. Born in Ocala, she lived here most all her life and was a homemaker and hairdresser. Preceded in death by her mother, Margaret Smith; brothers, Mark and Richard Smith. She is survived by her husband, Frank Lewis; son, Brent (Dory) Shaw, Eureka; daughter, Kelly (Wayne) Taylor, Crystal River; three grandchildren; father, Thirlon Eugene Smith; and brother, Mike (Beth) Smith. Funeral service will be 11 a.m., Friday, April 13, at Central Baptist Church, Ocala, with Pastor Andy Bloom officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. Interment to follow in Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.

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#### **NORMAN, JANE A., 90**

Ocala - Jane A. Norman, 90, passed away on Saturday, April 7, 2012, at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born in Atkinson, Ga. and had been a resident of Ocala for the past 53 years. She was a retired beautician and was a member of the Woodside Baptist Church of Ocala. She also loved organic gardening, knitting, sewing and her family. Her vegetable soup will be missed by half of the male class of 1964 of Ocala High. She is survived by her daughters, Sandra Scott and her husband, Robert of Kensington, Conn. and Gail Stevens and her husband, Jerry of Ocala; her son, John Norman of Bradenton; her daughter-in-law, Sandy Norman of Tenn.; her grandchildren, Schantz, Shannon, Danielle, Dustin, Ethan, and Audrey and her eight great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Norman, and her son, Billy Norman. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, April 11, 2012, at 2:00 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Burial will be at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens in Dunnellon, FL. Those who wish may make donations to Hospice of Marion County.

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**SETTER, PETER, 73**

Ocala - Peter Setter, 73, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, April 9, 2012. A Memorial Service will be held on Wednesday (tomorrow), April 11, 2012 at 1:00PM in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481.

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**STONE, DAVID LEE, 76**

Ocala - Mr. David Lee Stone, 76, of Ocala, died Monday, April 9, 2012, at his residence. A native of Charleston, WV, he moved to Ocala in 1962, coming here from Charleston. After many years as a surveyor, he retired from Marion Engineering. During retirement he pursued his favorite past-time, fishing. He was a member of Living Waters Worship Center in Ocala. His survivors include his wife of 59 years, Virginia; sons, Roger Stone, Ocala and David Stone, Dallas, TX; daughters, Deborah Grant, Sandra Barney and Ruth Crouch, all of Ocala; his brother, Charles Stone, Rock Hill, SC; sisters, Louise Hendrix, Daytona Beach, and Mary Harrison, Charleston, WV; 15 grandchildren; 16 great- grandchildren; and 2 great- great-grandchildren. Funeral services for Mr. Stone will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday, April 12, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. John Childers officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Visitation will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. on Wednesday at Hiers-Baxley.

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**WAGNER SR., STEPHEN WILLIAM, 91**

Ocala - Stephen William Wagner Sr., 91, passed away April 9, 2012 in Ocala. Mr. Wagner was born in Patchogue, New York to Charles and Mary (Jennewein) Wagner. He was an office manager for an artist supply company. Stephen and his wife moved from Machipongo, Virginia, to Ocala in 1989. He was involved in The Knights of Columbus of Ocala. Mr. Wagner was the founder of Friendship Radio Club of Palm Cay and the founder of The Republican Party of Palm Cay. He was commander of Coast Guard Auxiliary in Long Island, New York, and was also involved in the American Legion of Ocala, Florida. He enjoyed building model boats, collecting stamps and coins, and woodworking. Mr. Wagner leaves behind his loving wife, Marion, of 67 years; his three sons, Stephen William Wagner of Beverly Hills, Florida, Kenneth Charles of Bath, Maine, and Don Wagner of Long Island, New York; his daughter, Hildy Wagner of Ocala, Florida; 17 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren. He is predeceased by his sons, Peter and Gary Wagner. A Funeral Mass will be held Thursday, April 12, 2012 at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34481 with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. A visitation will be held, Wednesday, April 11, 2012, from 4 to 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. Interment will be at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL 34470 with full military honors provided by Angela Santos VFW Post 4781. Condolences may be posted to Hiers-Baxley.com.

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**COAN, JAMES T., 73**

Silver Springs - James T. Coan, 73, passed away April 6, 2012. Services will be held at Forest Assembly of God, 17530 E. Highway 40, Silver Springs, FL 34488, on Wednesday, April 11, 2012. Visitation will be held from 1 to 2 p.m. with the celebration of life to follow at 2 p.m. The interment service will take place at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, April 12, 2012, at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

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**COPELAND, MICHAEL JOHN, 70**

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**FORTINBERRY, LUTHER HERBERT, 79**

Ocala - Luther Herbert Fortinberry, 79, died April 10, 2012, at Tuscan Hospice House, Summerfield. He was born in Tyronza, Arkansas, and moved from Seattle, Washington, to this area in 1982. He was a member of Church @ the Springs, Ocala, where he served as director of maintenance. He was a veteran of the Korean Conflict serving in the United States Air Force. He was a logistics manager for the federal government and enjoyed golfing. Mr. Fortinberry is survived by his sons, Curtis of Ft. Worth, Texas, Michael of San Antonio, Texas, and Mark of Raeford, North Carolina; daughter, Carolyn Fortinberry of Ft. Worth Texas; five brothers, four sisters, nine grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson. Memorial services will be held at noon, Monday, April 16, 2012, at Church @ the Springs, 5424 SE 58th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34480. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Church @ the Springs. Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Online condolences may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.net](http://www.hiers-baxley.net).

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**GREGORY, LAWRENCE F., 85**

Ocala - Lawrence "Larry" F. Gregory, age 85, of Ocala, passed away April 9, 2012, at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Bradenton, Fla., on October 12, 1926, a son to the late Charles and Louise (Chapman) Gregory. He was a veteran of the US Navy, a lifetime member of the VFW and was retired from GE after 25 years of service. He attended the University of Florida. Larry enjoyed boating and was the past treasurer of the Cutler Cove Power Squadron in Miami. He leaves behind to cherish his memories, his loving wife of 35 years, Marie; a sister, Shirley McBride in Virginia; three nieces, Patricia Hester of Winchester, Va., Deborah Reed of

Staunton, Va., Linda McBride of Georgia; and two loving kitties, Smokey and Faith. A visitation has been scheduled for Thursday, April 12, 2012, at Forest Lawn Funeral Home from 4 to 6 p.m. A graveside service will be held at Woodlawn Memorial Park in Gotha, Fla. on Friday, April 13, 2012, at 11 a.m. with military honors. The family has requested that, in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Legacy Hospice House. Online condolences may be made at [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com). Forest Lawn funeral Home is handling the arrangements for the Gregory family.

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**HOWARD, ROBERT S., 89**

Ocala - Robert S. Howard Sr., "Bob", 89, of Ocala, Florida, passed away Monday, April 9, 2012, in Ocala. Bob was born on August 28, 1922, in Xenia, Illinois, to Earl Howard and Gladys Stephens. He married Frances Tredway on August 23, 1942, in Xenia. A United States Army veteran, Bob served three years in World War II and 28 months in China. He and Frances moved to Florida in 1951, settled in Ocala and owned and operated Howard's TV where he had many loyal customers until retirement in 1993. Bob was past President of the Ocala Exchange Club. Bob was an avid gun collector and loved target practicing with his children and grandchildren in the field behind the house he built in 1973. He is survived by his devoted wife of 69 years, Frances; daughter, Sarah (George) Ray of Ocala; son, Steve (Crystal) Howard of Longwood; two grandsons, Trevor Howard of Tallahassee and Trenton Howard of Longwood; granddaughter, Taylor Howard of Longwood; and brother, Bill Howard of Garland, Texas. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: Hospice of Marion County - Estelle's House 2897 S.E. 62nd Street Ocala, FL 34480. A ceremony will be held at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 12 to April 13, 2012

**KAUFMANN, PATRICIA ANN, 77**

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**LaSENNA, ERIC MICHAEL, 21**

Belleview - Born May 2, 1990, in Ocala, Fla., Eric Michael LaSenna died April 6, 2012, in

Gainesville, Fla. Eric was outgoing and high spirited and was the kind of person who was loved by everybody. He loved to ride from a young age. He enjoyed the great outdoors including snow skiing, kayaking down the Rainbow River, but most of all just being with his family and friends. Eric was working on his degree in Land Surveying and was employed with his father at Thomas LaSenna Land Surveying. Eric will always be loved and missed by his parents, Thomas and Kimberlie, of Belleview, Fla.; brothers, Keith and Adam; grandparents, Frank and Charlotte, of Weirsdale, Fla.; and all of his many aunts, uncles, cousins and close friends. Visitation will be Friday, April 13, from 5 to 8 p.m. and two hours prior to the funeral service on Saturday, April 14, 2012, 1 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).  
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**LEWIS, NANCY JEAN, 59**

Ocala - Nancy Jean Lewis passed away on Thursday, April 5, 2012. Born in Ocala, she lived here most all her life and was a homemaker and hairdresser. Preceded in death by her mother, Margaret Smith; brothers, Mark and Richard Smith. She is survived by her husband, Frank Lewis; son, Brent (Dory) Shaw, Eureka; daughter, Kelly (Wayne) Taylor, Crystal River; three grandchildren; father, Thirlon Eugene Smith; and brother, Mike (Beth) Smith. Funeral service will be 11 a.m., Friday, April 13, at Central Baptist Church, Ocala, with Pastor Andy Bloom officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. Interment to follow in Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.  
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**MILLER, ESTHER VANDER MOLEN, 87**

Ocala - Esther Vander Molen Miller, 87, passed away on Saturday, April 7, 2012. She was predeceased by her beloved husband, Rev. R. Paul Miller on December 17, 2011. Because of God's grace, they both placed their faith and trust in Jesus Christ and have eternal life. Esther and Paul lived their lives serving the Lord ministering in Grace Brethren Churches. Esther was born December 11, 1924, in Kalamazoo, Michigan, to Kobe and Henrietta Vander Molen. She is survived by two sisters and two brothers; one daughter and son-in-law, Candy and Bob Calbert, of Pensacola, Fla.; four sons and daughters-in-law, R. Paul, III and Freda of Kingsport, Tenn.; Steve and Jan of Waterville, Ohio; Mike and Cathy of Greenville, S.C.; Brian and Patti of Orlando, Fla.; 13 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. They were predeceased by a grandson, Camden Calbert. A memorial service will be held at 4:30 p.m., Saturday, April 14, 2012, Spring Lake Village Clubhouse, 2450 NE 146th Terrace, Silver Springs, FL. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Ocala Grace Brethren Church, 6474 NE 7th Street, Ocala, FL 34470 or Bob Jones University, 1700 Wade Hampton Blvd., Greenville, SC 29614-0001.  
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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 13, 2012**

**EHRHARDT, LINDA, 66**

Ocala - Linda Ehrhardt, 66, passed away on Thursday, April 12, 2012, at Tuscan Hospice

House. She was born in Crum, WV and moved to Ocala in 1993 from Ohio. She was a manager for Ohio and Southern Bell Telephone retiring in 1991 from Southern Bell Telephone after 25 plus years of service. She attended Lighthouse Baptist Church in Citrus County and was a Gospel singer, songwriter and recording artist. She attended Marshall University on a music scholarship. She is survived by her husband, Larry Ehrhardt of Ocala; her mother, Macel Sabo of Lecanto; her aunts and uncles, Chris and Richard Haddad of Port Richey, Joanne and Al Corillo of Lecanto, and Mary Lou Adkins of Norton, Ohio, and her foster sister, Lynn Surber of Grove City, Ohio, and a close cousin, Deanna Bare. She was preceded in death by her father, Josh Marcum and sister, Helen Cain. Funeral services will be held on Monday, April 16, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Rev. Jess Burton officiating. Entombment will be at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum. Visitation will be on Sunday, April 15, from 5 to 7 p.m.

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**ESTEVEZ, JUAN "CARLOS", 22**

Ocala - Juan "Carlos" Estevez, age 22, of Ocala, passed away on April 9, 2012. He was born in Brooklyn, NY, on August 30, 1989. He loved to build and fix cars. He is remembered as someone who always put others ahead of himself. Carlos was preceded in death by his father, Juan Carlos Negron. He leaves behind to cherish his memories, his mother, Pura Estevez Negron; his loving wife, Amber Estevez; three brothers, Luis (Brianna) Estevez, Hector (Brittanie) Estevez, Miguel Negron and a niece Jewelz. A visitation has been scheduled for Friday, April 13, 2012, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The celebration of life service will be Saturday April 14, 2012, at the Church at the Springs at 10 a.m. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made at any Wells Fargo Bank to the Juan Carlos Estevez Memorial Fund.

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**FORTINBERRY, LUTHER HERBERT, 79**

Ocala - Luther Herbert Fortinberry, 79, died April 10, 2012, at Tuscany Hospice House, Summerfield. He was born in Tyronza, Arkansas, and moved from Seattle, Washington, to this area in 1982. He was a member of Church @ the Springs, Ocala, where he served as director of maintenance. He was a veteran of the Korean Conflict serving in the United States Air Force. He was a logistics manager for the federal government and enjoyed golfing. Mr. Fortinberry is survived by his sons, Curtis of Ft. Worth, Texas, Michael of San Antonio, Texas, and Mark of Raeford, North Carolina; daughter, Carolyn Fortinberry of Ft. Worth Texas; five brothers, four sisters, nine grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson. Memorial services will be held at noon, Monday, April 16, 2012, at Church @ the Springs, 5424 SE 58th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34480. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Church @ the Springs. Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Online condolences may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.net](http://www.hiers-baxley.net).

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**GIATTINO, AURORA, 66**

Ocala - Mrs. Aurora Guadalupe Giattino, 66, passed away in Ocala, FL, on April 12, 2012. She was born in Mexico City, Mexico, on November 2, 1945. She was a retired bookkeeper for an insurance company. Aurora loved ceramics and making bead jewelry. She was a member of the

Red Hats and was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. She is survived by her loving husband, Carmine, of 34 years; two sons, Frank Giattino (Ambry) of Ocala, FL, and Carmine Giattino Jr., (Angela) of Orlando, FL. She has three sisters, Helica Adapa and Teresa Solis, both of Mexico City, Mexico, and Chela Reale of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; two grandsons, Landon and Vincent. A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, FL 352-854-2266 on Saturday, April 14, 2012, from 3 to 5:30 p.m. with a wake service to follow at 5:30 p.m. To send caring comments - [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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### **GREGORY, LAWRENCE F., 85**

Ocala - Lawrence "Larry" F. Gregory, age 85, of Ocala, passed away April 9, 2012, at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born in Bradenton, Fla., on October 12, 1926, a son to the late Charles and Louise (Chapman) Gregory. He was a veteran of the US Navy , a lifetime member of the VFW and was retired from GE after 25 years of service. He attended the University of Florida. Larry enjoyed boating and was the past treasurer of the Cutler Cove Power Squadron in Miami. He leaves behind to cherish his memories, his loving wife of 35 years, Marie; a sister, Shirley McBride in Virginia; three nieces, Patricia Hester of Winchester, Va., Deborah Reed of Staunton, Va., Linda McBride of Georgia; and two loving kitties, Smokey and Faith. A visitation has been scheduled for Thursday, April 12, 2012, at Forest Lawn Funeral Home from 4 to 6 p.m. A graveside service will be held at Woodlawn Memorial Park in Gotha, Fla. on Friday, April 13, 2012, at 11 a.m. with military honors. The family has requested that, in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Legacy Hospice House. Online condolences may be made at [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com). Forest Lawn funeral Home is handling the arrangements for the Gregory family.

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### **HENDRICKS-FARRELL, AGNES M., 67**

Weirsdale - Agnes M. Hendricks-Farrell, age 67, of Weirsdale, FL, passed away on Wednesday, April 11, 2012. She was born in Norwalk, CT, on February 27, 1945. She worked for the U.S. Postal Service as a letter carrier in Ocala, FL, for 20 years. She moved to Florida from Westport, CT, in 1973. Her hobbies included gardening, traveling, flea markets. She was a Catholic. She is survived by her husband, Elmer Farrell, of Weirsdale, FL, and one grandchild, Hannah. She was preceded in death by a son, Bobby Farrell. A funeral service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL, on Sunday, April 15, 2012, at 1:30 p.m. A visitation will also be held at the funeral home on the day of the service from 12:30 p.m. until the time of the service at 1:30 p.m. Interment will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 in memory of Agnes M. Hendricks-Farrell.

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### **HOWARD, ROBERT S., 89**

Ocala - Robert S. Howard Sr., "Bob", 89, of Ocala, Florida, passed away Monday, April 9, 2012, in Ocala. Bob was born on August 28, 1922, in Xenia, Illinois, to Earl Howard and Gladys Stephens. He married Frances Tredway on August 23, 1942, in Xenia. A United States Army veteran, Bob served three years in World War II and 28 months in China. He and Frances moved

to Florida in 1951, settled in Ocala and owned and operated Howard's TV where he had many loyal customers until retirement in 1993. Bob was past President of the Ocala Exchange Club. Bob was an avid gun collector and loved target practicing with his children and grandchildren in the field behind the house he built in 1973. He is survived by his devoted wife of 69 years, Frances; daughter, Sarah (George) Ray of Ocala; son, Steve (Crystal) Howard of Longwood; two grandsons, Trevor Howard of Tallahassee and Trenton Howard of Longwood; granddaughter, Taylor Howard of Longwood; and brother, Bill Howard of Garland, Texas. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: Hospice of Marion County - Estelle's House 2897 S.E. 62nd Street Ocala, FL 34480. A ceremony will be held at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 12 to April 13, 2012

**JUDERJAHN, RENAE D., 57**

Lake Panasoffkee - Renae D. Juderjahn, 57, passed away Monday, April 9, 2012, at Hospice of Marion County - Tuscan House in Summerfield. Her final days were spent surrounded by family and friends. Renae was born on November 18, 1954, in Ohio, and moved to this area 19 years ago from Cleveland, Ohio. Renae worked for Munroe Regional Medical Center as a charge nurse. Her nursing career started with the completion of her LPN diploma in 1983. She continued on her journey several years later with the completion of her associate's degree in nursing, Bachelor of Science in Nursing in 2006 and Master's in Nursing and Healthcare Administration in 2009. In the summer of 2009, she completed a lifelong passion of specialized education in wound care and ostomy nursing. Renae was an active member of the Bushnell Assembly of God. She enjoyed reading, crafting, gardening, family beach vacations, motorcycle riding/traveling. Renae is survived by her husband, Rick, of Lake Panasoffkee; two daughters, Melanie of Ohio, and Nicole of Ocala; two grandchildren, Owen and Olivia; mother, Patricia Witt; brother, Barry Witt. She was the former spouse of George Kaiser. The family will have a memorial service on Saturday, April 14th at 2 p.m. officiated by Pastor Crane at Bushnell Assembly of God in Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, please send any donation to the Hospice of Marion County.

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**LaSENN, ERIC MICHAEL, 21**

Belleview - Born May 2, 1990, in Ocala, Fla., Eric Michael LaSenna died April 6, 2012, in Gainesville, Fla. Eric was outgoing and high spirited and was the kind of person who was loved by everybody. He loved to ride from a young age. He enjoyed the great outdoors including snow skiing, kayaking down the Rainbow River, but most of all just being with his family and friends. Eric was working on his degree in Land Surveying and was employed with his father at Thomas LaSenna Land Surveying. Eric will always be loved and missed by his parents, Thomas and Kimberlie, of Belleview, Fla.; brothers, Keith and Adam; grandparents, Frank and Charlotte, of Weirsdale, Fla.; and all of his many aunts, uncles, cousins and close friends. Visitation will be Friday, April 13, from 5 to 8 p.m. and two hours prior to the funeral service on Saturday, April 14, 2012, 1 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**LATHROP, JOHN EDWARD, 76**

Ocala - John "Jack" Lathrop passed away peacefully at home surrounded by family on April 10,



2012. He was born in Springfield, MA, and resided in Blandford, MA, attended Deerfield Academy, Westfield High and Springfield Tech. He was a mechanical engineer for Texon, Inc. working in France, Germany, England, Japan and Canada. He was a former pilot and owner of Omni Aviation in Westfield, MA. He was a sales and technical consultant for Wilson Fire Equipment in Houston, TX, when he retired to Ocala, FL, in 1994. He was a lifetime member of Rotary Club, Inc.; a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, former selectman of Blandford, MA, and member of The American Angus Assoc. in FL. He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Carolyn (Davenport) and his two sons; Richard, Hastings, NY, and James, Ocala, FL; one stepson, Stephen Dillingham, Spofford, NH; and one stepdaughter Judith Dillingham, Merrimac, MA; two daughters-in-law, Kathleen and Denise; three grandchildren, Caleb, Joshua and Daniel Lathrop; two step grandchildren, Andrew Dillingham and Eric LaCroix. There will be a graveside memorial service in Blandford, MA, at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860 or National Parkinson's Foundation, 1501 NW 9th Ave., Bob Hope Rd. Miami, FL 33136-1494.

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#### **MILLER, ESTHER VANDER MOLEN, 87**

Ocala - Esther Vander Molen Miller, 87, passed away on Saturday, April 7, 2012. She was predeceased by her beloved husband, Rev. R. Paul Miller on December 17, 2011. Because of God's grace, they both placed their faith and trust in Jesus Christ and have eternal life. Esther and Paul lived their lives serving the Lord ministering in Grace Brethren Churches. Esther was born December 11, 1924, in Kalamazoo, Michigan, to Kobe and Henrietta Vander Molen. She is survived by two sisters and two brothers; one daughter and son-in-law, Candy and Bob Calbert, of Pensacola, Fla.; four sons and daughters-in-law, R. Paul, III and Freda of Kingsport, Tenn.; Steve and Jan of Waterville, Ohio; Mike and Cathy of Greenville, S.C.; Brian and Patti of Orlando, Fla.; 13 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. They were predeceased by a grandson, Camden Calbert. A memorial service will be held at 4:30 p.m., Saturday, April 14, 2012, Spring Lake Village Clubhouse, 2450 NE 146th Terrace, Silver Springs, FL. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Ocala Grace Brethren Church, 6474 NE 7th Street, Ocala, FL 34470 or Bob Jones University, 1700 Wade Hampton Blvd., Greenville, SC 29614-0001.

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#### **WILLIAMS, RUTH ANITA, 92**

Orange Lake - Ruth Anita Williams, 92, of Orange Lake, FL, passed away on Tuesday, April 10, 2012. She was born in Savannah, GA, on April 27, 1919. Mrs. Williams lived in Orange Lake for 64 years. She was the former owner/operator of a local plumbing business. She was a member of Orange Lake Baptist Church. Mrs. Williams was an active member of her church and had a passion for missions. She is survived by seven nieces, three nephews and several friends at Williston Rehabilitation and Nursing Center where she resided for the last 13 months. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jessie Frank Williams, who passed away in 2006. A funeral service will be held at Orange Lake Baptist Church, 19090 NW 53rd Terrace, Orange Lake, FL 32681 on Saturday, April 14, 2012 at noon. A visitation will also be held at the church on Saturday, April 14, 2012, from 11 a.m. until the time of the service at noon. Interment will take place at Millwood Cemetery in Reddick, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to

Orange Lake Baptist Church in memory of Ruth Anita Williams.  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 14, 2012**

#### **EHRHARDT, LINDA, 66**

Ocala - Linda Ehrhardt, 66, passed away on Thursday, April 12, 2012, at Tuscan Hospice House. She was born in Crum, WV and moved to Ocala in 1993 from Ohio. She was a manager for Ohio and Southern Bell Telephone retiring in 1991 from Southern Bell Telephone after 25 plus years of service. She attended Lighthouse Baptist Church in Citrus County and was a Gospel singer, songwriter and recording artist. She attended Marshall University on a music scholarship. She is survived by her husband, Larry Ehrhardt of Ocala; her mother, Macel Sabo of Lecanto; her aunts and uncles, Chris and Richard Haddad of Port Richey, Joanne and Al Corillo of Lecanto, and Mary Lou Adkins of Norton, Ohio, and her foster sister, Lynn Surber of Grove City, Ohio, and a close cousin, Deanna Bare. She was preceded in death by her father, Josh Marcum and sister, Helen Cain. Funeral services will be held on Monday, April 16, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Rev. Jess Burton officiating. Entombment will be at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum. Visitation will be on Sunday, April 15, from 5 to 7 p.m.

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#### **ESTEVEZ, JUAN "CARLOS", 22**

Ocala - Juan "Carlos" Esteves, age 22, of Ocala, passed away on April 9, 2012. He was born in Brooklyn, NY, on August 30, 1989. He loved to build and fix cars. He is remembered as someone who always put others ahead of himself. Carlos was preceded in death by his father, Juan Carlos Negron. He leaves behind to cherish his memories, his mother, Pura Esteves Negron; his loving wife, Amber Esteves; three brothers, Luis (Brianna) Esteves, Hector (Brittanie) Esteves, Miguel Negron and a niece Jewelz. A visitation has been scheduled for Friday, April 13, 2012, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The celebration of life service will be Saturday April 14, 2012, at the Church at the Springs at 10 a.m. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made at any Wells Fargo Bank to the Juan Carlos Esteves Memorial Fund.

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#### **GIATTINO, AURORA, 66**

Ocala - Mrs. Aurora Guadalupe Giattino, 66, passed away in Ocala, FL, on April 12, 2012. She was born in Mexico City, Mexico, on November 2, 1945. She was a retired bookkeeper for an insurance company. Aurora loved ceramics and making bead jewelry. She was a member of the Red Hats and was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. She is survived by her loving husband, Carmine, of 34 years; two sons, Frank Giattino (Ambry) of Ocala, FL, and Carmine Giattino Jr., (Angela) of Orlando, FL. She has three sisters, Helica Adapa and Teresa Solis, both of Mexico City, Mexico, and Chela Reale of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; two grandsons, Landon and Vincent. A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, FL 352-854-2266 on Saturday, April 14, 2012, from 3 to 5:30 p.m. with a wake service to follow at 5:30 p.m. To send caring comments - [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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### **OSWALD, THOMAS F., 88**

Ocala - Thomas F. (Tom) Oswald, 88, of Ocala, FL, and formerly of Atlanta, GA, Chamblee, GA, Plant City, FL, and Panama City, FL, passed away at the TimberRidge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Ocala, under the care of Hospice, on April 12, 2012. A veteran of World War II, he served in the Army Air Force as a staff sergeant. Following World War II, he became an award-winning real estate broker specializing in residential and commercial real estate. Tom enjoyed playing bocce and pool at Marion Landing's Lifestyle Center, and a nightly round of Internet golf with his golfing buddies from around the world. He is survived by his sister, Edith Moreland, of Ocala, FL; three grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife of 53 years, Zimmie Oswald, and his son, James R. (Jim) Oswald. No visitation is planned. Interment will be held at the Florida National Cemetery at a date to be determined. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, In Memory of Tom Oswald, 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL 34474. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel West. Sentiments may be left online at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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#### **ABRAMS, JOAN H.**

Joan H. Abrams, 83, of Ocala, passed away on March 21, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in New York City on February 17, 1929 and later moved to Old Lyme, Connecticut. She was a secretary for Machine Tool Specialists in Old Saybrook, Connecticut and a homemaker until she retired to Ocala. Her interests were golf and camping. She is survived by her husband, Wallace W. Abrams; daughters, Kimberly Abrams Wischman of Maryland and Debra Jean Hull of California; sister, Carol Meehan of New York; nephew, Edward Meehan of New York; three grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Memorial Donations may be sent to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141.

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#### **BLAKE, BARBARA ANN**

Barbara Ann Blake, 83, resident of Ocala, Florida, died Thursday, April 12, 2012, in the Monroe Regional Medical Center, following a short illness.

Mrs. Blake was born in Cato, New York, lived there for many years and moved to Gainesville in 1980. She has resided in Ocala for the past 15 years, living at Trinity Villas, where she was very active in her community. Mrs. Blake was preceded in death by her husband, Clifford J. Blake and a son, John C. Blake. She was a member of Central Christian Church, of Ocala.

Survivors include, two daughters, Carol A. and her husband Larry Woolridge, Sr., of Ocklawaha; and Gail A. and her husband, David L. Look, of Ocala; one son, Harold C. and his wife, Linda Blake of Weedsport, NY, and a daughter-in-law, Deborah A. Blake, of Maryland; three sisters, Eunice Baker of Gainesville, FL, Martha Brown, of Texas, and Leone Van Hoover, of Missouri; one brother, Phillip Baker, of Gainesville, FL. Seventeen grandchildren and twenty-six great grandchildren also survive.

Memorial services will be held on Saturday, April 21, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. at Trinity Villas, 3728 NE 8th Place, Building C, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Trinity Villas Tenant Associates 3728 NE 8th Place, Building C, Ocala, FL 34470.

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#### **BURNS, RICHARD N., 81**

Ocala - Richard N. Burns, born May 24, 1930, passed away October 8, 2011 in Ocala, Fla. after a short illness. He is survived by his sisters, Jean Burns of Glenfield, N.Y. and Carol Dizik of Ocala, Fla.; sons, Noel of Miami, Fla., Richard (Hyacinthe Raven) of Cleveland, Ohio, and James of Valley Village, Calif.; daughter, Susannah of San Francisco, Calif. Born in Dallas, Texas, and raised in Roslyn, N.Y., Mr. Burns attended the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor and obtained a law degree from New York Law School after serving in the United States Army. From the early 1960s until the early 1970s, he was an entertainment lawyer for Columbia Broadcasting System in New York City; he then served as a Vice President at American Broadcasting Company from the early 1970s until 1987. In 1979 he was transferred by ABC to

Los Angeles, Calif. and lived in what he affectionately called "the valley of my dreams," the San Fernando Valley. He was an associate attorney at Michael A. Dolan & Associates in Woodland Hills, Calif. from 1988 until his retirement in 1994, and moved to Ocala in 2003. He was a bright, articulate, quick-witted and opinionated man, and is deeply missed. Mr. Burns is interred at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Fla. No formal services were held.

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**CORMIER, DELLA (CYR), 73**

Ocala - Della (Cyr) Cormier, 73, of Ocala, FL, passed on Tuesday, March 13, 2012, at Legacy House Hospice. She was born February 7, 1939, in Cyr Plantation, Van Buren, Maine, the daughter of the late Rene and Wilena Cyr. In Van Buren, Della was a busy mother working as administrative assistant for many professional organizations until 1986 when she relocated to Ocala. She worked 13 years in communications for the Marion County Sheriff Department until retiring in 2001. Della was a devoted wife and mother who enjoyed gardening, particularly her roses and was an avid decorator, always designing and creating new projects for the home. Della is survived by her loving husband of 51 years, Richard J. Cormier; four daughters, Cheryl Batter and her husband, Jeffrey, of Meriden, CT, Lisa Cormier-Smith and her husband, Thomas, of Casco, ME, Beth Cormier and partner, Joanne Stinson, of Raymond, ME, and Tanya Lapierre of St. David, ME; grandchildren, Tyler Lapierre and his wife, Kylie, and Connor Lapierre of Van Buren; step-granddaughter, Sara; great-granddaughter, Emily; and step-great-granddaughter, Autumn. She is also survived by many siblings; Marilyn Legg, Joyce Dellabianca, Sylvia Cyr (Gerry), Nathan Cyr (Karen), Martin Cyr, Kenneth Cyr, Diana Cyr, Mary Ellen Welch (Allen), Rena Levesque and Karen Wright (Gavin). Della was preceded in death by two brothers, Donald and Roderick. She is survived by many nieces and nephews. A Funeral Mass to celebrate her life will be held on Tuesday, April 24, 2012, at 10 a.m. at St. Jude Catholic Community, 443 Marion Oaks Drive, Marion Oaks, Ocala, FL 34473. Memorial contributions can be made to the American Cancer Society, Florida Division, 2201 SE 30th Ave., Suite 301, Ocala, FL 34471. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.

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**JONES, RICHARD PRESTON**

Richard Preston Jones, 66, of Ocala, Florida passed away Thursday, April 12, 2012. He was born on July 28, 1945 to Walter E. and Ruth V. (Shafer) Jones. Richard arrived in the Ocala area in 2007, coming from Spotsylvania, Virginia. He was a Quality Assurance Specialist for the Department Of Defense, U.S. Air Force veteran, and an Episcopalian. Richard was an avid bowler, and loved computers, kayaking, and spending time with his family. He is survived by his

wife of 22 years, Sandra Jones. Other survivors include his mother Ruth S. Jones of Panama City, Florida; son William A. "Andy" Jones of Fredericksburg, Virginia; brother Ronald M. Jones and sister Katherine R. Wood, both of Panama City, Florida. A graveside service with military honors is scheduled for Wednesday, April 18, 2012, 2:30 PM at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home with Crematory is in charge of the arrangements.

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### **MALLON, MARIE JEAN, 83**

Warwick, NY - Marie Jean Mallon, of Warwick, NY (formerly of Ocala, Florida), passed away on April 11, 2012 at St. Anthony's Hospital. She was 83 years old. Born on April 17, 1928 in Brooklyn, NY, she was the daughter of the late James and Julia (McDermott) Mallon. Marie was retired as a Realtor with Century 21 Real Estate in Ocala, Florida. She attended St. Stephens RC Church and was an avid bingo player. The family would like to give special thanks to the staff at Schervier Pavilion for their loving care of Marie. She is survived by her daughters: Joanne Raftery of Ocala, Florida, and Barbara Ruggiero and her husband Augie of Warwick, NY; a sister, Florence Dowell of Ocala, FL; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be on Sunday, April 15th, from 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. at Lazear-Smith & Vander Plaats Memorial Home, 17 Oakland Avenue, Warwick. Funeral Mass will be at 10 a.m. on Monday at St. Stephens RC Church. Interment will follow in Rockland Cemetery, Sparkill, NY. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105. For further information, directions or to send an online condolence, see [www.lsvpmemorialhome.com](http://www.lsvpmemorialhome.com).

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### **NORTHRUP, ALLEN EDWARD**

Mr. Allen E. Northrup, 85, of Ocklawaha, died Thursday, April 12, 2012, at Sylvia's Hospice House. A native of Pontiac, Michigan, he moved to this area in 2006, coming here from Franklin, NC. He served his country during WW II in the US Army, and later retired as a Baptist Minister. His survivors include his wife of 35 years, Carla, daughters Atina and Elizabeth Northrup, sons Russell, Allen A. and Heath E. Northrup, 7 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 11 AM on Tuesday, April 17, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, with W.A Young officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 AM until service time. Interment will follow in the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Memorial contributions may be made to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

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### **OSWALD, THOMAS F., 88**

Ocala - Thomas F. (Tom) Oswald, 88, of Ocala, FL, and formerly of Atlanta, GA, Chamblee, GA, Plant City, FL, and Panama City, FL, passed away at the TimberRidge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Ocala, under the care of Hospice, on April 12, 2012. A veteran of World War II, he served in the Army Air Force as a staff sergeant. Following World War II, he became an award-winning real estate broker specializing in residential and commercial real estate. Tom enjoyed playing bocce and pool at Marion Landing's Lifestyle Center, and a nightly round of Internet golf with his golfing buddies from around the world. He is survived by his sister, Edith

Moreland, of Ocala, FL; three grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife of 53 years, Zimmie Oswald, and his son, James R. (Jim) Oswald. No visitation is planned. Interment will be held at the Florida National Cemetery at a date to be determined. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, In Memory of Tom Oswald, 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL 34474. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel West. Sentiments may be left online at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)  
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**ROWE, MARY HELEN, 84**

Ocala - Mrs. Mary Helen Rowe, 84, of Ocala, died Thursday, April 12, 2012, at Sylvia's Hospice House. A native of Carrollton, IL, she moved to this area in 1951, coming here from Carrollton. Mrs. Rowe served as a librarian for many years at the Ocala Public Library. She was an active member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She is survived by her daughter, Jane Rowe, and son, John Rowe, both of Ocala. She was preceded in death by her husband, Mason M. Rowe. Graveside services will be held at 11:30 a.m. Monday, April 16, 2012, in the Hillcrest Section of Highland Memorial Park, with Father Michael O'Keefe officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Brothers Keeper or the Ocala Public Library. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. is handling arrangements.  
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**SMITH, CARL DUANE, 53**

Ft. McCoy - Mr. Carl Duane Smith, 53, resident of Ft. McCoy, Florida, died Tuesday, April 10, 2012, in the Shands Hospital at the University of Florida, from injuries sustained in an automobile accident. Mr. Smith was born July 26, 1958, to the late Jonas and Jorene Gamage Smith and had lived in Marion County his entire life, and had attended North Marion High School. After high school, he joined the United States Marine Corps. He had worked as a farmer, loved the outdoors and especially deer hunting. He is survived by two sisters, Renee Hoffman, and T. R. Woodard, both of Ft. McCoy; two brothers, Ronald Walker of Tennessee, and Donald Walker, of Ocala. Three nieces, five nephews, six great-nieces and four great-nephews also survive. A memorial service celebrating Carl's life will be held on Saturday, April 21, 2012, at 4:00 p.m. in the family home at 10621 E Hwy 316 in Ft. McCoy. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474.  
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**ABRAMS, JOAN H.**

Joan H. Abrams, 83, of Ocala, passed away on March 21, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House. She was born in New York City on February 17, 1929 and later moved to Old Lyme, Connecticut. She was a secretary for Machine Tool Specialists in Old Saybrook, Connecticut and a homemaker until she retired to Ocala. Her interests were golf and camping. She is survived by her husband, Wallace W. Abrams; daughters, Kimberly Abrams Wischman of Maryland and Debra Jean Hull of California; sister, Carol Meehan of New York; nephew, Edward Meehan of New York; three grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Memorial Donations may be sent to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141.

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**BLAKE, BARBARA ANN**

Barbara Ann Blake, 83, resident of Ocala, Florida, died Thursday, April 12, 2012, in the Monroe Regional Medical Center, following a short illness. Mrs. Blake was born in Cato, New York, lived there for many years and moved to Gainesville in 1980. She has resided in Ocala for the past 15 years, living at Trinity Villas, where she was very active in her community. Mrs. Blake was preceded in death by her husband, Clifford J. Blake and a son, John C. Blake. She was a member of Central Christian Church, of Ocala. Survivors include, two daughters, Carol A. and her husband Larry Woolridge, Sr., of Ocklawaha; and Gail A. and her husband, David L. Look, of Ocala; one son, Harold C. and his wife, Linda Blake of Weedsport, NY, and a daughter-in-law, Deborah A. Blake, of Maryland; three sisters, Eunice Baker of Gainesville, FL, Martha Brown, of Texas, and Leone Van Hoover, of Missouri; one brother, Phillip Baker, of Gainesville, FL. Seventeen grandchildren and twenty-six great grandchildren also survive. Memorial services will be held on Saturday, April 21, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. at Trinity Villas, 3728 NE 8th Place, Building C, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Trinity Villas Tenant Associates 3728 NE 8th Place, Building C, Ocala, FL 34470.

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**BURNS, RICHARD N., 81**

Ocala - Richard N. Burns, born May 24, 1930, passed away October 8, 2011 in Ocala, Fla. after a short illness. He is survived by his sisters, Jean Burns of Glenfield, N.Y. and Carol Dizik of Ocala, Fla.; sons, Noel of Miami, Fla., Richard (Hyacinthe Raven) of Cleveland, Ohio, and James of Valley Village, Calif.; daughter, Susannah of San Francisco, Calif. Born in Dallas, Texas, and raised in Roslyn, N.Y., Mr. Burns attended the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor and obtained a law degree from New York Law School after serving in the United States Army. From the early 1960s until the early 1970s, he was an entertainment lawyer for Columbia Broadcasting System in New York City; he then served as a Vice President at American Broadcasting Company from the early 1970s until 1987. In 1979 he was transferred by ABC to Los Angeles, Calif. and lived in what he affectionately called "the valley of my dreams," the San Fernando Valley. He was an associate attorney at Michael A. Dolan & Associates in Woodland Hills, Calif. from 1988 until his retirement in 1994, and moved to Ocala in 2003. He was a bright, articulate, quick-witted and opinionated man, and is deeply missed. Mr. Burns is interred at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Fla. No formal services were held.

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**CORMIER, DELLA (CYR), 73**

Ocala - Della (Cyr) Cormier, 73, of Ocala, FL, passed on Tuesday, March 13, 2012, at Legacy House Hospice. She was born February 7, 1939, in Cyr Plantation, Van Buren, Maine, the daughter of the late Rene and Wilena Cyr. In Van Buren, Della was a busy mother working as administrative assistant for many professional organizations until 1986 when she relocated to Ocala. She worked 13 years in communications for the Marion County Sheriff Department until retiring in 2001. Della was a devoted wife and mother who enjoyed gardening, particularly her roses and was an avid decorator, always designing and creating new projects for the home. Della is survived by her loving husband of 51 years, Richard J. Cormier; four daughters, Cheryl Batter and her husband, Jeffrey, of Meriden, CT, Lisa Cormier-Smith and her husband, Thomas, of Casco, ME, Beth Cormier and partner, Joanne Stinson, of Raymond, ME, and Tanya Lapierre of St. David, ME; grandchildren, Tyler Lapierre and his wife, Kylie, and Connor Lapierre of Van Buren; step-granddaughter, Sara; great-granddaughter, Emily; and step-great-granddaughter, Autumn. She is also survived by many siblings; Marilyn Legg, Joyce Dellabianca, Sylvia Cyr (Gerry), Nathan Cyr (Karen), Martin Cyr, Kenneth Cyr, Diana Cyr, MaryEllen Welch (Allen), Rena Levesque and Karen Wright (Gavin). Della was preceded in death by two brothers, Donald and Roderick. She is survived by many nieces and nephews. A Funeral Mass to celebrate her life will be held on Tuesday, April 24, 2012, at 10 a.m. at St. Jude Catholic Community, 443 Marion Oaks Drive, Marion Oaks, Ocala, FL 34473. Memorial contributions can be made to the American Cancer Society, Florida Division, 2201 SE 30th Ave., Suite 301, Ocala, FL 34471. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.

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**JONES, RICHARD PRESTON**

Richard Preston Jones, 66, of Ocala, Florida passed away Thursday, April 12, 2012. He was born on July 28, 1945 to Walter E. and Ruth V. (Shafer) Jones. Richard arrived in the Ocala area in 2007, coming from Spotsylvania, Virginia. He was a Quality Assurance Specialist for the Department Of Defense, U.S. Air Force veteran, and an Episcopalian. Richard was an avid bowler, and loved computers, kayaking, and spending time with his family. He is survived by his wife of 22 years, Sandra Jones. Other survivors include his mother Ruth S. Jones of Panama City, Florida; son William A. "Andy" Jones of Fredericksburg, Virginia; brother Ronald M. Jones and sister Katherine R. Wood, both of Panama City, Florida. A graveside service with military honors is scheduled for Wednesday, April 18, 2012, 2:30 PM at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home with Crematory is in charge of the arrangements.

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**MALLON, MARIE JEAN, 83**

Warwick, NY - Marie Jean Mallon, of Warwick, NY (formerly of Ocala, Florida), passed away on April 11, 2012 at St. Anthony's Hospital. She was 83 years old. Born on April 17, 1928 in Brooklyn, NY, she was the daughter of the late James and Julia (McDermott) Mallon. Marie was retired as a Realtor with Century 21 Real Estate in Ocala, Florida. She attended St. Stephens RC Church and was an avid bingo player. The family would like to give special thanks to the staff at

Schervier Pavilion for their loving care of Marie. She is survived by her daughters: Joanne Raftery of Ocala, Florida, and Barbara Ruggiero and her husband Augie of Warwick, NY; a sister, Florence Dowell of Ocala, FL; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Visitation will be on Sunday, April 15th, from 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. at Lazear-Smith & Vander Plaats Memorial Home, 17 Oakland Avenue, Warwick. Funeral Mass will be at 10 a.m. on Monday at St. Stephens RC Church. Interment will follow in Rockland Cemetery, Sparkill, NY. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital , 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105. For further information, directions or to send an online condolence, see [www.lsvpmemorialhome.com](http://www.lsvpmemorialhome.com).

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**POTTS, RICHARD ALAN "AL"**

Summerfield - Richard Alan "Al" Potts passed away at Tuscany Hospice House on April 9, 2012. Mr. Potts was a native of Decatur, IL, moving to this area from Littleton, CO, in 1994. He was a member of North Lake Presbyterian Church. He was a 50-year member of the Barber Shop Harmony Society, and The Melon Patch Community Theater. Mr. Potts was an avid golfer, loved to dance and cruise. Survivors include his wife, Shirley Potts; brother-in-law, Kenneth Kuyers, and sister-in-law, Jerene Caauwe, and many nieces and nephews in California, Michigan, and Illinois. Memorial services will be held at 9:30 a.m. on April 20, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral

Services, The Villages. Interment will take place at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell following the service. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34480. Online condolences may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com)  
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**SPICER, OTIS CARL, 92**

Summerfield - Otis Carl Spicer, 92, passed away on Sunday, April 15, 2012, at his home. Born in Irwin County, Georgia, Otis moved to Ocala in 1966, then to Summerfield in 2002. He was a retired supervisor for Ausley Construction Company and was a member of First Baptist Church of Belleview. He enjoyed fishing, gardening, and spending time with his family. He is survived by his son, Don Spicer (Sandy) of Murphy, North Carolina; daughters, Connie Morrill (Rod) of Jacksonville, Shirley Holland (Terry) of Summerfield, Yvonne Heartsfield (Bill) of Perry; sister, Grace Shultz of Jacksonville; 8 grandchildren; and 9 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife of 62 years, Lilla Ruth Spicer. A service will be held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, April 18, 2012, at First Baptist Church of Belleview, 6107 SE Agnew Road, with Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. A visitation will be held one hour prior to the service. A committal ceremony will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**COE, WILLIAM A., 83**

Ocala - William A. Coe, 83, of Ocala Florida, passed away April 17, 2012 at Life Care Center of

Ocala. Mr. Coe was born in Watertown, South Dakota and retired from US Geological Survey. He served in the United States Army. William was a member of the Lions club, and also of the Kendrick United Methodist Church. His survivors include: Joan L Coe, his spouse of 60 years of Ocala; one daughter: Janice A Crosby (Deric) of Ohio; one son, William H. Coe of Florida; three grandchildren: Phillip Crosby, Josh and Jeremy Cutler; two great-grandchildren: Noah and Caleb Cutler. He is predeceased by his daughter, Debby Karraker. In lieu of flowers, the family asked that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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### **HENRY, ROSAMOND I., 96**

Ocala - Mrs. Rosamond I. Henry, 96, went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, April 14, 2012. Rosamond was born in Panama City, Panama, on April 1, 1916, the oldest of five children. She migrated to the United States in 1955 and worked for Chemical Bank until her retirement, when she later relocated to Ocala. She married Cyril Henry, who has since gone to be with the Lord, and they raised five children. Rosamond was a member of the Silver Springs SAFE community patrol and was known as an excellent secretary. She is survived by two sons, Desmond and Archibald Thorne; three daughters, Cecilia West, Dora Thorne, and Clara Paige; son-in-law, Brian Paige; daughter-in-law, Elena Thorne; and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great grandchildren. She is also survived by close friends, Van Ambursely, affectionately known as "Auntie Van", Delphina McClean who cared for her and stood by her to the very end, Laverne Chandler, who has been like a daughter. She was a member of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church who continued to minister to her at the nursing home. Mrs. Henry's family will receive friends on Friday, April 20, 2012, at Shores Baptist Worship Center, 414 Silver Road, Ocala, Florida, from 10 to 11 a.m. with funeral services to commence at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East. 352-732-9944

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### **JONES, WARREN MERLE, 70**

Ocala - Warren Merle Jones, 70, of Ocala passed away at his residence on April 13, 2012. Warren was born in Dunnville, Ontario, Canada, on June 15, 1941, to Russell and Lillian Jean Jones. He was a loving son, brother, husband, father and friend. He achieved his Master's Degree at the Florida Institute of Technology. Warren served in the United States Air Force for 20 years achieving the rank of Senior Master Sergeant. His parents, Russell and Lillian Jones, preceded him in death. Survivors include his wife, Roberta; his brother, Brian Jones; his sister, Anne Scogin; his children, Mark Jones, Melanie Rogers, Roger Moseley, Christopher Meuser, and Gregory Meuser. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the American Cancer Society for research in the early detection of pancreatic cancer.

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and sister-in-law, Jerene Caauwe, and many nieces and nephews in California, Michigan, and Illinois. Memorial services will be held at 9:30 a.m. on April 20, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, The Villages. Interment will take place at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell following the service. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34480. Online condolences may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com)  
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**QUINN, JOHN F. "JACK," 96**

Ocala - John F. "Jack" Quinn, age 96, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Sunday, April 15, 2012. He was born in Woodhaven, NY, on July 28, 1915. After high school graduation Jack joined the U.S. Army and served four years during World War II. After his military service he returned to Woodhaven and started his own business called Quinn and Sands Ship Chandler in Jersey City, NJ. He then became a construction superintendent for homes and swimming pools in the New England area. His last employment was as a logistics specialist at Sperry Rand Corp. in Great Neck, NY. Jack was a Presbyterian and loved singing in the church choir. His hobbies included boating, fishing, hunting, birding and his dogs. Jack did a lot of volunteering during his retirement with Homosassa Springs Attraction working with marine life and the University of Florida archeological digs. Jack was a fireman with Citrus Springs Volunteer Fire Dept. He is survived by his wife of 69 years, Anita Quinn of Ocala, FL; daughter, Pamela Lambertson of New Jersey; son, Michael Quinn of New Mexico; son, Jonathan Quinn of New York City; three grandchildren, Susan, Karen and Dylan; and four great-grandchildren, Spencer, Sydney, Kailen and Lucas. A memorial service will be held at Marion Woods Chapel, 1661 SE 31st Street, Ocala, FL, on Thursday, April 19, 2012, at 10 a.m. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL.

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**RICHARDSON, JANICE L., 65**

Ocala - Janice (Jan) L. Richardson, 65, resident of Ocala, FL, passed away April 14, 2012, under the care of Hospice following a short battle with cancer. Jan was born in Baltimore, MD, and moved to Ocala in 2004. She was very active in her church and loved country line dancing. She is preceded in death by her parents, Elizabeth "LaVerne" and Vincent Lee Stinchecum, Sr. and her brother, Vincent Stinchecum, Jr., all from Baltimore, MD. She is survived by her husband, Jack W. Richardson, Sr. of Ocala, FL; her daughter, Sheri Baker, of Citra, FL; her son, Jack W. Richardson, Jr. of Kingsland, GA; and three grandchildren, Shaun Baker of Naples, FL, Jack Richardson III, of Kingsland, GA, and Tyler Richardson, also of Kingsland, GA. She touched the lives of so many people in Baltimore, MD, South Carolina, and Ocala, FL, and will be greatly missed. A memorial service is planned for May 3, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Ascension Lutheran Church, 5730 SE 28th Street, Ocala, FL. A fellowship will be held at the church following the service.

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**RIVERA, GLADYS, 70**

Bellevue - Gladys Rivera, 70, of Bellevue, FL, passed away on April 14, 2012, at home. She was born on September 28, 1941, in Puerto Rico a daughter to the late Geraldo and Antonia Rivera. In addition to her parents she was also preceded in death by a brother Carlos Rivera. Gladys moved to Florida from Puerto Rico in 1980, attended St. Theresa's Catholic Church and

enjoyed flowers, fishing, and crocheting. She leaves behind to cherish her memory two daughters, Carmen Carreras Schultz of Ocala, Ana Carreras Snow of Ocala; two sons, Carlos Carreras of Crystal River, Geraldo Carreras of Silver Springs; nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. A celebration of life service has been scheduled for Sunday April 22, 2012, at 1:30 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The family will receive friends for one half hour before the service. In lieu of flowers please make donations to the Diabetes Association or to the Asthma Foundation. Forest Lawn Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 18 to April 19, 2012

**SMETANA, LOUISE A., 75**

Ocala - Louise A. Smetana, 75, passed away at Shands Hospital, Gainesville, Florida, on April 16, 2012. Louise was born January 4, 1937, in Astoria-Queens, New York, to John and Mary (Paul) Gentzle. Louise moved to Phillipsburg, New Jersey, as a child and graduated from Phillipsburg High School in 1954. Louise married Carl E. Smetana on September 7, 1957, in Alpha, New Jersey, and was married at St. Mary Catholic Church. Louise worked as an executive assistant and a sales representative for Sears Roebuck for 20 years. Louise retired in 1999 and moved to Ocala, Florida, where she lived in Oak Run Country Club for over 20 years. Survivors include her husband, Carl E. Smetana, (married 54 years); daughter, Kathleen A. (Smetana) Hogsten (husband Dale, son Brian, and daughter, Shelly); son, David Smetana (wife, Jorie, daughters, Crystal and Lindsey; and son, David II); son, Stephen Smetana (wife, Bobbie and sons, Drew and Ryan); and four great-grandchildren. Viewing will be held from 5 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, April 19, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, Florida 34481. Mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476, on Friday, April 20, 2012, at 8:30 a.m. with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating followed by interment at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. Condolences may be expressed at [Hiers-Baxley.com](http://Hiers-Baxley.com).

**SMITH, FRANCIS EDWIN, 83**

Silver Springs - Francis Edwin Smith, 83, went home to be with his Lord on Sunday, April 15, 2012 in Silver Springs, Florida. He was the beloved husband of Margaret (Wheeler) Smith. Born in Foxboro on December 4, 1928, he was a son of the late Roy Smith and Doris (Brown) Smith and brother of the late Lloyd Smith, all of Foxboro. He was a graduate of Foxboro High School where he played football, basketball and captained the baseball team. Fran worked for his dad's ice business while in high school and after graduating he worked for the Foxboro Company and played professional baseball for the Boston Braves and a Canadian AAA league. He was a pitcher for the Braves during the 1948 World Series. Fran also played for the Mansfield Townies Football Team and a semi-professional hockey team until an injury ended his professional sports career. He continued to play softball for town and church leagues and coached a little league team. Fran and his brother, Lloyd, opened Foxboro's first full-service gas station in the town center. He later worked for the Foxboro School Department until he retired and moved to Florida in 1979. A founding member of Faith Baptist Church in Silver Springs, Florida, he was a former member and trustee of the First Baptist Church of Foxboro and served on the building committee and was the church custodian. Besides his wife he is survived by two daughters, Naomi L. Hagan of Barrington, RI, and Linda M. Fitzgibbon of Pawtucket, RI; five sons, David C. Smith of Yarmouthport, MA, Daniel F. Smith of Muskego, WI, Donald P. Smith of Montville, NJ, Douglas E. Smith of Bonita Springs, FL, and Darin P. Smith of Hawthorne, NJ; 24



grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and cousins. Calling hours are Thursday, April 19 from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Roberts and Sons Funeral Home, 30 South Street, Foxboro, MA. A funeral service will be held on Friday, April 20 at 11 a.m. at the Foxboro Bible Church, 115 Mechanic Street, Foxboro, with Pastor Bill Dudley officiating, followed by burial at Rockhill Cemetery. To light a special candle in Fran's memory please visit the funeral home web site at [www.robertsandsonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.robertsandsonsfuneralhome.com). Memorial donations may be sent to Faith Baptist Church Missions Outreach, 327 N. Hwy 314A, Silver Springs, FL 34488.

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#### **SPICER, OTIS CARL, 92**

Summerfield - Otis Carl Spicer, 92, passed away on Sunday, April 15, 2012, at his home. Born in Irwin County, Georgia, Otis moved to Ocala in 1966, then to Summerfield in 2002. He was a retired supervisor for Ausley Construction Company and was a member of First Baptist Church of Belleview. He enjoyed fishing, gardening, and spending time with his family. He is survived by his son, Don Spicer (Sandy) of Murphy, North Carolina; daughters, Connie Morrill (Rod) of Jacksonville, Shirley Holland (Terry) of Summerfield, Yvonne Heartsfield (Bill) of Perry; sister, Grace Shultz of Jacksonville; 8 grandchildren; and 9 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife of 62 years, Lilla Ruth Spicer. A service will be held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, April 18, 2012, at First Baptist Church of Belleview, 6107 SE Agnew Road, with Rev. Ronald S. Walker officiating. A visitation will be held one hour prior to the service. A committal ceremony will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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#### **STIEWE, SUSAN R., 94**

Ocala - Mrs. Susan R. Stiewe, 94, of Ocala, passed away at Life Care Center on April 16, 2012 with her daughter, Deirdre, by her side. She was born in Swoyerville, PA on February 27, 1918 to parents, Michael and Ann (Stelma) Phillips. Susan moved to Ocala in 1975 from Belle Mead, NJ. She enjoyed bingo and loved her family above all else. She is preceded in death by her husband of 50 years, Otto Stiewe, son, Richard Stiewe, brothers, Michael and Andrew Phillips, and sisters, Mary Morris and Ann Hlusko. She is survived by her devoted and loving daughter, Deirdre Stanker and husband, Randy; sisters, Helen Michaels of NJ and Theresa Michaels of PA; brothers, George and John Phillips of PA, and several nephews and nieces. The family asks that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County in lieu of flowers. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East, 352-732-9944.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 19, 2012**

#### **BEANE, GIB F., 84**

Ocala - Gib F. Beane, 84, died on April 4, 2012 at MRMC. He was born March 12, 1928 in Pensacola, FL. He served in the U.S. Army at the end of World War II as a paratrooper with the 82nd Airborne. Gib also had a brief stint with the Merchant Marine. Returning to civilian life, he had a long and successful career in sales. He later founded Forest Awards and Engraving in Wood Dale, IL. His business still thrives managed largely by his daughter, Judy. Gib was an

accomplished golfer. In 1995, he took up residency in Ocala and continued to visit his family members in Chicago. He spent the majority of his time here at his residence in Silver Springs Shores. He was a loving family man and generous philanthropist. He had a talent for engendering friendships, and could approach people and initiate pleasant conversations hence he had many friends. He once said that there are no strangers here, just friends we've never met. Gib was the widowed husband of Barbara [nee: Franks], father of Stanley [in Tampa], Shawn [Kathy], Judith, Steve [Rohn], and Jon [Mary] of Naples, FL. He was the proud grandfather of 10. Interment services were held on April 14th at Geil's Funeral home, Wood Dale, IL at a private ceremony. He'd requested that he'd be buried near most of his family.

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### **BOWLEN-FLYNN, BERNADETTE, 87**

Ocala - Bernadette Bowlen-Flynn, of Pine Run Estates in Ocala, FL, currently visiting Red Hook, NY, passed away at the Northern Dutchess Hospital on April 10, 2012, at the age of 87. She was born in Bronx, NY, on February 16, 1925, to the late Ethel (McIntyre) and William Odendahl. Bernadette was predeceased by her husbands: John Bowlen and George (Bud) Flynn. Bernadette worked for many years at the Prudential Insurance Co. in Massachusetts, Arizona and California. An active member of the Third Order of St. Francis in California and Florida, Bernadette was also an active parishioner at the Queen of Peace Parish in Ocala, FL, and St. Christopher's Parish in Red Hook, NY. A dedicated and enthusiastic knitter, Bernadette made numerous blankets, coveralls, quits, hats, etc. that she gave as gifts and donated to worthy organizations. Bernadette is survived by her sisters: Eileen Smith of Bayville, NJ, and Ethel Kleinhans of Farmingdale, NY; her brothers: William (Joyce) Odendahl of Ocala, FL, John F. Odendahl of Red Hook, Thomas H. (Madelyn) Odendahl of St. Augustine, FL, and numerous nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her brothers-in-law: Bernard (Bob) Smith and Robert (Bob) Kleinhans, and her sister-in-law: Marylou Odendahl and nephews. A Mass of Christian Burial was offered at St. Christopher's Church, Red Hook, NY. Inurnment was in Sacred Heart Cemetery, Barrytown, NY. Memorial donations may be made in Bernadette's memory to the Secular Franciscan Order, Queen of Peace Fraternity, 6455 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34476-5588. Arrangements are under the direction of Burnett & White Funeral Homes, 7461 S. Broadway, Red Hook, NY. To sign the online guest book, please visit [www.Burnett-White.com](http://www.Burnett-White.com).

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### **COE, WILLIAM A., 83**

Ocala - William A. Coe, 83, of Ocala Florida, passed away April 17, 2012 at Life Care Center of Ocala. Mr. Coe was born in Watertown, South Dakota and retired from US Geological Survey. He served in the United States Army. William was a member of the Lions club, and also of the Kendrick United Methodist Church. His survivors include: Joan L Coe, his spouse of 60 years of Ocala; one daughter: Janice A Crosby (Deric) of Ohio; one son, William H. Coe of Florida; three grandchildren: Phillip Crosby, Josh and Jeremy Cutler; two great-grandchildren: Noah and Caleb Cutler. He is predeceased by his daughter, Debby Karraker. In lieu of flowers, the family asked that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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### **DEBOSE, GAIL PATRICE, 53**

Ocala - Gail Patrice Debose, 53, passed away on April 14, 2012, at Moffitt Center. She leaves to cherish her memory: father, Ozelle Debose Sr., Orlando, FL; life-time companion, Henry Pinkey, and four children: Kelvin (Linda), Corey Pinkney, Aulena (G) Currie, Shawanda Debose; sisters, Cassandra Kaham, Carolyn Pinkston; two brothers, Ozelle Debose Jr., Eric Debose, both of Ocala, FL, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Ms. Debose will be held on Saturday, April 21, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. at Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. Lorenzo S. Edwards, Pastor. A wake service will be held on Friday, April 20, 2012, at the New Cunningham Funeral Home from 5 to 6 p.m. Visitation will be on Friday, April 20, 2012, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home, [cunninghamfhocala.com](http://cunninghamfhocala.com)

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### **EVANS, BARBARA ANN, 77**

Ocala - Barbara Ann Evans, 77, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, April 17, 2012. She was born in Arlington, MA, on July 26, 1934. She was raised in Lynn, MA, and lived most of her life in N. Andover, MA. Barbara graduated with a Bachelor's degree from Salem Teachers College in Massachusetts. She worked as a teacher all her life. Barbara moved to Ocala in 2004. She was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in Ocala where she volunteered for Bingo, the office staff and was a member of the Women's Club. Her hobbies included rubber stamping, making cards and golfing. She was also a diehard Red Sox fan. She is survived by her sisters, Estelle Sykes of Ocala and Agnes (Harold) Wilmath of Miami Lakes, FL, and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Arthur J. and Agnes Evans. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, 4047 NE 21st Street, Ocala, FL 34470 on Friday, April 20, 2012, at 11 a.m. Interment will take place in Lynn, MA. Memorial contributions may be made to Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in memory of Barbara Ann Evans. Local arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.

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### **FUGATE, DUANE AARON, 76**

Williston - Duane Aaron Fugate, 76, of Williston, FL, passed away on April 18, 2012. He was born on November 10, 1935, in Ocala, FL, to Woodroe and Veola (Stevens) Fugate. He was a native of Levy County. He was of the Methodist faith and a church member of the First United Methodist Church in Williston, FL. He was the owner and operator of Woodroe Fugate & Sons. He was a Master Gardener and a member of the Gulf Hammock Hunting Club and Woodroe Fugate & Sons Hunting Club. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and was an avid sports fan. He played on the Williston baseball team in the late 50's and 60's. He was also a home builder in his earlier years. He is survived by his wife, Patricia "Patsy" Fugate; sons, Norm Fugate (Janice), Duane Aaron Fugate Jr. (Linda), Steven Fugate; daughter, Dedee McLeod (Robyn); brother, Lewie D. Fugate (Barbara Jean); grandchildren, Mandi, Nic, Blake, Cale, Hunter, Miranda, Pricilla, Trip, Samantha and Cody; great-grandchildren, Greyson, Weston, Estella Jo, Ford, Elizabeth Ann, Garrett and Ty. He was preceded in death by his parents, Woodroe Fugate and Veola (Stevens) Fugate and his sister, Norma Jean Fugate. No visitation is scheduled. A graveside service will be held on Saturday, April 21, 2012, at 8 a.m. at Orange Hill Cemetery with Reverend Wes Smith officiating. The family asks that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the Wardell Fugate Scholarship Fund at 16351 NE 30th Street, Williston, FL 32696. Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Williston.

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**HENRY, ROSAMOND I., 96**

Ocala - Mrs. Rosamond I. Henry, 96, went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, April 14, 2012. Rosamond was born in Panama City, Panama, on April 1, 1916, the oldest of five children. She migrated to the United States in 1955 and worked for Chemical Bank until her retirement, when she later relocated to Ocala. She married Cyril Henry, who has since gone to be with the Lord, and they raised five children. Rosamond was a member of the Silver Springs SAFE community patrol and was known as an excellent secretary. She is survived by two sons, Desmond and Archibald Thorne; three daughters, Cecilia West, Dora Thorne, and Clara Paige; son-in-law, Brian Paige; daughter-in-law, Elena Thorne; and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great grandchildren. She is also survived by close friends, Van Ambursely, affectionately known as "Auntie Van", Delphina McClean who cared for her and stood by her to the very end, Laverne Chandler, who has been like a daughter. She was a member of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church who continued to minister to her at the nursing home. Mrs. Henry's family will receive friends on Friday, April 20, 2012, at Shores Baptist Worship Center, 414 Silver Road, Ocala, Florida, from 10 to 11 a.m. with funeral services to commence at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East. 352-732-9944

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**HESSE, AUGUSTE "OMA"**

Ocala - Auguste "Oma" Hesse, of Ocala, died on April 15, 2012. She was preceded in death by her husband, Adolf Hesse; son, Walter Hesse; grandson, Kenneth Cayea and son-in-law, George VanHolt. She moved to New York from Germany in the early 50's and in 1974 relocated to Ocala. She was devoted to her family. She is survived by her daughters, Inge (Ronald) Cayea, Ocala, Gerda Smith, The Villages; son-in-law, Cecil Smith; four grandchildren, Lisa, Eric, Steven, Diane; five great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Please visit [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com) to share condolences with the family. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to Odyssey Hospice, 1320 SE 25th Loop, Suite 101, Ocala, FL 34471. Memorial services will be held at 7:00 PM Friday, April 20, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home with Pastor Richard Poutenis officiating. The family will receive friends Friday from 5:30 until the time of service at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Ave, Ocala, Florida.

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**JONES, WARREN MERLE, 70**

Ocala - Warren Merle Jones, 70, of Ocala passed away at his residence on April 13, 2012. Warren was born in Dunnville, Ontario, Canada, on June 15, 1941, to Russell and Lillian Jean Jones. He was a loving son, brother, husband, father and friend. He achieved his Master's Degree at the Florida Institute of Technology. Warren served in the United States Air Force for 20 years achieving the rank of Senior Master Sergeant. His parents, Russell and Lillian Jones, preceded him in death. Survivors include his wife, Roberta; his brother, Brian Jones; his sister, Anne Scogin; his children, Mark Jones, Melanie Rogers, Roger Moseley, Christopher Meuser, and Gregory Meuser. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the American Cancer Society for research in the early detection of pancreatic cancer.

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**MIDDLEBROOK, ROBERTA J., 77**

Ocala - Roberta J. Middlebrook, 77, passed away peacefully April 16, 2012, at Legacy House. She was the daughter of the late John and Elsie Boyce. Roberta is survived by her husband of 56 years, Robert C. Middlebrook; daughter, Debra and her husband Alan; grandchildren, Kelly, Kaitlyn and her husband Josh; sister, Carole, and several nieces and a nephew. She is predeceased by her son, Jeffrey. A celebration of life service will be held in the near future. In lieu of flowers, the family asks donations be made to Ocala West United Methodist Church - Children's Library Fund, c/o Joy Van Wickler, 9330 SW 105th St., Ocala, FL 34481. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 19 to April 20, 2012

**ORGILL, ALICE, 81**

Dunnellon - Alice Orgill, age 81, God took her home on April 18, 2012. Alice was born in Philadelphia, PA and moved here over 20 years ago. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon and is survived by her loving husband Frank Orgill, two sons: John Dunn and Glenn Orgill, and a daughter Barbara Mendelson, as well as 7 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held at 1:00 p.m., Friday, April 20th, at the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon with her funeral following at 2:00 p.m. Rev. Russ Randall officiating. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Condolences may be left at [www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com).

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**PINO, MARY FRANCES "DOLLY" KEYES, 94**

Ocala - Mrs. Mary Frances "Dolly" Pino, 94, of Ocala, died Saturday, April 14, 2012, at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. She was born September 5, 1917, in Memphis, TN, to Olinto and Adolphino Grandi. She was preceded in death by her husbands, James Dabney Keyes, Sr. and Frank Pino; brother, Raymond Grandi; sisters, Thelma Grandi Littleton and Rena Grandi Robison; and two great-grandchildren, Jessica and Billy Harper. She is survived by her brother, Armond Grandi (Louise) and her children, Ronnie Carson (Linda), James D. Keyes, Jr. (Judi), Janice Keyes Carter, Grace Tons, Joann Aymar (Mike) and Richard Pino. She also leaves her grandchildren: Tammy Carson Law (Tony), Gina Carson Eagle (Don), Kelly Carson Schilinger, Phillip Harper, David Harper, Alan Harper (Jamie), Andy Harper (Jennifer), Mindy Keyes Black (Dylan), as well as 15 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Pino was cafeteria manager at St. John's Catholic School in Memphis for 16 years. Dolly moved from Memphis to Ocala in 1985 and was a member of the Sons of Italy, Silver Springs Shores Social Club, Red Hat Society, Italian American Society, and The Elks Club. She was a devout Catholic and attended Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. Memorial services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, April 20, 2012, at Blessed Trinity with Father Pat Sheedy officiating. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park's Celebration of Life Mausoleum. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is handling arrangements.

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**PONS, ADELAIDE S., 94**

Citra - Adelaide S. Pons passed away at Estelle's House on Tuesday, April 17, 2012. Born in Citra she lived here most all her life. A homemaker, she was preceded in death by her husband, Delma C. Pons; survived by sons, Mack Pons and Phil Pons, both of Citra; daughter, Sylvia Pons

Leitner, Citra; grandchildren, Dane (Christa) Pons; Shannon (Steve) Pons-Scully; Justin (Amanda) Leitner; great-grandchildren, Cody (Barbara) Scully; Holly (Josh) Scully-Melin; Bailey Jane Leitner and Bristol Ann Leitner. A memorial service will be 3:00 p.m., Friday, April 20, 2012, at the First Baptist Church in Citra with Rev. Robert Murray officiating. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 19 to April 20, 2012

**QUINN, JOHN F. "JACK," 96**

Ocala - John F. "Jack" Quinn, age 96, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Sunday, April 15, 2012. He was born in Woodhaven, NY, on July 28, 1915. After high school graduation Jack joined the U.S. Army and served four years during World War II. After his military service he returned to Woodhaven and started his own business called Quinn and Sands Ship Chandler in Jersey City, NJ. He then became a construction superintendent for homes and swimming pools in the New England area. His last employment was as a logistics specialist at Sperry Rand Corp. in Great Neck, NY. Jack was a Presbyterian and loved singing in the church choir. His hobbies included boating, fishing, hunting, birding and his dogs. Jack did a lot of volunteering during his retirement with Homosassa Springs Attraction working with marine life and the University of Florida archeological digs. Jack was a fireman with Citrus Springs Volunteer Fire Dept. He is survived by his wife of 69 years, Anita Quinn of Ocala, FL; daughter, Pamela Lambertson of New Jersey; son, Michael Quinn of New Mexico; son, Jonathan Quinn of New York City; three grandchildren, Susan, Karen and Dylan; and four great-grandchildren, Spencer, Sydney, Kailen and Lucas. A memorial service will be held at Marion Woods Chapel, 1661 SE 31st Street, Ocala, FL, on Thursday, April 19, 2012, at 10 a.m. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL.

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**RAY JR., ALFRED PATRICK, 72**

Ocala - Born December 3, 1939, to A. P. Ray Sr., and Leonna Carroll Ray, in Decherd, Tennessee, Alfred Patrick Ray Jr. took his final flight (Hi Ho Hi Ho!) on April 17, 2012. He was the second of four children. Alfred was predeceased by his wife, Beverly Ann Harris Ray in 1994, and his wife, Elizabeth Brinegar Carter Ray in 2003. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1957 to 1960. He was a radar operator/electronics specialist/Lockheed EC 121 Warning Star ("Willie Victor"). He completed 147 trips across the North Atlantic catching two Russian submarines. He also was a claims adjuster, risk manager, and professional negotiator, Scoutmaster of the Boy Scouts of America, North Florida Council. He is survived by his children: Alfred Patrick Ray III, Leslie E. (Ray) Sibley, and Michael A. Ray; five grandchildren, Rachel Ray, Samuel Ray, Jacob Ray, Brianna Dean, Althea Rose Sibley; brothers: Algernon Dale Ray, Rawls D. Ray, and Morgan Ray. Services will be held Saturday, April 21, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Marble Plains Baptist Church, Winchester, TN. "Do A Good Turn Daily."

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**REMBERT, JOSIAH ALA'JUAN, 2**

Ocala - Josiah Alal'juan Rembert, 2, passed away on Wednesday, April 11, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory loving parents, Tavaris and Deresha Rembert; brothers, Tavaris Rembert Jr., Otis Vernon, Joshua Rembert and Jerimiah Rembert; maternal grandparents, Brenda Sutton and Danny Wilson; paternal grandparents, Regina Vance and Eddie Rembert; as well as a host of other sorrowing relatives. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, April 21, 2012, at

Church @ the Springs. Wake will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, April 19, 2012, at Clearwater Baptist Church. Visitation will be on Friday, April 20, 2012, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a Memory that Will Never Fade".

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**RICHARDSON, JANICE L., 65**

Ocala - Janice (Jan) L. Richardson, 65, resident of Ocala, FL, passed away April 14, 2012, under the care of Hospice following a short battle with cancer. Jan was born in Baltimore, MD, and moved to Ocala in 2004. She was very active in her church and loved country line dancing. She is preceded in death by her parents, Elizabeth "LaVerne" and Vincent Lee Stinchecum, Sr. and her brother, Vincent Stinchecum, Jr., all from Baltimore, MD. She is survived by her husband, Jack W. Richardson, Sr. of Ocala, FL; her daughter, Sheri Baker, of Citra, FL; her son, Jack W. Richardson, Jr. of Kingsland, GA; and three grandchildren, Shaun Baker of Naples, FL, Jack Richardson III, of Kingsland, GA, and Tyler Richardson, also of Kingsland, GA. She touched the lives of so many people in Baltimore, MD, South Carolina, and Ocala, FL, and will be greatly missed. A memorial service is planned for May 3, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Ascension Lutheran Church, 5730 SE 28th Street, Ocala, FL. A fellowship will be held at the church following the service.

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**RIVERA, GLADYS, 70**

Bellevue - Gladys Rivera, 70, of Bellevue, FL, passed away on April 14, 2012, at home. She was born on September 28, 1941, in Puerto Rico a daughter to the late Geraldo and Antonia Rivera. In addition to her parents she was also preceded in death by a brother Carlos Rivera. Gladys moved to Florida from Puerto Rico in 1980, attended St. Theresa's Catholic Church and enjoyed flowers, fishing, and crocheting. She leaves behind to cherish her memory two daughters, Carmen Carreras Schultz of Ocala, Ana Carreras Snow of Ocala; two sons, Carlos Carreras of Crystal River, Geraldo Carreras of Silver Springs; nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. A celebration of life service has been scheduled for Sunday April 22, 2012, at 1:30 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The family will receive friends for one half hour before the service. In lieu of flowers please make donations to the Diabetes Association or to the Asthma Foundation. Forest Lawn Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

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**RUSHING JR., ED "LIGHTNING," 65**

Ocala - Ed "Lightning" Rushing Jr. passed away on Wednesday, April 11, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory a loving wife, Diane Rushing; sons: Robert Rushing, Ed Rushing III, Jamie Rushing, Pastor James Pullings Sr., Edric Rushing Sr., Ed Rushing IV and Edwin Rushing Sr.; daughters: Patricia Rushing and Edraniece Rushing; adopted son, Devon Williams; 27 grandchildren and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, April 21, 2012, at Cornerstone United Pentecostal Church of Ocala. Visitation will be on Friday, April 20, 2012, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a Memory that Will Never Fade".

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**SMETANA, LOUISE A., 75**

Ocala - Louise A. Smetana, 75, passed away at Shands Hospital, Gainesville, Florida, on April 16, 2012. Louise was born January 4, 1937, in Astoria-Queens, New York, to John and Mary (Paul) Gentzle. Louise moved to Phillipsburg, New Jersey, as a child and graduated from Phillipsburg High School in 1954. Louise married Carl E. Smetana on September 7, 1957, in Alpha, New Jersey, and was married at St. Mary Catholic Church. Louise worked as an executive assistant and a sales representative for Sears Roebuck for 20 years. Louise retired in 1999 and moved to Ocala, Florida, where she lived in Oak Run Country Club for over 20 years. Survivors include her husband, Carl E. Smetana, (married 54 years); daughter, Kathleen A. (Smetana) Hogsten (husband Dale, son Brian, and daughter, Shelly); son, David Smetana (wife, Jorie, daughters, Crystal and Lindsey; and son, David II); son, Stephen Smetana (wife, Bobbie and sons, Drew and Ryan); and four great-grandchildren. Viewing will be held from 5 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, April 19, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, Florida 34481. Mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476, on Friday, April 20, 2012, at 8:30 a.m. with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating followed by interment at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. Condolences may be expressed at [Hiers-Baxley.com](http://Hiers-Baxley.com).

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**SMITH, FRANCIS EDWIN, 83**

Silver Springs - Francis Edwin Smith, 83, went home to be with his Lord on Sunday, April 15, 2012 in Silver Springs, Florida. He was the beloved husband of Margaret (Wheeler) Smith. Born in Foxboro on December 4, 1928, he was a son of the late Roy Smith and Doris (Brown) Smith and brother of the late Lloyd Smith, all of Foxboro. He was a graduate of Foxboro High School where he played football, basketball and captained the baseball team. Fran worked for his dad's ice business while in high school and after graduating he worked for the Foxboro Company and played professional baseball for the Boston Braves and a Canadian AAA league. He was a pitcher for the Braves during the 1948 World Series. Fran also played for the Mansfield Townies Football Team and a semi-professional hockey team until an injury ended his professional sports career. He continued to play softball for town and church leagues and coached a little league team. Fran and his brother, Lloyd, opened Foxboro's first full-service gas station in the town center. He later worked for the Foxboro School Department until he retired and moved to Florida in 1979. A founding member of Faith Baptist Church in Silver Springs, Florida, he was a former member and trustee of the First Baptist Church of Foxboro and served on the building committee and was the church custodian. Besides his wife he is survived by two daughters, Naomi L. Hagan of Barrington, RI, and Linda M. Fitzgibbon of Pawtucket, RI; five sons, David C. Smith of Yarmouthport, MA, Daniel F. Smith of Muskego, WI, Donald P. Smith of Montville, NJ, Douglas E. Smith of Bonita Springs, FL, and Darin P. Smith of Hawthorne, NJ; 24 grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and cousins. Calling hours are Thursday, April 19 from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Roberts and Sons Funeral Home, 30 South Street, Foxboro, MA. A funeral service will be held on Friday, April 20 at 11 a.m. at the Foxboro Bible Church, 115 Mechanic Street, Foxboro, with Pastor Bill Dudley officiating, followed by burial at Rockhill Cemetery. To light a special candle in Fran's memory please visit the funeral home web site at [www.robertsandsonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.robertsandsonsfuneralhome.com). Memorial donations may be sent to Faith Baptist Church Missions Outreach, 327 N. Hwy 314A, Silver Springs, FL 34488.



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**SOSA, ROGELIO, 83**

Ocala - Mr. Rogelio Sosa, 83, passed away in Ocala, FL, on April 16, 2012. He was born in Matanzas, Cuba. He was a retired waiter. He moved to the United States from Cuba in 1955. He was a Yankee fan with a heart of gold. He was of the Catholic faith. He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Irma; a daughter, Elaine Hollenbeck (John) of Ocala, FL; two sons, Eric Sosa and Alexander Sosa, both of Ocala, FL; two brothers and one sister residing in Cuba; four grandchildren, Tiffany, Erich, Mark and Cassi; two great-grandchildren, Savannah and Jayden. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 352-854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**STIEWE, SUSAN R., 94**

Ocala - Mrs. Susan R. Stiewe, 94, of Ocala, passed away at Life Care Center on April 16, 2012 with her daughter, Deirdre, by her side. She was born in Swoyerville, PA on February 27, 1918 to parents, Michael and Ann (Stelma) Phillips. Susan moved to Ocala in 1975 from Belle Mead, NJ. She enjoyed bingo and loved her family above all else. She is preceded in death by her husband of 50 years, Otto Stiewe, son, Richard Stiewe, brothers, Michael and Andrew Phillips, and sisters, Mary Morris and Ann Hlusko. She is survived by her devoted and loving daughter, Deirdre Stanker and husband, Randy; sisters, Helen Michaels of NJ and Theresa Michaels of PA; brothers, George and John Phillips of PA, and several nephews and nieces. The family asks that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County in lieu of flowers. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel East, 352-732-9944.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 20, 2012**

**BEANE, GIB F., 84**

Ocala - Gib F. Beane, 84, died on April 4, 2012 at MPMC. He was born March 12, 1928 in Pensacola, FL. He served in the U.S. Army at the end of World War II as a paratrooper with the 82nd Airborne. Gib also had a brief stint with the Merchant Marine. Returning to civilian life, he had a long and successful career in sales. He later founded Forest Awards and Engraving in Wood Dale, IL. His business still thrives managed largely by his daughter, Judy. Gib was an accomplished golfer. In 1995, he took up residency in Ocala and continued to visit his family members in Chicago. He spent the majority of his time here at his residence in Silver Springs Shores. He was a loving family man and generous philanthropist. He had a talent for engendering friendships, and could approach people and initiate pleasant conversations hence he had many friends. He once said that there are no strangers here, just friends we've never met. Gib was the widowed husband of Barbara [nee: Franks], father of Stanley [in Tampa], Shawn [Kathy], Judith, Steve [Rohn], and Jon [Mary] of Naples, FL. He was the proud grandfather of 10. Interment services were held on April 14th at Geil's Funeral home, Wood Dale, IL at a private ceremony. He'd requested that he'd be buried near most of his family.

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**BOWLEN-FLYNN, BERNADETTE, 87**

Ocala - Bernadette Bowlen-Flynn, of Pine Run Estates in Ocala, FL, currently visiting Red Hook, NY, passed away at the Northern Dutchess Hospital on April 10, 2012, at the age of 87. She was born in Bronx, NY, on February 16, 1925, to the late Ethel (McIntrye) and William Odendahl. Bernadette was predeceased by her husbands: John Bowlen and George (Bud) Flynn. Bernadette worked for many years at the Prudential Insurance Co. in Massachusetts, Arizona and California. An active member of the Third Order of St. Francis in California and Florida, Bernadette was also an active parishioner at the Queen of Peace Parish in Ocala, FL, and St. Christopher's Parish in Red Hook, NY. A dedicated and enthusiastic knitter, Bernadette made numerous blankets, coveralls, quits, hats, etc. that she gave as gifts and donated to worthy organizations. Bernadette is survived by her sisters: Eileen Smith of Bayville, NJ, and Ethel Kleinhans of Farmingdale, NY; her brothers: William (Joyce) Odendahl of Ocala, FL, John F. Odendahl of Red Hook, Thomas H. (Madelyn) Odendahl of St. Augustine, FL, and numerous nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her brothers-in-law: Bernard (Bob) Smith and Robert (Bob) Kleinhans, and her sister-in-law: Marylou Odendahl and nephews. A Mass of Christian Burial was offered at St. Christopher's Church, Red Hook, NY. Inurnment was in Sacred Heart Cemetery, Barrytown, NY. Memorial donations may be made in Bernadette's memory to the Secular Franciscan Order, Queen of Peace Fraternity, 6455 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34476-5588. Arrangements are under the direction of Burnett & White Funeral Homes, 7461 S. Broadway, Red Hook, NY. To sign the online guest book, please visit [www.Burnett-White.com](http://www.Burnett-White.com).

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### **COE, WILLIAM A., 83**

Ocala - William A. Coe, 83, of Ocala Florida, passed away April 17, 2012 at Life Care Center of Ocala. Mr. Coe was born in Watertown, South Dakota and retired from US Geological Survey. He served in the United States Army. William was a member of the Lions club, and also of the Kendrick United Methodist Church. His survivors include: Joan L Coe, his spouse of 60 years of Ocala; one daughter: Janice A Crosby (Deric) of Ohio; one son, William H. Coe of Florida; three grandchildren: Phillip Crosby, Josh and Jeremy Cutler; two great-grandchildren: Noah and Caleb Cutler. He is predeceased by his daughter, Debby Karraker. In lieu of flowers, the family asked that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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### **DEBOSE, GAIL PATRICE, 53**

Ocala - Gail Patrice Debose, 53, passed away on April 14, 2012, at Moffitt Center. She leaves to cherish her memory: father, Ozelle Debose Sr., Orlando, FL; life-time companion, Henry Pinkey, and four children: Kelvin (Linda), Corey Pinkney, Aulena (G) Currie, Shawanda Debose; sisters, Cassandra Kaham, Carolyn Pinkston; two brothers, Ozelle Debose Jr., Eric Debose, both of Ocala, FL, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Ms. Debose will be held on Saturday, April 21, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. at Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. Lorenzo S. Edwards, Pastor. A wake service will be held on Friday, April 20, 2012, at the New Cunningham Funeral Home from 5 to 6 p.m. Visitation will be on Friday, April 20, 2012, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home, [cunninghamfhocala.com](http://cunninghamfhocala.com)

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**EVANS, BARBARA ANN, 77**

Ocala - Barbara Ann Evans, 77, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, April 17, 2012. She was born in Arlington, MA, on July 26, 1934. She was raised in Lynn, MA, and lived most of her life in N. Andover, MA. Barbara graduated with a Bachelor's degree from Salem Teachers College in Massachusetts. She worked as a teacher all her life. Barbara moved to Ocala in 2004. She was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in Ocala where she volunteered for Bingo, the office staff and was a member of the Women's Club. Her hobbies included rubber stamping, making cards and golfing. She was also a diehard Red Sox fan. She is survived by her sisters, Estelle Sykes of Ocala and Agnes (Harold) Wilmath of Miami Lakes, FL, and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Arthur J. and Agnes Evans. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, 4047 NE 21st Street, Ocala, FL 34470 on Friday, April 20, 2012, at 11 a.m. Interment will take place in Lynn, MA. Memorial contributions may be made to Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in memory of Barbara Ann Evans. Local arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 19 to April 20, 2012

**FUGATE, DUANE AARON, 76**

Williston - Duane Aaron Fugate, 76, of Williston, FL, passed away on April 18, 2012. He was born on November 10, 1935, in Ocala, FL, to Woodroe and Veola (Stevens) Fugate. He was a native of Levy County. He was of the Methodist faith and a church member of the First United Methodist Church in Williston, FL. He was the owner and operator of Woodroe Fugate & Sons. He was a Master Gardener and a member of the Gulf Hammock Hunting Club and Woodroe Fugate & Sons Hunting Club. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and was an avid sports fan. He played on the Williston baseball team in the late 50's and 60's. He was also a home builder in his earlier years. He is survived by his wife, Patricia "Patsy" Fugate; sons, Norm Fugate (Janice), Duane Aaron Fugate Jr. (Linda), Steven Fugate; daughter, Dedee McLeod (Robyn); brother, Lewie D. Fugate (Barbara Jean); grandchildren, Mandi, Nic, Blake, Cale, Hunter, Miranda, Pricilla, Trip, Samantha and Cody; great-grandchildren, Greyson, Weston, Estella Jo, Ford, Elizabeth Ann, Garrett and Ty. He was preceded in death by his parents, Woodroe Fugate and Veola (Stevens) Fugate and his sister, Norma Jean Fugate. No visitation is scheduled. A graveside service will be held on Saturday, April 21, 2012, at 8 a.m. at Orange Hill Cemetery with Reverend Wes Smith officiating. The family asks that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the Wardell Fugate Scholarship Fund at 16351 NE 30th Street, Williston, FL 32696. Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Williston.

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**HESSE, AUGUSTE "OMA"**

Ocala - Auguste "Oma" Hesse, of Ocala, died on April 15, 2012. She was preceded in death by her husband, Adolf Hesse; son, Walter Hesse; grandson, Kenneth Cayea and son-in-law, George VanHolt. She moved to New York from Germany in the early 50's and in 1974 relocated to Ocala. She was devoted to her family. She is survived by her daughters, Inge (Ronald) Cayea, Ocala, Gerda Smith, The Villages; son-in-law, Cecil Smith; four grandchildren, Lisa, Eric, Steven, Diane; five great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Please visit [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com) to share condolences with the family. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to Odyssey Hospice, 1320 SE 25th Loop, Suite 101, Ocala, FL 34471. Memorial services will be held at 7:00 PM Friday, April 20, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home with

Pastor Richard Poutenis officiating. The family will receive friends Friday from 5:30 until the time of service at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Ave, Ocala, Florida.  
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**McCALLISTER, HARLESS H., 67**

Ocala - Harless "Mack" McCallister passed away at home on Wednesday, April 18, 2012. Born in Cabell County, West Virginia, he moved to Ocala from Groveland nine years ago. After retiring from the U.S. Navy he worked as an electronics technician. He is survived by his wife, Joyce McCallister; son, Harless "Nick" McCallister III, and future daughter-in-law, Danette Davis; grandson, Chase; brothers, Stanley and Charley McCallister; sisters, Linda Fountain, Susie Napier, Sheila DuBose, Phyllis McCall, Freida Kern, Patty Le, Nita Dover; and numerous nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m., Saturday, April 21, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. Memorial donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association .

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**MIDDLEBROOK, ROBERTA J., 77**

Ocala - Roberta J. Middlebrook, 77, passed away peacefully April 16, 2012, at Legacy House. She was the daughter of the late John and Elsie Boyce. Roberta is survived by her husband of 56 years, Robert C. Middlebrook; daughter, Debra and her husband Alan; grandchildren, Kelly, Kaitlyn and her husband Josh; sister, Carole, and several nieces and a nephew. She is predeceased by her son, Jeffrey. A celebration of life service will be held in the near future. In lieu of flowers, the family asks donations be made to Ocala West United Methodist Church - Children's Library Fund, c/o Joy Van Wickler, 9330 SW 105th St., Ocala, FL 34481.

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**MILLER, LORRAINE HUNT, 86**

Auburn, GA - Lorraine Hunter Miller, 86, passed away April 9, 2012. A native of Mansfield, Ohio, she was born February 24, 1926. She spent her life serving the Lord as a pastor's wife, a missionary to foreign lands, and Dean of Women at the Florida Bible College. Robert and Lorraine served as missionaries in Cuba and Ecuador for 10 years before serving the Lord and the community of Miami-Dade County, and in the state of Georgia, for over 30 years. They retired to Ocala, Florida and they were married for 65 years. Lorraine spent the past year and a half in Athens, Georgia. Survivors include their three sons: Robert, Stephen, and Roger, and their wives, eight grandchildren, and 12 great-grandchildren. Memorial service will be held 2 p.m. on Sat., April 21st at Oak Griner Baptist Church, 6422 NE Jacksonville Rd., Ocala, FL, 622-8625. Memorial donations may be made to Ocala Farm Ministry, P.O. Box 770923, Ocala, FL 34477. She will be interred next to her husband on April 21, 2012 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

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**OLIVER, NORMA, 67**

Ocala - Norma Oliver, 67, died at her home in Ocala on April 13, 2012. She was born in Romulus, Michigan, on September 14, 1944. She moved to Ocala from Maybee, Michigan, in 2004. Mrs. Oliver worked at the Mazda Assembly Plant in Flat Rock, Michigan. She was a member of the Ocala Citizens Emergency Management Association. Mrs. Oliver is survived by

her husband, James; two sons, Richard and Ben; two daughters, Norma and Bethann, and six grandchildren.

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**ORGILL, ALICE, 81**

Dunnellon - Alice Orgill, age 81, God took her home on April 18, 2012. Alice was born in Philadelphia, PA and moved here over 20 years ago. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon and is survived by her loving husband Frank Orgill, two sons: John Dunn and Glenn Orgill, and a daughter Barbara Mendelson, as well as 7 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held at 1:00 p.m., Friday, April 20th, at the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon with her funeral following at 2:00 p.m. Rev. Russ Randall officiating. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Condolences may be left at [www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com).

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**PARKER, WILLIAM DEAN**

Marion Oaks - William Dean Parker passed away Monday, April 16, 2012. He is survived by his wife Donna and a host of family members. He was One of Jehovah's Witnesses. A Memorial Service for Mr. Parker will be held on Saturday, April 21st at 1 p.m. at the Marion Oaks Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 863 Marion Oaks Manor. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Christian Congregation Of Jehovah's Witnesses, Patterson, NY in his name. All calls are to be directed to 352-873-6280.

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**PEREZ, FAY CATHERINE, 83**

Summerfield, - Fay Catherine Perez, 83, died at The Villages Regional Hospital on April 17, 2012. She was born in Gastonia, North Carolina, and was a homemaker. She enjoyed gardening and sewing. She was a member of St. John Lutheran Church. Mrs. Perez is survived by her daughter, Sheryl (Dan) Holland, Summerfield; grandson, Tyler Holland, Tampa, FL; one step granddaughter, and two step great-granddaughters. She is predeceased by two sisters. Memorial services will be held at St. John Lutheran Church, 10495 SE Sunset Harbor Road, Summerfield, at 11 a.m., April 23, 2012, with Pastor Dave Connell and Pastor Ashley Nicolls officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Enduring Gifts in care of St. John Lutheran Church. Online condolences may be made at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview.

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**PINO, MARY FRANCES "DOLLY" KEYES, 94**

Ocala - Mrs. Mary Frances "Dolly" Pino, 94, of Ocala, died Saturday, April 14, 2012, at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. She was born September 5, 1917, in Memphis, TN, to Olinto and Adolphino Grandi. She was preceded in death by her husbands, James Dabney Keyes, Sr. and Frank Pino; brother, Raymond Grandi; sisters, Thelma Grandi Littleton and Rena Grandi Robison; and two great-grandchildren, Jessica and Billy Harper. She is survived by her brother, Armond Grandi (Louise) and her children, Ronnie Carson (Linda), James D. Keyes, Jr. (Judi), Janice Keyes Carter, Grace Tons, Joann Aymar (Mike) and Richard Pino. She also leaves her grandchildren: Tammy Carson Law (Tony), Gina Carson Eagle (Don), Kelly Carson Schilinger,

Phillip Harper, David Harper, Alan Harper (Jamie), Andy Harper (Jennifer), Mindy Keyes Black (Dylan), as well as 15 great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Pino was cafeteria manager at St. John's Catholic School in Memphis for 16 years. Dolly moved from Memphis to Ocala in 1985 and was a member of the Sons of Italy, Silver Springs Shores Social Club, Red Hat Society, Italian American Society, and The Elks Club. She was a devout Catholic and attended Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. Memorial services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, April 20, 2012, at Blessed Trinity with Father Pat Sheedy officiating. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park's Celebration of Life Mausoleum. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is handling arrangements.  
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#### **PLATT, SR., RICHARD**

Ocala - Richard Platt, Sr. passed away on April 17, 2012. He retired from a management position with Eastern Airlines. Richard was a loving husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather and great-great-grandfather. He was a member of the Elks and Moose Lodge. He is survived by seven children: Linda Ayers of Ocala, George Platt of Belleview, Lorraine Emery, Kissimmee, Kenneth Platt, Covington, LA, Richard Platt Jr., Belleview, Dorothy Brown, Summerfield, and Sharon Riley of Henderson, NV; 19 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Memorial services will be held Saturday, April 21, 2012, 3 p.m. at The Garden Worship Center, 7655 SE 126 Place, Belleview, FL 34420. Richard is loved and missed by all.  
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#### **PONS, ADELAIDE S., 94**

Citra - Adelaide S. Pons passed away at Estelle's House on Tuesday, April 17, 2012. Born in Citra she lived here most all her life. A homemaker, she was preceded in death by her husband, Delma C. Pons; survived by sons, Mack Pons and Phil Pons, both of Citra; daughter, Sylvia Pons Leitner, Citra; grandchildren, Dane (Christa) Pons; Shannon (Steve) Pons-Scully; Justin (Amanda) Leitner; great-grandchildren, Cody (Barbara) Scully; Holly (Josh) Scully-Melin; Bailey Jane Leitner and Bristol Ann Leitner. A memorial service will be 3:00 p.m., Friday, April 20, 2012, at the First Baptist Church in Citra with Rev. Robert Murray officiating.  
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#### **RAY JR., ALFRED PATRICK, 72**

Ocala - Born December 3, 1939, to A. P. Ray Sr., and Leonna Carroll Ray, in Decherd, Tennessee, Alfred Patrick Ray Jr. took his final flight (Hi Ho Hi Ho!) on April 17, 2012. He was the second of four children. Alfred was predeceased by his wife, Beverly Ann Harris Ray in 1994, and his wife, Elizabeth Brinegar Carter Ray in 2003. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1957 to 1960. He was a radar operator/electronics specialist/Lockheed EC 121 Warning Star ("Willie Victor"). He completed 147 trips across the North Atlantic catching two Russian submarines. He also was a claims adjuster, risk manager, and professional negotiator, Scoutmaster of the Boy Scouts of America, North Florida Council. He is survived by his children: Alfred Patrick Ray III, Leslie E. (Ray) Sibley, and Michael A. Ray; five grandchildren, Rachel Ray, Samuel Ray, Jacob Ray, Brianna Dean, Althea Rose Sibley; brothers: Algernon Dale Ray, Rawls D. Ray, and Morgan Ray. Services will be held Saturday, April 21, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Marble Plains Baptist Church, Winchester, TN. "Do A Good Turn Daily."  
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**RAYMOND, HAROLD JUNIOR, 72**

Ocala - Harold J. Raymond passed away at home on Monday, April 16, 2012. Born in Quincy, IL, he came to Ocala, FL from Mayfield, KY, in 1981. He served in the US Air Force and was a retail salesman. He was preceded in death by his father, Harold Leslie Raymond, and 2 grandchildren, John Edward and Kayla Ann Hobbs. He is survived by his loving wife, Linda A. Raymond; sons, Harold Leland Raymond, III, Omaha, NB; Frank Dewayne Raymond and James Clinton Raymond, both of Ocala; daughter, June Marie Hamilton, Plant City; mother, Wilma C. Raymond, Quincy, IL; 3 granddaughters, 2 grandsons, 2 great-granddaughters, 3 great-grandsons; brothers, Ronald Raymond, Jacksonville, FL; Kenneth Raymond, Quincy, IL; sisters, Marilyn Griggs, Geneseo, IL; Rosalie Clift, Kahoka, MO; and Phyllis Hodges, Quincy, IL. Visitation will be 6:00-8:00 p.m., Friday, April 20th with Funeral Services at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, April 21, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. Donations may be made to Parkinson's Disease & Movement Disorders, 13330 USF Laurel Drive, Tampa, FL 33612 ([www.helpstopparkinson.com](http://www.helpstopparkinson.com)) or Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474.

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**REMBERT, JOSIAH ALA'JUAN, 2**

Ocala - Josiah Alal'juan Rembert, 2, passed away on Wednesday, April 11, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory loving parents, Tavaris and Deresha Rembert; brothers, Tavaris Rembert Jr., Otis Vernon, Joshua Rembert and Jerimiah Rembert; maternal grandparents, Brenda Sutton and Danny Wilson; paternal grandparents, Regina Vance and Eddie Rembert; as well as a host of other sorrowing relatives. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, April 21, 2012, at Church @ the Springs. Wake will be held at 7 p.m. on Thursday, April 19, 2012, at Clearwater Baptist Church. Visitation will be on Friday, April 20, 2012, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a Memory that Will Never Fade".

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**RUSHING JR., ED "LIGHTNING," 65**

Ocala - Ed "Lightning" Rushing Jr. passed away on Wednesday, April 11, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory a loving wife, Diane Rushing; sons: Robert Rushing, Ed Rushing III, Jamie Rushing, Pastor James Pullings Sr., Edric Rushing Sr., Ed Rushing IV and Edwin Rushing Sr.; daughters: Patricia Rushing and Edraniece Rushing; adopted son, Devon Williams; 27 grandchildren and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, April 21, 2012, at Cornerstone United Pentecostal Church of Ocala. Visitation will be on Friday, April 20, 2012, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a Memory that Will Never Fade".

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**SOSA, ROGELIO, 83**

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wife of 56 years, Irma; a daughter, Elaine Hollenbeck (John) of Ocala, FL; two sons, Eric Sosa and Alexander Sosa, both of Ocala, FL; two brothers and one sister residing in Cuba; four grandchildren, Tiffany, Erich, Mark and Cassi; two great-grandchildren, Savannah and Jayden. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 352-854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**WALSTON, GARY LEON, 56**

Ocala - Gary Leon Walston, 56, of Ocala, passed away April 17, 2012. He is survived by his wife, Lisa Iketani Walston; sons, Garrett (Renee) and Craig (Rachel); his mother, Ioma McGrath; two grandsons, and three half-sisters. Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 22, 2012, at Church @ the Springs, 5424 SE 58th Ave, Ocala, 34480, with Rev. Joe LaCognata officiating. The family will receive friends at a reception immediately following the service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Shriner's Children's Hospital, Church @ the Springs, or [www.pancan.org](http://www.pancan.org). Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala is handling arrangements.

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**MASON, THOMAS "TOM" N., 60**

Ocklawaha - Thomas "Tom" N. Mason, 60, of Ocklawaha, passed away on April 18, 2012, at his home. He was born on October 29, 1951, in Peabody, Massachusetts, a son to the late Norman Alexander "Jake" and Mary "Mae" (Galvin) Mason. In addition to his parents he was also preceded in death by his daughter, Jamie Mason; granddaughter, Megan Hafer; and two sisters, Margaret Smalios and Kathy Britner. He was a Mason and past Master of the Amity Lodge #1144 in Danvers, Massachusetts, as well as a Shriner. He leaves behind to cherish his memories three daughters: Michelle (Michael) Hafer, Kristen Mason and Danielle Mason of Ocala; three sons: Robert Turner of Massachusetts, Thomas Mason, Jr. and Dustin Mason of Citra; two sisters: Gail Nelson, of New Hampshire, and Linda Labonte; a brother, Ronald Mason in Massachusetts; and two grandchildren: Jayme Turner and Braden Hafer. A celebration of life service has been scheduled for Sunday, April 22, 2012, at 11 a.m. with a visitation for two hours



before at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A graveside service will follow at 11:30 p.m. in Forest Lawn Memory Garden.

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**McCALLISTER, HARLESS H., 67**

Ocala - Harless "Mack" McCallister passed away at home on Wednesday, April 18, 2012. Born in Cabell County, West Virginia, he moved to Ocala from Groveland nine years ago. After retiring from the U.S. Navy he worked as an electronics technician. He is survived by his wife, Joyce McCallister; son, Harless "Nick" McCallister III, and future daughter-in-law, Danette Davis; grandson, Chase; brothers, Stanley and Charley McCallister; sisters, Linda Fountain, Susie Napier, Sheila DuBose, Phyllis McCall, Freida Kern, Patty Le, Nita Dover; and numerous nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m., Saturday, April 21, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. Memorial donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association .

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**MILLER, LORRAINE HUNT, 86**

Auburn, GA - Lorraine Hunter Miller, 86, passed away April 9, 2012. A native of Mansfield, Ohio, she was born February 24, 1926. She spent her life serving the Lord as a pastor's wife, a missionary to foreign lands, and Dean of Women at the Florida Bible College. Robert and Lorraine served as missionaries in Cuba and Ecuador for 10 years before serving the Lord and the community of Miami-Dade County, and in the state of Georgia, for over 30 years. They retired to Ocala, Florida and they were married for 65 years. Lorraine spent the past year and a half in Athens, Georgia. Survivors include their three sons: Robert, Stephen, and Roger, and their wives, eight grandchildren, and 12 great-grandchildren. Memorial service will be held 2 p.m. on Sat., April 21st at Oak Griner Baptist Church, 6422 NE Jacksonville Rd., Ocala, FL, 622-8625. Memorial donations may be made to Ocala Farm Ministry, P.O. Box 770923, Ocala, FL 34477. She will be interred next to her husband on April 21, 2012 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

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**OLIVER, NORMA, 67**

Ocala - Norma Oliver, 67, died at her home in Ocala on April 13, 2012. She was born in Romulus, Michigan, on September 14, 1944. She moved to Ocala from Maybee, Michigan, in 2004. Mrs. Oliver worked at the Mazda Assembly Plant in Flat Rock, Michigan. She was a member of the Ocala Citizens Emergency Management Association. Mrs. Oliver is survived by her husband, James; two sons, Richard and Ben; two daughters, Norma and Bethann, and six grandchildren.

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**PARKER, WILLIAM DEAN**

Marion Oaks - William Dean Parker passed away Monday, April 16, 2012. He is survived by his wife Donna and a host of family members. He was One of Jehovah's Witnesses. A Memorial Service for Mr. Parker will be held on Saturday, April 21st at 1 p.m. at the Marion Oaks Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 863 Marion Oaks Manor. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Christian Congregation Of Jehovah's Witnesses, Patterson, NY in his name. All

calls are to be directed to 352-873-6280.

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**PEREZ, FAY CATHERINE, 83**

Summerfield, - Fay Catherine Perez, 83, died at The Villages Regional Hospital on April 17, 2012. She was born in Gastonia, North Carolina, and was a homemaker. She enjoyed gardening and sewing. She was a member of St. John Lutheran Church. Mrs. Perez is survived by her daughter, Sheryl (Dan) Holland, Summerfield; grandson, Tyler Holland, Tampa, FL; one step granddaughter, and two step great-granddaughters. She is predeceased by two sisters. Memorial services will be held at St. John Lutheran Church, 10495 SE Sunset Harbor Road, Summerfield, at 11 a.m., April 23, 2012, with Pastor Dave Connell and Pastor Ashley Nicolls officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Enduring Gifts in care of St. John Lutheran Church. Online condolences may be made at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview.

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**PLATT, SR., RICHARD**

Ocala - Richard Platt, Sr. passed away on April 17, 2012. He retired from a management position with Eastern Airlines. Richard was a loving husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather and great-great-grandfather. He was a member of the Elks and Moose Lodge. He is survived by seven children: Linda Ayers of Ocala, George Platt of Belleview, Lorraine Emery, Kissimmee, Kenneth Platt, Covington, LA, Richard Platt Jr., Belleview, Dorothy Brown, Summerfield, and Sharon Riley of Henderson, NV; 19 grandchildren, 44 great- grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Memorial services will be held Saturday, April 21, 2012, 3 p.m. at The Garden Worship Center, 7655 SE 126 Place, Belleview, FL 34420. Richard is loved and missed by all. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 20 to April 21, 2012

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**RAYMOND, HAROLD JUNIOR, 72**

Ocala - Harold J. Raymond passed away at home on Monday, April 16, 2012. Born in Quincy, IL, he came to Ocala, FL from Mayfield, KY, in 1981. He served in the US Air Force and was a retail salesman. He was preceded in death by his father, Harold Leslie Raymond, and 2 grandchildren, John Edward and Kayla Ann Hobbs. He is survived by his loving wife, Linda A. Raymond; sons, Harold Leland Raymond, III, Omaha, NB; Frank Dewayne Raymond and James Clinton Raymond, both of Ocala; daughter, June Marie Hamilton, Plant City; mother, Wilma C. Raymond, Quincy, IL; 3 granddaughters, 2 grandsons, 2 great-granddaughters, 3 great-

grandsons; brothers, Ronald Raymond, Jacksonville, FL; Kenneth Raymond, Quincy, IL; sisters, Marilyn Griggs, Geneseo, IL; Rosalie Clift, Kahoka, MO; and Phyllis Hodges, Quincy, IL. Visitation will be 6:00-8:00 p.m., Friday, April 20th with Funeral Services at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, April 21, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. Donations may be made to Parkinson's Disease & Movement Disorders, 13330 USF Laurel Drive, Tampa, FL 33612 ([www.helpstopparkinson.com](http://www.helpstopparkinson.com)) or Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474.

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ME, Beth Cormier and partner Joanne Stinson of Raymond, ME, and Tanya Lapierre of St. David, ME; grandchildren: Tyler Lapierre and his wife Kylie and Connor Lapierre of Van Buren; step-granddaughter Sara; great-granddaughter Emily, and step-great-granddaughter Autumn. She is also survived by many siblings: Marilyn Legg, Joyce Dellabianca, Sylvia Cyr (Gerry), Nathan Cyr (Karen), Martin Cyr, Kenneth Cyr, Diana Cyr, MaryEllen Welch (Allen), Rena Levesque and Karen Wright (Gavin). Della was preceded in death by two brothers: Donald and Roderick. She is survived by many nieces and nephews. A Funeral Mass to celebrate her life will be held on Tuesday, April 24, 2012, at 10 a.m. at St. Jude Catholic Community, 443 Marion Oaks Drive, Marion Oaks, Ocala, FL 34473. Memorial contributions can be made to the American Cancer Society, Florida Division, 2201 SE 30th Ave., Suite 301, Ocala, FL 34471. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.  
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Ocala - Marie E. Cauchi, 65, passed away at Munroe Regional Medical Center on Saturday, April 21, 2012. Marie was a US Navy Veteran having served during the Vietnam War and received the American Spirit of Honor Medal. She was the Director of Business Services at Lifecare of Ocala. She was known for her work, helping people with the Medicaid process. Marie was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She is survived by her husband, William J. Cauchi; sons, William and Donald Cauchi; grandchildren, Christopher and Jay Cauchi, all of Ocala. Services are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266

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in 2004. She is survived by three sons: Scott and Jeff, of Austin and Rockport, Texas, and Paul Warren and his wife, Judge of Boston, Mass. She was one of the oldest Avon ladies in America and was a longtime member of Incarnation Lutheran Church. She grew up and lived most of her life in the suburbs of Reading, Pa. She is the last of her 10 siblings and is descended from one of Pennsylvania's early colonists. She was a longtime Ocala resident and a beloved and active resident of The Bridge. In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory can be made to Hospice of Marion County, 2331 SW 34 Ave. P.O. 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. A memorial service will be held at Life Care, 2800 SW 41st St. Bldg 100, Ocala, on Tuesday, April 24, 2012 at 2 p.m. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 24 to April 25, 2012

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Brandon - Mr. Joseph H. Girard Sr., of Brandon, Florida, passed away Wednesday, April 18, 2012. Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday, April 28, 2012, at 11 a.m. at 34th Street Church of God in Tampa, Florida, with Dr. Charles Cody officiating. Interment will be held at Boardman Cemetery, McIntosh, Florida, on Sunday April 29, 2012 at 2 p.m. Mr. Joseph Girard Sr. was a native of Ocala, Fla., and a resident of Tampa for 21 years. He was a graduate of

Fessenden High School class of 1965, attended Florida A & M University and was a founding and dedicated member of Word Alive Church. He was a retired electrician. He was preceded in death by his mother, Theresa G. Washington, and his father, Henry Girard. He leaves to cherish his memories: his beloved wife, Mae West Girard; children: April Dawn Girard, Tamara Lynn Girard, Theresa Frances Girard, Joseph Henry Girard Jr., and Jessica Nicole Girard; grandchildren: Simone, Talyn, Jaydn and Kaleb Girard; sisters: Delores Willis, Ida (Earnest) Norman; in-laws: Jeannie (Eddie) Rogers Jr., Ralph (Luella) West, Sherida (Alfred) Jones, Jimmy (Robbie) West, Marvin (Sylean) West, Philliper Powell, Levi (Karen) West, Richard (Dawn) West, Wanda West, Terri (Charles) Lawson; godchildren: Tyrone Taylor, Grady Stafford, Jr., Charles Cody II, Candace Cody and Christi Cody. Brother Joe enjoyed volunteering his time at Word Alive Church, Armwood High School, Brandon Lions youth football, and umpiring little league baseball. He also took pleasure in vacationing and traveling with his wife and family. His occupations were: farming in Marion County and being an electrician by trade. He was the owner of Girard Electric for numerous years. Brother Joe will be remembered for his unselfish love and kind heart for everyone. He will also be remembered as a devoted brother, husband, father, grandfather, uncle, cousin, and friend to all. The wake will be from 6 to 8 p.m. on Friday, April 27, 2012, at Word Alive Church, 1024 S. 78th St., Tampa, Florida. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Ray Williams Funeral Home, Tampa, Florida, and Sellers Funeral Home, Inc., Ocala. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction."  
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**SHALNA, BRADLEY M., 43**

Hastings - Bradley M. Shalna, 43, of Hastings passed away April 20, 2012, in Archer. In 1974 he moved to Williston, Fla. from Utica, N.Y. He was a correctional officer for the Marion Correctional Institute. He is survived by his wife, Jody Shalna, Hastings; mother, Martha Sikes, Williston; two sons: Andy and Gage Shalna both of Hastings; maternal grandmother, Helen Shalna, Williston; sister, Heather Shalna, Williston; niece, Larissa (Tim) Cherry and a great-niece, Maliah Cherry, both of Durham, N.C. Private services will be held at a later date. Arrangements are under the care of Moring Funeral Home, Melrose, FL.

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**BOETTCHER, PENNY M., 91**

Palm Coast - Penny M. Boettcher, 91, of Palm Coast, Florida, formerly of Ocala, passed away April 24, 2012, in Palm Coast, Florida. Born in Cincinnati, Ohio, she came to this area in 1980.



She was a retired secretary for a marine salvage company and a member of Central Baptist Church of Ocala, where she also was a Sunday school teacher. Ms. Boettcher enjoyed her family more than anything else and also enjoyed playing golf and bowling. She is survived by her sons: Terry (Susan) Boettcher of Palm Coast, Fla., Robert (Barbara) Boettcher of McKinney, Texas, Major A. Boettcher of Palm Coast, Fla., and Steve (Mary) Boettcher of Palm Coast, Fla.; sister, Marilyn Moore of Cincinnati, Ohio; eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Friday, April 27, 2012, from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Funeral services will follow at the funeral home at 11:30 a.m. with interment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 26 to April 27, 2012

**BOGGESS, R. DEL, 72**

Ocala - R. Del Boggess, 72, went to be with the Lord on Sunday, April 22, 2012. He was born in Ft. Ogden, Fla., and moved to Lehigh Acres in 1970. He had been a resident of Ocala since 1984. He served his country in the U.S. Air Force, was Past President of the Rotary Club in Lehigh Acres, and coached Little League and Pony League for many years. He has been a member of Trinity Baptist Church of Ocala since 1984 where he was very supportive of the youth activities. Del met the love of his life, Nancy, and they married on April 21, 1963. He is survived by his loving wife of 49 years, Nancy; son, Ken Boggess and wife Rhonda of Miami; daughter, Suzanne Boggess Gardner and husband, Matt of Ocala; brother, Irl Boggess and wife Diane of Ft. Ogden; six grandchildren: Tyler, Melissa, Drew, Emily, Trevor and Robert, as well as numerous nieces and nephews. Del was preceded in death by two sisters: Janice B. Brewer and Jean B. Williams. A celebration of life will be held on Saturday, April 28, 2012, at 4:30 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church with Pastor Phil Wade officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Trinity Baptist Church youth group or the American Lung Assn . Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 26 to April 27, 2012

**BROOKS, MELVIN, 43**

Ocala - Melvin Brooks, 43, of Ocala passed away on Monday, April 23, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory a loving mother, Johnnie Thomas Brooks; children: Martrell, Trell, Keonjia, Breshayla, Kiesha, Shaniya, Miyah, Mariyah, Amani, Mahdi and Muhammed; brother, Amel J. Brooks; sisters: Tonyia Brooks, Mekeba Brooks and Meltonya Terry; loving fiance, Rochell Ruth, as well as a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, April 28, 2012, at Unity Tabernacle Church of God in Christ. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry "Providing a Memory that Will Never Fade". Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 26 to April 27, 2012

**GIRARD SR., JOSEPH H.,**

Brandon - Mr. Joseph H. Girard Sr., of Brandon, Florida, passed away Wednesday, April 18, 2012. Funeral services will be conducted on Saturday, April 28, 2012, at 11 a.m. at 34th Street Church of God in Tampa, Florida, with Dr. Charles Cody officiating. Interment will be held at Boardman Cemetery, McIntosh, Florida, on Sunday April 29, 2012 at 2 p.m. Mr. Joseph Girard Sr. was a native of Ocala, Fla., and a resident of Tampa for 21 years. He was a graduate of Fessenden High School class of 1965, attended Florida A & M University and was a founding

and dedicated member of Word Alive Church. He was a retired electrician. He was preceded in death by his mother, Theresa G. Washington, and his father, Henry Girard. He leaves to cherish his memories: his beloved wife, Mae West Girard; children: April Dawn Girard, Tamara Lynn Girard, Theresa Frances Girard, Joseph Henry Girard Jr., and Jessica Nicole Girard; grandchildren: Simone, Talyn, Jaydn and Kaleb Girard; sisters: Delores Willis, Ida (Earnest) Norman; in-laws: Jeannie (Eddie) Rogers Jr., Ralph (Luella) West, Sherida (Alfred) Jones, Jimmy (Robbie) West, Marvin (Sylean) West, Phillipper Powell, Levi (Karen) West, Richard (Dawn) West, Wanda West, Terri (Charles) Lawson; godchildren: Tyrone Taylor, Grady Stafford, Jr., Charles Cody II, Candace Cody and Christi Cody. Brother Joe enjoyed volunteering his time at Word Alive Church, Armwood High School, Brandon Lions youth football, and umpiring little league baseball. He also took pleasure in vacationing and traveling with his wife and family. His occupations were: farming in Marion County and being an electrician by trade. He was the owner of Girard Electric for numerous years. Brother Joe will be remembered for his unselfish love and kind heart for everyone. He will also be remembered as a devoted brother, husband, father, grandfather, uncle, cousin, and friend to all. The wake will be from 6 to 8 p.m. on Friday, April 27, 2012, at Word Alive Church, 1024 S. 78th St., Tampa, Florida. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Ray Williams Funeral Home, Tampa, Florida, and Sellers Funeral Home, Inc., Ocala. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality and Satisfaction." [www.sellersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sellersfuneralhomes.com)  
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### **GRAFF, BILL, 88**

Ocala - Bill Graff, 88, passed away on Tuesday, April 24, 2012, at Sylvia's Hospice House. Born in Morris, Illinois, he moved from Ft. Lauderdale to Ocala in 1980. He was an active member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church where he worked as a volunteer with Brother's Keeper. He was also a member of the Legion of Mary. He is survived by his children: Rhonda (Bob) Morgridge of Ocala, Christine (Rodney) Ross of Apopka, William (Paula) Graff of Boca Raton, David (Rose) Graff of Wickliffe, Ohio, and Elizabeth (Ron) Mendenhall of Summerfield; nine grandchildren: Desiree, Christopher, Rodney, Debra, Glen, William, Steven, David, Jr., Amber; and three great-grandchildren: Christina, Cameron, and Cathryn. He was preceded in death by his son, Louis William Graff, Jr. and wife, Pearl Graff. A visitation will be held Friday, April 27, 2012, from 4 to 8 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - Ocala Chapel, with a prayer service to begin at 7:30 p.m. A Funeral Mass will be held at 9 a.m. on Saturday, April 28, 2012, at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street, with Father Patrick J. Sheedy officiating. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Brother's Keeper at 2 West Fort King Street, Ocala, FL 34471 (352) 622-3846.  
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### **NEAL, GERALDINE M., 75**

Ocala - Geraldine M. Neal, 75, of Ocala, formerly from Lexington, KY and Reading, MA, left her family and friends on our Lord's Day April 26, 2012 at the age of 75. She was preceded in death by her son, Thomas C. Nagle. Gerry is survived by her loving and devoted husband, Charles Neal of Ocala and her sons, Robert W. Nagle of Rineyville, KY, and James C. Nagle of Lexington, KY, her sisters, Deborah Hoff and Sandra Gill, both of Ocala, brothers, Brian Crowe of West Peabody, MA, Robert Briody of Oklahoma and Steven Briody of Illinois, her 7 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at the Pine Run Club

House located in Pine Run on April 28, 2012 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Breast Cancer Foundation. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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### **PAGE, HARRIET**

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### **SHALNA, BRADLEY M., 43**

Hastings - Bradley M. Shalna, 43, of Hastings passed away April 20, 2012, in Archer. In 1974 he moved to Williston, Fla. from Utica, N.Y. He was a correctional officer for the Marion Correctional Institute. He is survived by his wife, Jody Shalna, Hastings; mother, Martha Sikes, Williston; two sons: Andy and Gage Shalna both of Hastings; maternal grandmother, Helen Shalna, Williston; sister, Heather Shalna, Williston; niece, Larissa (Tim) Cherry and a great-niece, Maliah Cherry, both of Durham, N.C. Private services will be held at a later date.

Arrangements are under the care of Moring Funeral Home, Melrose, FL.

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### **WOOD, BARBARA LINDNER, 92**

Ocala - Barbara Lindner Wood, 92, of Ocala, passed away April 23, 2012. Barbara was born in Ocala to Dr. Eaton George and Justina (Rhody) Lindner. She grew up in Ocala, graduated from Ocala High School, attended some college and left Ocala when she married Ben Wood. In the following years, she lived and traveled all over the world. It was during this time she met many interesting people and later wrote about her experiences. She was the first female pilot in Marion County and also enjoyed astrology. She is survived by her sons, Ramsay Wood of London, England and Chalmers B. Wood of China; nieces, Anne (Mark) Foelker of Haymarket, VA, Beverly Lindner of Maui, HI and Barbara (Jim) Dusch of Cumming, GA; nephew, John D. Lindner, Jr. of Ocala; and grandson, Tryver Wood. She was preceded in death by her brother, Dr. John D. Lindner and ex-husband, Ben Wood. Funeral Services will be held privately.

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Irene Dlugoboski, 87, of Weirsdale, passed away Saturday, April 28, 2012. She had lived in the area since 1963, moving here from New Jersey. Irene was a fantastic mother and loved cooking and gardening. She was a member of Silver Spring Shores Garden Club, Knights of Columbus and The Pulaski Club of Belleview. She was very active at St. Theresa Catholic Church for over 45 years and a founding member. She was preceded in death by three sons, Ray, Christopher and Robert Dlugoborski. She leaves to cherish her memory her loving husband of 56 years, Ray Dlugoborski; son, Mark Dlugoborski, Belleview; daughter, Michelle Dlugoborski, Weirsdale; three grandchildren, Holly Maloumian, Kristy Reilly, Ian Ray Dlugoborski and two great grandchildren, Alissa Reilly and Logan Maloumian. Please visit [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com) to view the memorial tribute and share words of comfort with the family. In lieu of flowers please make donations to the St. Theresa Soup Kitchen, 11528 US Hwy 301, Belleview, Florida 34420. A vigil will be held from 5 - 7 PM Thursday, May 3, 2012 at St. Theresa Catholic Church. A funeral mass will be held at 11:00 AM Friday, May 4, 2012 at St. Theresa Catholic Church with Father David Vivero officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Arrangements entrusted to Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, Florida.

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numerous nieces, nephews and friends, all of whom she loved dearly. Jennie is predeceased by her husband, George Duncan, a daughter, Ericka Jan Glover, her parents and 16 brothers and sisters. She will be missed by all who knew her, and she will be a precious memory to hold dear forever in our hearts and minds. Funeral services will be held on Monday, April 30, 2012 at 3:00 PM at Northside Missionary Baptist Church with Pastor Robert Ledford officiating. A gathering of family and friends will be at the church at 2:00 PM. Burial will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in Jennie's memory to the Florida Baptist Children's Home, PO Box 1870, Lakeland FL. 33802 (217) 544-4646.

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### **ERWIN, OSCAR LEE, 90**

Ocala - Oscar Lee Erwin went to be with the Lord on Friday, April 27, 2012. He was born September 2, 1921, to Glen Erwin and Cozy Johnson, Cranberry Township, North Carolina. He was a member of Trinity Baptist Church, Ocala. He is survived by his wife, Kitty, Ocala; son, Danny and grandsons, Joshua and Aaron Erwin, South Daytona; daughters: Debbie James and family, Citra; Cara Marple and family, Spout Spring, Va.; sons: Robert Wade, Las Vegas, Nev.; Roger Wade and family, Jacksonville, Fla.; sister, Norma Teel and family, Louisville, Ohio; many other family members, and a host of friends. He was preceded in death by infant son, Stewart Wayne, and brother Glen Erwin. He was a World War II veteran, serving in the U.S. Army from 1942-1946. He was retired from the Florida Department of Transportation. He loved golfing and driving cars. He taught square dancing throughout Central Florida for over 30 years. His two greatest loves were God and family. He was a devoted and loving husband, father, grandfather and brother. A celebration of his life will be held at 11 a.m., May 5, 2012, at Trinity Baptist Church with Pastor Phil Wade officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Trinity Baptist Church Building Fund or to Hospice of Marion County.

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### **JOHNSON, PETER WALFRED, 86**

Ocala - Peter Walfred Johnson, 86, of Ocala, passed away on Thursday, April 26, 2012, in Ocala, Fla. Peter was born to the late John P. and Olga (Levin) Johnson on February 16, 1926, in Queens, N.Y. He was the youngest of five brothers. Peter served his country during World War II as a member of the United States Navy. Following the war, Peter earned a Bachelor's Degree from Brown University and a Master's Degree from New York University. He worked in both the U.S. Government Services and New York State Government Services. He retired to Ocala in 1997. He will be remembered as a genuine Christian and a man well liked for his quick smile and pleasant demeanor. He was a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church. Peter is survived by 15 nieces and nephews, including Meredith Morea of Ocala and Donald Johnson of Jacksonville, and several great-nieces and great-nephews. Peter also leaves his sister-in-law, Rosemary Johnson of New Jersey. A visitation will be held at the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, on Wednesday, May 2, 2012, from 5 to 7 p.m., followed by the funeral service there on Thursday, May 3, 2012, at 10:30 a.m. with Rev. Alan Jefferson officiating. Committal services will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Fla., with the Angela Santos VFW Post # 4781 Honor Guard officiating. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**LEVESQUE, NORMAN L., 83**

Ocala - Norman L. Levesque, "Frenchie", 83, of Ocala, Florida, died Sunday, April 15, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, Fla. Born in West Warwick, R.I., he was the son of the late Wilfred G. and Angelina (Blanchette) Levesque both of Quebec, Canada. Norman is survived by his loving wife Diane (Cayouette) Levesque of 55 years. He also leaves behind two sons Michael Levesque and his wife Yvonne of Omaha, Nebraska; Duane Levesque and his wife Regina of Crystal River, Florida; loving Pe'p'e`re to four grandchildren, Brandon, Megan, Leo, and Eva. A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m., May 8, 2012, at St. Jude Catholic Community located near his home in Marion Oaks. Donations in lieu of floral tributes: [www.kidneyhealth.org](http://www.kidneyhealth.org). Condolences: [www.facebook.com/groups/NormanLevesque](http://www.facebook.com/groups/NormanLevesque). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 29 to April 30, 2012

**MILLER, MARION S.**

Mrs. Marion S. Miller, 80, of McIntosh, died Wednesday, April 25, 2012, at her residence. A native of Queens, New York, she moved to this area 10 years ago, coming here from Jacksonville. She retired as head secretary for the Regional Council of the Internal Revenue Service located in Jacksonville. Her memberships include the Pioneer Garden Club in Ocala, the Riverside Tennis Club in Jacksonville, and the Loyal Order of the Moose in Crescent City. Mrs. Miller was a member of the First Baptist Church in McIntosh. She is survived by her daughter Judy Greenberg; sons John B. Miller, Jr. and William J. Miller; granddaughters Jennifer V. Grantham, Megan D. Vieren and Eppie J. Miller; sister Joan Berry, and her sister-in-law Elizabeth Schultz. She was preceded in death by her husband John B. Miller, Sr. in 2005. Visitation will be held Sunday April 29, 2012 from 2-4 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Funeral services will be at 10:00 AM Tuesday, May 1, at First Baptist Church of McIntosh, with Pastor Ken Gibson officiating. Interment will be in Riverside Memorial Park in Jacksonville at 3 PM, with Rev. Tommy Mallard officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to ReCreation USA, Inc. at [www.re-creationusa.com](http://www.re-creationusa.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 29 to April 30, 2012

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Ocala - Oscar Lee Erwin went to be with the Lord on Friday, April 27, 2012. He was born September 2, 1921, to Glen Erwin and Cozy Johnson, Cranberry Township, North Carolina. He was a member of Trinity Baptist Church, Ocala. He is survived by his wife, Kitty, Ocala; son, Danny and grandsons, Joshua and Aaron Erwin, South Daytona; daughters: Debbie James and family, Citra; Cara Marple and family, Spout Spring, Va.; sons: Robert Wade, Las Vegas, Nev.; Roger Wade and family, Jacksonville, Fla.; sister, Norma Teel and family, Louisville, Ohio; many other family members, and a host of friends. He was preceded in death by infant son, Stewart Wayne, and brother Glen Erwin. He was a World War II veteran, serving in the U.S. Army from 1942-1946. He was retired from the Florida Department of Transportation. He loved golfing and driving cars. He taught square dancing throughout Central Florida for over 30 years. His two greatest loves were God and family. He was a devoted and loving husband, father, grandfather and brother. A celebration of his life will be held at 11 a.m., May 5, 2012, at Trinity Baptist Church with Pastor Phil Wade officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to Trinity Baptist Church Building Fund or to Hospice of Marion County.

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### **JOHNSON, PETER WALFRED, 86**

Ocala - Peter Walfred Johnson, 86, of Ocala, passed away on Thursday, April 26, 2012, in Ocala, Fla. Peter was born to the late John P. and Olga (Levin) Johnson on February 16, 1926, in Queens, N.Y. He was the youngest of five brothers. Peter served his country during World War II as a member of the United States Navy. Following the war, Peter earned a Bachelor's Degree from Brown University and a Master's Degree from New York University. He worked in both the U.S. Government Services and New York State Government Services. He retired to Ocala in 1997. He will be remembered as a genuine Christian and a man well liked for his quick smile and pleasant demeanor. He was a member of the Ocala West United Methodist Church. Peter is survived by 15 nieces and nephews, including Meredith Morea of Ocala and Donald Johnson of Jacksonville, and several great-nieces and great-nephews. Peter also leaves his sister-in-law, Rosemary Johnson of New Jersey. A visitation will be held at the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, on Wednesday, May 2, 2012, from 5 to 7 p.m., followed by the funeral service there on Thursday, May 3, 2012, at 10:30 a.m. with Rev. Alan Jefferson officiating. Committal services will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Fla., with the Angela Santos VFW Post # 4781 Honor Guard officiating. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**LEVESQUE, NORMAN L., 83**

Ocala - Norman L. Levesque, "Frenchie", 83, of Ocala, Florida, died Sunday, April 15, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, Fla. Born in West Warwick, R.I., he was the son of the late Wilfred G. and Angelina (Blanchette) Levesque both of Quebec, Canada. Norman is survived by his loving wife Diane (Cayouette) Levesque of 55 years. He also leaves behind two sons Michael Levesque and his wife Yvonne of Omaha, Nebraska; Duane Levesque and his wife Regina of Crystal River, Florida; loving Pe'pe`re to four grandchildren, Brandon, Megan, Leo, and Eva. A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m., May 8, 2012, at St. Jude Catholic Community located near his home in Marion Oaks. Donations in lieu of floral tributes: [www.kidneyhealth.org](http://www.kidneyhealth.org). Condolences: [www.facebook.com/groups/NormanLevesque](http://www.facebook.com/groups/NormanLevesque). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 29 to April 30, 2012

**MILLER, MARION S.**

Mrs. Marion S. Miller, 80, of McIntosh, died Wednesday, April 25, 2012, at her residence. A native of Queens, New York, she moved to this area 10 years ago, coming here from Jacksonville. She retired as head secretary for the Regional Council of the Internal Revenue Service located in Jacksonville. Her memberships include the Pioneer Garden Club in Ocala, the Riverside Tennis Club in Jacksonville, and the Loyal Order of the Moose in Crescent City. Mrs. Miller was a member of the First Baptist Church in McIntosh. She is survived by her daughter Judy Greenberg; sons John B. Miller, Jr. and William J. Miller; granddaughters Jennifer V. Grantham, Megan D. Vieren and Eppie J. Miller; sister Joan Berry, and her sister-in-law Elizabeth Schultz. She was preceded in death by her husband John B. Miller, Sr. in 2005. Visitation will be held Sunday April 29, 2012 from 2-4 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Funeral services will be at 10:00 AM Tuesday, May 1, at First Baptist Church of McIntosh, with Pastor Ken Gibson officiating. Interment will be in Riverside Memorial Park in Jacksonville at 3 PM, with Rev. Tommy Mallard officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to ReCreation USA, Inc. at [www.re-creationusa.com](http://www.re-creationusa.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from April 29 to April 30, 2012

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during the Korean Conflict. Herb then got a job with Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company and continued to work until his retirement in 1988. For a few years, he was responsible for all circuitry and phone lines in Riverfront Stadium in Cincinnati, Ohio, serving the Reds and the Bengals. He is survived by his beloved wife of 26 years, Linda S. Dieckmann of Summerfield, Fla.; daughter, Kerry (Randall) Smith of Verona, Ky.; granddaughter, Kendy (Andy) Walker, currently living in Spain; and great-grandsons: William and Conner Walker. Celebration of life will be held May 2, 2012, at 12 noon at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, Florida 34471. Memorial contributions may be given to The Shriner's Hospitals for Children, 12502 USF Pine Drive, Tampa, FL 33612. Arrangements entrusted with Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Herb would want you to know that our Lord is a consummate Fisherman Who cleans His fish after He catches them; and that it is God's will that no one ever die without Jesus Christ, but that everyone should come to know the knowledge of the truth about salvation through Jesus. (II Peter 3:9)

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Weirsdale - Irene Dlugoborski, 87, of Weirsdale, passed away Saturday, April 28, 2012. She had lived in the area since 1963, moving here from New Jersey. Irene was a fantastic mother and loved cooking and gardening. She was a member of Silver Spring Shores Garden Club, Knights of Columbus and The Pulaski Club of Belleview. She was very active at St. Theresa Catholic Church for over 45 years and a founding member. She was preceded in death by three sons: Ray, Christopher and Robert Dlugoborski. She leaves to cherish her memory her loving husband of 56 years, Ray Dlugoborski; son, Mark Dlugoborski, Belleview; daughter, Michelle Dlugoborski, Weirsdale; three grandchildren: Holly Maloumian, Kristy Reilly, Ian Ray Dlugoborski and two great-grandchildren: Alissa Reilly and Logan Malournian. Please visit [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com) to view the memorial tribute and share words of comfort with the family. In lieu of flowers please make donations to the St. Theresa Soup Kitchen, 11528 U.S. Hwy 301 Belleview, Florida 34420. A vigil will be held from 2 - 4 p.m. Thursday, May 3, 2012, at St. Theresa Catholic Church. A Funeral Mass will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, May 4, 2012, at St. Theresa Catholic Church with Father David Vivero officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Arrangements entrusted to Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, Florida.

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Youngstown, Ohio - Graveside services were held April 30, 2012, at Lake Park Cemetery in Youngstown, Ohio, for Janice Ruth Kranich, 90. She passed away Friday, April 27, 2012, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Youngstown. Mrs. Kranich was born January 1, 1922, in Youngstown, a daughter of Godfrey and Martha June Klinger Perry. She graduated from South High School in 1940 and received degrees from the Eastern Nazarene College, in Quincy, Mass., and from John Hopkins University School of Nursing. She earned her Master's Degree from Wayne State in 1959. She was employed as Asst. Director of Nursing at Harper Hospital in Detroit, Michigan, for 32 years. Janice married Clifford Kranich in 1968 and upon retirement in 1983 moved to Ocala, Florida, from Taylor, Michigan. She was a member of the Ocala First Nazarene Church, Ocala, Florida, and New Covenant Worship Center and the Church of the Nazarene in Youngstown. She is survived by a brother, Godfrey James (Rosemary) Perry of Austintown and sister-in-law, Nancy Perry, of Oklahoma; two step-children, Greg Kranich of Fairbanks, Alaska, and Nancy Devins of Allen Park, Mich.; five step-grandchildren; 4 nieces and 2 nephews. Preceding her in death besides her husband and parents are two brothers: Fred and George Perry. The family requests material tributes take the form of contributions to the New Covenant Worship Center, 1900 Canfield Rd., Youngstown, OH 44511. Janice's family would like to express their thanks to the St. Elizabeth's Nursing staff for the wonderful care they gave her. Arrangements handled by Davis-Becker Funeral Home, 4996 Market, Youngstown, OH 44512. Please visit [www.beckerobits.com](http://www.beckerobits.com) to send the family condolences.

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**McGUIRE, JAMES "HAROLD", 87**

Belleview - James "Harold" McGuire, 87, of Belleview, FL, died April 26, 2012 at his home. He was born April 6, 1925 in Hitchins, KY. Survivors include of 66 years, Dorothy McGuire of Belleview, FL; son, James and wife Jane of Cleveland, OH; daughter, Patty Stephens of Belleview, FL; grandson, Jack F. and Danielle of Cleveland, OH, grandson, James H.M. Stephens of Gainesville, FL; great-granddaughter Giana of Cleveland, OH; great-grandson Cameron of Cleveland, OH; sister Ethel Slone of Grayson, KY; multiple nieces, nephews and friends. Preceded in death by infant son, Harold M.; parents: Frank and Saphornia Easterling McGuire; brothers: Labe, Alfred, Commodore, John, Jeff and Grant; sisters: June Stephens, Agnes Burton, Hattie Camp, Elizabeth Camp, Katherine Shaffer, Mearle McClave and Georgia Taylor. Harold was a decorated Army veteran of World War II. He was a wonderful Christian, who accepted Christ as his personal savior at the age of 18. He was a man of great faith in God, served in many churches and communities throughout his years here on earth and always gave God the glory and praise for everything. Services will begin at noon on Tuesday, May 1st at First Baptist Church of Weirsdale; the church will be open for viewing for 30 minutes prior to the service.

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**RIEHL, RICHARD, 71**

Ocala - Richard Riehl, 71, of Ocala, passed away April 27, 2012. He was born in Pottsville, Pa. And was a former resident of Pittsburgh, Pa. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. He retired from the U.S. Postal Service where he held many positions such as mail handler, carrier, supervisor, accounting assistant and computer tech. Richard leaves his

loving wife of 40 years, Judy Gastner Riehl; and sister, Marion Chessa Bragman of Maine. He was predeceased by brothers: Charles, Eugene, Donald, and his twin Raymond Riehl and sister, Margaret Riehl McCloskey. He was the loving uncle to many nieces and nephews and their offspring. Richard was a graduate of St. Mary's of the Mount High School and received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration from Robert Morris College in 1977. He traveled extensively and spent time in Thailand and Hong Kong while in the U.S. Air Force where he was honorably discharged with the rank of sergeant. In Richard's memory, donations may be made to the American Heart Association .

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Ocala - Mrs. Lucille Bryant Richardson Wolfe, 83, died Wednesday, April 25, 2012, in Ocala, Florida, after an illness. Mrs. Wolfe was born January 30, 1929, in Horry County, S.C., a daughter of Acie Albert and Julia Lewis Bryant. She was a retired businesswoman and had served as a hospital administrator. Mrs. Wolfe was a member of Woodside Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida. Surviving Mrs. Wolfe are her children: Ervin (JoAnne) Richardson Jr. of Ocala, Florida, Trudy (Dwayne) Cook of Charlotte, N.C. and Allen Richardson of Little, S.C.; seven grandchildren; two great-grandchildren. Mrs. Wolfe was predeceased by her first husband, Ervin Richardson Sr. and her second husband, John B. Wolfe. Funeral services were held at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 29 at the Chapel of Cox-Collins Funeral Home in Mullins, S.C. Burial followed in McMillan Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Woodside Baptist Church, Building Fund, 2450

NE 28th St., Ocala. Florida, 34470.

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#### **COTTEN, NANCY JO LUSHER, 68**

Greensboro, N.C. - Nancy Jo Cotten, 68, died Sunday, April 29, 2012, at Wesley Long Hospital. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, May 4, 2012, at Forbis and Dick-North Elm Chapel. Pastor Dan Baker will officiate. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Cemetery. Nancy Jo was born June 14, 1943, in Lillybrook, West Virginia, to the late James Leon and Martha Ruth Gallagher Lusher. She retired from Gilbarco after 27 years of service. Nancy enjoyed sitting on her patio, feeding and watching her birds, feeding her deer and just being outdoors. She will be remembered for her love of music and dancing as well as being the best and neatest homemaker and cook. She will be greatly missed by her husband, her children, family, friends and anyone that was fortunate enough to have known her. She is survived by her husband, Thomas Cotten; three daughters: Kimberli, Krista and Kelli Jo; son, Shawn; step-son Tommy; 10 grandchildren, five great-grandchildren; three brothers: Frank, Leon and Billy Lusher of Florida. The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m., Thursday, May 3, 2012, at Forbis and Dick, N. Elm Street Chapel.

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**RUGGIERO, VITO, 90**

Ocala - Vito Ruggiero, 90, of Ocala, passed away on April 30, 2012, at Estelle's House. He was born on October 12, 1921, in Hoboken, N.J., a son to the late Francis and Theresa (Bagnano) Ruggiero. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by 13 brothers and sisters. He leaves behind to cherish his memories: his loving wife of 64 years, Rose; children: Victor (Janet) Ruggiero of Clearwater, Susan (Joe) Cline, of Ocala, Marie Tucker of Ocala, Anthony (Karen) Ruggiero of Homosassa, Rose (Darrell) Bucklen of Ocala; brother, Joseph Ruggiero of Baltimore, Md.; sister, Dolores Rocco of Bergen County, N.J.; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. A visitation has been scheduled for Wednesday, May 2, 2012, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A celebration of life service will be held on Thursday, May 3, 2012, at 2 p.m. also at the funeral home. Entombment to follow at Forest Lawn Memory Garden.

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Methodist Church in Loami, Ill. and the Fraternal Order of Eagles in Belleview, Fla. He was also preceded in death by his parents; four brothers; and a sister. Lefty is survived by two sons: Kent (Wanda) Speaks of Alabama and Pastor Keith (Paula) Speaks of Wisconsin; two daughters: Kathi (Larry Tipsword) Sheppard and Krista Poirer both of Florida; two brothers: Larry (Eileen) and Don (Terri) Speaks; three sisters: Wanda Freeman, Ima Jean Cummings, and Bonnie Speaks; several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, and nephews. Family will receive friends from 12 to 1 p.m. on Friday, May 4, 2012, at McCullough-Delaney & Butler Funeral Home; 714 East Gibson Street, New Berlin, IL. Funeral ceremony will follow at 1 p.m. with Pastor Keith Speaks, officiating. Burial will follow at Sulphur Springs Cemetery in Loami. Memorial contributions may be made to: Fraternal Order of Eagles, 8380 E. Highway 25, Belleview, FL 34420. Please visit [butlerfuneralhomes.com](http://butlerfuneralhomes.com) to offer your condolences.

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### **WOLFE, LUCILLE B. RICHARDSON, 83**

Ocala - Mrs. Lucille Bryant Richardson Wolfe, 83, died Wednesday, April 25, 2012, in Ocala, Florida, after an illness. Mrs. Wolfe was born January 30, 1929, in Horry County, S.C., a daughter of Acie Albert and Julia Lewis Bryant. She was a retired businesswoman and had served as a hospital administrator. Mrs. Wolfe was a member of Woodside Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida. Surviving Mrs. Wolfe are her children: Ervin (JoAnne) Richardson Jr. of Ocala, Florida, Trudy (Dwayne) Cook of Charlotte, N.C. and Allen Richardson of Little, S.C.; seven grandchildren; two great-grandchildren. Mrs. Wolfe was predeceased by her first husband, Ervin Richardson Sr. and her second husband, John B. Wolfe. Funeral services were held at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 29 at the Chapel of Cox-Collins Funeral Home in Mullins, S.C. Burial followed in McMillan Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Woodside Baptist Church, Building Fund, 2450 NE 28th St., Ocala, Florida, 34470.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 3, 2012**

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Artist. Jane Booth immersed herself into the community where she appreciated being able to belong to the Fillies and to the Ocala Royal Dames. Her professional accomplishments as a real estate broker are noted by the recognition given her as listed in Who's Who in Luxury Real Estate. She was a former member of The Florida Association of Realtors and the Ocala/Marion County Association of Realtors. Who's Who In America also has formally recognized her stature in the real estate community. Jane S. Booth is survived by three step children, seven grandchildren, one great-grandchild; two nieces and a nephew. Memorial contributions may be given in her name to the scholarship previously endowed: George W. Booth Visual Arts Scholarship; Fredonia College Foundation, 272 Central Avenue, Fredonia, New York 14063 (Fax: 716-673-3325) or to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 3 to May 4, 2012

**BURGESS, WILLIE LEE, 73**

Ocala - Willie Lee Burgess 73, passed away on Friday, April 27, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memories: 11 children: Jennifer Burgess-Smith, Fealma Burgess-Smith, Willie "Frank" Burgess, Aretha Burgess-Slater, Sylvester Burgess, William "Adrian" Burgess, Diana McCullough, Pamela Kendrick, Deanna Burgess-Clay, Johnnie "Daphne" Daniels and Shawn Burgess; 17 grandchildren; seven sisters and brothers: Mae Agnes Brooks, Daisy Burgess-Green, Clyde Burgess, George Burgess, Isaac Burgess Jr., Eather Burgess-Stewart and Cynthia Bennett and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 5, 2012, at New Covenant M.B. Church, Rev. Stanley Jacobs, Pastor. Wake will be on Thursday, May 3, 2012, from 7 to 8 p.m. at Welcome Stranger M.B. Church, James Pullings, Pastor. Visitation will be on Friday, May 4, 2012, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a Memory that Will Never Fade".

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**COTTEN, NANCY JO LUSHER, 68**

Greensboro, N.C. - Nancy Jo Cotten, 68, died Sunday, April 29, 2012, at Wesley Long Hospital. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, May 4, 2012, at Forbis and Dick-North Elm Chapel. Pastor Dan Baker will officiate. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Cemetery. Nancy Jo was born June 14, 1943, in Lillybrook, West Virginia, to the late James Leon and Martha Ruth Gallagher Lusher. She retired from Gilbarco after 27 years of service. Nancy enjoyed sitting on her patio, feeding and watching her birds, feeding her deer and just being outdoors. She will be remembered for her love of music and dancing as well as being the best and neatest homemaker and cook. She will be greatly missed by her husband, her children, family, friends and anyone that was fortunate enough to have known her. She is survived by her husband, Thomas Cotten; three daughters: Kimberli, Krista and Kelli Jo; son, Shawn; step-son Tommy; 10 grandchildren, five great-grandchildren; three brothers: Frank, Leon and Billy Lusher of Florida. The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m., Thursday, May 3, 2012, at Forbis and Dick, N. Elm Street Chapel.

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**HANNIBAL, REV. JOHN EDWARD, 74**

Citrus Springs - Rev. John Edward Hannibal, 74, transitioned from this life to his Heavenly Home on April 25, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memories: a loving and devoted wife, Arzula

Mae Hannibal, Citrus Springs, FL.; two daughters, Loretta (Howard) Gunter of Dunnellon, FL and Mattie (Emanuel) Witherspoon, Jr., Citrus Springs, FL.; one son, Calvin (Tracy) Brown of Shiloh, Illinois; one sister, Mollie (Louis) Williams of Bamberg, S.C.; two brothers, Timothy Hannibal of Bamberg, S.C. and Leroy (Herminia) Hannibal of St. Albans, NY; two brother-in-laws, Roosevelt Bryant of Bamberg, S.C. and Deacon Clinton (Idella) Burns, Dunnellon, FL; three sister-in-laws, Romell P. Ingram, Bamberg, S.C.; Ida Anderson and Dorothy Burns, both of Dunnellon, FL.; Grandchildren: Craig (Mollie) Gunter, Rebecca Witherspoon, Amanda Gunter, Elizabeth Calvin, Deidra Witherspoon, Colin and Liam Brown; one god son, Sammie (Lula) Walker; adopted sons and daughters: Ruth Edwards, Lennard (Gloria) Thomas and Fred (Florida) Thomas; eleven great-grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews and cousins. As the sunrise introduces each new day, the birthday of life in this world began for Reverend John E. Hannibal on June 25, 1937 in Bamberg, S.C. He was born to the parents of Deacon James Hannibal, Sr. and Deaconess Lizzie Holman Hannibal. He was the fourth of six siblings, two preceded him in death. He was educated in the public schools of Bamberg, County including Midway School and Richard Carroll High School. At an early age, John Hannibal joined the Pilgrim Baptist Church where he was a devoted member of the choir and the usher board. He was also a member of a quartet group, known as The Wondering Souls. He later moved to Dunnellon, Florida where he met and married Arzula Mae Burns Hannibal on December 18, 1963. Later in life, during the year of 1978, Reverend John E. Hannibal heard the calling of God to preach the Word. He went under the pastoral training/leadership of Reverend Lemuel Washington. He soon after, became the Pastor of Beulah Missionary Baptist Church, Dunnellon, Florida for many years before being called and lead to preach the Gospel at New St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church, Inc., Ocala, Florida where he remained until December 2011, 30 years later, retiring only due to the failing of his health. A Funeral Service will be held 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 5, 2012 at Beulah Missionary Baptist Church, 11732 Illinois Street, Dunnellon, Florida 34431 with Rev. Warren Hardaway, Pastor, Reverend Dr. Fred Maeweather, Sr., officiating. Viewing on Friday 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Saturday at the church 10:00 a.m. until time of service and after the eulogy. Arrangements under the care of Summers Funeral Home Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida 34475, 352-351-0566. Interment: Holder Cemetery, Holder, FL.

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#### **HARRIS, HAROLD JOSEPH, 81**

Ocala - Harold Joseph Harris, 81, of Ocala, formerly of Wall Township, N.J., passed away Friday, April 27, 2012, at Hospice Legacy House of Marion County. He retired in 1992 then moved to Florida. Harold worked for the Wall Township police department in N.J., Seaboard Welding Supply Co. in Oakhurst, N.J., and for Harris Brothers Construction, Wall, N.J. Harold is survived by his loving and devoted wife, Cindy, of 35 years; also his three dogs, Molly, Meshia and Lady; father-in-law, Robert Jobes, Ocala, FL; brother-in-law, Robert Jobes Jr., AZ; also brother- and sister-in-law, James and Rhonda Jobes, N.J., along with a host of other family and friends. Harold and Cindy enjoyed traveling, and their dogs very much.

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#### **LANE, ANNIE MAE, 94**

Ocala - Mrs. Annie Mae Lane, 94, homemaker transitioned from this life to her heavenly home

on Sunday, April 29, 2012, at Sylvia's House Hospice of Marion County. Mrs. Annie Mae Lane was born in Tallahassee, Florida on April 5, 1918. She was educated in the Leon Public School System. She was a member of Greater New Bethel Baptist Church Inc. She is survived by her sons: John A. Isaac Sr. (Faye), George E. Isaac Sr. (Juanita), Joe Brown Lane (Flora), all of Ocala, Florida; 25 grandchildren; a host of great- grands and great-great-grands, cousins and devoted friends. Funeral Services for Mrs. Annie Mae Lane will be held on Saturday May 5, 2012, at 11 a.m. at The Greater New Bethel Baptist Church Inc. 612 Northwest 4th Place, Ocala Florida 34475 with the Reverend Tanya M. Hanks, Pastor conducting the services. Interment will be in the Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, Florida, under the care of Summers Funeral Home, 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida 34475 352-351-0566. Visitation will be on Friday, May 4, 2012, at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. with a wake service starting at 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. and Saturday at the church 10:00 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. A Summers Funeral Service Makes the Difference. Our Family Serving Your Family. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 3 to May 4, 2012

### **PENDLETON, JOSEPH S., 32**

Smyrna, TN - Joseph S. Pendleton, 32, of Smyrna, TN went to be with his Lord, surrounded by his family, Monday, April 30, 2012, after a long and courageous battle with MELAS. Joseph was a veteran of the United States Air Force. He was the beloved son of Sharon Grace and John Lann of La Vergne, TN, and Ernest H. Pendleton of Ocklawaha, FL. He is survived by his sister, Wendy Pendleton Wilson (Joey) of Smyrna, TN, and his brother, Jacob S. Pendleton of Ocala, FL, and two nephews whom he adored: Zachary Blake Wilson of Smyrna, TN and Brock Joseph Pendleton of Ocala, FL. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, John and Emily Grace of Leesburg, FL, and Ernest and Elsie Pendleton of Inverness, FL. The family would like extend their special gratitude to the doctors and nurses at the VA Hospital in Nashville, and Odyssey Hospice for their loving care, comfort and support of Joseph and his family. A Mass of the Resurrection, celebrated by Rev. Joseph Patrick Breen, will be held at St. Edward's Catholic Church, 188 Thompson Lane in Nashville, TN, Friday, May 4, 2012, at 10 a.m., with visitation one hour prior to the service. A graveside service will be held 10 a.m. on May 7th at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd. St., Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Edward's Catholic School to support tuition assistance in memory of Joseph S. Pendleton. NASHVILLE FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICE, 615-256-1605. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 3 to May 4, 2012

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Naples - Mary Elizabeth Spaulding, 89, of Naples, FL, passed away on Tuesday, May 1, 2012. She was born in Saint Catharines, Ontario, Canada on April 13, 1923. Mrs. Spaulding was a retired fashion model. She moved from Miami to Ocala in 1973 and to Naples in 2010. She was a member of Grace Presbyterian Church of Ocala. She was a Red Cross volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala for 17 years. Mrs. Spaulding is survived by her husband, Eugene Spaulding, of Naples; son, Timothy Spaulding, of Ochopee, FL, and son, Christopher Spaulding, of Vero Beach, FL. A funeral service will be held at Grace Presbyterian Church, 2255 SE 38th Street, Ocala, FL 34480, on Saturday, May 5, 2012, at 10:30 a.m. Interment will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Grace Presbyterian Church in memory of Mary Elizabeth Spaulding. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.

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Ocala - Willie Lee Burgess 73, passed away on Friday, April 27, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memories: 11 children: Jennifer Burgess-Smith, Fealma Burgess-Smith, Willie "Frank" Burgess, Aretha Burgess-Slater, Sylvester Burgess, William "Adrian" Burgess, Diana McCullough, Pamela Kendrick, Deanna Burgess-Clay, Johnnie "Daphne" Daniels and Shawn Burgess; 17 grandchildren; seven sisters and brothers: Mae Agnes Brooks, Daisy Burgess-Green, Clyde Burgess, George Burgess, Isaac Burgess Jr., Eather Burgess-Stewart and Cynthia Bennett and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 5, 2012, at New Covenant M.B. Church, Rev. Stanley Jacobs, Pastor. Wake will be on Thursday, May 3, 2012, from 7 to 8 p.m. at Welcome Stranger M.B. Church, James Pullings, Pastor. Visitation will be on Friday, May 4, 2012, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a Memory that Will Never Fade".

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### **DORSEY, ALBERT A., 87**

Anthony - Albert A. Dorsey, 87, of Anthony, died Thursday, May 3, 2012. Mr. Dorsey had lived in Ocala since 1987, moving here from Stuart, Florida, where he owned his own plumbing contracting business. Albert was a very likable guy, a true jokester and people enjoyed his company. He was a loving husband and father. He was a Mason, a Shriner and a member of the VFW. He served his country in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He loved his dog Charlie. He is survived by his loving wife, Dorothy Dorsey; son, Gerald (Donna) Dorsey, Canton, Georgia; daughter, Linda (Dale) Lee, Anthony; four grandchildren: Shannon Young, Scott Dorsey, Stacey Dorsey, Chris Dorsey and two great-grandchildren. The family will receive friends from 6 - 7 p.m. Saturday, May 5, 2012, at the funeral home with the service immediately following at 7 p.m. in the chapel with Pastor Dave Swinyar officiating. Graveside committal service at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens will take place at 11 a.m. Sunday, May 6, 2012. Arrangements entrusted to Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, Florida.

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### **HANNIBAL, REV. JOHN EDWARD, 74**

Citrus Springs - Rev. John Edward Hannibal, 74, transitioned from this life to his Heavenly Home on April 25, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memories: a loving and devoted wife, Arzula Mae Hannibal, Citrus Springs, FL.; two daughters, Loretta (Howard) Gunter of Dunnellon, FL and Mattie (Emanuel) Witherspoon, Jr., Citrus Springs, FL.; one son, Calvin (Tracy) Brown of Shiloh, Illinois; one sister, Mollie (Louis) Williams of Bamberg, S.C.; two brothers, Timothy Hannibal of Bamberg, S.C. and Leroy (Herminia) Hannibal of St. Albans, NY; two brother-in-laws, Roosevelt Bryant of Bamberg, S.C. and Deacon Clinton (Idella) Burns, Dunnellon, FL; three sister-in-laws, Romell P. Ingram, Bamberg, S.C.; Ida Anderson and Dorothy Burns, both of Dunnellon, FL.; Grandchildren: Craig (Mollie) Gunter, Rebecca Witherspoon, Amanda Gunter, Elizabeth Calvin, Deidra Witherspoon, Colin and Liam Brown; one god son, Sammie (Lula) Walker; adopted sons and daughters: Ruth Edwards, Lennard (Gloria) Thomas and Fred (Florida) Thomas; eleven great-grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews and cousins. As the sunrise introduces each new day, the birthday of life in this world began for Reverend John E. Hannibal on June 25, 1937 in Bamberg, S.C. He was born to the parents of Deacon James Hannibal, Sr. and Deaconess Lizzie Holman Hannibal. He was the fourth of six siblings, two preceded him in death. He was educated in the public schools of Bamberg, County including Midway School and Richard Carroll High School. At an early age, John Hannibal joined the

Pilgrim Baptist Church where he was a devoted member of the choir and the usher board. He was also a member of a quartet group, known as The Wondering Souls. He later moved to Dunnellon, Florida where he met and married Arzula Mae Burns Hannibal on December 18, 1963. Later in life, during the year of 1978, Reverend John E. Hannibal heard the calling of God to preach the Word. He went under the pastoral training/leadership of Reverend Lemuel Washington. He soon after, became the Pastor of Beulah Missionary Baptist Church, Dunnellon, Florida for many years before being called and lead to preach the Gospel at New St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church, Inc., Ocala, Florida where he remained until December 2011, 30 years later, retiring only due to the failing of his health. A Funeral Service will be held 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 5, 2012 at Beulah Missionary Baptist Church, 11732 Illinois Street, Dunnellon, Florida 34431 with Rev. Warren Hardaway, Pastor, Reverend Dr. Fred Maeweather, Sr., officiating. Viewing on Friday 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Saturday at the church 10:00 a.m. until time of service and after the eulogy. Arrangements under the care of Summers Funeral Home Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida 34475, 352-351-0566. Interment: Holder Cemetery, Holder, FL.

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#### **HARRIS, HAROLD JOSEPH, 81**

Ocala - Harold Joseph Harris, 81, of Ocala, formerly of Wall Township, N.J., passed away Friday, April 27, 2012, at Hospice Legacy House of Marion County. He retired in 1992 then moved to Florida. Harold worked for the Wall Township police department in N.J., Seaboard Welding Supply Co. in Oakhurst, N.J., and for Harris Brothers Construction, Wall, N.J. Harold is survived by his loving and devoted wife, Cindy, of 35 years; also his three dogs, Molly, Meshia and Lady; father-in-law, Robert Jobes, Ocala, FL; brother-in-law, Robert Jobes Jr., AZ; also brother- and sister-in-law, James and Rhonda Jobes, N.J., along with a host of other family and friends. Harold and Cindy enjoyed traveling, and their dogs very much.

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#### **LANE, ANNIE MAE, 94**

Ocala - Mrs. Annie Mae Lane, 94, homemaker transitioned from this life to her heavenly home on Sunday, April 29, 2012, at Sylvia's House Hospice of Marion County. Mrs. Annie Mae Lane was born in Tallahassee, Florida on April 5, 1918. She was educated in the Leon Public School System. She was a member of Greater New Bethel Baptist Church Inc. She is survived by her sons: John A. Isaac Sr. (Faye), George E. Isaac Sr. (Juanita), Joe Brown Lane (Flora), all of Ocala, Florida; 25 grandchildren; a host of great- grands and great-great-grands, cousins and devoted friends. Funeral Services for Mrs. Annie Mae Lane will be held on Saturday May 5, 2012, at 11 a.m. at The Greater New Bethel Baptist Church Inc. 612 Northwest 4th Place, Ocala Florida 34475 with the Reverend Tanya M. Hanks, Pastor conducting the services. Interment will be in the Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, Florida, under the care of Summers Funeral Home, 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida 34475 352-351-0566. Visitation will be on Friday, May 4, 2012, at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. with a wake service starting at 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. and Saturday at the church 10:00 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. A Summers Funeral Service Makes the Difference. Our Family Serving Your Family.

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**McLEAN, HUGH D., 83**

Ocala - Hugh D. McLean, 83, of Ocala, FL, died April 29, 2012. He was born on June 30, 1928, in Fargo, ND, to John Harvey McLean and Elizabeth McLean. Elizabeth died in September, 1936. John Harvey McLean married Dora Magnuson on December 31, 1937. Hugh was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Beverly, to whom he was married for 56 years. He is survived by daughter, Vicki Folden and husband Rodney of Pleasanton, CA; son, Terry McLean and wife Sandra of Rutland, VT; daughter, Nancy Wollenberg and husband Daniel of Columbus, OH; grandchildren: David Thompson and wife Jean of Jacksonville, FL; Richard Folden and wife Rachel of Manteca, CA; Michael McLean of Poultney, VT; Marc McLean and wife Sara of Rutland, VT; Benjamin Folden of Redmond, WA; Peter and Reid McLean of Kankakee, IL; Morgan and Nicholas Wollenberg of Columbus, OH; great-grandchildren: Kimberley, Zackary and Collin McLean of Rutland, VT; Trey Thompson of Jacksonville, FL; brother, Jay McLean and wife Elizabeth of Madison, WI; brother, Ronald McLean and wife Mona of Fargo, ND; and dear friend, Janie James of Ocala, FL. Preceding Hugh in death were sister Enid McLane and brother Keith McLean. After graduating from high school, Hugh served in the army before attending North Dakota State University where he founded an honorary engineering fraternity. Hugh received his Bachelor of Science degree in Mechanical Engineering from NDSU in 1951. He enjoyed a 40-year career with General Electric before retiring to Ocala, FL, in 1988. Hugh was a devoted member of First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, FL, where he served as an usher. He enjoyed golf, travel, stamp collecting, woodworking and spending time with family and friends at Sacandaga Lake in N.Y. Visitation is Sunday May, 6 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home, 6241 S.W. SR 200, Ocala, FL 34476. Funeral services will begin at 10 a.m. on Monday, May 7 at First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, 511 SE Third Street, Ocala, FL 34471. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery with full military honors. For those who wish, memorial contributions may be made to Interfaith Food for Kids, 435 NW 2nd Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475.

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**PENDLETON, JOSEPH S., 32**

Smyrna, TN - Joseph S. Pendleton, 32, of Smyrna, TN went to be with his Lord, surrounded by his family, Monday, April 30, 2012, after a long and courageous battle with MELAS. Joseph was a veteran of the United States Air Force. He was the beloved son of Sharon Grace and John Lann of La Vergne, TN, and Ernest H. Pendleton of Ocklawaha, FL. He is survived by his sister, Wendy Pendleton Wilson (Joey) of Smyrna, TN, and his brother, Jacob S. Pendleton of Ocala, FL, and two nephews whom he adored: Zachary Blake Wilson of Smyrna, TN and Brock Joseph Pendleton of Ocala, FL. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, John and Emily Grace of Leesburg, FL, and Ernest and Elsie Pendleton of Inverness, FL. The family would like extend their special gratitude to the doctors and nurses at the VA Hospital in Nashville, and Odyssey Hospice for their loving care, comfort and support of Joseph and his family. A Mass of the Resurrection, celebrated by Rev. Joseph Patrick Breen, will be held at St. Edward's Catholic Church, 188 Thompson Lane in Nashville, TN, Friday, May 4, 2012, at 10 a.m., with visitation one hour prior to the service. A graveside service will be held 10 a.m. on May 7th at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd. St., Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Edward's Catholic School to support tuition assistance in memory of Joseph S. Pendleton. NASHVILLE FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICE, 615-256-1605.

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**ROSINSKI, THADDEUS A., 88**

Ocala - Thaddeus Andrew Rosinski, 88, passed away at his home Tuesday, May 2, 2012. Born in Toledo, Ohio, he came here from Toledo 29 years ago after retiring with the Teamsters Union as a semi truck-driver. He enjoyed playing the accordion and collecting antique cars. Preceded in death by son, Thaddeus Alan Rosinski, he is survived by his wife, Ethel Merrick Rosinski; daughters, Betty Rosinski, Ocala; Linda Nichols, St. Paul, MN; son, Eugene Rosinski, Fayette, OH; three grandchildren, Terry, Wendy and Andy; two great-granddaughters, Elizabeth and Michelle. A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. on Sunday, May 6, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony.

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**SPAULDING, MARY ELIZABETH, 89**

Naples - Mary Elizabeth Spaulding, 89, of Naples, FL, passed away on Tuesday, May 1, 2012. She was born in Saint Catharines, Ontario, Canada on April 13, 1923. Mrs. Spaulding was a retired fashion model. She moved from Miami to Ocala in 1973 and to Naples in 2010. She was a member of Grace Presbyterian Church of Ocala. She was a Red Cross volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala for 17 years. Mrs. Spaulding is survived by her husband, Eugene Spaulding, of Naples; son, Timothy Spaulding, of Ochopee, FL, and son, Christopher Spaulding, of Vero Beach, FL. A funeral service will be held at Grace Presbyterian Church, 2255 SE 38th Street, Ocala, FL 34480, on Saturday, May 5, 2012, at 10:30 a.m. Interment will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Grace Presbyterian Church in memory of Mary Elizabeth Spaulding. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 5, 2012****BARTRO, MARGARET M., 69**

Ocala - Margaret "Cindy" Mary Jack Bartro, 69, daughter of James T. Jack and Jane C. Bannon Jack, went home to be with our Lord and Savior April 29, 2012. Margaret is survived by her twin daughters: Stacie Elizabeth Hartranft and Stefanie Kathryn Hyder of South Carolina and her brother, Thomas P. Jack of New York. Margaret, born in Tarrytown, New York, lived the past 10 years in Ocala, Florida, enjoying her life with family and friends. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West handled the arrangements.

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**BASSFORD JR., ROBERT F.**

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### **READING, EDWARD R., 74**

Dunnellon - Edward R. Reading, 74, of Dunnellon, FL, died on April 24, 2012, at the Legacy House in Ocala. Edward was born on December 6, 1937, in Detroit, MI, the son of George and Helen Reading. He was a truck driver for Central Transport. He was a member of the Teamsters Union #299. Edward moved to Dunnellon in 1998 from Warren, Michigan. He was a past president of the P.O.A. Rainbow Springs. Survivors include his wife of 27 years, Gail Reading of Dunnellon, FL; two sons: David Reading of Corona, CA, and James Reading and his wife, Wendy, of Plymouth, MI; two daughters: Kimberly Moss and her husband, Mike, of Troy, MI, and Karen Becker and her husband, Steven, of Livonia, MI; sister, Shirley Reid and her husband, Jack, of Longwood, FL; 10 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews and beloved dog, Joey. Heinz Funeral Home & Cremation, Inverness, FL.

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### **ULRY, STEPHEN MICHAEL, 3**

Ocala - Stephen Michael Ulry, 3, of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, May 2, 2012, at MRMC. Stephen was born in Gainesville, Fla. Stephen loved being outside playing and playing with his Thomas the Train toys. He was a member of Cornerstone United Pentecostal Church of Ocala. Stephen is preceded in death by his grandfather, Charles Fricks. He is survived by his loving parents, Chris and Deborah Ulry of Ocala, Fla; brother, William Ulry of Ocala, Fla; paternal grandparents, Jerry and Marilyn Ulry of Pataskala, Ohio; maternal grandmother, Betty Fricks of Oscella, Ark.; great-grandmother, Glenna Redd of Pleasantville, Ohio; uncle, Derek Ulry of

Nokamis, Fla.; cousins, Skylar Ulry and Zachary Ulry and numerous other cousins with a host of church family and school friends along with his Fire Department family who will truly miss Stephen. The family will be receiving friends on Sunday, May 6, 2012, at the Cornerstone United Pentecostal 3300 SW 66th Street, (304-8989) from 4 to 8 p.m. There will be a celebration of Stephen's life on Monday, May 7 at the church at 11 a.m. with Pastor C. Patton Williams conducting the celebration. Donation in lieu of flowers can be made to: Stephen Michael Ulry Memorial Fund, payable to the parents Christopher or Deborah Ulry at any of the CenterState Banks. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL 352-622-4141  
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#### **BECKHAM, HARVEY D.**

Harvey D. Beckham, age 79 of Interlachen, passed away Thursday, May 3, 2012 at Haven Hospice Roberts Care Center. He was a native of Marion County, FL and served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He had resided in Interlachen for the last 12 years coming from Campville. Harvey was a master plumber and was of the Baptist faith. An avid outdoorsman, he loved hunting, fishing and gardening. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn B. Beckham of Interlachen, a daughter, Marcey Jones and husband, Ron of Melrose, a son, Carroll Hisaw of Interlachen, 4 brothers, Leland Beckham and wife, Carolyn of Palatka, Jake Beckham and wife, Judy of Campville, Dennis Beckham and wife, Clemie of Leesburg and Dale Beckham of Gainesville, 6 sisters, Virgie Collins, June Hinson, Sharon Beckham, Susie Hughey and husband, Clyde all of Gainesville, Betty Stone and husband, Bob of Campville and Molly Boyette of Bronson, 4 grandchildren including, Travis Whitton, 2 great-granddaughters, Mattie Whitton and Elissa Hisaw. No services are scheduled at this time. Memories and condolences may be sent to the family at [www.JohnsonOverturfFunerals.com](http://www.JohnsonOverturfFunerals.com). Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson-Overturf Funeral Home in Interlachen.

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#### **GLANCEY, JOHN PHILIP**

John Philip Glancey passed away April 27, 2012 at Tuscany House in Summerfield from lung cancer. John was born July 13, 1931 in Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada. He was a naturalized U.S. citizen and served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War (oddly, in France). John is survived by two sons, David Glancey and Mark John Glancey. He was married and divorced



twice, last to the late Yvanne Paula Sochan. John has been in a loving long-term relationship with Ms. Johnnie Dripps since 1985. John graduated from Hillside High School, Hillside New Jersey in 1950. He worked for Volco Brass and Copper Company after leaving the Army, and then moved to Ocala, Florida in 1969 where he and Yvanne owned and operated their own thoroughbred horse farm, Beau Mark Farm. There they raised two Florida Thoroughbred Breeder's Award winning Stakes horses. John went on to act as general manager for the following thoroughbred horse farms in Ocala: Rosslara Farm, Hooper Farm, Wycombe House Stud, and Idle Hour Farm. When John managed Idle Hour Farm it was also home to elephants, gorillas, poisonous snakes, rhinos and other exotic animals in the collection of Arthur Jones, the farm's owner. John was the happiest when he was working with large animals, and when on vacation in the Caribbean. In retirement, John greatly enjoyed keeping up with all his friends and exercising at Lifetime Fitness Center, reading, watching boxing matches and travel. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to: The Esther Project, c/o May Consulting Group, 320 North Halstead Street, Suite 140B, Pasadena CA 91107. This charitable organization, a favorite of John's, grants scholarships to student athletes who deserve college educations. Funeral services will be private; John will be interred at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 6 to May 7, 2012

**GODWIN, WILLIAM STANFORD "STAN", 74**

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**READING, EDWARD R., 74**

Dunnellon - Edward R. Reading, 74, of Dunnellon, FL, died on April 24, 2012, at the Legacy House in Ocala. Edward was born on December 6, 1937, in Detroit, MI, the son of George and

Helen Reading. He was a truck driver for Central Transport. He was a member of the Teamsters Union #299. Edward moved to Dunnellon in 1998 from Warren, Michigan. He was a past president of the P.O.A. Rainbow Springs. Survivors include his wife of 27 years, Gail Reading of Dunnellon, FL; two sons: David Reading of Corona, CA, and James Reading and his wife, Wendy, of Plymouth, MI; two daughters: Kimberly Moss and her husband, Mike, of Troy, MI, and Karen Becker and her husband, Steven, of Livonia, MI; sister, Shirley Reid and her husband, Jack, of Longwood, FL; 10 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews and beloved dog, Joey. Heinz Funeral Home & Cremation, Inverness, FL.  
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### **SCOTT, DONALD G.**

Donald G. Scott, 91, of Ocala died Thursday, May 3, 2012. Mr. Scott moved here from Bloomington, Indiana in 1984. He was preceded in death by his wife, Epsie Wray Scott and his son, David Scott. He served in the US Army during WWII. He enjoyed fishing, NASCAR, and most of all watching his three "Golden Great Grandsons" play baseball and enjoy time with them. He is survived by his daughter, Phyllis (Murl) Reeves, two granddaughters, Tammy (Bill) Radomski, Amy Scott; three great grandsons, Corey, Nicholas and Bradley Radomski, all of Ocala; brothers, Richard and James Scott and sisters, Elsie Demontney, Vivian Costa and Norma Long. Please visit [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com) to share words of comfort with the family. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Funeral services will be held at 3:00 PM Monday, May 7, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home. Entombment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, Florida.  
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### **ULRY, STEPHEN MICHAEL, 3**

Ocala - Stephen Michael Ulry, 3, of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, May 2, 2012, at MRMC. Stephen was born in Gainesville, Fla. Stephen loved being outside playing and playing with his Thomas the Train toys. He was a member of Cornerstone United Pentecostal Church of Ocala. Stephen is preceded in death by his grandfather, Charles Fricks. He is survived by his loving parents, Chris and Deborah Ulry of Ocala, Fla; brother, William Ulry of Ocala, Fla; paternal grandparents, Jerry and Marilyn Ulry of Pataskala, Ohio; maternal grandmother, Betty Fricks of Oscella, Ark.; great-grandmother, Glenna Redd of Pleasantville, Ohio; uncle, Derek Ulry of Nokamis, Fla.; cousins, Skylar Ulry and Zachary Ulry and numerous other cousins with a host of church family and school friends along with his Fire Department family who will truly miss Stephen. The family will be receiving friends on Sunday, May 6, 2012, at the Cornerstone United Pentecostal 3300 SW 66th Street, (304-8989) from 4 to 8 p.m. There will be a celebration of Stephen's life on Monday, May 7 at the church at 11 a.m. with Pastor C. Patton Williams conducting the celebration. Donation in lieu of flowers can be made to: Stephen Michael Ulry Memorial Fund, payable to the parents Christopher or Deborah Ulry at any of the CenterState Banks. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL 352-622-4141  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 7, 2012**

### **BECKHAM, HARVEY D.**

Harvey D. Beckham, age 79 of Interlachen, passed away Thursday, May 3, 2012 at Haven Hospice Roberts Care Center. He was a native of Marion County, FL and served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He had resided in Interlachen for the last 12 years coming from Campville. Harvey was a master plumber and was of the Baptist faith. An avid outdoorsman, he loved hunting, fishing and gardening. He is survived by his wife, Carolyn B. Beckham of Interlachen, a daughter, Marcey Jones and husband, Ron of Melrose, a son, Carroll Hisaw of Interlachen, 4 brothers, Leland Beckham and wife, Carolyn of Palatka, Jake Beckham and wife, Judy of Campville, Dennis Beckham and wife, Clemie of Leesburg and Dale Beckham of Gainesville, 6 sisters, Virgie Collins, June Hinson, Sharon Beckham, Susie Hughey and husband, Clyde all of Gainesville, Betty Stone and husband, Bob of Campville and Molly Boyette of Bronson, 4 grandchildren including, Travis Whitton, 2 great-granddaughters, Mattie Whitton and Elissa Hisaw. No services are scheduled at this time. Memories and condolences may be sent to the family at [www.JohnsonOverturfFunerals.com](http://www.JohnsonOverturfFunerals.com). Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson-Overturf Funeral Home in Interlachen.

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### **GLANCEY, JOHN PHILIP**

John Philip Glancey passed away April 27, 2012 at Tuscan House in Summerfield from lung cancer. John was born July 13, 1931 in Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada. He was a naturalized U.S. citizen and served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War (oddly, in France). John is survived by two sons, David Glancey and Mark John Glancey. He was married and divorced twice, last to the late Yvanne Paula Sochan. John has been in a loving long-term relationship with Ms. Johnnie Dripps since 1985. John graduated from Hillside High School, Hillside New Jersey in 1950. He worked for Volco Brass and Copper Company after leaving the Army, and then moved to Ocala, Florida in 1969 where he and Yvanne owned and operated their own thoroughbred horse farm, Beau Mark Farm. There they raised two Florida Thoroughbred Breeder's Award winning Stakes horses. John went on to act as general manager for the following thoroughbred horse farms in Ocala: Rosslara Farm, Hooper Farm, Wycombe House Stud, and Idle Hour Farm. When John managed Idle Hour Farm it was also home to elephants, gorillas, poisonous snakes, rhinos and other exotic animals in the collection of Arthur Jones, the farm's owner. John was the happiest when he was working with large animals, and when on vacation in the Caribbean. In retirement, John greatly enjoyed keeping up with all his friends and exercising at Lifetime Fitness Center, reading, watching boxing matches and travel. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to: The Esther Project, c/o May Consulting Group, 320 North Halstead Street, Suite 140B, Pasadena CA 91107. This charitable organization, a favorite of John's, grants scholarships to student athletes who deserve college educations. Funeral services will be private; John will be interred at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida.

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Home in Sterling Heights, Michigan.

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**DAVIS, DR. RONALD DENVER, 67**

Ocala - Dr. Ronald Denver Davis, Colonel, VC, USAR (RET), 67, of Ocala, FL, died on Monday, April 30, 2012, at his residence of natural causes. Ron was born in Oakland, CA, on October 7, 1944, the son to Mildred Schoonover of Jacksonville, FL, and the late Denver Earl Davis (Martha Davis). He served for over 40 years with the U.S. Army Veterinary Corp. He was also a retired pilot for DHL and lived and worked all around the world. His number one passion was flying and recently was teaching flying classes at OTOW. Ron took advantage of archeology classes and other educational opportunities at "Master The Possibilities" at OTOW. He was an accomplished, self taught pianist. Besides his mother, Ron is also survived by his children: Cortland Starrett (Roxanna) of Brookston, IN, and Tanya Magnon (Phillip) of Alpharetta, GA; sisters: Linda Davis (Joel Sigeti) and Jill Davis-Prickett (David), all of San Diego, CA; grandchildren: Lucas, Hannah, Levi and Ruby Starrett and Lauren and Jacob Magnon; nieces: Katelyn and Adrienne Sigeti. Friends are asked to contact Cort at ronjet@roxsoftware.com regarding a memorial reception on Wednesday evening, May 9, 2012. Condolences may be expressed to [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**NYHOLM, DELLA MAE, 84**

Belleview - Born Nov. 10, 1927, in Flint, Michigan, Della Mae Nyholm, 84, died May 4, 2012, in Ocala, FL. She was a member of St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Belleview, FL. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Stan Nyholm, and is survived by her daughters: Mary (Nolan) Drudge of Ocala, FL, and Wendy (Bill) Krick of Muskegon, MI; grandchildren: Scott (Amanda) Patton, and Jessica (Shaun) Duncan; great-grandchildren: Hannah, Barrett, and Nathan Patton, and Hunter Duncan, all of Belleview, FL. A memorial service will be held at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Belleview on Thursday, May 10, 2012, 4 p.m. If you desire to perpetuate Mrs. Nyholm's memory, memorial contributions may be sent to St. Mary's Building Fund. Arrangements entrusted with Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**PAULEY, JOSEPH DELFORD, 94**

Ansted, West Virginia - Joseph Delford Pauley, 94, of Ansted, passed away at his residence, Saturday, May 5, 2012, following a long illness. Joseph was born June 27, 1917, in Jodie, WV. He was the son of the late Joseph Lucius Pauley and Nellie O'Neal Pauley. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Linda Lou Pauley; grandsons: Kevin Pauley, Jonathan Shuff, Corey Shuff, and a granddaughter, Glenda Clackler; sisters: Beatrice Nutter, Etta Mae Mann, Maggie Stone; brothers: Ralph Pauley, Bob Pauley, Frank Pauley and Harry Pauley. He was first mate in Merchant Marines, a 25-year member of the Masonic Marston Lodge #49 in Fort McCoy, Florida; a coal miner and a member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church of Ansted. He is survived by his wife, Freda "Flo" Pauley of Ansted; children: Gary and Judy Pauley, Brenda Parrish, Larry and Sarah Pauley, Toni Gayle and Herbie Kinsey, Steven and Linda Pauley, Patricia and Bill Kincaid, Murlen and Shelley Paul, Wallace and Karen Paul, Larry and Sue Paul, Mona and John Shuff and Dona Lacy; a brother, Rev. George Pauley of Scott Depot; 23 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren, two great- great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be 11 a.m., Wednesday, May 9, 2012, at Wallace and Wallace Funeral Home Chapel in Ansted with Pastor Gerald Kincaid officiating. Entombment will be at the Chapel of Rest Mausoleum in Victor. Friends may call 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 8, 2012, at Wallace and Wallace Funeral Home Chapel in Ansted. Special thanks to caregivers Kathy Bennett, Brenda Holsclaw and Jean Shears. Masonic rites will be conducted by Hayden Lodge # 113 of Ansted. For online condolences, please visit our web site at [wallaceandwallacefh.com](http://wallaceandwallacefh.com) Wallace and Wallace of Ansted is in charge of the arrangements.

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**BROWN, BARBARA E., 83**

Ocala - Barbara E. Brown, 83, died on April 26, 2012. She was born in Port Maria, Jamaica on January 25, 1929 to Dudley and Enid Wynter. She is survived by her son Xavier Williams, brother Keith of Ocala, Douglas of Gainesville and sister Sonia Wynter of Ocala. Barbara grew up in Jamaica and completed her education there. She worked as a legal secretary for her uncle Allen Wynter. She went to England to pursue a nursing career but returned to Jamaica after one year. She married Ralph Brown and moved to Antigua, West Indies and after the death of Mr.

Brown she moved back to Jamaica and returned to being a legal secretary. She moved to the United States in 1967 and lived in New Rochelle, New York, where she went to work for the Reverend Robert Powell at the Council of Churches in New York City. Until her retirement in 1996 she worked as assistant to Bishop Walter Dennis and after her retirement she moved to Ocala, Florida. She was a member of St. Patrick's Episcopal Church and was also a member of the Daughters of the King, an Episcopal Order. A memorial service will take place on May 12, 2012, at 3 p.m. at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, 3803 NE 7th St. Ocala, Florida. Barbara will be interred in St. Patrick's Memorial Columbarium. In lieu of flowers please make memorial donations to St. Patrick's Daughters of the King.

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**DION, ELLAMAE, 68**

Davenport - Mrs. Ellamae Dion, 68, of Davenport, FL, died Tuesday, May 1, 2012, at the Legacy House in Ocala, FL, after a lengthy illness. She was the wife of Arthur W. Dion, whom she married on June 15, 1962. She was one of Jehovah's Witnesses and firmly believed in the coming of an earthly paradise and the resurrection. She was born on March 17, 1944, in Massachusetts. She is survived by her husband, Arthur; four daughters: Susan of Lewiston, ME; Wendy Williams and husband Scott; Janice Moss and husband James, all of Ocala and Elizabeth of Davenport. She is also survived by eight grandchildren: Amanda, Benjamin, Micah, Peter, Joseph, Alexander, Andrew, and Megan. A memorial service will be held May 19, 2012, at 2 p.m. at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 863 Marion Oaks Manor. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West made the arrangements. To leave condolences [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**DOSSEY, DARRELL "TED," 49**

Ocala - Darrell "Ted" Dossey died Saturday May 5, 2012, at his residence in Ocala, Florida. Darrell was born April 10, 1963, to Hubert and Linda (Horne) Dossey in Ocala, FL, and he was a lifelong resident of Ocala. He was an auto mechanic with the Fleet Management of the Marion

County Sheriff's Office. Darrell was a drag racing enthusiast, but his greatest enjoyment in life came through his son, David Grey and his family. He had a strong love of the Lord and attended Meadowbrook Church. Darrell is survived by his loving wife, Julie Dossey of Ocala; his son, David Grey Dossey of Ocala; his father, Hubert "Butch" (Joyce) Dossey Jr., of Ocala; his mother, Linda (Max) Watson of Skipperville, Alabama; his sisters: Deitra Dossey and Denene Wright of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his infant son, Joshua Brian Dossey. A funeral service will take place on Thursday, May 10, 2012, at 2 p.m. with visitation beginning at 1 p.m. at Meadowbrook Church, 4741 SW 20th St., Ocala, with interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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### **LAW, JUDITH "JUDY," 60**

Palm Bay - Mrs. Judith "Judy" Law, 60 years young, left her family and friends on Thursday May 3, 2012, at Palm Bay Regional Hospital. One of five children, Judy was born and raised in Maryland and relocated to Florida in her late 20's where she has remained since. She is survived by her husband, Ed Law, of Palm Bay; lifelong friend, Jan Bleything of Melbourne, Florida; daughter, LaDonna Budke of Gautier, Mississippi; son, Brad Scott of Ocala, Florida; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. Judy enjoyed looking for treasures at garage sales, baking desserts, eating crab legs, and spending time with her grandchildren. The family will be welcoming friends to celebrate Judy's life at the Scott residence, 1022 NE 4th Street (208-2159) Ocala, Florida, on Saturday, May 12, 2012, from 3 to 5 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to St. Jude's Hospital in Judy's honor.

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West, 6241 SW SR 200 in Ocala, Thursday, May 10, 2012, from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. with a wake service to be at 7 p.m. To leave condolences [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).  
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**PAULEY, JOSEPH DELFORD, 94**

Ansted, West Virginia - Joseph Delford Pauley, 94, of Ansted, passed away at his residence, Saturday, May 5, 2012, following a long illness. Joseph was born June 27, 1917, in Jodie, WV. He was the son of the late Joseph Lucius Pauley and Nellie O'Neal Pauley. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Linda Lou Pauley; grandsons: Kevin Pauley, Jonathan Shuff, Corey Shuff, and a granddaughter, Glenda Clackler; sisters: Beatrice Nutter, Etta Mae Mann, Maggie Stone; brothers: Ralph Pauley, Bob Pauley, Frank Pauley and Harry Pauley. He was first mate in Merchant Marines, a 25-year member of the Masonic Marston Lodge #49 in Fort McCoy, Florida; a coal miner and a member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church of Ansted. He is survived by his wife, Freda "Flo" Pauley of Ansted; children: Gary and Judy Pauley, Brenda Parrish, Larry and Sarah Pauley, Toni Gayle and Herbie Kinsey, Steven and Linda Pauley, Patricia and Bill Kincaid, Murlen and Shelley Paul, Wallace and Karen Paul, Larry and Sue Paul, Mona and John Shuff and Dona Lacy; a brother, Rev. George Pauley of Scott Depot; 23 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren, two great- great-grandchildren. Funeral services will be 11 a.m., Wednesday, May 9, 2012, at Wallace and Wallace Funeral Home Chapel in Ansted with Pastor Gerald Kincaid officiating. Entombment will be at the Chapel of Rest Mausoleum in Victor. Friends may call 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 8, 2012, at Wallace and Wallace Funeral Home Chapel in Ansted. Special thanks to caregivers Kathy Bennett, Brenda Holsclaw and Jean Shears. Masonic rites will be conducted by Hayden Lodge # 113 of Ansted. For online condolences, please visit our web site at [wallaceandwallacefh.com](http://wallaceandwallacefh.com) Wallace and Wallace of Ansted is in charge of the arrangements.

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**REED, NORMA, 82**

Dunnellon - Mrs. Norma Reed, 82, died Sunday, May 6, 2012. She was born in Eskridge, Kansas, and moved to Dunnellon in 1984 from Columbus, Ohio, where she raised her family. She was a retired computer operator with Sears, Roebuck and Company. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon and she enjoyed socializing. Survivors include her sons, Robert (Connie) Reed and Steven (Diane) Reed both of Dunnellon and five grandchildren.

She was predeceased by her husband, Duane, and her parents Vern and Ellvira (Martin) McCoy. Services are scheduled for 1 p.m. Wednesday, May 9, 2012, at Roberts Funeral Home Chapel, Dunnellon. Inurnment will follow at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations in the memory of Mrs. Reed to First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon, 11818 Ohio Street, Dunnellon, Florida 34431. Online condolences may be offered at [robertsofdunnellon.com](http://robertsofdunnellon.com)

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**REISEN JR., HARRY AUGUST, 91**

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**SANTALUCIA, JEAN, 91**

Ocala - Jean Santalucia, 91, died Tuesday, May 2, 2012. She had lived in Ocala since 2007, moving here from Phoenix, Arizona, where she had lived for 25 years. She was born and raised in New York City, a city she loved. Her family continued to live there, and she would return as often as possible. She was a loyal wife, mother and friend who was full of laughter and vitality. She was a dedicated hospital volunteer for 20 years, who received a commendation for her 20 years of work, as well as an active member of her church parish where she taught CCD classes for many years. She is survived by her two daughters: Janet Kennedy of Ocala, Florida, and Carol Dermer, of Santa Barbara, California; four grandchildren, and five great-grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at the assisted living facility at Emeritus at Ocala West, 9070 SW 80th Ave. on Monday, May 14, 2012, at 2 p.m. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West made the arrangements.

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**STEWART, NORMA S., 76**

Dunnellon - Norma S. Stewart, 76, Dunnellon, died Saturday, May 5, 2012. She was born in Dayton, Ohio, and moved to Dunnellon in 1998 from South Bend, Indiana. She was a member of The Riverland Baptist Church and The Lake Tropicana Civic Association. Survivors include her husband Robert "Bob"; daughters: Wendy Henry, South Bend, IN, and Laura Moss, Dunnellon, FL; sisters: Catherine Hartman and Neila Rozow, South Bend, IN five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Services are scheduled for 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 9, 2012, at The Riverland Baptist Church with Pastor Rex Carringer officiating. Inurnment will follow at The Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations in the

memory of Norma Stewart to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474. Online condolences may be offered at robertsofdunnellon.com  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 10, 2012**

#### **BROWN, BARBARA E., 83**

Ocala - Barbara E. Brown, 83, died on April 26, 2012. She was born in Port Maria, Jamaica on January 25, 1929 to Dudley and Enid Wynter. She is survived by her son Xavier Williams, brother Keith of Ocala, Douglas of Gainesville and sister Sonia Wynter of Ocala. Barbara grew up in Jamaica and completed her education there. She worked as a legal secretary for her uncle Allen Wynter. She went to England to pursue a nursing career but returned to Jamaica after one year. She married Ralph Brown and moved to Antigua, West Indies and after the death of Mr. Brown she moved back to Jamaica and returned to being a legal secretary. She moved to the United States in 1967 and lived in New Rochelle, New York, where she went to work for the Reverend Robert Powell at the Council of Churches in New York City. Until her retirement in 1996 she worked as assistant to Bishop Walter Dennis and after her retirement she moved to Ocala, Florida. She was a member of St. Patrick's Episcopal Church and was also a member of the Daughters of the King, an Episcopal Order. A memorial service will take place on May 12, 2012, at 3 p.m. at St. Patrick's Episcopal Church, 3803 NE 7th St. Ocala, Florida. Barbara will be interred in St. Patrick's Memorial Columbarium. In lieu of flowers please make memorial donations to St. Patrick's Daughters of the King.

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#### **COX JR., ELDER THOURMAN, 74**

Ocala - Elder Thourman Cox Jr., passed away on Saturday, May 5, 2012. Elder Cox leaves behind to cherish his memories his beloved wife of 50 years, Mary Daymon Cox; children: Dwayne Cox, Anthony Cox (Brenda), Thournetta Cox (deceased), Keith Cox (Terrie), Malveria Cox-Carter (Robert), Susan Cox-Loadholt (Willie), Elmer Cox (Lashawn), Cedric Cox and Jan Cox-Scott (Ray); 18 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; siblings: Walter Howard (Evelyn), Louis Howard, Maxwell Howard (Mary), Alan Hobbs (Janie), Frank Cox, Lillie Mae Cobb (Boston), Lugenia Howard, Carrie Bell Bostic (Bill) and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service for Elder Cox will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 12, 2012, at Pentecostal Full Gospel Worship Center, Bernard Tuggerson, Pastor, Anthony Cox, Eulogist. Wake will be on Thursday, May 10, 2012, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Temple Church of God by Faith, Elder Jerome Douglas Sr., Pastor. Visitation will be on Friday, May 11, 2012, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade."

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#### **DiGIACOMO, ALFRED A., 89**

Ocala - Alfred A. DiGiacomo, Big "Al" D, 89, of Ocala, FL, went to his eternal rest on May 4, 2012. Born in Passaic, New Jersey, on March 10, 1923, son of the late Anthony and Mary (Senatore) DiGiacomo, he moved here from Saddle Brook, NJ, in 1988. He was a World War II U.S. Army veteran and a life member of the Angela Santos VFW Post #4781 of Ocala, where he served as a founder of the post Honor Guard. He also was a member of the Oak Run Vets, the

New Jersey Club and the Italian American Club. He was of the Catholic faith. His career was that of an engraver with Hermetite of Carlstadt, NJ, for 26 years, retiring in 1982. Al was an avid gardener. He was always ready to lend a helping hand and there was very little he could not fix or build. His volunteer service to the community will be missed. In order to be a good role model for his sons, he served as Cub Scout leader of Pack #237, Saddle Brook, NJ, for several years. He was preceded in death by his sister, Josephine Roselli, and brother, Frank DiGiacomo. Al is survived by his beloved wife of 59 years, Angie, of Ocala, FL; sons: Al DiGiacomo (Elsbeth) of Oakland, NJ, and Richie DiGiacomo (Margie) of Tomball, TX; daughter, Antoinette Kahan (Michael) of Virginia Beach, VA; grandchildren: Jack Kahan (Sarah), Sam Kahan, Vinnie DiGiacomo, Gabbie DiGiacomo; sister, Rose Debaradinis of Orangeburg, NY, and many nieces, nephews and cousins. The memorial service will be announced at a later date followed by committal services at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL, with Angela A. Santos VFW Post #4781 Honor Guard officiating. Al was a dedicated husband, loving father and a kind and gentle grandfather.

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### **DION, ELLAMAE, 68**

Davenport - Mrs. Ellamae Dion, 68, of Davenport, FL, died Tuesday, May 1, 2012, at the Legacy House in Ocala, FL, after a lengthy illness. She was the wife of Arthur W. Dion, whom she married on June 15, 1962. She was one of Jehovah's Witnesses and firmly believed in the coming of an earthly paradise and the resurrection. She was born on March 17, 1944, in Massachusetts. She is survived by her husband, Arthur; four daughters: Susan of Lewiston, ME; Wendy Williams and husband Scott; Janice Moss and husband James, all of Ocala and Elizabeth of Davenport. She is also survived by eight grandchildren: Amanda, Benjamin, Micah, Peter, Joseph, Alexander, Andrew, and Megan. A memorial service will be held May 19, 2012, at 2 p.m. at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 863 Marion Oaks Manor. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West made the arrangements. To leave condolences [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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### **DOSSEY, DARRELL "TED," 49**

Ocala - Darrell "Ted" Dossey died Saturday May 5, 2012, at his residence in Ocala, Florida. Darrell was born April 10, 1963, to Hubert and Linda (Horne) Dossey in Ocala, FL, and he was a lifelong resident of Ocala. He was an auto mechanic with the Fleet Management of the Marion County Sheriff's Office. Darrell was a drag racing enthusiast, but his greatest enjoyment in life came through his son, David Grey and his family. He had a strong love of the Lord and attended Meadowbrook Church. Darrell is survived by his loving wife, Julie Dossey of Ocala; his son, David Grey Dossey of Ocala; his father, Hubert "Butch" (Joyce) Dossey Jr., of Ocala; his mother, Linda (Max) Watson of Skipperville, Alabama; his sisters: Deitra Dossey and Denene Wright of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his infant son, Joshua Brian Dossey. A funeral service will take place on Thursday, May 10, 2012, at 2 p.m. with visitation beginning at 1 p.m. at Meadowbrook Church, 4741 SW 20th St., Ocala, with interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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**FULLER, FLETCHER G.**

Anchorage, Alaska - Fletcher G. Fuller Jr., passed away on May 2, 2012, in Anchorage, AK. He was born to Fletcher G. and Irene Fuller in Ocala, Florida, on September 3, 1937. A memorial service will be held in Anchorage at a later date. Fletcher attended Ocala High School and graduated from the Bolles Military Academy in Jacksonville, Florida, in 1955 and he attended the University of Florida in 1960. Fletcher was a veteran of the United States Army. He worked for RCA as one of the original engineers with the Mercury Space Program and was a radar specialist for the Mercury, Gemini, and Apollo Space programs. He moved to Anchorage, Alaska, in mid-1970 and lived in his adopted state of Alaska which he loved until the time of his death. Fletcher was active in his church and worked in numerous charitable organizations in Anchorage, AK, for the benefit of the homeless. The family states: "He was a good man who will be missed by his friends and family who loved him." He was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his brother, John B. Fuller of Ocala, FL; and his son, Fletcher G. Fuller III of Naples, FL. He is also survived by a large number of loving and caring friends in Anchorage, Alaska, who became part of his extended family. Arrangements are with Janssen's Evergreen Memorial Chapel. To sign the guestbook, please go to [www.janssenfuneralhomes.com](http://www.janssenfuneralhomes.com)

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**KESLING, REV. FRANK RAYMOND, 82**

Laurens, South Carolina - Rev. Frank Raymond Kesling, 82, of 113 Woodrow St., and husband of Betty Ann Jennell Kesling, passed away Monday, May 7, 2012, at Self Regional Medical Center. Born in Hopewell, VA, he was a son of the late James Wilmer and Elsie L. Bowling Kesling and was a U.S. Navy veteran and served as a medic during the Korean War. Rev. Kesling served as an ordained minister from 1961 until 2010 and was a member of First Pentecostal Holiness Church of Clinton. In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters: Frankie J. Martin and Tanya L. Raymer and husband Randy, all of Laurens; a son, Kenny R. Kesling and wife Debbie of Robertsdale, AL; two sisters: Ina V. Wheeler of Orlando, FL, and Kathryn O. Buchanan of Roanoke, VA; 10 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by a daughter, Wilma Dawn Register and a brother, Garth L. Kesling. Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 12, 2012, at 11:30 a.m. at First Pentecostal Holiness Church of Clinton, SC, conducted by the Rev. Sherrell Green and the Rev. Lavelle Craig. Burial with military honors in M. J. Dolly Cooper Veterans Cemetery in Anderson will be Monday, May 14, 2012, at 11 a.m. The family will be at their respective homes and will receive friends at the church from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. prior to the service. Condolences may be expressed online at [www.thekennedymortuary.com](http://www.thekennedymortuary.com)

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**KIMBALL, FREDERICK C., 37**

Ocala - Frederick C. Kimball, 37, of Ocala, passed away May 7, 2012. He was born in Lincoln, Maine, and had owned and operated his own fence company. He is survived by his children: Dakota Bruce and Sheyana Stahl both of Ocala; brothers: Dewayne R. Kimball of Ocala and Wayne "Scotty" McAlpine of Orlando; sister, Kimberly Kimball of Lincoln, ME; mother, Mae Kimball of Lincoln, ME. He was preceded in death by his parents, Frederick C. Kimball and Jacqueline Dunston. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala 732-9944. A condolence message may be left at

www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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**LAW, JUDITH "JUDY," 60**

Palm Bay - Mrs. Judith "Judy" Law, 60 years young, left her family and friends on Thursday May 3, 2012, at Palm Bay Regional Hospital. One of five children, Judy was born and raised in Maryland and relocated to Florida in her late 20's where she has remained since. She is survived by her husband, Ed Law, of Palm Bay; lifelong friend, Jan Bleything of Melbourne, Florida; daughter, LaDonna Budke of Gautier, Mississippi; son, Brad Scott of Ocala, Florida; six grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. Judy enjoyed looking for treasures at garage sales, baking desserts, eating crab legs, and spending time with her grandchildren. The family will be welcoming friends to celebrate Judy's life at the Scott residence, 1022 NE 4th Street (208-2159) Ocala, Florida, on Saturday, May 12, 2012, from 3 to 5 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to St. Jude's Hospital in Judy's honor.

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**MANDALA, ANNA, 92**

Ocala - Mrs. Anna Mandala, 92, passed away in Ocala, FL, on May 7, 2012. She was born in Brooklyn, NY, on January 4, 1920. She was predeceased by her loving husband, James, of 55 years and two children: Barbara and Michael. She attended Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. She moved to Florida in 2004 from Long Island. Anna loved bingo, singing, fashion shows and horse racing. Anna is survived by her son, Joseph (Linda) Mandala of Ocala, FL; three grandchildren: JoAnn Cascio, Renee Mandala and James Mandala; and seven great-grandchildren. A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200 in Ocala, Thursday, May 10, 2012, from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. with a wake service to be at 7 p.m. To leave condolences [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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#### **ADDISON, JR., LOUIS WILSON, 65**

Ocala - Louis Wilson Addison Jr., 65, passed away Monday, May 7, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center after a brief illness. He was born and reared in Ocala, the son of the late Louis and Illinois Addison. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Catherine, and his sister, Margaret Addison Burton. He returned to Ocala after retiring from a career in pharmacy with Walgreen's in Chicago. He was a graduate of Howard High school, class of 1964 and Florida

A&M University School of Pharmacy. He was a member of Zion United Methodist Church and Omega Psi Phi Fraternity. He is survived by cousins: Archie (Clarence) Ferguson, Beatrice Brown, Thelma Johnson and Shirley (Henry) Pinkney; step children: Debra, Latricia, Lawrence, Marcia and Ronald of Chicago; two step grand-daughters; special friends and caregivers: David (Sylvia) Thomas, Joan Armon and Randolph Gillum; and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins. Viewing at Brown's Funeral Home Chapel, 706 SW Martin Luther King, Jr. Ave., Ocala, Saturday, May 12, 2012, from 10 a.m. until 7:30 p.m., and Sunday May 13, from 2 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Funeral services at Zion United Methodist Church on Monday, May 14, 2012 at 11 a.m., pastor Rev. Altheria Lenon officiating. Family has entrusted the care of their loved one to Brown Memorial Funeral Home and Cremations Services, LLC, 706 SW MLK Ave., Ocala, FL, 34471. (352) 840-0611

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**DiGIACOMO, ALFRED A., 89**

Ocala - Alfred A. DiGiacomo, Big "Al" D, 89, of Ocala, FL, went to his eternal rest on May 4, 2012. Born in Passaic, New Jersey, on March 10, 1923, son of the late Anthony and Mary (Senatore) DiGiacomo, he moved here from Saddle Brook, NJ, in 1988. He was a World War II U.S. Army veteran and a life member of the Angela Santos VFW Post #4781 of Ocala, where he served as a founder of the post Honor Guard. He also was a member of the Oak Run Vets, the New Jersey Club and the Italian American Club. He was of the Catholic faith. His career was that of an engraver with Hermetite of Carlstadt, NJ, for 26 years, retiring in 1982. Al was an avid gardener. He was always ready to lend a helping hand and there was very little he could not fix or build. His volunteer service to the community will be missed. In order to be a good role model for his sons, he served as Cub Scout leader of Pack #237, Saddle Brook, NJ, for several years. He was preceded in death by his sister, Josephine Roselli, and brother, Frank DiGiacomo. Al is survived by his beloved wife of 59 years, Angie, of Ocala, FL; sons: Al DiGiacomo (Elsbeth) of Oakland, NJ, and Richie DiGiacomo (Margie) of Tomball, TX; daughter, Antoinette Kahan (Michael) of Virginia Beach, VA; grandchildren: Jack Kahan (Sarah), Sam Kahan, Vinnie DiGiacomo, Gabbie DiGiacomo; sister, Rose Debardinis of Orangeburg, NY, and many nieces, nephews and cousins. The memorial service will be announced at a later date followed by committal services at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL, with Angela A. Santos VFW Post #4781 Honor Guard officiating. Al was a dedicated husband, loving father and a kind and gentle grandfather.

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**DUCKWORTH, JEANNE, 71**

Citra - Jeanne Duckworth, 71, passed away on Wednesday, May 9, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Seymour, IN, and moved to Citra from Boggstown, IN, in 2000. She and her husband operated the Walnut Grove Campground in Boggstown. She is survived by her loving husband of 55 years, Elmer G. Duckworth of Citra; two children; brothers: Mike and Buddy Leaf; two grandsons: Josh and Zach and two great-grandsons: Colton and Logan. She was preceded in death by two brothers: Jimmy and Jerry Leaf. Funeral services will be held on Monday, May 14, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Ft. McCoy Veterans Home.

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**FULLER, FLETCHER G.**

Anchorage, Alaska - Fletcher G. Fuller Jr., passed away on May 2, 2012, in Anchorage, AK. He was born to Fletcher G. and Irene Fuller in Ocala, Florida, on September 3, 1937. A memorial service will be held in Anchorage at a later date. Fletcher attended Ocala High School and graduated from the Bolles Military Academy in Jacksonville, Florida, in 1955 and he attended the University of Florida in 1960. Fletcher was a veteran of the United States Army. He worked for RCA as one of the original engineers with the Mercury Space Program and was a radar specialist for the Mercury, Gemini, and Apollo Space programs. He moved to Anchorage, Alaska, in mid-1970 and lived in his adopted state of Alaska which he loved until the time of his death. Fletcher was active in his church and worked in numerous charitable organizations in Anchorage, AK, for the benefit of the homeless. The family states: "He was a good man who

will be missed by his friends and family who loved him." He was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his brother, John B. Fuller of Ocala, FL; and his son, Fletcher G. Fuller III of Naples, FL. He is also survived by a large number of loving and caring friends in Anchorage, Alaska, who became part of his extended family. Arrangements are with Janssen's Evergreen Memorial Chapel. To sign the guestbook, please go to [www.janssenfuneralhomes.com](http://www.janssenfuneralhomes.com)

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**KESLING, REV. FRANK RAYMOND, 82**

Laurens, South Carolina - Rev. Frank Raymond Kesling, 82, of 113 Woodrow St., and husband of Betty Ann Jennell Kesling, passed away Monday, May 7, 2012, at Self Regional Medical Center. Born in Hopewell, VA, he was a son of the late James Wilmer and Elsie L. Bowling Kesling and was a U.S. Navy veteran and served as a medic during the Korean War. Rev. Kesling served as an ordained minister from 1961 until 2010 and was a member of First Pentecostal Holiness Church of Clinton. In addition to his wife, he is survived by two daughters: Frankie J. Martin and Tanya L. Raymer and husband Randy, all of Laurens; a son, Kenny R. Kesling and wife Debbie of Robertsedale, AL; two sisters: Ina V. Wheeler of Orlando, FL, and Kathryn O. Buchanan of Roanoke, VA; 10 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by a daughter, Wilma Dawn Register and a brother, Garth L. Kesling. Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 12, 2012, at 11:30 a.m. at First Pentecostal Holiness Church of Clinton, SC, conducted by the Rev. Sherrell Green and the Rev. Lavelle Craig. Burial with military honors in M. J. Dolly Cooper Veterans Cemetery in Anderson will be Monday, May 14, 2012, at 11 a.m. The family will be at their respective homes and will receive friends at the church from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. prior to the service. Condolences may be expressed online at [www.thekennedymortuary.com](http://www.thekennedymortuary.com)

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**KIMBALL, FREDERICK C., 37**

Ocala - Frederick C. Kimball, 37, of Ocala, passed away May 7, 2012. He was born in Lincoln, Maine, and had owned and operated his own fence company. He is survived by his children: Dakota Bruce and Sheyana Stahl both of Ocala; brothers: Dewayne R. Kimball of Ocala and Wayne "Scotty" McAlpine of Orlando; sister, Kimberly Kimball of Lincoln, ME; mother, Mae Kimball of Lincoln, ME. He was preceded in death by his parents, Frederick C. Kimball and Jacqueline Dunston. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala 732-9944. A condolence message may be left at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**LARKINS, THOMAS JAMES, 63**

Williston - Thomas James Larkins, 63, of Williston, FL, passed away suddenly on May 9, 2012. He was born on November 21, 1948, in Syracuse, NY, to Thomas Jarome and Beatrice Larkins. He moved to Williston, FL, 4 months ago from Ocala, FL. He was of the Catholic faith. He served in the United States Coast Guard and he retired in 1989 after 23 years of service as a Chief Warrant Officer. He enjoyed fishing, boating, doing carpentry, playing golf and especially playing cards with family. He is survived by his wife of 18 years, Ann Larkins; sons: Jason Larkins, Justin Wunderle (Jennifer); daughters: Shannon Ingles (Lance), Valerie Moreland

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**ADDISON, JR., LOUIS WILSON, 65**

Ocala - Louis Wilson Addison Jr., 65, passed away Monday, May 7, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center after a brief illness. He was born and reared in Ocala, the son of the late Louis and Illinois Addison. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Catherine, and his sister, Margaret Addison Burton. He returned to Ocala after retiring from a career in pharmacy with Walgreen's in Chicago. He was a graduate of Howard High school, class of 1964 and Florida A&M University School of Pharmacy. He was a member of Zion United Methodist Church and Omega Psi Phi Fraternity. He is survived by cousins: Archie (Clarence) Ferguson, Beatrice Brown, Thelma Johnson and Shirley (Henry) Pinkney; step children: Debra, Latricia, Lawrence, Marcia and Ronald of Chicago; two step grand-daughters; special friends and caregivers: David (Sylvia) Thomas, Joan Armon and Randolph Gillum; and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins. Viewing at Brown's Funeral Home Chapel, 706 SW Martin Luther King, Jr. Ave., Ocala, Saturday, May 12, 2012, from 10 a.m. until 7:30 p.m., and Sunday May 13, from 2 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Funeral services at Zion United Methodist Church on Monday, May 14, 2012 at 11 a.m., pastor Rev. Altheria Lenon officiating. Family has entrusted the care of their loved one to Brown Memorial Funeral Home and Cremations Services, LLC, 706 SW MLK Ave., Ocala, FL, 34471. (352) 840-0611

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**DUCKWORTH, JEANNE, 71**

Citra - Jeanne Duckworth, 71, passed away on Wednesday, May 9, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born in Seymour, IN, and moved to Citra from Boggs town, IN, in 2000. She and her husband operated the Walnut Grove Campground in Boggs town. She is survived by her loving husband of 55 years, Elmer G. Duckworth of Citra; two children; brothers: Mike and Buddy Leaf; two grandsons: Josh and Zach and two great-grandsons: Colton and Logan. She was preceded in death by two brothers: Jimmy and Jerry Leaf. Funeral services will be held on Monday, May 14, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be at 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Ft. McCoy Veterans Home.

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**RAPP, MICHAEL RAYMOND, 80**

Ocala - Michael Raymond Rapp, 80, passed away Thursday, April 26, 2012, in Ocala, Florida. He was born in December, 1931, the tenth child of James Henry Rapp and Minnie Elizabeth (Leslie) Rapp in Evansville, Indiana. Mike served in the U.S. Army and was a Korean War veteran, having served in 1951-1953. Mike retired in 1987 after 32 years of service to the United States Postal Service in Indianapolis, Indiana. After retirement, Mike moved to Ocala, Florida, where he enjoyed golfing and traveling. He was a member of the Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. He was preceded in death by his siblings: Daniel (1920), Frank (1924), Marcella (1990), James (1984), John (1995), Ralph (1969), Paul (1977) and Charles (2008). Michael is survived by his sister, Mary A. Guetling (Ralph); daughter, Elizabeth J. McCoy; granddaughters: Kelsey H. McCoy and Jennifer J. McCoy (JT Dominick) and his son, David M. Rapp (Effie Williams) as well as many beloved nieces, nephews and cousins. Chapel services will be conducted at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery in Evansville, IN, on Saturday, May 19, 2012, at 1 p.m. Condolences may be made online at [www.AlexanderWestChapel.com](http://www.AlexanderWestChapel.com).  
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**REEDY, JAMES ERNEST, 69**

Ocala-James Ernest Reedy, 69, died May 12, 2012. He was born August 24, 1942 in Summerfield to Henry and Evelyn Reedy. James was a veteran of the National Guard and worked in the Electric Meter Division for the City of Ocala. He loved having lunch twice a week with fellow workers. He was a member and deacon of the Northside Missionary Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife, Claudia of Ocala; brothers, Robert, Wayne (Mary) and Tom (Pat) Reedy all of Summerfield; brother-in-law Robert Jones also of Summerfield; several nieces and nephews. Services will be held Tuesday, May 15, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Chapel, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd with visitation one hour prior to services with Brother Clinton Currington officiating. Burial will be in Nichols Cemetery, Oxford, FL.  
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Ocala. He was born in Montour Falls, NY, on June 25, 1937, and was the son to the late Lewis R. and Frieda (Nichols) Teemley. He was a U.S. Navy veteran. He graduated from Watkins Glen High School and Simmons School of Embalming and Mortuary Science. Thomas was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. He was an avid Florida Gator fan. He enjoyed cooking, playing golf, playing cards, and volunteering at his church. He was a member of the Elks Club, Mason, Eastern Star, Ocala Gator Basketball Tip-Off Club, and Euchre Club. He is survived by his wife, Bonnie Jean Teemley of Ocala; daughter, Melissa (Paul) Homin; son, Lewis (Pam) Teemley; brother, James (Nancy) Teemley; sister, Irene (Jack) Nelson; and three grandchildren: Karyn Teemley, Morgan and Meredith Homin. He was preceded in death by his parents; sisters: Jeanne and Kate; and brother, Bruce. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, May 16, 2012 at 11 a.m., preceded by family receiving their friends from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL 34481, with Pastor Alan Jefferson officiating. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the Humane Society, 3130 E Silver Springs Blvd.

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**RAPP, MICHAEL RAYMOND, 80**

Ocala - Michael Raymond Rapp, 80, passed away Thursday, April 26, 2012, in Ocala, Florida. He was born in December, 1931, the tenth child of James Henry Rapp and Minnie Elizabeth (Leslie) Rapp in Evansville, Indiana. Mike served in the U.S. Army and was a Korean War veteran, having served in 1951-1953. Mike retired in 1987 after 32 years of service to the United States Postal Service in Indianapolis, Indiana. After retirement, Mike moved to Ocala, Florida, where he enjoyed golfing and traveling. He was a member of the Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. He was preceded in death by his siblings: Daniel (1920), Frank (1924), Marcella (1990), James (1984), John (1995), Ralph (1969), Paul (1977) and Charles (2008). Michael is survived by his sister, Mary A. Guetling (Ralph); daughter, Elizabeth J. McCoy; granddaughters: Kelsey H. McCoy and Jennifer J. McCoy (JT Dominick) and his son, David M. Rapp (Effie Williams) as well as many beloved nieces, nephews and cousins. Chapel services will be conducted at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery in Evansville, IN, on Saturday, May 19, 2012, at 1 p.m. Condolences may be made online at [www.AlexanderWestChapel.com](http://www.AlexanderWestChapel.com).  
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**REEDY, JAMES ERNEST, 69**

Ocala-James Ernest Reedy, 69, died May 12, 2012. He was born August 24, 1942 in Summerfield to Henry and Evelyn Reedy. James was a veteran of the National Guard and worked in the Electric Meter Division for the City of Ocala. He loved having lunch twice a week with fellow workers. He was a member and deacon of the Northside Missionary Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife, Claudia of Ocala; brothers, Robert, Wayne (Mary) and Tom (Pat) Reedy all of Summerfield; brother-in-law Robert Jones also of Summerfield; several nieces and nephews. Services will be held Tuesday, May 15, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Chapel, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd with visitation one hour prior to services with Brother Clinton Currington officiating. Burial will be in Nichols Cemetery, Oxford, FL.  
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**TEEMLEY, THOMAS D., 74**

Ocala - Thomas D. Teemley, 74, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Wednesday, May 9, 2012, in Ocala. He was born in Montour Falls, NY, on June 25, 1937, and was the son to the late Lewis R. and Frieda (Nichols) Teemley. He was a U.S. Navy veteran. He graduated from Watkins Glen High School and Simmons School of Embalming and Mortuary Science. Thomas was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. He was an avid Florida Gator fan. He enjoyed cooking, playing golf, playing cards, and volunteering at his church. He was a member of the Elks Club,

Mason, Eastern Star, Ocala Gator Basketball Tip-Off Club, and Euchre Club. He is survived by his wife, Bonnie Jean Teemley of Ocala; daughter, Melissa (Paul) Homin; son, Lewis (Pam) Teemley; brother, James (Nancy) Teemley; sister, Irene (Jack) Nelson; and three grandchildren: Karyn Teemley, Morgan and Meredith Homin. He was preceded in death by his parents; sisters: Jeanne and Kate; and brother, Bruce. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, May 16, 2012 at 11 a.m., preceded by family receiving their friends from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL 34481, with Pastor Alan Jefferson officiating. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the Humane Society, 3130 E Silver Springs Blvd.

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### **WADLINGTON, LOIS DANIELS, 73**

Lois Daniels Wadlington, 73, Ocklawaha, FL, died Wednesday, May 9, 2012. She was born in Ft. Myers, FL and moved to Summerfield, FL 12 years ago from West Palm Beach, FL. Survivors include daughter Belinda W. Seeley; sons Earl Wadlington, John Wayne Wadlington and Bill Wadlington; 8 Grandchildren and 7 Great Grandchildren. A funeral service will be held on Monday, May 14, 2012, 11:00a.m. at the Lady Lake Chapel of Beyers Funeral Home, Dr. Alan Holden officiating. Visitation will be from 10:00a.m. to 11:00a.m. prior to the service. Interment will be in Lady Lake Cemetery at 2:00p.m. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 15, 2012**

#### **COE, JOAN L., 81**

Ocala - Joan L. Coe, 81, of Ocala, FL, died on May 8, 2012. Joan was a retired pet store manager. She was born in Carthage, South Dakota. She was a member of the Kendrick United Methodist Church and the Order of Eastern Star. Survivors include her daughter, Janice A. Crosby (Deric) of Ohio, and a son, William H. Coe of Florida. She was predeceased by her husband of 60 years, William A. Coe, and daughter, Debra Karraker. She has three grandchildren: Phillip Crosby (Susan), Josh Cutler (Traci) and Jeremy Cutler (Jenny) and two great-grandchildren: Noah Cutler and Kaleb Cutler.

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#### **JUBELIRER, CAROLYN, "CAROL" R., 66**

Ocala - Carolyn "Carol" R. Jubelirer, 66, died at her residence in Ocala May 12, 2012. She was born January 4, 1946, in Pittsburgh, PA, to Howard and Nancy Simpson Snyder. She was of the Presbyterian faith. At age 18 she started nursing school and graduated within three years as a registered nurse. Next she completed her Bachelor's degree from the University of Pittsburgh in 1976. She continued her education at the University of South Florida obtaining her Master's degree. She worked 40 years in the healthcare field ending her career as the nursing director for the Marion County Health Department. She is survived by daughter, Smyth Allison Roberts of Ocala and a sister, Patricia Snyder of Albuquerque, NM. A memorial service will be held Thursday, May 17, 2012, at 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Chapel, 910 SE Silver

Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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**OSTHOFF, WILBUR, "WILL", 88**

Ocala - Wilbur "Will" Osthoff died May 11, 2012, in Ocala after a lengthy illness. A long-time resident of Bartow and Lakeland, FL, he was born in Gardner, FL, on Jan. 14, 1924. He served his country in World War II in the 101st Airborne division in Europe. An avid sportsman, he played semi-professional baseball in the minor leagues and was the Bartow Golf Club champion twice. He coached little league baseball in Bartow for a number of years. A loving husband, father and grandfather, he is survived by his wife and high school sweetheart, Blanche; two children, Marla Dieffenwierth and Steve Osthoff of Ocala; four grandchildren, Leigh Wright and Janna Abbott of Ocala, Joey Osthoff of Lake Worth, FL and Katie Osthoff of Philadelphia, PA; two brothers, Melvin of Bartow and Carl of Mina, AK. He will be interred at the military cemetery in Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860.

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**REID, RICHARD, 63**

Hernando - Richard Thomas Reid, 63, passed away on Friday, May 11, 2012, at the Hospice of Citrus County. Born in Miami, he moved to Ocala in 1981. He enjoyed fishing and hunting, especially deer and alligator. He owned and operated All American Athletic Floors, Inc., for over 30 years. He is survived by his wife of 35 years, Marilyn Reid of Hernando; son, Tommy Reid of Hernando; daughter, Jennifer Reid of Hernando; sister, Ann McCabe of Ocala; sister, Carolyn Moseley of Ocala; brother, Andy Reid of Reddick; brother, Phil Reid of Weston; and numerous nieces and nephews. Richard was preceded in death by his parents; and brothers, Bruce, John, and Mick. A funeral ceremony will be held at 11 a.m., on Friday, May 18, 2012, at Fairfield Presbyterian Church, 15096 NW Hwy 225, with Pastor Tommy Reaves officiating. A visitation will be held one hour prior to the ceremony. The committal ceremony will follow the service at the church cemetery. The family will accept flowers, however, memorial contributions can be made to Harvest International, PO Box 6690, Ocala, FL 34478, or Burzynski Clinic, 9432 Katy Freeway, Houston, TX. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Funeral arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481.

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**SWAFFORD, WALTER, "WALT", 74**

Ocala - Walter "Walt" Swafford, 74, of Ocala, passed away May 12, 2012, at home. He was born on February 18, 1938, in Charleston, Tennessee, a son to the late Oscar and Mildred (Willet) Swafford. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by a son, David, and several brothers and sisters. He leaves behind to cherish his memories, his wife of 16 years, Mary; sons, Gary (Alice) Swafford of Cleveland, TN, Steve Swafford, also of Cleveland, TN; daughters, Karen (Tim) Nichols and Pat (Jim) Freeman, both of Cleveland, TN; stepson, Jimmy (Pam) Kelley of Crossett, AK; brothers, Dennis Swafford of Zephyrhills, FL, Jimmy (Hazel) Swafford, Cleveland, TN; sisters, Hazel (Ray) Slack of Chicago, Bonnie Faye Scarborough of Cleveland, TN; 13 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren. A visitation has been scheduled for May 16 from 10 a.m. until 11 a.m. with the funeral to follow at 11 a.m. at Fort Douglas

Baptist Church, 2790 SW 87th Place, Ocala, FL, 34476. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 16, 2012**

#### **ARMITAGE, EDWARD THOMAS, 79**

Williston - Edward Thomas Armitage, 79, died May 6, 2012, in Williston, FL. Mr. Armitage was born August 17, 1933 in Colrain, MA. He proudly served our country in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict, and was a Purple Heart recipient. He is survived by his beloved wife of 39 years, Bonita (Clark) of Williston, FL; a son, Thomas, of Beckett, MA; daughters, Joanne (Arthur) Perry of Westfield, MA, and Judith (Robert) McCarthy of Williston, FL, grandchildren, Donald Provo, Jr., Melyssa Taylor, and John Armitage, and great-grandchildren, Skyla Buck, and Roman Viess; sisters, Dorothy Harris, Julia Clark, Barbara Cadran; brothers, Pat Wrisley, James Wrisley, and Lyman Wrisley. Preceded in death by his sister, Peggy Johnson; brother, Raymond Wrisley; mother, Ellen Wrisley; and his dog, Holly. Graveside service will be held Monday, May 21, 2012, at 12:30 p.m., at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. If you wish to perpetuate Mr. Armitage's memory, memorials may be sent to Haven Hospice of Levy County, or the American Cancer Society, Franklin County Relay For Life. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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#### **CHOQUETTE, JR., JOSEPH L., 83**

Rutland, VT -- Joseph L. Choquette, Jr., 83, formerly of Lebanon, N.H., Rutland, Vt., and Ocala, Fla., passed away on Sunday, May 13, 2012, at the Rutland Hospital. Born in White River Junction, Vt., on Feb. 10, 1929, he was the eldest son of Joseph L. Choquette, Sr. and Clara Hunt Choquette. He attended Hartford grammar schools and Hartford High School, where he was graduated in 1947. He married Grace R. Beliveau of Lebanon on Feb. 22, 1949, at the Sacred Heart Church in Lebanon. Mr. Choquette was a salesman and route supervisor for the Ward Baking Company in White River Junction for many years and joined the John Hancock Life Insurance Company in 1963. He was a Certified Life Underwriter and later was the sales manager for John Hancock in Rutland, Albany, N.Y. and Claremont, N.H. He retired from John Hancock in 1985 and found a second career as a funeral services assistant at the Ricker Funeral Home in Lebanon, where he worked for 10 years. He retired in 1994, and became a full-time resident of Ocala, where he lived until this year. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus at Christ the King Church in Rutland and the Kiwanis Club of Rutland. He was a lector and Eucharistic minister at Catholic churches in Mount Holly, Vt., Claremont, N.H. and Ocala. An accomplished drummer, he performed in the orchestra for musical productions at Dartmouth College, at concerts in the park with the Lebanon City Band and later with the Lyme Town Band. He was a scout leader, avid outdoorsman and a master storyteller. Mr. Choquette is survived by his wife, Grace; and by his children Tauna C. and Ronald J. Leathers of Laramie, Wyo., Joseph L. Choquette, III and Tammie S. Paterson of Barre, VT, Kathy C. and Michael Stanley of Fair Haven, Vt.; and son-in-law Gary E. Kasper, of Middletown, Pa. He was predeceased by a daughter, Susan C. Kasper. He is also survived by his sister, Simonne C. Shepard and her husband, Jay, of Enfield, NH; brother, Peter M. Choquette and his wife

Charlotte of Anaheim, Cal., 11 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Friends may call from 5-7 p.m. on Thursday, May 17, 2012, at the Ricker Funeral Home in Lebanon. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated by Rev. Dr. William Kaliyadan, M.S., at the Sacred Heart Church in Lebanon at 11 a.m. on Friday. Interment at the Hartford, Vt. cemetery will be held at a later date at the convenience of the family. Expressions of sympathy can be sent to 929 River Street in Fair Haven, VT, 05743. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in memory to Hospice of Lancaster County, PA., PO Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17640-4125. Condolences can be shared with the family by visiting [www.rickerfuneralhome.com](http://www.rickerfuneralhome.com).

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### **COE, JOAN L., 81**

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### **DAVIS, JOHN "JACK", 81**

Dunnellon - John "Jack" Davis, 81, beloved husband, father, grandfather and friend passed away May 14, 2012. Jack was a remarkable man of intelligence, humor and wit. Born in New York, NY. He moved to Miami in 1933. He proudly served his country in the Navy, during the Korean conflict. An employee of Florida Power and Light for 34 years, he retired to Dunnellon, Florida, in 1987. Jack enjoyed a full and active life playing golf, sailing, traveling and piloting his small plane. He was an avid reader who read two newspapers a day and his conversation was always lively and engaging. Our dear Jack's sense of humor and easy-going nature will be greatly missed. He is survived by his wife of 58 years Ruth; his three children, Carol Davis Bullock (Ft. Lauderdale), John Davis and daughter-in-law Kristen Davis (Ft. Lauderdale) and Keith Davis (Daytona Beach); and his three grandchildren Lauren Davis-Cummings (Charleston), Garrett Davis (Delray Beach) and Austin Davis (Boston). For those of you who wish, please make donations to Hospice of Marion County in Jack's memory. There will be a "Celebration of Life" at the Rainbow Springs Country Club at 1 p.m., May 20, 2012. Please respond @352-489-3348 by May 18th. Condolences may be left at [www.RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://www.RobertsofDunnellon.com)

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### **FERRENTINO-FORT, NICOLE ELAINE, 33**

Ocala - Nicole Elaine "Nikki" Ferrentino-Fort, 33, passed away on May 10, 2012. Born in Knoxville, Tennessee, she lived most of her life in Florida and moved back to Ocala from Clearwater six years ago. She worked as an administrative assistant for the family's building construction business. She was instrumental in the development of Ocala's Light the Night for the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. Preceded in death by her father, Edward Joseph Ferrentino; she is survived by son, Cody Joseph Fort; daughter, Caylea Nicole Fort; mother, Barbara A. Ferrentino; and brother, Edward J. "Cicc" Ferrentino, Jr. Family will receive friends between 6:30-8:30 p.m., Friday, May 18, 2012, at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in the chapel.

Memorial Mass will be 10 a.m., Saturday, May 19, 2012, in the church with Father Patrick Sheedy officiating. Family requests donations to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society in lieu of flowers.

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**HARNESSESS, FRANCES GLADDEN HARRELL, 86**

Ocala - Mrs. Frances Gladden Harrell Harness, 86, of Ocala, died Friday, May 11, 2012, at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born in Mystic, Georgia, she moved to Ocala in 1950. She retired after working for many years at Libby, McNeill, and Libby in Ocala. Mrs. Harness is survived by her daughter, Nelda Pryor, of Tucson, Arizona; sons, Donald Harrell of Sparr, and Tex Harrell of Ocala, nine grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held from 5 until 8 p.m., Friday, May 18, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will be in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala.

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**LANIER, LEVI JORDAN, 26**

Ocala - Levi Jordan Lanier, 26, passed away on Saturday, May 12, 2012. Born in Orlando, he moved to Marion county from Alaska in 2000. He loved Alaska and was in Anchorage for a few months just recently. He worked as an automotive parts consultant. He was known for his kind heart and sweet smile. He was beloved by his family and many friends and will always be greatly missed. He is survived by his mother and step-father, Kathlene and Steven Albritton; father and step-mother, David and Sonya Lanier; brothers, Duane (Christy) Dennis, Anchorage, AK; Jared Dennis, Chase Albritton, Mason Albritton, Justin Albritton, Jackson Albritton, Jonathan Foster, David Lanier II, Dylan Lanier, Chandler Bushing; sister, Katya Albritton; maternal grandparents, Mary and Wes Clark; Tommie and Linda Thompson; paternal grandparents, Mike and Donna Neighbors; and paternal great-grandmother, Maud Cheek. Visitation will be held 10 until - noon, Saturday, May 19, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, with funeral services at 12 p.m. with Rev. Austin Tucker officiating.

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### **SCHROEDER, WILLIAM S., 82**

Vero Beach - William S. Schroeder, 82, (Colonel, USA, Ret.), West Point Class of 1952, passed away on May 13, 2012, in Vero Beach, after a short illness. Services will be held at 2:30 pm., Thursday, May 17, 2012, at St. Mark's Anglican Church, Vero Beach. His final resting place will be at USMA in West Point, NY, following full military honors on Wednesday, May 23, 2012. Bill was born in Tin Tsin, China, on October 14, 1929 to Staff Sergeant William Schroeder and wife Anna. He was a graduate of USMA, West Point, NY, class of 1952. The day after his graduation, Bill married Joan Margurite Dolfinger, the angel of his life, on June 4, 1952. They have been married for 59 loving years. During his military career, Bill served two tours in Vietnam ('61 and '67). His first tour in Vietnam was as a special forces advisor and his second tour was as a battalion commander for the 199th Light Infantry Brigade (Redcatchers). He served in Hawaii, where he led several special op assignments. His last tour of duty was in Fort Bragg, North Carolina, in special operations. He retired from the Army in 1976, and began a 28 year career as a stock broker in Ocala, with EF Hutton Company and ending his career with Legg Mason in Vero Beach. Other than his career and family, Bill's greatest passion was helping others. He was the president of "Us Too", men's prostate group, in the state of Florida. He served



for a number of years working with small business owners for the Small Business Administration for 22 counties in north and central Florida. Bill was an expert on the subject of terrorism and gave numerous speeches on the subject. Bill also mentored several young men and women who desired to attend West Point and have a career in the Army. Bill is survived by his wife, his angel, Joan Schroeder; his three children, Karen Hodges of Charlotte, NC, Wayne Schroeder and wife Christa, Vero Beach, and Major Vince Ball, MD and wife Janice, Puyallup, WA; his eight grandchildren, Bradley Hodges and his wife Brooke, Wilmington, NC, Ashley Hodges, Charlotte, NC, Daniel Hodges, Matthews, NC, Christine Schroeder, Vero Beach, Kirk Schroeder, Staten Island, NY, Ryan Ball, Puyallup, WA, Jordyn Ball, Puyallup, WA, Sydney Ball, Puyallup, WA; one great-granddaughter, Riley Hodges, Wilmington, NC; cousins, Mary Lou Frieberg, Baton Rouge, LA, Linda Schroeder, Elberta, AL; his best friend, Charlie; and other family members and a host of friends. In lieu of flowers, donations in the name of William S. Schroeder can be made to Wounded Warrior Project, mailed to P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, Kansas 66675.

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#### **SWAFFORD, WALTER, "WALT", 74**

Ocala - Walter "Walt" Swafford, 74, of Ocala, passed away May 12, 2012, at home. He was born on February 18, 1938, in Charleston, Tennessee, a son to the late Oscar and Mildred (Willet) Swafford. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by a son, David, and several brothers and sisters. He leaves behind to cherish his memories, his wife of 16 years, Mary; sons, Gary (Alice) Swafford of Cleveland, TN, Steve Swafford, also of Cleveland, TN; daughters, Karen (Tim) Nichols and Pat (Jim) Freeman, both of Cleveland, TN; stepson, Jimmy (Pam) Kelley of Crossett, AK; brothers, Dennis Swafford of Zephyrhills, FL, Jimmy (Hazel) Swafford, Cleveland, TN; sisters, Hazel (Ray) Slack of Chicago, Bonnie Faye Scarborough of Cleveland, TN; 13 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren. A visitation has been scheduled for May 16 from 10 a.m. until 11 a.m. with the funeral to follow at 11 a.m. at Fort Douglas Baptist Church, 2790 SW 87th Place, Ocala, FL, 34476. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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#### **TUGGERSON, JIMMIE JAMES**

Ocala - Jimmie James Tuggerson passed suddenly on Thursday, May 10, 2012. He is preceded by two sons: Jimmy (Jackie) Washington Sr., and Ronnie James Tuggerson. He leaves to cherish his memories his wife, Marian Franks-Tuggerson of Silver Springs Shores; sons: Apostle Bernard (Lillie) Tuggerson Sr. of Ocala, FL; Jimmie (Selicia) Tuggerson Jr. of Hawthorne, FL, Alvis (Cathy) Tuggerson of Reddick, FL, Glenn (Roselle) Franks Sr. of Silver Springs Shores, FL, Leonard E. Franks, Eric (Michele) Franks, of Philadelphia, PA, Alan Brewster, Jeryl Brewster of Baltimore, MD; daughters: Carolyn (Charles) Munnerlyn of Reddick, FL, Joyce Tuggerson-Roberts of Summerfield, FL, JoAnn (Aaron) Munnerly of Hawthorne, FL, Janice Tuggerson of Fort Myers, FL, Sharon Franks-Govan, Erlene Malone of Philadelphia, PA; one sister, Cassie James of Rochester, NY, and one brother, Negley Tuggerson Sr. of Sparr, FL. Together Marian and Jimmie have a combined number of 77 grandchildren, 83 great-grandchildren, 35 great-great-grandchildren and a numerous host of nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and co-workers. Jimmie Tuggerson was a hard working man, yet ever so tender towards everyone he met. He had a passion for hunting and fishing. Jimmie was a blessing to everyone.

He cherished the little things in life. He lived a long, wonderful life and now he's in the hands of the Lord. He'll give us strength to hold on when we think we no longer can hold on. He'll place his hand upon our shoulder when we are in need of help. He'll be there when we have it in our minds that we have no one else to turn to. He was a good man to all of us and will never be forgotten, in our minds, hearts nor soul. A wake will take place on May 17, 2012, at 7 p.m. The viewing of our beloved on May 18, 2012, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Both will be at Sellers Funeral Home, 440 SW Broad St., Ocala, FL. A funeral service will take place at 11 a.m. on May 19 at Pentecostal Full Gospel Church, 5105 US Hwy 441, Ocala, FL.  
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#### **ARMITAGE, EDWARD THOMAS, 79**

Williston - Edward Thomas Armitage, 79, died May 6, 2012, in Williston, FL. Mr. Armitage was born August 17, 1933 in Colrain, MA. He proudly served our country in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict, and was a Purple Heart recipient. He is survived by his beloved wife of 39 years, Bonita (Clark) of Williston, FL; a son, Thomas, of Beckett, MA; daughters, Joanne (Arthur) Perry of Westfield, MA, and Judith (Robert) McCarthy of Williston, FL, grandchildren, Donald Provo, Jr., Melyssa Taylor, and John Armitage, and great-grandchildren, Skyla Buck, and Roman Viess; sisters, Dorothy Harris, Julia Clark, Barbara Cadran; brothers, Pat Wrisley, James Wrisley, and Lyman Wrisley. Preceded in death by his sister, Peggy Johnson; brother, Raymond Wrisley; mother, Ellen Wrisley; and his dog, Holly. Graveside service will be held Monday, May 21, 2012, at 12:30 p.m., at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. If you wish to perpetuate Mr. Armitage's memory, memorials may be sent to Haven Hospice of Levy County, or the American Cancer Society , Franklin County Relay For Life . Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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#### **CHOQUETTE, JR., JOSEPH L., 83**

Rutland, VT -- Joseph L. Choquette, Jr., 83, formerly of Lebanon, N.H., Rutland, Vt., and Ocala, Fla., passed away on Sunday, May 13, 2012, at the Rutland Hospital. Born in White River Junction, Vt., on Feb. 10, 1929, he was the eldest son of Joseph L. Choquette, Sr. and Clara Hunt Choquette. He attended Hartford grammar schools and Hartford High School, where he was graduated in 1947. He married Grace R. Beliveau of Lebanon on Feb. 22, 1949, at the Sacred Heart Church in Lebanon. Mr. Choquette was a salesman and route supervisor for the Ward Baking Company in White River Junction for many years and joined the John Hancock Life Insurance Company in 1963. He was a Certified Life Underwriter and later was the sales manager for John Hancock in Rutland, Albany, N.Y. and Claremont, N.H. He retired from John Hancock in 1985 and found a second career as a funeral services assistant at the Ricker Funeral Home in Lebanon, where he worked for 10 years. He retired in 1994, and became a full-time resident of Ocala, where he lived until this year. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus at Christ the King Church in Rutland and the Kiwanis Club of Rutland. He was a lector and Eucharistic minister at Catholic churches in Mount Holly, Vt., Claremont, N.H. and Ocala. An accomplished drummer, he performed in the orchestra for musical productions at Dartmouth College, at concerts in the park with the Lebanon City Band and later with the Lyme Town

Band. He was a scout leader, avid outdoorsman and a master storyteller. Mr. Choquette is survived by his wife, Grace; and by his children Tauna C. and Ronald J. Leathers of Laramie, Wyo., Joseph L. Choquette, III and Tammie S. Paterson of Barre, VT, Kathy C. and Michael Stanley of Fair Haven, Vt.; and son-in-law Gary E. Kasper, of Middletown, Pa. He was predeceased by a daughter, Susan C. Kasper. He is also survived by his sister, Simonne C. Shepard and her husband, Jay, of Enfield, NH; brother, Peter M. Choquette and his wife Charlotte of Anaheim, Cal., 11 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Friends may call from 5-7 p.m. on Thursday, May 17, 2012, at the Ricker Funeral Home in Lebanon. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated by Rev. Dr. William Kaliyadan, M.S., at the Sacred Heart Church in Lebanon at 11 a.m. on Friday. Interment at the Hartford, Vt. cemetery will be held at a later date at the convenience of the family. Expressions of sympathy can be sent to 929 River Street in Fair Haven, VT, 05743. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in memory to Hospice of Lancaster County, PA., PO Box 4125, Lancaster, PA 17640-4125. Condolences can be shared with the family by visiting [www.rickerfuneralhome.com](http://www.rickerfuneralhome.com).

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### **DAVIS, JOHN "JACK", 81**

Dunnellon - John "Jack" Davis, 81, beloved husband, father, grandfather and friend passed away May 14, 2012. Jack was a remarkable man of intelligence, humor and wit. Born in New York, NY. He moved to Miami in 1933. He proudly served his country in the Navy, during the Korean conflict. An employee of Florida Power and Light for 34 years, he retired to Dunnellon, Florida, in 1987. Jack enjoyed a full and active life playing golf, sailing, traveling and piloting his small plane. He was an avid reader who read two newspapers a day and his conversation was always lively and engaging. Our dear Jack's sense of humor and easy-going nature will be greatly missed. He is survived by his wife of 58 years Ruth; his three children, Carol Davis Bullock (Ft. Lauderdale), John Davis and daughter-in-law Kristen Davis (Ft. Lauderdale) and Keith Davis (Daytona Beach); and his three grandchildren Lauren Davis-Cummings (Charleston), Garrett Davis (Delray Beach) and Austin Davis (Boston). For those of you who wish, please make donations to Hospice of Marion County in Jack's memory. There will be a "Celebration of Life" at the Rainbow Springs Country Club at 1 p.m., May 20, 2012. Please respond @352-489-3348 by May 18th. Condolences may be left at [www.RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://www.RobertsofDunnellon.com)

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### **FEINGOLD, LAURA MACK SMITH**

Jacksonville - Laura Mack Smith Feingold passed from this life on Monday, May 14, 2012, after spending a final Mother's Day with her children, Fonda, Alan, Roger, and his wife, Sharon. She is also survived by three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Feingold, and was the last remaining child of the William Henry and Donie Elizabeth Smith family of Martin, Florida. She was a graduate of Reddick High School. Laura enjoyed 91 wonderful years of life and inspired a great love of music and nature in her children. Memorials may be sent to Taylor Care Center, 6535 Chester Ave., Jacksonville, FL 32217. Arrangements by Hardage-Giddens Funeral Home, 4115 Hendricks Ave., Jacksonville, FL 32207.

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### **FERRENTINO-FORT, NICOLE ELAINE, 33**

Ocala - Nicole Elaine "Nikki" Ferrentino-Fort, 33, passed away on May 10, 2012. Born in Knoxville, Tennessee, she lived most of her life in Florida and moved back to Ocala from Clearwater six years ago. She worked as an administrative assistant for the family's building construction business. She was instrumental in the development of Ocala's Light the Night for the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society. Preceded in death by her father, Edward Joseph Ferrentino; she is survived by son, Cody Joseph Fort; daughter, Caylea Nicole Fort; mother, Barbara A. Ferrentino; and brother, Edward J. "Cicc" Ferrentino, Jr. Family will receive friends between 6:30-8:30 p.m., Friday, May 18, 2012, at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in the chapel. Memorial Mass will be 10 a.m., Saturday, May 19, 2012, in the church with Father Patrick Sheedy officiating. Family requests donations to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society in lieu of flowers.

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**GROVES, KATHLEEN ANDERSON, 53**

Ocala - Kathleen Anderson Groves, 53, entered into eternal life on May 13, 2012 surrounded by her loving family. She was born on June 18, 1958 to Elaine Middaugh and Leonard Anderson in Warren, Pennsylvania. She came to Florida in 1971 from her birthplace. She was the beloved wife for 33 years of Mike Groves of Ocala, FL. She will be dearly missed by her two daughters, Lindsay Groves and Emily Groves of Gainesville, FL. She is preceded in death by her parents Elaine Willis of The Villages, FL and Leonard Anderson of Eustis, FL; sister, Karen Landy of Melbourne, FL; brother, Craig Anderson of Winter Garden, FL; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was a loving wife, mother, daughter, sister, aunt and friend. Second to her strong faith was her family whom she loved and adored more than anything and lived her life through her children. As a teacher for over twenty years, she touched so many lives with her loving spirit and sweet smile. In her spare time she loved spending time with her family, planting and gardening, reading and traveling. There will be a visitation Saturday, May 19th from 9:30-11 a.m. at 1st Presbyterian Church of Ocala, 511 SE 3rd St., Ocala, where a Celebration of Life will take place at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, 5740 S. Pine Av, Ocala, arrangements by Roberts Downtown Chapel. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: [robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**HAMMONS, JR., FOY H., 87**

Ocala - Mr. Foy H. Hammons Jr., 87, of Ocala, passed away on May 14, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House. Foy was born in Pine Bluff, Arkansas on August 20, 1924 to parents, Foy H. Hammons Sr. and Frances (Welsh) Hammons. He was a WWII Veteran serving in the U.S. Army Air Corps. He lived in Miami for 27 years and then moved to Oak Run in 1989. He was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. Foy loved golfing and bowling. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Elizabeth "Liz" Hammons of Oak Run; daughter, Laura Cole of Sun City Center, FL; son, Alston Hammons of Merritt Island, FL; son, Foy H. Hammons III of Miami, FL; sister, Helen Troy Bass of Trinidad, TX; sister, Judith Shafer of Star City, Arkansas. Memorial services for Foy will be held at Ocala West United Methodist Church on May 18, 2012 at 11:00 AM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to either Ocala West United Methodist Church or Hospice of Marion County Legacy House. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266.

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**HARNES, FRANCES GLADDEN HARRELL, 86**

Ocala - Mrs. Frances Gladden Harrell Harness, 86, of Ocala, died Friday, May 11, 2012, at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Born in Mystic, Georgia, she moved to Ocala in 1950. She retired after working for many years at Libby, McNeill, and Libby in Ocala. Mrs. Harness is survived by her daughter, Nelda Pryor, of Tucson, Arizona; sons, Donald Harrell of Sparr, and Tex Harrell of Ocala, nine grandchildren, 12 great- grandchildren, and four great- great-grandchildren. Visitation will be held from 5 until 8 p.m., Friday, May 18, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will be in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala.

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**KOLBE, GERTRUDE ELIZABETH, "GERT", 93**

Ocala - Gertrude Elizabeth Kolbe, "Gert", 93, of Ocala, FL died on Mother's Day, May 13, 2012. Born in 1918 in Springfield, Ohio she moved here from Highland Park, MI in 1992. She was an active participant in her community in Marion Landing; loved her neighbors as family. She was preceded in death by her parents, brother Rudy Manns and sisters Milda Drummond and Margaret Lenz.. Gert is survived by her sons Joseph W. Kolbe (Susan) of Glenwood Springs, CO and Christopher Kolbe of Lansing, MI; grandchildren, Sarah McCormick (Eric), Nathaniel Kolbe (Lida), Nina Ullery (Sam), Emily Kolbe ( Gilbert Vanderaa) and Dashiell Kolbe; greatgrandchildren Colby Vanderaa, Finley McCormick and Ophelia Ullery; niece, Margaret Harrison of Ocala. A visitation will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Thursday, May 17th, from 4 until 6 pm. The funeral mass will be on Friday, May 18th at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Gertrude will be laid to rest with her husband of 60 years, Joseph at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Memorial contributions may be made to Ocala Honor Flight, Florida Dept. of VFW, PO Box 247, Ocala, FL 34478. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Gertrude died as she lived; at peace and with grace.

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**KOSTNIK, FRANCES B., 79**

Ocala - Frances B. Kostnik, 79, died Tuesday, May 15, 2012, at The Hospice Legacy House in Ocala, FL. She was born January 22, 1933, in Bronx, New York to Salvatore and Lena Cesario Battaglia. Mrs. Kostnik graduated from college with a Bachelor's degree in Science and went on to a long career in the banking industry, retiring as a Vice President of the finance department. She moved to Florida from New Rochelle, NY, in 1994 and settled in the On Top of The World community, where she was past president of the Italian-American club. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic church. She is survived by her brother, Salvatore Battaglia, of Ocala. There will be a visitation from 2 until 4 p.m. on Sunday, May 20, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timberridge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala. Funeral Mass will be said on Monday, May 21, 2012, at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic church with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty, Celebrant. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum, Ocala.

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**LANIER, LEVI JORDAN, 26**

Ocala - Levi Jordan Lanier, 26, passed away on Saturday, May 12, 2012. Born in Orlando, he

moved to Marion county from Alaska in 2000. He loved Alaska and was in Anchorage for a few months just recently. He worked as an automotive parts consultant. He was known for his kind heart and sweet smile. He was beloved by his family and many friends and will always be greatly missed. He is survived by his mother and step-father, Kathlene and Steven Albritton; father and step-mother, David and Sonya Lanier; brothers, Duane (Christy) Dennis, Anchorage, AK; Jared Dennis, Chase Albritton, Mason Albritton, Justin Albritton, Jackson Albritton, Jonathan Foster, David Lanier II, Dylan Lanier, Chandler Bushing; sister, Katya Albritton; maternal grandparents, Mary and Wes Clark; Tommie and Linda Thompson; paternal grandparents, Mike and Donna Neighbors; and paternal great-grandmother, Maud Cheek. Visitation will be held 10 until - noon, Saturday, May 19, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, with funeral services at 12 p.m. with Rev. Austin Tucker officiating.

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### **MATTHEWS, HOYT R., 83**

Ocala - Mr. Hoyt R. Matthews, 83, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, May 15, 2012 at his residence. A native of Florence, SC, he moved to this area 20 years ago, from Homestead, FL. He retired as a construction foreman for ADH Construction and as an estimator for Red Dot Builders, both of Miami, and was an avid football fan, especially of the Miami Dolphins, Miami Hurricanes, FSU Seminoles and the UF Gators. He is survived by his wife Ellen; nieces Carol Lloyd of Boise, ID, and Jan Mills of Ocala; nephews, Alan Lloyd of Columbus, OH and Gary Lloyd of Springfield, OH; and his godchild, Lisa Campbell of Littleton, NC. Visitation for Mr. Matthews will be held from 2 until 4 p.m., Thursday, May 17, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with a service at 4 p.m. conducted by Dr. Raymond Guterman. Interment will take place in South Carolina. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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### **PALACIOS, VICENTE, 70**

St. Petersburg - Vicente Palacios, 70, of St. Petersburg, passed away on Saturday, May 12, 2012 in the presence of his family. Born in Loja, Ecuador, he moved to New Jersey in 1968, and moved to Florida with his family in 1986. He was an auto-body mechanic at Commercial Carrier Corporation for 25 years. Vicente's passions were his grand-daughters and fishing. He had a great personality and was loved by everyone who met him. He is survived by his wife of 42 years, Yolanda; his children Maribel Palacios-Hawkins and her husband Jack, Yolanda Hovey, Carlos Palacios, and Diana Palacios; granddaughters Nicole, Hayden, Sarah and Taylor and many other friends and family. There will be a Memorial Mass on Saturday, May 19 at 11am at Our Lady of Good Hope Catholic Church in Pinellas Park, FL. Donations may be made in his name to the Suncoast Hospice Foundation or the American Lung Association . Please visit the family's personalized online Guestbook at:

[www.AndersonMcQueen.com](http://www.AndersonMcQueen.com).

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### **SCHROEDER, WILLIAM S., 82**

Vero Beach - William S. Schroeder, 82, (Colonel, USA, Ret.), West Point Class of 1952, passed away on May 13, 2012, in Vero Beach, after a short illness. Services will be held at 2:30 pm., Thursday, May 17, 2012, at St. Mark's Anglican Church, Vero Beach. His final resting place will

be at USMA in West Point, NY, following full military honors on Wednesday, May 23, 2012. Bill was born in Tin Tsin, China, on October 14, 1929 to Staff Sergeant William Schroeder and wife Anna. He was a graduate of USMA, West Point, NY, class of 1952. The day after his graduation, Bill married Joan Margurite Dolfinger, the angel of his life, on June 4, 1952. They have been married for 59 loving years. During his military career, Bill served two tours in Vietnam ('61 and '67). His first tour in Vietnam was as a special forces advisor and his second tour was as a battalion commander for the 199th Light Infantry Brigade (Redcatchers). He served in Hawaii, where he led several special op assignments. His last tour of duty was in Fort Bragg, North Carolina, in special operations. He retired from the Army in 1976, and began a 28 year career as a stock broker in Ocala, with EF Hutton Company and ending his career with Legg Mason in Vero Beach. Other than his career and family, Bill's greatest passion was helping others. He was the president of "Us Too", men's prostate group, in the state of Florida. He served for a number of years working with small business owners for the Small Business Administration for 22 counties in north and central Florida. Bill was an expert on the subject of terrorism and gave numerous speeches on the subject. Bill also mentored several young men and women who desired to attend West Point and have a career in the Army. Bill is survived by his wife, his angel, Joan Schroeder; his three children, Karen Hodges of Charlotte, NC, Wayne Schroeder and wife Christa, Vero Beach, and Major Vince Ball, MD and wife Janice, Puyallup, WA; his eight grandchildren, Bradley Hodges and his wife Brooke, Wilmington, NC, Ashley Hodges, Charlotte, NC, Daniel Hodges, Matthews, NC, Christine Schroeder, Vero Beach, Kirk Schroeder, Staten Island, NY, Ryan Ball, Puyallup, WA, Jordyn Ball, Puyallup, WA, Sydney Ball, Puyallup, WA; one great-granddaughter, Riley Hodges, Wilmington, NC; cousins, Mary Lou Frieberg, Baton Rouge, LA, Linda Schroeder, Elberta, AL; his best friend, Charlie; and other family members and a host of friends. In lieu of flowers, donations in the name of William S. Schroeder can be made to Wounded Warrior Project, mailed to P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, Kansas 66675.

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### **SPITS, EDUARD V., 80**

Ocala - Eduard V. Spits, 80, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Sunday, May 13, 2012. He was born on June 28, 1931 in Bandoeng-Java, Indonesia, son to the late John and Guilleaumine Spits. While a teenager he moved with his family to the Netherlands. In November 1959 he and his wife Elize arrived in the United States, settling in PA. He moved to Ocala in 1993 from Easton, MD. Eduard was of the Catholic faith. He was an electronics engineer, later to become an engineering manager for a total of 38 years, retiring in 1993. Along with his wife Elize they traveled extensively. He was also preceded in death by his eldest sister, Paula Kraeger. Eduard is survived by his beloved wife of 54 years, Elize Spits of Ocala; sons, Steven Spits (Anne) of Katy, TX and Robert Spits (Charlene) of Salisbury, MD; grandchildren Sean, Cayla, Lauren, Rachel, Robert, Jr., Mark and Eric; siblings Jan D. Spits (Jane) of Boise, ID, Helma Gabriel (Ben) of Moreno Valley, CA and Willem Spits of Henderson, NV. A visitation will be held on Friday, May 18, 2012 from 5 until 7 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala followed by a funeral service at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 19, 2012, also in the TimberRidge Chapel. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**STAFFORD, JEROME, 63**

Ocala - Jerome Buzz Stafford, 63, died May 3, 2012. He was born in Matewan, WV to John and Betty Milam Stafford. He was a veteran in the United States Army during the Vietnam era. Buzz was a supervisor on the railroad, moved from Ohio to Ocala in 1999, and was a member of Orange Lake VFW Post 10733. He is survived by his wife, Renee Macaluso of Ocala; son, Brian Macaluso Stafford of Ocala; mother, Betty Stafford of Dunnellon, FL; sister, Brenda Noe of Ohio; and brother, Robert Stafford of Dunnellon, FL. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, May 19, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL

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**TRIPLETT, SOPHIE CAROLYN, 100**

Ocala - Sophie C. Triplett, 100, passed away on Monday, May 14, 2012, in Ocala. She was born in New Bedford, MA on March 18, 1912 and was the daughter of the late John and Martha Slowik. Sophie married Emmett D. Triplett in 1931 and was a military wife until his retirement in 1943. They moved to the Ocala area in 1944 and were involved with several small businesses over the years. Sophie was a member of St. Marks United Methodist church of Ocala and was a loyal and active member for many years. She loved her friends and family and taking care of her yard which she did well into her 90's. She is survived by son, John (Marliene) Triplett of CA, son, Donald (Anne) Triplett and son, James (Myrna) Triplett, both of Ocala; eight grandchildren and many great and great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, siblings, husband Emmett, a daughter, Millicent and two grandchildren. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her. A memorial service will be held on Friday, May 18, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Dan Jones officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860.

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**TUGGERSON, JIMMIE JAMES**

Ocala - Jimmie James Tuggerson passed suddenly on Thursday, May 10, 2012. He is preceded by two sons: Jimmy (Jackie) Washington Sr., and Ronnie James Tuggerson. He leaves to cherish his memories his wife, Marian Franks-Tuggerson of Silver Springs Shores; sons: Apostle Bernard (Lillie) Tuggerson Sr. of Ocala, FL; Jimmie (Selicia) Tuggerson Jr. of Hawthorne, FL, Alvis (Cathy) Tuggerson of Reddick, FL, Glenn (Roselle) Franks Sr. of Silver Springs Shores, FL, Leonard E. Franks, Eric (Michele) Franks, of Philadelphia, PA, Alan Brewster, Jeryl Brewster of Baltimore, MD; daughters: Carolyn (Charles) Munnerlyn of Reddick, FL, Joyce Tuggerson-Roberts of Summerfield, FL, JoAnn (Aaron) Munnerly of Hawthorne, FL, Janice Tuggerson of Fort Myers, FL, Sharon Franks-Govan, Erlene Malone of Philadelphia, PA; one sister, Cassie James of Rochester, NY, and one brother, Negley Tuggerson Sr. of Sparr, FL. Together Marian and Jimmie have a combined number of 77 grandchildren, 83 great-grandchildren, 35 great-great-grandchildren and a numerous host of nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and co-workers. Jimmie Tuggerson was a hard working man, yet ever so tender towards everyone he met. He had a passion for hunting and fishing. Jimmie was a blessing to everyone. He cherished the little things in life. He lived a long, wonderful life and now he's in the hands of the Lord. He'll give us strength to hold on when we think we no longer can hold on. He'll place his hand upon our shoulder when we are in need of help. He'll be there when we have it in our



minds that we have no one else to turn to. He was a good man to all of us and will never be forgotten, in our minds, hearts nor soul. A wake will take place on May 17, 2012, at 7 p.m. The viewing of our beloved on May 18, 2012, from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Both will be at Sellers Funeral Home, 440 SW Broad St., Ocala, FL. A funeral service will take place at 11 a.m. on May 19 at Pentecostal Full Gospel Church, 5105 US Hwy 441, Ocala, FL.  
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#### **BUTLER, REV. KELVIN LAMAR, 35**

Ocala, FL - Rev. Kelvin Lamar Butler, age 35, transitioned from this life on May 15, 2012 at the Marion House Nursing Facility. He leaves to cherish his memory, a loving and devoted mother, Gloria W. Butler; four sisters, Carol Butler, Veronica Damon, and Alfreda Whitter (James) of Anthony, FL; Bridget Butler of Tallahassee, FL; two brothers, Alfred Keith Butler of Anthony, FL and Jimison Thomas (Tomia) of Bethesda, MD; three nieces, Evony Damon, Ashley Cohen, Brittany Cohen; four nephews, Marke Taylor, Kyle Whitter, Javon and Jaylon Thomas; two great nephews, Reuben Beckford and Evan Taylor; eight aunts, Billie Hudson, Annie Francis Barbour, Kathy James of Ocala, FL, Cheryl Baker (Jimmie), Sparr, FL, Mae Helen Foster, Mae Evelyn Miles (David), of Gainesville, FL, Marietta Williams of Deland, Ollie Mae Butler, Ocala, FL, one uncle, Earl Joe Brown (Lula); one great aunt, Gertha Butler of Anthony, FL; host of sorrowing cousins and friends. Two brother preceded him in death, Michael Dale Butler (Monique) and Kevin Damar Butler. Wake services will be held Friday, May 18, 2012 6:00-8:00 at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, 2240 NE 86th Lane Anthony, FL. Homegoing services will be held Saturday, May 19, 2012 at 1:00 PM, House of God Keith Dominion Inc., 2830 NW 27th Avenue, Ocala, Fl. Interment will follow in Mt. Olive Cemetery, Anthony, Fl., Under the caring direction of J. Hadley Funeral Home, 2030 N. Temple Avenue, Starke, Fl 32190. Phone (352) 351-0210 or 904-368-0210. Jessica (Cookie) Hadley, LFD.  
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#### **CAMPBELL, WILLIAM G., 85**

Lodi, CA - William G. Campbell, 85, was called home on May 5th, 2012, in Lodi, CA. He had been a resident of Ocala for over 20 years until moving to California to live with his daughter in 2005. "Pop" was the beloved father of William (Sandra) Campbell of Willingboro, NJ, Douglas (Delrene) Campbell of Cameron, WI, and Sherry Campbell of Lodi, CA; grandfather of Kimberly Edwards of Oakland, CA, Stewart and Zachary Campbell of Cameron, WI, and great-grandfather of Aatiya and Aiden Edwards of Oakland, CA. He is preceded by his brother and parents, his daughter Margaret Campbell, and his wives Genevieve Campbell (mother of his children), Marion Campbell of Ocala, FL, and Ann Campbell of Staten Island, NY. He will be greatly missed by all, including his many nieces and nephews and his cherished friends. A Celebration of Life will be held in his honor on Saturday, June 2nd from 10 a.m. to noon at the St. Paul Lutheran Church in Lodi.

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#### **DOONE, JAMES LEO, 80**

Ocala - James Leo Doone, 80, of Ocala, FL and Columbus passed away May 10, 2012. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Kate; and his sisters, Sr. Mary, Lucille and Helen. Six children,

Tim (Colleen) of Evergreen, CO, Pat (Betsy) of Tampa, FL, Tom (Teresa), Rose (Jeff Lyons), Sue (Bob Schneider) all of Columbus, OH and Mary (Paul Camargo) of Ocala, FL.; 17 grandchildren: Bessadelle, Kellen and Seamus; Matthew, Jamie, and Katie; Michael, Annie, Andrew and Jenny; Sam; Patrick and Zach; Christina, Mario, Abbie and Briana; and one great-granddaughter Emma. He served as a U.S. Marine in Korea. He was a longtime parishioner of St. James the Less, in Columbus and Our Lady of the Springs in Ocala. Jim loved life and faith; family and friends were dearest to his heart. He especially loved to sing and dance and tell stories. A Mass of Christian burial was held on Thursday, May 17 at 11 a.m. at St. James the Less Church, 1652 Oakland Park in Columbus with burial at St. Joseph Cemetery. Friends who wish may contribute to the Sisters of St. Francis, 4421 Lower River Rd., Stella Niagra, New York, 14144 or the Eyerman Scholarship Fund at St. James Less Church c/o Susie Schneider, 1652 Oakland Park, Columbus, OH, 43224. Funeral Arrangements were handled by Egan-Ryan Funeral Home, 403 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Visit [www.egan-ryan.com](http://www.egan-ryan.com) to offer condolences.

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### **FEINGOLD, LAURA MACK SMITH**

Jacksonville - Laura Mack Smith Feingold passed from this life on Monday, May 14, 2012, after spending a final Mother's Day with her children, Fonda, Alan, Roger, and his wife, Sharon. She is also survived by three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Feingold, and was the last remaining child of the William Henry and Donie Elizabeth Smith family of Martin, Florida. She was a graduate of Reddick High School. Laura enjoyed 91 wonderful years of life and inspired a great love of music and nature in her children. Memorials may be sent to Taylor Care Center, 6535 Chester Ave., Jacksonville, FL 32217. Arrangements by Hardage-Giddens Funeral Home, 4115 Hendricks Ave., Jacksonville, FL 32207.

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### **GROVES, KATHLEEN ANDERSON, 53**

Ocala - Kathleen Anderson Groves, 53, entered into eternal life on May 13, 2012 surrounded by her loving family. She was born on June 18, 1958 to Elaine Middaugh and Leonard Anderson in Warren, Pennsylvania. She came to Florida in 1971 from her birthplace. She was the beloved wife for 33 years of Mike Groves of Ocala, FL. She will be dearly missed by her two daughters, Lindsay Groves and Emily Groves of Gainesville, FL. She is preceded in death by her parents Elaine Willis of The Villages, FL and Leonard Anderson of Eustis, FL; sister, Karen Landy of Melbourne, FL; brother, Craig Anderson of Winter Garden, FL; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was a loving wife, mother, daughter, sister, aunt and friend. Second to her strong faith was her family whom she loved and adored more than anything and lived her life through her children. As a teacher for over twenty years, she touched so many lives with her loving spirit and sweet smile. In her spare time she loved spending time with her family, planting and gardening, reading and traveling. There will be a visitation Saturday, May 19th from 9:30-11 a.m. at 1st Presbyterian Church of Ocala, 511 SE 3rd St., Ocala, where a Celebration of Life will take place at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, 5740 S. Pine Av, Ocala, arrangements by Roberts Downtown Chapel. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: [robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**HAMMONS, JR., FOY H., 87**

Ocala - Mr. Foy H. Hammons Jr., 87, of Ocala, passed away on May 14, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House. Foy was born in Pine Bluff, Arkansas on August 20, 1924 to parents, Foy H. Hammons Sr. and Frances (Welsh) Hammons. He was a WWII Veteran serving in the U.S. Army Air Corps. He lived in Miami for 27 years and then moved to Oak Run in 1989. He was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. Foy loved golfing and bowling. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Elizabeth "Liz" Hammons of Oak Run; daughter, Laura Cole of Sun City Center, FL; son, Alston Hammons of Merritt Island, FL; son, Foy H. Hammons III of Miami, FL; sister, Helen Troy Bass of Trinidad, TX; sister, Judith Shafer of Star City, Arkansas. Memorial services for Foy will be held at Ocala West United Methodist Church on May 18, 2012 at 11:00 AM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to either Ocala West United Methodist Church or Hospice of Marion County Legacy House. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266.

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**KOLBE, GERTRUDE ELIZABETH, "GERT", 93**

Ocala - Gertrude Elizabeth Kolbe, "Gert", 93, of Ocala, FL died on Mother's Day, May 13, 2012. Born in 1918 in Springfield, Ohio she moved here from Highland Park, MI in 1992. She was an active participant in her community in Marion Landing; loved her neighbors as family. She was preceded in death by her parents, brother Rudy Manns and sisters Milda Drummond and Margaret Lenz.. Gert is survived by her sons Joseph W. Kolbe (Susan) of Glenwood Springs, CO and Christopher Kolbe of Lansing, MI; grandchildren, Sarah McCormick (Eric), Nathaniel Kolbe (Lida), Nina Ullery (Sam), Emily Kolbe ( Gilbert Vanderaa) and Dashiell Kolbe; greatgrandchildren Colby Vanderaa, Finley McCormick and Ophelia Ullery; niece, Margaret Harrison of Ocala. A visitation will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Thursday, May 17th, from 4 until 6 pm. The funeral mass will be on Friday, May 18th at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Gertrude will be laid to rest with her husband of 60 years, Joseph at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Memorial contributions may be made to Ocala Honor Flight, Florida Dept. of VFW, PO Box 247, Ocala, FL 34478. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Gertrude died as she lived; at peace and with grace.

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**KOSTNIK, FRANCES B., 79**

Ocala - Frances B. Kostnik, 79, died Tuesday, May 15, 2012, at The Hospice Legacy House in Ocala, FL. She was born January 22, 1933, in Bronx, New York to Salvatore and Lena Cesario Battaglia. Mrs. Kostnik graduated from college with a Bachelor's degree in Science and went on to a long career in the banking industry, retiring as a Vice President of the finance department. She moved to Florida from New Rochelle, NY, in 1994 and settled in the On Top of The World community, where she was past president of the Italian-American club. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic church. She is survived by her brother, Salvatore Battaglia, of Ocala. There will be a visitation from 2 until 4 p.m. on Sunday, May 20, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timberridge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala. Funeral Mass will be said on Monday, May 21, 2012, at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic church with Fr. Patrick J. O'Doherty, Celebrant. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum, Ocala.

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**MATTHEWS, HOYT R., 83**

Ocala - Mr. Hoyt R. Matthews, 83, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, May 15, 2012 at his residence. A native of Florence, SC, he moved to this area 20 years ago, from Homestead, FL. He retired as a construction foreman for ADH Construction and as an estimator for Red Dot Builders, both of Miami, and was an avid football fan, especially of the Miami Dolphins, Miami Hurricanes, FSU Seminoles and the UF Gators. He is survived by his wife Ellen; nieces Carol Lloyd of Boise, ID, and Jan Mills of Ocala; nephews, Alan Lloyd of Columbus, OH and Gary Lloyd of Springfield, OH; and his godchild, Lisa Campbell of Littleton, NC. Visitation for Mr. Matthews will be held from 2 until 4 p.m., Thursday, May 17, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with a service at 4 p.m. conducted by Dr. Raymond Guterman. Interment will take place in South Carolina. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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**PALACIOS, VICENTE, 70**

St. Petersburg - Vicente Palacios, 70, of St. Petersburg, passed away on Saturday, May 12, 2012 in the presence of his family. Born in Loja, Ecuador, he moved to New Jersey in 1968, and moved to Florida with his family in 1986. He was an auto-body mechanic at Commercial Carrier Corporation for 25 years. Vicente's passions were his grand-daughters and fishing. He had a great personality and was loved by everyone who met him. He is survived by his wife of 42 years, Yolanda; his children Maribel Palacios-Hawkins and her husband Jack, Yolanda Hovey, Carlos Palacios, and Diana Palacios; granddaughters Nicole, Hayden, Sarah and Taylor and many other friends and family. There will be a Memorial Mass on Saturday, May 19 at 11am at Our Lady of Good Hope Catholic Church in Pinellas Park, FL. Donations may be made in his name to the Suncoast Hospice Foundation or the American Lung Association . Please visit the family's personalized online Guestbook at:

[www.AndersonMcQueen.com](http://www.AndersonMcQueen.com).

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**SPITS, EDUARD V., 80**

Ocala - Eduard V. Spits, 80, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Sunday, May 13, 2012. He was born on June 28, 1931 in Bandoeng-Java, Indonesia, son to the late John and Guilleaumine Spits. While a teenager he moved with his family to the Netherlands. In November 1959 he and his wife Elize arrived in the United States, settling in PA. He moved to Ocala in 1993 from Easton, MD. Eduard was of the Catholic faith. He was an electronics engineer, later to become an engineering manager for a total of 38 years, retiring in 1993. Along with his wife Elize they traveled extensively. He was also preceded in death by his eldest sister, Paula Kraeger. Eduard is survived by his beloved wife of 54 years, Elize Spits of Ocala; sons, Steven Spits (Anne) of Katy, TX and Robert Spits (Charlene) of Salisbury, MD; grandchildren Sean, Cayla, Lauren, Rachel, Robert, Jr., Mark and Eric; siblings Jan D. Spits (Jane) of Boise, ID, Helma Gabriel (Ben) of Moreno Valley, CA and Willem Spits of Henderson, NV. A visitation will be held on Friday, May 18, 2012 from 5 until 7 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala followed by a funeral service at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 19, 2012, also in the TimberRidge Chapel. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-](http://www.hiers-)

baxley.com.

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**STAFFORD, JEROME, 63**

Ocala - Jerome Buzz Stafford, 63, died May 3, 2012. He was born in Matewan, WV to John and Betty Milam Stafford. He was a veteran in the United States Army during the Vietnam era. Buzz was a supervisor on the railroad, moved from Ohio to Ocala in 1999, and was a member of Orange Lake VFW Post 10733. He is survived by his wife, Renee Macaluso of Ocala; son, Brian Macaluso Stafford of Ocala; mother, Betty Stafford of Dunnellon, FL; sister, Brenda Noe of Ohio; and brother, Robert Stafford of Dunnellon, FL. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, May 19, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL

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**TRIPLETT, SOPHIE CAROLYN, 100**

Ocala - Sophie C. Triplett, 100, passed away on Monday, May 14, 2012, in Ocala. She was born in New Bedford, MA on March 18, 1912 and was the daughter of the late John and Martha Slowik. Sophie married Emmett D. Triplett in 1931 and was a military wife until his retirement in 1943. They moved to the Ocala area in 1944 and were involved with several small businesses over the years. Sophie was a member of St. Marks United Methodist church of Ocala and was a loyal and active member for many years. She loved her friends and family and taking care of her yard which she did well into her 90's. She is survived by son, John (Marliene) Triplett of CA, son, Donald (Anne) Triplett and son, James (Myrna) Triplett, both of Ocala; eight grandchildren and many great and great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, siblings, husband Emmett, a daughter, Millicent and two grandchildren. She will be missed by all who knew and loved her. A memorial service will be held on Friday, May 18, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Dan Jones officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860.

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**BARTHOLOMEW, RACHEL G.**

Ocala - Rachel G. Bartholomew passed away on May 13, 2012. Mrs. Bartholomew was born in Ithaca, NY in 1934. She was a loving wife, terrific mother and a good friend who touched many lives with her empathy and sense of humor. Mrs. Bartholomew is survived by her loving husband of 57 years, Donald L. Bartholomew of Ocala; her three devoted sons, Donald E. Bartholomew, Michael J. Bartholomew and David E. Bartholomew all of Dallas, TX, as well as five grandchildren, Seth, Ashley, Dustin, Courtney and Bradley. In lieu of a service or flowers, the family asks that any donations be made in Mrs. Bartholomew's name to the American Cancer Society .

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**BUTLER, REV. KELVIN LAMAR, 35**

Ocala, FL - Rev. Kelvin Lamar Butler, age 35, transitioned from this life on May 15, 2012 at the

Marion House Nursing Facility. He leaves to cherish his memory, a loving and devoted mother, Gloria W. Butler; four sisters, Carol Butler, Veronica Damon, and Alfreda Whitter (James) of Anthony, FL; Bridget Butler of Tallahassee, FL; two brothers, Alfred Keith Butler of Anthony, FL and Jimison Thomas (Tomia) of Bethesda, MD; three nieces, Evony Damon, Ashley Cohen, Brittany Cohen; four nephews, Marke Taylor, Kyle Whitter, Javon and Jaylon Thomas; two great nephews, Reuben Beckford and Evan Taylor; eight aunts, Billie Hudson, Annie Francis Barbour, Kathy James of Ocala, FL, Cheryl Baker (Jimmie), Sparr, FL, Mae Helen Foster, Mae Evelyn Miles (David), of Gainesville, FL, Marietta Williams of Deland, Ollie Mae Butler, Ocala, FL, one uncle, Earl Joe Brown (Lula); one great aunt, Gertha Butler of Anthony, FL; host of sorrowing cousins and friends. Two brother preceded him in death, Michael Dale Butler (Monique) and Kevin Damar Butler. Wake services will be held Friday, May 18, 2012 6:00-8:00 at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, 2240 NE 86th Lane Anthony, FL. Homegoing services will be held Saturday, May 19, 2012 at 1:00 PM, House of God Keith Dominion Inc., 2830 NW 27th Avenue, Ocala, Fl. Interment will follow in Mt. Olive Cemetery, Anthony, Fl., Under the caring direction of J. Hadley Funeral Home, 2030 N. Temple Avenue, Starke, Fl 32190. Phone (352) 351-0210 or 904-368-0210. Jessica (Cookie) Hadley, LFD.  
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#### **CAMPBELL, WILLIAM G., 85**

Lodi, CA - William G. Campbell, 85, was called home on May 5th, 2012, in Lodi, CA. He had been a resident of Ocala for over 20 years until moving to California to live with his daughter in 2005. "Pop" was the beloved father of William (Sandra) Campbell of Willingboro, NJ, Douglas (Delrene) Campbell of Cameron, WI, and Sherry Campbell of Lodi, CA; grandfather of Kimberly Edwards of Oakland, CA, Stewart and Zachary Campbell of Cameron, WI, and great-grandfather of Aatiya and Aiden Edwards of Oakland, CA. He is preceded by his brother and parents, his daughter Margaret Campbell, and his wives Genevieve Campbell (mother of his children), Marion Campbell of Ocala, FL, and Ann Campbell of Staten Island, NY. He will be greatly missed by all, including his many nieces and nephews and his cherished friends. A Celebration of Life will be held in his honor on Saturday, June 2nd from 10 a.m. to noon at the St. Paul Lutheran Church in Lodi.

#### **DOONE, JAMES LEO, 80**

Ocala - James Leo Doone, 80, of Ocala, FL and Columbus passed away May 10, 2012. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Kate; and his sisters, Sr. Mary, Lucille and Helen. Six children, Tim (Colleen) of Evergreen, CO, Pat (Betsy) of Tampa, FL, Tom (Teresa), Rose (Jeff Lyons), Sue (Bob Schneider) all of Columbus, OH and Mary (Paul Camargo) of Ocala, FL.; 17 grandchildren: Bessadelle, Kellen and Seamus; Matthew, Jamie, and Katie; Michael, Annie, Andrew and Jenny; Sam; Patrick and Zach; Christina, Mario, Abbie and Briana; and one great-granddaughter Emma. He served as a U.S. Marine in Korea. He was a longtime parishioner of St. James the Less, in Columbus and Our Lady of the Springs in Ocala. Jim loved life and faith; family and friends were dearest to his heart. He especially loved to sing and dance and tell stories. A Mass of Christian burial was held on Thursday, May 17 at 11 a.m. at St. James the Less Church, 1652 Oakland Park in Columbus with burial at St. Joseph Cemetery. Friends who wish may contribute to the Sisters of St. Francis, 4421 Lower River Rd., Stella Niagra, New York, 14144 or the Eyerman Scholarship Fund at St. James Less Church c/o Susie Schneider, 1652 Oakland Park, Columbus, OH, 43224. Funeral Arrangements were handled by Egan-Ryan

Funeral Home, 403 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215. Visit [www.egan-ryan.com](http://www.egan-ryan.com) to offer condolences.

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**KINNEY, RUTH ANN, 66**

Ocklawaha - Ruth Ann Kinney, 66, died May 11, 2012 in Ocklawaha, FL. She was born August 26, 1945, in New Paris, OH. She was a member of the Catholic faith, Women of the Moose Chapter #1142, and the Ladies Auxiliary of Eagles #2962. Mrs. Kinney worked as a cook at Plaza Lunch restaurant in Belleview, FL. She is survived by her son, Ben Elliot Kinney; grandchildren, Max, Caroline, and Laura-Lei Kinney, all of Kula, HI; and step-son, David Paul Kinney. Memorial mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, May 29, 2012 at 10 a.m. at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview, FL. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**EDWARDS, COLIN G., 71**

Ft. McCoy - Colin G. Edwards, 71, died at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, on May 16, 2012. He was born in Trenton, Tennessee and moved to Marion county 27 years ago. He was a Baptist by faith and was a heating and air conditioner technician. He was a veteran of the United States Army. Mr. Edwards is survived by his wife, Mary Ann Edwards, Ft. McCoy; son, Kenneth Edwards, Ft. McCoy; daughter, Dawn Gaouette Bory, Toledo, OH; son-in-law, Keith Gaouette, Belleview and grandchildren, Kevin and Kyle Gaouette, both of Belleview and Seth and Hailey Bory, both of Toledo, OH. Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, May 23, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Visitation will be at the funeral home on Tuesday, May 22, 2012 from 5 - 7p.m. Online condolences may be sent at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**KINNEY, RUTH ANN, 66**

Ocklawaha - Ruth Ann Kinney, 66, died May 11, 2012 in Ocklawaha, FL. She was born August 26, 1945, in New Paris, OH. She was a member of the Catholic faith, Women of the Moose Chapter #1142, and the Ladies Auxiliary of Eagles #2962. Mrs. Kinney worked as a cook at Plaza Lunch restaurant in Belleview, FL. She is survived by her son, Ben Elliot Kinney; grandchildren, Max, Caroline, and Laura-Lei Kinney, all of Kula, HI; and step-son, David Paul

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### **KVETENSKY, WARREN, 81**

Ocala - Warren Kvetensky, 81, of Stanton, IA, passed away in Ocala, FL on Thursday, May 10, 2012, after a short battle with brain cancer. Warren was born on June 23, 1930, in Omaha, Nebraska to Joseph and Louise (Swoboda) Kvetensky. He graduated in 1948 from Benson High School in Omaha, NE. After leaving Iowa State Engineering College, he joined the Air Force for the Korean Conflict. During his military career, he served 29-1/2 years in the Air Force as a pilot and logged 213 hours combat time in Korea during the early 1950's. He also tested missiles and was a liaison officer out of the Pentagon. After retiring from the Air Force, Warren went to Flight Safety International and taught people how to fly Lear jets. Warren was married to Erma Dell Reed on April 25, 1955. To this union were born two sons, Stephen Joseph and Robert Neal. Warren met and married Lois Ingebritson on July 16, 1988, in a chapel on the shores of Lake Tahoe. He had a zest and zeal for life and lived it to the fullest, surrounded by his family and friends. He was a wonderful husband and father. He is survived by wife, Lois Ingebritson Kvetensky; sons, Stephen (Celeste) Kvetensky, Olathe, KS, and Robert Kvetensky, Omaha, NE; sister, Ann (Gary) Churchill of Omaha, NE, and brother, James (Bette) Kvetensky of Omaha, NE. Warren was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Louise (Swoboda) Kvetensky and former wife, Erma Dell (Reed) Kvetensky. Interment will be in Arlington National Cemetery with military honors at a date to be determined. Arrangements are being handled by the Neptune Society, Florida.

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### **OVESEN, JERRY RICHTER**

Jerry Richter Ovesen of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Tuesday, May 15, 2012. He was 72 years of age. Jerry was born at Fargo, North Dakota, on February 10, 1940 to Karl and Pauline Ovesen. He grew up in Fargo and was baptized and confirmed into the Lutheran faith at First Lutheran Church of Fargo. He graduated from Fargo High School in 1957. Jerry graduated from North Dakota State University in 1965. After graduation he went to work for IBM in Rochester, Minnesota, in the Programming Center. He worked there as a staff programmer in Report Program Generator Development. He received an award in recognition of the key part he played in the architectural definition, design, and development of DOS (Disk Operating System) RPG11. Jerry retired from IBM in 1995. While at the university and working for IBM, he also served in the North Dakota Air National Guard.

Jerry loved flying radio control model airplanes, playing softball and golf, working with electronics, singing and listening to Gospel music.

Jerry moved to Ocala, Florida to enjoy retirement and to play golf and softball year round. Jerry is survived by two sisters, Bette Ann (Daryl) Pring of Gainesville, Florida, and Kay (Keith) Berg of Grand Forks, North Dakota. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews, great nieces and great nephews. Jerry was preceded in death by his parents, Karl and Pauline Ovesen. Jerry's final resting place will be at Riverside Cemetery in Fargo, North Dakota.

A memorial service will be held at 4:00 PM, Sunday, May 20, 2012 at Abiding Savior Lutheran Church, Gainesville, Florida.

Arrangements are under the care of Forest Meadows Funeral Home, Cemeteries and Crematory.



(352) 378-2528 Please sign his guestbook at [www.forestmeadowsfh.com](http://www.forestmeadowsfh.com).  
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**PREVETE, GERARD JOHN, 56**

Ocala - Gerard John Prevete, 56, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Monday, March 19, 2012 in Ocala. He moved here 24 years ago from Bellport, New York. Gerard was a member of St. Jude Catholic community of Ocala where he served as a catechist. Gerard was a history teacher, having taught in Marion County for 23 years with the past 13 years at Belleview High School. He had the reputation of being an exceptional teacher. Gerard also enjoyed golfing, was a voracious reader and, "loved to learn". He was a lifelong children's advocate. He was preceded in death by his father Benjamin W. Prevete. Gerard is survived by his beloved wife of 34 years, Michele, of Ocala; children, Cheryl-Lynne Prevete and Adam G. Prevete, both of Virginia Beach, VA and Peter B. Prevete of Ocala; brother-in-law, Robert A. Inglese of Ocala; sister-in-law Toni George (David) of Philomath, OR, and nieces Alex and Jessie. A Mass will be celebrated at St. Jude Catholic Community, Ocala, on Friday, May 25, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**SEILER, MODREA HOYNE, 88**

Reddick - Modrea Hoyne Seiler passed away at home on May 18, 2012. Born in Lake Forest, Illinois, she moved to Reddick 18 years ago from Miami. She was an artist. She is survived by her daughters, Eileen Farmer-Hill, Reddick; Modrea Mitchell-Reichert, San Antonio, TX; granddaughter, Kelley Farmer, Keswick, VA; and brother, Clinton B. Mullen, Warrenton, VA. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony.

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**TALSKY, JAMES PAUL, 81**

Ocala- James Paul Talsky, 81, died May 10th, 2012. A native of Wisconsin, he owned and operated the House of Bargains furniture store for 45 years until his retirement in 2006. Survivors include his wife, Sue (Swango) Talsky; and daughters, Colleen Blake and Tami Morales; brothers, Ralph and Terry Talsky; and sisters, Leona Kaltenbrun and Arlene Kressin. Five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Charmagne Loveless. In lieu of flowers, please make any donations to, "Watchtower" address: 25 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, NY 11201. The memorial service was held Sunday, May 13th 2012, at Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses in Anthony Florida.

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**TRUESON, DONALD, J., 80**

Ocala - Donald J. Trueson, 80, of Ocala, FL, passed away in Inverness, FL on Monday, May 14, 2012. Born in Brooklyn, NY, January 24, 1932, son to the late Adam and Florence (Halpin) Trueson, he came here from Kings Park and Oceanside, NY in 1992. He was a United States Navy veteran and worked as a Steamfitter Foreman for Local #638, retiring in 1992. Don was a former Captain with Hose Company #1 of the Oceanside Volunteer Fire Department. He was an avid golfer and enjoyed metal detecting. He was also preceded in death by his first wife, Myrtle Trueson and his son, Donald W. Trueson. Don is survived by his loving wife of 26 years, Carol of Ocala, FL; children, Raymond Trueson (Kathy) of Islip, NY, Dolores Vercelletto (Arthur) of

Freeport, NY; daughter-in-law, Cindy Trueson of Boca Raton, FL; step-children, Brian Greene of East Northport, NY and Dianne Mahony (Alan) of South Salem, NY; grandchildren, Donald, Lauren, William, Amy, Corey, Jacklyn, Tara, Brenna, Julia and Elizabeth; great-grandchildren, Hannah, Sabrina and Zachery and brother Gerard Trueson (Barbara) of Peoria, AZ. A memorial service will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL 34481, on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at 11 a.m. Family will receive their friends from 10 a.m. until service time. Memorial contributions may be given to Alzheimer's Association , 378 Centerpointe Circle, Suite 1280, Altamonte Springs, FL, 32701. Condolences may be expressed at [hiers-baxley.com](http://hiers-baxley.com).

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#### **KVETENSKY, WARREN, 81**

Ocala - Warren Kvetensky, 81, of Stanton, IA, passed away in Ocala, FL on Thursday, May 10, 2012, after a short battle with brain cancer. Warren was born on June 23, 1930, in Omaha, Nebraska to Joseph and Louise (Swoboda) Kvetensky. He graduated in 1948 from Benson High School in Omaha, NE. After leaving Iowa State Engineering College, he joined the Air Force for the Korean Conflict. During his military career, he served 29-1/2 years in the Air Force as a pilot and logged 213 hours combat time in Korea during the early 1950's. He also tested missiles and was a liaison officer out of the Pentagon. After retiring from the Air Force, Warren went to Flight Safety International and taught people how to fly Lear jets. Warren was married to Erma Dell Reed on April 25, 1955. To this union were born two sons, Stephen Joseph and Robert Neal. Warren met and married Lois Ingebritson on July 16, 1988, in a chapel on the shores of Lake Tahoe. He had a zest and zeal for life and lived it to the fullest, surrounded by his family and friends. He was a wonderful husband and father. He is survived by wife, Lois Ingebritson Kvetensky; sons, Stephen (Celeste) Kvetensky, Olathe, KS, and Robert Kvetensky, Omaha, NE; sister, Ann (Gary) Churchill of Omaha, NE, and brother, James (Bette) Kvetensky of Omaha, NE. Warren was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Louise (Swoboda) Kvetensky and former wife, Erma Dell (Reed) Kvetensky. Interment will be in Arlington National Cemetery with military honors at a date to be determined. Arrangements are being handled by the Neptune Society, Florida.

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### **NEELY, FARIS DONALD**

Salt Springs, Fl. Faris Donald Neely 80, passed away on Friday, May 18, 2012. He was born in Kitter, KY. Moved to Ohio in 1947. He retired to FL in 1994. A welder by trade, working at Fruchauf 20 years. Then at Ford for 23 years. Mr. Neely was an avid bingo player and was often heard saying "same old winner" at any time someone else bingoed. He was preceded in death by his wife Shirley, son Faris Jr., his parents George and Flora Neely, brothers Dallas, Rudy, Richard Allen and sister Mary Elisabeth. He is survived by daughters Nadine Alvarez and husband Don, Flora Lavoie and husband Henry, Deanna Naylor and husband Tom of Amherst, Ohio, Debbie Cook and fiancé Ron Baiser of Huron, Ohio, son Darin Neely and fiancée Crystal Mowery of Vermilion, Ohio, daughter in law Sandy Neely of Vermilion, Ohio and brother Wayne Neely of Somerset, KY. There are (9) grandchildren and (9) great grandchildren. A visitation will be held on Tuesday, May 22, 2012 from 2-4 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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### **OVESEN, JERRY RICHTER**

Jerry Richter Ovesen of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Tuesday, May 15, 2012. He was 72 years of age.

Jerry was born at Fargo, North Dakota, on February 10, 1940 to Karl and Pauline Ovesen. He grew up in Fargo and was baptized and confirmed into the Lutheran faith at First Lutheran Church of Fargo. He graduated from Fargo High School in 1957.

Jerry graduated from North Dakota State University in 1965. After graduation he went to work for IBM in Rochester, Minnesota, in the Programming Center. He worked there as a staff programmer in Report Program Generator Development. He received an award in recognition of the key part he played in the architectural definition, design, and development of DOS (Disk Operating System) RPG11. Jerry retired from IBM in 1995.

While at the university and working for IBM, he also served in the North Dakota Air National Guard.

Jerry loved flying radio control model airplanes, playing softball and golf, working with electronics, singing and listening to Gospel music.

Jerry moved to Ocala, Florida to enjoy retirement and to play golf and softball year round.

Jerry is survived by two sisters, Bette Ann (Daryl) Pring of Gainesville, Florida, and Kay (Keith) Berg of Grand Forks, North Dakota. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews, great nieces and great nephews.

Jerry was preceded in death by his parents, Karl and Pauline Ovesen,

Jerry's final resting place will be at Riverside Cemetery in Fargo, North Dakota.

A memorial service will be held at 4:00 PM, Sunday, May 20, 2012 at Abiding Savior Lutheran Church, Gainesville, Florida.

Arrangements are under the care of Forest Meadows Funeral Home, Cemeteries and Crematory. (352) 378-2528 Please sign his guestbook at [www.forestmeadowsfh.com](http://www.forestmeadowsfh.com).

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### **PREVETE, GERARD JOHN, 56**

Ocala - Gerard John Prevete, 56, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Monday, March 19, 2012 in

Ocala. He moved here 24 years ago from Bellport, New York. Gerard was a member of St. Jude Catholic community of Ocala where he served as a catechist. Gerard was a history teacher, having taught in Marion County for 23 years with the past 13 years at Belleview High School. He had the reputation of being an exceptional teacher. Gerard also enjoyed golfing, was a voracious reader and, "loved to learn". He was a lifelong children's advocate. He was preceded in death by his father Benjamin W. Prevete. Gerard is survived by his beloved wife of 34 years, Michele, of Ocala; children, Cheryl-Lynne Prevete and Adam G. Prevete, both of Virginia Beach, VA and Peter B. Prevete of Ocala; brother-in-law, Robert A. Inglese of Ocala; sister-in-law Toni George (David) of Philomath, OR, and nieces Alex and Jessie. A Mass will be celebrated at St. Jude Catholic Community, Ocala, on Friday, May 25, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**SCHREMPP, JOSEPH S., SR.**

Mr. Joseph S. Schrempp Sr., 87, of Ocala, FL, was born in West New York, NJ to parents, Joseph James and Anna Katharina (Allgaier) Schrempp. He was raised in Englishtown, NJ and lived in Milltown, NJ for 30 years where he retired from E.R. Squibb & Sons. After retirement, he moved to Naples, FL and lived there for 30 years before moving to Ocala to live with his son. Joseph was a U.S. navy veteran and served aboard the USS Hugh L. Scott, which was torpedoed by a Nazi submarine and sunk off the coast of Morocco. He loved fishing, painting, and gardening. Mr. Schrempp was preceded in death by his wife of 64 years, Ethel "Dolly" Schrempp and his sister, Leona Tufenkjian. Survivors include his son, Joseph S. Schrempp Jr. and his wife, Stephanie; sister, Viola Kelt; brothers, Carl H. Ohmott and his wife, Barbara, and Charles Ohmott and his wife, Joan, and many nieces and nephews. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, Ocala, FL. 352-854-2266.

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**SEILER, MODREA HOYNE, 88**

Reddick - Modrea Hoyne Seiler passed away at home on May 18, 2012. Born in Lake Forest, Illinois, she moved to Reddick 18 years ago from Miami. She was an artist. She is survived by her daughters, Eileen Farmer-Hill, Reddick; Modrea Mitchell-Reichert, San Antonio, TX; granddaughter, Kelley Farmer, Keswick, VA; and brother, Clinton B. Mullen, Warrenton, VA. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony.

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**TALSKY, JAMES PAUL, 81**

Ocala- James Paul Talsky, 81, died May 10th, 2012. A native of Wisconsin, he owned and operated the House of Bargains furniture store for 45 years until his retirement in 2006. Survivors include his wife, Sue (Swango) Talsky; and daughters, Colleen Blake and Tami Morales; brothers, Ralph and Terry Talsky; and sisters, Leona Kaltenbrun and Arlene Kressin. Five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Charmagne Loveless. In lieu of flowers, please make any donations to, "Watchtower" address: 25 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, NY 11201. The memorial service was held Sunday, May 13th 2012, at Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses in Anthony Florida.

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**TAYLOR, MARIE ELENA, 52**

North Richland Hills, Texas - Marie Elena Taylor, 52, passed away May 10, 2012 in North Richland Hills, TX. She was born October 13, 1959 in Oaklyn, NJ to Harry and Mary Thomas. She was married to Shawn Michael Taylor. Marie-Elena, A.K.A. "Big Bird", A.K.A. "Catfish Queen", was a loving wife, mother, sister, aunt and friend. She came to Florida from New Jersey. Marie was a member of the Ocala Chinese Shar-pei Club & Rescue, known as an animal lover and champion breeder. Her fishing skills were top notch, and she always seemed to catch catfish! She traveled anywhere and everywhere adventure would take her. Marie touched the lives of everyone she met with her fun-loving spirit, funny disposition and wisdom. She finally settled down in Texas, with her husband Shawn. Marie was a one of a kind woman who will be missed and never forgotten. She is survived by her husband, Shawn Michael Taylor; children, Adele-Lois Hart, Bergen William Hart, II and Rachael Marie Hart; grandchildren, Colette Rachael Judy and Roman Walter Hars; brothers and sisters, Ronald Thomas, Leroy Thomas, Thomas Thomas, Charles Thomas, Ruth Plante and Julie Demers. A memorial service was held in Fort Worth, Texas, Friday, May 18, 2012.

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**TRUESON, DONALD, J., 80**

Ocala - Donald J. Trueson, 80, of Ocala, FL, passed away in Inverness, FL on Monday, May 14, 2012. Born in Brooklyn, NY, January 24, 1932, son to the late Adam and Florence (Halpin) Trueson, he came here from Kings Park and Oceanside, NY in 1992. He was a United States Navy veteran and worked as a Steamfitter Foreman for Local #638, retiring in 1992. Don was a former Captain with Hose Company #1 of the Oceanside Volunteer Fire Department. He was an avid golfer and enjoyed metal detecting. He was also preceded in death by his first wife, Myrtle Trueson and his son, Donald W. Trueson. Don is survived by his loving wife of 26 years, Carol of Ocala, FL; children, Raymond Trueson (Kathy) of Islip, NY, Dolores Vercelletto (Arthur) of Freeport, NY; daughter-in-law, Cindy Trueson of Boca Raton, FL; step-children, Brian Greene of East Northport, NY and Dianne Mahony (Alan) of South Salem, NY; grandchildren, Donald, Lauren, William, Amy, Corey, Jacklyn, Tara, Brenna, Julia and Elizabeth; great-grandchildren, Hannah, Sabrina and Zachery and brother Gerard Trueson (Barbara) of Peoria, AZ. A memorial service will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL 34481, on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at 11 a.m. Family will receive their friends from 10 a.m. until service time. Memorial contributions may be given to Alzheimer's Association, 378 Centerpointe Circle, Suite 1280, Altamonte Springs, FL, 32701. Condolences may be expressed at [hiers-baxley.com](http://hiers-baxley.com).

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 22, 2012****BIRCH, ETTA ETHEL, 77**

Ocala - Mrs. Etta Ethel Birch, (Nee Retzlaff), 77, of Ocala, passed away on Sunday, May 20, 2012. Etta was born in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, on January 19, 1935, to parents Harold and Genevieve (Barthel) Retzlaff. She was the former owner of two "Young World" clothing stores in Oconomowoc, WI. She moved to Ocala, FL in 1981 with her husband, Jack. She enjoyed bowling, fishing, playing bridge, and golf. Mrs. Birch is preceded in death by her parents, as well as her husband, Jack Birch, and her brother, Frederick Peters. Survivors include her daughter,

Betty Osborne of Wisconsin; stepson, Jim Birch of Tampa, FL; stepdaughter, Jackie Sorenson (Craig) of Wisconsin; grandchildren, Tom Birch, Jamie Jensen, Stacy Donolly, and John Osborne, all of Wisconsin; seven great-grandchildren, and one great- great-grandchild; two sisters, Carolann Manka (Tony) and Lenora Mutter (Paul), both of North Carolina; and several nieces and nephews. Memorial services for Etta will be held on Sunday, June 3, 2012 at 2 p.m., at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, in Ocala, FL. The family will receive friends for one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL 34474 or to the Alzheimer's Association , Central & North Florida Chapter, 378 Center Pointe Circle, Ste 1280, Altamonte Springs, FL., 32701. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266

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### **BRUNER, LARRY, 75**

Ft. McCoy - Larry Bruner, age 75, of Ft McCoy, FL passed away on May 16, 2012. He was born in Dothan, Alabama, on December 12, 1936, a son to the late Lonnie and Etmer (Clearman) Bruner. He was retired and of the Baptist faith. Larry was remembered first for his love of family and enjoyed fishing and hunting. He leaves behind to cherish his memories his beloved wife of 19 years, Sarah; two sons, Michael (Lisa) Bruner of Brooksville, Greg (Donna) Bruner of Summerfield; one daughter Karen Madden of St. Petersburg; stepsons, Wesley (Jessica) McCubbin, and BJ ( Kelly) McCubbin both of Ocala; a sister, Shirley (Frank) Lusher of Ocklawaha; an aunt, Josephine Arledge of Dothan, AL, thirteen grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. A graveside inurnment has been scheduled for Sunday May 27, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Garden. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested donations to the American Cancer Society , P.O. Box 22718 Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718. Forest Lawn Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

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### **CALDWELL, SARAH McNEAL, 100**

Ocala - Sarah McNeal Caldwell, 100, of Ocala, went home to be with the Lord and to reunite with loved ones in the place of eternal rest on Saturday, May 19th 2012. She celebrated her 100th birthday on May 6th, surrounded by family and friends. She was born in Sugar Hill, Georgia, and resided in Ocala since early childhood. She faithfully served the Lord through the years as a Sunday School teacher. She was a charter member of Trinity Baptist Church. She retired in 1977 from Gulf Natural Gas (now, Amerigas), where she was a bookkeeper. She was preceded in death by her parents, A.T. McNeal, Sr. and Lucy Hudgins McNeal; husband, James T. Caldwell Sr.; brothers; Herbert McNeal, A.T. McNeal, Jr., and James McNeal. Sisters; Lucy Vause, Elinor Dose, and Shirley Morgan; and great-grandson, Jackie Lewis, III. She is survived by one daughter, Barbara C. Lewis of Ocala; one son, James T. Caldwell, Jr., and his wife, Jean, of Thomaston, GA; two brothers, Raymond L. McNeal, (Bunny), Ocala, wife Helen; Norton B. McNeal, Ocala; two sisters, Bettie Brown, Maitland; Jacqueline Tortora, Ocala, husband Manny. Five grandchildren; Jack Lewis, Luling, LA, wife, Cindy; Michael Lewis, Lakeland, FL, wife, Omega; Vicki Leist, Ocala, husband, Gary. James T. Caldwell, III, Fayetteville, GA, wife, DeeDee; Lydia Cochran, Fernandina Beach. Great-grandchildren; Shannon Lewis and Charlene Lewis, Luling, LA; Bryan Lewis, Lake Panasofkee; Maegan Lewis, Zephyrhills; Chip Leist and Kara Leist, Ocala; Christopher Caldwell and Danielle Caldwell, Fayetteville, GA; Brett Sibley,

Milledgeville, GA; Alicia Sibley and Carmen Sibley of Fernandina Beach. And eleven great-great-grandchildren and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She is loved by all and will be greatly missed! Funeral Services will be at Trinity Baptist Church in Ocala, on Tuesday, May 22nd 2012, at 2:30 p.m. Viewing begins at 12:30 p.m. at the church. Interment to follow at Hillcrest Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Flowers will be accepted or donations can be made to Trinity Baptist Church Building Fund (1600 S.E. 58th Ave. Ocala) or The American Kidney Foundation. Funeral arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.

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### **LEBRECHT, BETTY ROUSE, 81**

Jupiter, FL - Betty Rouse Lebrecht, 81, of Juno Beach, FL, formerly of Virginia Beach, VA, and Ocala, FL, passed away after a brief illness on May 18th, 2012, in Jupiter, FL. A native of Brewster, NY, she was the daughter of the late Margaret and Charles Rouse. She was a proud career Navy wife to her predeceased husband of 55 years, CMDR Clifford W. Lebrecht, Jr., United States Navy Ret. She had a knack for making any assignment a happy home for the entire family. In addition to being a devoted homemaker, loving mother, and friend to many, she was also a volunteer at Virginia Beach General Hospital. She is survived by her daughter Colette Restly and husband Mike of Jupiter, FL; sister and brother-in-law, Joan and Charles Hicks of Ocala, FL; sister-in-law, Avril Rouse of NY; granddaughter, Dana Burton, grandson, Kyle Restly, and great-grandchildren, Logan, Samantha, and Brook, all of Jupiter, FL. She was predeceased by her brother, Edward Rouse and daughter Lori Beth Lebrecht. A graveside service will be held on Wednesday, May 23rd at 11 a.m. at Colonial Grove Memorial Park, Virginia Beach, VA with Rev. Ernest L. Trueblood officiating. Hollomon-Brown Funeral Home, Lynnhaven Chapel is handling the arrangements. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Palm Beach County, 5300 East Avenue, West Palm Beach, FL 33407. Condolences may be offered to the family at [www.hollomon-brown.com](http://www.hollomon-brown.com).

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### **MARAVILLA, JOSEPH "JOE" RUIZ, 89**

Ocala - Joseph "Joe" Ruiz Maravilla, age 89, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, May 20, 2012. He was born in East Chicago, IN, on August 28, 1922, where he lived and worked at Inland Steel Co. as a Safety Engineer until 1963. He moved to Panama in 1967 where he worked for the Panama Canal Authority as the Safety Director until his retirement in 1985. He then moved to Ocala, FL where he became a substitute teacher for the Marion Co. School System until 2000. His students referred to him as, "Mr. Wonderful". Joe was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala where he was active in the choir and the Knights of Columbus. His hobbies included coin and bottle collecting. He is survived by his sons, Daniel (Bonnie) Maravilla, Thomas (Lynda) Maravilla and Mark (Patrice) Maravilla; daughters, Kathy (Don) Wilczynski and Nancy (Gary) Flora; brother, Fred Maravilla; 19 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife of 62 years, Frances Maravilla; infant son, Joseph Maravilla; and a brother, Richard Maravilla. A visitation will take place at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, May 24, 2012 from 1 until 3 pm and from 5 until 7pm. A funeral mass will be celebrated at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th St, Ocala, FL, on Friday, May 25, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. Interment with military honors will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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#### **BULLER, DONNA JEAN, 66**

Ocala - Donna Jean Buller, 66, passed away on May 15, 2012. Ms. Buller was born in Stoneham, MA in 1945. She was a loving daughter, supportive mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and a good friend. She was always willing to give and thought of others before herself. She was a lover of travel, who fulfilled her dream of traveling to Scotland. Ms. Buller is survived by her loving mother, Jeannie Faucher of Ocala; a sister, Diane Reeves of Ocala; a brother, Richard

Faucher of Tampa; her daughter, Debra Radigan of Raymond, NH; her grandchild, Jessica Radigan of Newton, NH; and her great-granddaughter, Lily Ann of Newton, NH. In lieu of a service or flowers, the family asks that any donations be made in Ms. Buller's name to the American Diabetes Association .

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She is loved by all and will be greatly missed! Funeral Services will be at Trinity Baptist Church in Ocala, on Tuesday, May 22nd 2012, at 2:30 p.m. Viewing begins at 12:30 p.m. at the church. Interment to follow at Hillcrest Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Flowers will be accepted or donations can be made to Trinity Baptist Church Building Fund (1600 S.E. 58th Ave. Ocala) or The American Kidney Foundation. Funeral arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala.

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**LEBRECHT, BETTY ROUSE, 81**

Jupiter, FL - Betty Rouse Lebrecht, 81, of Juno Beach, FL, formerly of Virginia Beach, VA, and Ocala, FL, passed away after a brief illness on May 18th, 2012, in Jupiter, FL. A native of Brewster, NY, she was the daughter of the late Margaret and Charles Rouse. She was a proud career Navy wife to her predeceased husband of 55 years, CMDR Clifford W. Lebrecht, Jr., United States Navy Ret. She had a knack for making any assignment a happy home for the entire

family. In addition to being a devoted homemaker, loving mother, and friend to many, she was also a volunteer at Virginia Beach General Hospital. She is survived by her daughter Colette Restly and husband Mike of Jupiter, FL; sister and brother-in-law, Joan and Charles Hicks of Ocala, FL; sister-in-law, Avril Rouse of NY; granddaughter, Dana Burton, grandson, Kyle Restly, and great-grandchildren, Logan, Samantha, and Brook, all of Jupiter, FL. She was predeceased by her brother, Edward Rouse and daughter Lori Beth Lebrecht. A graveside service will be held on Wednesday, May 23rd at 11 a.m. at Colonial Grove Memorial Park, Virginia Beach, VA with Rev. Ernest L. Trueblood officiating. Hollomon-Brown Funeral Home, Lynnhaven Chapel is handling the arrangements. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Palm Beach County, 5300 East Avenue, West Palm Beach, FL 33407. Condolences may be offered to the family at [www.hollomon-brown.com](http://www.hollomon-brown.com).

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### **MARAVILLA, JOSEPH "JOE" RUIZ, 89**

Ocala - Joseph "Joe" Ruiz Maravilla, age 89, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, May 20, 2012. He was born in East Chicago, IN, on August 28, 1922, where he lived and worked at Inland Steel Co. as a Safety Engineer until 1963. He moved to Panama in 1967 where he worked for the Panama Canal Authority as the Safety Director until his retirement in 1985. He then moved to Ocala, FL where he became a substitute teacher for the Marion Co. School System until 2000. His students referred to him as, "Mr. Wonderful". Joe was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala where he was active in the choir and the Knights of Columbus. His hobbies included coin and bottle collecting. He is survived by his sons, Daniel (Bonnie) Maravilla, Thomas (Lynda) Maravilla and Mark (Patrice) Maravilla; daughters, Kathy (Don) Wilczynski and Nancy (Gary) Flora; brother, Fred Maravilla; 19 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife of 62 years, Frances Maravilla; infant son, Joseph Maravilla; and a brother, Richard Maravilla. A visitation will take place at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, May 24, 2012 from 1 until 3 pm and from 5 until 7pm. A funeral mass will be celebrated at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th St, Ocala, FL, on Friday, May 25, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. Interment with military honors will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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Ocala - Donna Jean Buller, 66, passed away on May 15, 2012. Ms. Buller was born in Stoneham, MA in 1945. She was a loving daughter, supportive mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and a good friend. She was always willing to give and thought of others before herself. She was a lover of travel, who fulfilled her dream of traveling to Scotland. Ms. Buller is survived by her loving mother, Jeannie Faucher of Ocala; a sister, Diane Reeves of Ocala; a brother, Richard Faucher of Tampa; her daughter, Debra Radigan of Raymond, NH; her grandchild, Jessica Radigan of Newton, NH; and her great-granddaughter, Lily Ann of Newton, NH. In lieu of a service or flowers, the family asks that any donations be made in Ms. Buller's name to the American Diabetes Association .

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**MADDEN, SCOTT A., 47**

Clearwater, FL - Scott A. Madden, 47, unexpectedly passed away of heart failure in Clearwater, Florida on May 16, 2012. Scott was a beloved father, son, and nephew. He was born in Ocala and graduated from Forest High School in the Class of '82 and received degrees from CFCC and DeVry University in Atlanta. As a sports enthusiast, he enjoyed participating in water sports, snow skiing, repelling, flying, and scuba diving among many. He had traveled extensively. Scott was self-employed and had owned a home medical supply company. He was a valued friend and business associate. His survivors are his treasured daughter, Jessica Madden; his mother, Pat Bishop; his "Unc" Uncle Ray Newhouse and also by his stepsister, Karen Fisher; and stepbrother, Jeff Bishop. Others very close to Scott were Jennifer Hill and Randy Romanow. His stepfather, John J. Bishop, Jr. preceded him in death. A memorial service will be held Saturday, May 26th at 1 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church, 511 S.E. 3rd Street, Ocala, FL. A reception will follow. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the American Heart Assoc. , P. O. Box 692, Dallas, TX, 75284-0695, or Interfaith Emergency Services P.O. Box 992, Ocala, FL, 34478.

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### **SHAW, WILLIE JR., 75**

Summerfield - Willie Shaw Jr., 75, passed away on Friday, May 18, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory a loving wife, Pearl M. Shaw; children, Wilkayla Shaw, Moses, Michael, David, Shedel Lovely, Jeffrey Hayes Shaw, Brenda, Howard, Larry and Theodore West, Michael and Richard Hill, Jeffery Teahart, Miquel Stevens, Daryl, George Mathis, Kenneth Matthews, Jesse Bennett, David Wilson and Ronald Walton; brothers, Nathaniel Shaw, Herbert Shaw and George Brown; sisters, Grace Lee Lucky, Pearl Taylor, Doris, Sandra and Janice; Godchildren, Chiqueta Vereen, Priscilla Wise, Heath Brinkley, Terry Bitterling, Sheila Bitterling and Leroy; as well as a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 3 p.m. on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at Evangelical Bible Mission, Elijah Pullings, Eulogist. Wake will be on Thursday, May 24, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Visitation will be on Friday, May 25, 2012 from 10 a.m.-4p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade".

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Ocala - Edith Ann Snow, 70, passed away May 12, 2012. Funeral services will be on Saturday, May 26, 2012, at 11 a.m., at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 until 7p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Rivers' residence (5594 N.W. 57th Ave., Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Ms. Snow: children, Carmen Faison (Wayne), Lawana Clark-King, Mia Rivers (Ralph Rivers, Sr.), Tracy James (Errol James, Sr.), Sylvia Clark-Bowers (Kenneth Bowers, Sr.); mother, Martha Hill Thomas; sister, Elouise Johnson (Rudolph), Lillian Fleming, Cynthia Gordon (James); brother, Clarence Hill, Jr., father, Clarence Hill, Sr., who preceded her in death. And a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

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**WENDELL, BETTY ELIZABETH, 95**

Ocklawaha - Betty Elizabeth Wendell, 95, died May 23, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala. She was born in Defiance, Ohio and moved from Pensacola, FL to this area 28 years ago. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Belleview and a homemaker. She enjoyed sewing, cross stitch, arrowhead hunting and painting. Mrs. Wendell is survived by her daughters, Jennifer Taylor, Ocklawaha, and Betty Carroll, Tennessee; son, Charles Wendell, Liberal, KS; brother, William Fillman, Defiance, OH; ten grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. She is predeceased by her husband, Leslie Wendell; sisters, Wilma Molnar and Muriel Volkert; brothers, James Richard Fillman and Charles Fillman; and parents, Charles Grover and Lulu Mae Fillman. Funeral services will be held at First Baptist Church of Belleview, 6107 SE Agnew Road at 1 pm, Saturday, May 26, 2012. Visitation will be from 6 - 8 pm, Friday, May 25, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Memorial contributions may be sent to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Online condolences may be sent at [www.hier-baxley.com](http://www.hier-baxley.com).

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**BLACK, NORMA G., 94**

Greensboro, VT - Norma G. Black, 94, went peacefully to be with her Lord on Wednesday, May 9, 2012, at home. She was born in Belmont, MA, moved to Ocala, Florida in 1980, and most recently lived in Vermont with her daughter. Norma was a secretary for American Mutual Insurance Company in Wakefield, MA, for 20 years. She was preceded in death by her husband of 62 years, Randolph, and her brother, Donald Edkins. She is survived by her daughters, Anita McMillan (John), Derry, NH; Janet Ward (Seldon), Greensboro, VT; Arlene Scrambling (David), Ocala, FL; and son, Paul R. Black, Lowell, MA; sisters, Ruth Sedlacko and Pauline Knowlton; brother, Robert Edkins, all of MA; twelve grandchildren, and ten great-grandchildren. A graveside service will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2012, at 11 a.m., at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens, 5740 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, Florida.

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**BROWN, RICHARD BERNARD, 97**

Archer, FL - Deacon Richard Bernard Brown, 97, Archer's oldest pioneering activist and a direct link to the infamous Rosewood Massacre, passed away on May 19, 2012 at Shands Hospital, Gainesville, FL. He is survived by his stepdaughter, Phyllis Stroud; niece/caregiver, Lizzie R. Brown Jenkins; two sisters in-law; 92 nieces and nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends. Deacon Brown was a member of Johnson Chapel and St. Joseph M.B. Baptist Churches, Archer, FL. Wake Services will be held at Mr. Brown's home: 14738 SW 159th Ave., Archer, FL on Friday, May 25, 2012, 7pm until hour of service. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at 10 a.m. at St. Joseph M.B. Church, 18107 SW 107th St., Archer, FL. Interment will follow at the St. Joseph M.B. Church Cemetery. Brown Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Services, LLC, 706 SW Martin Luther King Ave., Ocala, FL 34471, (352) 840-

0611 is in charge of arrangements.

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**HERNDON, MARILYN JEAN**

Moss Bluff- Marilyn Jean Herndon was born May 7, 1933 in Ocala, FL; died May 22, 2012 in Gainesville, FL. She was a Christian and loved her cat, Twinkle Toes. She was a native Floridian and graduated from Ocala High School, Class of 1952. Marilyn was an artist and her paintings were displayed with a local artist club. Early in her career she moved to Jacksonville, where she obtained a degree from Jones Business College and Jacksonville Junior College. She worked for Luther Rice Seminary and upon moving to North Carolina, she worked as a nurse's aide and also as a legal secretary. She returned to her home area to take care of her late mother, Hettie. She is survived by her sister, Carolyn Herndon of Silver Springs, FL; aunt, Pauline Wallace McMurtrey of Moss Bluff, FL; and nieces, along with many cousins. She was preceded in death by her parents, Ray and Hettie Herndon; and brother, Ray Herndon, Jr. Visitation will be 1/2 hour prior to service. Graveside service will be Sunday, May 27, 2012 at 2 p.m., at Moss Bluff Cemetery, Moss Bluff, FL. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**KINDLER, MARIECHEN, 102**

Dunnellon - Mariechen Kindler, 102, of Dunnellon, Florida, formerly of West Palm Beach, passed away May 22, 2012. She was born in Floegel, Germany on November 16, 1909 and emigrated to the U.S. in 1928. She was the oldest child of four (two sisters and one brother) all deceased. She was predeceased by her husband of 52 years, Erich Kindler. She will be lovingly remembered by her family, including her daughter, Evelyn M. Carlson; two grandchildren, Glenn and Kenneth Carlson, and four great-grandchildren, Michael, Katherine, Nathan and Brian Carlson. She was a life member of the American German Club in Lantana, Florida. Funeral Services will be held 2 p.m., Saturday, May 26, 2012 at TILLMAN FUNERAL HOME, 2170 S. Military Trail, West Palm Beach, the Rev. Monte Tiller presiding. Burial will follow at Lake Worth Memory Gardens. The family will receive guests after 12 noon Saturday at the funeral home. Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association .

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### **KISAREWICH, ALBIN, "AL" PAUL, 86**

Ocala - Albin "Al" Paul Kisarewich, age 86, of Ocala, FL passed away Tuesday, May 22, 2012. He was born in Bristol, CT on April 22, 1926. Al joined the United States Navy and served during World War II. After his military service, he returned to Bristol where he met and married his wife of 63 years, Geraldine "Jerry" Gagnon. Together they raised five children who were with him at his death. In the 1960's, Al and his brother, Lou, relocated their families to Florida working with the infrastructure for Cape Canaveral. The brothers later moved to Fort Lauderdale where Al worked until his retirement to the Ocala area. Over his lifetime, Al pursued wide ranging interests. As a young man he enjoyed bow hunting, stock car racing and held a commercial pilot's license. With his family he built a small horse farm in Davie, FL where they bred and raced thoroughbreds. Upon moving to the Ocala area, he designed and constructed their home with his wife and children. In his 70's he became an avid hiker who completed over 1100 miles of the Appalachian Trail. He also hiked the "Over 80" hike across Florida in 2007. Al was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and an active volunteer with Brothers Keeper for 17 years. Al is survived by his wife, Geraldine Kisarewich; sister, Nellie Sievel; children Paul Kisarewich, Robert (Cindie) Kisarewich, Karen (Rick) Berquist, Kim (Wayne) Proctor, Kelly (Tony) Hicks; seven grandchildren, three great- grandchildren and numerous nephews and nieces. Visitation will take place at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street, Ocala, FL, 34471 on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at 10 a.m., followed by Mass at 11 a.m. The family invites friends to remain for lunch in the parish hall. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Brothers Keeper, 5 SE 17th Street, Ocala, FL 34471.

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### **LaVINE, KENNETH J., 79**

Ocala - Kenneth J. LaVine, 79, of Ocala, FL passed away Monday, May 21, 2012 at O.R.M.C., Ocala, FL. Born in Cortland, NY, Ken moved to Florida in 1987 from Syracuse, NY after retiring from Niagara Mohawk Power Co. as an accountant. He was a U.S. Navy veteran. Ken was a member of Druid Hills United Methodist Church of Ocala, FL, past Worshipful Master of Lehigh Acres Masonic Lodge #344, Grand Royal Patron of Florida Order of the Amaranth,

member of Crystal Court #48, American Legion Post #284 and Tigris Shrine. Ken enjoyed his garden, bird watching, bowling and playing golf. Predeceased by wife, Freda; sister, Catherine and brother, Robert. Surviving is his wife of 11 years, Florence, of Ocala, FL; sons, Brian of Cobleskill, Wayne of Syracuse; daughters, Michele Stanton of Camillus, Janine Kondra of East Syracuse, all of NY; brother, David, of Homer, NY; and sister, Ethel Pforter of North Port, FL; 14 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. There will be a celebration of life service at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at 11 a.m. All are welcome to attend and share with the family. Donations in lieu of flowers may be made to the American Cancer Society or The Diabetes Research Foundation in his memory. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL 352-622-4141. Please share condolences and sign guest book at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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#### **LeBLANC, EDITH S., 74**

Ocala - Edith S. LeBlanc, 74, passed away May 17, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was born on February 20, 1938 to Eric and Almina (Bassett) Parker. She graduated from Nashua High School. She graduated with an associate degree in business administration from Tampa College in 1993. She married Leopold "Frenchy" LeBlanc on September 22, 1954. He survives. Other survivors include daughters: Diane (Sidney) LaBelle, Pearl (Paul) Audit, Loretta (Bernhard) Keller, and Colette (Normand) Levesque; sister, Eleanor Ouellette; eight grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her sister, Priscilla Hastings. Funeral services will take place at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Chapel, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida 34470 on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at Noon. A private interment will take place at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the H. Lee Moffitt Cancer Center & Research Institute, 12902 Magnolia Drive, Tampa, Florida 33612.

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#### **LUGO, WILLIAM KYLE, 23**

Ocala - Mr. William Kyle Lugo, 23, of Ocala, FL passed away on May 20, 2012. He is a lifelong resident. He was an air conditioning technician. He is survived by his parents, Rose and Anibal

Lugo of Ocala, FL; four brothers: Christopher Khorashadi of Ocala, FL; Edward Anibal Lugo of CT; Pablo Alexi Lugo of CT; and Ryan Lugo of Ocala, FL; one sister, Wilmaris Lugo-Santana of Miami, FL; and also numerous loving family members. A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR#200 in Ocala, (351)854-2266, on Sunday, May 27th from 2 - 4 p.m. with a funeral service to follow at 4 p.m. To leave condolences:

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**MADDEN, SCOTT A., 47**

Clearwater, FL - Scott A. Madden, 47, unexpectedly passed away of heart failure in Clearwater, Florida on May 16, 2012. Scott was a beloved father, son, and nephew. He was born in Ocala and graduated from Forest High School in the Class of '82 and received degrees from CFCC and DeVry University in Atlanta. As a sports enthusiast, he enjoyed participating in water sports, snow skiing, repelling, flying, and scuba diving among many. He had traveled extensively. Scott was self-employed and had owned a home medical supply company. He was a valued friend and business associate. His survivors are his treasured daughter, Jessica Madden; his mother, Pat Bishop; his "Unc" Uncle Ray Newhouse and also by his stepsister, Karen Fisher; and stepbrother, Jeff Bishop. Others very close to Scott were Jennifer Hill and Randy Romanow. His stepfather, John J. Bishop, Jr. preceded him in death. A memorial service will be held Saturday, May 26th at 1 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church, 511 S.E. 3rd Street, Ocala, FL. A reception will follow. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the American Heart Assoc. , P. O. Box 692, Dallas, TX, 75284-0695, or Interfaith Emergency Services P.O. Box 992, Ocala, FL, 34478.

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**NELSON, ETHEL M., 77**

Ocala - Ethel M. Nelson, 77, transitioned on May 22, 2012 with her family by her side in Ocala, Florida. Ethel was born July, 19th in Richland, GA to George Gurtis and Laura Oliver. She was a graduate of Howard High Class of '54. She was an ardent chef and seamstress; cooking and sewing were her passion. She also enjoyed working with crafts. Ethel got great pleasure from helping others. She enjoyed cooking and bringing food to the homeless, and others in need. She is survived by her daughter, Shirley Bell (Roosevelt), Miami, FL; devoted companion, James Gray, Ocala, FL; Sisters: Grace Huffman, Ocala, FL and Clemmye Jackson (George), Coral Springs, FL; granddaughter, Shenita Vaughn; Grandson, Rashard V. Bell (Lashonne); and a host of nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends and family from 6-7p.m. in the Summers Funeral Home Chapel, on Friday, May 25, 2012. The celebration of life service will be held at 11 a.m., on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Edward Bland, Pastor. Arrangements entrusted to Summers Funeral Home, visit us at [summersfh.com](http://summersfh.com).

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**NEWELL, DOROTHY ALICE FRIEDEL, 85**

Gainesville - Dorothy Alice Friedel Newell, a resident of North Florida Retirement Village, died May 23, 2012, at the age of 85. She was born June 4, 1926, in Cleveland, Ohio, graduated from Collinwood High School, and worked for a brief time in the General Electric Plant as part of the war effort. After World War II, she and her family relocated to Gainesville, Florida, where she

met and married MacFadden A. Newell, a mechanical engineering student at the University of Florida. In addition to her long career as a homemaker, Dorothy was active in the Jacksonville Beaches Garden Clubs. She was a certified nutritionist and owned a catering business. Before her retirement, she regularly planned menus and served banquets at the San Jose Country Club, the General Motors' Training Center, Jacksonville area hospitals, and catered numerous private affairs throughout the Jacksonville area. Ms. Newell lived for many years in Atlantic Beach, Ponte Vedra Beach, and the beaches area. She travelled throughout the world and enjoyed meeting people. She is survived by her son, Alec Newell (Kathy); her two daughters, Sara-Nett Wood (Ashley), and Connie Langston (Bobby); five grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. Ms. Newell's service will be graveside at the Center Point Cemetery in Boardman, Florida, Saturday, May 26, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. Her family expresses their appreciation for the loving care Ms. Newell received from Haven Hospice and especially the staff of The Village's Azalea Trace Center. Funeral arrangements will be handled by the MILAM FUNERAL HOME, Gainesville, FL, (352)376-5361

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### **RICHARDS, MICHAEL JR., 2**

Ocala - Michael Richards Jr., 2, passed away on Saturday, May 19, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory loving parents, Michael Richards Sr. and Denise Rush, sister, Mikerria Richards; grandparents, Pamela Burton, Harold Johnson, Kim Williams, Jimmie Russ, Liz Bracey and Randolph Richards Jr.; as well as a host of other sorrowing relatives. Funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at Temple Church of God by Faith. Visitation will be from 6-8p.m. on Friday, May 25, 2012, at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade."

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### **SHAW, WILLIE JR., 75**

Summerfield - Willie Shaw Jr., 75, passed away on Friday, May 18, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory a loving wife, Pearlie M. Shaw; children, Wilkayla Shaw, Moses, Michael, David, Shedel Lovely, Jeffrey Hayes Shaw, Brenda, Howard, Larry and Theodore West, Michael and Richard Hill, Jeffery Teahart, Miquel Stevens, Daryl, George Mathis, Kenneth Matthews, Jesse Bennett, David Wilson and Ronald Walton; brothers, Nathaniel Shaw, Herbert Shaw and George Brown; sisters, Grace Lee Lucky, Pearlie Taylor, Doris, Sandra and Janice; Godchildren, Chiqueta Vereen, Priscilla Wise, Heath Brinkley, Terry Bitterling, Sheila Bitterling and Leroy; as well as a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 3 p.m. on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at Evangelical Bible Mission, Elijah Pullings, Eulogist. Wake will be on Thursday, May 24, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Visitation will be on Friday, May 25, 2012 from 10 a.m.-4p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade".

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### **SNOW, EDITH ANN, 70**

Ocala - Edith Ann Snow, 70, passed away May 12, 2012. Funeral services will be on Saturday, May 26, 2012, at 11 a.m., at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 until 7p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Rivers' residence (5594 N.W. 57th Ave., Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the

funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Ms. Snow: children, Carmen Faison (Wayne), Lawana Clark-King, Mia Rivers (Ralph Rivers, Sr.), Tracy James (Errol James, Sr.), Sylvia Clark-Bowers (Kenneth Bowers, Sr.); mother, Martha Hill Thomas; sister, Elouise Johnson (Rudolph), Lillian Fleming, Cynthia Gordon (James); brother, Clarence Hill, Jr., father, Clarence Hill, Sr., who preceded her in death. And a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

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### **STONE, JUANITA GOLDEN, 78**

Ocala - Juanita Golden Stone, 78, passed away peacefully, after a long battle of illness, in her home on May 22, 2012. Born in Meigs, GA, Oct. 31, 1933 and married in Miami, FL, May 27, 1951; Juanita moved to Ocala with her husband in 1972, working for Chazal-Blair Insurance and Marion County School Transportation. Juanita loved her family, music, friends and God. She will always be remembered for her kindness, patience, nurturing, compassion and love for everyone. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Harold E. Stone; sons, David Stone and Timothy Stone; daughter, Patricia Fletcher; brothers, Kenneth, Ronald and Eugene; sisters, Eunice, Ruth, Sharon, Diane and Yvonne; eight grandchildren, five great-grandchildren; sister and brother-in-laws, numerous nieces and nephews and friends. Predeceased by her parents, Lemuel and Clara Belle Golden; son, Ronald Wayne and brothers, Thiron and Marion. A service will be held on Sunday, May 27, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. at 2 p.m. with graveside services following at Highland Memorial Park.

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### **THOMAS, SYLVIA A., 52**

Decatur, GA - Sylvia A. Thomas, 52, of Decatur, GA, died on Monday, May 21, 2012 at Emory University Hospital. Ms. Thomas was born in Ocala, FL. to the late Ida Mae and Jessie Wilford. She was a graduate of Forest High School, Class of 1977. Ms. Thomas was employed by DeKalb County School System and was a member of Antioch-Lithonia Baptist Church. She is survived by her sons, Ulysses Thomas, Allston, MA and Ju'Wann Thomas, Decatur, GA; daughter, Tia (Vonnair) Goggins, Decatur, GA; grandchildren, Jasmine Goggins and Vonnair Goggins, Decatur, GA; sister, Josephine Scott-Byrd, Ocala, FL; brothers, Theodore (Sheryl) Chavers, Joseph Scott Jr., Kenneth Scott, Kelvin Scott, all of Ocala, FL, and Marvin (Deana) Scott, Orlando, FL. Funeral Services will be held on Friday, May 25, 2012 at 1 pm at Antioch-Lithonia Baptist Church in Lithonia, GA. Rev. James Ward officiating. Graveside Service and Interment will be held at Lincoln Memorial Gardens in Ocala, FL on Monday, May 28, 2012 at 11 a.m. Services entrusted to Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Home, Decatur, GA and Sellers Funeral Home, Ocala, FL.

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### **WENDELL, BETTY ELIZABETH, 95**

Ocklawaha - Betty Elizabeth Wendell, 95, died May 23, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala. She was born in Defiance, Ohio and moved from Pensacola, FL to this area 28 years ago. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Belleview and a homemaker. She enjoyed sewing,

cross stitch, arrowhead hunting and painting. Mrs. Wendell is survived by her daughters, Jennifer Taylor, Ocklawaha, and Betty Carroll, Tennessee; son, Charles Wendell, Liberal, KS; brother, William Fillman, Defiance, OH; ten grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. She is predeceased by her husband, Leslie Wendell; sisters, Wilma Molnar and Muriel Volkert; brothers, James Richard Fillman and Charles Fillman; and parents, Charles Grover and Lulu Mae Fillman. Funeral services will be held at First Baptist Church of Belleview, 6107 SE Agnew Road at 1 pm, Saturday, May 26, 2012. Visitation will be from 6 - 8 pm, Friday, May 25, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Memorial contributions may be sent to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Online condolences may be sent at [www.hier-baxley.com](http://www.hier-baxley.com).  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 26, 2012**

#### **BLACK, NORMA G., 94**

Greensboro, VT - Norma G. Black, 94, went peacefully to be with her Lord on Wednesday, May 9, 2012, at home. She was born in Belmont, MA, moved to Ocala, Florida in 1980, and most recently lived in Vermont with her daughter. Norma was a secretary for American Mutual Insurance Company in Wakefield, MA, for 20 years. She was preceded in death by her husband of 62 years, Randolph, and her brother, Donald Edkins. She is survived by her daughters, Anita McMillan (John), Derry, NH; Janet Ward (Seldon), Greensboro, VT; Arlene Scrambling (David), Ocala, FL; and son, Paul R. Black, Lowell, MA; sisters, Ruth Sedlacko and Pauline Knowlton; brother, Robert Edkins, all of MA; twelve grandchildren, and ten great-grandchildren. A graveside service will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2012, at 11 a.m., at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens, 5740 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, Florida.  
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#### **BROWN, RICHARD BERNARD, 97**

Archer, FL - Deacon Richard Bernard Brown, 97, Archer's oldest pioneering activist and a direct link to the infamous Rosewood Massacre, passed away on May 19, 2012 at Shands Hospital, Gainesville, FL. He is survived by his stepdaughter, Phyllis Stroud; niece/caregiver, Lizzie R. Brown Jenkins; two sisters in-law; 92 nieces and nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends. Deacon Brown was a member of Johnson Chapel and St. Joseph M.B. Baptist Churches, Archer, FL. Wake Services will be held at Mr. Brown's home: 14738 SW 159th Ave., Archer, FL on Friday, May 25, 2012, 7pm until hour of service. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at 10 a.m. at St. Joseph M.B. Church, 18107 SW 107th St., Archer, FL. Interment will follow at the St. Joseph M.B. Church Cemetery. Brown Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Services, LLC, 706 SW Martin Luther King Ave., Ocala, FL 34471, (352) 840-0611 is in charge of arrangements.  
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#### **CHARRON, DORIS G., 83**

Ocala - Doris G. Charron, 83, passed away on May 23, 2012. She was born in Grand Rapids, MI on September 27, 1928. Mrs. Charron was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She worked at George F. Mangans Insurance in Ocala, and later was the co-owner of Knitter's Delight Yarn Shop. She enjoyed doing crafts, knitting, and sewing, and working in her rose



garden. She is survived by her daughters Deborah Lockheart and Nina Velandra; and sons, William M. Pyle, Mark (Karen) Velandra, Paul Velandra, and Craig Velandra; a sister, Mary Ann Huzarski; seven grandchildren, Elissa Schee, Kim Ragle, Brandy Eckman, Christopher Sanders, William Pyle, Jr., Laura Pyle, and Jared Velandra; ten great grandchildren and one great great grandson. She was preceded in death by her husband Marius G. Charron, daughter Catherine Sanders, grandson Neil Blanken, and great granddaughter Margay Schee. A graveside service will be held Tuesday, May 29, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park, with Father Roy Eco officiating. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL, 34470.

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### **GIDEONS, DAVID SCOTT**

Seymour, TN - David Scott Gideons, passed away on Tuesday, May 22, 2012. He was a native of Hollywood, FL and moved to Ocala when he was five years old and lived here until 1998 before moving to Tennessee. He was Southern Baptist and was an assistant store manager for Food City in Seymour. He served his country in the U.S. Marine Corps during Desert Storm. He enjoyed playing golf, fishing, working-out at the gym and being with his children. He is survived by his children, Chloe Elise and Matthew David Gideons of Sevierville, TN; his mother, Virginia Faw of Ocklawaha; his father, George Thomas "Tommy" Gideons of Leesburg; his sister, Shannon (Timmy) Johnsen of Salt Springs; his brother, Derek Faw of Palatka; his nieces, Payton Faith and Jordan Taylor of Salt Springs and his uncles, Donald (Gail) Smith of Tallahassee and Tommy (Cindy) Smith of Ocala; and his companion and caregiver, Jo Dee Shutz of Seymour. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, A.D. and Kate Aline Smith; his aunt, Sharon Smith; and his paternal grandparents, George Freeman and Myrell Gideons. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, May 29, 2012 at 4 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with Rev. Samuel W. Clements officiating. Burial will follow at Highland Memorial Park.

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Ocala - Francis E. Harlow, 92, of Ocala, passed away May 16, 2012. Born in Jersey City, NJ, the son of Patrick Harlow and Geraldine Ruiz, he served in WWII with the US Army Air Corps. Fran is survived by a sister, Alice Grom, of Long Island, NY, and several nieces and nephews, and was preceded in death by his wife, Delsie P. Cruce Harlow, and a sister, Jeanne Moore. The funeral service will be on Tuesday, May 29, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Woodlawn Cemetery. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2 AVE, Ocala, (352) 622-4141.

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### **HERNDON, MARILYN JEAN**

Moss Bluff- Marilyn Jean Herndon was born May 7, 1933 in Ocala, FL; died May 22, 2012 in Gainesville, FL. She was a Christian and loved her cat, Twinkle Toes. She was a native Floridian and graduated from Ocala High School, Class of 1952. Marilyn was an artist and her paintings were displayed with a local artist club. Early in her career she moved to Jacksonville, where she obtained a degree from Jones Business College and Jacksonville Junior College. She worked for Luther Rice Seminary and upon moving to North Carolina, she worked as a nurse's aide and also

as a legal secretary. She returned to her home area to take care of her late mother, Hettie. She is survived by her sister, Carolyn Herndon of Silver Springs, FL; aunt, Pauline Wallace McMurtrey of Moss Bluff, FL; and nieces, along with many cousins. She was preceded in death by her parents, Ray and Hettie Herndon; and brother, Ray Herndon, Jr. Visitation will be 1/2 hour prior to service. Graveside service will be Sunday, May 27, 2012 at 2 p.m., at Moss Bluff Cemetery, Moss Bluff, FL. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).  
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**LUGO, WILLIAM KYLE, 23**

Ocala - Mr. William Kyle Lugo, 23, of Ocala, FL passed away on May 20, 2012. He is a lifelong resident. He was an air conditioning technician. He is survived by his parents, Rose and Anibal Lugo of Ocala, FL; four brothers: Christopher Khorashadi of Ocala, FL; Edward Anibal Lugo of CT; Pablo Alexi Lugo of CT; and Ryan Lugo of Ocala, FL; one sister, Wilmaris Lugo-Santana of Miami, FL; and also numerous loving family members. A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR#200 in Ocala, (351)854-2266, on Sunday, May 27th from 2 - 4 p.m. with a funeral service to follow at 4 p.m. To leave condolences:

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**NELSON, ETHEL M., 77**

Ocala - Ethel M. Nelson, 77, transitioned on May 22, 2012 with her family by her side in Ocala, Florida. Ethel was born July, 19th in Richland, GA to George Gurtis and Laura Oliver. She was a graduate of Howard High Class of '54. She was an ardent chef and seamstress; cooking and sewing were her passion. She also enjoyed working with crafts. Ethel got great pleasure from helping others. She enjoyed cooking and bringing food to the homeless, and others in need. She is survived by her daughter, Shirley Bell (Roosevelt), Miami, FL; devoted companion, James Gray, Ocala, FL; Sisters: Grace Huffman, Ocala, FL and Clemmye Jackson (George), Coral Springs, FL; granddaughter, Shenita Vaughn; Grandson, Rashard V. Bell (Lashonne); and a host of nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends and family from 6-7p.m. in the Summers Funeral Home Chapel, on Friday, May 25, 2012. The celebration of life service will be held at 11 a.m., on Saturday, May 26, 2012 at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Edward Bland, Pastor. Arrangements entrusted to Summers Funeral Home, visit us at [summersfh.com](http://summersfh.com).

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**NEWELL, DOROTHY ALICE FRIEDEL, 85**

Gainesville - Dorothy Alice Friedel Newell, a resident of North Florida Retirement Village, died May 23, 2012, at the age of 85. She was born June 4, 1926, in Cleveland, Ohio, graduated from Collinwood High School, and worked for a brief time in the General Electric Plant as part of the

war effort. After World War II, she and her family relocated to Gainesville, Florida, where she met and married MacFadden A. Newell, a mechanical engineering student at the University of Florida. In addition to her long career as a homemaker, Dorothy was active in the Jacksonville Beaches Garden Clubs. She was a certified nutritionist and owned a catering business. Before her retirement, she regularly planned menus and served banquets at the San Jose Country Club, the General Motors' Training Center, Jacksonville area hospitals, and catered numerous private affairs throughout the Jacksonville area. Ms. Newell lived for many years in Atlantic Beach, Ponte Vedra Beach, and the beaches area. She travelled throughout the world and enjoyed meeting people. She is survived by her son, Alec Newell (Kathy); her two daughters, Sara-Nett Wood (Ashley), and Connie Langston (Bobby); five grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. Ms. Newell's service will be graveside at the Center Point Cemetery in Boardman, Florida, Saturday, May 26, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. Her family expresses their appreciation for the loving care Ms. Newell received from Haven Hospice and especially the staff of The Village's Azalea Trace Center. Funeral arrangements will be handled by the MILAM FUNERAL HOME, Gainesville, FL, (352)376-5361

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### **STONE, JUANITA GOLDEN, 78**

Ocala - Juanita Golden Stone, 78, passed away peacefully, after a long battle of illness, in her home on May 22, 2012. Born in Meigs, GA, Oct. 31, 1933 and married in Miami, FL, May 27,

1951; Juanita moved to Ocala with her husband in 1972, working for Chazal-Blair Insurance and Marion County School Transportation. Juanita loved her family, music, friends and God. She will always be remembered for her kindness, patience, nurturing, compassion and love for everyone. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, Harold E. Stone; sons, David Stone and Timothy Stone; daughter, Patricia Fletcher; brothers, Kenneth, Ronald and Eugene; sisters, Eunice, Ruth, Sharon, Diane and Yvonne; eight grandchildren, five great-grandchildren; sister and brother-in-laws, numerous nieces and nephews and friends. Predeceased by her parents, Lemuel and Clara Belle Golden; son, Ronald Wayne and brothers, Thiron and Marion. A service will be held on Sunday, May 27, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. at 2 p.m. with graveside services following at Highland Memorial Park.

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**THOMAS, SYLVIA A., 52**

Decatur, GA - Sylvia A. Thomas, 52, of Decatur, GA, died on Monday, May 21, 2012 at Emory University Hospital. Ms. Thomas was born in Ocala, FL. to the late Ida Mae and Jessie Wilford. She was a graduate of Forest High School, Class of 1977. Ms. Thomas was employed by DeKalb County School System and was a member of Antioch-Lithonia Baptist Church. She is survived by her sons, Ulysses Thomas, Allston, MA and Ju'Wann Thomas, Decatur, GA; daughter, Tia (Vonnair) Goggins, Decatur, GA; grandchildren, Jasmine Goggins and Vonnair Goggins, Decatur, GA; sister, Josephine Scott-Byrd, Ocala, FL; brothers, Theodore (Sheryl) Chavers, Joseph Scott Jr., Kenneth Scott, Kelvin Scott, all of Ocala, FL, and Marvin (Deana) Scott, Orlando, FL. Funeral Services will be held on Friday, May 25, 2012 at 1 pm at Antioch-Lithonia Baptist Church in Lithonia, GA. Rev. James Ward officiating. Graveside Service and Interment will be held at Lincoln Memorial Gardens in Ocala, FL on Monday, May 28, 2012 at 11 a.m. Services entrusted to Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Home, Decatur, GA and Sellers Funeral Home, Ocala, FL.

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**CHARRON, DORIS G., 83**

Ocala - Doris G. Charron, 83, passed away on May 23, 2012. She was born in Grand Rapids, MI on September 27, 1928. Mrs. Charron was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. She worked at George F. Mangans Insurance in Ocala, and later was the co-owner of Knitter's Delight Yarn Shop. She enjoyed doing crafts, knitting, and sewing, and working in her rose garden. She is survived by her daughters Deborah Lockheart and Nina Velandra; and sons, William M. Pyle, Mark (Karen) Velandra, Paul Velandra, and Craig Velandra; a sister, Mary Ann Huzarski; seven grandchildren, Elissa Schee, Kim Ragle, Brandy Eckman, Christopher Sanders, William Pyle, Jr., Laura Pyle, and Jared Velandra; ten great grandchildren and one great great grandson. She was preceded in death by her husband Marius G. Charron, daughter Catherine Sanders, grandson Neil Blanken, and great granddaughter Margay Schee. A graveside service will be held Tuesday, May 29, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park, with Father Roy Eco officiating. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL, 34470.

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Chapel West 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, 854-2266.  
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### **WISHARD, ALICIA D., 80**

Ocala - Alicia D. Wishard, 80, of Ocala, died Friday, May 18, at her home with her family at her side. Alicia was born in Minneapolis, Minnesota, on May 20, 1931. She graduated from New Trier Township High School, Cook County, Illinois, in 1949, then attended Denison University, Granville, Ohio. There she met her future husband, William Rodney (Rod) Wishard. They were married on August 30, 1952. They lived in Cincinnati and Dayton, Ohio, where Alicia led a very active life, engaging in such activities as bowling, dancing, and bridge club. She and her husband helped establish the Dayton Dancers, which held monthly dinner-dances in the area. As the mother of three daughters, she was busy with their activities including horseback riding lessons, softball, cheerleading and swimming. The family moved to Dunedin, Florida, in 1969, then to Peru, Indiana, and Barrington, Illinois, and back to Florida in 1987, when Rod retired from Square D Company. In McIntosh, they developed Suncatcher Farm, hosting USEA (then USCTA) recognized horse trials, unrecognized dressage and hunter pace events, intercollegiate horse shows and numerous Pony Club activities. She and Rod were co-chairs of USCTA Area III in the mid-90's and she became proficient in scoring at combined training events. For the last 12 years, she traveled all over the southeast to score at recognized events and was a valuable staff member at such shows. She also enjoyed cross-stitch projects and her home is filled with the work she didn't give away to her friends and family. Her family was small but her circle of friends was spread far and wide; she affected many with her charity, kindness, and subtle (and sometimes not so) sense of humor. She is preceded in death by her husband, Rod; and her daughter, Ellen Price. She is survived by her daughters, Kathy Houck (Mark) of Sopchoppy, Florida, and Karen Nighthorse of Newberry, Florida; granddaughter Christina Houck and great-grandson Derek Hamilton of Tampa, Florida; grandson Mark Houck of Ocean Springs, Mississippi; sister Sherry Klumpp (Wayne) of Victor, New York; brother Bill Danner (Mariann) of Pensacola, Florida, and last but not least, by her beloved cat B.C. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Odyssey Hospice, 1320 SE 25th Loop, Suite 101, Ocala, FL 34471, or to the Humane Society of Marion County, 701 Northwest 14th Road, Ocala, FL 34475. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 27 to May 28, 2012

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24, 2012. He was born on October 17, 1921 in Olds Alberta, Canada to the late Otto A. and Reba N. (Sheely) Miller. He grew up in the area around South Bend, Indiana. Gene was a veteran of WWII, serving in the U.S. Navy Medical Surgical Tech Unit as a Pharmacist Mate First Class. For 27 years he worked with General Dynamics/Stromberg Carlson as Manager of Human Resources. He moved to the Ocala area in 1991. Gene was a life member of the Angela S. Santos VFW Post 4781, Past Master of the Masonic Lodge (Frasier 294) in Dinuba, CA. He was also a member of the OTOW Movie Club and a past member of the men's Golf Association. He enjoyed golfing, wood working, gardening and listening to music. Gene is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Lois Miller; sons, Kevin and wife Grace of Ocala, Craig and wife, Brenda of Fort Worth, Texas and Ross of California, grandchildren Brooke, Brandon and Hailey and many friends. A visitation will be held on Wednesday, May 30, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., at which time the funeral service will be held with Chaplain Wayne Hunter officiating. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with the Angela Santos Honor Guard officiating. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **WISHARD, ALICIA D., 80**

Ocala - Alicia D. Wishard, 80, of Ocala, died Friday, May 18, at her home with her family at her side. Alicia was born in Minneapolis, Minnesota, on May 20, 1931. She graduated from New Trier Township High School, Cook County, Illinois, in 1949, then attended Denison University, Granville, Ohio. There she met her future husband, William Rodney (Rod) Wishard. They were married on August 30, 1952. They lived in Cincinnati and Dayton, Ohio, where Alicia led a very active life, engaging in such activities as bowling, dancing, and bridge club. She and her husband helped establish the Dayton Dancers, which held monthly dinner-dances in the area. As the mother of three daughters, she was busy with their activities including horseback riding lessons, softball, cheerleading and swimming. The family moved to Dunedin, Florida, in 1969, then to Peru, Indiana, and Barrington, Illinois, and back to Florida in 1987, when Rod retired from Square D Company. In McIntosh, they developed Suncatcher Farm, hosting USEA (then USCTA) recognized horse trials, unrecognized dressage and hunter pace events, intercollegiate horse shows and numerous Pony Club activities. She and Rod were co-chairs of USCTA Area III in the mid-90's and she became proficient in scoring at combined training events. For the last 12 years, she traveled all over the southeast to score at recognized events and was a valuable staff member at such shows. She also enjoyed cross-stitch projects and her home is filled with the work she didn't give away to her friends and family. Her family was small but her circle of friends was spread far and wide; she affected many with her charity, kindness, and subtle (and sometimes not so) sense of humor. She is preceded in death by her husband, Rod; and her daughter, Ellen Price. She is survived by her daughters, Kathy Houck (Mark) of Sopchoppy, Florida, and Karen Nighthorse of Newberry, Florida; granddaughter Christina Houck and great-grandson Derek Hamilton of Tampa, Florida; grandson Mark Houck of Ocean Springs, Mississippi; sister Sherry Klumpp (Wayne) of Victor, New York; brother Bill Danner (Mariann) of Pensacola, Florida, and last but not least, by her beloved cat B.C. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Odyssey Hospice, 1320 SE 25th Loop, Suite 101. Ocala, FL 34471, or to the Humane Society of Marion County, 701 Northwest 14th Road, Ocala, FL 34475. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 27 to May 28, 2012

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 29, 2012**

No listings were received for online publication for this day.

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### **BEARD, TIMOTHY D., 31**

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alone for sixteen years, June met Ralph Feeman. They married in 1970 and spent 42 happy years together, in Sterling Heights, Michigan; Asheville, North Carolina, and in Summerfield, Florida since 2002. As active Lutheran church members, they contributed greatly and enjoyed a rich spiritual life. June was blessed with creative talents that she freely shared throughout her life. As both a singer and an excellent seamstress, June was costume designer for 30 years to various championship choruses of the 'Sweet Adelines' society. Through her Ukrainian heritage, June became a master of cross-stitch needlework and created beautiful, artistic works. In recent years, she also produced lovely figurines in bead work, and she taught classes to share her talent with others. June's family and many friends will long remember her kindness and giving nature, as well as her lively personality and sense of fun. In lieu of flowers, the family would suggest a charitable donation in June's memory.

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Belleview - Born May 16, 1927 in Geneva, IN; died May 28, 2012, at home in Belleview, FL. He was a member of First Methodist Church, Ocklawaha, FL. He proudly served our country during WW II in the U.S. Navy. He is survived by his beloved wife of 52 years, Emma of Belleview, FL; children, Doug (Margaret) Edgar, Fay (Dan) Schwartz, Philip (Linda) Schlagenhauf, Deenah (John) Givens, and Alan (Lisa) Schlagenhauf; 26 grandchildren; 26 great-

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### **GARY, MARY ELIZABETH**

Ocala - Mary Elizabeth Gary passed away on Tuesday May 22nd, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memories, a loving and devoted husband, Arson B. Gary; five daughters, Yoruba and Shani Gary (Eldridge Jr.), Pamela Edwards, (Ocala) Shelia Gary (Atlanta), and Laura Kennedy (Raleigh); siblings, Tonny L. Cannady (Monty) Detroit; Lewis Cannady (Willene) Cordele and Lucille Rogers, Cordele. Eight grandchildren, seven great-grands; mother-in-law, Marie Gary; two brother-in-laws, Claude Gray (NYC), Joseph Gary (Donna) Gainesville, Fl; sister-in-law, Rachel D. Gary, Ocala, Fl; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Mary Elizabeth Gary will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Mt. Zion AME Church, Rev. Rhella Murdaugh, Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday June 1, 2012 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A wake service will be held on Friday, June 1, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel Of Faith. Interment: Sparr Community Cemetery.

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Ocala - Alma Marie Mason, 61, passed away on May 15, 2012. She was married to Freddie L. Mason Sr., for 41 years. She leaves to cherish her memory, daughters, Donna Richardson, Leah Mason, Regina Mason and Monica Mason; son, Freddie Mason Jr.; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; sister, Willie Mae Christian; and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 2, 2012 at Greater New Bethel M.B. Church, Flemington, FL., Michael Maeweather, Pastor. Wake will be from 6 until 8 p.m. on Friday, June 1, 2012 at Greater New Bethel M.B. Church, Flemington, FL. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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Salt Springs - Charlotte Sanders passed away at Tuscan House on May 14, 2012. A Florida native, she was born in Mulberry where she lived most of her life before moving to Marion County in 2003. A homemaker, she is survived by her husband, Tom Sanders; three sons and one daughter.

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Marilyn is survived by her beloved husband of 63 1/2 years, Joe, of Ocala; children, John Joseph Walicki, Kathleen Marie Melgar, Marianne K. Lortz, Jeanne Marie Owen, Laura Ann Denn and their spouses; eleven grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and she was preceded in death by one grandson. A visitation will be held on Thursday, (tonight), May 31, 2012, from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, 34481, (352-873-4114). The Funeral Mass will be held on Friday, June 1, 2012, at 8:30 a.m., at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Condolences may be expressed at:

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#### **GARY, MARY ELIZABETH**

Ocala - Mary Elizabeth Gary passed away on Tuesday May 22nd, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memories, a loving and devoted husband, Arson B. Gary; five daughters, Yoruba and Shani Gary (Eldridge Jr.), Pamela Edwards, (Ocala) Shelia Gary (Atlanta), and Laura Kennedy (Raleigh); siblings, Tonny L. Cannady (Monty) Detroit; Lewis Cannady (Willene) Cordele and Lucille Rogers, Cordele. Eight grandchildren, seven great-grands; mother-in-law, Marie Gary; two brother-in-laws, Claude Gray (NYC), Joseph Gary (Donna) Gainesville, FL; sister-in-law, Rachel D. Gary, Ocala, FL; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Mary Elizabeth Gary will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Mt. Zion AME Church, Rev. Rhella Murdaugh, Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday June 1, 2012 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A wake service will be held on Friday, June 1, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel Of Faith. Interment: Sparr Community Cemetery.

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#### **GLOVER, ROXANNE M., 57**

Ocala - Roxanne M. Glover passed away on May 24, 2012. Born in Tampa, she was preceded in death by Robert Quesada Sr. (Father), Robert Quesada Jr. (Brother), and Andrea M. Burke (Daughter). She is survived by her mother, Mary McCatty, Tampa; brother, Richard Quesada (Linda), Texas; Vivian Blackwell (Ron), Indiana; adopted daughter, Lisa Darnell, Indiana; son,

John Burke, Tampa; daughter, Theresa Barnes (Robert), Ocala; son, Douglas Granston Jr, Ocala; grandchildren Anthony Nielsen, Tampa; James Hall, Ocala; and Delorna O'Connor, Ocala; several uncles, aunts, nephews and nieces. A private service will be held at a later date.

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**MASON, ALMA MARIE, 61**

Ocala - Alma Marie Mason, 61, passed away on May 15, 2012. She was married to Freddie L. Mason Sr., for 41 years. She leaves to cherish her memory, daughters, Donna Richardson, Leah Mason, Regina Mason and Monica Mason; son, Freddie Mason Jr.; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; sister, Willie Mae Christian; and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 2, 2012 at Greater New Bethel M.B. Church, Flemington, FL., Michael Maeweather, Pastor. Wake will be from 6 until 8 p.m. on Friday, June 1, 2012 at Greater New Bethel M.B. Church, Flemington, FL. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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**SANDERS, CHARLOTTE A., 69**

Salt Springs - Charlotte Sanders passed away at Tuscany House on May 14, 2012. A Florida native, she was born in Mulberry where she lived most of her life before moving to Marion County in 2003. A homemaker, she is survived by her husband, Tom Sanders; three sons and one daughter.

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**TONKOWICH, ANNE, 86**

Ocala - Anne Tonkowich, 86, of Ocala, passed away May 29, 2012. The Divine Liturgy will be Friday, June 1st, 2012 at 10 a.m. from St. Raphael Orthodox Church in Inverness. Entombment will follow at 3 p.m. in Deland Memorial Gardens. Reception of the body and prayers will be on Thursday evening at 6 p.m. from St. Raphael Orthodox Church. Mrs. Tonkowich was employed at the Ocala Travel Service for 17 years. She is survived by two children, Gregory Tonkowich of Ocala and James (Dorothy) Tonkowich of Falls Church, VA; one grandson, Jonathan. Chas E. Davis Funeral Home, Inverness.

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**TREXLER, DONNA JUNE, 94**

Ocala - Donna June Trexler, age 94, went to be with the Lord on Wednesday, May 30, 2012. Donna was born July 18, 1917 in Wabash, Indiana to Dr. Floyd and Edith (Burnsworth) Walters. She resided in her younger years in Wabash, IN and Peru, IN before moving to Florida. She was married to Earl Trexler who preceded her in death. Donna and her husband Earl moved to Ocala in 1970. Donna worked for Sears until her retirement in 1980. Her interests were flower arranging, traveling, and gardening. She loved helping her family members as well as many friends. In all of her travels, her happiness and joy of life was recognized and celebrated. Donna was an active member of the Pioneer Garden Club. She enjoyed designing floral arrangements and made the floral arrangements for Hospice for over 20 years. Donna was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala. Her children are: Patricia (Ron) Coleman, deceased; Terry

Trexler, Ocala, FL; Janet Trexler (daughter-in-law), Ocala, FL; Sharon (Robert) Allman, Summerfield, FL; and Cynthia (Colen) Holland, Gainesville, FL. Donna has 11 grandchildren: Richard (Diana) Coleman, Tipton, IN; Terry (Lynn) Coleman, Belleview, FL; Connie (Kevin) Deason, Carmel, IN; Terri (Chris) Yancey, Ocala, FL; Thomas (Diane) Trexler, Ocala, FL; Lisa (Chris) Alexander, Ocala, FL; Kathy (Charles) Graves, Oveido, FL; Mike (Lisa) King, Tipton, IN; Julie (David) Benjamin, Fairfax, VA; and Deanne (Mike) Below, Danville, IN. She has 26 great-grandchildren and 11 great-great grandchildren. Donna is also survived by her sisters Angeline Yarian, Bourbon, IN and Ruth Vawter, Indianapolis, IN, one brother, Robert Walters, and sister, Janet Walters Thompson, also preceded her in death. Visitation will be Friday, June 1, 2012 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 E. Silver Springs Boulevard, Ocala, FL. Services will be held Saturday, June 2, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, family is requesting donations be made to the Pioneer Garden Club, Ocala, FL. Burial will be at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Peru, IN.  
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### **VITEK, MARTIN "MARTY", 80**

Dunnellon - Martin "Marty" Vitek, 80, Dunnellon, passed on Tuesday, May 29, 2012, in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Chicago, Illinois and was an accountant and assistant controller with 35 years of service with the Columbia Gas Systems, Inc., in Columbus, Ohio and later Wilmington, Delaware. After retiring in 1992, he and his wife moved to Dunnellon from Wilmington. He was a graduate of the University of Illinois, and completed graduate studies there. He was a Korean War veteran serving with the U.S. Army. While stationed at Ft. Benjamin Harrison in Indiana, he taught accounting, and later was stationed in Frankfurt, Germany. He enjoyed golf, fishing, camping and traveling with his family; he was an avid Ohio State Buckeye football fan, and was a little league baseball coach and commissioner. Family include his wife Patricia, sons Mike (Mary) Vitek, Houston, Texas and Kenny (Anna) Vitek, Columbus, Ohio; daughter Annie (Bill) Buss, Columbus, Ohio; brother Richard (Marilyn) Vitek, Clermont, Florida; 4 grandchildren Rachel, Molly, Emily and Zachary. Services are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Friday, June 1, at First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon, with Pastor Eddie Fulford officiating. Inurnment will follow at a later date and time. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in the memory of Mr. Vitek to First United Methodist Church Pastor's Discretionary Fund, 21501 W. Hwy. 40, Dunnellon, Florida 34431 or The Moffitt Cancer Center Foundation, 12902 Magnolia Drive, Tampa, Florida 33612. Online condolences may be offered at [robertsofdunnellon.com](http://robertsofdunnellon.com).  
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### **WALICKI, MARILYN G., 85**

Ocala - Marilyn G. Walicki, 85, of Ocala, formerly of Inverness, passed away on Tuesday, May 29, 2012, at home in Ocala, FL., under the loving care of her family. Born on December 23, 1926 in Brooklyn, New York, daughter to the late Gertrude C. Muller, she moved to Inverness in 1985 from Plainview, NY and came to Ocala in 2006. She spent her life caring for her loving husband and children. Marilyn was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Marilyn is survived by her beloved husband of 63 1/2 years, Joe, of Ocala; children, John Joseph Walicki, Kathleen Marie Melgar, Marianne K. Lortz, Jeanne Marie Owen, Laura Ann Denn and their spouses; eleven grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and she was preceded in death by one grandson. A visitation will be held on Thursday, (tonight), May 31, 2012, from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala,

34481, (352-873-4114). The Funeral Mass will be held on Friday, June 1, 2012, at 8:30 a.m., at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Condolences may be expressed at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com)

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 2, 2012**

#### **BARTON, FRANCES, E., 85**

Ocala - Frances E. Barton, 85, of Ocala, passed away May 31, 2012. Born in Franklin, NC, she came to this area 12 years ago from Miami, FL. Mrs. Barton was a homemaker and enjoyed raising orchids. She is survived by her son, Robert D. (Bobby) Barton, Sr., of Ocala; daughters, Patricia (Tillman) Wood of Key Largo, FL, Sheila (David) Anderson of Marathon, FL and Shirley (Rodney) Slaughter of Corning, CA; 12 grandchildren, 22 great grandchildren and 10 great great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Roy L. Barton. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944) on Sunday (June 3rd) from 6-8 p.m. Funeral Services will be held at St. Paul's United Methodist Church (800 SE 41st Ave., Ocala) on Monday (June 4th) at 10 a.m. Interment will take place in Brevard, NC. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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#### **GLOVER, ROXANNE M., 57**

Ocala - Roxanne M. Glover passed away on May 24, 2012. Born in Tampa, she was preceded in death by Robert Quesada Sr. (Father), Robert Quesada Jr. (Brother), and Andrea M. Burke (Daughter). She is survived by her mother, Mary McCatty, Tampa; brother, Richard Quesada (Linda), Texas; Vivian Blackwell (Ron), Indiana; adopted daughter, Lisa Darnell, Indiana; son, John Burke, Tampa; daughter, Theresa Barnes (Robert), Ocala; son, Douglas Granston Jr, Ocala; grandchildren Anthony Nielsen, Tampa; James Hall, Ocala; and Delorna O'Connor, Ocala; several uncles, aunts, nephews and nieces. A private service will be held at a later date.

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#### **McCLELLAN, MARGARET**

Leesburg, VA - Margaret J. McClellan passed away peacefully on May 25, 2012, at Meadow Glen Assisted Living of Leesburg, Virginia, surrounded by loving family. She was born in Pineville, Kentucky in 1922, the only daughter of the late George W. and Lena P. Johnson. She was predeceased by her husband of 62 years, Howard "Mac" McClellan, brothers, Bill and George and her youngest daughter, Jamie Fear. She graduated from the University of Tennessee where she was a member of Alpha Delta Pi. She served as a volunteer in the hospital during World War II and taught countless children to swim for the American Red Cross. She and her family moved to Ocala from Knoxville, Tennessee in 1964, to open the first of eight Key West Hand Print Fabric shops located in Florida and Georgia. She and Mac were members of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. Margaret was known for her positive spirit and her passion for her work. She loved swimming, nature, and was especially known for growing beautiful roses. She leaves behind one son, Richard (Dick) McClellan of Richmond, Virginia; daughters, Judith Romberg (Michael) of Round Hill, Virginia, Jo Anne Chirdon (Henry) of Pembroke Pines,

Florida; and grandchildren, Heather Sorenson (Jeff), Doug Brown, John Romberg (Christie), Jamey Brown, Bess Romberg, Patti McClellan, Kimberly McCullough (Allan), and Sallie Chirdon. Memorial services will be private. The family asks for donations to Creighton Cancer Center PMP Research, Attn: Dr. Brian Loggie, 601 N. 30th ST, Suite 2803, Omaha, NE 68131 in memory of Jamie Fear.

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**SWARSBROOK, KIMI O., 81**

Ocala - Kimi O. Swarsbrook, 81, of Ocala, FL, passed away June 1, 2012 at Estelle's House. She was born November 2, 1930 in Japan. Mrs. Swarsbrook moved here in 1982 from NY. She was a secretary for the United States Air Force on a base in Japan prior to moving to NY and marrying Walter Swarsbrook. She was seventy years old before she learned how to swim. There was no holding her back after that. She loved to snorkel the springs around Ocala and the coral reefs in the Florida Keys. She was a volunteer for Ocala Regional Medical Center for many years. Mrs. Swarsbrook is survived by two grandchildren, Randall Graham of Fairfax Station, VA, and Maureen Ruddy of Levittown, NY; a brother in Brazil, and several nieces and nephews in Japan. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 2 to June 3, 2012

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Florida. He was born in Chicago, Illinois and was an accountant and assistant controller with 35 years of service with the Columbia Gas Systems, Inc., in Columbus, Ohio and later Wilmington, Delaware. After retiring in 1992, he and his wife moved to Dunnellon from Wilmington. He was a graduate of the University of Illinois, and completed graduate studies there. He was a Korean War veteran serving with the U.S. Army. While stationed at Ft. Benjamin Harrison in Indiana, he taught accounting, and later was stationed in Frankfurt, Germany. He enjoyed golf, fishing, camping and traveling with his family; he was an avid Ohio State Buckeye football fan, and was a little league baseball coach and commissioner. Family include his wife Patricia, sons Mike (Mary) Vitek, Houston, Texas and Kenny (Anna) Vitek, Columbus, Ohio; daughter Annie (Bill) Buss, Columbus, Ohio; brother Richard (Marilyn) Vitek, Clermont, Florida; 4 grandchildren Rachel, Molly, Emily and Zachary. Services are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. Friday, June 1, at First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon, with Pastor Eddie Fulford officiating. Inurnment will follow at a later date and time. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in the memory of Mr. Vitek to First United Methodist Church Pastor's Discretionary Fund, 21501 W. Hwy. 40, Dunnellon, Florida 34431 or The Moffitt Cancer Center Foundation, 12902 Magnolia Drive, Tampa, Florida 33612. Online condolences may be offered at robertsofdunnellon.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 1 to June 2, 2012

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#### **COOLEY, CARLTON LEE, JR., 69**

Anthony - Carlton Lee Cooley, Jr., passed away at home on Thursday, May 31, 2012. A native of Ocala he served in the US Army National Guard and was a retired electrician. He was preceded in death by his Mother and Father. He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Mary V. "Ginger" Cooley; sons, Carlton E. "Gene" Cooley, Silver Springs; Thomas Cooley, Anthony; brother, James Cooley, and sister, Ruth Allen, both of Anthony; grandchildren, Tyler and Jessie Cooley; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews. Funeral Service is 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 6, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony, with Pastor C. Williams officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday evening from 6-8pm. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 3 to June 4, 2012

#### **FULLER, WILLIAM "BILL"**

Ocala - William "Bill" Fuller, 84, of Ocala, passed away on June 1, 2012. God in his great mercy took Bill to his final heavenly home as the angels rejoiced at his coming. He was greatly loved by all who knew him. Bill was a devoted and loving father and husband and faithful follower of the Lord. Bill leaves cherished memories of his wife, Audrey "Bonnie" Fuller, who adored every moment together with him; his daughter, Marcia Gayle Fuller; his son, Garry Fuller; his grandson, Camden Fuller; and his granddaughters, Tiffany Off, Chelsea Off, Sydney Fuller, Barbara Bell, and Michelle Millan. His life will be celebrated at his interment at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on Monday, June 4, 2012 at 11:30 AM, with a memorial service honoring his life on Sunday, June 3, 2012 at 3:00 PM at Mishkan Messianic Congregation, 6675 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266.

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### **GORDON, STEVEN LAVARS, 34**

Ocala - Steven Lavars Gordon, 34, of Ocala, Florida, passed away May 22, 2012. Funeral services will be on Tuesday, June 5, 2012, at 2 p.m. at House of God Keith Dominion, Inc., 2830 N.W. 27th Avenue, Ocala, FL. Reverend Jamie Pillins will deliver words of comfort. Reverend Harold Franklin, Pastor. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Herring's residence (4 Pine Trace Place, Ocala, FL.) on Tuesday at 1 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Gordon: children, Sh'nia Gordon, Carrollton, Texas, Chloe Walker Gordon, of Ocala, FL.; parents, James And Vanessa Herring, Ocala, FL.; siblings, Stephanie Moses, Bobby Smith, both of Ocala, FL., Rodriguez Gordon, Perry, FL.; aunts, Shirlene Collins (James) and Barbara Switzer (Hubert), both of Charlotte, N.C., Wilhemina Rhem and Vivian Herring, both of Ocala, FL. and Ladonia Shelton, Fruitland Park, FL.; uncles, Richard Gordon, Bernard McCoy (Mae), Jerry Herring (Mildred), all of Ocala, FL. and Willie J. Herring, (Omago), Gainesville, FL.; godmother: Chris Levens, of Ocala.

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### **GRITTER, JOAN, 65**

Ocala - Joan Gritter, 65, went to be with the LORD on May 27, 2012. She was surrounded by family in her Ocala home. Joan was born in Tennessee and moved to Ocala with her husband of 48 years Jim, and their three daughters, Patti Miller, Cindy Foster and Danielle Strout in 1970. Joan has three grandchildren; Justin Caruthers, Jayme Miller and Joey Miller. Joan was a stay at home Mom until her girls were grown and then worked as an associate in their Real Estate office, Gritter's Realty Investments. After five years, Joan worked with the First Steps Children's Program at First Baptist Church in Ocala, FL. Retiring in 2004, she was Assistant Director under her friend Pam Eubanks. Joan was loved by all who knew her. She had a tremendous impact on all who came in contact with her. But most of all the children. She loved teaching them about Almighty GOD and his Son Jesus Christ. She knew the scriptures like the back of her hand and was a die-hard Southern Baptist. Joan fought a 15 month battle with Ovarian Cancer and would want all women to have a CR125 Blood Test to determine a "Marker" as to their risk for Ovarian Cancer. You have to ask for your Doctor to do this test; they will not tell you about it and it does not show up on your Pap Smears or Pelvic Exams. In lieu of flowers, please make a contribution to the American Cancer Society in Joan's name. A Memorial Service will be held at First Baptist

Church of Ocala on Maricamp Rd. at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 9, 2012.  
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**McCLELLAN, MARGARET**

Leesburg, VA - Margaret J. McClellan passed away peacefully on May 25, 2012, at Meadow Glen Assisted Living of Leesburg, Virginia, surrounded by loving family. She was born in Pineville, Kentucky in 1922, the only daughter of the late George W. and Lena P. Johnson. She was predeceased by her husband of 62 years, Howard "Mac" McClellan, brothers, Bill and George and her youngest daughter, Jamie Fear. She graduated from the University of Tennessee where she was a member of Alpha Delta Pi. She served as a volunteer in the hospital during World War II and taught countless children to swim for the American Red Cross. She and her family moved to Ocala from Knoxville, Tennessee in 1964, to open the first of eight Key West Hand Print Fabric shops located in Florida and Georgia. She and Mac were members of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. Margaret was known for her positive spirit and her passion for her work. She loved swimming, nature, and was especially known for growing beautiful roses. She leaves behind one son, Richard (Dick) McClellan of Richmond, Virginia; daughters, Judith Romberg (Michael) of Round Hill, Virginia, Jo Anne Chirdon (Henry) of Pembroke Pines, Florida; and grandchildren, Heather Sorenson (Jeff), Doug Brown, John Romberg (Christie), Jamey Brown, Bess Romberg, Patti McClellan, Kimberly McCullough (Allan), and Sallie Chirdon. Memorial services will be private. The family asks for donations to Creighton Cancer Center PMP Research, Attn: Dr. Brian Loggie, 601 N. 30th ST, Suite 2803, Omaha, NE 68131 in memory of Jamie Fear.

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**O'CONNOR, BARBARA, 82**

Ocala - Barbara O'Connor, 82, of Ocala, Florida died May 15, 2012. She was born in Detroit, Michigan. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church and the Red Hat Society. Survivors include her husband of 62 years, John O'Connor, sons John O'Connor II of San Antonio, TX, Thomas O'Connor of Vancouver, WA, daughters Carol of Anoka, MN, Mary O'Connor of Belleville, MI and preceded in death daughter Marjorie O'Connor Miller. She had 13 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. Please send donations to Hospice of Marion County. Visitation will be June 7, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, between 7PM-9PM. On June 8, 2012, Mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL at 8:30AM. Condolences may be expressed at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**PIERCY, JACK L., 84**

Bellevue - Jack L. Piercy, 84, entered eternal rest peacefully on May 31, 2012. Known as "Frito" to family and friends, Jack was a devoted husband to Betty, his wife of 62 years, and a loving father to his four children, Mike, Mary Lynn Burren, Kevin and Angie Dansby. Jack, originally from Asheville, NC., served honorably in the United States Air Force for two years. He married Betty, moved to Bellevue in 1965, and became a leading salesman for Frito Lay until his retirement in 1992. He loved gardening and raising rabbits. In addition to his loving wife Betty and four children, Jack is survived by a sister, Mary Patterson of Greenville, SC.; and brother, Glenn Piercy of Asheville, NC.; son-in-laws Jim and John, eight grandchildren and five

great grandchildren. He was truly loved and will be missed very much. A memorial service celebrating Jack's life will be held at Belleview Christian Church, 7149 SE County Road 25, on Tuesday, June 5th, 2012 at 6 p.m. The family will receive visitors one hour prior to the service. A reception will be held immediately following the service. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be made to Belleview Christian Church, P.O. Box 1557, Belleview, FL 34420, or Estelle's House, c/o Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34480. Online condolences may be sent at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).  
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**POISEL, DONALD E., JR.**

Ocala - Mr. Donald E. Poisel Jr., of Ocala, FL passed away on May 24, 2012. He was born in Valparaiso, IN. He worked as a stockperson for a local Walmart. He is survived by his loving wife Georgette; two sons, Trae Poisel (Eileen) of Ocala, FL; Brent Poisel (Amy) of Citrus Springs, FL.; one daughter, Marci Seguin (Erik) of Summerfield, FL.; his mother, Carol Poisel, of Ocala, and four grandsons. He is preceded in death by his father, Donald Sr. Donald Jr., moved to this area in 1985 from Indiana. He is now fishing in that great sky. A memorial service will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR# 200, Ocala, (352) 854-2266, on Tuesday June 5, 2012, from 7 until 9 p.m. To leave condolences: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)  
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**SWARSBROOK, KIMI O., 81**

Ocala - Kimi O. Swarsbrook, 81, of Ocala, FL, passed away June 1, 2012 at Estelle's House. She was born November 2, 1930 in Japan. Mrs. Swarsbrook moved here in 1982 from NY. She was a secretary for the United States Air Force on a base in Japan prior to moving to NY and marrying Walter Swarsbrook. She was seventy years old before she learned how to swim. There was no holding her back after that. She loved to snorkel the springs around Ocala and the coral reefs in the Florida Keys. She was a volunteer for Ocala Regional Medical Center for many years. Mrs. Swarsbrook is survived by two grandchildren, Randall Gramh of Fairfax Station, VA, and Maureen Ruddy of Levittown, NY; a brother in Brazil, and several nieces and nephews in Japan.  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 4, 2012**

#### **COOLEY, CARLTON LEE, JR., 69**

Anthony - Carlton Lee Cooley, Jr., passed away at home on Thursday, May 31, 2012. A native of Ocala he served in the US Army National Guard and was a retired electrician. He was preceded in death by his Mother and Father. He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Mary V. "Ginger" Cooley; sons, Carlton E. "Gene" Cooley, Silver Springs; Thomas Cooley, Anthony; brother, James Cooley, and sister, Ruth Allen, both of Anthony; grandchildren, Tyler and Jessie Cooley; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews. Funeral Service is 5:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 6, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony, with Pastor C. Williams officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday evening from 6-8pm.

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#### **FULLER, WILLIAM "BILL"**

Ocala - William "Bill" Fuller, 84, of Ocala, passed away on June 1, 2012. God in his great mercy took Bill to his final heavenly home as the angels rejoiced at his coming. He was greatly loved by all who knew him. Bill was a devoted and loving father and husband and faithful follower of the Lord. Bill leaves cherished memories of his wife, Audrey "Bonnie" Fuller, who adored every moment together with him; his daughter, Marcia Gayle Fuller; his son, Garry Fuller; his grandson, Camden Fuller; and his granddaughters, Tiffany Off, Chelsea Off, Sydney Fuller, Barbara Bell, and Michelle Millan. His life will be celebrated at his interment at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on Monday, June 4, 2012 at 11:30 AM, with a memorial service honoring his life on Sunday, June 3, 2012 at 3:00 PM at Mishkan Messianic Congregation, 6675 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266.

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#### **GORDON, STEVEN LAVARS, 34**

Ocala - Steven Lavars Gordon, 34, of Ocala, Florida, passed away May 22, 2012. Funeral services will be on Tuesday, June 5, 2012, at 2 p.m. at House of God Keith Dominion, Inc., 2830 N.W. 27th Avenue, Ocala, Fl. Reverend Jamie Pillins will deliver words of comfort. Reverend Harold Franklin, Pastor. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Herring's residence (4 Pine Trace Place, Ocala, Fl.) on Tuesday at 1 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Gordon: children, Sh'nia Gordon, Carrollton, Texas, Chloe Walker Gordon, of Ocala, Fl.; parents, James And Vanessa Herring, Ocala, Fl.; siblings, Stephanie Moses, Bobby Smith, both of Ocala, Fl., Rodriguez Gordon, Perry, Fl.; aunts, Shirlene Collins (James) and Barbara Switzer (Hubert), both of Charlotte, N.C., Wilhemina Rhem and Vivian Herring, both of Ocala, Fl. and Ladonia Shelton, Fruitland Park, Fl.; uncles, Richard Gordon, Bernard McCoy (Mae), Jerry Herring (Mildred), all of Ocala, Fl. and Willie J. Herring, (Omago), Gainesville, Fl.; godmother: Chris Levens, of Ocala.

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**GRITTER, JOAN, 65**

Ocala - Joan Gritter, 65, went to be with the LORD on May 27, 2012. She was surrounded by family in her Ocala home. Joan was born in Tennessee and moved to Ocala with her husband of 48 years Jim, and their three daughters, Patti Miller, Cindy Foster and Danielle Strout in 1970. Joan has three grandchildren; Justin Caruthers, Jayme Miller and Joey Miller. Joan was a stay at home Mom until her girls were grown and then worked as an associate in their Real Estate office, Gritter's Realty Investments. After five years, Joan worked with the First Steps Children's Program at First Baptist Church in Ocala, FL. Retiring in 2004, she was Assistant Director under her friend Pam Eubanks. Joan was loved by all who knew her. She had a tremendous impact on all who came in contact with her. But most of all the children. She loved teaching them about Almighty GOD and his Son Jesus Christ. She knew the scriptures like the back of her hand and was a die-hard Southern Baptist. Joan fought a 15 month battle with Ovarian Cancer and would want all women to have a CR125 Blood Test to determine a "Marker" as to their risk for Ovarian Cancer. You have to ask for your Doctor to do this test; they will not tell you about it and it does not show up on your Pap Smears or Pelvic Exams. In lieu of flowers, please make a contribution to the American Cancer Society in Joan's name. A Memorial Service will be held at First Baptist Church of Ocala on Maricamp Rd. at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 9, 2012.

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**O'CONNOR, BARBARA, 82**

Ocala - Barbara O'Connor, 82, of Ocala, Florida died May 15, 2012. She was born in Detroit, Michigan. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church and the Red Hat Society. Survivors include her husband of 62 years, John O'Connor, sons John O'Connor II of San Antonio, TX, Thomas O'Connor of Vancouver, WA, daughters Carol of Anoka, MN, Mary O'Connor of Belleville, MI and preceded in death daughter Marjorie O'Connor Miller. She had 13 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. Please send donations to Hospice of Marion County. Visitation will be June 7, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, between 7PM-9PM. On June 8, 2012, Mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW State Road 200, Ocala, FL at 8:30AM. Condolences may be expressed at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**PIERCY, JACK L., 84**

Belleview - Jack L. Piercy, 84, entered eternal rest peacefully on May 31, 2012. Known as "Frito" to family and friends, Jack was a devoted husband to Betty, his wife of 62 years, and a loving father to his four children, Mike, Mary Lynn Burres, Kevin and Angie Dansby. Jack, originally from Asheville, NC., served honorably in the United States Air Force for two years. He married Betty, moved to Belleview in 1965, and became a leading salesman for Frito Lay until his retirement in 1992. He loved gardening and raising rabbits. In addition to his loving wife Betty and four children, Jack is survived by a sister, Mary Patterson of Greenville, SC.; and brother, Glenn Piercy of Asheville, NC.; son-in-laws Jim and John, eight grandchildren and five great grandchildren. He was truly loved and will be missed very much. A memorial service celebrating Jack's life will be held at Belleview Christian Church, 7149 SE County Road 25, on Tuesday, June 5th, 2012 at 6 p.m. The family will receive visitors one hour prior to the service. A reception will be held immediately following the service. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be made to Belleview Christian Church, P.O. Box 1557, Belleview, FL

34420, or Estelle's House, c/o Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34480.  
Online condolences may be sent at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).  
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**POISEL, DONALD E., JR.**

Ocala - Mr. Donald E. Poisel Jr., of Ocala, FL passed away on May 24, 2012. He was born in Valparaiso, IN. He worked as a stockperson for a local Walmart. He is survived by his loving wife Georgette; two sons, Trae Poisel (Eileen) of Ocala, FL; Brent Poisel (Amy) of Citrus Springs, FL.; one daughter, Marci Seguin (Erik) of Summerfield, FL.; his mother, Carol Poisel, of Ocala, and four grandsons. He is preceded in death by his father, Donald Sr. Donald Jr., moved to this area in 1985 from Indiana. He is now fishing in that great sky. A memorial service will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR# 200, Ocala, (352) 854-2266, on Tuesday June 5, 2012, from 7 until 9 p.m. To leave condolences: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**TAYLOR, BERTHA J.**

Bertha J. Taylor, 91, of Atlanta, passed away on June 2, 2012. She was preceded in death by her husband, Paul Taylor. She is survived by her daughters, Olivia Taylor (Ronald West) of Atlanta, Paula Taylor (Jim Caperton) of Atlanta, Sally Shankle (Richard) of Fayetteville, Edie Taylor (Joe) of Riverview, FL.; son, Tommy (Sandy) Taylor of Douglasville; step-son Dan Taylor (Von) of Conyers, GA; grandchildren, Angel, Summer, Jeremy, Amanda, Cody, Brad, Natalie, Tiffany, Christy, Kristi and Brian; 17 great-grandchildren; sister, Erline Davidson of West Point, MS; and hundreds of loving family members.

A funeral service will be held on Wednesday, June 6, 2012 at 11:00 AM at the Chapel of Mowell Funeral Home, Fayetteville. Rev. Nathan Hardeman will officiate. The family will receive friends on Tuesday from 5:00 to 7:00 PM at the funeral home.

A graveside service will be held 11:30 AM, Friday, June 8, 2012 at Highland Memorial Park cemetery Ocala, FL. Hiers - Baxley Funeral Home is charge of service. (352)629-7171.

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Ocala - Clarence D. "Dale" Davenport, age 67, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, May 31, 2012. He was born in Burnwell, West Virginia on January 4, 1945. He moved to Florida from Pratt, WV in 1994. During his life Dale worked in the coal mining industry, finance and the Kanawha County Board of Education in WV. After moving to Ocala he attended CFCC. Dale's passion in life was education, finance and accounting. His gift in life was making others laugh. He had a wonderful sense of humor and will be sadly missed by family and friends. Clarence was a Baptist. He is survived by his wife, Linda S. Davenport; his pet dog and best companion, Katie; a brother, Frank Davenport; and sisters, Nona Lowe, Martha Farrell, Betty Ennis, Sally Chrest, Cindy Armstrong and Deanna Cottrell. He was preceded in death by brothers, John and Sonny Davenport; and a sister, Florine Jackson. At Dale's request there will be no formal service. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 5 to June 6, 2012

**MARTIN, NORMA JEAN NELSON, 69**

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**STEELE, CAROL A.**



Ocala - Carol A. Steele, passed away June 1, 2012, at Avante Care Center in Inverness. She was born May 28, 1938, in Willard, Ohio. She moved to Ocala from Plymouth, Ohio in August of 1972. She was a member of the Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, and served her family as a homemaker. Mrs. Steele is survived by her husband, Denton Steele; three daughters, Tamara (Mark) Perry, Betsy (Wallace) Brinkman, and Mary Getsee, all from Marion County. One sister, Donna Hampton of New Mexico, seven grandchildren, David, Ashley, Christy, Dustin, Evan, Melissa, and Megan; also included are six great-grandchildren; a niece, Michelle Barone, and a nephew, Larry Hampton. She was preceded in death by her parents and son, Paul. A mass of Christian burial will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church Wednesday, June 6th, at 11 a.m., with the visitation Tuesday evening from 5 until 7 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S Pine Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34480.

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#### **WALKER, MARK EDWARD, 45**

Ocala - Mark Edward Walker, "Mean Mark 1% er", age 45, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, May 27, 2012. He was born in Armada, MI on September 26, 1966. Mark is survived by his mother, Opal Fern Walker of Lake Wales, FL; brother, David Walker of Missouri; girlfriend, Sherri Thompson of Ocala, FL; son, Jake Walker of Ocala, FL and several Ocala Outlaw Brothers. He was an Outlaw for 15 years. Family and friends are invited to his viewing on Friday, June 8, 2012 from 7 p.m. - till at the Outlaws MC Clubhouse, 2140 N. Magnolia Ave, Ocala, FL, 34475. A funeral service will follow Saturday, June 9, 2012, at 10 a.m. at the Outlaws MC Clubhouse in Ocala, FL. A procession to Hiers-Baxley Crematory will leave the Clubhouse on Saturday, June 9, 2012 at Noon.

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**EZZO, GEORGE DOMINIC, 65**

Ocklawaha - George Dominic Ezzo, 65, passed away from a long illness on Tuesday, March 27, 2012 at MRMC. Born in New Britain, CT on May 15, 1946, he was the son of the late Louis Sr. and Carmelita (Trembley) Ezzo. During his late teens, he worked at G.E. Madison where he met his wife, Patricia. They were married on October 28, 1967 on the feast day of St. Jude. They raised four beautiful children. In 1985, George and his family moved to Anthony and later to Ocklawaha, FL where he worked for Lockheed Martin until he got sick in 2008. George was a member of St. Theresa's Catholic Church in Belleview, FL. He is survived by his loving wife of 44 years, Patricia Girardin Ezzo of Ocklawaha; daughter, Tina Lindsey of Ocklawaha; three sons: Donald (Tabitha) Ezzo of Americus, GA; Jason (Nicole) Ezzo of Belleview, FL; and Dana (Enid) Ezzo of Summerfield, FL; sister, Darlene Stalk and family of Lakeland, FL; sister-in-law, Martha Holden and family of Lakeland, FL; godson, Andrew Danforth; five grandchildren: Kassandra, Kory, Brittani, Hanna, Dominic; seven step-grandchildren: Kristian, Josh, Aubrey, Ivy, Lissette, Pedro, Johnny; and ten step great-grandchildren. A memorial mass will be celebrated 1:00 p.m. on Sat., June 9, 2012, at St. Theresa's Catholic Church, 11528 S.E. Highway 301, Belleview, FL. A potluck luncheon will follow the mass at the home of Jason and Nicole Ezzo. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Theresa's Catholic Church, Building Fund.

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**LASKEY, JOSEPH "JOEL" D.C., 93**

Ocala - Joseph "Joel" Lasky, D.C., 93, died at home on Sunday, June 3, 2012. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio, grew up in Pittsburgh, PA, and graduated from Universal Chiropractic College in 1940. He moved to Miami, FL and semi-retired in 1981 in Ocala. Joel practiced chiropractic for 55 years. Joel was a member of the Elks Lodge, North Miami, #1835, Exchange Club of Miami Shores, and Past President of the Dade County and Florida Chiropractic Associations. In the 1960's, he represented the Florida Chiropractic Association in Tallahassee and successfully spearheaded a law to elevate academic standards of the chiropractic profession and to have chiropractic care covered by health insurance. After retirement he was active in many community organizations including: The Interfaith Alliance, Ocala Exchange Club, RSVP, CFCC Senior Institute, Ocala Dance Club, Ocala Civic Theatre's Act IV, Golden Troopers and Tiger Bay Club. He was preceded in death by his wife, Anne, who passed in 1985. Joel married Betty on January 23, 1988 in Ocala. Other survivors include: daughter, JoAnne (Richard) Neaves; granddaughter, Lauren Neaves; and a grandson, Ricky (Jenna) Neaves. Memorial services will be held on Tuesday, June 12, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Chapel, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL, 34470. A luncheon reception will follow at the funeral

home. Interment of the urn will take place at Southern Memorial Park, North Miami, FL at a later date. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL, 34478-4860. Condolences may be expressed at [neaveslighthouse@yahoo.com](mailto:neaveslighthouse@yahoo.com).

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**SHAWVER, HAYDEN EDWARD JR., 81**

Ocala - Hayden Edward Shawver, Jr., 81, died June 4, 2012 at Avante of Ocala. He was born January 24, 1931 in Charleston, WV to Hayden and Ruth Shawver. Ed was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force serving during the Korean War. Ed was also claims manager for Nationwide Insurance, of the Methodist faith, and a member of the Masonic Lodge. He moved to the Ocala area from Columbus, OH in 1991. Mr. Shawver was also a member for many years at the Ocala Golf Club and Silver Springs Shores Club, avid bridge player, loved fishing and bowling. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Margaret Pauley Shawver of Ocala; sisters, Jean Crandall of Boone, NC and Peggy Jones of Ocala, FL; cousins, Charles Clendenon of Summerfield, FL and Mary Jo White of Dixie, WV; and several nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held Thursday, June 7, 2012 at 4 p.m., with a gathering one hour prior to the service at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470. Those who wish may make contributions to Odyssey Hospice, 1320 SE 25th Loop, Suite 101, Ocala, FL 34471. Tributes may be placed on the website at:

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**SLOBODA, LOIS ROBINSON, 88**

Ocala - Lois Robinson Sloboda was born April 29, 1924 in Owensville, Ohio, and passed away June 3, 2012, in Ocala, Florida. Lois was 88 years old. She is survived by her husband, Bill and their three children, Sherry Rodgers, Keith Sloboda and Craig Sloboda, as well as four grandchildren. Lois loved challenges and rose to being a successful business woman in New York City in the 1960s, when few women were seen in the boardroom. Her career in managing Information Technology began when the "Eniac" mainframe system appeared on the scene and the Computer Age was born. She then co-founded and presided as president over the Central Media Bureau in New York City, during which time she was instrumental in introducing the use of computers in the radio and television industries. Five years later she sold her company and turned her talents and energy to the field of education. As founder and president of, "Autoskill

New York" she introduced computer assisted reading and math learning programs into the inner city elementary and high schools in New York. As much as she thrived in the city, Lois also deeply loved nature and was an outdoor sports enthusiast. She enjoyed skiing throughout the U.S. and Europe, and when not skiing you could find her on the tennis courts, sailing, trap shooting, horseback riding, fishing, playing croquet and recently golf. She was a "let's go girl", ever ready for the next challenge. She was a connoisseur of fine foods and an outstanding cook who loved to entertain and cook for her family and friends. A great Saturday for her was pouring over cookbooks and food magazines preparing her next culinary coup. Lois and her husband Bill sold their New York apartment and country home and moved to Florida in January, 2001. Lois loved God, and was a profoundly loving and caring mother, wife and friend. She leaves a great void among family and friends, who rest in the comfort of knowing she will be welcomed with open arms on the other side of this earthly veil. A service will be held this Saturday, June 9th, at 1 p.m. at the "Church at Westwood", 1700 NW 60th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34482. This will be followed by a reception at the Sloboda residence: 2031 NW 50th Avenue, Ocala, FL, 34482, at 2 p.m. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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**WALKER, MARK EDWARD, 45**

Ocala - Mark Edward Walker, "Mean Mark 1% er", age 45, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, May 27, 2012. He was born in Armada, MI on September 26, 1966. Mark is survived by his mother, Opal Fern Walker of Lake Wales, FL; brother, David Walker of Missouri; girlfriend, Sherri Thompson of Ocala, FL; son, Jake Walker of Ocala, FL and several Ocala Outlaw Brothers. He was an Outlaw for 15 years. Family and friends are invited to his viewing on Friday, June 8, 2012 from 7 p.m. - till at the Outlaws MC Clubhouse, 2140 N. Magnolia Ave, Ocala, FL, 34475. A funeral service will follow Saturday, June 9, 2012, at 10 a.m. at the Outlaws MC Clubhouse in Ocala, FL. A procession to Hiers-Baxley Crematory will leave the Clubhouse on Saturday, June 9, 2012 at Noon.

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### **EZZO, GEORGE DOMINIC, 65**

Ocklawaha - George Dominic Ezzo, 65, passed away from a long illness on Tuesday, March 27, 2012 at MRMC. Born in New Britain, CT on May 15, 1946, he was the son of the late Louis Sr. and Carmelita (Trembley) Ezzo. During his late teens, he worked at G.E. Madison where he met his wife, Patricia. They were married on October 28, 1967 on the feast day of St. Jude. They raised four beautiful children. In 1985, George and his family moved to Anthony and later to Ocklawaha, FL where he worked for Lockheed Martin until he got sick in 2008. George was a member of St. Theresa's Catholic Church in Belleview, FL. He is survived by his loving wife of 44 years, Patricia Girardin Ezzo of Ocklawaha; daughter, Tina Lindsey of Ocklawaha; three sons: Donald (Tabitha) Ezzo of Americus, GA; Jason (Nicole) Ezzo of Belleview, FL; and Dana (Enid) Ezzo of Summerfield, FL; sister, Darlene Stalk and family of Lakeland, FL; sister-in-law, Martha Holden and family of Lakeland, FL; godson, Andrew Danforth; five grandchildren: Kassandra, Kory, Brittani, Hanna, Dominic; seven step-grandchildren: Kristian, Josh, Aubrey, Ivy, Lissette, Pedro, Johnny; and ten step great-grandchildren. A memorial mass will be celebrated 1:00 p.m. on Sat., June 9, 2012, at St. Theresa's Catholic Church, 11528 S.E. Highway 301, Belleview, FL. A potluck luncheon will follow the mass at the home of Jason and Nicole Ezzo. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Theresa's Catholic Church, Building Fund.

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**RAIDY, RUBY M., 89**

Ocala - Ruby M. Raidy, 89, passed away on June 5, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Marion County. She was a retired thoroughbred horse trainer and breeder. After retiring, she volunteered for many years at Interfaith Services in Ocala. She was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph F. Raidy and a daughter, Pamela Raidy. She is survived by her daughters, Cecilia Raidy and Marguerite Ross. Also surviving is her son-in-law, Graham Ross. A memorial mass to celebrate her life will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Friday, June 8, 2012 at 11 a.m.

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**SHAWVER, HAYDEN EDWARD JR., 81**

Ocala - Hayden Edward Shawver, Jr., 81, died June 4, 2012 at Avante of Ocala. He was born January 24, 1931 in Charleston, WV to Hayden and Ruth Shawver. Ed was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force serving during the Korean War. Ed was also claims manager for Nationwide Insurance, of the Methodist faith, and a member of the Masonic Lodge. He moved to the Ocala area from Columbus, OH in 1991. Mr. Shawver was also a member for many years at the Ocala Golf Club and Silver Springs Shores Club, avid bridge player, loved fishing and bowling. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Margaret Pauley Shawver of Ocala; sisters, Jean Crandall of Boone, NC and Peggy Jones of Ocala, FL; cousins, Charles Clendenon of Summerfield, FL and Mary Jo White of Dixie, WV; and several nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held Thursday, June 7, 2012 at 4 p.m., with a gathering one hour prior to the service at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470. Those who wish may make contributions to Odyssey Hospice, 1320 SE 25th Loop, Suite 101, Ocala, FL 34471. Tributes may be placed on the website at:

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**SLOBODA, LOIS ROBINSON, 88**

Ocala - Lois Robinson Sloboda was born April 29, 1924 in Owensville, Ohio, and passed away June 3, 2012, in Ocala, Florida. Lois was 88 years old. She is survived by her husband, Bill and their three children, Sherry Rodgers, Keith Sloboda and Craig Sloboda, as well as four grandchildren. Lois loved challenges and rose to being a successful business woman in New York City in the 1960s, when few women were seen in the boardroom. Her career in managing Information Technology began when the "Eniac" mainframe system appeared on the scene and the Computer Age was born. She then co-founded and presided as president over the Central Media Bureau in New York City, during which time she was instrumental in introducing the use of computers in the radio and television industries. Five years later she sold her company and turned her talents and energy to the field of education. As founder and president of, "Autoskill New York" she introduced computer assisted reading and math learning programs into the inner city elementary and high schools in New York. As much as she thrived in the city, Lois also deeply loved nature and was an outdoor sports enthusiast. She enjoyed skiing throughout the U.S. and Europe, and when not skiing you could find her on the tennis courts, sailing, trap shooting, horseback riding, fishing, playing croquet and recently golf. She was a "let's go girl", ever ready for the next challenge. She was a connoisseur of fine foods and an outstanding cook who loved to entertain and cook for her family and friends. A great Saturday for her was pouring over cookbooks and food magazines preparing her next culinary coup. Lois and her husband Bill sold their New York apartment and country home and moved to Florida in January, 2001. Lois loved God, and was a profoundly loving and caring mother, wife and friend. She leaves a great void among family and friends, who rest in the comfort of knowing she will be welcomed with open arms on the other side of this earthly veil. A service will be held this Saturday, June 9th, at 1 p.m. at the "Church at Westwood", 1700 NW 60th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34482. This will be followed by a reception at the Sloboda residence: 2031 NW 50th Avenue, Ocala, FL, 34482, at 2 p.m. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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**KRIZ, PAULINE M.**

Jacksonville Beach, FL - Pauline M. Kriz went to be in the eternal peace and presence of her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on June 5, 2012. She passed from this reality to the next reality surrounded by her children. Born in Chicago, Illinois, August 24, 1927, she was a long time resident of Jacksonville Beach. She also spent time in the Saddle Oak Club Community in Ocala, FL. Her fondest memories include leading line dancing with her dancing troupe, "Footloose and Fancy Free Dancers" in Ocala, and leading line dancing in various senior centers wherever she was and whenever she could. She was heavily involved in the wonderful organization Parents Without Partners (PWP.) She was a proud veteran of the U.S. Navy. She was an active member of St Paul's Catholic Church at Jacksonville Beach. She is survived by her three children, Theresa (Terry) Welch and Chrissy Kriz Ruddy (Jim) of Jacksonville Beach, FL and her son, John Kriz (Shelby) of Little Rock, AR; four grandchildren, Andrew Welch (Amy), Daniel, Benjamin and Sara Jean Kriz and two great-grandchildren, Landon and Clayton. The Kriz Family would like to extend a heart felt "thank you" to the staff of Avante at Jacksonville Beach. We especially want to thank the incredible angels of Sub-Acute West. You cared and loved for our mother like the family that you have become to us. "You excel them all!" The family requests that in lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to Dial-A-Ride or B.E.A.M. These fine organizations truly serve the beaches community in so many wonderful ways. A Memorial Mass will be held 11 a.m. Saturday June 9 at St. Paul's Catholic Church, 435 1st Ave. N. Jacksonville Beach. Arrangements by Hardage-Giddens Funeral Home, 1701 Beach Blvd. Jacksonville Beach 904-249-2374

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**MOORE, DOLLENA MAE, 90**

Grinnell, Iowa - Dollena Mae (Dee) Moore, 90, of Dunnellon, Florida, died June 5, 2012, in Grinnell, Iowa. Her funeral will be at 10:30 am, Monday, June 11, at Springs Presbyterian Church in Dunnellon, Florida, with a visitation period beginning at 9:30 a.m. Dee was married to the late Jack Moore. She is the mother of Thomas (Emily) Moore of Grinnell, Iowa and Michael (Suzanne) Moore of Dunnellon. Memorials may be made to the Covenant Children's Home through the Springs Presbyterian Church or to Springs Presbyterian Church. You can find a longer obituary at the Roberts Funeral Home website at:

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**RAIDY, RUBY M., 89**

Ocala - Ruby M. Raidy, 89, passed away on June 5, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Marion County. She was a retired thoroughbred horse trainer and breeder. After retiring, she volunteered for many years at Interfaith Services in Ocala. She was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph F. Raidy and a daughter, Pamela Raidy. She is survived by her daughters, Cecilia Raidy and Marguerite Ross. Also surviving is her son-in-law, Graham Ross. A memorial mass to celebrate her life will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Friday, June 8, 2012 at 11 a.m.

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**GREENE, VICKI L., 48**

Dunnellon - Ms. Vicki L. Greene, 48, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away on June 5, 2012, in Ocala, FL. She was born in Ft. Lauderdale, FL. on July 31, 1963. She was a Veterinarian Technician. She moved to this area in 1985 from Coral Springs, FL. Vicki is survived by her daughter, Jessica Hansen of Dunnellon, FL.; a son, Eric P. Hansen (Stephanie) of Crawfordville, IN.; a brother, Ronald Collins of Ocala, FL.; two sisters, Lisa Newsome of Okeechobee, FL. and Susan Furia of West Palm Beach, FL.; her parents, Ronald and Sue Collins of Lake Wales, FL.; two grandchildren, Cailin Hansen and Rilynn Hansen. Also her fiance, David Zeigler. Vicki was a loving mother that will be greatly missed. A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 SW SR# 200 in Ocala on Sunday, June 10th at 1 p.m. (325) 854-2266. To leave condolences:

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**KRIZ, PAULINE M.**

Jacksonville Beach, FL - Pauline M. Kriz went to be in the eternal peace and presence of her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on June 5, 2012. She passed from this reality to the next reality surrounded by her children. Born in Chicago, Illinois, August 24, 1927, she was a long time resident of Jacksonville Beach. She also spent time in the Saddle Oak Club Community in Ocala, FL. Her fondest memories include leading line dancing with her dancing troupe, "Footloose and Fancy Free Dancers" in Ocala, and leading line dancing in various senior centers wherever she was and whenever she could. She was heavily involved in the wonderful organization Parents Without Partners (PWP.) She was a proud veteran of the U.S. Navy. She was an active member of St Paul's Catholic Church at Jacksonville Beach. She is survived by her three children, Theresa (Terry) Welch and Chrissy Kriz Ruddy (Jim) of Jacksonville Beach, FL and her son, John Kriz (Shelby) of Little Rock, AR; four grandchildren, Andrew Welch (Amy), Daniel, Benjamin and Sara Jean Kriz and two great-grandchildren, Landon and Clayton. The Kriz Family would like to extend a heart felt "thank you" to the staff of Avante at Jacksonville Beach. We especially want to thank the incredible angels of Sub-Acute West. You cared and loved for our mother like the family that you have become to us. "You excel them all!" The family requests that in lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to Dial-A-Ride or B.E.A.M. These fine organizations truly serve the beaches community in so many wonderful ways. A Memorial Mass will be held 11 a.m. Saturday June 9 at St. Paul's Catholic Church, 435 1st Ave. N. Jacksonville Beach. Arrangements by Hardage-Giddens Funeral Home, 1701 Beach Blvd. Jacksonville Beach 904-249-2374

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**DELANEY, LUCILLE R., 89**

Ocala - Lucille R. Delaney, 89, formerly of Rochester, NY, passed away on May 23, 2012, after

a long illness. Mrs. Delaney was born February 25, 1923. Predeceased by her loving husband, Donald F. Delaney, she is survived by her devoted children, Judith Delaney, Peggy (Carl) Zarcone, Thomas (Anna) Delaney, Virginia (Michael) Stapleton; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Mrs. Delaney was a long time resident of Rolling Greens Mobile Home Park as well as an avid counted cross stitcher, reader and shopper. A funeral mass will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in Ocala on Friday June 15th at 11 a.m.

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### **DUFF, DOLORES IRENE, 83**

Dolores Irene Duff, 83, of Ocala passed away June 5, 2012. She was born in Nitro, West Virginia and came to this area in 1984 from South Florida. She was a retired admitting supervisor for Humana Hospital, attended the Maricamp Road Church of Christ and was a member of the Eastern Star Lodge #153 in Nitro, WV. Mrs. Duff is survived by her son, Larry Duff and his wife Barbara of Fruitland Park, FL and a host of friends. She was preceded in death by her husband, Parvin Duff, brothers Richard and Joseph Miller and sister, Helen Hawes. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141. To leave condolences:

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### **EUTON, WAYNE ELLIS**

Ocala - The Home Going Celebration for Wayne Ellis Teuton "Bushman" who transitioned into eternity Tuesday June 5th, 2012 will be at 12pm, high noon, on Saturday 6/16/2012 at the family cabin in Salt Springs, located at 16464 E. Hwy 316, Salt Springs, FL. 32134. A Florida native, Wayne was born in Burbank and lived in Daytona Beach and Ocala most all his life. He owned and operated businesses in both cities. He had a full life and accomplished many of his dreams. He was successful in business and passed on a legacy of how to work hard to make your dreams come true. Wayne had a keen eye and enjoyed making wherever he was a beautiful place to be. His love of laughter will be greatly missed. He had many hobbies including landscaping, interior decorating, and Nascar. Wayne remained friends with all who he spent many years of life and love with. He touched so many lives in a way that was special to each. He made countless memories and loved to reminisce about his adventures. Throughout his life he took special pleasure in teaching others how to be the best they could be, he encouraged others in a way that was unique to only him. Wayne met his Lord and Savior in 2010 and passes from his earthly works to the reward of eternal peace with the Lord. Wayne is preceded in death by his Devoted mother Hattie Teuton and father James Teuton, his brothers Roy Teuton, Jimmy Teuton, and Ray Teuton.

Wayne leaves to cherish his memory , a loving and devoted daughter, Susan (Teuton) Clark(Port Orange), two sons, Allen Teuton (Edgewater) and Matthew Teuton (Green Cove Springs), three stepsons, Roger Mowery, Ricky Mowery and Josh Mowery (all of Ocala). He is survived by 2 sisters, Frances (Teuton) Evans (South Daytona), and Lorraine (Teuton) Patterson (Salt Springs), and 3 brothers, Ed Teuton (Ocala), Bruce Teuton (Summerfield) and Phillip Teuton (Ocala). He leaves precious memories for all his grandchildren and especially for Michele Teuton(New Smyrna), he was so proud of her, and his many devoted nephews and nieces. Arrangements entrusted to the anointed care of Countryside Funeral Home, in Anthony, Fl. All friends of

Wayne's and the Teuton Family are welcomed to come to the cabin for food and celebration this Saturday.

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**GRIFFIN, HELEN SHEALY, 84**

Helen Shealy Griffin, 84, passed away in Ocala, FL on June 8, 2012. She was born in Ocala, FL on December 17, 1927. She was preceded in death by her parents, Henry G. Shealy and Ruth Stephens Shealy and her daughter, Carolyn Settle. Helen was an elementary school teacher in Marion County Public Schools for 15 years. After retirement, she was a volunteer at elementary schools for over 20 years. She was a member of First United Methodist Church., the Friendly Fellowship Sunday School Class, Joy Circle, Supper Club, and Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority. Helen is survived by her husband of 64 years, W.W. "Bill" Griffin, Jr., daughter Martha (Dave) Belcher, Dunnellon, son Dane Griffin, Ocala, grandson John Griffin, Gainesville and sister Winifred Davis, Sparr. There will be a gathering of family and friends at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 East Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala on Monday, June 11th from 5 - 7 PM. Funeral services will held at Hiers-Baxley on Tuesday, June 12th at 3 PM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Florida United Methodist Children's Home, 51 Children's Way, Enterprise, FL 32725.

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**JEFFERY, SUSAN L., 63**

Ocala - Susan Jeffery of Ocala, Florida passed away on Tuesday May 22, 2012. Born December 31, 1948 in Carbondale, PA, she was the daughter of the late Joseph and Marguerite Garrick. Formerly of Forest City, PA, Susan worked in the healthcare industry for many years. Recently, she was a part-time employee at Ocala Breeders Sales and volunteered at a local hospital. Susan cherished spending time with her family and had a passion for working with horses. Her love, laughter and smile will be greatly missed by all who knew her. Susan is survived by her daughter Wendy Young and husband Brian of Liberty, NY; son, James Moase, wife Barbara and their daughter, Olivia of Waxhaw, NC; brother Joseph Garrick; sister Sally Hayward; nephews, Patrick, Paul, and Michael. A private family service will be held at a later date.

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**McKAY, GORDON P., 82**

Gordon P. McKay, 82, The Villages, FL passed away on Wednesday, June 6, 2012. He was born in Kansas City, MO. Mr. McKay served his country during the Korean War and held degrees from Wayne State University and Colorado State University. He was a member of the Wayne State Football Hall of Fame. He was a senior executive with Ford Motor Company at the time of his retirement. He was a member of Hope Lutheran Church, The Villages. Survivors include his wife of 53 years JoAnne; sons Steven S. McKay and Dr. David C. (Christine) McKay; Grandchildren Erik D. McKay and Maria E. McKay; and sister Ferol Wegner. Visitation will be at the Lady Lake Chapel of Beyers Funeral Home on Monday evening, June 11, 2012 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, June 12, 2012, 10:00a.m. at Hope Lutheran Church, The Villages, FL. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the food bank of the donor's choice. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

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Robert C. "Bob" Tybring, Sr., age 88, of Ocala, passed away June 6, 2012. He was born on September 15, 1923 in Endicott, NY a son to the late Gilbert and Helen (Crawford) Tybring. In addition to his parents he was also preceded in death by his wife, Phyllis Gertrude Tybring. He was a member of Central Baptist Church in Ocala and camping, traveling, and grilling out. Survivors include two sons, Bob (Karen) Tybring of Sodderton, PA, Paul (Terry) Tybring of Belleview, FL, a daughter Sharman (Jeff) Moses of Plymouth, Mass., grandchildren Kami, Kasy and Ron Tybring, Sarah (Matt) Jenkins, John (Tiffany) Tybring, step grandchildren, Amanda and Robbie Baker, great grandchildren Riley Jenkins and John Daniel Tybring. A Celebration of Life Service has been scheduled for Wednesday June 13, 2012 at 2:00pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Burial Park.

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**WILEMON, A. ROGER, 64**

Anthony - A. Roger Wilemon, 64, passed away on Thursday, June 7, 2012 at his residence surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Altoona, AL and moved to this area many years ago. He was Co-owner of Jerry's Pawn and Gun Shop until his retirement. He was a member of Living Waters Worship Center, NWTF and NRA. He wrote a book of family memories entitled "Growing Up In The Great Outdoors". He loved his family, hunting, fishing, and country music. He is survived by his wife, Sherry Spears Wilemon, his sons, Shayne (Tracy) Wilemon and Travis (Jessica) Wilemon, his granddaughters, Kelsea and Logan Wilemon, his grandson, Brody Wilemon, all of Anthony, his mother, Veralene Wilemon of Ocala, his sister, Diane Mott of Leesburg, and his brothers, Gary Wilemon of Gainesville and Greg Wilemon of Ocala. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 16, 2012 at 11:00 AM at Living Waters Worship Center with Pastor John Childers officiating. Visitation will be at the church on Friday from 6-8 PM. Burial will be in Anthony Cemetery. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the A.L.S. Assn., Florida Chapter, for "Rogers Rally".

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Panama City Beach, FL - William Harold Williams, 87, of Panama City Beach, passed away Wednesday, June 6, 2012, at Covenant Hospice at Bay Medical Center. Bill was born in Clinton, IL, and lived in Bay County for the last 6 years. He retired as a MSGT after 22 years in the US Air Force, serving during WWII, Korea, and Vietnam. After his military service, Bill worked as a rural letter carrier for the USPO. He was United Methodist by faith, and was a member of the National Rural Letter Carriers Association, Sons of the American Revolution, and the Air Force Sergeants' Association. He was preceded in death by his wife of 66 years, Verda M. Williams, his daughter, Jodey R. Williams, eight brothers and a sister. Survivors include his children, Willard J. "Jerry" Williams and (Monique) and Wayne E. Williams (Margaret); a sister, Mrs. Jean Troxel; and grandchildren, Elizabeth R. Williams (Howard) and Erin M. Williams. Graveside funeral services will be held Monday, June 11, 2012, at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with funeral honors offered by the USAF Honor Guard. In lieu of flowers, contributions in Bill's name may be made to the National Rural Letter Carriers Association Scholarship Fund, 1630 Duke St., Alexandria, VA 22314, or to Covenant Hospice, 107 W. 19th St., Panama City, FL ,32405. Kent-Forest Lawn, 2403 Harrison Avenue, 763-4694 [www.kentforestlawn.com](http://www.kentforestlawn.com)

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### **DELANEY, LUCILLE R., 89**

Ocala - Lucille R. Delaney, 89, formerly of Rochester, NY, passed away on May 23, 2012, after a long illness. Mrs. Delaney was born February 25, 1923. Predeceased by her loving husband, Donald F. Delaney, she is survived by her devoted children, Judith Delaney, Peggy (Carl) Zarccone, Thomas (Anna) Delaney, Virginia (Michael) Stapleton; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Mrs. Delaney was a long time resident of Rolling Greens Mobile Home Park as well as an avid counted cross stitcher, reader and shopper. A funeral mass will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in Ocala on Friday June 15th at 11 a.m.

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### **DUFF, DOLORES IRENE, 83**

Dolores Irene Duff, 83, of Ocala passed away June 5, 2012. She was born in Nitro, West Virginia and came to this area in 1984 from South Florida. She was a retired admitting supervisor for Humana Hospital, attended the Maricamp Road Church of Christ and was a member of the Eastern Star Lodge #153 in Nitro, WV. Mrs. Duff is survived by her son, Larry Duff and his wife Barbara of Fruitland Park, FL and a host of friends. She was preceded in death by her husband, Parvin Duff, brothers Richard and Joseph Miller and sister, Helen Hawes. Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141. To leave condolences:

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#### **GRIFFIN, HELEN SHEALY, 84**

Helen Shealy Griffin, 84, passed away in Ocala, FL on June 8, 2012. She was born in Ocala, FL on December 17, 1927. She was preceded in death by her parents, Henry G. Shealy and Ruth Stephens Shealy and her daughter, Carolyn Settle. Helen was an elementary school teacher in Marion County Public Schools for 15 years. After retirement, she was a volunteer at elementary schools for over 20 years. She was a member of First United Methodist Church., the Friendly Fellowship Sunday School Class, Joy Circle, Supper Club, and Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority. Helen is survived by her husband of 64 years, W.W. "Bill" Griffin, Jr., daughter Martha (Dave) Belcher, Dunnellon, son Dane Griffin, Ocala, grandson John Griffin, Gainesville and sister Winifred Davis, Sparr. There will be a gathering of family and friends at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 East Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala on Monday, June 11th from 5 - 7 PM. Funeral services will held at Hiers-Baxley on Tuesday, June 12th at 3 PM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Florida United Methodist Children's Home, 51 Children's Way, Enterprise, FL 32725.

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#### **JEFFERY, SUSAN L., 63**

Ocala - Susan Jeffery of Ocala, Florida passed away on Tuesday May 22, 2012. Born December 31, 1948 in Carbondale, PA, she was the daughter of the late Joseph and Marguerite Garrick. Formerly of Forest City, PA, Susan worked in the healthcare industry for many years. Recently, she was a part-time employee at Ocala Breeders Sales and volunteered at a local hospital. Susan cherished spending time with her family and had a passion for working with horses. Her love, laughter and smile will be greatly missed by all who knew her. Susan is survived by her daughter Wendy Young and husband Brian of Liberty, NY; son, James Moase, wife Barbara and their daughter, Olivia of Waxhaw, NC; brother Joseph Garrick; sister Sally Hayward; nephews, Patrick, Paul, and Michael. A private family service will be held at a later date.

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**McKAY, GORDON P., 82**

Gordon P. McKay, 82, The Villages, FL passed away on Wednesday, June 6, 2012. He was born in Kansas City, MO. Mr. McKay served his country during the Korean War and held degrees from Wayne State University and Colorado State University. He was a member of the Wayne State Football Hall of Fame. He was a senior executive with Ford Motor Company at the time of his retirement. He was a member of Hope Lutheran Church, The Villages. Survivors include his wife of 53 years JoAnne; sons Steven S. McKay and Dr. David C. (Christine) McKay; Grandchildren Erik D. McKay and Maria E. McKay; and sister Ferol Wegner. Visitation will be at the Lady Lake Chapel of Beyers Funeral Home on Monday evening, June 11, 2012 from 6:00 to 8:00 PM. A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, June 12, 2012, 10:00a.m. at Hope Lutheran Church, The Villages, FL. Interment will be at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the food bank of the donor's choice. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

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**TYBRING, SR., ROBERT C. "BOB", 88**

Robert C. "Bob" Tybring, Sr., age 88, of Ocala, passed away June 6, 2012. He was born on September 15, 1923 in Endicott, NY a son to the late Gilbert and Helen (Crawford) Tybring. In addition to his parents he was also preceded in death by his wife, Phyllis Gertrude Tybring. He was a member of Central Baptist Church in Ocala and camping, traveling, and grilling out. Survivors include two sons, Bob (Karen) Tybring of Sodderton, PA, Paul (Terry) Tybring of Belleview, FL, a daughter Sharman (Jeff) Moses of Plymouth, Mass., grandchildren Kami, Kasy and Ron Tybring, Sarah (Matt) Jenkins, John (Tiffany) Tybring, step grandchildren, Amanda and Robbie Baker, great grandchildren Riley Jenkins and John Daniel Tybring. A Celebration of Life Service has been scheduled for Wednesday June 13, 2012 at 2:00pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Burial Park.

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**WILEMON, A. ROGER, 64**

Anthony - A. Roger Wilemon, 64, passed away on Thursday, June 7, 2012 at his residence surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Altoona, AL and moved to this area many years ago. He was Co-owner of Jerry's Pawn and Gun Shop until his retirement. He was a member of Living Waters Worship Center, NWTF and NRA. He wrote a book of family memories entitled "Growing Up In The Great Outdoors". He loved his family, hunting, fishing, and country music. He is survived by his wife, Sherry Spears Wilemon, his sons, Shayne (Tracy) Wilemon and Travis (Jessica) Wilemon, his granddaughters, Kelsea and Logan Wilemon, his grandson, Brody Wilemon, all of Anthony, his mother, Verlene Wilemon of Ocala, his sister, Diane Mott of Leesburg, and his brothers, Gary Wilemon of Gainesville and Greg Wilemon of Ocala. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 16, 2012 at 11:00 AM at Living Waters Worship Center with Pastor John Childers officiating. Visitation will be at the church on Friday from 6-8 PM. Burial will be in Anthony Cemetery. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the A.L.S. Assn., Florida Chapter, for "Rogers Rally".

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**WILLIAMS, HAROLD WILLIAM, 87**

Panama City Beach, FL - William Harold Williams, 87, of Panama City Beach, passed away Wednesday, June 6, 2012, at Covenant Hospice at Bay Medical Center. Bill was born in Clinton, IL, and lived in Bay County for the last 6 years. He retired as a MSGT after 22 years in the US Air Force, serving during WWII, Korea, and Vietnam. After his military service, Bill worked as a rural letter carrier for the USPO. He was United Methodist by faith, and was a member of the National Rural Letter Carriers Association, Sons of the American Revolution, and the Air Force Sergeants' Association. He was preceded in death by his wife of 66 years, Verda M. Williams, his daughter, Jodey R. Williams, eight brothers and a sister. Survivors include his children, Willard J. "Jerry" Williams and (Monique) and Wayne E. Williams (Margaret); a sister, Mrs. Jean Troxel; and grandchildren, Elizabeth R. Williams (Howard) and Erin M. Williams. Graveside funeral services will be held Monday, June 11, 2012, at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL with funeral honors offered by the USAF Honor Guard. In lieu of flowers, contributions in Bill's name may be made to the National Rural Letter Carriers

Association Scholarship Fund, 1630 Duke St., Alexandria, VA 22314, or to Covenant Hospice, 107 W. 19th St., Panama City, FL ,32405. Kent-Forest Lawn, 2403 Harrison Avenue, 763-4694  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 12, 2012**

#### **BLACK, DORIS L., 92**

Pratt, Kansas - Doris L. Black, 92, of Pratt, KS., passed away Saturday, June 2, 2012. She was born in Chillicothe, Ohio. Doris married Donald F. Black in 1951, moving to Levenworth, Kansas then to Ocala, Florida. She spent countless hours as a Hospice volunteer for the Marion County Ocala Hospital (1984 to 1998), receiving the Cartwright Award for her services and was a proud volunteer for the VFW Post 4209 Ladies Auxiliary in Ocala. Nana loved to golf and fish. Her greatest gift to others were her gifts of singing, a sense of humor and the love to help other people, whether it was to listen or give advice. She is survived by her daughter, Georgann Karwacki; granddaughters, Melanie Bernbeck, Doreen Wagner, Mary Bundy; great grandsons, Fred VanNess, Holden Kenworthy, Layton Kenworthy, Dalton Kenworthy and two great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, Donald Black; parents, George Gray and Cora Bennett; brothers and sisters, Ella, Isaac, Freddie, Willie, Rachel, Harley, Gladys, Medryth, and Raymond. Services being provided by Heartland Mortuary in Preston, KS. A memorial service was held on Monday, June 11th at 10 a.m. at the Pratt Regional Rehabilitation Center. Services being provided by Heartland Mortuary of Preston, KS.

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Orange Lake - Karyn R. Gallwitz, 46, of Orange Lake, passed away on June 10, 2012. Karyn was born on October 5, 1965 to parents, Carl and Norma (Malone) Colombo. She was preceded in death by her mother. Survivors include her parents, Carl and Cleta Colombo; son, Steven Gallwitz, daughter Jennifer Smith and husband, Joseph; brother, Charles "Chuck" Colombo; her partner, Josh Johnson; 3 grandsons, Bentley, Cane, and Isaac Smith; and nephew, Dalton. The family will receive friends on Wednesday, June 13th from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce West Chapel, 6241 SW SR 200, with a memorial service at 5:00 p.m. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes. 352-854-2266

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**MILLETT, PAUL R., 88**

Ocala - Paul R. Millett, 88, of Ocala, and of Winthrop, ME., passed away on June 9, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born November 11, 1923, in Wakefield, MA., the son of Aubrey and Irene (Young) Millett. He grew up in Wakefield, MA and graduated from Winthrop High School in 1943. He entered the Army on June 30, 1943 as a member of the 168th Combat Engineer Battalion. He was in the Battle of the Bulge as a Tech 5. He has 5 Battle Stars and his unit was awarded the Presidential Distinguished Unit Citation for Valor at St. Vith and the Belgium Croix De Guerre. He also received the Soldier's Medal. Paul met his first wife, Anna Chanda Millett as a pen pal during WWII. When the war ended, they married in 1946. Paul and Ann lived and worked in Florida for 42 years and returned to Maine in 2004. Paul retired after working 42 years for AT&T in Maine, Texas, New Hampshire and Florida. Paul enjoyed singing, rebuilding and flying small airplanes as a private pilot and his church activities. He was a 32nd degree Mason of Temple Lodge #25 A.F. & A.M., Winthrop, ME. He was member of Post Polio Support Group of Brevard and North Central Florida Post Polio Support Group, and the Southwest Christian Church of Ocala. A recent highlight for him was a trip to Washington, D.C. on the Ocala Honor Flight for WWII veterans. He was predeceased by his first wife, Anna; his sister, Eva Mae Richards; and his brothers, Woodrow, Elwin and Lewis Millett. He is survived by his wife, Avis Millett of Ocala, FL; his daughter, Julie Clark and her husband Ron of Middlebury, CT, his son, Richard Millett and his wife Jill of Alexandria, VA.; four grandchildren, Jennifer Weigel and Joachim, Dr. Ronald Clark, Jr. and Jessica, Paul Clark and Nicole and Dr. Christian Millett; six great-grandchildren, Emily, Andrew and Lily Clark, Johannes and Julianna Weigel and River Clark; also several nieces, nephews, and cousins. Visiting will be held Thursday, June 14 from 12-1 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home, 62 Bowdoin St., Winthrop, where a celebration of life will follow at 1 p.m. Burial with military honors will follow in Readfield Corner Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: Ocala Honor Flight, c/o Fla. Dept of VFW, P.O. Box 247, Ocala, FL., 34478 or Southwest Christian Church, 9045 SW 60th Ave, Ocala, FL., 34476.

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**OVERLY, FENTON G., 91**

Ocala - Mr. Fenton G. Overly, 91, passed away in Ocala, FL on June 3, 2012. He was born in Cleveland, OH on October 5, 1920. He retired from General Motors Corporation after 30 years. He was a US Army Air Corps Staff Sgt. Veteran. He was past chapter president of the local Alzheimer Assoc. He was a member of Countryside Presbyterian Church in Ocala, FL. He moved to this area in 1991 from Chattanooga, TN. Fenton is predeceased by his loving wife, Dorothy. Survivors include one son, Gary Overly (Deborah) of Southern Pines, NC; a daughter, Linda Peters (Jim) of Key Colony Beach, FL; and a stepdaughter, Joy Harter of Ocala, FL. A memorial service will be held Friday, June 15th at 11 a.m. at the Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Hwy #200. The family would appreciate donations to be made to the Countryside Church building fund. Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel West, (352)854-2266, made the arrangements. To leave condolences,

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### **SCHULER, WINSTON W., 79**

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### **SCRUGGS, KENNEY LEE**

Independence, CA - Kenney Scruggs, the Bishop, CA attorney and civic activist who became a voice in court for children trapped in their parents' custody battles, has died after a struggle with cancer. She was born in Gainesville, Florida on June 07, 1949. Scruggs worked tirelessly on criminal and domestic cases, and often took on unpopular clients and cases without concern for the personal consequences. Her friends and relatives will remember her best for her personal devotion to loved ones who needed her. "The Eastern Sierra area has lost a beautiful soul who gave a bright energy to her friends, family, community and clients," said Bennett Kessler, owner of Sierra Wave Media, who has been a close friend of Scruggs for 37 years. "Her strength and goodness are irreplaceable." Known for her even-tempered, no nonsense style, Scruggs was part of Inyo County history and her passing is the end of an era because she was an influential figure who, often behind the scenes, tackled controversial issues such as the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power's (DWP) control over Owens Valley's resources. Scruggs spent her childhood in Florida. Her sister said Kenney was an avid reader starting at a very young age. Sister Cynthy added "the words that come to my mind about her are independent, indefatigable, curious, deeply affectionate and honest". Scruggs lived in the Eastlake Weir area of Marion County. She was very active in Girl Scouts, FFA chapter sweetheart, and, for 8 years, helped with the July 4 celebration at Legion Beach, Welrsdale. She graduated from Lake Weir High School in 1967 and Florida State University in 1971. She went on to get her law degree from Southwestern University Law School in Los Angeles. Scruggs was a scrappy idealist in tie-dyed blouses and blue jeans when she met her beloved partner, Owens Valley journalist, John Robb Heston. In 1972, the couple lived in Independence, CA, where she completed law studies by commuting the 200 miles weekly to Southwestern University Law School in Los Angeles. Scruggs started her law practice in Bishop in 1980. She handled criminal and family law cases and went on to specialize in protecting the rights of children in high-conflict custody cases. Mono County Superior Court Judge Mark Magit said "Kenney was a passionate and very effective advocate for her clients". Her tenacity and indomitable spirit were balanced by her ability maintain perspective, sense of humor, and her bright and engaging smile." Kenney and attorney Rick Wood squared off on hundreds of cases. Wood said, "Kenney believed that she could make a difference in other peoples' lives. Her professional life exemplified that belief. We will miss her terribly and remember her well." Attorney Tom Hardy also remembers Kenney. He said, "when I was first starting to practice law, Kenney Scruggs probably taught me as much about the courtroom as anyone - by being my opponent in many cases. Most importantly, though, she was of a breed of lawyer who could argue like hell with you when in court and then have amiable lunch where you could talk about anything, share ideas and even poke fun at the arguments that we were making just minutes before." Throughout her legal career, Scruggs made time to pursue philosophical religious studies and to tend to the gardens, fruit orchards and reflecting pools at her home beside a mountain stream on the northern edge of Independence, CA. She was also an artist who decorated the shady retreat with hand-painted tile art. In the past few months, Scruggs, who died in her home on Wednesday, May 30, had been in failing health. "She died as gracefully and as bravely as she lived." Kessler said. Scruggs is survived by her mother, Margaret Scruggs; her father, William "Bill" Scruggs (a former Lake Weir High School teacher); two sisters: Ann Scruggs of Gainesville, FL & Cynthy Scruggs of Lafayette, IN;



children of John Heston - Ellie Heston, John Heston Jr. & family; and fiancé Robert Miller. At her request, there was no funeral services. However, Judge Stout paid tribute to Kenney when he called a special session of the court on Friday, June 08. Colleagues and friends filled the courtroom, and many made humorous and loving comments about their professional relationships with Kenney. In lieu of flowers, you may remember Kenney with a donation to the Eastern Sierra Breast Cancer Alliance, a non-profit 501 c3 organization. ESBCA, P.O. Box 1523, Bishop, CA 93515.

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### **STEVENS, RONALD LEE**

Ronald Lee Stevens, age 83 of Anthony, passed away Monday, June 11, 2012. He was born June 30, 1928 in Johnson, Florida to Rex and Clara Abraham Stevens. Ronald proudly served in the United States Navy. He was a member of Woodlawn Baptist Church in Hawthorne and enjoyed hunting, fishing and working in the yard.

He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Emogene Johns Stevens; son, Ronald Stevens, Jr. (Sally) of North Port, FL; daughter, Marcia Penny (Kenneth) of Anthony, FL; brother, Lloyd Hamilton of Palatka, FL; grandchildren, Kenneth, Jeremy and Corey Penny, Julie Reboul and Tracy Stevens and great grandchildren, Jarred, Lily, Zoe, Lauren and Alaina.

Funeral Services will be held Friday, June 15, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. in the chapel of WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME HAWTHORNE, US 301 South at Lake Avenue, with Dr. L.D. Osteen and Brother Charles Litzell officiating. Interment will follow in Anthony Cemetery. The family will receive friends Thursday, June 14, 2012, 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorials to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474 or National Parkinson's Foundation, 1501 NW 9th Avenue Bob Hope Road Miami, FL 33136. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS HAWTHORNE

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### **TOWNSEND, REV. NEVI**

Ocala - The Rev. Nevi Townsend passed away on Monday, June 11, 2012. Rev. Townsend was born in Plant City, FL on Oct. 27, 1930 to the Rev. Denton Townsend and Edith Townsend. He is survived by his beloved wife of 61 years, Doris Townsend of Ocala, FL.; his sons, Ken Townsend of Jupiter, FL. and the Rev. Terry Townsend (Sandy) of Wellington, FL., and the Rev. Gary Townsend (Susan) of Ocala; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; a sister, Virginia Hattaway of Venice, FL and an aunt, Lillie Ruth Evans of Ocala. Born Oct. 27, 1930, the sixth generation Floridian served as pastor for more than 35 years in Kentucky and Florida, including First Baptist Church of Lantana, FL and Parkview Baptist Church of Ft. Pierce, FL. He served as Director of Missions for the Indian River Baptist Assn. from 1993 to 1998 and served two years as a volunteer coordinator of the Florida Baptist partnership with eastern Dakotas. Since 2000, he served as a church planting consultant with the Florida Baptist Convention encouraging churches, associations and potential church planters to start new congregations. A graduate of Jacksonville University and the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, KY, Townsend has served in various capacities in Florida Baptist State Convention life, serving on the State Board of Missions from 1978-1980 and the Committee on Time, Place and Preacher from 1977-1978 and 1982-1983. He served on international missions trips leading evangelism

crusades in Africa and Korea. He was a long-time member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. Services are set for Thursday, June 14, 2012 at 11 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Ocala. Visitation will be held Wednesday, June 13, 2012 from 5-7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala. Burial will take place at the Townsend Family Cemetery near Bell, FL at 4 p.m. on June 14, 2012. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be sent to the Church Planting Fund of the Florida Baptist Convention, 1230 Hendricks Ave., Jacksonville, FL 32207.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 14, 2012**

#### **GALLWITZ, KARYN R., 46**

Orange Lake - Karyn R. Gallwitz, 46, of Orange Lake, passed away on June 10, 2012. Karyn was born on October 5, 1965 to parents, Carl and Norma (Malone) Colombo. She was preceded in death by her mother. Survivors include her parents, Carl and Clea Colombo; son, Steven Gallwitz, daughter Jennifer Smith and husband, Joseph; brother, Charles "Chuck" Colombo; her partner, Josh Johnson; 3 grandsons, Bentley, Cane, and Isaac Smith; and nephew, Dalton. The family will receive friends on Wednesday, June 13th from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce West Chapel, 6241 SW SR 200, with a memorial service at 5:00 p.m. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes. 352-854-2266

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#### **HOPE, EDWARD, 92**

Ocala - Edward Hope, age 92, passed from this life on Wednesday, June 6, 2012. An Ocala native, he was born January 20th, 1920. Edward leaves to mourn three children; sons, Edward D. Hope (Cassie), and Reginald Hope, all of Ocala, Florida; and one daughter, Stephanie Gavin (Melvin) of El Paso, Texas; a sister, Ada Johnson of Ocala; 14 grandchildren, 18 great-grand's and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 16, 2012 at First Missionary Full Gospel Church, 9475 S.E. 35th Ct., Ocala. Wake services will be held Friday at June 15, 2012, at 6 p.m., at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 N.W. 10th Street, Ocala. The family wishes to thank each and every one for your kind deeds.

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#### **JACKSON SR., ERNEST, 58**

Ocala - Ernest Jackson Sr., 58, passed away on June 7, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory, children, Ernest Jackson Jr., Melissa Jones (Frank), Madreka Jackson, Anita Butler (Ricky), Shayla Jackson, Shataqua Jackson and Joshua Jackson; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; sisters, Vernetta Jackson, Debra Wise, Sharon Jackson and Jacquelyn Jackson; brothers, Joseph Jackson, Randolph Jackson, Charles Jackson and Vincent Jackson; and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 3 p.m. on Saturday June 16, 2012 at Tabernacle of Deliverance Outreach Ministry, Rosella Brown, Pastor. Visitation will be from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. on Friday, June 15, 2012 at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade".

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#### **JOSEPH, QUEENIE, 51**

Ocklawaha - Ms. Joseph was born to the late David and Lilian Gadsden in Chambersburg, PA on November 27, 1960. She was raised in Immokalee, FL where she completed school in the Collier County Educational System. God called his Loving Angel home on Friday, June 8, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memories, one daughter, Shasta (Robert) Gadsden; one son, David (Cheryl) Anderson; six grandchildren; two sisters: May Francis Chester and Mamie Bradford; one brother, David Gadsden, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Celebration will be held 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 16, 2012, at Macedonia Church of the Living God, 1610 Griffin Road, Leesburg, FL 34748; Dr. Juanita Smalley, Pastor. Visitation will be held Friday, June 15, 2012 from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. at Tony Tanner Funeral Services, 127 NW 20th Street, Ocala, FL 34475.

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### **KIMBERLY, STELLA EUGENIA, 86**

Ocala - Stella Kimberly passed away at home June 12, 2012, with her loving family by her side. A homemaker and charter member of Ocala Springs Baptist Church, she was preceded in death by her husband, Edwynn Kimberly, in 1999. She is survived by daughter, Glenda (Hal) Hern; son, Edwynn "Eddie" (Janice) Kimberly, Houston, TX; four grandsons, Gary Hern and Mike Hern of Ocala; Jeffery (Mica) Kimberly and Brian (Jennifer) Kimberly, of Texas; and two great-granddaughters, Reagan and Sarah Kimberly. Visitation Friday, June 15, 6-8:00 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. Graveside Funeral Service will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, June 16, at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala.

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### **LONG, MARGARET M., 90**

Ocala - Margaret M. Long, 90, passed away on Sunday, June 10, 2012. She was a native of Jasper, FL. and the daughter of the late William Stewart Mitchell and Annette Wetherington Mitchell and moved to Ocala in 1942. She was a member of Ft. King Presbyterian Church and the Order of Eastern Star. She was retired bookkeeper for her family business, H.M. Long Lumber Co. She is survived by her children, Harry Long, Jr. (Altha) of Tampa, Irva Harper (Thomas) of Chiefland, Marjorie Moxon (Henry) of Ocala and I. A. "Val" Long (Lynn) of Atlanta, GA.; her brother, Lt. Col. (Ret) Shelton O. Mitchell of Jasper; her ten grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, H.M. Long and one great-grandchild. Graveside services will be held on Saturday, June 16, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd St., Ocala. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Hospice of Marion County.

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Ocala - Norma Rose Noelcke, 88, of Ocala, passed away on June 1, 2012, at Hospice Brookside, Palm Harbor, FL. Born and raised in Cincinnati, OH, Norma was a 1941 graduate of Withrow High School. During World War II she assembled tail sections on P51 Mustang fighter aircraft while waiting for her husband to return from the war. Once home, they set about building their dream home and family in Potomac, MD. In the mid 60's she accomplished the extra-ordinary feat of moving her young family to Ethiopia for three years in support of her husband's career. In later years, she enjoyed RV traveling, quilting, sewing, gardening, and donating to charities. She was our family's last contributing member of the "Greatest Generation." She is survived by a sister, Doris Thomas; sons, Robert, Jr. and James; daughters, Jean Urban and Janice Garvue; eight grand and four great-grandchildren. Norma will be buried with her husband and daughter at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services.

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**PERRY, SR., LORENDA, 73**

Belleview - Mr. Perry, also known as "Punch", was born on August 23, 1938 to the parents of Abraham Perry and Illinorse Adderley in Santos, FL. Mr. Perry completed a circle of life on Monday, June 11, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memories, two daughters: Helen Nunn (Theron) and Valerie Wise (William); five sons: Lorenda Perry, Jr., James Perry, Michael Perry, Abraham Perry, and Anthony Perry; twelve grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; one sister, Arthur Lee Crawford; one brother, Curtis Hardy; one sister-in-law, Ora Dee Adderley; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. A celebration of life will be held 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, June 16, 2012 at Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, 2701 73rd St., Ocala, FL 34480; Rev. D.J. Berry Pastor and Rev. James Brown officiating. Visitation will be held Friday, June 15, 2012 from 11:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. at Tony Tanner Funeral Services, 127 NW 20th Street, Ocala, FL 34475.

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**ROWELL, THOMAS McCREDIE "THOM", 62**

Long Beach, CA - Thomas McCredie (Thom) Rowell, age 62, died of pancreatic cancer on May 17, 2012 at his home in Long Beach, CA. Thom was born March 23, 1950 at Monroe Memorial Hospital in Ocala, FL, to E. M. (Bo) Rowell and Dollie (Dot) Elston Guess Rowell, of Ocklawaha, FL. Thom was a graduate of Lake Weir High School. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration with an emphasis in Hotel and Restaurant Management from Florida State University. While in Tallahassee, he was elected Master Councilor of DeMolay. After graduation, he was employed by Magic Pan and National Cash Register Co. His passion was boating. As a licensed Mariner and accomplished yachtsman, he delighted in cruising his Grand Banks Yacht, "Intrepid", along the California coast. He was an

active member and former Commodore of the Horizon Yacht Club. He is survived by his partner of 16 years, Steve Hicke, of Long Beach, CA; brother, The Rev. E. Michael Rowell, and sister-in-law Amy; nephew, Charlie Rowell and partner, Joe Cox; niece, Margaret R. Good and husband, Richard. Thom was much beloved and is greatly missed by his family and friends. A Service of Internment will be held at the Ocklawaha Community Cemetery, located on S.E. 122nd Place, Ocklawaha, FL, on Tuesday, June 19th at 10:30 AM. The Rev. Ted Koelln, of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in Fruitland Park, will officiate. A memorial service was previously held on May 21, 2012, at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Long Beach, CA. Memorials may be made to Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 02201 Spring Lake Rd., Fruitland Park, FL 34731. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 14 to June 15, 2012

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### **SCRUGGS, KENNEY LEE**

Independence, CA - Kenney Scruggs, the Bishop, CA attorney and civic activist who became a voice in court for children trapped in their parents' custody battles, has died after a struggle with cancer. She was born in Gainesville, Florida on June 07, 1949. Scruggs worked tirelessly on criminal and domestic cases, and often took on unpopular clients and cases without concern for the personal consequences. Her friends and relatives will remember her best for her personal devotion to loved ones who needed her. "The Eastern Sierra area has lost a beautiful soul who gave a bright energy to her friends, family, community and clients," said Bennett Kessler, owner of Sierra Wave Media, who has been a close friend of Scruggs for 37 years. "Her strength and goodness are irreplaceable." Known for her even-tempered, no nonsense style, Scruggs was part of Inyo County history and her passing is the end of an era because she was an influential figure who, often behind the scenes, tackled controversial issues such as the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power's (DWP) control over Owens Valley's resources. Scruggs spent her childhood in Florida. Her sister said Kenney was an avid reader starting at a very young age. Sister Cynthia added "the words that come to my mind about her are independent, indefatigable, curious, deeply affectionate and honest". Scruggs lived in the Eastlake Weir area of Marion

County. She was very active in Girl Scouts, FFA chapter sweetheart, and, for 8 years, helped with the July 4 celebration at Legion Beach, Welrsdale. She graduated from Lake Weir High School in 1967 and Florida State University in 1971. She went on to get her law degree from Southwestern University Law School in Los Angeles. Scruggs was a scrappy idealist in tie-dyed blouses and blue jeans when she met her beloved partner, Owens Valley journalist, John Robb Heston. In 1972. the couple lived in Independence, CA, where she completed law studies by commuting the 200 miles weekly to Southwestern University Law School in Los Angeles. Scruggs started her law practice in Bishop in 1980. She handled criminal and family law cases and went on to specialize in protecting the rights of children in high-conflict custody cases. Mono County Superior Court Judge Mark Magit said "Kenney was a passionate and very effective advocate for her clients". Her tenacity and indomitable spirit were balanced by her ability maintain perspective, sense of humor, and her bright and engaging smile." Kenney and attorney Rick Wood squared off on hundreds of cases. Wood said, "Kenney believed that she could make a difference in other peoples' lives. Her professional life exemplified that belief. We will miss her terribly and remember her well." Attorney Tom Hardy also remembers Kenney. He said, "when I was first starting to practice law, Kenney Scruggs probably taught me as much about the courtroom as anyone - by being my opponent in many cases. Most Importantly, though, she was of a breed of lawyer who could argue like hell with you when in court and then have amiable lunch where you could talk about anything, share ideas and even poke fun at the arguments that we were making just minutes before." Throughout her legal career, Scruggs made time to pursue philosophical religious studies and to tend to the gardens, fruit orchards and reflecting pooles at her home beside a mountain stream on the northern edge of Independence, CA. She was also an artist who decorated the shady retreat with hand-painted tile art. In the past few months, Scruggs, who died in her home on Wednesday, May 30, had been in failing health. "She died as gracefully and as bravely as she lived." Kessler said. Scruggs is survived by her mother, Margaret Scruggs; her father, William "Bill" Scruggs (a former Lake Weir High School teacher); two sisters: Ann Scruggs of Gainesville, FL & Cynthy Scruggs of Lafayette, IN; children of John Heston - Ellie Heston, John Heston Jr. & family; and fiancé Robert Miller. At her request, there was no funeral services. However, Judge Stout paid tribute to Kenney when he called a special session of the court on Friday, June 08. Colleagues and friends filled the courtroom, and many made humorous and loving comments about their professional relationships with Kenney. In lieu of flowers, you may remember Kenney with a donation to the Eastern Sierra Breast Cancer Alliance, a non-profit 501 c3 organization. ESBCA, P.O. Box 1523, Bishop, CA 93515.

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### **SHANNIS, ESTELLE GAIL, 59**

Ocala - Estelle Gail Shannis, 59, of Ocala, passed away on June 10, 2012 at the Legacy House. She was born on May 2, 1953, in Camp LeJeune, NC to the late James George Shannis and the late Nadean Mary (Nanny) Shannis. She will be dearly missed by her partner of 8 1/2 years, Cindy Kerns; one son, Samuel Mac (Marlena) Bellamy, Jr. of Silver Springs; three daughters, Sandra Gail (Michael) Shetzline of Silver Springs, Stacy Nadean (Mark) Barnhart of Ocklawaha, Tracy Elizabeth Bellamy of Silver Springs; stepson Michael (Donna) Coyne, Jr. in Tennessee; stepdaughter, Jennifer (Brian) Clark of Dunnellon; a brother, George Oliver Shannis, Sr. of Silver Springs; two sisters, Nadean Jane McIntosh of Lake City, Bessie Ellen Shannis of Silver Springs; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild. A Celebration of Life service will be held

on Tuesday, June 19, 2012 at 6 p.m at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society or to the Legacy Hospice House. Forest Lawn Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements.

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#### **SNOW-PIERSON, LAURA, 84**

Summerfield - Laura Snow-Pierson, 84, passed away on Friday, June 8, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, sons, Lester Pierson and Myron Pierson; daughters, Constance Williams, Charlotte Gadsden, Carolyn Croskey (Willie), Brenda Wallace (Jasper) and Glendell Wright (James); eleven grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; sisters, Odessa Washington (Samuel), Altamese Snow and Jenelle Anthony; brothers, Roosevelt Snow (Betty) and Mack Snow; and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 16, 2012 at Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Summerfield, Rev. D.J. Berry, Eulogist. Wake will be from 6-8 p.m. on Thursday, June 14, 2012 at Mt. Olive Baptist Church. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. on Friday, June 15, 2012 at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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#### **STEVENS, RONALD LEE**

Ronald Lee Stevens, age 83 of Anthony, passed away Monday, June 11, 2012. He was born June 30, 1928 in Johnson, Florida to Rex and Clara Abraham Stevens. Ronald proudly served in the United States Navy. He was a member of Woodlawn Baptist Church in Hawthorne and enjoyed hunting, fishing and working in the yard.

He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Emogene Johns Stevens; son, Ronald Stevens, Jr. (Sally) of North Port, FL; daughter, Marcia Penny (Kenneth) of Anthony, FL; brother, Lloyd Hamilton of Palatka, FL; grandchildren, Kenneth, Jeremy and Corey Penny, Julie Reboul and Tracy Stevens and great grandchildren, Jarred, Lily, Zoe, Lauren and Alaina.

Funeral Services will be held Friday, June 15, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. in the chapel of WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME HAWTHORNE, US 301 South at Lake Avenue, with Dr. L.D. Osteen and Brother Charles Litzell officiating. Interment will follow in Anthony Cemetery. The family will receive friends Thursday, June 14, 2012, 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorials to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474 or National Parkinson's Foundation, 1501 NW 9th Avenue Bob Hope Road Miami, FL 33136. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS HAWTHORNE

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#### **TOWNSEND, REV. NEVI**

Ocala - The Rev. Nevi Townsend passed away on Monday, June 11, 2012. Rev. Townsend was born in Plant City, FL on Oct. 27, 1930 to the Rev. Denton Townsend and Edith Townsend. He is survived by his beloved wife of 61 years, Doris Townsend of Ocala, FL.; his sons, Ken Townsend of Jupiter, FL. and the Rev. Terry Townsend (Sandy) of Wellington, FL., and the Rev. Gary Townsend (Susan) of Ocala; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; a sister,



Virginia Hattaway of Venice, FL and an aunt, Lillie Ruth Evans of Ocala. Born Oct. 27, 1930, the sixth generation Floridian served as pastor for more than 35 years in Kentucky and Florida, including First Baptist Church of Lantana, FL and Parkview Baptist Church of Ft. Pierce, FL. He served as Director of Missions for the Indian River Baptist Assn. from 1993 to 1998 and served two years as a volunteer coordinator of the Florida Baptist partnership with eastern Dakotas. Since 2000, he served as a church planting consultant with the Florida Baptist Convention encouraging churches, associations and potential church planters to start new congregations. A graduate of Jacksonville University and the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, KY, Townsend has served in various capacities in Florida Baptist State Convention life, serving on the State Board of Missions from 1978-1980 and the Committee on Time, Place and Preacher from 1977-1978 and 1982-1983. He served on international missions trips leading evangelism crusades in Africa and Korea. He was a long-time member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. Services are set for Thursday, June 14, 2012 at 11 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Ocala. Visitation will be held Wednesday, June 13, 2012 from 5-7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala. Burial will take place at the Townsend Family Cemetery near Bell, FL at 4 p.m. on June 14, 2012. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be sent to the Church Planting Fund of the Florida Baptist Convention, 1230 Hendricks Ave., Jacksonville, FL 32207.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 15, 2012**

#### **CARTER, SIDNEY ALLEN SR., 79**

Ocala - Sidney Allen Carter Sr., 79, a lifelong resident of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, June 13, 2012. He was born in Ocala to Thomas and Frances Carter and was a lifelong resident of Marion County. Sidney was a lifetime member of Elks Lodge #286 in Ocala, a Gator Booster for 37 years, and a veteran of the Navy. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and cooking. He is predeceased by his wife, Jean Carter, and his grandson, William Breen. Sidney is survived by his son, Sidney Carter Jr., (Jane), of Alabama; son, Stephen Carter Sr. (Shirley), of Sparr, FL; daughter, Lisa Bethea (Randal) of Ocala; daughter, Cheryl Breen (Bill), of Eureka, FL; brother, Thomas "Buddy" Carter, of Mt. Plymouth, FL; sister, Margaret Shaw, of Columbus, GA; nine grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. There will be a graveside service Friday, June 15 at 10 a.m. at GOOD SHEPHERD MEMORIAL GARDENS, 5050 SW 20TH ST. OCALA. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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#### **HOPE, EDWARD, 92**

Ocala - Edward Hope, age 92, passed from this life on Wednesday, June 6, 2012. An Ocala native, he was born January 20th, 1920. Edward leaves to mourn three children; sons, Edward D. Hope (Cassie), and Reginald Hope, all of Ocala, Florida; and one daughter, Stephanie Gavin (Melvin) of El Paso, Texas; a sister, Ada Johnson of Ocala; 14 grandchildren, 18 great-grand's and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 16, 2012 at First Missionary Full Gospel Church, 9475 S.E. 35th Ct., Ocala. Wake services will be held Friday at June 15, 2012, at 6 p.m., at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 N.W. 10th Street, Ocala. The family wishes to thank each and every one for your kind deeds.

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**HUDSON, TERRY V., 56**

Ocala - Terry V. Hudson, age 56, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, June 12, 2012 after a long nine year battle with cancer. He was born in Pelham, GA on April 17, 1956. A Georgia boy through and through, he was raised on his family's farm and later attended Birdwood Community College where he earned an AA degree and later attended the University of Georgia. Terry moved to Florida at the age of 21 to work with his brothers in the hotel business and with an entrepreneurial heart, became a joint owner of Green Acres Country Store and Hog Valley Country Store. With opportunity knocking, he became a sales rep for RJ Reynolds and in 1996, Terry started working for Clardy Oil where he had several duties including Sales Account Manager. His passions included golfing, building rocking chairs, renovating his home in Weirsdale, camping, visiting the mountains, hiking, and University of Georgia football. His community involvement included, but was not limited to, Cubmaster for Den #72 and Scout Leader for Troop #72 of Ocala, FL; as well as an active member and Elder of First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, FL. He was a warrior who never complained and seemed to touch the lives of everyone who met him on his journey. He loved beyond measure God, his family, friends, life, and dog Chloe. His infectious laugh will be sorely missed. He is survived by his wife, Darrel J. Hudson of Ocala, FL; son, Chase Hudson of Washington DC; daughter, Summer Hudson of Ocala, FL; brother, Gary (Irma) Hudson of Orlando, FL; brother, Billy (Terrie) Hudson of Belleview, FL; sister, Connie Hudson of Thomasville, GA; mother, Annie Ruth Hudson of Belleview, FL; several nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, James Gary Hudson and a sister, Patricia Griffin. A memorial service will be held at First Presbyterian Church, 511 SE Third Street, Ocala, FL, 34471 on Tuesday, June 19, 2012 at 5:30 p.m. A reception will follow at the church fellowship hall. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Kidney Cancer Association: [www.kidneycancer.org](http://www.kidneycancer.org) Online condolences may be sent to:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com)

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**JACKSON SR., ERNEST, 58**

Ocala - Ernest Jackson Sr., 58, passed away on June 7, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory, children, Ernest Jackson Jr., Melissa Jones (Frank), Madreka Jackson, Anita Butler (Ricky), Shayla Jackson, Shataqua Jackson and Joshua Jackson; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; sisters, Vernetta Jackson, Debra Wise, Sharon Jackson and Jacquelyn Jackson; brothers, Joseph Jackson, Randolph Jackson, Charles Jackson and Vincent Jackson; and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 3 p.m. on Saturday June 16, 2012 at Tabernacle of Deliverance Outreach Ministry, Rosella Brown, Pastor. Visitation will be from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. on Friday, June 15, 2012 at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade".

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**JOSEPH, QUEENIE, 51**

Ocklawaha - Ms. Joseph was born to the late David and Lilian Gadsden in Chambersburg, PA on November 27, 1960. She was raised in Immokalee, FL where she completed school in the Collier County Educational System. God called his Loving Angel home on Friday, June 8, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memories, one daughter, Shasta (Robert) Gadsden; one son, David (Cheryl)

Anderson; six grandchildren; two sisters: May Francis Chester and Mamie Bradford; one brother, David Gadsden, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Celebration will be held 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 16, 2012, at Macedonia Church of the Living God, 1610 Griffin Road, Leesburg, FL 34748; Dr. Juanita Smalley, Pastor. Visitation will be held Friday, June 15, 2012 from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. at Tony Tanner Funeral Services, 127 NW 20th Street, Ocala, FL 34475. "A Signature Service."

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**KIMBERLY, STELLA EUGENIA, 86**

Ocala - Stella Kimberly passed away at home June 12, 2012, with her loving family by her side. A homemaker and charter member of Ocala Springs Baptist Church, she was preceded in death by her husband, Edwynn Kimberly, in 1999. She is survived by daughter, Glenda (Hal) Hern; son, Edwynn "Eddie" (Janice) Kimberly, Houston, TX; four grandsons, Gary Hern and Mike Hern of Ocala; Jeffery (Mica) Kimberly and Brian (Jennifer) Kimberly, of Texas; and two great-granddaughters, Reagan and Sarah Kimberly. Visitation Friday, June 15, 6-8:00 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. Graveside Funeral Service will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, June 16, at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala.

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**NOELCKE, NORMA ROSE, 88**

Ocala - Norma Rose Noelcke, 88, of Ocala, passed away on June 1, 2012, at Hospice Brookside, Palm Harbor, FL. Born and raised in Cincinnati, OH, Norma was a 1941 graduate of Withrow High School. During World War II she assembled tail sections on P51 Mustang fighter aircraft while waiting for her husband to return from the war. Once home, they set about building their dream home and family in Potomac, MD. In the mid 60's she accomplished the extra-ordinary feat of moving her young family to Ethiopia for three years in support of her husband's career. In later years, she enjoyed RV traveling, quilting, sewing, gardening, and donating to charities. She was our family's last contributing member of the "Greatest Generation." She is survived by a sister, Doris Thomas; sons, Robert, Jr. and James; daughters, Jean Urban and Janice Garvue; eight grand and four great-grandchildren. Norma will be buried with her husband and daughter at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services.

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**OVERLY, FENTON G., 91**

Ocala - Mr. Fenton G. Overly, 91, passed away in Ocala, FL on June 3, 2012. He was born in Cleveland, OH on October 5, 1920. He retired from General Motors Corporation after 30 years. He was a US Army Air Corps Staff Sgt. Veteran. He was past chapter president of the local Alzheimer Assoc. He was a member of Countryside Presbyterian Church in Ocala, FL. He moved to this area in 1991 from Chattanooga, TN. Fenton is predeceased by his loving wife, Dorothy. Survivors include one son, Gary Overly (Deborah) of Southern Pines, NC; a daughter, Linda Peters (Jim) of Key Colony Beach, FL; and a stepdaughter, Joy Harter of Ocala, FL; a brother, Norris Overly; and a sister, Mary Lindsey. A memorial service will be held Friday, June 15th at 11 a.m. at the Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Hwy #200. The family would appreciate donations to be made to the Countryside Church building fund. Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel West, (352)854-2266, made the arrangements. To leave condolences, [www.robertfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertfuneralhomes.com).

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**PERRY, SR., LORENDA, 73**

Belleview - Mr. Perry, also known as "Punch", was born on August 23, 1938 to the parents of Abraham Perry and Illinorse Adderley in Santos, FL. Mr. Perry completed a circle of life on Monday, June 11, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memories, two daughters: Helen Nunn (Theron) and Valerie Wise (William); five sons: Lorenda Perry, Jr., James Perry, Michael Perry, Abraham Perry, and Anthony Perry; twelve grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; one sister, Arthur Lee Crawford; one brother, Curtis Hardy; one sister-in-law, Ora Dee Adderley; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. A celebration of life will be held 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, June 16, 2012 at Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, 2701 73rd St., Ocala, FL 34480; Rev. D.J. Berry Pastor and Rev. James Brown officiating. Visitation will be held Friday, June 15, 2012 from 11:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. at Tony Tanner Funeral Services, 127 NW 20th Street, Ocala, FL 34475. "A Signature Service."

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**RIKER, ELEANOR H., 97**

Ocala - "Miss Ellie", as she was known to her friends, died peacefully in her home in Oak Run on June 11, 2012. She was born in Georgetown, Washington, DC in 1914. She moved to Media, PA with her late husband, Clifford G. Harriz. Miss Ellie married the late Andrew L. Riker, III and moved to Ocala, FL in 1989. She was an avid reader, loved the theatre, and acted in many shows in the Oak Run Little Theatre. She was a poet, a singer, and loved to dance. She bowled on the Oak Run league until she was 94. She had 5 children; The late Donald G. Harriz, James W. Harriz of Avondale, PA, John M. Harriz of Media, PA, Maggee P. Harriz, and Betzy Bond-Duffy, both of Ocala, FL. She was an only child and was so proud of her family of 5 children, 3 step daughters, 9 grandchildren, 11 step grandchildren, 19 great grandchildren, 14 step great grandchildren, and 1 great great grandson. Miss Ellie will be laid to rest at the Edgewood Memorial Park in Glen Mills, PA. Memorial contributions may be given at Hospice of Marion County, Inc., 3231 Southwest 34th Avenue Ocala, FL 34474, or a charity of choice . Condolences may be expressed at [Hiers-Baxley.com](http://Hiers-Baxley.com).

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**ROWELL, THOMAS McCREDIE "THOM", 62**

Long Beach, CA - Thomas McCredie (Thom) Rowell, age 62, died of pancreatic cancer on May 17, 2012 at his home in Long Beach, CA. Thom was born March 23, 1950 at Monroe Memorial Hospital in Ocala, FL, to E. M. (Bo) Rowell and Dollie (Dot) Elston Guess Rowell, of Ocklawaha, FL. Thom was a graduate of Lake Weir High School. He received a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration with an emphasis in Hotel and Restaurant Management from Florida State University. While in Tallahassee, he was elected Master Councilor of DeMolay. After graduation, he was employed by Magic Pan and National Cash Register Co. His passion was boating. As a licensed Mariner and accomplished yachtsman, he delighted in cruising his Grand Banks Yacht, "Intrepid", along the California coast. He was an active member and former Commodore of the Horizon Yacht Club. He is survived by his partner of 16 years, Steve Hicke, of Long Beach, CA; brother, The Rev. E. Michael Rowell, and sister-in-law Amy; nephew, Charlie Rowell and partner, Joe Cox; niece, Margaret R. Good and husband, Richard. Thom was much beloved and is greatly missed by his family and friends. A

Service of Internment will be held at the Ocklawaha Community Cemetery, located on S.E. 122nd Place, Ocklawaha, FL, on Tuesday, June 19th at 10:30 AM. The Rev. Ted Koelln, of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church in Fruitland Park, will officiate. A memorial service was previously held on May 21, 2012, at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Long Beach, CA. Memorials may be made to Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 02201 Spring Lake Rd., Fruitland Park, FL 34731. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 14 to June 15, 2012

**SHANNIS, ESTELLE GAIL, 59**

Ocala - Estelle Gail Shannis, 59, of Ocala, passed away on June 10, 2012 at the Legacy House. She was born on May 2, 1953, in Camp LeJeune, NC to the late James George Shannis and the late Nadean Mary (Nanny) Shannis. She will be dearly missed by her partner of 8 1/2 years, Cindy Kerns; one son, Samuel Mac (Marlena) Bellamy, Jr. of Silver Springs; three daughters, Sandra Gail (Michael) Shetzline of Silver Springs, Stacy Nadean (Mark) Barnhart of Ocklawaha, Tracy Elizabeth Bellamy of Silver Springs; stepson Michael (Donna) Coyne, Jr. in Tennessee; stepdaughter, Jennifer (Brian) Clark of Dunnellon; a brother, George Oliver Shannis, Sr. of Silver Springs; two sisters, Nadean Jane McIntosh of Lake City, Bessie Ellen Shannis of Silver Springs; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild. A Celebration of Life service will be held on Tuesday, June 19, 2012 at 6 p.m at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society or to the Legacy Hospice House. Forest Lawn Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements.

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**WOODALL, ELLEN VAN AMBER, 83**

Marietta, GA and Ocala, FL - Ellen (Van Amber) Woodall, 83, beloved wife and mother, was called to her home in heaven to be with her Savior, whom she loved and served, on June 8, 2012. Ellen was born on May 5, 1929, in Syracuse, NY, the daughter of Wesley & Dorothy Van Amber. She lived in the Syracuse area until 1964, when she married Richard B. Woodall, (deceased) and moved to Ogunquit, Maine. In 1976, Ellen and Dick moved to Willimantic, Maine, and for the past several years they spent summers in Maine and winters in Silver Springs, FL. Ellen and Dick were married for 46 years until he passed away on August 6, 2010. Ellen was on the Board of Directors at Mayo Regional Hospital in Dover-Foxcroft Maine for 13 years and was a volunteer for over 30 years. She was a member of the American Legion ladies' auxiliary and worked at many of the Shriners' events. Ellen loved singing, sewing, cooking, entertaining,

leather tooling, and gardening. She was active in the Willimantic Community Chapel, Willimantic, Maine and the Fellowship of God Church, Ocala, FL. She is survived by a son, Lawrence Lewis (Kathy) of FL; a daughter, Mary Tomlin, (Dale) of GA; a stepdaughter, Lisa Fellers, (Gary) of SC; four grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren. She is also survived by sisters, Bertha J. Van Amber and Marion Seymour of NY, and Sally Bliss, (Orbra) of IN. Memorial services will be held in Maine at the Willimantic Community Chapel. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to the House of One, Fellowship of God Church, P.O. Box 831313, Ocala, FL., 34483 or to the WillimanticCommunity Chapel, Willimantic, ME., 04443. For an online guest register, please visit:  
[www.crosbyneal.com](http://www.crosbyneal.com).

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 16, 2012**

#### **CARTER, SIDNEY ALLEN SR., 79**

Ocala - Sidney Allen Carter Sr., 79, a lifelong resident of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, June 13, 2012. He was born in Ocala to Thomas and Frances Carter and was a lifelong resident of Marion County. Sidney was a lifetime member of Elks Lodge #286 in Ocala, a Gator Booster for 37 years, and a veteran of the Navy. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and cooking. He is predeceased by his wife, Jean Carter, and his grandson, William Breen. Sidney is survived by his son, Sidney Carter Jr., (Jane), of Alabama; son, Stephen Carter Sr. (Shirley), of Sparr, FL; daughter, Lisa Bethea (Randal) of Ocala; daughter, Cheryl Breen (Bill), of Eureka, FL; brother, Thomas "Buddy" Carter, of Mt. Plymouth, FL; sister, Margaret Shaw, of Columbus, GA; nine grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. There will be a graveside service Friday, June 15 at 10 a.m. at GOOD SHEPHERD MEMORIAL GARDENS, 5050 SW 20TH ST. OCALA. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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#### **HOLDER, JANICE, 93**

Bellevue - Janice Holder, 93, of Bellevue, passed away at her residence on Wednesday, June 13, 2012. Mrs. Holder is a native of Azle, TX and moved to Bellevue from Holmes County, FL. in 1941. Mrs. Holder was a secretary. She enjoyed working in her yard, knitting, and sewing. Mrs. Holder loved spending time with her family and reading the Bible. She also enjoyed listening to and singing hymns. Mrs. Holder is survived by her sons, Larry (Susan) of Murphy, NC., Lamar (Cliffette) of Bellevue, and Daniel (Mary Lee) of Hendersonville, NC.; brother, Weldon Dodson of Vero Beach, 14 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, June 19, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Bellevue, with Lamar Holder and Ken Dinkins officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice or Gideons. Online condolences may be left at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Bellevue.

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#### **HUDSON, TERRY V., 56**

Ocala - Terry V. Hudson, age 56, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, June 12, 2012 after a long nine year battle with cancer. He was born in Pelham, GA on April 17, 1956. A Georgia boy

through and through, he was raised on his family's farm and later attended Birdwood Community College where he earned an AA degree and later attended the University of Georgia. Terry moved to Florida at the age of 21 to work with his brothers in the hotel business and with an entrepreneurial heart, became a joint owner of Green Acres Country Store and Hog Valley Country Store. With opportunity knocking, he became a sales rep for RJ Reynolds and in 1996, Terry started working for Clardy Oil where he had several duties including Sales Account Manager. His passions included golfing, building rocking chairs, renovating his home in Weirsdale, camping, visiting the mountains, hiking, and University of Georgia football. His community involvement included, but was not limited to, Cubmaster for Den #72 and Scout Leader for Troop #72 of Ocala, FL; as well as an active member and Elder of First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, FL. He was a warrior who never complained and seemed to touch the lives of everyone who met him on his journey. He loved beyond measure God, his family, friends, life, and dog Chloe. His infectious laugh will be sorely missed. He is survived by his wife, Darrel J. Hudson of Ocala, FL; son, Chase Hudson of Washington DC; daughter, Summer Hudson of Ocala, FL; brother, Gary (Irma) Hudson of Orlando, FL; brother, Billy (Terrie) Hudson of Belleview, FL; sister, Connie Hudson of Thomasville, GA; mother, Annie Ruth Hudson of Belleview, FL; several nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, James Gary Hudson and a sister, Patricia Griffin. A memorial service will be held at First Presbyterian Church, 511 SE Third Street, Ocala, FL, 34471 on Tuesday, June 19, 2012 at 5:30 p.m. A reception will follow at the church fellowship hall. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Kidney Cancer Association: [www.kidneycancer.org](http://www.kidneycancer.org) Online condolences may be sent to:

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### **KIMBERLY, STELLA EUGENIA, 86**

Ocala - Stella Kimberly passed away at home June 12, 2012, with her loving family by her side. A homemaker and charter member of Ocala Springs Baptist Church, she was preceded in death by her husband, Edwynn Kimberly, in 1999. She is survived by daughter, Glenda (Hal) Hern; son, Edwynn "Eddie" (Janice) Kimberly, Houston, TX; four grandsons, Gary Hern and Mike Hern of Ocala; Jeffery (Mica) Kimberly and Brian (Jennifer) Kimberly, of Texas; and two great-granddaughters, Reagan and Sarah Kimberly. Visitation Friday, June 15, 6-8:00 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. Graveside Funeral Service will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, June 16, at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala.

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### **KNIGHTON, MILDRED, 90**

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**WOODALL, ELLEN VAN AMBER, 83**

Marietta, GA and Ocala, FL - Ellen (Van Amber) Woodall, 83, beloved wife and mother, was called to her home in heaven to be with her Savior, whom she loved and served, on June 8, 2012. Ellen was born on May 5, 1929, in Syracuse, NY, the daughter of Wesley & Dorothy Van Amber. She lived in the Syracuse area until 1964, when she married Richard B. Woodall, (deceased) and moved to Ogunquit, Maine. In 1976, Ellen and Dick moved to Willimantic, Maine, and for the past several years they spent summers in Maine and winters in Silver Springs, FL. Ellen and Dick were married for 46 years until he passed away on August 6, 2010. Ellen was on the Board of Directors at Mayo Regional Hospital in Dover-Foxcroft Maine for 13 years and was a volunteer for over 30 years. She was a member of the American Legion ladies' auxiliary and worked at many of the Shriners' events. Ellen loved singing, sewing, cooking, entertaining, leather tooling, and gardening. She was active in the Willimantic Community Chapel, Willimantic, Maine and the Fellowship of God Church, Ocala, FL. She is survived by a son, Lawrence Lewis (Kathy) of FL; a daughter, Mary Tomlin, (Dale) of GA; a stepdaughter, Lisa Fellers, (Gary) of SC; four grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren. She is also survived by sisters, Bertha J. Van Amber and Marion Seymour of NY, and Sally Bliss, (Orbra) of IN. Memorial services will be held in Maine at the Willimantic Community Chapel. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to the House of One, Fellowship of God Church, P.O. Box 831313, Ocala, FL., 34483 or to the WillimanticCommunity Chapel, Willimantic, ME., 04443. For an online guest register, please visit: [www.crosbyneal.com](http://www.crosbyneal.com).

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 17, 2012**

### **ADAMS, KATHLEEN A.**

Ocala- Kathleen A. Adams, beloved wife and mother, was called to her home in heaven, to be with her savior, for whom she loved and served, on June 14, 2012. Kathy was born August 26, 1957 and is survived by her mother, Jean Stauffer of NV, husband, Rob Adams of Ocala, son, Charles Huxoll of Ocala, two daughters, Laura Riggs of Ocala, and Jennifer Biskin of PA, two sisters Robin Villers of MA, and Brenda Copland of NC, brother Kenny Willoughby of NC, and two grandson's Xander and Connor Kurthy. There will be a celebration of life for family and friends at Carlton Arms Clubhouse on Monday, June 18, 2012 at 6:00 PM. We will miss you dearly, and we love you very much. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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Mrs. Jacqueline Arrowsmith, 89, passed away in Ocala, FL on June 14, 2012. She was born in Miami, FL on February 27, 1923. She was a retired Marine Biology Teacher. She moved to this area in 1994 from Hobe Sound, FL. She was an avid bird watcher. She is survived by her loving husband Ronald of 51 years. She has a son the Honorable Terrance Boyle of Edenton, NC. Three grandchildren: Tom, Ellis and Anna also three great-grandchildren. A gathering of friends will take place at the Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 SW SR# 200 in Ocala (352) 854-2266 on Tuesday June 19th from 1-2PM with a funeral service to follow at 2PM. To leave condolences: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**HOLDER, JANICE, 93**

Bellevue - Janice Holder, 93, of Bellevue, passed away at her residence on Wednesday, June 13, 2012. Mrs. Holder is a native of Azle, TX and moved to Bellevue from Holmes County, FL. in 1941. Mrs. Holder was a secretary. She enjoyed working in her yard, knitting, and sewing. Mrs. Holder loved spending time with her family and reading the Bible. She also enjoyed listening to and singing hymns. Mrs. Holder is survived by her sons, Larry (Susan) of Murphy, NC., Lamar (Cliffette) of Bellevue, and Daniel (Mary Lee) of Hendersonville, NC.; brother, Weldon Dodson of Vero Beach, 14 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, June 19, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Bellevue, with Lamar Holder and Ken Dinkins officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice or Gideons. Online condolences may be left at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Bellevue.

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#### **ACKERMAN, PHILIP, 96**

Salt Springs - Philip W. Ackerman of Lake Kerr, Florida, passed away quietly at Tuscan Hospice House in The Villages, June 14, 2012. Born in 1915, in an orange grove on the Braden River, which is now downtown Bradenton, FL, he moved to boom town Miami at the age of 5. Phil and his family survived the collapse of his house during the great 1926 hurricane. He worked his way through the University of Miami, and graduated with a degree in Physics in 1941. In WWII, the Army Air Corps sent him to MIT to study meteorology and posted him to weather stations in Africa, the Middle East, and India. After the war, he married Ruth Jackson and spent most of his career at the National Hurricane Center in Coral Gables. A man with a gift for living in beautiful places, he lived for more than 20 years on Buttonwood Bay in Key Largo and for the past 20 years, on a much loved island in Lake Kerr in the Ocala National Forest. He is survived by Ruth, his beloved wife of 65 years, who he acknowledged was the primary source of his long and happy life; also his son, Bryce, and daughter-in-law, Cathy Ackerman, of Ocala; son, Brandon, of Ocala; and son, Robert, of Gainesville. In addition, he enjoyed grandchildren, Kate Ackerman of St. Pete, Lauren Ackerman Perry and his namesake Philip B. Ackerman, both of Ocala. In lieu of a funeral, his family will have a celebration of his life in the near future.

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#### **ANTHONY, GEORGE RUFUS, 71**

Fort Payne, AL - Mr. George Rufus Anthony, 71, of Fort Payne, Alabama, passed after June 6, 2012, after a long battle with cancer. Mr. Anthony was born on April 13, 1941, and lived most of his life in Alabama. He moved with his family in 1970 to Ocala, FL from Birmingham and remained here until 1994. While residing in Ocala, Mr. Anthony worked for Uncle Roy's and Florida Power Corporation. He leaves behind to cherish his memory, his wife, Lois Veldhoff Anthony of Fort Payne; a son Charles (Joanie) Anthony of Fort Payne; a daughter, Theresa Renee (Brian) Wheeler of Ocala; grandchildren, Tyler and Kaelyn Anthony, Christopher Merrill, Forest and Chase Wheeler. The funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. June 20, 2012, at Burt

Chapel in Fort Payne, AL, with burial in Glenwood Cemetery.  
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**BRANCH, LORRAINE MARY, 82**

Ocala - Lorraine Mary Branch, 82, passed away June 16, 2012, at 3:55 p.m. at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL. Born in Queens, NY, Lorraine is survived by her husband of 54 years, Parker Branch, and her three children, Thomas Branch of Dallas, TX, Patrick Branch of Lee's Summit, MO, and Helene Branch of Ocala, FL. She is also survived by ten grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Lorraine was an Ocala resident for 28 years, and once worked as a Licensing Agent for the contractors of Marion County. She gave a lot back to the community as a volunteer at the local hospital and at Our Lady of the Springs Church. In addition, Lorraine was a Golden Trouper at the Ocala Civic Theater performing for audiences around town. She will be missed tremendously by her family and friends in the community. A Funeral Mass for Mrs. Branch will be held at 11 a.m., Tuesday, June 19, 2012, at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, with Father Andrew Mallick officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. until service time. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, is handling arrangements.

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**CHARLES, GRACIE, 89**

Ocala - Gracie Charles, 89, of Ocala, FL., passed away at her granddaughter's home in Port Richey, FL. Gracie was born in Varney, KY. and moved to Ocala in 1980 from Michigan after retiring from General Motors. She enjoyed puzzle books, quilting and having dinner parties with her family and friends. Gracie is preceded in death by her daughter, Ruby Charles, two sisters and sibrothers. She is survived by her daughters, Shirley Dixon and Judy Hanlon, both of Silver Springs, FL.; son, Tracy Charles of Redford, MI.; sisters, Ollie Hinkel of Oakwood, VA., Nancy McKinney of Silver Springs, FL., Mary Jones of Varney, KY., and Sue McCoy of Anthony, FL.; and nine grandchildren, numerous great-grandchildren and a host of great-great grandchildren. The family will be receiving friends at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. on Wed., June 20th, 2012, from 2 until 4 p.m., with her celebration of life service starting at 4 p.m., with the committal service after to follow at Citra Cemetery. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL., 352-622-4141.

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the family. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Cancer Society in memory of Robert. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL., 352-622-4141.

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**ACKERMAN, PHILIP, 96**

Salt Springs - Philip W. Ackerman of Lake Kerr, Florida, passed away quietly at Tuscan Hospice House in The Villages, June 14, 2012. Born in 1915, in an orange grove on the Braden River, which is now downtown Bradenton, FL, he moved to boom town Miami at the age of 5. Phil and his family survived the collapse of his house during the great 1926 hurricane. He worked his way through the University of Miami, and graduated with a degree in Physics in 1941. In WWII, the Army Air Corps sent him to MIT to study meteorology and posted him to weather stations in Africa, the Middle East, and India. After the war, he married Ruth Jackson and spent most of his career at the National Hurricane Center in Coral Gables. A man with a gift for living in beautiful places, he lived for more than 20 years on Buttonwood Bay in Key Largo and for the past 20 years, on a much loved island in Lake Kerr in the Ocala National Forest. He is survived by Ruth, his beloved wife of 65 years, who he acknowledged was the primary source of his long and happy life; also his son, Bryce, and daughter-in-law, Cathy Ackerman, of Ocala; son, Brandon, of Ocala; and son, Robert, of Gainesville. In addition, he enjoyed grandchildren, Kate Ackerman of St. Pete, Lauren Ackerman Perry and his namesake Philip B. Ackerman, both of Ocala. In lieu of a funeral, his family will have a celebration of his life in the near future.

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House. He was born in Jacksonville and was a retired meat distributor. He served his country in the U.S. Army during WWII. He is survived by his loving wife, Mina Alvarez of Ocala; his sons, Donald Alvarez, Jr. and Rickey Alvarez both of Ocala; and his sister, Marion Rosenberger of Gainesville. He was preceded in death by a son, Chris Alvarez. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, June 21st, 2012, at 10 a.m., at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. with Dr. Mark Cummins officiating. Visitation will be on Wednesday from 5 until 7 p.m. Burial will be in Highland Memorial Park.

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**ANTHONY, GEORGE RUFUS, 71**

Fort Payne, AL - Mr. George Rufus Anthony, 71, of Fort Payne, Alabama, passed after June 6, 2012, after a long battle with cancer. Mr. Anthony was born on April 13, 1941, and lived most of his life in Alabama. He moved with his family in 1970 to Ocala, FL from Birmingham and remained here until 1994. While residing in Ocala, Mr. Anthony worked for Uncle Roy's and Florida Power Corporation. He leaves behind to cherish his memory, his wife, Lois Veldhoff Anthony of Fort Payne; a son Charles (Joanie) Anthony of Fort Payne; a daughter, Theresa Renee (Brian) Wheeler of Ocala; grandchildren, Tyler and Kaelyn Anthony, Christopher Merrill, Forest and Chase Wheeler. The funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. June 20, 2012, at Burt Chapel in Fort Payne, AL, with burial in Glenwood Cemetery.

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**BRANCH, LORRAINE MARY, 82**

Ocala - Lorraine Mary Branch, 82, passed away June 16, 2012, at 3:55 p.m. at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL. Born in Queens, NY, Lorraine is survived by her husband of 54 years, Parker Branch, and her three children, Thomas Branch of Dallas, TX, Patrick Branch of Lee's Summit, MO, and Helene Branch of Ocala, FL. She is also survived by ten grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Lorraine was an Ocala resident for 28 years, and once worked as a Licensing Agent for the contractors of Marion County. She gave a lot back to the community as a volunteer at the local hospital and at Our Lady of the Springs Church. In addition, Lorraine was a Golden Trouper at the Ocala Civic Theater performing for audiences around town. She will be missed tremendously by her family and friends in the community. A Funeral Mass for Mrs. Branch will be held at 11 a.m., Tuesday, June 19, 2012, at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, with Father Andrew Mallick officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. until service time. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, is handling arrangements.

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**BURRELL, MARY "MOLLY" HARVEY BOLTON, 100**

Morrison - Mary "Molly" Harvey Bolton Burrell, 100, died at her home in Morrison, FL., June 14, 2012. She was born October 3, 1911, in Coconut Grove, FL. to the late Earl E. Harvey and Jane Comstock Harvey. Molly was preceded in death by her husband Troy E. Burrell, Sr. and two daughters, Neota Astling and Barbara Bussard. She moved to the Dunnellon area in 1962 from Hialeah, FL. to raise Santa Gertrudis cattle at the Diamond B Ranch. Molly leaves behind her eight children, Alex (Janet) Bolton, George (Mary) Bolton, Howard (Kay) Bolton, Camille (LeLon) Young, Diane Robbins, William (Mary Alice) Burrell, Robert Bolton, and Troy E. (Marianne) Burrell, Jr.; as well as 22 grandchildren; 31 great grandchildren; and 22 great-great

grandchildren. Visitation is Friday, June 22, 2012, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL 34432. A funeral service will be held Saturday, June 23, 2012 at 10 a.m. at the Romeo Baptist Church, Dunnellon. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Haven Hospice, 311 NE 9th St., Chiefland, FL. 32626 or to Romeo Baptist Church, 20545 SW 5th Pl., Dunnellon, FL. Condolences may be left at:

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### **HARPER, JOSEPH G., 83**

Ocala - Mr. Joseph G. Harper, age 83, transitioned from this life to his heavenly home on Sunday, June 17, 2012. He was born in Mechanicsville, Maryland on June 27, 1928. After working for the Postal Service for 35 years, Mr. Harper enjoyed his retirement. He leaves to cherish his memory, Helen J. Harper, devoted wife of 58 years; daughters, Pamela Harper Browning (Allen) and Veronica Harper Thomas; sons, Joseph S. Harper (Elizabeth) and Joel Harper (Sharon); nine grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and devoted friends. A Home Going Service for Joseph G. Harper will be held on Thursday, June 21,

2012, at the Church of the Advent, 11251 SW HWY 484, Dunnellon, FL 34432-6415, with a viewing at 9:30 a.m., followed by service at 10 a.m. Arrangements entrusted to Summers Funeral Home, Inc.

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**KISH, RUTH E. (COUGHENOUR), 87**

Dunnellon - Ruth E. (Coughenour) Kish, 87, died at her home in Dunnellon, June 16th, 2012. She was born in Elizabeth, PA. to Alfred and Ruth Coughenour and was preceded in death by her husband, John F. Kish; two sons, Craig and Bill Kish; a sister, Goldie Popko; and a brother, Carl Coughenour. Ruth leaves behind a brother, Raymond Coughenour of Elizabeth, PA.; six children, John R. Kish, Laurel, MD., Lynda Heron, Pittsburgh, PA., Gary and Jeff Kish, Dunnellon, Mark Kish, Ocala, and Susan Kish, Reddick; plus 13 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. Her funeral will be at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, Thursday, June 21st, 2012 at 11 a.m. with visitation at 10 a.m. On line condolences may be left at:

[www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com)

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**PETERSEN, ROBERT "PETE" W., 72**

Ocala - Robert "Pete" W. Petersen, 72, passed away suddenly on June 18, 2012, at his home. He was a retired U.S. Navy, CPO. He also was an avid member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ocala Forest #4216. Surviving him is his wife of 52 years, Dixie Petersen; daughter, Brenda (Jerry) David; and son, Mark (Deb) Petersen; two grandchildren, Joseph Bright and Katherine Bright, and his beloved dog Petee. A memorial service at Eagles #4216 will be announced at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be sent to the Ocala Forest Eagles #4216 for their charitable causes.

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**SHAW, DAVID J., 80**

Ocala - David J. Shaw, 80, formerly of East Longmeadow, MA, beloved husband and father, died at home in Ocala, FL, on Tuesday, June 12th, 2012. Born on October 26, 1931, in Matawan, NJ to James Henry and Johanna (Larkin) Shaw, he was a veteran of the Korean War and received an honorable discharge from the U.S. Navy. David was employed for many years by Airport Taxi of Windsor Locks, CT. After moving to Ocala, David continued to work as a security guard for Palm Cay. He was a Third Order Franciscan and an active member of Queen of Peace Church. He is survived by his wife, Maureen (Coughlin) Shaw of Ocala; five children, Ann Pacino, James Shaw, Marybeth Chichester, Erin Shaw, and Kerry Shaw-Baux; two grandchildren, Julia and Emily; two sisters, Katherine Tomasello and Joan Cross. He was predeceased by his brother, James Shaw in 2010. Services will be held June 21st, at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Church, 6455 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34476. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue; or online at:

[www.hospiceofmarion.com](http://www.hospiceofmarion.com)

or Queen of Peace Church.

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**SPENCER, MYRA BASS**

Ocala - Myra Bass Spencer passed away peacefully on June 15, 2012, with her family near. Myra was born on January 27, 1925, in Trenton, FL. and was the daughter of John and Rachel Bass. She lived in Ocala over 60 years with her husband and best friend, Harold, and is survived by her daughters, Sandra Spencer Huey and Janice Spencer Aylward; son, Kenneth Spencer; five grandsons, two great-granddaughters and one great-grandson. She loved caring for her family and friends, especially by cooking and baking for them. After her love for her family came her love for ballroom dancing. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala for over 60 years and was involved in the real estate community for many years. Visitation will be held from 5 until 7 p.m. on June 22, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala (352-629-7171). A memorial service will be held at 9:30 a.m., on June 23, 2012 at the First Presbyterian Church, 511 SE 3rd Street, Ocala (352-629-7561) followed by a Committal Ceremony at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala (352-369-1020). In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478 (352-873-7400).

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**VAN DEVENDER, EMMA JEAN**

Ocala - Surrounded by her loving family, Emma Jean Van Devender passed away on June 16, 2012. Born on September 14, 1930, Emma was the oldest daughter of six children of Harry and Blanche Cooke of Jesse, West Virginia. Joining her parents, she is reunited in heaven with her husband of 52 years, Paul H. Van Devender. Emma married Paul on March 20, 1956 in Charleston, W.V., and was married for 52 years until his passing on August 19, 2008. Prior to moving to Florida In 1999, Emma was a resident of East Palestine, Ohio and was a member of Chapter #381 OES (Eastern Star). She currently is a member of First Congregational Church, of Ocala. Her family was her true joy. She had two daughters, Mary Ann (married Philip Cole), and Sheila Hull of Ocala, FL.; and a son, Paul A. (married Julie Costantini) Van Devender, of Canfield, OH; five grandsons, Christopher and Shannon Cole, Anthony Ferris, Ryan and Aiden Van Devender; four granddaughters, Megan Scott, Ashley Kovacs, Nichole and Olivia Van Devender; six great-grandchildren, Haden, Paris, Alyssa, Addison, Morgan and Scarlett. Her family will hold a memorial service at a future date. Condolences may be sent to the family c/o Roberts Funeral Home, 6241 Southwest SR 200, Ocala, FL., 34476. The family wishes to extend a special thank you to the entire staff of TimberRidge Nursing Center for the excellent care provided to Emma. Memorial contributions may be made to Interfaith Emergency Services or ARC of Ocala are welcomed and appreciated. Arrangements are entrusted to Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266. To leave condolences: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**WHITE, LESLEY ANN, 59**

Ocala - Lesley Ann White, loving wife, mother and friend, passed away at home on June 17, 2012. Born in Rockport, TX, she lived in Ocala most all her life and graduated from Vanguard High School. She is survived by her husband, Wayne White; sons, Jason Thomas (Anne) White and Douglas Taylor (Nancy) White, of Ocala; grandchildren, Grace and William "Will"; mother, Claudine Thomas, Ocala; brother, Clinton Thomas, Green Cove Springs; sisters, Tracy Nuetzi, Gainesville; and Melanie Hickman, Moultrie, GA. Visitation will be from 6 until 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 21st, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony. Graveside Service will be 10 a.m., Friday, June 22nd, at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th Street, Ocala.

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**BARBER, HEDWIG (HEDY)**

Citra - Mrs. Hedwig (Hedy) Barber, 77, of Citra, died Tuesday, June 19, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Munich, Germany, Mrs. Barber moved to Citra in 2002, moving here from Chicago, IL. She was of the Baptist faith. Survivors include her daughter, Debra (Joe) Smith; sons, Fred (Susie) Lambert, Donald (Kimberly) Lambert, and Perry (Grace) Lambert; three sisters; five brothers; and she was loved by numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husbands, SFC Donald S. Lambert, Sr., Michael Coyne, and Leon H. Barber. Funeral services for Mrs. Barber will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, June 22, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. until service time.

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### **HAGINS, ETHEL, 63**

Ocala - Ethel Hagins, 63, passed away on Sunday, June 17, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, a loving husband, James Hagins, Sr.; daughters, Angela Limehouse (Timothy), Janice Limehouse, Sharlene Mosley (Kendell) and Darlene Hagins (Gary); son, Terry Limehouse, Sr. (Angela): 11 stepchildren; 13 grandchildren; one great-grandson; sisters, Shirley Japal (Frederick), Maggie Hagins (Leroy), Martha Peace and Mary Collins (Jewel); brothers, Tom Washington (Tina) and Gary Washington; special friend, Carolyn Green; and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 23, 2012 at New Salem Primitive Baptist Church, Tampa, FL. Wake will be from 5 until 9 p.m. on Friday, June 22, 2012 at Wilson Funeral Home, Tampa, FL. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, Ocala, FL.

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### **HAMILTON, JEFFIE L., 103**

Weirsdale - Jeffie L. Hamilton departed this life on June 16, 2012. She was born June 22, 1908, to Jessie & Beulah Caldwell in Tift County, Georgia. In 1955, she and her husband, Artie, moved to St. Petersburg, FL and resided until his passing. She moved to Weirsdale in 1990 to live with her youngest son, Robert. A public viewing will be held on Friday, June 22, 2012 from 5 until 7 p.m. at Holy Band Inspiration Church, 1019 NW 10th ST, Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 23, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the church. Bishops John and Lillie Hanks, eulogists; Pastor Leon L. Thomas, Sr., officiating. Interment will be at Weirsdale Community Cemetery. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs., Inc. 352/563-1394 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 21 to June 22, 2012

### **HARPER, JOSEPH G., 83**

Ocala - Mr. Joseph G. Harper, age 83, transitioned from this life to his heavenly home on Sunday, June 17, 2012. He was born in Mechanicsville, Maryland on June 27, 1928. After working for the Postal Service for 35 years, Mr. Harper enjoyed his retirement. He leaves to cherish his memory, Helen J. Harper, devoted wife of 58 years; daughters, Pamela Harper Browning (Allen) and Veronica Harper Thomas; sons, Joseph S. Harper (Elizabeth) and Joel Harper (Sharon); nine grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and devoted friends. A Home Going Service for Joseph G. Harper will be held on Thursday, June 21, 2012, at the Church of the Advent, 11251 SW HWY 484, Dunnellon, FL 34432-6415, with a viewing at 9:30 a.m., followed by service at 10 a.m. Arrangements entrusted to Summers Funeral Home, Inc.

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**KISH, RUTH E. (COUGHENOUR), 87**

Dunnellon - Ruth E. (Coughenour) Kish, 87, died at her home in Dunnellon, June 16th, 2012. She was born in Elizabeth, PA. to Alfred and Ruth Coughenour and was preceded in death by her husband, John F. Kish; two sons, Craig and Bill Kish; a sister, Goldie Popko; and a brother, Carl Coughenour. Ruth leaves behind a brother, Raymond Coughenour of Elizabeth, PA.; six children, John R. Kish, Laurel, MD., Lynda Heron, Pittsburgh, PA., Gary and Jeff Kish, Dunnellon, Mark Kish, Ocala, and Susan Kish, Reddick; plus 13 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. Her funeral will be at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, Thursday, June 21st, 2012 at 11 a.m. with visitation at 10 a.m. On line condolences may be left at:

www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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**MERKISON, EVA L., 96**

Ocala - Eva Lee Merkison, 96, retired house parent, passed away Friday, June 15, 2012, at Sylvia's House Haven Hospice. A native of Cairo, GA, she moved to Ocala from Boyd, FL, in 1940. She was a member of Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, where she served as a, Deaconess, Member of Choir # 1, Mass choir member, Sunday school, and Pastor's Aide Committee. She was also a member of the Lily White Benefit Society, #17, and the Les Fideles Federated Womens Club. She was preceded in death by her granddaughter, Eva Marie Lofton. Those left to cherish her memory, daughter, Mary A. Lofton; son, Billie J. Merkison; grandson, Rev. Herbert Lofton all of Ocala, FL. and four Great -grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Merkison, will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 23, 2012 at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church 515 N.W. 6th Terrace Ocala, FL. Rev. Edward Bland, Pastor, Rev. Herbert Lofton eulogist. Burial will follow in Chestnut Cemetery under the care of Chestnut Funeral Home 18 N.W. 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL. Visitation is Saturday, June 23, 2012 at Greater Hopewell Baptist Church at 9 a.m. until the hour of service. The cortege will form at the Merkison family home, 1409 N.W. 12th Street at 10 :15 a.m. "A Chestnut Service"

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**PETERSEN, ROBERT "PETE" W., 72**

Ocala - Robert "Pete" W. Petersen, 72, passed away suddenly on June 18, 2012, at his home. He was a retired U.S. Navy, CPO. He also was an avid member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ocala Forest #4216. Surviving him is his wife of 52 years, Dixie Petersen; daughter, Brenda (Jerry) David; and son, Mark (Deb) Petersen; two grandchildren, Joseph Bright and Katherine Bright, and his beloved dog Petee. A memorial service at Eagles #4216 will be announced at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be sent to the Ocala Forest Eagles #4216 for their charitable causes.

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**RAWLS, CLEO PEARL, 78**

Ocala - Cleo Pearl Rawls, 78, passed away on Friday, June 15, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, a loving husband, Jake Rawls Jr.; daughters, Patricia Jenkins (Larry) and Revoydia



Rawls-Snowden (Elton); sons, Jake Rawls III (Jennifer) and Blake Rawls (Rhonda); stepson, Dr. Ernest Johnson Jr.; 14 grandchildren; 4 great-grandchildren; special niece, Pia Vondurant (Nimon); special nephews, Juantus Whited and SaNaa Whited; sisters, Anita Abrams, Armentha Ray and Audrey Galimore; and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. on Friday, June 22, 2012 at Mt. Canaan M.B. Church, Rev. Jerone Gamble, Pastor. Visitation will be from 6 until 8 p.m. on Thursday, June 21, 2012 at Mt. Canaan M.B. Church. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, "Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade".

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### **SHAW, DAVID J., 80**

Ocala - David J. Shaw, 80, formerly of East Longmeadow, MA, beloved husband and father, died at home in Ocala, FL, on Tuesday, June 12th, 2012. Born on October 26, 1931, in Matawan, NJ to James Henry and Johanna (Larkin) Shaw, he was a veteran of the Korean War and received an honorable discharge from the U.S. Navy. David was employed for many years by Airport Taxi of Windsor Locks, CT. After moving to Ocala, David continued to work as a security guard for Palm Cay. He was a Third Order Franciscan and an active member of Queen of Peace Church. He is survived by his wife, Maureen (Coughlin) Shaw of Ocala; five children, Ann Pacino, James Shaw, Marybeth Chichester, Erin Shaw, and Kerry Shaw-Baux; two grandchildren, Julia and Emily; two sisters, Katherine Tomasello and Joan Cross. He was predeceased by his brother, James Shaw in 2010. Services will be held June 21st, at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Church, 6455 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34476. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue; or online at:

[www.hospiceofmarion.com](http://www.hospiceofmarion.com)

or Queen of Peace Church.

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### **SNELL, PHILOTHEA "RITA", 99**

McIntosh - Philothea "Rita" Snell, 99, of McIntosh, FL, passed away on Tuesday, June 19, 2012 at her home. Rita was born in Marion Co., KS, and moved to this area in 1971. Rita was a retired teletype operator for the U.S. Government, a member of Christ the King Catholic Church in Citra, National Council of Catholic Women, Red Hat Society, Classy Lassie's, Emmaus Group, and a life member of the Ladies Aux Post # 8978. She is preceded in death by her husband, Harry Snell of 42 years; three brothers, Henry, Paul, Edmund Shramek; and sister, Philomene Sandwell. Rita is survived by her sister, Tillie Hein of Tampa, KS and many beloved nieces, nephews, and great nieces and nephews, and a host of friends. There will be a gathering at Christ the King Catholic Church from 9 until 10 a.m. on Friday June 22, 2012 with the funeral mass beginning at 10 a.m. All are welcome to attend. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Christ the King Catholic Church and Hospice of Marion Co. in memory of Rita. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. Ocala, FL, 352-622-4141.

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### **SPENCER, MYRA BASS**

Ocala - Myra Bass Spencer passed away peacefully on June 15, 2012, with her family near. Myra was born on January 27, 1925, in Trenton, FL. and was the daughter of John and Rachel Bass. She lived in Ocala over 60 years with her husband and best friend, Harold, and is survived

by her daughters, Sandra Spencer Huey and Janice Spencer Aylward; son, Kenneth Spencer; five grandsons, two great-granddaughters and one great-grandson. She loved caring for her family and friends, especially by cooking and baking for them. After her love for her family came her love for ballroom dancing. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala for over 60 years and was involved in the real estate community for many years. Visitation will be held from 5 until 7 p.m. on June 22, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala (352-629-7171). A memorial service will be held at 9:30 a.m., on June 23, 2012 at the First Presbyterian Church, 511 SE 3rd Street, Ocala (352-629-7561) followed by a Committal Ceremony at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala (352-369-1020). In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478 (352-873-7400).

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### **THOMPSON, CLIFFORD, 86**

Ocala - Clifford Thompson, 86, passed away on June 18, 2012. Visitation will be on Friday, June 22, 2012 at Bethel Baptist Church, Marion Oaks, FL. Funeral service will be held on Saturday, June 23, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Bethel Baptist Church, Rev. Delbert Thompson, pastor. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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### **VAN DEVENDER, EMMA JEAN**

Ocala - Surrounded by her loving family, Emma Jean Van Devender passed away on June 16, 2012. Born on September 14, 1930, Emma was the oldest daughter of six children of Harry and Blanche Cooke of Jesse, West Virginia. Joining her parents, she is reunited in heaven with her husband of 52 years, Paul H. Van Devender. Emma married Paul on March 20, 1956 in Charleston, W.V., and was married for 52 years until his passing on August 19, 2008. Prior to moving to Florida in 1999, Emma was a resident of East Palestine, Ohio and was a member of Chapter #381 OES (Eastern Star). She currently is a member of First Congregational Church, of Ocala. Her family was her true joy. She had two daughters, Mary Ann (married Philip Cole), and Sheila Hull of Ocala, FL.; and a son, Paul A. (married Julie Costantini) Van Devender, of Canfield, OH; five grandsons, Christopher and Shannon Cole, Anthony Ferris, Ryan and Aiden Van Devender; four granddaughters, Megan Scott, Ashley Kovacs, Nichole and Olivia Van Devender; six great-grandchildren, Haden, Paris, Alyssa, Addison, Morgan and Scarlett. Her family will hold a memorial service at a future date. Condolences may be sent to the family c/o Roberts Funeral Home, 6241 Southwest SR 200, Ocala, FL., 34476. The family wishes to extend a special thank you to the entire staff of TimberRidge Nursing Center for the excellent care provided to Emma. Memorial contributions may be made to Interfaith Emergency Services or ARC of Ocala are welcomed and appreciated. Arrangements are entrusted to Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266. To leave condolences:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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### **WEEKS, NORMA C., 57**

Ocala - Norma C. Weeks, 57, passed away Wednesday, June 13, 2012, at Shands Hospital at the

University of Florida. An Ocala native, she was a graduate of the University of Central Florida, and a member of Everlasting Word of Faith. She was a communication specialist with AT&T. She was preceded in death by three siblings, Robert German, Rosalind Curry, and Vanessa Leovis. Precious memories will live on in the hearts of her husband, Clifford Weeks, Jr., Ocala, FL; mother, Willie B. Curry, Ocala, FL; son, Jovan S. Weeks; two daughters, Kimberly T. Weeks, and Natalia Y. Weeks, all of Ocala, FL.; three brothers, William G. Lofton, Pastor Freddie H. Lofton, (Ruth) both of Ocala, FL., John Grayson, (Mary) Tallahassee, FL.; three sisters, Ollie Lofton, Orlando, FL., Uneka Curry, Chesapeake, VA, Kumyne Cross, (Errol) Virginia Beach, VA and six grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Weeks will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, June 23, 2012 at New Jerusalem Baptist Church 9010 S.W. 34th Place, Ocala, FL. Rev. Keith Blount, Pastor Dr. Fred Maeweather, Eulogist. Burial will follow in New Jerusalem Cemetery under the care of Chestnut Funeral Home 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation is Friday from 5 until 8 p.m. at The Theological Seminary, 1105 N.W. 4th Street Ocala, and on Saturday at the church one hour before the service. The cortege will form at the home of her mother, Mrs. Willie B. Curry, 2630 S.W. 80th Avenue at 10:15 a.m.

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#### **WELLEN, MARSHALL WILHELM, 52**

Ocala - Marshall Wilhelm Wellen, 52, passed away on Monday, June 18, 2012. He was born in Clearwater. A student at Central Florida College who was a proud father, loved NASCAR racing and riding his bike. A true kid at heart who always had a wonderful smile that would brighten any ones day. He was Methodist and served his country in the U.S. Army, 82nd Airborne Division. He is survived by his mother, Sara Connell Arnette of Ocala, his daughters, Andrea Rose Wellen of Belleview and Audrey Ann Wellen of Ocala, his brothers, Louis Connell Wellen, Gregory Franklin Arnette, Christopher Anthony Arnette, and nieces, Lexi Delayne Wellen and Kendall Jade Wellen. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 23, 2012 at 11:00 AM at the First United Methodist Church of Ocala. Burial will be in Oakridge Cemetery in Inverness at 3:30 PM. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations to the Arnette House, 2310 NE 24th St., Ocala, FL 34479. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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#### **WHITE, LESLEY ANN, 59**

Ocala - Lesley Ann White, loving wife, mother and friend, passed away at home on June 17, 2012. Born in Rockport, TX, she lived in Ocala most all her life and graduated from Vanguard High School. She is survived by her husband, Wayne White; sons, Jason Thomas (Anne) White and Douglas Taylor (Nancy) White, of Ocala; grandchildren, Grace and William "Will"; mother, Claudine Thomas, Ocala; brother, Clinton Thomas, Green Cove Springs; sisters, Tracy Nuetzi, Gainesville; and Melanie Hickman, Moultrie, GA. Visitation will be from 6 until 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 21st, 2012 , at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony. Graveside Service will be 10 a.m., Friday, June 22nd, at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th Street, Ocala.

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**BARBER, HEDWIG (HEDY)**

Citra - Mrs. Hedwig (Hedy) Barber, 77, of Citra, died Tuesday, June 19, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of Munich, Germany, Mrs. Barber moved to Citra in 2002, moving here from Chicago, IL. She was of the Baptist faith. Survivors include her daughter, Debra (Joe) Smith; sons, Fred (Susie) Lambert, Donald (Kimberly) Lambert, and Perry (Grace) Lambert; three sisters; five brothers; and she was loved by numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husbands, SFC Donald S. Lambert, Sr., Michael Coyne, and Leon H. Barber. Funeral services for Mrs. Barber will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, June 22, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. until service time.

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**BARNETT, DEBORAH M.**

Ocala - Deborah M. Barnett went to be with the Lord on June 20, 2012, under the loving care of her family at Tuscany Hospice House. She was born in Leesburg, FL and worked at Ocala National Bank for 15 years. Deborah is survived by her loving husband, Tommy Barnett; her son, Chris Barnett and his wife, Jaime; her stepson, James Barnett and his wife, April; her father, John Miller and his wife, Connie (aka mom); two sisters, DaRonda Dansby and her husband, Gerald, Shawn Sherrill and her husband, Mike; sister-in-law, Terri Shaub and her husband, Bobby; three stepbrothers, Brian Williamson, Brent Williamson, Dwayne Coats; five grandchildren, Carly , Drake , Fisher, Dustin and Madison Barnett; one uncle; five aunts; seven nephews; two nieces; and twelve cousins. Deborah was preceded in death by her mother, Patricia Ann Willis. Family visitation will be Sunday from 1 p.m. until 3 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Graveside services will be on Sunday, June 24, 2012 at 4 p.m. at Anthony Cemetery. Deborah will be remembered by those she loved for her giving, encouraging nature and her all-encompassing love. She will be missed until we see her again.

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**BIER, RANDALL S., 54**

Silver Springs - Randall S. Bier, age 54, known to most as Randy, died suddenly on June 18, 2012, in Valdosta, Georgia while working for C & W Global Trucking. Randy was born in Ripon, Wisconsin on September 25, 1957, where he attended Ripon schools. On July 19, 1985, he was united in marriage to Connie S. Gwinn in Austin, Texas. He and Connie moved to Silver Springs, Florida in September of 2011. Randy had been a truck driver for the past 18 years. He loved NASCAR with his favorite driver being Tony Stewart. He enjoyed playing cards, bowling, and watching football and other sports. Randy was also very close to his two Shi Tzu dogs (Bosley and Carli Sue). He was loved by many of his friends and family. His very down-to-earth sense of humor will be so terribly missed by all who had the pleasure to know him. Surviving him is his wife, Connie; father-in-law, Nathaniel Gwinn of Ocala, FL; sister-in-law, Bonnie (Tommy) Boss of Kewanee, IL; daughters, Tonya Blazer, Tiphonie (Todd) Van Wassenhove, and Candi (Kasey) Hamilton; twelve grandchildren, Brandon, Alyssa, Dakota, Taylor, Lyndsie, Kaylee, Tyler, Courtney, McKenzie, Miranda, Bree Ann, Kasey Jr., and one great-granddaughter, Adrianna, all residing in the Quad-Cities of Illinois. He is also survived by two brothers, Doug (Mary) Bier and Dennis (Sherry) Bier; and a sister, Rita Miller. He was preceded

in death by his mother, Florence H. Hock; father, Arnold H. Bier; stepfather, Edward Hock, and mother-in-law, Ruth Gwinn. Funeral services will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Chapel, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470 on Saturday, June 23, 2012. There will be a viewing at 2 p.m. with a service beginning at 3 p.m. Memorial donations may be sent to the donor's choice in memory of Randy.

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### **GALLIGAN, GEORGE FRANCIS, SR., 73**

Ocala - George Francis Galligan, Sr. 73, of Ocala, FL went to Heaven from Ocala, FL on Wednesday, June 20, 2012. Born in Troy, NY on September 27, 1938, son to the late Joseph and Margaret (Spiers) Galligan, Sr., he moved to Ocala in 1988 after having moved among many states throughout his career. George was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, having served 24 years, retiring as a Chief Petty Officer (E-7) in 1980 at Tallahassee, FL. He then worked several years as a store manager. George was a lifetime member of the Angela Santos VFW Post 4781 of Ocala where he remained active. He so enjoyed the many hours with the horses and dogs who lived at the farm of his cherished friend, Polly. He was also preceded in death by his beloved wife of 39 years, Frances Meraide O'Neil Galligan in 2006, and his brother, Joseph Galligan, Jr. He is survived by his sisters, Margaret Rutolo (Carman) and Eleanor Elliston, both of Troy, NY; children, Christopher Galligan and his wife Melinda of TX, Margaret Galligan-Prater and her companion, DJ Prater of St. Augustine, FL, Eleanor Galligan of Ocala and George F. Galligan, Jr. and his wife, Tiffany of Albany, GA; grandchildren Sidney, Conner, Austin, Colin and Josie; and many other members of family and friends. A visitation will be held on Sunday, June 24th from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala followed by a Mass at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 Southeast 17th St., Ocala on Monday, June 25th at 10 a.m. Urn committal services will follow later in the week at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with full military honors by the Angela Santos VFW Post 4781 Honor Guard. Condolences may be expressed at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **HAGINS, ETHEL, 63**

Ocala - Ethel Hagins, 63, passed away on Sunday, June 17, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, a loving husband, James Hagins, Sr.; daughters, Angela Limehouse (Timothy), Janice Limehouse, Sharlene Mosley (Kendell) and Darlene Hagins (Gary); son, Terry Limehouse, Sr. (Angela): 11 stepchildren; 13 grandchildren; one great-grandson; sisters, Shirley Japal (Frederick), Maggie Hagins (Leroy), Martha Peace and Mary Collins (Jewel); brothers, Tom Washington (Tina) and Gary Washington; special friend, Carolyn Green; and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, June 23, 2012 at New Salem Primitive Baptist Church, Tampa, FL. Wake will be from 5 until 9 p.m. on Friday, June 22, 2012 at Wilson Funeral Home, Tampa, FL. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry, Ocala, FL.

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### **HAMILTON, JEFFIE L., 103**

Weirsdale - Jeffie L. Hamilton departed this life on June 16, 2012. She was born June 22, 1908, to Jessie & Beulah Caldwell in Tift County, Georgia. In 1955, she and her husband, Artie, moved to St. Petersburg, FL and resided until his passing. She moved to Weirsdale in 1990 to live with her youngest son, Robert. A public viewing will be held on Friday, June 22, 2012 from 5 until 7 p.m. at Holy Band Inspiration Church, 1019 NW 10th ST, Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 23, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the church. Bishops John and Lillie Hanks, eulogists; Pastor Leon L. Thomas, Sr., officiating. Interment will be at Weirsdale Community Cemetery. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs., Inc. 352/563-1394

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Citra, National Council of Catholic Women, Red Hat Society, Classy Lassie's, Emmaus Group, and a life member of the Ladies Aux Post # 8978. She is preceded in death by her husband, Harry Snell of 42 years; three brothers, Henry, Paul, Edmund Shramek; and sister, Philomene Sandwell. Rita is survived by her sister, Tillie Hein of Tampa, KS and many beloved nieces, nephews, and great nieces and nephews, and a host of friends. There will be a gathering at Christ the King Catholic Church from 9 until 10 a.m. on Friday June 22, 2012 with the funeral mass beginning at 10 a.m. All are welcome to attend. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Christ the King Catholic Church and Hospice of Marion Co. in memory of Rita. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. Ocala, FL, 352-622-4141.

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### **ST. GERMAIN, ESTELLE, 80**

Ocala - Estelle St. Germain passed away at Sylvia's House on June 15, 2012. Born in Woonsocket, Rhode Island, she moved to Ocala 15 years ago from Providence to live out her lifelong dream of living in Florida. She was a keypunch operator in the banking industry. Estelle was a brilliant woman with varied interests. She had no children of her own but had a profound impact on those around her. She shared her love of knitting, French crepes, animals and Volkswagen Beetles with us and we will always remember that. Preceded in death by sisters, Arlene Dextras and Lucille St. Germain; she is survived by her brother, Aldor St. Germain; nieces, Diane St. Germain, Jean Philip, Phyllis Menasha, Linda Raymond; and nephews, Michael St. Germain and Donald St. Germain. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Sylvia's House.

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### **SYLVESTER, DOROTHY V., 80**

Ocala - Mrs. Dorothy V. Sylvester, 80, passed away in Ocala, FL on June 20, 2012. She was born in Athens, AL on February 2, 1932. Dorothy retired from General Motors in 1992. She moved to this area in 1992 from Sandusky, OH. She was a member of the UAW #913 in Sandusky, OH; Joy Lutheran church Ocala, FL and was an active member of the Marion Landing Community. Dorothy is preceded in death by her loving husband, Joseph "Joey" Sylvester; her parents, Rufus and Katherine Norton Hargrove; and a brother, Clayton Hargrove. She is survived by her three daughters, Gloria Setzler (Michael) of Beaufort, SC; Pamela Martin (Rick) of Lancaster, PA and Kim Harpst (Scott) of Ocala, FL. One brother, Myron Hargrove (Gerry) of Crawfordsville, IN., a sister-in-law, Eleanor Hargrove of Ocala, FL; three grandchildren, Toni (Bryan) Swartz, Michael (Stephanie) Setzler and Travis Harpst. Three great-grandchildren, Michael Setzler Jr.; Chaning Swartz and Evan Swartz; also several nieces and nephews. A visitation will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 SW SR# 200 Ocala, FL, (352) 854-2266 on Saturday June 23rd from 12 until 2 p.m. with a funeral service to follow at 2 p.m. The family requests donations in Dorothy's name to Hospice of Marion County. To leave condolences:

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### **THOMPSON, CLIFFORD, 86**

Ocala - Clifford Thompson, 86, passed away on June 18, 2012. Visitation will be on Friday, June 22, 2012 at Bethel Baptist Church, Marion Oaks, FL. Funeral service will be held on Saturday,

June 23, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Bethel Baptist Church, Rev. Delbert Thompson, pastor. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

"Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade".

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**WEEKS, NORMA C., 57**

Ocala - Norma C. Weeks, 57, passed away Wednesday, June 13, 2012, at Shands Hospital at the University of Florida. An Ocala native, she was a graduate of the University of Central Florida, and a member of Everlasting Word of Faith. She was a communication specialist with AT&T. She was preceded in death by three siblings, Robert German, Rosalind Curry, and Vanessa Leovis. Precious memories will live on in the hearts of her husband, Clifford Weeks, Jr., Ocala, FL; mother, Willie B. Curry, Ocala, FL; son, Jovan S. Weeks; two daughters, Kimberly T. Weeks, and Natalia Y. Weeks, all of Ocala, FL.; three brothers, William G. Lofton, Pastor Freddie H. Lofton, (Ruth) both of Ocala, FL., John Grayson, (Mary) Tallahassee, FL.; three sisters, Ollie Lofton, Orlando, FL., Uneka Curry, Chesapeake, VA, Kumyne Cross, (Errol) Virginia Beach, VA and six grandchildren. Funeral services for Mrs. Weeks will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, June 23, 2012 at New Jerusalem Baptist Church 9010 S.W. 34th Place, Ocala, FL. Rev. Keith Blount, Pastor Dr. Fred Maeweather, Eulogist. Burial will follow in New Jerusalem Cemetery under the care of Chestnut Funeral Home 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation is Friday from 5 until 8 p.m. at The Theological Seminary, 1105 N.W. 4th Street Ocala, and on Saturday at the church one hour before the service. The cortege will form at the home of her mother, Mrs. Willie B. Curry, 2630 S.W. 80th Avenue at 10:15 a.m.

"A Chestnut Service"

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**WELLEN, MARSHALL WILHELM, 52**

Ocala - Marshall Wilhelm Wellen, 52, passed away on Monday, June 18, 2012. He was born in Clearwater. A student at Central Florida College who was a proud father, loved NASCAR racing and riding his bike. A true kid at heart who always had a wonderful smile that would brighten any ones day. He was Methodist and served his country in the U.S. Army, 82nd Airborne Division. He is survived by his mother, Sara Connell Arnette of Ocala, his daughters, Andrea Rose Wellen of Belleview and Audrey Ann Wellen of Ocala, his brothers, Louis Connell Wellen, Gregory Franklin Arnette, Christopher Anthony Arnette, and nieces, Lexi Delayne Wellen and Kendall Jade Wellen. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 23, 2012 at 11:00 AM at the First United Methodist Church of Ocala. Burial will be in Oakridge Cemetery in Inverness at 3:30 PM. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial donations to the Arnette House, 2310 NE 24th St., Ocala, FL 34479. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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**WITNEY, STEFFNE**

Leesburg - Steffne Witney passed away June 18, 2012, at an assisted living center in Leesburg. A native of Toledo, Ohio, she was a nurse at St. Vincents Hospital and a member of the Institute of Homeopathy. She loved to play the harmonica. Mrs. Witney was preceded in death by her husband, Robert. Survivors include three nieces, Diane Denis of Maumee, Ohio, Barbara Gzik,



of Columbia, South Carolina and Eroca Head, also of Columbia, South Carolina, and her friend of many years, Maria Neeley. A visitation will be held at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, located at 5740 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, from 2 until 4 p.m. Friday, June 22nd, 2012. Funeral Services will follow on Saturday at All Saints Chapel at 10 a.m., with Father Gualberto Pinto officiating. Committal services are at Lee Memorial Park, Lehigh Acres, Florida.  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 23, 2012**

#### **BAILEY, J. B., 89**

Ocala - James Byrnes (J.B.) Bailey, 89, passed away peacefully at his home on Wednesday, June 20, 2012, surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Monetta, SC and had been a resident of Ocala since 1946. He was a building contractor in Marion County for 50 years and served his country in the U.S. Army during WWII. He was a member of Ocala Springs Baptist Church and also of VFW Post No. 4209, where he had served as Post Chaplain. He is survived by his daughters, Diane Tucker (Donnie) and Ruth Ann Oakes (Allen) both of Ocala and Barbara Arrant (Mike) of Kissimmee; his son, Henry L. Bailey (Mary Lee) of Ocala; his sisters, Frances of Tinkerton, NC, Charlotte Pierson of Belleview and Connie Sperring Edwards of Marco Island; his brothers, Cecil Bailey of Ocala and Rev. Gary Bailey of Lecanto; his eight grandchildren and thirteen great- grandchildren. He was preceded in death on May 26, 2012, by his wife of 69 years, Emma Lee Bailey; a daughter, Cynthia Ann Bailey and a sister, Evetta Williams. Funeral services will be held on Monday, June 25, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be on Sunday from 2 until 4 p.m. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park with full military honors by VFW Post No. 4209. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Ocala Springs Baptist Church.

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#### **BARNETT, DEBORAH M.**

Ocala - Deborah M. Barnett went to be with the Lord on June 20, 2012, under the loving care of her family at Tuscan Hospice House. She was born in Leesburg, FL and worked at Ocala National Bank for 15 years. Deborah is survived by her loving husband, Tommy Barnett; her son, Chris Barnett and his wife, Jaime; her stepson, James Barnett and his wife, April; her father, John Miller and his wife, Connie (aka mom); two sisters, DaRonda Dansby and her husband, Gerald, Shawn Sherrill and her husband, Mike; sister-in-law, Terri Shaub and her husband, Bobby; three stepbrothers, Brian Williamson, Brent Williamson, Dwayne Coats; five grandchildren, Carly , Drake , Fisher, Dustin and Madison Barnett; one uncle; five aunts; seven nephews; two nieces; and twelve cousins. Deborah was preceded in death by her mother, Patricia Ann Willis. Family visitation will be Sunday from 1 p.m. until 3 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Graveside services will be on Sunday, June 24, 2012 at 4 p.m. at Anthony Cemetery. Deborah will be remembered by those she loved for her giving, encouraging nature and her all-encompassing love. She will be missed until we see her again.

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#### **BIER, RANDALL S., 54**

Silver Springs - Randall S. Bier, age 54, known to most as Randy, died suddenly on June 18,

2012, in Valdosta, Georgia while working for C & W Global Trucking. Randy was born in Ripon, Wisconsin on September 25, 1957, where he attended Ripon schools. On July 19, 1985, he was united in marriage to Connie S. Gwinn in Austin, Texas. He and Connie moved to Silver Springs, Florida in September of 2011. Randy had been a truck driver for the past 18 years. He loved NASCAR with his favorite driver being Tony Stewart. He enjoyed playing cards, bowling, and watching football and other sports. Randy was also very close to his two Shi Tzu dogs (Bosley and Carli Sue). He was loved by many of his friends and family. His very down-to-earth sense of humor will be so terribly missed by all who had the pleasure to know him. Surviving him is his wife, Connie; father-in-law, Nathaniel Gwinn of Ocala, FL; sister-in-law, Bonnie (Tommy) Boss of Kewanee, IL; daughters, Tonya Blazer, Tiphonie (Todd) Van Wassenhove, and Candi (Kasey) Hamilton; twelve grandchildren, Brandon, Alyssa, Dakota, Taylor, Lyndsie, Kaylee, Tyler, Courtney, McKenzie, Miranda, Bree Ann, Kasey Jr., and one great-granddaughter, Adrianna, all residing in the Quad-Cities of Illinois. He is also survived by two brothers, Doug (Mary) Bier and Dennis (Sherry) Bier; and a sister, Rita Miller. He was preceded in death by his mother, Florence H. Hock; father, Arnold H. Bier; stepfather, Edward Hock, and mother-in-law, Ruth Gwinn. Funeral services will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Chapel, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470 on Saturday, June 23, 2012. There will be a viewing at 2 p.m. with a service beginning at 3 p.m. Memorial donations may be sent to the donor's choice in memory of Randy.

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### **GALLIGAN, GEORGE FRANCIS, SR., 73**

Ocala - George Francis Galligan, Sr. 73, of Ocala, FL went to Heaven from Ocala, FL on Wednesday, June 20, 2012. Born in Troy, NY on September 27, 1938, son to the late Joseph and Margaret (Spiers) Galligan, Sr., he moved to Ocala in 1988 after having moved among many states throughout his career. George was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, having served 24 years, retiring as a Chief Petty Officer (E-7) in 1980 at Tallahassee, FL. He then worked several years as a store manager. George was a lifetime member of the Angela Santos VFW Post 4781 of Ocala where he remained active. He so enjoyed the many hours with the horses and dogs who lived at the farm of his cherished friend, Polly. He was also preceded in death by his beloved wife of 39 years, Frances Meraide O'Neil Galligan in 2006, and his brother, Joseph Galligan, Jr. He is survived by his sisters, Margaret Rutolo (Carman) and Eleanor Elliston, both of Troy, NY; children, Christopher Galligan and his wife Melinda of TX, Margaret Galligan-Prater and her companion, DJ Prater of St. Augustine, FL, Eleanor Galligan of Ocala and George F. Galligan, Jr. and his wife, Tiffany of Albany, GA; grandchildren Sidney, Conner, Austin, Colin and Josie; and many other members of family and friends. A visitation will be held on Sunday, June 24th from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala followed by a Mass at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 Southeast 17th St., Ocala on Monday, June 25th at 10 a.m. Urn committal services will follow later in the week at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with full military honors by the Angela Santos VFW Post 4781 Honor Guard. Condolences may be expressed at:

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**ST. GERMAIN, ESTELLE, 80**

Ocala - Estelle St. Germain passed away at Sylvia's House on June 15, 2012. Born in Woonsocket, Rhode Island, she moved to Ocala 15 years ago from Providence to live out her lifelong dream of living in Florida. She was a keypunch operator in the banking industry. Estelle was a brilliant woman with varied interests. She had no children of her own but had a profound impact on those around her. She shared her love of knitting, French crepes, animals and Volkswagen Beetles with us and we will always remember that. Preceded in death by sisters, Arlene Dextras and Lucille St. Germain; she is survived by her brother, Aldor St. Germain; nieces, Diane St. Germain, Jean Philip, Phyllis Menasha, Linda Raymond; and nephews, Michael St. Germain and Donald St. Germain. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Sylvia's House.

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#### **GAULT, FRANCES "FRAN", 57**

Ocala - Frances "Fran" Gault, 57, of Ocala, Florida, passed away peacefully on Sunday, June 17, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House following a brief illness. Fran was born February 28, 1955 in Hialeah, FL, the daughter of Ann Norris and the late Stanley Nowogrocki. She was the youngest of three siblings. She leaves behind her loving husband, Joe Gault; her sister, Phyllis Valadie; her brother, Michael Nowogrocki; stepchild, Michael J. Gault and his wife, Amanda, step-grandchildren Julia, Colin and Chase, along with numerous nieces and nephews. Fran was a successful business woman who owned and operated her own business for over twenty-five years. She joined the Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars in 1983 and was a devoted and active member. She served as Auxiliary President, District President and Department President; serving in each of the Chairs leading to the Presidency, along with Numerous Chairmanships. She was also an active member of the MOCA, the Honor degree of the VFW, working her way through the Chairs and serving as MOCA Grand President in 2011 - 2012. She loved the VFW National Home for Children in Eaton Rapids, Michigan and for the last fifteen years she traveled to the Home each year in December for Florida's Christmas festivities, working to ensure that the staff and the children at the Home had a Christmas filled with joy and happiness. Fran was a thoughtful, compassionate, fun-loving, generous and loving wife, step-mother, stepgrandmother, friend, sister and daughter who touched the lives of all who knew her. She will be fondly remembered and deeply missed. A memorial service will be held on Friday, June 29, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL

34481, (352) 873-4114 at 10 a.m. Following the service, there will be a Celebration of Life held at Angela S. Santos VFW Post 4781, 9401 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL (next door to the funeral home) where light refreshments will be served prior to leaving for Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, for a service which will take place at 2 p.m. All are welcome to return to Angel S. Santos VFW following the service at Bushnell for a continuation of Fran's Celebration of Life. One of Fran's Special Projects when she was Department President was the Department of Florida's Veteran's Service Office in St. Petersburg, Florida. Donations for the Service Office in honor of Fran are requested by the family. Checks should be made payable to the LAVFW, Department of Florida, earmarked "in memory of Fran" and sent to Joyce Rose, Department Treasurer, LAVFW Department of Florida, P.O. Box 773490, Ocala, Florida 32549. Condolences may be expressed at:

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### **GENTRY, ROBERT G., 89**

Dunnellon - Robert G. Gentry, 89, of Dunnellon, FL died on Wednesday, June 20, 2012 at his home under the loving care of his wife and Hospice of Marion County. Bob was born on January 14, 1923 in Lake Forest, IL, the son of Guy and Grace Gentry. He received his Doctorate in Education and was a retired Superintendent of Schools. Bob liked to swim and read, but was most passionate about his Bridge. He was a man that enjoyed his solitude. He moved to Marion County in 1984 from Berwyn, IL. Bob was a veteran having served in the U.S. Army. He was known to his children as "Bob the Builder". He was preceded in death by his first wife, Betty Eileen Gentry. Survivors include a son; Richard Clarkston Gentry (Karen) of Berwyn IL, daughters; Catherine Ghiandoni (Donald) of Cleveland Heights, OH, Cynthia Carmody (Patrick) of Glen Ellyn, IL, Christine Balzano (Frank) of Berwyn, IL, Caroline Gentry of Lyons, IL, Celia Donovan (Rich) of Brookfield, IL, eleven grandchildren, ten great-grandchildren, a sister-in-law; Peggy Gentry of West Lake, OH and his surviving wife; Iona Marie Gentry of Dunnellon, FL. A memorial service for Mr. Gentry will be held at 3 p.m., on Sunday, June 24, 2012, at The First Dunnellon Methodist Church, 21501 West Hwy. 40, Dunnellon, FL. Pastor Bob Weimert will preside. Heinz Funeral Home & Cremation, Inverness, FL.

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### **GLOMAN, IRV, 87**

Ocala - Irv Gloman, 87, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, June 12, 2012 in Ocala, FL. He was born in Wilkes-Barre, PA on June 16, 1924, where he spent his earlier years and later moved to Ocala from Ft. Wayne, IN in 1993. Irv was a WWII U.S. Navy Air Corps veteran. He received several citations including the Distinguished Flying Cross. After serving in the Navy, he went on to being a sales representative with the Penn Central Railroad for many years and later worked for several transportation and hardware companies. He was a member of the Board of Directors of Sheltering Arms in Ocala. Irv was a member of the Landing Lites Choral Group of Marion Landing and a member of the First Congregational (UCC) Church of Ocala, FL. Irv enjoyed singing, bowling and telling jokes. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 61 years, Joyce, in 2011. He is survived by his children, Nancy of Washington, D.C. and David (Katy Schneider) of Northampton, MA; grandchildren, Adam, Ryan, Austin, Amy, Olive, Mae and Ellis; and many great-grandchildren. A Memorial service will be held Saturday, July 14, 2012 at 10 a.m. at the First Congregational United Church of Christ of Ocala. Condolences may be

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**LLOYD, CHARLES RICHARD, 70**

Charles Richard Lloyd, 70, of Citra, passed away June 22, 2012. Born in Aberdeen, Washington, he came to this area over 40 years ago from his home state of Washington. He was the owner and operator of Marion Radiator for many years and enjoyed watching NASCAR. He is survived by his wife of 28 years, Kathyryne B. Lloyd; children, Jerad Lynn Lloyd and Marcella Mae Lloyd both of Missouri; stepdaughters, Melissa Johnson, Anne Gregory and Jamie Basham all of Citra, FL; stepsons, Eric and Tony Basham of Indiana; siblings Diane L. Stonaker, Wallace H. Lloyd and Virginia E. Simmons all of Florida and Donald A. Lloyd of Canada; 16 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Monday (June 25th) from 6-8PM. Funeral Services will be held at the Funeral Home on Tuesday (June 26th) at 1PM with interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478.

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**RHODES, DAVID A., 63**

David A. Rhodes, 63, passed away June 10, 2012. He was born in Tampa, FL but grew up in Ocala, FL where he attended Blessed Trinity and Ocala High schools. David proudly served in Vietnam and in the U.S. Marine Corps. He learned the profession of surveying from his father, Karl P. Rhodes, and worked as a surveyor most of his life. He loved his family, his country and hunting. He is survived by his loving wife of 26 years, Anne Rhodes; mother Virginia (James) Evans; sons Jarod (Christy) and Jason (Mendy) Rhodes; brother, Tom (Chris) Rhodes; sister, Deb (Rock) Gibboney; two grandchildren; and numerous nieces, nephews and their families. Services will be held at Jacksonville National Cemetery on Tuesday, June 26th 2012 at 11:00 AM for those who wish to attend. Please visit our online Tribute at [www.quinn-shalz.com](http://www.quinn-shalz.com). Services under the direction and care of Quinn-Shalz, A Family Funeral Home, Jacksonville Beach, FL.

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**WINDUS, NED OLIVER, 80**

Belleview - Ned Oliver Windus, 80, passed away on June 19th, 2012, at his home in Belleview, Florida after a lengthy illness. Mr. Windus was born July 21st, 1931 to Herbert A. and Mae E.

Corbin Windus in Mayville, New York. He leaves to cherish his memory, his loving wife of 37 years, Wendy L. Windus; two sons, Michael Ned Windus and Ricky Craig Windus (Phyllis) of Texas; a stepson, Steven Wade Osgood (Karen) of Texas; a stepdaughter, Martha Lou Osgood of New York; twelve grandchildren and five great grandchildren; two brothers, Donald Calvin Windus (Jean) of Wellsville, New York and Harold Allen Windus (Patricia) of Tocoa, Georgia; and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased in death by his most precious daughter, Connie Sue Windus; his stepson, Kristopher Lee Osgood; his brothers, John Herbert Windus and Robert Vincent Windus. Ned was a quiet, gentle man who befriended many and loved to help others. He loved to work with his hands and throughout his life built several of his own homes. He built many pieces of fine furniture, grandfather clocks, wall clocks, tables etc., and when he lost the use of his legs, he built beautiful pictures of inlaid wood and stained glass. He grew up on a dairy farm in Scio, New York and at an early age went to work for Sinclair and then Worthington in Wellsville, New York before moving to Pasadena, Texas in 1977. He worked as an Operator at Shell Oil in Deer Park, Texas for twenty years before retiring to Belleview, Florida in 2001. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. A memorial service will be held in his hometown of Scio, NY in August.

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#### **WRIGHT, XAVIER KINGSTON JAMES**

Ocala - Xavier Kingston James Wright, age 1 month, passed away on June 17, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He leaves to cherish his memory, his mother, Lisa Wright; father, Keyon Wright; sisters, Alexis, Xena, and Tiana Wright; grandparents, Sherri and Scott McCowan, Latricia Wright and Levertus Berry; aunts, Janice Wright, Hope Wright, and Latoya Wright; uncles, Antonio Faison, Albert Wright, and Chris Wright; great-grandparents, Nancy and James Warren, and Victoria Walker; and a host of other aunts, uncles, cousins, and sorrowing friends. Memorial service for Xavier Wright will be held at 4 pm on Monday, June 25, 2012, at Ramah M.B. Church, Inc., 10545 SE 58th Ave., Belleview, FL 34420; Reverend Melvin Cotton, Jr., Pastor. Arrangements entrusted to Brown Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Services, LLC 706 SW Martin Luther King Ave., Ocala, FL 34471.

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#### **BAILEY, J. B., 89**

Ocala - James Byrnes (J.B.) Bailey, 89, passed away peacefully at his home on Wednesday, June 20, 2012, surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Monetta, SC and had been a resident of Ocala since 1946. He was a building contractor in Marion County for 50 years and served his country in the U.S. Army during WWII. He was a member of Ocala Springs Baptist Church and also of VFW Post No. 4209, where he had served as Post Chaplain. He is survived by his daughters, Diane Tucker (Donnie) and Ruth Ann Oakes (Allen) both of Ocala and Barbara Arrant (Mike) of Kissimmee; his son, Henry L. Bailey (Mary Lee) of Ocala; his sisters, Frances of Tinkerton, NC, Charlotte Pierson of Belleview and Connie Sperring Edwards of Marco Island; his brothers, Cecil Bailey of Ocala and Rev. Gary Bailey of Lecanto; his eight grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death on May 26, 2012, by his wife of 69 years, Emma Lee Bailey; a daughter, Cynthia Ann Bailey and a sister, Evetta Williams. Funeral services will be held on Monday, June 25, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910

E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be on Sunday from 2 until 4 p.m. Interment will be in Highland Memorial Park with full military honors by VFW Post No. 4209. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Ocala Springs Baptist Church.

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**GAULT, FRANCES "FRAN", 57**

Ocala - Frances "Fran" Gault, 57, of Ocala, Florida, passed away peacefully on Sunday, June 17, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House following a brief illness. Fran was born February 28, 1955 in Hialeah, FL, the daughter of Ann Norris and the late Stanley Nowogrocki. She was the youngest of three siblings. She leaves behind her loving husband, Joe Gault; her sister, Phyllis Valadie; her brother, Michael Nowogrocki; stepchild, Michael J. Gault and his wife, Amanda, step-grandchildren Julia, Colin and Chase, along with numerous nieces and nephews. Fran was a successful business woman who owned and operated her own business for over twenty-five years. She joined the Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars in 1983 and was a devoted and active member. She served as Auxiliary President, District President and Department President; serving in each of the Chairs leading to the Presidency, along with Numerous Chairmanships. She was also an active member of the MOCA, the Honor degree of the VFW, working her way through the Chairs and serving as MOCA Grand President in 2011 - 2012. She loved the VFW National Home for Children in Eaton Rapids, Michigan and for the last fifteen years she traveled to the Home each year in December for Florida's Christmas festivities, working to ensure that the staff and the children at the Home had a Christmas filled with joy and happiness. Fran was a thoughtful, compassionate, fun-loving, generous and loving wife, step-mother, stepgrandmother, friend, sister and daughter who touched the lives of all who knew her. She will be fondly remembered and deeply missed. A memorial service will be held on Friday, June 29, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481, (352) 873-4114 at 10 a.m. Following the service, there will be a Celebration of Life held at Angela S. Santos VFW Post 4781, 9401 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL (next door to the funeral home) where light refreshments will be served prior to leaving for Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, for a service which will take place at 2 p.m. All are welcome to return to Angel S. Santos VFW following the service at Bushnell for a continuation of Fran's Celebration of Life. One of Fran's Special Projects when she was Department President was the Department of Florida's Veteran's Service Office in St. Petersburg, Florida. Donations for the Service Office in honor of Fran are requested by the family. Checks should be made payable to the LAVFW, Department of Florida, earmarked "in memory of Fran" and sent to Joyce Rose, Department Treasurer, LAVFW Department of Florida, P.O. Box 773490, Ocala, Florida 32549. Condolences may be expressed at:

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**GENTRY, ROBERT G., 89**

Dunnellon - Robert G. Gentry, 89, of Dunnellon, FL died on Wednesday, June 20, 2012 at his home under the loving care of his wife and Hospice of Marion County. Bob was born on January 14, 1923 in Lake Forest, IL, the son of Guy and Grace Gentry. He received his Doctorate in Education and was a retired Superintendent of Schools. Bob liked to swim and read, but was most passionate about his Bridge. He was a man that enjoyed his solitude. He moved to Marion County in 1984 from Berwyn, IL. Bob was a veteran having served in the U.S. Army. He was



known to his children as "Bob the Builder". He was preceded in death by his first wife, Betty Eileen Gentry. Survivors include a son; Richard Clarkston Gentry (Karen) of Berwyn IL, daughters; Catherine Ghiandoni (Donald) of Cleveland Heights, OH, Cynthia Carmody (Patrick) of Glen Ellyn, IL, Christine Balzano (Frank) of Berwyn, IL, Caroline Gentry of Lyons, IL, Celia Donovan (Rich) of Brookfield, IL, eleven grandchildren, ten great-grandchildren, a sister-in-law; Peggy Gentry of West Lake, OH and his surviving wife; Iona Marie Gentry of Dunnellon, FL. A memorial service for Mr. Gentry will be held at 3 p.m., on Sunday, June 24, 2012, at The First Dunnellon Methodist Church, 21501 West Hwy. 40, Dunnellon, FL. Pastor Bob Weimert will preside. Heinz Funeral Home & Cremation, Inverness, FL.

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### **GLOMAN, IRV, 87**

Ocala - Irv Gloman, 87, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, June 12, 2012 in Ocala, FL. He was born in Wilkes-Barre, PA on June 16, 1924, where he spent his earlier years and later moved to Ocala from Ft. Wayne, IN in 1993. Irv was a WWII U.S. Navy Air Corps veteran. He received several citations including the Distinguished Flying Cross. After serving in the Navy, he went on to being a sales representative with the Penn Central Railroad for many years and later worked for several transportation and hardware companies. He was a member of the Board of Directors of Sheltering Arms in Ocala. Irv was a member of the Landing Lites Choral Group of Marion Landing and a member of the First Congregational (UCC) Church of Ocala, FL. Irv enjoyed singing, bowling and telling jokes. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 61 years, Joyce, in 2011. He is survived by his children, Nancy of Washington, D.C. and David (Katy Schneider) of Northampton, MA; grandchildren, Adam, Ryan, Austin, Amy, Olive, Mae and Ellis; and many great-grandchildren. A Memorial service will be held Saturday, July 14, 2012 at 10 a.m. at the First Congregational United Church of Christ of Ocala. Condolences may be expressed at:

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### **LLOYD, CHARLES RICHARD, 70**

Charles Richard Lloyd, 70, of Citra, passed away June 22, 2012. Born in Aberdeen, Washington, he came to this area over 40 years ago from his home state of Washington. He was the owner and operator of Marion Radiator for many years and enjoyed watching NASCAR. He is survived by his wife of 28 years, Kathryne B. Lloyd; children, Jerad Lynn Lloyd and Marcella Mae Lloyd both of Missouri; stepdaughters, Melissa Johnson, Anne Gregory and Jamie Basham all of Citra, FL; stepsons, Eric and Tony Basham of Indiana; siblings Diane L. Stonaker, Wallace H. Lloyd and Virginia E. Simmons all of Florida and Donald A. Lloyd of Canada; 16 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Monday (June 25th) from 6-8PM. Funeral Services will be held at the Funeral Home on Tuesday (June 26th) at 1PM with interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478.

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### **RHODES, DAVID A., 63**

David A. Rhodes, 63, passed away June 10, 2012. He was born in Tampa, FL but grew up in

Ocala, FL where he attended Blessed Trinity and Ocala High schools. David proudly served in Vietnam and in the U.S. Marine Corps. He learned the profession of surveying from his father, Karl P. Rhodes, and worked as a surveyor most of his life. He loved his family, his country and hunting. He is survived by his loving wife of 26 years, Anne Rhodes; mother Virginia (James) Evans; sons Jarod (Christy) and Jason (Mendy) Rhodes; brother, Tom (Chris) Rhodes; sister, Deb (Rock) Gibboney; two grandchildren; and numerous nieces, nephews and their families. Services will be held at Jacksonville National Cemetery on Tuesday, June 26th 2012 at 11:00 AM for those who wish to attend. Please visit our online Tribute at [www.quinn-shalz.com](http://www.quinn-shalz.com). Services under the direction and care of Quinn-Shalz, A Family Funeral Home, Jacksonville Beach, FL.

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### **WINDUS, NED OLIVER, 80**

Bellevue - Ned Oliver Windus, 80, passed away on June 19th, 2012, at his home in Bellevue, Florida after a lengthy illness. Mr. Windus was born July 21st, 1931 to Herbert A. and Mae E. Corbin Windus in Mayville, New York. He leaves to cherish his memory, his loving wife of 37 years, Wendy L. Windus; two sons, Michael Ned Windus and Ricky Craig Windus (Phyllis) of Texas; a stepson, Steven Wade Osgood (Karen) of Texas; a stepdaughter, Martha Lou Osgood of New York; twelve grandchildren and five great grandchildren; two brothers, Donald Calvin Windus (Jean) of Wellsville, New York and Harold Allen Windus (Patricia) of Tocoa, Georgia; and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased in death by his most precious daughter, Connie Sue Windus; his stepson, Kristopher Lee Osgood; his brothers, John Herbert Windus and Robert Vincent Windus. Ned was a quiet, gentle man who befriended many and loved to help others. He loved to work with his hands and throughout his life built several of his own homes. He built many pieces of fine furniture, grandfather clocks, wall clocks, tables etc., and when he lost the use of his legs, he built beautiful pictures of inlaid wood and stained glass. He grew up on a dairy farm in Scio, New York and at an early age went to work for Sinclair and then Worthington in Wellsville, New York before moving to Pasadena, Texas in 1977. He worked as an Operator at Shell Oil in Deer Park, Texas for twenty years before retiring to Bellevue, Florida in 2001. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. A memorial service will be held in his hometown of Scio, NY in August.

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### **WRIGHT, XAVIER KINGSTON JAMES**

Ocala - Xavier Kingston James Wright, age 1 month, passed away on June 17, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He leaves to cherish his memory, his mother, Lisa Wright; father, Keyon Wright; sisters, Alexis, Xena, and Tiana Wright; grandparents, Sherri and Scott McCowan, Latricia Wright and Levertus Berry; aunts, Janice Wright, Hope Wright, and Latoya Wright; uncles, Antonio Faison, Albert Wright, and Chris Wright; great-grandparents, Nancy and James Warren, and Victoria Walker; and a host of other aunts, uncles, cousins, and sorrowing friends. Memorial service for Xavier Wright will be held at 4 pm on Monday, June 25, 2012, at Ramah M.B. Church, Inc., 10545 SE 58th Ave., Bellevue, FL 34420; Reverend Melvin Cotton, Jr., Pastor. Arrangements entrusted to Brown Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Services, LLC 706 SW Martin Luther King Ave., Ocala, FL 34471.

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### **ASTRAMSKY, JEROME, 90**

Ocala - Jerome S. Astramsky, of Ocala, FL, age 90, passed away Tuesday, June 19th, 2012. He was born in Sheboygan, WI on January 5, 1922. He served his country in the U.S. Navy during W.W.II. He is survived by his children, Dolores (Edward) Daly of Oak Lawn, IL, Margie (Ron) Davis of Braidwood, IL, Geraldine (Eugene) Kolberg of Ocala, Judy (Jim) Sellers of Bridgeview, IL; his 13 grandchildren and many great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife, Inga K. Astramsky and his sons, Andrew and Robert. A Funeral Mass will be held at St. Michael Church in Orland Park, IL on Tuesday June 26th, 2012 at 9:30 a.m. Interment will be at St. Casimir Cemetery in Chicago, IL Funeral Info: (708) 429-3200.

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### **CARR, PAMELA C., 61**

Farmington, ME - Pamela C. Carr, 61, of Farmington, Maine passed away Tuesday, June 19th 2012 at Maine Medical Center in Portland. She was born in Concord, Massachusetts, but grew up in Winthrop. Along with her husband Jered, they raised their family in Winthrop. They moved to Florida in 1995. After 38 years of marriage, she was predeceased by Jered in 2007. Pam was a registered nurse for over 30 years. She spent the majority of her career working for veterans hospitals in Maine and Florida. She retired in June of 2011. She loved and took care of all kinds of animals throughout her life. Pam was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, in Farmington. Survivors include her son Jeffrey Carr of Farmington, daughter Hannah Carr of Tampa, Florida, and step daughters Deborah Pomerleau (Ricki) of Belgrade, Carol Bean (Donald) of Augusta, and Catherine Dostie (Karl) of Belgrade, sister Joanne Frost (Mark) of Farmington, and six grandchildren. She was especially close to granddaughters, Molly and Whitley. At Pam's request a memorial service will not be held. Arrangements are by Hobbs Funeral Home in S. Portland. Burial will be at Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, Florida.

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### **ECCLES, SYLVIA N., 72**

Ocala - Sylvia N. Eccles - Johnstone, 72, of Ocala, passed away June 24, 2012. She came to this area in 1994 from her native, Waterford, New York. Mrs. Johnstone was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Ocala, retired manager for Cohoes Specialty in Cohoes, NY and was also a floor supervisor for the Salvation Army in Ocala for a number of years. She will be remembered as a loving and kindhearted person to everyone and for her love of animals. She is survived by her husband, Richard I. Johnstone of Ocala; daughter, Malanei (Frank) Marro of Independence, KY; son, Thomas (Pat) Eccles of Walton, KY; step-children, Bonni (Kim) Olar of West Sunbury, PA, Scott Johnstone of Pittsburgh and Richard (Gloria) Johnstone of Butler, PA; four grandchildren, five step-grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and her aunt, Christina Davin Vetter and her husband John "Jack" of Ocala. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Thomas E. Eccles. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society . Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944). A condolence message may be left at:

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**FRITCH, STUART DONALD, 79**

Ocala - Stuart Donald Fritch, 79, of Ocala, Florida passed away peacefully on Sunday, June 24, 2012. He was a graduate of University of Florida School of Engineering, and served in U.S. Army. He worked as a Sales Manager for Tektronix in Orlando, Florida until his retirement. He was a devoted father, husband and grandfather. He was a member of the national association for Amateur Radio, The Elks Club, and served on the board of directors for Crime Stoppers of Marion County. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Barbara W. Fritch of Ocala, FL; brother, Richard J. Fritch of Weirsdale, FL; daughters, Donna E. Fritch of Seattle, WA, Sally Fritch-Castro of Orlando, FL; and granddaughter, Mia E. Castro of Orlando, FL. Private services for the immediate family will be held. Because of his great love of children, in lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to The Ronald McDonald House of Central Florida: [www.rmorlando.com](http://www.rmorlando.com).

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**ILER, ROBERT J., SR.**

Oklawaha - Robert J. "Bob" Iler, Sr., of SE 65th St. Oklawaha, FL, was called home to meet the Lord, on June 22, 2012. Mr. Iler was born in Cadillac, Michigan in 1930, and graduated from Vermontville High in Vermontville, Michigan in 1948. He resided in Daytona Beach, FL from 1950 until 1992 after his service for the U.S. Army in the Korean Conflict. He was a proud member and past president of IBEW Local 756 in Daytona Beach. He was also a past president of the Daytona Beach Bowling Association and coached Little League. Bob attended Forest Assembly of God Church. Bob, his wife and family have had a large Easter and Christmas light display at their home in the forest. Mr. Iler is survived by his brother, Lee Iler, North Fork, VA; his son, Bob Jr. and his wife, Kristi, his youngest son, Wayne; seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife of 49 years, Violet; his daughter, Pauline; his grandson, Daniel; three brothers, Donald, Allen and Earl; a sister, Lois, and a very dear friend, Nell Jascha. He was a beloved father and grandfather figure to the Miller and Preis families, along with countless others. In lieu of other remembrances, the family suggests donations be made to either the American Cancer Society 1737 N. Clyde Morris Blvd. Ste. 140, Daytona Beach, FL 32117 or Hospice of Ocala, 3231 SW 34th St. Ocala, FL 34474. A Service of Remembrance for Robert Iler Sr. will be held Wednesday (June 27, 2012) at 6 p.m. at the IBEW Local 756, 5901 S. Williamson Blvd. Port Orange, FL with Chaplain Jim Smith officiating. The family will be welcoming friends from 5 p.m. until the time of the service. The arrangements are under the careful attention of Dale Woodward Funeral Homes in Holly Hill, FL, 386-253-7601.

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**NUNN, FANNIE JEANETTE, 60**

Fort Myers, FL. - Fannie Jeanette (James) Nunn, 60, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, June 20th, 2012. She was born December 8th, 1951, to the late Minnie and Agripper James of Ocala, FL. She was a 1969 graduate of Howard High School in Ocala, FL. While there she was a member of the basketball and softball teams. She received her B.A. in Biology from Goshen College in Goshen Indiana in 1974; she received a dual Master's Degree from the University of

Florida in Rehabilitative Counseling and Health Sciences in 1976. She worked as a Mental Health Counselor and a dedicated career professional for 35 years. She leaves to cherish her memory, a loving husband, Isaac H. Nunn; two sons, Courtney Nunn (Amy), Jonathan Nunn (Jessica); and one daughter, Iris De Hoyos, all from Cape Coral; three brothers, Alonzo James of New York, Melvin James (Renee), and Bobby James (Veronica) of Ocala; eight grandchildren, and a host of loving nieces, nephews, cousins, dedicated and cherished friends. She was preceded in death by three brothers, Henry James, Agripper James Jr., Jesse James and four sisters, Geraldine James McCray, Mary Allen James, Rosemary James, and Mildred Maxine James Maise. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, June 27th, 2012 at St. John First Missionary Baptist Church, 2044 Brown Street, Ft Myers, Fl. Visitation will be held from 6 until 8 p.m., Tuesday, June 26th at St. John First M.B. Church. Funeral services entrusted to Hickson Funeral Home Inc., 3308 Dr. Martin Luther King Blvd, Ft. Myers, Fl.  
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#### **AISEL, CARL E. "GENE", 73**

Ocala - Carl E. "Gene" Aisel, 73, of Ocala, Florida, was gently called home to rest in the arms of our loving Savior on Saturday, June 23rd, 2012, at his home surrounded by his adoring family. Visitation will be Wednesday evening from 5 until 8 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 N.E. Jacksonville Rd, Anthony, FL, 32617. A celebration of his life will be held at 11 a.m., Thursday, June 28th, 2012, at Woodside Baptist Church, 2450 NE 28th St, Ocala, FL, 34470. He will be laid to rest in Sunset Cemetery in Columbus, Ohio later this week. Memorials may be made to the Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Florida, 34478. Carl "Gene" was born December 11, 1938 in Columbus, Ohio. He was married to the love of his life and together they raised two daughters. He worked in the construction industry leaving a legacy of buildings through out the state which his family will have as constant reminder of his life's work. He loved to fish and took every opportunity he could to "wet a line"; his greatest catch landed him the 1972 Salt Water Championship, a 292 pound Tiger Shark. Carl "Gene" is survived by his wife, Connie Aisel; his two daughters, Christine Steward (Troy) of NY and Charlotte Dukes (Wayne) of Ocala; five grandsons, Jonathan Aisel (Diana), Lee Steward, Jordan Steward, Kevin Dukes and Hunter Steward. He also leaves behind Jack Brown, James and Jill Conrad, Jerry and Dean Brown, Jennifer Hout, Jeanette and Jerome Barber and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Eva Aisel.  
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**FRANKLIN, JR., WILLIAM E. "BILL", 83**

Ocala - Mr. Franklin passed away at Legacy House in Ocala, Friday, June 22nd, 2012. He was born in Ocala, Florida, August 3, 1928, the son of the late William E. Franklin, Sr. and Estelle Howell Franklin. Bill graduated from Ocala High School in 1946, where he played first string center for the "Ocala Wildcats" football team, also, receiving his pilot's license in the school's flying program. After high school he proudly served his country in the United States Marine Corps for two years. He then attended Tulane University. In December, 1949, he married Barbara Dawn Pharmer of Ocala. He attended the University of Florida as a veteran and graduated in 1953 with a degree in Forestry. He became a Registered Land Surveyor and worked for Marion Engineering for several years but eventually started his own surveying business in Ocala in the 1960's. Following that, he worked for Moorhead Engineering for many years. He was instrumental in producing many of the plats of land surveys in Marion County including the Villages, Spruce Creek, Spruce Creek Golf and Country Club and Pulte. Bill was an avid sports fan and participant. He loved golf, hunting, fishing and scuba diving. In his younger days he collected wild animals for Ross Allen's Reptile Institute at Silver Springs. As an avocational archaeologist and diver, he amassed a very large collection of artifacts and fossils from Florida rivers and lakes, some of which were recorded in scientific journals. He then compiled a lengthy book detailing his entire collection. His dedication to his work and hobbies was inspired by his love for Ocala and Marion County. He was a member of the Exchange Club and a lifetime member of the Elks Club. Surviving him is his wife of 62 years, Barbara "Bobbie Dawn" Franklin; daughter, Cathy and her husband, Dr. Billy Joe Taylor; daughter, Karen Perkins; stepgrandson, David Perkins; sister, Barbara and her husband Jack Chaffin; grandsons, Dr. Bryan Taylor and Kevin Taylor and his wife Jerrilyn; great-granddaughter, Emma and several cousins, nephews and nieces. He will be greatly missed by all. Services will be held at Grace Presbyterian Church, 2255 S. E. 38th St., Ocala, Florida, at 4 p.m., Friday, June 29th, 2012. In lieu of flowers, contributions to Hospice of Marion County will be appreciated.

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Oklawaha - Robert J. "Bob" Iler, Sr., of SE 65th St. Oklawaha, FL, was called home to meet the Lord, on June 22, 2012. Mr. Iler was born in Cadillac, Michigan in 1930, and graduated from Vermontville High in Vermontville, Michigan in 1948. He resided in Daytona Beach, FL from 1950 until 1992 after his service for the U.S. Army in the Korean Conflict. He was a proud member and past president of IBEW Local 756 in Daytona Beach. He was also a past president of the Daytona Beach Bowling Association and coached Little League. Bob attended Forest Assembly of God Church. Bob, his wife and family have had a large Easter and Christmas light display at their home in the forest. Mr. Iler is survived by his brother, Lee Iler, North Fork, VA; his son, Bob Jr. and his wife, Kristi, his youngest son, Wayne; seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife of 49 years, Violet; his daughter, Pauline; his grandson, Daniel; three brothers, Donald, Allen and Earl; a sister, Lois, and a very dear friend, Nell Jascha. He was a beloved father and grandfather figure to the Miller and Preis families, along with countless others. In lieu of other remembrances, the family suggests donations be made to either the American Cancer Society 1737 N. Clyde Morris Blvd. Ste. 140, Daytona Beach, FL 32117 or Hospice of Ocala, 3231 SW 34th St. Ocala, FL 34474. A Service of Remembrance for Robert Iler Sr. will be held Wednesday (June 27, 2012) at 6 p.m. at the IBEW Local 756, 5901 S. Williamson Blvd. Port Orange, FL with Chaplain Jim Smith officiating. The family will be welcoming friends from 5 p.m. until the time of the service. The arrangements are under the careful attention of Dale Woodward Funeral Homes in Holly Hill, FL, 386-253-7601. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 26 to June 27, 2012

**NUNN, FANNIE JEANETTE, 60**

Fort Myers, FL. - Fannie Jeanette (James) Nunn, 60, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, June 20th, 2012. She was born December 8th, 1951, to the late Minnie and Agripper James of Ocala, FL. She was a 1969 graduate of Howard High School in Ocala, FL. While there she was a member of the basketball and softball teams. She received her B.A. in Biology from Goshen College in Goshen Indiana in 1974; she received a dual Master's Degree from the University of Florida in Rehabilitative Counseling and Health Sciences in 1976. She worked as a Mental Health Counselor and a dedicated career professional for 35 years. She leaves to cherish her memory, a loving husband, Isaac H. Nunn; two sons, Courtney Nunn (Amy), Jonathan Nunn (Jessica); and one daughter, Iris De Hoyos, all from Cape Coral; three brothers, Alonzo James of New York, Melvin James (Renee), and Bobby James (Veronica) of Ocala; eight grandchildren, and a host of loving nieces, nephews, cousins, dedicated and cherished friends. She was preceded in death by three brothers, Henry James, Agripper James Jr., Jesse James and four sisters, Geraldine James McCray, Mary Allen James, Rosemary James, and Mildred Maxine James Maise. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, June 27th, 2012 at St. John First Missionary Baptist Church, 2044 Brown Street, Ft Myers, Fl. Visitation will be held from 6 until 8 p.m., Tuesday, June 26th at St. John First M.B. Church. Funeral services entrusted to Hickson Funeral Home Inc., 3308 Dr. Martin Luther King Blvd, Ft. Myers, Fl. Send condolences to: [www.hicksonfuneralhome.com](http://www.hicksonfuneralhome.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 26 to June 27, 2012

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**AISEL, CARL E. "GENE", 73**

Ocala - Carl E. "Gene" Aisel, 73, of Ocala, Florida, was gently called home to rest in the arms of our loving Savior on Saturday, June 23rd, 2012, at his home surrounded by his adoring family. Visitation will be Wednesday evening from 5 until 8 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 N.E. Jacksonville Rd, Anthony, FL, 32617. A celebration of his life will be held at 11 a.m., Thursday, June 28th, 2012, at Woodside Baptist Church, 2450 NE 28th St, Ocala, FL, 34470. He will be laid to rest in Sunset Cemetery in Columbus, Ohio later this week. Memorials may be made to the Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Florida, 34478. Carl "Gene" was born December 11, 1938 in Columbus, Ohio. He was married to the love of his life and together they raised two daughters. He worked in the construction industry leaving a legacy of buildings through out the state which his family will have as constant reminder of his life's work. He loved to fish and took every opportunity he could to "wet a line"; his greatest catch landed him the 1972 Salt Water Championship, a 292 pound Tiger Shark. Carl "Gene" is survived by his wife, Connie Aisel; his two daughters, Christine Steward (Troy) of NY and Charlotte Dukes (Wayne) of Ocala; five grandsons, Jonathan Aisel (Diana), Lee Steward, Jordan Steward, Kevin Dukes and Hunter Steward. He also leaves behind Jack Brown, James and Jill Conrad, Jerry and Dean Brown, Jennifer Hout, Jeanette and Jerome Barber and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Eva Aisel.  
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**BOYLES, AUSTIN G. "GUS", 83**

Ocala - Austin G. Boyles, 83, a retired telephone company worker, died June 22, 2012 at home. He was born in Altoona, PA and moved to Ocala from Pittsburgh, PA in 1988. He was an active member of The Presbyterian Church at Marion Oaks and was involved in many volunteer organizations. His hobbies included golfing, gardening and various crafts. He was an avid Pittsburgh Steelers and Florida State Seminoles fan. Survivors include his wife of 43 years, Patricia L. Boyles, Ocala; daughter, Dr. Tracey L. Boyles Mullinary, Pittsburgh, PA; sons, Scott T. Boyles, Tallahassee, FL and Jon J. Boyles, Winter Springs, FL. He is also survived by a daughter in Kansas City, MO, two grandchildren, and one great-grandchild. Interment will be at the National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida.

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**FRANKLIN, JR., WILLIAM E. "BILL", 83**

Ocala - Mr. Franklin passed away at Legacy House in Ocala, Friday, June 22nd, 2012. He was

born in Ocala, Florida, August 3, 1928, the son of the late William E. Franklin, Sr. and Estelle Howell Franklin. Bill graduated from Ocala High School in 1946, where he played first string center for the "Ocala Wildcats" football team, also, receiving his pilot's license in the school's flying program. After high school he proudly served his country in the United States Marine Corps for two years. He then attended Tulane University. In December, 1949, he married Barbara Dawn Pharmer of Ocala. He attended the University of Florida as a veteran and graduated in 1953 with a degree in Forestry. He became a Registered Land Surveyor and worked for Marion Engineering for several years but eventually started his own surveying business in Ocala in the 1960's. Following that, he worked for Moorhead Engineering for many years. He was instrumental in producing many of the plats of land surveys in Marion County including the Villages, Spruce Creek, Spruce Creek Golf and Country Club and Pulte. Bill was an avid sports fan and participant. He loved golf, hunting, fishing and scuba diving. In his younger days he collected wild animals for Ross Allen's Reptile Institute at Silver Springs. As an avocational archaeologist and diver, he amassed a very large collection of artifacts and fossils from Florida rivers and lakes, some of which were recorded in scientific journals. He then compiled a lengthy book detailing his entire collection. His dedication to his work and hobbies was inspired by his love for Ocala and Marion County. He was a member of the Exchange Club and a lifetime member of the Elks Club. Surviving him is his wife of 62 years, Barbara "Bobbie Dawn" Franklin; daughter, Cathy and her husband, Dr. Billy Joe Taylor; daughter, Karen Perkins; stepgrandson, David Perkins; sister, Barbara and her husband Jack Chaffin; grandsons, Dr. Bryan Taylor and Kevin Taylor and his wife Jerrilyn; great-granddaughter, Emma and several cousins, nephews and nieces. He will be greatly missed by all. Services will be held at Grace Presbyterian Church, 2255 S. E. 38th St., Ocala, Florida, at 4 p.m., Friday, June 29th, 2012. In lieu of flowers, contributions to Hospice of Marion County will be appreciated.  
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Summerfield - Willie "Tom" Nichols passed away at his residence on June 22nd, 2012. Born on September 20, 1928, in Kendrick, FL. He was a self-employed farmer. A wake will be held on Thursday, June 28th, 2012 and Friday, June 29th, 2012 from 5 until 8 p.m. at Progressive Union Baptist Church, 8792 NW 38th Ave. Rd, Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 30th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at House of God Keith Dominion, Inc., 2830 NW 27th Ave., Ocala, FL Minister Lorenzo Nichols, Eulogist. Rev. Daryl Redding /Pastor Leon L. Thomas Sr., officiating. Interment will be held at Progressive Union Cemetery, Zuber, FL. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs., Inc. 352/563-1394

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**NICHOLS, WILLIE 'TOM'**

Summerfield - Willie "Tom" Nichols passed away at his residence on June 22nd, 2012. Born on September 20, 1928, in Kendrick, FL. He was a self-employed farmer. A wake will be held on Thursday, June 28th, 2012 and Friday, June 29th, 2012 from 5 until 8 p.m. at Progressive Union Baptist Church, 8792 NW 38th Ave. Rd, Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 30th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at House of God Keith Dominion, Inc., 2830 NW 27th Ave., Ocala, FL Minister Lorenzo Nichols, Eulogist. Rev. Daryl Redding /Pastor Leon L. Thomas Sr., officiating. Interment will be held at Progressive Union Cemetery, Zuber, FL. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs., Inc. 352/563-1394

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**CARPENTER, GERALD L., 88**

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Ocala - Carrie Chamberlain-Poteat, 40, of Ocala, passed away peacefully at the Tuscany Hospice House the morning of Wednesday, June 27, 2012. Born on May 6, 1972 in Miami, FL, Carrie moved to Ocala when she was 19. Carrie is survived by her wonderful children, Kaitlyn and Tyler Chamberlain of Ocala, FL; mother, Vivian Sarrubbo of Jacksonville, FL; sister, Sherri Owens of Jacksonville, FL; brother, SrA Jonathan Owens of Las Vegas, NV, currently serving in the United States Air Force; sister, Tori Owens of Ocala, FL; nieces, Breana Pharr and Taryn Nunn of Jacksonville, FL; step-mother, Vicky Owens of Ocala, FL; step-father, John Sarrubbo of Jacksonville, FL; step-sister, Melissa Lucarelli Sherman of Cooper City, FL; step-brother, Kenneth Lucarelli of Miramar, FL and much more extended family and friends. Carrie is preceded in death by her father, Jack Owens. A memorial service will be held on Sunday, July 1, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Garden Worship Center, 7655 SE 126th Place, Belleview, FL 34420 (across from the Market of Marion).

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Ocala - Marietta M. Nedzynski 91, of Ocala, Florida died on June 22, 2012. She was born in Franklin Square, New York and was of the Catholic faith. Survivors include two daughters, Frances (Troy) Hitchcox of Fort McCoy, FL and Mary (Pat) Cresci of Hawthorne, FL; grandchildren, James (Jennifer) Roberts, Sherry Smith (Curtis Blasingame), David Smith (James Babiniec ); three great-granddaughters, Madeline, Alexandria and Sophia Roberts. Internment at Bay Pines Cemetery at a later date beside her husband Alexander J. Nedzynski.

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#### **ADLER, LOUISE K. LEVY, 99**

Ocala - Louise K. Adler died at 99 Sunday, June 17, 2012. She was born August 20, 1912, in Russia to Theodore and Sonya Katz. The family immigrated to America 1923 and settled in Covington Kentucky. After graduating high school, Louise enrolled in Laboratory Technician School. In 1936, she met Kurt Levy, a German immigrant, in Cincinnati, Ohio. They married in 1938 and lived in Dayton, Kentucky until November 1940 when Kurt opened his own dry goods business, named Kurt's Department Store, of Manchester, Ohio. They lived in Manchester for 41 years and the business prospered. After retirement, they wintered in Florida until Kurt's death in 1981 when she moved to North Miami Beach, Florida. She married Milton Adler in 1988 and they resided in Margate, Florida. After his death in 2000, she moved to Century Village in Pembroke Pines, Florida then relocated to Ocala, in 2010. She read, loved learning, followed current events and was very charitable. She was a lifetime member of Hadassah and a member of Beth Shalom Synagogue in Ocala. She is survived by her daughter Amy (Herbert) Schwartz, son Theodore (Lenore) Levy, grandchildren Jonathan (Karen) Schwartz, Susan Schwartz, Bill (Jacki) Schwartz and Stephen (Julia) Levy and great-grandchildren Jake, Serena, Alexa, Dylan, Leo and Max. She was buried in North Miami Beach. A memorial service will be held in Ocala at a later date.

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#### **BURNETT, ELMA R., 90**

Brooksville - Elma R. Burnett, 90, of Brooksville, FL, formerly of Dunnellon, FL, passed away Friday, June 22nd, 2012 in Brooksville, FL. She retired from General Electric in Louisville, Kentucky in 1986 after 30 years of employment. She was preceded in death by her parents, James and Ora Wagoner, her brother James "Buddy" Wagoner, and her daughter, Phyllis M. Shoulders. She is survived by four children and their spouses, James (Gail) M. Burnett; John (Rosemary) O. Burnett; Carol (John) Reventas; Wendell (Nancy) T. Burnett; 13 grandchildren, and 21 great-grandchildren. Expressions of sympathy may be made in Elma's name to HPH Hospice in Brooksville, Florida.

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### **ROKA, PATTY**

Patty Roka, age 60, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away on June 28, 2012. She was born in East Orange, NJ on January 28, 1952, and was married to Andy Roka for 42 years. She is survived by her children Eileen McJunkin of Virginia Beach; Jeff Roka of Dunnellon, FL; and Sam McJunkin of Virginia Beach; 3 grandchildren: Hailey McJunkin, Jon McJunkin, and Katie McJunkin. Patty is the sister of Mary Ann Powell, Catherine Fitzpatrick, John Monaghan, Eileen Bennett, and Terry Morgan and has 22 nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her parents Jack A. and Mary Ann Monaghan; her mother-in-law Klara Roka; her brother-in-law Joe Prinz; and her sister-in-law Ingrid Prinz. She graduated from Livingston High School and worked as a Personnel Manager for Wal-Mart for 20 years. She enjoyed being with family, making people happy, and giving back to the community. Patty was an amazing woman who always had a smile on her face which brightened everyone's day. She was an amazing wife, mother, and mamaw. She will be truly missed but never ever forgotten. Visitation will be 11:00,

Tuesday, July 3, 2012, at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, with a funeral service at 12:30 the same day. Burial will follow at Fero Memorial Gardens Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation .

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**SMITH, CHARLES EDWARD**

Ocala - Charles Edward Smith, 74, passed away on Friday, June 29, 2012. He attended Oak Griner Baptist Church, was a retired welder, and loved fishing and hunting. Mr. Smith is survived by his wife Abbie; daughter Sherry Kingsley and husband Kevin; sons Stan Smith and wife Penny, and Mark Smith and wife Shellie; three sisters, Barbara Cummings, Becky (Jimmy) Baines, and Charlotte Dias; four brothers, Emory (Phyllis) Smith, Virgil (Diane) Smith, Ricky (Mary) Smith, and Michael (Jeanette) Smith; and five grandchildren, Jessica, Kaleb, Tyler, Lyndsey, and Kaitie; and 1 great grandchild. He was preceded in death by his parents, Emerson Ralph Smith and Amy Smith and two brothers, Doyle and Gerald Smith. A visitation will be held on Monday, July 2, 2012 from 5pm-7pm, at the chapel in Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. The funeral service will be Tuesday, July 3, 2012 at 10:00 am at Oak-Griner Baptist Church, Ocala, with Rev. Frank Grant and Rev. John Childers officiating. A burial will follow at Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, FL. Condolences may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com)

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**WILLIAMS, MARY P.**

Mary P. "Patti" Williams, age 71, of Micanopy, FL passed away on Thursday, June 28, 2012. She was born in Ocala, FL on July 21, 1940. Patti was raised in Ocala and lived all her life in the Ocala/ Gainesville area. She was the former owner/ operator of Williams Discount Center with locations in both Gainesville and Ocala. She was also the owner/ operator of several other businesses in the area. Patti was an active member of Flemington Baptist Church of Flemington, FL. She is survived by daughters Mary Ward of West Topsham, VT, Caroline Whitehurst of



Lexington, KY and Shirley Coviello of Ludlow, MA; father Troy Pons of Flemington, FL; 5 grandchildren John Ward, Brian DeVilling, Keith DeVilling, Mya Coviello and Lanna Coviello; and 1 great granddaughter Aubrey DeVilling. A funeral service will be held at Flemington Baptist Church, 18250 NW 100th Avenue Rd, Flemington, FL 32667 on Tuesday, July 3, 2012 at Noon. A visitation will take place at the church on Tuesday from 11am until the time of the service at Noon. Burial will take place at Flemington Cemetery, Micanopy, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Flemington Baptist Church Building Fund. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 1 to July 2, 2012

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 2, 2012**

#### **ADLER, LOUISE K. LEVY, 99**

Ocala - Louise K. Adler died at 99 Sunday, June 17, 2012. She was born August 20, 1912, in Russia to Theodore and Sonya Katz. The family immigrated to America 1923 and settled in Covington Kentucky. After graduating high school, Louise enrolled in Laboratory Technician School. In 1936, she met Kurt Levy, a German immigrant, in Cincinnati, Ohio. They married in 1938 and lived in Dayton, Kentucky until November 1940 when Kurt opened his own dry goods business, named Kurt's Department Store, of Manchester, Ohio. They lived in Manchester for 41 years and the business prospered. After retirement, they wintered in Florida until Kurt's death in 1981 when she moved to North Miami Beach, Florida. She married Milton Adler in 1988 and they resided in Margate, Florida. After his death in 2000, she moved to Century Village in Pembroke Pines, Florida then relocated to Ocala, in 2010. She read, loved learning, followed current events and was very charitable. She was a lifetime member of Hadassah and a member of Beth Shalom Synagogue in Ocala. She is survived by her daughter Amy (Herbert) Schwartz, son Theodore (Lenore) Levy, grandchildren Jonathan (Karen) Schwartz, Susan Schwartz, Bill (Jacki) Schwartz and Stephen (Julia) Levy and great-grandchildren Jake, Serena, Alexa, Dylan, Leo and Max. She was buried in North Miami Beach. A memorial service will be held in Ocala at a later date.

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#### **BURNETT, ELMA R., 90**

Brooksville - Elma R. Burnett, 90, of Brooksville, FL, formerly of Dunnellon, FL, passed away Friday, June 22nd, 2012 in Brooksville, FL. She retired from General Electric in Louisville, Kentucky in 1986 after 30 years of employment. She was preceded in death by her parents, James and Ora Wagoner, her brother James "Buddy" Wagoner, and her daughter, Phyllis M. Shoulders. She is survived by four children and their spouses, James (Gail) M. Burnett; John (Rosemary) O. Burnett; Carol (John) Reventas; Wendell (Nancy) T. Burnett; 13 grandchildren, and 21 great-grandchildren. Expressions of sympathy may be made in Elma's name to HPH Hospice in Brooksville, Florida.

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#### **GENCARELLI, JUDITH L., 71**

Ocala - Mrs. Judith L. (Cantamessa) Gencarelli, age 71, formerly of Oak Run Community in Ocala and formerly of Waterbury, CT passed away on Tuesday, June 19, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was the loving wife of Richard Gencarelli. Judy was born on November 5, 1940, in Waterbury, daughter of the late Dante and Josephine (Vinci) Cantamessa.

She was a 1958 graduate of Crosby High School and received her Bachelor's Degree from Russell Sage College in Troy, NY. She worked as a personnel administrator for various companies throughout her career including Xerox Publications, Bailey Employee Agency and DeLaurentis Realty. In addition to her husband of 36 years, Richard, Judy is survived by her sister, Arlene Blackmer and her husband Jim of Kenmore, WA as well as seven nieces and nephews. All services will be held in Waterbury, CT at the convenience of the family. Memorial contributions in Judy's name may be made to the charity of the donor's choice . Maiorano Funeral Home, 95 Willow St., Waterbury, CT 06708 has been entrusted with all arrangements. For more information and online condolences please visit:  
[www.maioranofuneralhome.com](http://www.maioranofuneralhome.com).

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**JOHNSON, MARTHA ISABEL, 86**

Ocala - Martha I. Johnson passed away at Tuscan House on June 30, 2012. Born in Armuchee, GA, she moved to Ocala from Hattiesburg, MS, in 1967. She was a homemaker and church secretary. She is survived by Roy Johnson, her loving husband of 57 years; sons, Jay (Rejeana) Johnson; Jeff (Laura) Johnson; daughter, Janis (Wendell) Owens; 8 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. Visitation will be 6:00-8:00 pm, Monday, July 2, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. Funeral Service at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, July 3rd at Ocala First Assembly of God, 1827 NE 14th St., with Pastor Drexel Brunson officiating. Interment will follow in Anthony Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, 34474.

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**ROKA, PATTY**

Patty Roka, age 60, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away on June 28, 2012. She was born in East Orange, NJ on January 28, 1952, and was married to Andy Roka for 42 years. She is survived by her children Eileen McJunkin of Virginia Beach; Jeff Roka of Dunnellon, FL; and Sam McJunkin of Virginia Beach; 3 grandchildren: Hailey McJunkin, Jon McJunkin, and Katie McJunkin. Patty is the sister of Mary Ann Powell, Catherine Fitzpatrick, John Monaghan, Eileen Bennett, and Terry Morgan and has 22 nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her parents Jack A. and Mary Ann Monaghan; her mother-in-law Klara Roka; her brother-in-law Joe Prinz; and her sister-in-law Ingrid Prinz. She graduated from Livingston High School and worked as a Personnel Manager for Wal-Mart for 20 years. She enjoyed being with family, making people happy, and giving back to the community. Patty was an amazing woman who always had a smile on her face which brightened everyone's day. She was an amazing wife, mother, and mamaw. She will be truly missed but never ever forgotten. Visitation will be 11:00, Tuesday, July 3, 2012, at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, with a funeral service at 12:30 the same day. Burial will follow at Fero Memorial Gardens Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation .

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**SCHAETZL, HELEN E., 88**

Ocala - Helen E. Schaeztl, 88 of Ocala, passed away on Wed., June 27, 2012 at her home. Born in Houtzdale, PA, she came to this area in 1978 from Bethpage, Long Island, New York. Mrs. Schaeztl was a US Navy Veteran of WWII and homemaker. She enjoyed her garden along with

growing her camellias. She was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview. Helen is preceded in death by her beloved husband Wilbur Leo "Will" Schaetzl of 67 years. She is survived by daughters, Judith Stone and husband, Dr. Richard Stone of New York City, NY, Carol Rossi and husband, Roberto of Roseville, CA and Susan Anazalone and husband, Paul of Huntington, NY; grandchildren, James and Jonathan Anazalone, Jessica Rossi and Benjamin Stone. She was a devoted aunt to her many nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944) on Thursday (July 5th) from 9-11AM with the Funeral Services to follow at 11AM. Interment with Military Honors will be held at Florida Nation Cemetery, Bushnell at 2:00PM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion Co in memory of Helen. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce East Chapel, Ocala, FL. A condolence may be left at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).  
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Citra - Glenn Owen Howbert passed away on Sunday, July 1, 2012. Born in Westminster, Ohio in 1929 to Clarence and Mildred Howbert, he was one of 10 children. Glenn was an engineer with Standard Oil in Lima, Oh for over 30 years, while also operating a successful local tree-trimming service and faithfully serving as Trustee at Sharon Park Church. He and Esther retired to Marion County in 1989 to fulfill their dream of building their own log home. Glenn was a master carpenter who loved to share his gift with others. He gave generously with his time and talent, always making himself available for someone in need. He served many years as Secretary and Treasurer of his Sunday School class at Bread of Life Church. Glenn is preceded in death by his daughter, Susan Marie Hebel. He is survived by Esther J. Howbert, his loving wife of 62 years; son, David R. Howbert, Citra; daughters, Stephanie Ann (Robert) Snyder, Canton, CT; Sandra Kay (Dave) Mason, Tallahassee; brothers, Harry Howbert, Ft. Jennings, OH; Kermit Howbert, Westminster, OH; sisters, Amy Howbert, Lima, OH. He is also survived by seven grandchildren, David Hebel, Christopher Mason, Nicholas Mason, Michael Howbert, Joshua Howbert, Laura Brunner and Brittney Kelly; and eight great-grandchildren. Visitation will begin at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, July 5th at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony. Funeral Service will follow at Noon with Rev. James Hebel and Mr. John Pilcher officiating. Interment in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Reception to follow at First Baptist Church of Sparr, FL. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, where Glenn and Esther volunteered for many years.

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### **INGRAM, NANCY JANE, 84**

Ocala - Nancy Jane Ingram (Fielding), age 84, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, June 29, 2012. She was born in Woodbury, NJ on June 11, 1928. She was a member of Unity Baptist Church of Anthony, FL. She moved to Ocala from Miami in 1988. Earlier in her life Mrs. Ingram volunteered at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL. A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Tuesday, July 3, 2012 from 5-7p.m. A funeral service will also be held at the funeral home on Thursday, July 5, 2012 at 11 a.m. Interment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. She is survived by a daughter Nancy Byrd of Union, KY; sons Timothy Fielding of Hollywood, FL and Daniel Fielding of Ocala, FL; six grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Unity Baptist Church Building Fund.

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**JOHNSON , NORMAN C.**

Ocala - Norman Carl Johnson passed away peacefully in Ocala, FL on May 11, 2012. He was born on August 30, 1929 in Port Chester, NY. After attending high school in Port Chester, Norman joined the Air Force and served with honor during the Korean War including a deployment to Guam. After his discharge, he married the love of his life, Jean Burnham, and joined US Gypsum where he rose through the sales ranks as part of a 30-year career with the company. Formerly of Simsbury, CT, Norman and Jean moved to Florida in 1991. No matter where he was, Norman never failed to miss an opportunity to follow his beloved New York Giants. He was active in music and musical theater, especially Simsbury Theater Guild, and was always providing support and encouragement to his family. He was an exceptional role model for his daughters and for his grandchildren. His extraordinary patience is well represented in the furniture and the many wooden ship models he handcrafted. He was a talented musician, singing in choirs and musicals throughout his life. He encouraged and supported his family members in their pursuit of the arts as well. Norman was predeceased by his wife of 58 years, Jean Johnson, and leaves two daughters, Melanie Johnson of San Rafael, CA and Wendy Johnson Costa of Litchfield, CT. He is also survived by his twin brother, Donald Johnson, of Paris, France. Norman was predeceased by his sister, Jean Johnson Williams. He leaves three grandchildren who were the joy of his life; Natasha Khanna, Jonathan Costa, Jr., and Carl Costa. There will be an informal gathering to celebrate the lives of Norman and Jean Johnson on Saturday, July 7, 2012 at 3 p.m. at the home of one of their daughters, Wendy Johnson Costa, of Litchfield, CT. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Ocala, FL:

[www.hospiceofmarion.com](http://www.hospiceofmarion.com)

or 3231 Southwest 34th Ave.

Ocala, FL 34474. Condolences may be expressed to:

[Hiers-Baxley.com](http://Hiers-Baxley.com)

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**KESSLER, MARTIENA, E., 90**

Ocala - Martiena E. Kessler, 90, died Saturday June 30, 2012 at Estelle House. Tiena was born June 12, 1922 in Lebanon, PA. Tiena was the daughter of the late Mary E. Proudfoot Smith and Henry Smith. She was preceded in death by her husband, Walter L. Kessler and her son, Eugene L. Kessler. She was a member of St. John Lutheran Church. Tiena is survived by her grandchildren, Brad A. Kessler and his wife, Tacy, Shane M. Kessler and his wife, Denise, and Karen G. Berkheimer and her husband, Eric. She is also survived by five great-grandchildren and numerous relatives. To honor Tiena's request, the family will not be having a service. Memorial contributions may be made to your favorite charity . Arrangements entrusted with Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**KUMHALL, ESTHER JENNY, 85**

Ocala - Esther Jenny Kumhall, 85, of Ocala Florida, passed away Monday, July 2, 2012. She was

an avid bowler, belonging to the Ladies 600 Bowling Club of Ocala. Esther was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Elmer Kumhall, December 5, 2006. Esther is survived by her son, Dennis Kumhall (wife Janis) of Fairview Park, OH; daughter, Debbie Webb (husband David), of North Olmstead, OH; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, those that wish may make memorial contributions in Esther's name to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL, 34474. Please view and sign our online guestbook at [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**McHUGH, HOPE M., 58**

Ocala - Hope M. McHugh, 58, passed away June 29, 2012. Preceding her in death, her loving husband, Michael J. McHugh. Survived by her son, Jim McHugh; daughter, Angela McHugh; grandchildren, Riley, Raegan and Reid McHugh; mother, Emily West; brother, Alex West and sisters, Judy Sanders, Linda Gunther, Mary Cutler, Faith Tighe & Sharon Harbert. Everyone that has met her has been blessed and she will be thought of everyday! Memorial service will be held Thursday, July 5, 2012 at 2 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**SHAMPINE, FAYE, 72**

Ocala - Faye Shampine, 72, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Saturday, June 30, 2012 in Ocala. She was born in Ocala, FL on April 23, 1940, daughter of the late Lennis and Eloise (Larrimore) Perkins. After graduating from the University of Florida, she taught second grade for two years and later taught for six years while living with her family in Saudi Arabia. After her children were grown, she worked as an administrative assistant with American Water Works Assoc. in Denver, CO for ten years, retiring back to Ocala in 2001. Faye was very active with the New Pretenders of OTOW and loved playing Mah Jongg, bowling, bridge and samba. Faye is survived by her loving husband of 50 years, "her high school sweetheart", Bill; children Eric Shampine and his wife Lorri of Denver, CO and Dina Cowoski and her husband David of Port Orange, FL; grandchildren Cameron, Collin, Cherise, Hannah and Meagan; sister, Louise Davis of Cincinnati, OH and brother H.L. Perkins and his wife Sherry of Greeneville, TN. The family will receive their friends on Thursday, July 5, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., at which time a funeral service will be held. Condolences may be expressed at:

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**BENNER, RICHARD A., SR., 77**

Ocala - Rev. Richard A Benner, Sr., 77, former Minister of the Orange Springs Community Church, passed away peacefully on Thursday, June 28th, 2012 at his home in Astor, FL. He was born in Oswego, New York and after living in Miami, he moved to Ocala/Marion County in 1975. He served his country in the U.S. Navy. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Astor. Much of his life was spent on sharing the word of God and blessing the lives of many people right up to the day God called him home. He is survived by one of the loves of his life,

Patricia Benner, five children and their spouses, ten grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. A life celebration will be held at 4 p.m. on Saturday, July 7, 2012 at Serenity Farm, 22424 Blue Creek Lodge Road, Astor, FL 32102. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Labre Indian School, 866-753-5496. Call for information.

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**BENNETT, HERMAN L., 98**

Ocala - Herman L. Bennett 98, a 27 year resident of Ocala, passed away peacefully at home on June 30th, 2012 under hospice care. Born in Altoona, PA, Herm graduated from Glen-Nor High School in 1931. A former resident of Ridley Park, PA he retired as a Vice President from Girard Bank, Philadelphia, PA in 1975. He was a longtime member of Joy Lutheran Church and an active participant in the church's financial activities. Herm was a charter member of the Ocala Top of the World Lions Club and a past recipient of the Melvin Jones Fellow award. Herm was predeceased by his first wife Dorothy V (Mearns) Bennett in 1973. He is survived by his loving wife of 35 years, C. Nancy (Fertig) Bennett; his children, Richard (Joanne), Gary, and Lynn Friedrichs (Karl); his stepdaughter, Sharon Hazeltine, ten grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. A memorial service is scheduled for Thursday, July 5, 2012 at 1 p.m., at Joy Lutheran Church, 7045 S.W. 83rd Place, Ocala, FL 34476. Burial will be private at Arlington Cemetery, Drexel Hill, PA. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Joy Lutheran Church.

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**CLAY, MARGARET "MAGGIE", 86**

Ocala - Mrs. Margaret "Maggie" Clay, 86, of Ocala, died Sunday, July 1, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of North Carolina, Mrs. Clay had lived in Ocala since 1957, moving here from Hamlett, NC. She worked for many years as the personnel director for W.T. Grant Co., and also worked for the State of Florida, both at the Lowell Correctional Institute and the Job Services Division. She belonged to the Belleview Moose Lodge #1014, the Catholic Women's Club, and was a long time member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Survivors include daughters, Sondra Dame (Doug), Trisha Clay, Debbie Dobson, and Lynda Owens; her son, Chuck Clay (Joanne); brother John Endres (Audrey), sister, Mary Rose Endres, 14 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Floyd H. Clay, and her daughter, Margaret "Peggy" Clay. Visitation for Mrs. Clay will be held from 5-7 p.m., Thursday, July 5, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. A Funeral Mass will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, July 6, 2012 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street, Ocala. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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**HICKS, RUSSEL W., 87**

Ocala - Russel W. Hicks, 87, passed away on Monday, July 2, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House. He was born in Slagle, LA and moved to Ocala from Lake Charles, LA in 1982. He was a retired machinist for Continental Oil Co. and was a US Navy veteran of WWII. He was a member of Woodside Baptist Church of Ocala and was a graduate of LSU in Baton Rouge, LA. He was also a member of Marion-Dunn Lodge No. 19, F & AM, the Scottish Rite Bodies and the York Rite Bodies, the Morocco Shrine Temple of Jacksonville and the Ocala Shrine Club. Russel is survived by his loving wife, Myrtice Walker Hicks of Ocala, his three grandchildren; four great grandchildren; seven great great grandchildren; and his brothers, T.C. Hicks of Lake Charles, LA

and J.L. Hicks of Leesville, LA; and nieces and nephews including Bruce Hicks of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his daughter, LaVon Ratcliff. Graveside services will be held on Thursday, July 5, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd St., with Pastor Paul Daniel and Pastor Jon Edmiston officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Woodside Baptist Church Building Fund. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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#### **JOHNSON, NORMAN C.**

Ocala - Norman Carl Johnson passed away peacefully in Ocala, FL on May 11, 2012. He was



born on August 30, 1929 in Port Chester, NY. After attending high school in Port Chester, Norman joined the Air Force and served with honor during the Korean War including a deployment to Guam. After his discharge, he married the love of his life, Jean Burnham, and joined US Gypsum where he rose through the sales ranks as part of a 30-year career with the company. Formerly of Simsbury, CT, Norman and Jean moved to Florida in 1991. No matter where he was, Norman never failed to miss an opportunity to follow his beloved New York Giants. He was active in music and musical theater, especially Simsbury Theater Guild, and was always providing support and encouragement to his family. He was an exceptional role model for his daughters and for his grandchildren. His extraordinary patience is well represented in the furniture and the many wooden ship models he handcrafted. He was a talented musician, singing in choirs and musicals throughout his life. He encouraged and supported his family members in their pursuit of the arts as well. Norman was predeceased by his wife of 58 years, Jean Johnson, and leaves two daughters, Melanie Johnson of San Rafael, CA and Wendy Johnson Costa of Litchfield, CT. He is also survived by his twin brother, Donald Johnson, of Paris, France. Norman was predeceased by his sister, Jean Johnson Williams. He leaves three grandchildren who were the joy of his life; Natasha Khanna, Jonathan Costa, Jr., and Carl Costa. There will be an informal gathering to celebrate the lives of Norman and Jean Johnson on Saturday, July 7, 2012 at 3 p.m. at the home of one of their daughters, Wendy Johnson Costa, of Litchfield, CT. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Ocala, FL: [www.hospiceofmarion.com](http://www.hospiceofmarion.com) or 3231 Southwest 34th Ave. Ocala, FL 34474. Condolences may be expressed to: [Hiers-Baxley.com](http://Hiers-Baxley.com)

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**KESSLER, MARTIENA, E., 90**

Ocala - Martiena E. Kessler, 90, died Saturday June 30, 2012 at Estelle House. Tiena was born June 12, 1922 in Lebanon, PA. Tiena was the daughter of the late Mary E. Proudfoot Smith and Henry Smith. She was preceded in death by her husband, Walter L. Kessler and her son, Eugene L. Kessler. She was a member of St. John Lutheran Church. Tiena is survived by her grandchildren, Brad A. Kessler and his wife, Tacy, Shane M. Kessler and his wife, Denise, and Karen G. Berkheimer and her husband, Eric. She is also survived by five great-grandchildren and numerous relatives. To honor Tiena's request, the family will not be having a service. Memorial contributions may be made to your favorite charity . Arrangements entrusted with Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**KUMHALL, ESTHER JENNY, 85**

Ocala - Esther Jenny Kumhall, 85, of Ocala Florida, passed away Monday, July 2, 2012. She was an avid bowler, belonging to the Ladies 600 Bowling Club of Ocala. Esther was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Elmer Kumhall, December 5, 2006. Esther is survived by her son, Dennis Kumhall (wife Janis) of Fairview Park, OH; daughter, Debbie Webb (husband David), of North Olmstead, OH; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, those that wish may make memorial contributions in Esther's name to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL, 34474. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**LEE, HELEN R., 73**

Ocala - Helen R. (Downs) Lee, 73, of Ocala, FL, born on December 13, 1938 in Columbus, OH, passed away on Sunday, July 1, 2012. Dedicated to helping others, she served her country in the U.S. Air Force and in 1974 received her degree as a Registered Nurse in CA, and worked until her retirement in 2002. Helen had a passion for life and experiencing all it had to offer. She loved expressing herself through arts, crafts and photography. Helen always had a camera in hand to capture the beauty of nature and to chronicle the life of her family. Helen is preceded in death by her son, Paul Arthur, Jr.; parents, Robert and Candy Downs of Columbus, OH; and her brother, Robert "Bobby" Downs, Jr. Helen is survived by her husband, Arthur P. Lee of Ocala. They shared a beautiful life together with two beautiful daughters, Rebecca Wisner of Floral City and Janet Lee of Ocala. She is also survived by her grandchildren, Sara, Rochelle, Brian, Andrew and Tifa; her sister, Ann and brothers Dave, Jim, Mark, Melvin, Paul and Phillip. A visitation will be held on Friday, July 6th, 2012 from 5 until 7 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. The funeral service will be in the TimberRidge Chapel on Saturday, July 7th at 1 p.m. followed by committal at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens of Ocala. Condolences may be expressed at:

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**McHUGH, HOPE M., 58**

Ocala - Hope M. McHugh, 58, passed away June 29, 2012. Preceding her in death, her loving husband, Michael J. McHugh. Survived by her son, Jim McHugh; daughter, Angela McHugh; grandchildren, Riley, Raegan and Reid McHugh; mother, Emily West; brother, Alex West and sisters, Judy Sanders, Linda Gunther, Mary Cutler, Faith Tighe & Sharon Harbert. Everyone that has met her has been blessed and she will be thought of everyday! Memorial service will be held Thursday, July 5, 2012 at 2 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**PACE, CAROLE ANN, 55**

Ocala - Carole Ann Pace, 55, of Ocala, FL died Monday, July 2, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born in Quincy, MA and spent much of her life in Quincy and Rockland. Carole also lived briefly in Louisiana. She moved to Ocala in 1999. She is survived by her loving son, Matthew D. Pace and his wife Jen, and by a granddaughter Alivia - all of Canton, MA. She will be deeply missed by her father, Peter J. Pace of NW Ocala, and by her mother Leslie Pace of NE Ocala. Also dearly loved by two brothers, she leaves Edward Pace and wife Nancy; Russell Pace and wife Bridgette; niece Meghan and nephew, Joey, all of Ocala, FL; along with many friends and caring relatives. Carole was preceded in death by her sister, Diane of Brockton, MA. Arrangements made in care of Roberts Funeral Home, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471. 352-622-4141, Services will be private. Please view and sign our on-line guest book at:

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**SHAMPINE, FAYE, 72**

Ocala - Faye Shampine, 72, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Saturday, June 30, 2012 in Ocala. She was born in Ocala, FL on April 23, 1940, daughter of the late Lennis and Eloise (Larrimore) Perkins. After graduating from the University of Florida, she taught second grade for two years and later taught for six years while living with her family in Saudi Arabia. After her children were grown, she worked as an administrative assistant with American Water Works Assoc. in Denver, CO for ten years, retiring back to Ocala in 2001. Faye was very active with the New Pretenders of OTOW and loved playing Mah Jongg, bowling, bridge and samba. Faye is survived by her loving husband of 50 years, "her high school sweetheart", Bill; children Eric Shampine and his wife Lorri of Denver, CO and Dina Cowoski and her husband David of Port Orange, FL; grandchildren Cameron, Collin, Cherise, Hannah and Meagan; sister, Louise Davis of Cincinnati, OH and brother H.L. Perkins and his wife Sherry of Greeneville, TN. The family will receive their friends on Thursday, July 5, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m., at which time a funeral service will be held. Condolences may be expressed at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 5, 2012**

#### **BENNER, RICHARD A., SR., 77**

Ocala - Rev. Richard A Benner, Sr., 77, former Minister of the Orange Springs Community Church, passed away peacefully on Thursday, June 28th, 2012 at his home in Astor, FL. He was born in Oswego, New York and after living in Miami, he moved to Ocala/Marion County in 1975. He served his country in the U.S. Navy. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Astor. Much of his life was spent on sharing the word of God and blessing the lives of many people right up to the day God called him home. He is survived by one of the loves of his life, Patricia Benner, five children and their spouses, ten grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. A life celebration will be held at 4 p.m. on Saturday, July 7, 2012 at Serenity Farm, 22424 Blue Creek Lodge Road, Astor, FL 32102. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Labre Indian School, 866-753-5496. Call for information.

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#### **BENNETT, HERMAN L., 98**

Ocala - Herman L. Bennett 98, a 27 year resident of Ocala, passed away peacefully at home on June 30th, 2012 under hospice care. Born in Altoona, PA, Herm graduated from Glen-Nor High School in 1931. A former resident of Ridley Park, PA he retired as a Vice President from Girard Bank, Philadelphia, PA in 1975. He was a longtime member of Joy Lutheran Church and an active participant in the church's financial activities. Herm was a charter member of the Ocala Top of the World Lions Club and a past recipient of the Melvin Jones Fellow award. Herm was predeceased by his first wife Dorothy V (Mearns) Bennett in 1973. He is survived by his loving wife of 35 years, C. Nancy (Fertig) Bennett; his children, Richard (Joanne), Gary, and Lynn Friedrichs (Karl); his stepdaughter, Sharon Hazeltine, ten grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. A memorial service is scheduled for Thursday, July 5, 2012 at 1 p.m., at Joy Lutheran Church, 7045 S.W. 83rd Place, Ocala, FL 34476. Burial will be private at Arlington Cemetery, Drexel Hill, PA. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Joy Lutheran Church.

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**CLAY, MARGARET "MAGGIE", 86**

Ocala - Mrs. Margaret "Maggie" Clay, 86, of Ocala, died Sunday, July 1, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center. A native of North Carolina, Mrs. Clay had lived in Ocala since 1957, moving here from Hamlett, NC. She worked for many years as the personnel director for W.T. Grant Co., and also worked for the State of Florida, both at the Lowell Correctional Institute and the Job Services Division. She belonged to the Belleview Moose Lodge #1014, the Catholic Women's Club, and was a long time member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Survivors include daughters, Sondra Dame (Doug), Trisha Clay, Debbie Dobson, and Lynda Owens; her son, Chuck Clay (Joanne); brother John Endres (Audrey), sister, Mary Rose Endres, 14 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Floyd H. Clay, and her daughter, Margaret "Peggy" Clay. Visitation for Mrs. Clay will be held from 5-7 p.m., Thursday, July 5, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. A Funeral Mass will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, July 6, 2012 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street, Ocala. Interment will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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**HICKS, RUSSEL W., 87**

Ocala - Russel W. Hicks, 87, passed away on Monday, July 2, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House. He was born in Slagle, LA and moved to Ocala from Lake Charles, LA in 1982. He was a retired machinist for Continental Oil Co. and was a US Navy veteran of WWII. He was a member of Woodside Baptist Church of Ocala and was a graduate of LSU in Baton Rouge, LA. He was also a member of Marion-Dunn Lodge No. 19, F & AM, the Scottish Rite Bodies and the York Rite Bodies, the Morocco Shrine Temple of Jacksonville and the Ocala Shrine Club. Russel is survived by his loving wife, Myrtice Walker Hicks of Ocala, his three grandchildren; four great grandchildren; seven great great grandchildren; and his brothers, T.C. Hicks of Lake Charles, LA and J.L. Hicks of Leesville, LA; and nieces and nephews including Bruce Hicks of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his daughter, LaVon Ratcliff. Graveside services will be held on Thursday, July 5, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd St., with Pastor Paul Daniel and Pastor Jon Edmiston officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Woodside Baptist Church Building Fund. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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**HOSEY, WILLIAM HARRY**

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**McCULLOUGH, LINDA DARLENE, 49**

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Ocala - Gabrielle Rush, 22, passed away on Saturday, June 30, 2012. Gabrielle graduated from Vanguard High School in 2008. She leaves to cherish her memory, a loving mother, Colleen Mercer; father Wayne Rush, both of Ocala, FL; grandparents, W.C., Lannie Mercer, both of Ocala, FL; devoted companion, Shekeru Liddie, Ocala, FL; brothers, Michael Woods Jr., Mychael, Robert, Jahquez, Williams all of Ocala, FL; sisters, Latoya Rush, Ocala, FL; Sasha Frett, Altamonte Springs, FL; Myasia Rush, Ocala, FL; Arielle Williams, Jacksonville, FL; Sherontae Williams, Ft. Lauderdale, FL; god parents, Tara Woods, Samuel Jackson, Ocala, FL; god sister, Nicara Reaves; preceded in death by grandparents, Fred and Erma Rush. Funeral services for Gabrielle Rush will be held on Saturday, July 7, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Living Waters Worship Center, Ocala, FL., 3801 North US Highway 441 Ocala, Florida, 34475. Rev. Bruce Chatman Sr., Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, July 6, 2012 from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. at the New Cunningham Funeral Home. A Wake service will be held on Friday, June 6, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church. Interment at Lincoln Memorial Gardens.

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**AARON SR., JEFFERY T., 41**

Ocala - Jeffery T. Aaron, Sr., 41, passed away on June 28th, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory, his sons, Jeffery T. Aaron, Jr., Blake C. Aaron, and their mother, Felicia Aaron, Quin'yon Berry, deceased; daughter, Nicole Aaron; grandchildren, Jeffery T. Aaron III, Diamond F. Aaron, Zion Ross; siblings, Shannon Buie, Shawn Buie, Marvin Buie, Tricia Lendon, Rosalyn Ford; and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, July 7th, 2012 at the Maricamp Road Church of Christ. Visitation will be at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10 a.m. until 7p.m. on Friday, July 6th, 2012. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry,

"Providing a Memory That  
Will Never Fade".

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**COLANTINO, IRMA I. , 80**

Ocala - Irma Colantino, 80, of Ocala, formerly of Rainbow Springs in Dunnellon and formerly of Babylon, Long Island, NY, passed away on Saturday, June 23, 2012 at Citrus Memorial Hospital. She was the loving wife of Thomas Colantino. Irma was born on January 26, 1932 in Manhattan, NY, daughter of the late Manuel and Celestina Alvear. In addition to her husband of 50 years, Thomas, Irma is survived by two sons, James Colantino of Farmingdale, NY and Louis Colantino and partner, Kathryn Ahern, both of West Babylon, NY; one daughter, Nancy Colantino-Gromley and husband, Michael of Ocoee, FL. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, on Saturday, July 7, 2012 from 12 until 2 p.m. with a memorial service taking place at 1 p.m. For more information and online condolences, please visit:

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**LESCHAK, OLGA SOYA, 89**

Weirsdale - Olga Soya Leschak, 89, of Weirsdale, FL, died Tuesday, July 3rd, 2012. She was born in Detroit, MI and moved to Weirsdale from Detroit in 1942. She was a lifetime member of Weirsdale Presbyterian Church, American Legion Post 284 of Belleview, FL, and a former member of the Professional Business Women's Association of Leesburg. She is survived by sons, Stephen A. (Mary) Leschak, Weirsdale, FL; John A. (Lucille) Leschak, Ocala, FL; and Michael D. (Donna) Leschak, Leesburg, FL; sister, Helen Soya Palace, Belleview, FL; two nieces, Marie and Jean, Belleview, FL; six grandchildren: Stephen, Michelle, Barbara, Amanda, Christine and Jennifer; and 12 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Sunday, July 8th, 2012, at 3p.m. at Weirsdale Presbyterian Church, Reverend Al Hannah officiating. In lieu of flowers,

memorial donations may be made to Weirsdale Presbyterian Church, 16305 SE 137th Ct., Weirsdale, FL, 32195. Online condolences may be left at:  
[www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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**WALLIS, THOMAS HENRY, JR.**

Orlando - Thomas Henry Wallis entered the life eternal on June 26th, 2012. Mr. Wallis was born April 24th, 1931 in Ocala, FL. He received a B.A. in Architecture from the University of Florida in 1954, followed by a B.S. in Landscape Architecture from the University of California, Berkeley in 1959. He served as a Lieutenant in the United States Army. He practiced landscape architecture for 43 years and was a founding partner of Wallis Baker Associates, P.A. in Winter Park. Notable design projects include Harry P. Leu Gardens, Orlando International Airport,



Phase I, Orange County Convention Center, Florida Mall and Appleton Museum & Cultural Center in Ocala. He was a Fellow with the American Society of Landscape Architects, a 49 year member of the Rotary Club of Winter Park and a devout member of Emmanuel Episcopal Church. Tom joins his wife, Julia Phillips Wallis, who predeceased him in 1988 and is survived by his sons Mr. Thomas Henry Wallis, IV, Judge and Mrs. Frederic Rand Wallis and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarke Wallis; his sister and brother-in-law Dr. and Mrs. Edward M. (Ann) Anderson; nine grandchildren, Julia Lauren, Andrew Thomas, Mariah Ruth, Frederic Rand, Jr., Caroline Victoria, John Gregory, Drake Phillips, William Huntington and James Grayson; nephews Dr. Frederick T. Pfeiffer, retired Lt. Col. Nicholas W. Anderson and Thomas N. Anderson; nieces Edith "Edie" Pfeiffer Franklin McWilliams, Elizabeth "Betsy" Pfeiffer Jacobs and Merrill Marie Anderson; and brothers-in-law Wellborn Phillips and Judge Frederick T. Pfeiffer. A Memorial Service will be held on July 10th at 11am at Emmanuel Episcopal Church (1603 E. Winter Park Rd., Orlando 32803). In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the church.

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#### **WHEELER, WILLIAM FREDERICK, 84**

Homosassa - William Frederick Wheeler, Sr., 84 of Homosassa, FL, died Tuesday, July 3rd, 2012 at Hospice House of Citrus County in Lecanto. He was born Nov. 4, 1927 in Ocala, FL, son of the late Forrest Wheeler and Erma Mattaire Wheeler. Fred was superintendent for John H. Perry Industries of Ocala for 15 years and also worked for Typo Graphics of Orlando for 20 years. He was a Navy veteran of WWII, an avid golfer, fisherman and outdoorsman. In 1950, Fred and his wife Wanda were founders and charter members of St. Marks United Methodist Church of Ocala and have been members of the First United Methodist Church of Homosassa for the past 17 years. Fred was a loving husband, father and grandfather. He also loved all animals. He is survived by his loving wife of 64 years, Wanda C. Wheeler of Homosassa; son, Fred Wheeler (Sherry) of Asheville, NC; daughter Cynthia Harrelson (Robin) of Jonesboro, GA; beloved grandchildren, Kyle Harrelson (Nicole) and Jessica Harrelson; great-grandchildren Brayden and Tatum; and brother Dr. Tom Wheeler, PhD (Nancy) of Raleigh, NC. Funeral services will be held 10 a.m., Friday, July 6th, 2012 at the First United Methodist Church of Homosassa with Pastor Kip Younger officiating. A reception for family and friends will be held from 11 a.m. until 12 p.m. at the church. Graveside committal service will be held at St. Johns Cemetery of Cotton Plant in Ocala at 1:30 p.m. Friday. The procession will leave the church at 12:30 p.m. for the graveside service. In lieu of flowers, donations in memory of Fred may be given to Hospice of Citrus County. P.O. Box 641270, Beverly Hills, FL 34464. Condolences may be given at:

[www.wilderfuneral.com](http://www.wilderfuneral.com)

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 7, 2012**

##### **AARON SR., JEFFERY T., 41**

Ocala - Jeffery T. Aaron, Sr., 41, passed away on June 28th, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory, his sons, Jeffery T. Aaron, Jr., Blake C. Aaron, and their mother, Felicia Aaron, Quin'yon Berry, deceased; daughter, Nicole Aaron; grandchildren, Jeffery T. Aaron III, Diamond F. Aaron, Zion Ross; siblings, Shannon Buie, Shawn Buie, Marvin Buie, Tricia Lendon, Rosalyn

Ford; and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral service will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, July 7th, 2012 at the Maricamp Road Church of Christ. Visitation will be at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10 a.m. until 7p.m. on Friday, July 6th, 2012. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry,

"Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade".

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**CATALDO, ALFRED W., 89**

Ocala - Mr. Alfred W. Cataldo, 89, passed away in Ocala, FL on July 5th, 2012. He was born in Somerville, MA on February 26th, 1923. Alfred was a Chemical Process Design Engineer, and a WWII Army Air Force Veteran. He attended schools in Boston. After the war, he attended North Eastern University (Mechanical Design) and M.I.T. (Residential Design). Al served in the 8th Army Air Force and saw action in England where he flew in seven missions and received five Bronze Stars. He worked at the Fore River Shipyard in Quincy participating in the piping design of the reactor compartment on the world's first nuclear powered destroyer and frigate, the USS Bainbridge and the USS Long Beach. In 1984, he retired from the chemical Engineering Dept. at Polaroid where he specialized in pressure vessel design. He then had his own engineering practice in the chemical process and engineering design consulting business. In 1989, Al and his wife moved to Florida from Mass. Al then devoted most of his time to his hobby of bird carving and silver smithing. Al was a member of the 8th Army Air Force Historical Society, 2nd Air Division Assoc., 44th Bomb Group Alumni, Polaroid Retirees Assoc., National Wood Carvers Assoc. Al is survived by his wife, Peggy L. (Alcock) of England; two sons, William Cataldo of Crystal Lake, IL and Ronald Cataldo of Jacksonville, FL; two grandchildren, Peter and Mary; also three great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews. A Funeral Mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church 6455 SW SR# 200, Ocala, FL on Monday July 9th at 8:30 a.m. The burial will be private. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**COLANTINO, IRMA I. , 80**

Ocala - Irma Colantino, 80, of Ocala, formerly of Rainbow Springs in Dunnellon and formerly of Babylon, Long Island, NY, passed away on Saturday, June 23, 2012 at Citrus Memorial Hospital. She was the loving wife of Thomas Colantino. Irma was born on January 26, 1932 in Manhattan, NY, daughter of the late Manuel and Celestina Alvear. In addition to her husband of 50 years, Thomas, Irma is survived by two sons, James Colantino of Farmingdale, NY and Louis Colantino and partner, Kathryn Ahern, both of West Babylon, NY; one daughter, Nancy Colantino-Gromley and husband, Michael of Ocoee, FL. The family will receive friends at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, on Saturday, July 7, 2012 from 12 until 2 p.m. with a memorial service taking place at 1 p.m. For more information and online condolences, please visit:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266

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**FREEL, DARLENE VIRGINIA**

Weirsdale- Darlene Virginia Freel passed away at her home on July 5th, 2012. Mrs. Freel was born at her home in Cedar Rapids, IA on July 5th, 1930 to William Joseph and Catherine Marie Dickson. On Dec. 24th, 1950, she married the love of her life, Herbert Lyle Freel. They lived in Iowa until 1979 when they moved to Ocklawaha, FL. Besides her loving husband of 61 years, Mrs. Freel is survived by sons, Bill (Megan) Freel and Steve (Janis) Freel; daughters, Nancy (Eddie) Shelton, Dana (Pat) Telese, and Denise (David) Enochs; 16 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son, Terry Freel. Visitation will be one hour prior (10 a.m.) to the service on Saturday, July 7th, 2012 11 a.m. at Ocklawaha United Methodist Church. Vault interment will be at Candler Cemetery, Candler, FL. In lieu of flowers, Darlene can be celebrated with contributions to Ocklawaha United Methodist Church. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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Weirsdale - Olga Soya Leschak, 89, of Weirsdale, FL, died Tuesday, July 3rd, 2012. She was born in Detroit, MI and moved to Weirsdale from Detroit in 1942. She was a lifetime member of Weirsdale Presbyterian Church, American Legion Post 284 of Belleview, FL, and a former member of the Professional Business Women's Association of Leesburg. She is survived by sons, Stephen A. (Mary) Leschak, Weirsdale, FL; John A. (Lucille) Leschak, Ocala, FL; and Michael D. (Donna) Leschak, Leesburg, FL; sister, Helen Soya Palace, Belleview, FL; two nieces, Marie and Jean, Belleview, FL; six grandchildren: Stephen, Michelle, Barbara, Amanda, Christine and Jennifer; and 12 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on Sunday, July 8th, 2012, at 3p.m. at Weirsdale Presbyterian Church, Reverend Al Hannah officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Weirsdale Presbyterian Church, 16305 SE 137th Ct., Weirsdale, FL, 32195. Online condolences may be left at:

[www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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**WALLIS, THOMAS HENRY, JR.**

Orlando - Thomas Henry Wallis entered the life eternal on June 26th, 2012. Mr. Wallis was born April 24th, 1931 in Ocala, FL. He received a B.A. in Architecture from the University of Florida in 1954, followed by a B.S. in Landscape Architecture from the University of California, Berkeley in 1959. He served as a Lieutenant in the United States Army. He practiced landscape architecture for 43 years and was a founding partner of Wallis Baker Associates, P.A. in Winter Park. Notable design projects include Harry P. Leu Gardens, Orlando International Airport, Phase I, Orange County Convention Center, Florida Mall and Appleton Museum & Cultural Center in Ocala. He was a Fellow with the American Society of Landscape Architects, a 49 year member of the Rotary Club of Winter Park and a devout member of Emmanuel Episcopal Church. Tom joins his wife, Julia Phillips Wallis, who predeceased him in 1988 and is survived by his sons Mr. Thomas Henry Wallis, IV, Judge and Mrs. Frederic Rand Wallis and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clarke Wallis; his sister and brother-in-law Dr. and Mrs. Edward M. (Ann) Anderson; nine grandchildren, Julia Lauren, Andrew Thomas, Mariah Ruth, Frederic Rand, Jr., Caroline Victoria, John Gregory, Drake Phillips, William Huntington and James Grayson; nephews Dr. Frederick T. Pfeiffer, retired Lt. Col. Nicholas W. Anderson and Thomas N. Anderson; nieces Edith "Edie" Pfeiffer Franklin McWilliams, Elizabeth "Betsy" Pfeiffer Jacobs and Merrill Marie Anderson; and brothers-in-law Wellborn Phillips and Judge Frederick T. Pfeiffer. A Memorial Service will be held on July 10th at 11am at Emmanuel Episcopal Church (1603 E. Winter Park Rd., Orlando 32803). In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the church.

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brother, Aldon and sister, Kahla Barnaby; sons, Randy, Bruce, and Christian; daughters, Janet Muncy and Deborah Eldridge; 15 grandchildren and many great-grandchildren. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Legacy House, Ocala.

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a dental assistant for many years. Her spirited disposition and her "in charge" way of life taught her children "to always be prepared." They will always remember her strength and loving guidance. Rita and her husband moved from Connecticut to Ocala in 1991. She was a member of the New England Club and enjoyed reminiscing of all the years spent in Connecticut and Massachusetts. Rita was preceded in death by her husband in 1996. She is survived by her devoted children, Karen and son-in-law, Mark Keith, Dave LaChapelle and Edward "Chuck" LaChapelle all of Ocoee; four grandchildren, Eric White, Breanne Keller, Trevor Keith, and Justin LaChapelle; great-grandchildren, Colton White, Ryan LaChapelle, Brooklyn LaChapelle, and Tyson LaChapelle; sister, Adella T. Wroblewski and brother, David Chartier. A life celebration will be held on Friday, July 13th, 2012 at 10 a.m., Holy Family Catholic Church, 5125 South Apopka Vineland Road, Orlando, FL 32819. Reception following Memorial Service at 9301 Lake Lotta Circle, Gotha FL 34734. In lieu of flowers the family suggests contributions be made to VITAS Hospice, 12751 W. Colonial Drive, Winter Gardens, FL 34787, for all of their services we will be forever grateful. To share a memory with the family visit [www.BaldwinCremation.com](http://www.BaldwinCremation.com)

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### **MACDONALD, LEONA I.**

July 7, 1925 - July 3, 2012

Leona MacDonald, 86, passed away Tuesday, July 3, 2012 in Farmington Hills, MI. A Memorial Service will be held later in the month in Ocala, Florida.

Leona was born and raised in Alma, where she also met and married her "handsome" husband Robert. She was the founder and previous owner of Century 21 Lee-Mac and held several positions with the Michigan Association of Realtors as well as holding the title "Realtor of the Year". She played several roles in the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala after she and Robert retired to Florida. Leona was a world traveler, casino goer, fashionista and a lover of all that glitters.

Leona is survived by her daughter Carol Antuna, her son Robert "Scott" MacDonald, 7 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

Leona was preceded in death by her husband Robert S. MacDonald, parents and 3 sisters.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Visiting Nurse Association of America.

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### **STARK, FREDERICK CHRISTOPHER, JR.**

Dunnellon - Frederick Christopher Stark Jr. passed away July 2nd, 2012 in Dunnellon, Florida. He was born October 28, 1936 in Staten Island, New York. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Juliette Stark also of Dunnellon, Florida; his son, Christopher Stark and daughter in law Gina Stark of Tampa; his daughter, Suzette Altman and son in law Rob Altman of Ocala; grandchildren, Joshua Stark, Lucien Stark, Alexandra Altman, Robert Altman Jr. Nicole Altman; great-grandchildren, Caden Stark and Maci Slayman. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Cynthia Stark. Mr. Stark served in the United States Marine Corp from 1954-1957. He was also a firefighter for the FDNY Engine Co. 53 from 1959-1978. He worked for the Florida State Fire College from 1978-1982 as an instructor and was promoted to Bureau Chief of Fire Standards and Training from 1982-1993. Mr. Stark was currently a three term City Councilman for the City of Dunnellon as well as the Vice-Mayor. There will be a Celebration of Mr. Stark's life on Thursday July 12th, 2012 at 1 p.m. at the Florida State Fire College 11655 NW Gainesville Rd.

Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Dunnellon Fire Department or The Wounded Warriors Project per request of the family.

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**MACDONALD, LEONA I.**

July 7, 1925 - July 3, 2012

Leona MacDonald, 86, passed away Tuesday, July 3, 2012 in Farmington Hills, MI. A Memorial Service will be held later in the month in Ocala, Florida.

Leona was born and raised in Alma, where she also met and married her "handsome" husband Robert. She was the founder and previous owner of Century 21 Lee-Mac and held several positions with the Michigan Association of Realtors as well as holding the title "Realtor of the Year". She played several roles in the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala after she and Robert retired to Florida. Leona was a world traveler, casino goer, fashionista and a lover of all that glitters.

Leona is survived by her daughter Carol Antuna, her son Robert "Scott" MacDonald, 7 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

Leona was preceded in death by her husband Robert S. MacDonald, parents and 3 sisters.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Visiting Nurse Association of America.

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**STARK, FREDERICK CHRISTOPHER, JR.**

Dunnellon - Frederick Christopher Stark Jr. passed away July 2nd, 2012 in Dunnellon, Florida. He was born October 28, 1936 in Staten Island, New York. He is survived by his wife of 58 years, Juliette Stark also of Dunnellon, Florida; his son, Christopher Stark and daughter in law Gina Stark of Tampa; his daughter, Suzette Altman and son in law Rob Altman of Ocala; grandchildren, Joshua Stark, Lucien Stark, Alexandra Altman, Robert Altman Jr. Nicole Altman; great-grandchildren, Caden Stark and Maci Slayman. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Cynthia Stark. Mr. Stark served in the United States Marine Corp from 1954-1957. He was also a firefighter for the FDNY Engine Co. 53 from 1959-1978. He worked for the Florida State Fire College from 1978-1982 as an instructor and was promoted to Bureau Chief of Fire Standards and Training from 1982-1993. Mr. Stark was currently a three term City Councilman for the City of Dunnellon as well as the Vice-Mayor. There will be a Celebration of Mr. Stark's life on Thursday July 12th, 2012 at 1 p.m. at the Florida State Fire College 11655 NW Gainesville Rd. Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Dunnellon Fire Department or The Wounded Warriors Project per request of the family.

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FL; daughters, Maureen Stefanidis of Shirley, NY, Kathleen Pacifico of Lake Ronkonkoma, NY, Christine Fives of New Hyde Park, NY; and step-daughter, Sharon Terry of Hampton Bays, NY; ten grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday, July 11th, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, 5946 SE Robinson Rd. A visitation will be held two hours prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Online condolences may be left at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview.  
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Ocala - Mildred Duaine Sanders Baggerly, 89, died July 6, 2012. She was born on December 12, 1922 in Ocala to Britton and Rebecca Sanders. She attended Ocala grade school, 8th Street Elementary, and Ocala High. Mildred, who preferred to be called by her middle name "Duaine" was preceded in death by her husband, Joe Thomas Baggerly in 1989. She was a member of Grace Episcopal Church, Ocala, The Daughters of the Confederacy, and supporter of our military, member of the Elks Club and was married to a Shriner. She was the organizer of Ocala N.E. Home Owners Association, Developer of Pearl Britton Estates, and Park and Shop Plaza in Sanford, FL. She was a volunteer for many charities. She was an accomplished artist and had a professional clown show in the forties, singing duet with her sister, Francis Sanders Young. She

also sang in the Grace Episcopal Church Choir and the Holy Cross Episcopal Church in Sanford, FL.

She is survived by her three children, Caroline Baggerly Durham, Joe Thomas Baggerly Jr., and Janice Kay Baggerly Hursey; sister, Emily Sanders Kentner; brother, Richard Creson Sanders; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, July 12th, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, 34470. Funeral service will be held on Friday, July 13th, at 11 a.m. at Grace Episcopal Church, 503 SE Broadway Street, Ocala, FL 34471. Burial will follow at Highland Memorial Park.

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### **ELLIS, EVELYN "JESSIE", 100**

Silver Springs - Evelyn "Jessie" Ellis, 100, of Silver Springs, was born Sept. 19th, 1911 in Jackson, Mississippi. She left this world to be with her loved ones on July 4th, 2012 in Ocala.

Jessie moved to the Silver Springs/Forest area in the early 1970's from Michigan. She was preceded in death by her husband, Hubert Ellis; sons, William and Henry Ellis and daughter,

Betty Ellis Brock. She was active with a number of clubs in the area over the years and is survived by her loving daughter-in-law, Cecelia Ellis of Silver Springs; grandsons, Terry Ellis, Scott Ellis and Shawn Brock; granddaughters, Lindy Ellis Karman and Dawn Brock; seven great- grandchildren and four great- great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944) on Saturday, July 14th, 2012 from 11 a.m. until 12 p.m. The Funeral Service will follow at the funeral home at 12 p.m. with interment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. A condolence message may be left at: [www. Roberts funeralhomes.com](http://www.Robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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### **HOLLIS, LT. COLONEL ALTON BRYAN, 90**

Alexander City, AL - Lt. Colonel Bryan Alton Hollis, 90, passed away quietly at the Bill Nichol's State Veteran's Home after a long battle with Alzheimer's.

He was a native of Rome, Georgia. Prior entering the Veteran's Home, he was a resident of Sylacauga, Alabama He played football for Talladega High School and graduating in 1940. He joined the Marine Corps in August 1942. He served with the 4th Marine Division as a combat engineer in the pacific invasions of Saipan, Roi-Namur, and Iwo Jima. He received a field promotion to 1st on Iwo Jima, and his combat citations include the Purple Heart, Silver Star, and Bronze Star. After World War II, he remained active in the Marine Corps Reserve. He was recalled to active duty during the Korean War and trained Marines bound for Korea at Quantico, Virginia. He retired from the Marine Corps Reserve after 25 years of service attaining the rank of Lt. Colonel. He was employed by the City of Ocala, Florida as the supervisor of electrical substations and retired after 22 years of service. He was a life time member of the 4th Marine Division Association and a member of Sylacauga Post 45 of the American Legion, and the Elks Club of Ocala. He was a member of The First Methodist Church Ocala Florida and Sylacauga Alabama. He returned to Sylacauga with his daughter and son-in- law in 2007. He was fixture in downtown Sylacauga, often telling his stories to Joe Duck, fellow veterans, and town's folk. He was a fan of the Alabama Crimson Tide, and enjoyed long walks with his dog Murphy. He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen Miller Hollis of Sylacauga; his parents, Ida and Harry Hollis; sister, Inez Abrams; and his brother, Otis Pharr. He is survived by his daughter, Kimothy Hollis Morrill, (David); Sylacauga, and one granddaughter, Ashley. The family has requested in lieu of flowers, donations be made to either 4th Marine Division Scholarship Fund or the charity of your choice . The memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on July 12th, 2012 at Curtis and Son Funeral Home, in Sylacauga. Burial will be in Evergreen Mausoleum. Online condolences may be offered at: [www.curtisandsonfh.com](http://www.curtisandsonfh.com)

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### **HOWE, SADIE APPLETON**

Ocala - Sadie Appleton Howe, 88, passed away on Wednesday, July 4th, 2012. She was born in Oxford, FL and was a retired sales associate with Blocker's Dress Shop of Ocala. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala.

She is survived by her daughters, Steffany Appleton of New Orleans and Beth Appleton Harbaugh (David) of St. George Island, FL; her stepchildren, Rhoda Howe Quarterman (Lee) of Marietta, GA and Gaylon Howe, Jr. (Joan) of Alamo, CA; her grandchildren, Christopher Curry and Patrick Curry (Tara); her stepgrandchildren, Rolf (Beth) Hunt, Trevor (Lenee) Howe and Kasey Howe; her great-grandsons, Graeme, Henry and Isaac Hunt and Amicolola Curry; her

great-granddaughter, Alyson; and a number of nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Dr. Gaylon Howe in 1989.

A Memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 14th, 2012 at 2 p.m. at First United Methodist Church of Ocala with Dr. John Few and Rev. Sue Hauptert-Johnson officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the United Methodist Children's Home or Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL.

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### **LOGUE, MILDRED M., 93**

Ocala - Mildred M. Logue, 93, of Ocala, FL died on Sunday, July 8, 2012 in Ocala.

Born in Brooklyn, NY on June 17, 1919, daughter to the late James and Alvina (Damis) Chimenti, she moved here from Huntington, NY in 1989. After a career in banking and later as a substitute teacher in the Catholic school system in the Diocese of Rockville Centre, NY she devoted herself to her family. Mildred was a member and daily communicant of the Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala and participated as a choir member. She was an avid golfer. Mildred was also preceded in death by her beloved husband of 42 years, John G. Logue in 1987, brother James J. Chimenti and great-granddaughter Delia Grace Nobles. She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law Maureen and Gerald McGill of Pensacola, grandchildren Erin M. Nobles and husband William of St. Petersburg, FL and Stephanie M. Glover of Pensacola, FL; great grandchildren Logan, Luke, Liam, Madeline and Landen. She is also survived by her beloved sisters Rose Abate and Muriel Chimente, both of Ocala.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, July 12th from 4:00PM to 6:00PM in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. The Mass will be held on Friday, July 13th at Noontime at The Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Entombment will follow at the Highland Memorial Gardens of Ocala. Memorial Contributions may be given to March of Dimes , 3227 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **NICHOLS, BETTY KING, 93**

Summerfield - Betty King Nichols, 93, of Summerfield, FL died Saturday, June 30th, 2012. She was born in Elwood City, PA.

She is survived by her daughters, Judy Dudley and Mary Lou Wahl; grandchildren, Kevin

(Cherri) Dudley, Raleigh, NC; Dawn Marie (James) Vincent, Cleveland, OH; and Amy Kay (David) Harvat, Jacksonville, FL; great-grandchildren, James Vincent, Taylor Kay Harvat and Mackenzie Harvat.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 14th, 2012, 11 a.m. at Lady Lake United Methodist Church with Pastor Chris Sanders officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Lady Lake United Methodist Church, 109 W. McClendon St., Lady Lake, FL 32159. Online condolences may be left at: [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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Ocala - Richard "Dick" Rotz, 82, passed away on Monday, July 9th, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House.

He was born in Benton Harbor, MI and moved to Ocala in 1995 from Dunedin, FL.

He was a retired real estate broker and served his country in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He graduated from University of Miami of Ohio with a Bachelor's degree in Accounting



He attended Meadowbrook Church and was a former member of the Ocala Country Club. He was a devoted father, grandfather and friend. His life was about family and friends and he enjoyed golfing, traveling and going out to eat. He was a generous man to charities, especially the Salvation Army.

Dick is survived by his sons, Victor Rotz (Josie) of Ocala, Doug Rotz (Lori) of Groveland, FL and Randy Rotz (Dana) of Memphis, TN; his six grandchildren, Heather, Austin, Danielle, Michael, Riley and Kamryn.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, July 13th, 2012 at 5 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be from 3-5 p.m. The family requests that attendees please dress casual (no ties), shorts and sandals preferred.

A Celebration of Dick's life will be held at Cala Hills Country Club, 2400 SW 21st Circle, Ocala, immediately following the services.

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### **SANTANGELO, WILLOW MAE, 75**

Ocala - Ms. Willow Mae Santangelo, 75, passed away in Ocala, FL on July 5th, 2012. She was born in Daytona Beach, FL on June 27th, 1937.

Willow was a retired Comptroller in banking. She moved to this area in 1999 from Orlando, FL.

Willow is survived by her four sons, Dennis Santangelo of Nantucket Island, MA; Donald Santangelo of Ocala, FL; Daniel Santangelo of Ocala, FL and Daryl Santangelo of Ocala, FL; one sister, Shirley Sylvia of Daytona Beach, FL; also numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

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### **BAGGERLY SANDERS, MILDRED DUAINE, 89**

Ocala - Mildred Duaine Sanders Baggerly, 89, died July 6, 2012. She was born on December 12, 1922 in Ocala to Britton and Rebecca Sanders. She attended Ocala grade school, 8th Street Elementary, and Ocala High.

Mildred, who preferred to be called by her middle name "Duaine" was preceded in death by her husband, Joe Thomas Baggerly in 1989.

She was a member of Grace Episcopal Church, Ocala, The Daughters of the Confederacy, and supporter of our military, member of the Elks Club and was married to a Shriner. She was the organizer of Ocala N.E. Home Owners Association, Developer of Pearl Britton Estates, and Park and Shop Plaza in Sanford, FL. She was a volunteer for many charities. She was an accomplished artist and had a professional clown show in the forties, singing duet with her sister, Francis Sanders Young. She also sang in the Grace Episcopal Church Choir and the Holy Cross Episcopal Church in Sanford, FL.

She is survived by her three children, Caroline Baggerly Durham, Joe Thomas Baggerly Jr., and Janice Kay Baggerly Hursey; sister, Emily Sanders Kentner; brother, Richard Creson Sanders; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, July 12th, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, 34470. Funeral service will be held on Friday, July 13th, at 11 a.m. at Grace Episcopal Church, 503 SE Broadway Street, Ocala, FL 34471. Burial will follow at Highland Memorial Park.

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### **CHRISTIAN, RAYMOND**

Ocala - Mr. Raymond "Ray" Christian passed away on July 8th, 2012 after a lengthy battle with cancer.

He was born in West Palm Beach, FL. on September 3rd, 1933. He attended elementary school in Pahokee, junior and high school at Florida Military Academy in St. Petersburg.

After graduation he spent four years in the Air Force, serving in Japan and Indochina. When his career with the service ended, he returned to school first receiving his Engineering degree from the University of Florida and then a Master's degree from North Carolina State.

While earning his Master's degree, he was hired by Bell Laboratories and continued to work for them in North Carolina and then later in South Florida. After sixteen years with the labs, he decided to go into business and started Engine Rebuilders Warehouse in Ft. Lauderdale. In 2000, Ray sold the business and retired to Ocala.

Ray had many interests: sailing, flying, motorcycling and photography. He was an avid Gator fan from a very young age and stuck with them through thick and thin.

He is survived by his childhood sweetheart and wife Doris of 60 years; three children, Mike Christian, Pam Wiggins (Michael), Cathy Poling (Terry); eight grandchildren, John, Brandon, Brett, Troy, Shane, Brooke, Maggie and Skyler.

A memorial service will be held at College Road Baptist Church, 5010 SW SR# 200 in Ocala on July 13th, 2012 at 11 a.m. Donations may be made in Ray's name to either the building fund of College Road Baptist Church or Hospice of Marion County.

Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave

condolences: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**COLE, DOROTHY "DOTTIE", 79**

Ocala - Dorothy "Dottie" Cole, 79, of Ocala, FL, a retired employee of the local telephone company, went home to be with Jesus on July 6th, 2012. She was the daughter of the late Harry and Delia Burgess. She was born in Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Survivors include her husband, Lonnie Cole; sister, Terry Rodgers of Debary, FL.; daughter, Linda Fuhrmann, Silver Springs, FL; son, James Hill, CA; granddaughter, Mattie Hill, CA; grandson, Brandon Fuhrmann, Debary, FL; granddaughter, Holli Fuhrmann, Ocala, FL.

Memorial service will be conducted at 11 a.m. at Central Baptist Church of Ocala on July 14th, 2012. In lieu of flowers, the family requests prayers of thanksgiving and donations may be offered to Hospice of Marion County at P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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**ELLIS, EVELYN "JESSIE", 100**

Silver Springs - Evelyn "Jessie" Ellis, 100, of Silver Springs, was born Sept. 19th, 1911 in Jackson, Mississippi. She left this world to be with her loved ones on July 4th, 2012 in Ocala.

Jessie moved to the Silver Springs/Forest area in the early 1970's from Michigan. She was preceded in death by her husband, Hubert Ellis; sons, William and Henry Ellis and daughter, Betty Ellis Brock.

She was active with a number of clubs in the area over the years and is survived by her loving daughter-in-law, Cecelia Ellis of Silver Springs; grandsons, Terry Ellis, Scott Ellis and Shawn Brock; granddaughters, Lindy Ellis Karman and Dawn Brock; seven great- grandchildren and four great- great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944) on Saturday, July 14th, 2012 from 11 a.m. until 12 p.m. The Funeral Service will follow at the funeral home at 12 p.m. with interment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.

A condolence message may be left at:

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**FERREIRA, ANTONIO "TONY"**

Killeen, TX - Antonio "Tony" Ferreira went on to be with the Lord on Saturday, July 7th, 2012 in Killeen, Texas.

He was a native of St. Michael, Portugal. Mr Ferreira was retired from Chariot Eagle after 20 plus years of dedicated service. He was a member of Highlands Baptist Church where he was a greeter, on the Missions Committee, and served the Lords Supper. He enjoyed family vacations at the beach and mountains; he also enjoyed fishing, cooking and reading.

He is survived by his sons, Antonio of Harker Heights, TX and Angelio of Copperas Cove, TX; his daughter, Danielle Menard of Killeen, TX; his sisters, Lillian Connor of North Dartmouth, MA; Maria Barros of New Bedford, MA; Suzanna Kellems of St. Petersburg, FL; and Gabriella Lewis of Oklahoma City, OK; his brother, Paul Ferreira of Sandisfield, MA; and eight grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his wife of 34 years, Elizabeth "Boo-Boo" Artman Ferreira; his parents, Luiz and Olivia Ferreira; sister, Rosa Lafferty; brothers, Ernesto and Joseph Ferreira.

A funeral will be held at noon on Friday, July 13th, 2012 at Highlands Baptist Church with Reverend Jim Sweet officiating. A visitation will be held Thursday evening from 6-8 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Interment will take place at Crum Cemetery in Summerfield.

A gathering of family and friends will take place at the church immediately following the burial. Online condolences may be left at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **HOLLIS, LT. COLONEL ALTON BRYAN, 90**

Alexander City, AL - Lt. Colonel Bryan Alton Hollis, 90, passed away quietly at the Bill Nichol's State Veteran's Home after a long battle with Alzheimer's.

He was a native of Rome, Georgia. Prior entering the Veteran's Home, he was a resident of Sylacauga, Alabama He played football for Talladega High School and graduating in 1940.

He joined the Marine Corps in August 1942. He served with the 4th Marine Division as a combat engineer in the pacific invasions of Saipan, Roi-Namur, and Iwo Jima. He received a field promotion to 1st on Iwo Jima, and his combat citations include the Purple Heart, Silver Star, and Bronze Star. After World War II, he remained active in the Marine Corps Reserve. He was recalled to active duty during the Korean War and trained Marines bound for Korea at Quantico, Virginia. He retired from the Marine Corps Reserve after 25 years of service attaining the rank of Lt. Colonel.

He was employed by the City of Ocala, Florida as the supervisor of electrical substations and retired after 22 years of service. He was a life time member of the 4th Marine Division Association and a member of Sylacauga Post 45 of the American Legion, and the Elks Club of Ocala.

He was a member of The First Methodist Church Ocala Florida and Sylacauga Alabama.

He returned to Sylacauga with his daughter and son-in-law in 2007. He was fixture in downtown Sylacauga, often telling his stories to Joe Duck, fellow veterans, and town's folk. He was a fan of the Alabama Crimson Tide, and enjoyed long walks with his dog Murphy.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen Miller Hollis of Sylacauga; his parents, Ida and Harry Hollis; sister, Inez Abrams; and his brother, Otis Pharr. He is survived by his daughter, Kimothy Hollis Morrill, (David); Sylacauga, and one granddaughter, Ashley.

The family has requested in lieu of flowers, donations be made to either 4th Marine Division Scholarship Fund or the charity of your choice .

The memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on July 12th, 2012 at Curtis and Son Funeral Home, in Sylacauga. Burial will be in Evergreen Mausoleum. Online condolences may be offered at: [www.curtisandsonfh.com](http://www.curtisandsonfh.com)

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### **HOWE, SADIE APPLETON**

Ocala - Sadie Appleton Howe, 88, passed away on Wednesday, July 4th, 2012. She was born in Oxford, FL and was a retired sales associate with Blocker's Dress Shop of Ocala. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala.

She is survived by her daughters, Steffany Appleton of New Orleans and Beth Appleton Harbaugh (David) of St. George Island, FL; her stepchildren, Rhoda Howe Quarterman (Lee) of Marietta, GA and Gaylon Howe, Jr. (Joan) of Alamo, CA; her grandchildren, Christopher Curry

and Patrick Curry (Tara); her stepgrandchildren, Rolf (Beth) Hunt, Trevor (Lenee) Howe and Kasey Howe; her great-grandsons, Graeme, Henry and Isaac Hunt and Amicolola Curry; her great-granddaughter, Alyson; and a number of nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Dr. Gaylon Howe in 1989.

A Memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 14th, 2012 at 2 p.m. at First United Methodist Church of Ocala with Dr. John Few and Rev. Sue Hauptert-Johnson officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the United Methodist Children's Home or Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL.

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### **KOLTERMAN, ALLISON, 48**

Ocala - Allison Leigh Kolterman, 48, of Ocala, FL went home to be with Jesus on July 10th, 2012. She was born in Gainesville, FL.

She is survived by her loving husband, Bret and precious daughter, Julia, 8, of Ocala; father, Al Jones, Jr. (Veronica) of Vernon, Florida; sisters, Kim Oliver, Terri Straughn (Terry); brother, Wade Jones (Laura) all of Gainesville; aunts Lou Goldstein of Orlando, Vikki Kite of Melbourne, Australia; mother-in-law, Kathleen Kolterman of Wahoo, Nebraska; and sister-in-law, Shelli Harris (Tom) of Omaha, Nebraska; nephew, Brian Harris of Omaha, Nebraska; Caitlin Harris of Farmington Hills, Michigan, Kadie Oliver, Shelby Jones, Hayley Jones, Hannah Straughn and Natalie Straughn of Gainesville, FL.

A Celebration of Life service will be on Friday July 13th, 2012, at CenterPoint Church, 3318 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL., 34470.

Love Offerings for the family in lieu of flowers may be sent to the CenterPoint Church.

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### **LOGUE, MILDRED M., 93**

Ocala - Mildred M. Logue, 93, of Ocala, FL died on Sunday, July 8, 2012 in Ocala.

Born in Brooklyn, NY on June 17, 1919, daughter to the late James and Alvina (Damis) Chimenti, she moved here from Huntington, NY in 1989. After a career in banking and later as a substitute teacher in the Catholic school system in the Diocese of Rockville Centre, NY she devoted herself to her family. Mildred was a member and daily communicant of the Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala and participated as a choir member. She was an avid golfer.

Mildred was also preceded in death by her beloved husband of 42 years, John G. Logue in 1987, brother James J. Chimenti and great-granddaughter Delia Grace Nobles.

She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law Maureen and Gerald McGill of Pensacola, grandchildren Erin M. Nobles and husband William of St. Petersburg, FL and Stephanie M. Glover of Pensacola, FL; great grandchildren Logan, Luke, Liam, Madeline and Landen. She is also survived by her beloved sisters Rose Abate and Muriel Chimente, both of Ocala.

Visitation will be held on Thursday, July 12th from 4:00PM to 6:00PM in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. The Mass will be held on Friday, July 13th at Noontime at The Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Entombment will follow at the Highland Memorial Gardens of Ocala. Memorial Contributions may be given to March of Dimes, 3227 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**NICHOLS, BETTY KING, 93**

Summerfield - Betty King Nichols, 93, of Summerfield, FL died Saturday, June 30th, 2012. She was born in Elwood City, PA.

She is survived by her daughters, Judy Dudley and Mary Lou Wahl; grandchildren, Kevin (Cherri) Dudley, Raleigh, NC; Dawn Marie (James) Vincent, Cleveland, OH; and Amy Kay (David) Harvat, Jacksonville, FL; great-grandchildren, James Vincent, Taylor Kay Harvat and Mackenzie Harvat.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 14th, 2012, 11 a.m. at Lady Lake United Methodist Church with Pastor Chris Sanders officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Lady Lake United Methodist Church, 109 W. McClendon St., Lady Lake, FL 32159. Online condolences may be left at: [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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**ROTZ, RICHARD "DICK", 82**

Ocala - Richard "Dick" Rotz, 82, passed away on Monday, July 9th, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House.

He was born in Benton Harbor, MI and moved to Ocala in 1995 from Dunedin, FL.

He was a retired real estate broker and served his country in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He graduated from University of Miami of Ohio with a Bachelor's degree in Accounting. He attended Meadowbrook Church and was a former member of the Ocala Country Club.

He was a devoted father, grandfather and friend. His life was about family and friends and he enjoyed golfing, traveling and going out to eat. He was a generous man to charities, especially the Salvation Army.

Dick is survived by his sons, Victor Rotz (Josie) of Ocala, Doug Rotz (Lori) of Groveland, FL and Randy Rotz (Dana) of Memphis, TN; his six grandchildren, Heather, Austin, Danielle, Michael, Riley and Kamryn.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, July 13th, 2012 at 5 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Visitation will be from 3-5 p.m. The family requests that attendees please dress casual (no ties), shorts and sandals preferred.

A Celebration of Dick's life will be held at Cala Hills Country Club, 2400 SW 21st Circle, Ocala, immediately following the services.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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**SAMUEL, GENEVA ALTAMEASE, 85**

Alpharetta, GA - Geneva Altamease Samuel, 85, teacher, passed away on July 4th, 2012 in Alpharetta, GA. She was born December 17th, 1926 in Ocala, FL.

She is survived by her son, Deshone Samuel; grandson D'Andre Samuel; granddaughter, Victoria Butler; and great-grandson, Michael-Wyatt Butler all of Alpharetta, Ga.

Funeral Services for Geneva Altamease Samuel will be held on Saturday, July 14th, 2012, at 1 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church, Elder D.J. Berry, Pastor.

Public visitation will be held at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 5-7 p.m. on Friday July 13th,

2012.

Information provided by O.B. Funeral Home, Williston.

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**SANTANGELO, WILLOW MAE, 75**

Ocala - Ms. Willow Mae Santangelo, 75, passed away in Ocala, FL on July 5th, 2012. She was born in Daytona Beach, FL on June 27th, 1937.

Willow was a retired Comptroller in banking. She moved to this area in 1999 from Orlando, FL. Willow is survived by her four sons, Dennis Santangelo of Nantucket Island, MA; Donald Santangelo of Ocala, FL; Daniel Santangelo of Ocala, FL and Daryl Santangelo of Ocala, FL; one sister, Shirley Sylvia of Daytona Beach, FL; also numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 SW SR# 200 in Ocala (352) 854-2266 on Thursday, July 12th, 2012 from 5-7 p.m. To leave condolences: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 13, 2012**

**BRAUND, WILLIAM K. SR., 98**

Silver Springs - William K. Braund Sr., 98, of Silver Springs, Florida passed away on July 6th, 2012 at Estelle's House.

He was born in Verona, Pennsylvania and was a retired Inspector for NASA. He was also was a member of the Pennsylvania National Guard.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Vesta I. Braund; two sons, William K. Braund Jr. (Mary Eileen) of Virginia and Norman E. Dennison (Mary L.) of Florida; one sister, Lillian Martin of Pennsylvania; one granddaughter, Nancy Dennison and one grandson, William A. Dennison both of Florida.

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**CHRISTIAN, RAYMOND**

Ocala - Mr. Raymond "Ray" Christian passed away on July 8th, 2012 after a lengthy battle with cancer.

He was born in West Palm Beach, FL. on September 3rd, 1933. He attended elementary school in Pahokee, junior and high school at Florida Military Academy in St. Petersburg.

After graduation he spent four years in the Air Force, serving in Japan and Indochina. When his career with the service ended, he returned to school first receiving his Engineering degree from the University of Florida and then a Master's degree from North Carolina State.

While earning his Master's degree, he was hired by Bell Laboratories and continued to work for them in North Carolina and then later in South Florida. After sixteen years with the labs, he decided to go into business and started Engine Rebuilders Warehouse in Ft. Lauderdale. In 2000, Ray sold the business and retired to Ocala.

Ray had many interests: sailing, flying, motorcycling and photography. He was an avid Gator fan from a very young age and stuck with them through thick and thin.

He is survived by his childhood sweetheart and wife Doris of 60 years; three children, Mike Christian, Pam Wiggins (Michael), Cathy Poling (Terry); eight grandchildren, John, Brandon,

Brett, Troy, Shane, Brooke, Maggie and Skyler.

A memorial service will be held at College Road Baptist Church, 5010 SW SR# 200 in Ocala on July 13th, 2012 at 11 a.m. Donations may be made in Ray's name to either the building fund of College Road Baptist Church or Hospice of Marion County.

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### **HINKLE, LORETTA WALTERS, 77**

Ocala - Loretta Walters Hinkle, 77, of Ocala, died on Monday, July 9th, 2012 at her home.

She was born in Knoxville, TN and had attended Bearden High School. Loretta resided in Kingsport for many years. She retired from K-Mart, where she had been a sales supervisor for over 15 years. Loretta was a member of Gravely Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her son, Robert Marshall Hinkle; parents, Orvil and Sally Walters; one sister; three brothers; and foster son, Jim O'Neil.

Loretta is survived by her son, Buck Edward Waters and daughter-in-law, Mary Jean Garcia, Ocala, FL; sister, Lois Tramel, Carlsbad, NM; three grandchildren, Nicholas Edward Waters, Christopher Michael Waters and Gary Marshall Hinkle Hylton and wife, Jenna, who are expecting their first child; and several nieces.

The family will receive friends on Monday, July 16th, 2012, from 1-2 p.m. at Hamlett-Dobson Funeral Home, Kingsport, TN. Funeral services will follow at 2 p.m. with Pastor David Salley officiating. Burial will follow at East Lawn Memorial Park. Family members and friends will



serve as pallbearers.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Lung Association , One Vantage Way, Suite D220, Nashville, TN 37228. Please visit:

[www.hamlettdobson.com](http://www.hamlettdobson.com)

to leave an on-line condolence for the family. Hamlett-Dobson Funeral Homes, Kingsport, is serving the family of Loretta Walters Hinkle.

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### **HOWE, SADIE APPLETON**

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She is survived by her daughters, Steffany Appleton of New Orleans and Beth Appleton Harbaugh (David) of St. George Island, FL; her stepchildren, Rhoda Howe Quarterman (Lee) of Marietta, GA and Gaylon Howe, Jr. (Joan) of Alamo, CA; her grandchildren, Christopher Curry and Patrick Curry (Tara); her stepgrandchildren, Rolf (Beth) Hunt, Trevor (Lenee) Howe and Kasey Howe; her great-grandsons, Graeme, Henry and Isaac Hunt and Amicolola Curry; her great-granddaughter, Alyson; and a number of nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Dr. Gaylon Howe in 1989.

A Memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 14th, 2012 at 2 p.m. at First United Methodist Church of Ocala with Dr. John Few and Rev. Sue Hauptert-Johnson officiating. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the United Methodist Children's Home or Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL.

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### **JOHNSON, ROBERT HERMAN, 80**

Ocala - Robert Herman Johnson, 80, of Ocala, passed away July 6th, 2012.

Born in Rushsylvania, Ohio, he came to this area 22 years ago from Mansfield, Ohio. Mr. Johnson was a U.S. Army Veteran of the Korean War and was retired from the Columbia Gas Transmission Company of Ohio. He was a member of Trinity Baptist Church of Ocala and was also trained as a gunsmith.

He is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Bonnie; sons, Gary Johnson of Indianapolis, IN and Glenn Johnson of Zephyrhills, FL; daughter, Cheryl Almond of Valrico, FL; sister, Lavonne Diaspro of Dayton, OH; brother, Philip Johnson of Centerville, OH; grandchildren, Renee' Mills, Katie Almond, Jacob Johnson, Ericka Johnson, Josh Johnson, Kara Johnson and Marisa Buckley. He was preceded in death by his brother, Carl Johnson.

A memorial service will be held at Trinity Baptist Church (1600 SE 58th Ave., Ocala, 694-2163) on Monday (July 16th) at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made Hospice of Marion County.

Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944). A condolence message may be left at:

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### **KOLTERMAN, ALLISON, 48**

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She is survived by her loving husband, Bret and precious daughter, Julia, 8, of Ocala; father, Al Jones, Jr . (Veronica) of Vernon, Florida; sisters, Kim Oliver, Terri Straughn (Terry); brother, Wade Jones (Laura) all of Gainesville; aunts Lou Goldstein of Orlando, Vikki Kite of Melbourne, Australia; mother-in-law, Kathleen Kolterman of Wahoo, Nebraska; and sister-in-law, Shelli Harris (Tom) of Omaha, Nebraska; nephew, Brian Harris of Omaha, Nebraska; Caitlin Harris of Farmington Hills, Michigan, Kadie Oliver, Shelby Jones, Hayley Jones, Hannah Straughn and Natalie Straughn of Gainesville, FL.

A Celebration of Life service will be on Friday July 13th, 2012, at CenterPoint Church, 3318 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL., 34470.

Love Offerings for the family in lieu of flowers may be sent to the CenterPoint Church.

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### **MARSDEN, DONALD C., 71**

Ocala - Donald "Don" Marsden, 71, met his Savior on Tuesday, July 10th, 2012, after a courageous battle with cancer.

Don and his wife enjoyed traveling together, and in 1994, they relocated to Florida. He was an avid sportsman who enjoyed hunting and fishing and loved being out of doors in God's magnificent creation. Don was an expert machinist and carpenter; he could disassemble a car and put it back together again. He had a marvelous sense of humor and amazing laugh. Don will long be remembered for his love and dedication to his loving wife, family and friends.

Survivors include his loving and devoted wife of 49 years, Sylvia "Tobi,"; daughter, Denise (Jason) Lovell; son, Donald (Shannon); and four sisters: Dorothy (Lyle) Bunes, Darlene Anderson, Darla (Charles) Millard and Darrah (Gregory) Smith. He is also survived by one grandson, Zachary Loyek; numerous nieces and nephews; and his beloved Boston Terrier, Banner.

A memorial service will be held at Church at the Springs in Ocala on Saturday, July 14th, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the church in Don's name.

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### **POWELL, MOLLY, 77**

Ocala - Molly Luker Powell, 77, of Belleview, passed away on Thursday, July 12th, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born to the late Dwight and Onie Luker, January 31st, 1935, in Miami, Florida.

Molly is predeceased by her sister, M. Gail Luker of Ocala, and survived by her brother, L. Dwight Luker, Ph.D, of Pensacola, Florida; three sons and four daughters: Gary Powell, Brad Powell, Michael Powell; Denise Jordan, Christina Abrams, Debbie Powell and Dedra Rinehart. She was also a grandmother to 15 grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

As one of Jehovah's Witnesses, who was active and faithful for over 50 years, Molly enjoyed spending time in the Christian Ministry talking to others about the Bible. Everyone valued her company because of her effervescent personality and her unforgettable laugh, Molly was an exceptional mother and friend who loved unconditionally. She will also be remembered as a phenomenal cook and a word enthusiast.

Memorial Services will be held on Saturday, July 14th, 2012, at 4 p.m., at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 5221 Pecan Road, Ocala, Florida.

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**SAMUEL, GENEVA ALTAMEASE, 85**

Alpharetta, GA - Geneva Altamease Samuel, 85, teacher, passed away on July 4th, 2012 in Alpharetta, GA. She was born December 17th, 1926 in Ocala, FL.

She is survived by her son, Deshone Samuel; grandson D'Andre Samuel; granddaughter, Victoria Butler; and great-grandson, Michael-Wyatt Butler all of Alpharetta, Ga.

Funeral Services for Geneva Altamease Samuel will be held on Saturday, July 14th, 2012, at 1 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church, Elder D.J. Berry, Pastor.

Public visitation will be held at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 5-7 p.m. on Friday July 13th, 2012.

Information provided by O.B. Funeral Home, Williston.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 14, 2012**

**BRAUND, WILLIAM K. SR., 98**

Silver Springs - William K. Braund Sr., 98, of Silver Springs, Florida passed away on July 6th, 2012 at Estelle's House.

He was born in Verona, Pennsylvania and was a retired Inspector for NASA. He was also was a member of the Pennsylvania National Guard.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Vesta I. Braund; two sons, William K. Braund Jr. (Mary Eileen) of Virginia and Norman E. Dennison (Mary L.) of Florida; one sister, Lillian Martin of Pennsylvania; one granddaughter, Nancy Dennison and one grandson, William A. Dennison both of Florida.

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**CAMPBELL, WILLIAM L., 88**

Fort Myers - Former Belleview resident William L. Campbell, passed away on July 11th, 2012 at his home in Fort Myers, FL. of natural causes.

He was born March 3rd, 1924 in Medford, MA. to parents Frank and Margaret Campbell and lived Chelmsford, MA for over 20 years.

William was a World War II veteran serving in the U.S. Navy. He was part of "D" day, serving on LST 266 on Omaha Beach during the U.S. invasion in Normandy, France. Bill loved spending time at the VFW in Belleview, FL and Fort Myers, FL. He served on the Honor Guard at the Belleview Post 8083 for many years.

Bill was retired from Raytheon Company Lowell, MA where he worked for 30 years.

He was an avid Red Sox and New England Patriots fan and loved traveling with his pet, Chipper. William is survived by two children, William Campbell, Jr. and Mark A. Campbell; five grandchildren, William Campbell III, Angela Campbell-Uceda, Ryan Campbell, Cortney Campbell and Brittany Lafleur; four great-grand children; and one great-great-grandchild; and a sister, June Egan.

A Mass will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, July 16th, 2012 at Saint Theresa's Catholic Church with funeral services following at 1 p.m. at Bushnell National Cemetery.

We ask that instead of flowers, that donations be made to the Disabled American Veterans. To make a donation, log on to DAV.org, click the donate tab and then type in memory of William

Campbell.

Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley, The Villages.

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**HINKLE, LORETTA WALTERS, 77**

Ocala - Loretta Walters Hinkle, 77, of Ocala, died on Monday, July 9th, 2012 at her home.

She was born in Knoxville, TN and had attended Bearden High School. Loretta resided in Kingsport for many years. She retired from K-Mart, where she had been a sales supervisor for over 15 years. Loretta was a member of Gravely Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her son, Robert Marshall Hinkle; parents, Orvil and Sally Walters; one sister; three brothers; and foster son, Jim O'Neil.

Loretta is survived by her son, Buck Edward Waters and daughter-in-law, Mary Jean Garcia, Ocala, FL; sister, Lois Tramel, Carlsbad, NM; three grandchildren, Nicholas Edward Waters, Christopher Michael Waters and Gary Marshall Hinkle Hylton and wife, Jenna, who are expecting their first child; and several nieces.

The family will receive friends on Monday, July 16th, 2012, from 1-2 p.m. at Hamlett-Dobson Funeral Home, Kingsport, TN. Funeral services will follow at 2 p.m. with Pastor David Salley officiating. Burial will follow at East Lawn Memorial Park. Family members and friends will serve as pallbearers.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Lung Association , One Vantage Way, Suite D220, Nashville, TN 37228. Please visit:

[www.hamlettdobson.com](http://www.hamlettdobson.com)

to leave an on-line condolence for the family. Hamlett-Dobson Funeral Homes, Kingsport, is serving the family of Loretta Walters Hinkle.

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**JOHNSON, ROBERT HERMAN, 80**

Ocala - Robert Herman Johnson, 80, of Ocala, passed away July 6th, 2012.

Born in Rushsylvania, Ohio, he came to this area 22 years ago from Mansfield, Ohio. Mr. Johnson was a U.S. Army Veteran of the Korean War and was retired from the Columbia Gas Transmission Company of Ohio. He was a member of Trinity Baptist Church of Ocala and was also trained as a gunsmith.

He is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Bonnie; sons, Gary Johnson of Indianapolis, IN and Glenn Johnson of Zephyrhills, FL; daughter, Cheryl Almond of Valrico, FL; sister, Lavonne Diaspro of Dayton, OH; brother, Philip Johnson of Centerville, OH; grandchildren, Renee' Mills, Katie Almond, Jacob Johnson, Ericka Johnson, Josh Johnson, Kara Johnson and Marisa Buckley. He was preceded in death by his brother, Carl Johnson.

A memorial service will be held at Trinity Baptist Church (1600 SE 58th Ave., Ocala, 694-2163) on Monday (July 16th) at 2 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made Hospice of Marion County.

Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944). A condolence message may be left at:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**MARSDEN, DONALD C., 71**

Ocala - Donald "Don" Marsden, 71, met his Savior on Tuesday, July 10th, 2012, after a courageous battle with cancer.

Don and his wife enjoyed traveling together, and in 1994, they relocated to Florida. He was an avid sportsman who enjoyed hunting and fishing and loved being out of doors in God's magnificent creation. Don was an expert machinist and carpenter; he could disassemble a car and put it back together again. He had a marvelous sense of humor and amazing laugh. Don will long be remembered for his love and dedication to his loving wife, family and friends.

Survivors include his loving and devoted wife of 49 years, Sylvia "Tobi,"; daughter, Denise (Jason) Lovell; son, Donald (Shannon); and four sisters: Dorothy (Lyle) Bunes, Darlene Anderson, Darla (Charles) Millard and Darrah (Gregory) Smith. He is also survived by one grandson, Zachary Loyek; numerous nieces and nephews; and his beloved Boston Terrier, Banner.

A memorial service will be held at Church at the Springs in Ocala on Saturday, July 14th, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the church in Don's name.

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### **MARTIN, JOSEPHINE, 97**

Ocala - Mrs. Josephine Martin, 97, passed away on July 12th, 2012 in Ocala. She was born in Brooklyn, NY on November 6th, 1914. She was a retired homemaker.

She is predeceased by her loving husband, Ralph of 60 years. She moved to this area in 2010 from Clifton Park, NY.

Josephine is survived by her daughter, Joanne Pleune (Bruce) of Ocala, FL.; a sister, Marie Bainlardi of Orlando, FL; two grandsons, Brett Pleune (Stacey) and Mark Pleune (Julie); eight great-grandchildren, Colin, Chloe, Madelyn, Owen, Riley, Tyler, Casey and Elyse.

A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 SW SR# 200 in Ocala. (352) 854-2266 on Sunday July 15th, 2012 from 3-5 p.m. A Funeral Mass will take place at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street in Ocala on Monday, July 16th, 2012 at 10 a.m. To leave condolences:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

In lieu of flowers, you may make a donation to a charity of your choice .

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### **POWELL, MOLLY, 77**

Ocala - Molly Luker Powell, 77, of Belleview, passed away on Thursday, July 12th, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born to the late Dwight and Onie Luker, January 31st, 1935, in Miami, Florida.

Molly is predeceased by her sister, M. Gail Luker of Ocala, and survived by her brother, L. Dwight Luker, Ph.D, of Pensacola, Florida; three sons and four daughters: Gary Powell, Brad Powell, Michael Powell; Denise Jordan, Christina Abrams, Debbie Powell and Dedra Rinehart. She was also a grandmother to 15 grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

As one of Jehovah's Witnesses, who was active and faithful for over 50 years, Molly enjoyed spending time in the Christian Ministry talking to others about the Bible. Everyone valued her company because of her effervescent personality and her unforgettable laugh, Molly was an exceptional mother and friend who loved unconditionally. She will also be remembered as a phenomenal cook and a word enthusiast.

Memorial Services will be held on Saturday, July 14th, 2012, at 4 p.m., at the Kingdom Hall of

Jehovah's Witnesses, 5221 Pecan Road, Ocala, Florida.  
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**SPERLING, HARRIET D., 79**

Ocala - Harriet Gotkin was born in 1932, and was 79 years old (not 80) when she died on Thursday, July 12th, 2012 at her home in Ocala, Florida, with her daughters at her bedside.

Harriet was born and raised in Brooklyn, NY. She was 17 when she went to a dance and saw a dark haired, green eyed boy across the way, and she said to her friends, "That's the man I'm going to marry." She was right; she and Stuart Sperling were happily married for 52 years, and if there is any justice in the universe they are together again now.

Harriet and Stuart lived in Brooklyn, Queens, Bethel, CT, Toms River, NJ and Davie, FL before retiring to Ocala in 1994. Throughout their lives together, they made many friends and enjoyed a variety of activities, including bowling and square dancing. They were active in the local Democratic Party and Marriage Encounter, and enthusiastically supported their daughters' participation in theater groups and competitive color guard.

Harriet worked as a bookkeeper, legal secretary and office manager, retiring from the Broward County Sheriff's Office civil division in 1994. She was a generous woman who always seemed to end up as the secretary or treasurer of every organization she ever joined. She volunteered as an election poll worker almost all of her adult life, and was a hospital volunteer at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was an active member of Temple B'nai Darom, where she was a past president of the Sisterhood and served as chair of the cemetery committee for years.

She enjoyed going to the theater and she played Mahjong with the girls twice a week until a few days before the beginning of her final illness.

She was a loving mother and grandmother who will be greatly missed by her daughters, Sharon Sperling Gunning of Gainesville, FL, Elizabeth M. Barrett of Columbia, MD, and Lt. Col Ann Neal (USAF) of San Antonio, TX; sons-in-law Kevin Gunning, Bryan Barrett and James Neal; grandchildren Corey Smith (Lauryn), Jennifer Neal, Kevin Barrett, Aaron Smith (Julia), Shea Gunning, Michael Barrett, Kathryn Gunning, Jonathan Hagge, Robert "Buddy" Gunning, and Dallas Neal.

Services for Harriet will be Sunday, July 15th, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Temple B'nai Darom, 49 Banyon Course, Ocala, FL. with the burial to follow the services, all are welcome to attend.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you consider making a donation in Harriet's memory to Odyssey Hospice or Temple B'nai Darom of Ocala, Florida.

Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce East Chapel, Ocala, FL. 352-732-9944.

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**STUBAUS, HOWARD L., "RUSTY" JR., 67**

Ocala - Howard L. "Rusty" Stubaus, Jr., age 67, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Wednesday, July 11th, 2012. He was born in Jersey City, NJ on September 18, 1944.

Rusty served in the U.S. Marines. After his military service, Rusty gained employment with New Jersey Bell where he worked and retired after 30 years.

He is survived by his wife, Rhoda Stubaus of Ocala, FL. A memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Monday, July 16th, 2012 at 11 a.m.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 15, 2012**

### **ADKISON, MYRTIE LEE**

Myrtie Lee Adkison, 89, of Umatilla died Saturday, July 14, 2012 in Ocala. She was born April 12, 1923 in Bristol, FL. She was a cook and attended the Leesburg Deliverance Center. She is survived by her daughter, Nettie Lee Holland; son, Charlie W. Adkison; sisters, Clara Walker; Gertrude Thompson; Minnie C. Young; Elaine Jones; 9 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

Visitation will be on Monday, July 16, 2012 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm at Beyers Funeral Home Chapel, Umatilla. Services will be Tuesday, July 17, 2012 at 2:00 pm in the Beyers Chapel with Bishop Ronald King officiating. Burial to follow at Lakeside Memory Gardens in Eustis. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Umatilla, FL.

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### **CAMPBELL, WILLIAM L., 88**

Fort Myers - Former Belleview resident William L. Campbell, passed away on July 11th, 2012 at his home in Fort Myers, FL. of natural causes.

He was born March 3rd, 1924 in Medford, MA. to parents Frank and Margaret Campbell and lived Chelmsford, MA for over 20 years.

William was a World War II veteran serving in the U.S. Navy. He was part of "D" day, serving on LST 266 on Omaha Beach during the U.S. invasion in Normandy, France. Bill loved spending time at the VFW in Belleview, FL and Fort Myers, FL. He served on the Honor Guard at the Belleview Post 8083 for many years.

Bill was retired from Raytheon Company Lowell, MA where he worked for 30 years.

He was an avid Red Sox and New England Patriots fan and loved traveling with his pet, Chipper. William is survived by two children, William Campbell, Jr. and Mark A. Campbell; five grandchildren, William Campbell III, Angela Campbell-Uceda, Ryan Campbell, Cortney Campbell and Brittany Lafleur; four great-grand children; and one great-great-grandchild; and a sister, June Egan.

A Mass will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, July 16th, 2012 at Saint Theresa's Catholic Church with funeral services following at 1 p.m. at Bushnell National Cemetery.

We ask that instead of flowers, that donations be made to the Disabled American Veterans. To make a donation, log on to [DAV.org](http://DAV.org), click the donate tab and then type in memory of William Campbell.

Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley, The Villages.

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### **DINARDI, FRANCIS J. "POPPY"**

Francis J. "Poppy" Dinardi, 79, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, July 10, 2012 in Ocala. Born in Melrose, MA on January 15, 1933, son to the late Dominic and Margaret (Swimm) Dinardi Francis moved to Ocala in 1988 from N. Andover, MA. He was a U.S. Navy veteran and served on the U.S.S. Van Valkenburgh during the Korean Conflict. He was the owner and operator of D.J. Dinardi Construction Company in Melrose, MA and in 1988 purchased the Dun Raven Horse Farm in Morriston, FL., retiring to Ocala in 1994. He bred and raised thoroughbred race horses. He was an avid New England Patriots fan. He was also preceded in death by his son

Michael. Poppy is survived by his beloved wife of 55 years, Patricia A.; children Danni Callahan and husband Stephen of York Beach, ME, J. Frank Dinardi and wife Aimee of Ocala and Trina Dinardi of Chicago, IL; grandchildren Sean, Tara, Keefe, Mike, Patty, Frankie, Katie and Sean; six great grandchildren and sisters Gertrude Pearson and Margaret Olson. A Visitation will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Monday, July 16th from 2:00PM to 5:00PM. A Funeral Mass will be held on Tuesday, July 17th at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Burial with full military honors will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**GIBSON, LOIS MARILYN, 80**

Pensacola, FL - Lois Marilyn Gibson, 80, passed away on Sunday, July 8th, 2012. She was born on June 17th, 1932 in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

She attended school in San Francisco, California. She joined the U.S. Foreign Service with USAID in April 1968. Lois met and married W. Guy Gibson in Saigon, South Vietnam on June 6th, 1970. They served jointly in Vietnam, Zaire, Burundi, Botswana, South Africa, Laos, and Washington D.C. She retired from Foreign Service on January 3rd, 1995.

Following retirement, she lived in Dunnellon, Florida and Oak Harbor, Washington, before moving to Pensacola, Florida. Her hobbies included tennis, writing and painting.

Lois was preceded in death by her parents, Melville and Etta Winslow; and her daughter, Victoria Ray.

She is survived by her daughter, Fern Pearson; stepson, Dr. Mark Gibson of St. Charles, IL; eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

FAITH CHAPEL FUNERAL HOME SOUTH, 100 Beverly Parkway is in charge of arrangements. You may express your condolences at:

[www.fcfhs.com](http://www.fcfhs.com).

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**JANUSZ, JOSEPHINE, 92**

Ocala - Josephine Janusz, 92, of Ocala, passed away peacefully at her home with her daughters by her side on Thursday, July 12th, 2012.

Born in Brooklyn, NY on October 2nd, 1919, daughter to Michael and Margaret (Glinka) Golembiewski, she moved here along with her late husband of 60 years, Joseph from Long Island, NY in 1979.

She was a member of St. Jude Catholic Community of Ocala. She was a prior member of the Marion Oaks Ladies Club and one of the original members of M.O.V.E. She loved to read mystery books.

Josephine was also preceded in death by her brother, Thadeus; sisters, Anna and Jean; daughter, Catherine; son, Robert; and grandson, Robert, Jr.

She is survived by her daughters, Wanda Janusz of Ocala, FL and Margaret Gorton of Grahamsville, NY; grandchildren, Keith, Christine and Joseph; great-grandchildren, Hailey, Brant and Mia.

A Funeral Mass will be held on Monday, July 16th, 2012 at 10 a.m. at St. Jude Catholic Community, Marion Oaks. Family will receive their friends from 9:30 to 9:50 a.m. at the Church.



Memorial Contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860.

Condolences may be expressed at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL..

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### **MARTIN, JOSEPHINE, 97**

Ocala - Mrs. Josephine Martin, 97, passed away on July 12th, 2012 in Ocala. She was born in Brooklyn, NY on November 6th, 1914. She was a retired homemaker.

She is predeceased by her loving husband, Ralph of 60 years. She moved to this area in 2010 from Clifton Park, NY.

Josephine is survived by her daughter, Joanne Pleune (Bruce) of Ocala, FL.; a sister, Marie Bainlardi of Orlando, FL; two grandsons, Brett Pleune (Stacey) and Mark Pleune (Julie); eight great-grandchildren, Colin, Chloe, Madelyn, Owen, Riley, Tyler, Casey and Elyse.

A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 SW SR# 200 in Ocala. (352) 854-2266 on Sunday July 15th, 2012 from 3-5 p.m. A Funeral Mass will take place at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street in Ocala on Monday, July 16th, 2012 at 10 a.m. To leave condolences:

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In lieu of flowers, you may make a donation to a charity of your choice .

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### **NIELSEN, HARRIET MICHEL**

Ocala, Florida - Harriet Nielsen, daughter of Harriet and Nicholas Michel, passed away suddenly at the age of 94. Harriet grew up in New York City where she worked in the AT& T Longlines Building in Lower Manhattan until moving to New Jersey after marriage to William Nielsen. They raised three children, Jane A. Judith H. and William N. Jr. in Union, New Jersey. They later moved to Toms River, New Jersey where they resided for many years. Harriet was an expert in needlecraft, sewing beautiful garments, along with knitting and crocheting for family. She was active in the Busy Bees hand craft group where she used her expertise and love of handwork to create knitwear and infant caps which were donated to local hospitals and those in need. The couple also volunteered delivering Meals on Wheels.

Harriet enjoyed living in Ocala in most recent years. She is survived by daughters Jane Lauridsen, Judith and her husband, Robert Kane, granddaughter Christina Lauridsen, daughter-in-law, Shirley Nielsen, wife of the late, William, Jr. She is also survived by grandsons, Glenn W. Nielsen and wife Sheryl and Alan R. as well as great-grand sons Zachary and Andrew Nielsen.

A service will be held at Legacy House of Marion County on Monday, July 16, 2012 at 1 PM. SW 110th St., Ocala, Fla.

A reception will be held afterward at the Kane home.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860, Ocala, Fla, 34478 or the hospice of your choice in your local community.

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**RAY, RICHARD, 54**

Anthony, FL - Mr. Richard Ray, 54, of Anthony, died Friday, July 13th, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center.

A native of Pike County, Kentucky, he spent most of his life in Marion County. He was a graduate of North Marion High School, and was the owner/operator of Silver Meadows Farm, where he and his family raised miniature horses. He belonged to the American Miniature Horse Association, the American Miniature Horse Registry, and was a member of Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife Anita Ray; daughters, Janice Ray, Amanda O'Cull, and Holly Martineau; his mother, Dorthy Mae Robinson; three brothers, three sisters; and four grandchildren.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, July 16th, 2012, at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church, with Rev. Raymond Estes officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service, and interment will follow in the church cemetery.

Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is handling arrangements.

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**ROBINSON, IOLA JOY MASSER, 77**

Citra - Iola Joy Masser Robinson, 77, of Citra, FL passed away Monday, July 9th, 2012 at her seasonal home in Andrews, NC.

She was born December 10th, 1934, in Lyons, NY to the late Elmo "Bus" Masser and Margaret Hammond Masser. She was raised by her grandparents, Victor and Maude Masser in Lyons. She graduated from Lyons Central School in 1952 and Rochester, NY Business Institute in August of 1953. She will be forever missed and loved by her family.

In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by a baby brother, James; and sister, Roseanne.

Surviving are her husband of 57 years, Edward; daughters, Cynthia (Riley), Sandra "Dee Dee" (Jack), and Clare (Robert); grandchildren, Lauren, Edward, Allison, Amy, Ashley, Amber, Jennifer, Daniel, Jessica, and Matthew; great grandchildren, Phoenix, Evan, Kellan, and Damian; two brothers, Victor and wife, Lois and Donald; and many nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. Ivie Funeral Home, in Andrews, NC, is in charge of arrangements. An online guest register is available at:

[www.iviefuneralhomeinc.com](http://www.iviefuneralhomeinc.com).

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**ROGERS, GAYLE G.**

Gayle G. Rogers, 71, Dunnellon, FL, died Thursday, July 12, 2012 at The Legacy House in Ocala, FL. Gayle was born in Williamsport, PA to James L. & Marjorie (Reese) Garman.

She was a manager of an apartment rental complex for 35 years and upon her retirement she and her husband JJ moved to Dunnellon, whereas, they built and decorated their retirement house worthy of a Better Homes and Gardens model.

She was a Christian by faith. She enjoyed decorating, boating, going to the beach, and traveling, especially her trips to Japan. She most enjoyed spending time with her Family and Friends.

Services are scheduled for 10:00 am Wednesday, July 18, 2012 at the Roberts Funeral Home with Rev. Kenneth O. Hennesy, Atlanta, GA, officiating. Visitation will be 5:00 to 7:00 pm, Tuesday, July 17, 2012 at the funeral home.

Survivors include her husband Jewell (JJ) Rogers, Dunnellon, Daughters: Kim G. (John, Jr.) Nicks, Charleston, SC; Susan (John) Barta, Atlanta, GA; Rita (Alex) Espinoza, Atlanta, GA; Sons: Jim (Sharon) Ginley, Dunnellon, FL; Sean (Sue) Ginley, Tarpon Springs, FL; Sister: Jill (Page) Matherson, Jacksonville, FL; Brother: Jack (Yoko) Garman, Houston, TX; 8 Grandchildren, 3 Great Grandchildren and one (1) on the way. Mrs. Rogers was predeceased by her daughter Heather A. Ginley.

In lieu of flowers the Family requests donations in the memory of Mrs. Rogers to The St. Jude Children's Research Hospital , 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or The Moffitt Cancer Center Foundation, 12902 Magnolia Dr. - UTC FOUND, Tampa, FL 33612.

Online condolences may be offered at robertsofdunnellon.com

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### **SPERLING, HARRIET D., 79**

Ocala - Harriet Gotkin was born in 1932, and was 79 years old (not 80) when she died on Thursday, July 12th, 2012 at her home in Ocala, Florida, with her daughters at her bedside.

Harriet was born and raised in Brooklyn, NY. She was 17 when she went to a dance and saw a dark haired, green eyed boy across the way, and she said to her friends, "That's the man I'm going to marry." She was right; she and Stuart Sperling were happily married for 52 years, and if there is any justice in the universe they are together again now.

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She enjoyed going to the theater and she played Mahjong with the girls twice a week until a few days before the beginning of her final illness.

She was a loving mother and grandmother who will be greatly missed by her daughters, Sharon Sperling Gunning of Gainesville, FL, Elizabeth M. Barrett of Columbia, MD, and Lt. Col Ann Neal (USAF) of San Antonio, TX; sons-in-law Kevin Gunning, Bryan Barrett and James Neal; grandchildren Corey Smith (Lauryn), Jennifer Neal, Kevin Barrett, Aaron Smith (Julia), Shea Gunning, Michael Barrett, Kathryn Gunning, Jonathan Hage, Robert "Buddy" Gunning, and Dallas Neal.

Services for Harriet will be Sunday, July 15th, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Temple B'nai Darom, 49 Banyon Course, Ocala, FL. with the burial to follow the services, all are welcome to attend.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you consider making a donation in Harriet's memory to Odyssey Hospice or Temple B'nai Darom of Ocala, Florida.

Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce East Chapel, Ocala, FL. 352-732-9944.

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### **STUBAUS, HOWARD L., "RUSTY" JR., 67**

Ocala - Howard L. "Rusty" Stubaus, Jr., age 67, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Wednesday, July 11th, 2012. He was born in Jersey City, NJ on September 18, 1944.

Rusty served in the U.S. Marines. After his military service, Rusty gained employment with New Jersey Bell where he worked and retired after 30 years.

He is survived by his wife, Rhoda Stubaus of Ocala, FL. A memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Monday, July 16th, 2012 at 11 a.m.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 16, 2012**

#### **ADKISON, MYRTIE LEE**

Myrtie Lee Adkison, 89, of Umatilla died Saturday, July 14, 2012 in Ocala. She was born April 12, 1923 in Bristol, FL. She was a cook and attended the Leesburg Deliverance Center. She is survived by her daughter, Nettie Lee Holland; son, Charlie W. Adkison; sisters, Clara Walker; Gertrude Thompson; Minnie C. Young; Elaine Jones; 9 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

Visitation will be on Monday, July 16, 2012 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm at Beyers Funeral Home Chapel, Umatilla. Services will be Tuesday, July 17, 2012 at 2:00 pm in the Beyers Chapel with Bishop Ronald King officiating. Burial to follow at Lakeside Memory Gardens in Eustis. Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Umatilla, FL.

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#### **DINARDI, FRANCIS J. "POPPY"**

Francis J. "Poppy" Dinardi, 79, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, July 10, 2012 in Ocala. Born in Melrose, MA on January 15, 1933, son to the late Dominic and Margaret (Swimm) Dinardi Francis moved to Ocala in 1988 from N. Andover, MA. He was a U.S. Navy veteran and served on the U.S.S. Van Valkenburgh during the Korean Conflict. He was the owner and operator of D.J. Dinardi Construction Company in Melrose, MA and in 1988 purchased the Dun Raven Horse Farm in Morriston, FL., retiring to Ocala in 1994. He bred and raised thoroughbred race horses. He was an avid New England Patriots fan. He was also preceded in death by his son Michael. Poppy is survived by his beloved wife of 55 years, Patricia A.; children Danni Callahan and husband Stephen of York Beach, ME, J. Frank Dinardi and wife Aimee of Ocala and Trina Dinardi of Chicago, IL; grandchildren Sean, Tara, Keefe, Mike, Patty, Frankie, Katie and Sean; six great grandchildren and sisters Gertrude Pearson and Margaret Olson. A Visitation will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Monday, July 16th from 2:00PM to 5:00PM. A Funeral Mass will be held on Tuesday, July 17th at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Burial with full military honors will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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#### **FLOWERS, ERMA LYVONNE**

Erma Lyvonne Flowers, age 89, passed away Friday, July 13, 2012. Lyvonne was born July 9, 1923 in Ocala, Florida to John and Ada (Fore) Marsh. Lyvonne was a long life resident of the

Jacksonville Beach area. Lyvonne and her husband John built their home at 14th Ave S in 1942 where they raised their four children. During the late 50's John and Lyvonne started their own commercial flower farm selling their products both locally and nationally. She enjoyed fishing, art, and traveling around the countryside in her motor home. She was preceded by her husband and her parents. Survivors include one son John Flowers (Mary); three daughters Cyvette Guerra (Eugene), Neva Bumgarner, Gina Burton (Jeff); one brother John Marsh six grandchildren; seventeen great grandchildren. Family will receive relatives and friends on Tuesday, July 17, 2012 from 9:30 - 10:30 am at Hardage-Giddens Town & Country Funeral Home, 7242 Normandy Blvd, Jacksonville FL. Funeral Service will follow at 10:30 am in the chapel. Interment will be held 3:00 pm in Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church Cemetery, 14100 East Hwy 40, Silver Springs, FL 34488.

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**GIBSON, LOIS MARILYN, 80**

Pensacola, FL - Lois Marilyn Gibson, 80, passed away on Sunday, July 8th, 2012. She was born on June 17th, 1932 in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

She attended school in San Francisco, California. She joined the U.S. Foreign Service with USAID in April 1968. Lois met and married W. Guy Gibson in Saigon, South Vietnam on June 6th, 1970. They served jointly in Vietnam, Zaire, Burundi, Botswana, South Africa, Laos, and Washington D.C. She retired from Foreign Service on January 3rd, 1995.

Following retirement, she lived in Dunnellon, Florida and Oak Harbor, Washington, before moving to Pensacola, Florida. Her hobbies included tennis, writing and painting.

Lois was preceded in death by her parents, Melville and Etta Winslow; and her daughter, Victoria Ray.

She is survived by her daughter, Fern Pearson; stepson, Dr. Mark Gibson of St. Charles, IL; eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and four great-great-grandchildren.

FAITH CHAPEL FUNERAL HOME SOUTH, 100 Beverly Parkway is in charge of arrangements. You may express your condolences at:

[www.fcfhs.com](http://www.fcfhs.com).

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**JANUSZ, JOSEPHINE, 92**

Ocala - Josephine Janusz, 92, of Ocala, passed away peacefully at her home with her daughters by her side on Thursday, July 12th, 2012.

Born in Brooklyn, NY on October 2nd, 1919, daughter to Michael and Margaret (Glinka) Golembiewski, she moved here along with her late husband of 60 years, Joseph from Long Island, NY in 1979.

She was a member of St. Jude Catholic Community of Ocala. She was a prior member of the Marion Oaks Ladies Club and one of the original members of M.O.V.E. She loved to read mystery books.

Josephine was also preceded in death by her brother, Thadeus; sisters, Anna and Jean; daughter, Catherine; son, Robert; and grandson, Robert, Jr.

She is survived by her daughters, Wanda Janusz of Ocala, FL and Margaret Gorton of Grahamsville, NY; grandchildren, Keith, Christine and Joseph; great-grandchildren, Hailey, Brant and Mia.

A Funeral Mass will be held on Monday, July 16th, 2012 at 10 a.m. at St. Jude Catholic

Community, Marion Oaks. Family will receive their friends from 9:30 to 9:50 a.m. at the Church.

Memorial Contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860.

Condolences may be expressed at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL..

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### **NIELSEN, HARRIET MICHEL**

Ocala, Florida - Harriet Nielsen, daughter of Harriet and Nicholas Michel, passed away suddenly at the age of 94. Harriet grew up in New York City where she worked in the AT& T Longlines Building in Lower Manhattan until moving to New Jersey after marriage to William Nielsen. They raised three children, Jane A. Judith H. and William N. Jr. in Union, New Jersey. They later moved to Toms River, New Jersey where they resided for many years. Harriet was an expert in needlecraft, sewing beautiful garments, along with knitting and crocheting for family. She was active in the Busy Bees hand craft group where she used her expertise and love of handwork to create knitwear and infant caps which were donated to local hospitals and those in need. The couple also volunteered delivering Meals on Wheels.

Harriet enjoyed living in Ocala in most recent years. She is survived by daughters Jane Lauridsen, Judith and her husband, Robert Kane, granddaughter Christina Lauridsen, daughter-in-law, Shirley Nielsen, wife of the late, William, Jr. She is also survived by grandsons, Glenn W. Nielsen and wife Sheryl and Alan R. as well as great-grand sons Zachary and Andrew Nielsen.

A service will be held at Legacy House of Marion County on Monday, July 16, 2012 at 1 PM. SW 110th St., Ocala, Fla.

A reception will be held afterward at the Kane home.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860, Ocala, Fla, 34478 or the hospice of your choice in your local community.

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### **OLIVER, DARLENE**

Darlene Oliver, 49, of Belleview, went home to be with the Lord on July 13, 2012 surrounded by her loving family. She was born on August 27, 1962 in Bayshore Long Island, New York, a daughter to the late Joseph Verdino and Lena Verdino of West Palm Beach. In addition to her father she was also preceded in death by a son Jason and a sister Lorraine Bunn. Her family fondly remembers her as a true fighter, telling her family "Until further notice...Celebrate everything". She loved sharing and talking with friends and family, ceramics, photos and shopping and she most recently become an EBAY "Queen". She belonged to the Village View Community Church and the Cycle Breakers home group. Most of all she is remembered as a loving mother and wife. She leaves behind to cherish her memories her husband of 19 years Max, a son Jeff Roach of Ocala, a daughter Emily Oliver of Ocala, two sisters, Joan Treanor of Brooksville, and Doreen Rietdorf of Fort Wayne, IN. A visitation has been scheduled for Tuesday, July 17, 2012 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Wednesday, July 18, 2012 at 10:00am also at the funeral home with

burial to follow at Forest Lawn Memory Garden. The family has requested that in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Oliver Family, C/O Forest Lawn Funeral Home and will be divided among various cancer research organizations at Darlene's request.

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**RAY, RICHARD, 54**

Anthony, FL - Mr. Richard Ray, 54, of Anthony, died Friday, July 13th, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center.

A native of Pike County, Kentucky, he spent most of his life in Marion County. He was a graduate of North Marion High School, and was the owner/operator of Silver Meadows Farm, where he and his family raised miniature horses. He belonged to the American Miniature Horse Association, the American Miniature Horse Registry, and was a member of Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife Anita Ray; daughters, Janice Ray, Amanda O'Cull, and Holly Martineau; his mother, Dorthy Mae Robinson; three brothers, three sisters; and four grandchildren.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, July 16th, 2012, at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church, with Rev. Raymond Estes officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service, and interment will follow in the church cemetery.

Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is handling arrangements.

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**ROBINSON, IOLA JOY MASSER, 77**

Citra - Iola Joy Masser Robinson, 77, of Citra, FL passed away Monday, July 9th, 2012 at her seasonal home in Andrews, NC.

She was born December 10th, 1934, in Lyons, NY to the late Elmo "Bus" Masser and Margaret Hammond Masser. She was raised by her grandparents, Victor and Maude Masser in Lyons. She graduated from Lyons Central School in 1952 and Rochester, NY Business Institute in August of 1953. She will be forever missed and loved by her family.

In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by a baby brother, James; and sister, Roseanne.

Surviving are her husband of 57 years, Edward; daughters, Cynthia (Riley), Sandra "Dee Dee" (Jack), and Clare (Robert); grandchildren, Lauren, Edward, Allison, Amy, Ashley, Amber, Jennifer, Daniel, Jessica, and Matthew; great grandchildren, Phoenix, Evan, Kellan, and Damian; two brothers, Victor and wife, Lois and Donald; and many nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. Ivie Funeral Home, in Andrews, NC, is in charge of arrangements. An online guest register is available at:

[www.iviefuneralhomeinc.com](http://www.iviefuneralhomeinc.com).

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**ROGERS, GAYLE G.**

Gayle G. Rogers, 71, Dunnellon, FL, died Thursday, July 12, 2012 at The Legacy House in Ocala, FL. Gayle was born in Williamsport, PA to James L. & Marjorie (Reese) Garman.

She was a manager of an apartment rental complex for 35 years and upon her retirement she and her husband JJ moved to Dunnellon, whereas, they built and decorated their retirement house worthy of a Better Homes and Gardens model.

She was a Christian by faith. She enjoyed decorating, boating, going to the beach, and traveling, especially her trips to Japan. She most enjoyed spending time with her Family and Friends.

Services are scheduled for 10:00 am Wednesday, July 18, 2012 at the Roberts Funeral Home with Rev. Kenneth O. Hennesy, Atlanta, GA, officiating. Visitation will be 5:00 to 7:00 pm, Tuesday, July 17, 2012 at the funeral home.

Survivors include her husband Jewell (JJ) Rogers, Dunnellon, Daughters: Kim G. (John, Jr.) Nicks, Charleston, SC; Susan (John) Barta, Atlanta, GA; Rita (Alex) Espinoza, Atlanta, GA; Sons: Jim (Sharon) Ginley, Dunnellon, FL; Sean (Sue) Ginley, Tarpon Springs, FL; Sister: Jill (Page) Matherson, Jacksonville, FL; Brother: Jack (Yoko) Garman, Houston, TX; 8 Grandchildren, 3 Great Grandchildren and one (1) on the way. Mrs. Rogers was predeceased by her daughter Heather A. Ginley.

In lieu of flowers the Family requests donations in the memory of Mrs. Rogers to The St. Jude Children's Research Hospital , 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or The Moffitt Cancer Center Foundation, 12902 Magnolia Dr. - UTC FOUND, Tampa, FL 33612.

Online condolences may be offered at [robertsofdunnellon.com](http://robertsofdunnellon.com)

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 17, 2012**

#### **DURANTE, JOSEPH A.**

Ocklawaha- Born January 1st, 1958 in Queens, NY; died July 13th, 2012 in Ocala, FL.

He is survived by his beloved mother, Madeline, of Ocklawaha, FL; and sister, Patricia, of Ocklawaha, FL.

Visitation will be Friday, July 20th, 2012 from 2-4 p.m. at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. 352-245-2424. Sentiments may be left online at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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#### **FINDLAY, DOROTHY JANE, 87**

Perrysburg, OH - Dorothy Jane Findlay, age 87, of Ocala, Florida, formerly of Toledo, OH passed away peacefully on Saturday July 14th, 2012 at Hospice of Northwest Ohio, Perrysburg, surrounded by her loving family.

Dorothy was born in Jackson, OH on January 23rd, 1925 to Claude and Opal (Irwin) Kincade.

Dorothy was a Girl Scout leader for 25 years in Toledo. Dorothy was a past member of Glenwood Lutheran Church, Toledo, OH where she and her husband were active members in the Couples Club. Most recently, she was a member of Ocala Methodist Church in Ocala, FL where she sang in the choir, and rang the bells.

At On Top of the World Community, she was a senior citizen rockette dancer and a writer for the local paper. She enjoyed quilting, painting, china painting, golfing, cards, games, reading, and traveling. She especially enjoyed spending time with her family. A loving wife, mother, grandmother and friend to many, Dorothy will be deeply missed by the many lives she touched.

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In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Paul D. Findlay; brother, Eugene Kincade and her sister, Vivian Kincade Knox.



Family and friends will be received at the Maison-Dardenne-Walker Funeral Home, 501 Conant St., Maumee, OH on Tuesday, July 17th, 2012 from 11 a.m. until the time of funeral services at 1 p.m. Interment will follow at Ottawa Hills Memorial Park.

Memorial contributions may be made to Loving Family Home Care, 5706 Bonsels Parkway, Toledo, OH 43615 or Hospice of Northwest Ohio, 30000 E. River Rd., Perrysburg, OH 43551.

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### **SHUHART, FRANKLIN CHARLES "POP POP", 74**

Silver Springs, FL. - Franklin C. "Pop Pop" Shuhart, 74, left this world peacefully surrounded by family at 3:30 p.m. on July 9th, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala, FL.

He was born on January 27th, 1938 in New Town, PA. to William (Bill) and Ella (Boots) Shuhart who preceded him in death, as did his brother William (Billy) Shuhart.

In his early years, he worked at Franklin Metal and Rubber for 15 years then moved his family out West to Cody, WY and worked on the oil rigs for two years. He had enough of the cold winters and moved his family to hot, sunny FL. where he worked at Sears for 20 years. He was presently working at Walmart, with his son, until his passing.

He was a simple man that enjoyed a simple life and had a smile that could light up a room. He never met a person that he called a stranger. He enjoyed going to bingo, playing cards, eating hot dogs and always had a hot cup of coffee in his hand. He loved being surrounded by family and friends.

He is survived by his wife, Val Shuhart of Silver Springs; sons, Jeff Perdun and Jim Perdun of Silver Springs, Jeff Berniki of Levittown, PA; daughters, Joy (David) Armitage of Bristol, PA, Ginger (Jerry) Cantrell of Silver Springs; brothers, John Shuhart of Silver Springs and Edward Shuhart of Parkland,PA; grandchildren, David Armitage Jr., Christopher Armitage, Jacob Cantrell, Jared Cantrell and Lauren Perdun; great grandchildren, David Armitage III and Vincent Armitage.

A Celebration of Life will be held on July 21st, 2012 from 1-3 p.m. at 17260 SE 19th Pl., Silver Springs.

Donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL, 34478 in memory of Frank Shuhart. Cremation was handled by Florida Cremation in Ocala.

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#### **THURSTON, IRENE A.**

Irene A. Thurston was born on August 27, 1926 in Worcester, MA to Constantine and Elsie Bashios. She passed away on July 13, 2012 in Ocala, FL. Mrs. Thurston moved to Ocala from Fort Lauderdale Nine years ago to be with her family. Mrs. Thurston was of the Presbyterian Faith. She retired from the Broward County School board after 20 yrs of service. She enjoyed playing poker, was an avid reader, most of all spending time with her family. Survived by her son Gary and wife Lee Ann Thurston of Ocala; Daughter Gayle Thurston of Ocala and Daughter Pamela and husband Robert Perlman of Weston, FL; Brother Homer Bashios of Ocala; Sister Florence Butler of Chicago, IL; Grandchildren, Troy and Amanda Thurston, Zack, Alex, Sara Perlman. Preceded in death by her loving husband Vinal Thurston. Visitation from 5:30PM-6:30PM with service to begin at 6:30PM on Friday, July 20, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E Silver Springs BLVD, Ocala, FL. Interment will follow on Sunday, July 22, 2012 at 1:00PM in Fort Lauderdale at Lauderdale Memorial Park, 2001 SW 4th AVE, Fort Lauderdale, FL. Memorial Contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or American Heart Association .

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Ocala - Shirley D. Beaupre, 87, of Ocala, FL, passed away on July 10th, 2012, at Ocala Regional Medical Center.

Shirley was born in Ticonderoga, NY, to Charles N. and Marietta (Nee Glodgo) Denesha and moved to Florida in 1989 from Springfield, MA.

She is survived by her husband, Harold; brother, Gerald Denesha, cousin, Lois Lamondia; and several nieces and nephews including James Lamondia and Cheryl Wilga.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, July 20th, 2012, at 11:30 a.m. at the Florida National Cemetery. Deacon Byron Otricovec will officiate. Marion County Memorial Honor Guard will also participate in the service, as Mr. Beaupre is a member of the Honor Guard.

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**KUDARY, JAYMI, 45**

Dunnellon - Jaymi Gail Kudary, 45, passed away at home on July 12th, 2012, surrounded by family and friends after a hard fought battle with cancer.

Born April 7th, 1967, in Kalamazoo, MI, she came to Marion County from Marathon, Florida in

1981. She was the Civil Courts Manager for the Marion County Clerk's Office. She worked there 23 years.

Jaymi enjoyed listening to good music, fishing, riding roller coasters, riding on the back of Gordon's Harley, and car racing. She was loved by many and her smile lit up the room.

She was preceded in death by her parents, James and Roberta Windberg. She is survived by her loving husband of 23 years, Gordon Kudary; sisters, Michelle (Harold) Miller; Cyndi (Bob) Schlobach, brothers, Greg (Leslie) Windberg; Chris (Debbie) Windberg; nieces and nephews, Sean, Jessica, Hannah, Harrison, and Jackson.

There will be a memorial service with a celebration of life to follow starting at 2 p.m. on Saturday, July 21st, 2012, at the Ocala Marion County Realtors Association, 3105 NE 14th Street, Ocala.

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### **NICHOLS, RUTH C., 90**

Ocala - Ruth C. Nichols passed into the arms of her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, on July 14th, 2012 her 90th birthday.

Born in Cambridge, Massachusetts and a graduate of Summerville High School class of 1941, she moved to Ocala 17 years ago from Delray Beach.

She retired as a purchasing agent for the U.S. Army at Fort Devens, Massachusetts. Ruth was an active member of the Order of Eastern Star in Concord, Massachusetts, Hawthorn chapter, where she held the chair of Esther.

While living in Ocala she became very active in the craft of ceramics which she greatly enjoyed. Ruth never knew a stranger. She was a loving, caring, and generous friend to all.

She is survived by her high school sweetheart, her beloved husband of 69 years, Stanley D. Nichols; son, Steven (Carol) Nichols of Gallatin, TN; daughters, Janet (Jim) Windham of Greensboro, NC; Linda (Deane) Rundell of Muncie, IN; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Memorial Service will be 1 p.m. on Friday, July 20th, 2012 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her memory to the Alzheimer's Association, P.O. Box 96011, Washington, DC, 20090-6011.

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### **SCHONBERG, ARNOLD, 89**

Syracuse, NY - Mr. Arnold Schonberg, age 89, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away on Saturday, July 14th, 2012 at the Community General Hospital in Syracuse, NY.

He was born on October 15th, 1922 in New York City, NY, a son of the late John and Betty Schonberg Parvin.

Arnold graduated from New York University with a degree in Mechanical Engineering.

In 1956 he was joined in marriage to Charlotte Hill, a loving and blessed union of 46 years until her passing on November 2nd, 2002.

Arnold proudly served his country during WWII in the U.S. Army Air Corps. He enlisted in the Army Air Corps in 1943 and completed twin engine pilot training at George Field, IL in February of 1944 where he was commissioned as a 2nd LT. He served as a flight instructor at George Field and then entered B-24 training at Chatham Field, GA and Langley Field, VA. Upon completion of radar training at Langley, he flew a B-24 to England and was assigned to the 491st Bomb Group, 8th Air Force at Metfield, England. Arnold was awarded many highly

distinguished medals during his WWII Military Career.

He was employed as a General Contractor and was co-owner of Fieler-Schonberg Construction Co. in N.Y.C. for many years until his retirement in 1973. Arnold enjoyed his second career as a dairy and beef farmer, having been the owner of the Cedarville Farm in Cedarville, NY for several years.

Surviving are one daughter, Jane Schonberg of VT; one son and daughter-in-law, Jeffrey and Sheryl Schonberg of Ballston Spa, NY; two grandchildren, Lynn Schonberg and Peter Schonberg; and several nieces, nephews and many dear friends.

Funeral services will be held today at 9:30 a.m. at The Scala & Roefaro Funeral Home, Inc., 1122 Culver Ave. Utica, NY where the Rabbi Cassi Kail will officiate. Interment will follow and take place in the Saratoga National Cemetery, Schuylerville, NY.

Online sympathy: [www.scalaroefaro.com](http://www.scalaroefaro.com)

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Silver Springs, FL. - Franklin C. "Pop Pop" Shuhart, 74, left this world peacefully surrounded by family at 3:30 p.m. on July 9th, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala, FL.

He was born on January 27th, 1938 in New Town, PA. to William (Bill) and Ella (Boots) Shuhart who preceded him in death, as did his brother William (Billy) Shuhart.

In his early years, he worked at Franklin Metal and Rubber for 15 years then moved his family out West to Cody, WY and worked on the oil rigs for two years. He had enough of the cold winters and moved his family to hot, sunny FL. where he worked at Sears for 20 years. He was presently working at Walmart, with his son, until his passing.

He was a simple man that enjoyed a simple life and had a smile that could light up a room. He never met a person that he called a stranger. He enjoyed going to bingo, playing cards, eating hot dogs and always had a hot cup of coffee in his hand. He loved being surrounded by family and friends.

He is survived by his wife, Val Shuhart of Silver Springs; sons, Jeff Perdun and Jim Perdun of Silver Springs, Jeff Berniki of Levittown, PA; daughters, Joy (David) Armitage of Bristol, PA, Ginger (Jerry) Cantrell of Silver Springs; brothers, John Shuhart of Silver Springs and Edward Shuhart of Parkland, PA; grandchildren, David Armitage Jr., Christopher Armitage, Jacob Cantrell, Jared Cantrell and Lauren Perdun; great grandchildren, David Armitage III and Vincent Armitage.

A Celebration of Life will be held on July 21st, 2012 from 1-3 p.m. at 17260 SE 19th Pl., Silver Springs.

Donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL, 34478 in memory of Frank Shuhart. Cremation was handled by Florida Cremation in Ocala.

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**THURSTON, IRENE A.**

Irene A. Thurston was born on August 27, 1926 in Worcester, MA to Constantine and Elsie Bashios. She passed away on July 13, 2012 in Ocala, FL. Mrs. Thurston moved to Ocala from Fort Lauderdale Nine years ago to be with her family. Mrs. Thurston was of the Presbyterian Faith. She retired from the Broward County School board after 20 yrs of service. She enjoyed playing poker, was an avid reader, most of all spending time with her family. Survived by her son Gary and wife Lee Ann Thurston of Ocala; Daughter Gayle Thurston of Ocala and Daughter Pamela and husband Robert Perlman of Weston, FL; Brother Homer Bashios of Ocala; Sister Florence Butler of Chicago, IL; Grandchildren, Troy and Amanda Thurston, Zack, Alex, Sara Perlman. Preceded in death by her loving husband Vinal Thurston. Visitation from 5:30PM-6:30PM with service to begin at 6:30PM on Friday, July 20, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E Silver Springs BLVD, Ocala, FL. Interment will follow on Sunday, July 22, 2012 at 1:00PM in Fort Lauderdale at Lauderdale Memorial Park, 2001 SW 4th AVE, Fort Lauderdale, FL. Memorial Contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society or American Heart Association .

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**BEAUPRE, SHIRLEY D., 87**

Ocala - Shirley D. Beaupre, 87, of Ocala, FL, passed away on July 10th, 2012, at Ocala Regional Medical Center.

Shirley was born in Ticonderoga, NY, to Charles N. and Marietta (Nee Glodgo) Denesha and moved to Florida in 1989 from Springfield, MA.

She is survived by her husband, Harold; brother, Gerald Denesha, cousin, Lois Lamondia; and several nieces and nephews including James Lamondia and Cheryl Wilga.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, July 20th, 2012, at 11:30 a.m. at the Florida National Cemetery. Deacon Byron Otricovec will officiate. Marion County Memorial Honor Guard will also participate in the service, as Mr. Beaupre is a member of the Honor Guard.

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**KUDARY, JAYMI, 45**

Dunnellon - Jaymi Gail Kudary, 45, passed away at home on July 12th, 2012, surrounded by family and friends after a hard fought battle with cancer.

Born April 7th, 1967, in Kalamazoo, MI, she came to Marion County from Marathon, Florida in 1981. She was the Civil Courts Manager for the Marion County Clerk's Office. She worked there 23 years.

Jaymi enjoyed listening to good music, fishing, riding roller coasters, riding on the back of Gordon's Harley, and car racing. She was loved by many and her smile lit up the room.

She was preceded in death by her parents, James and Roberta Windberg. She is survived by her loving husband of 23 years, Gordon Kudary; sisters, Michelle (Harold) Miller; Cyndi (Bob) Schlobach, brothers, Greg (Leslie) Windberg; Chris (Debbie) Windberg; nieces and nephews, Sean, Jessica, Hannah, Harrison, and Jackson.

There will be a memorial service with a celebration of life to follow starting at 2 p.m. on Saturday, July 21st, 2012, at the Ocala Marion County Realtors Association, 3105 NE 14th Street, Ocala.

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She leaves behind to cherish her memories, a son, Jon D. (Johanna) Nelson of Tallahassee; a daughter, Judy Nelson in Puerto Rico; daughter-in-law, Pat Nelson of Gainesville; seven grandchildren, thirteen great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Mary will always be remembered for her zest for life, her twinkling blue eyes, and her warm and welcoming smile. She will be laid to rest next to her husband at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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Ottis is survived by his caring daughter, Sarah Ann Miller. He was preceded in death by his wife Ida.

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**NICHOLS, RUTH C., 90**

Ocala - Ruth C. Nichols passed into the arms of her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, on July 14th, 2012 her 90th birthday.

Born in Cambridge, Massachusetts and a graduate of Summerville High School class of 1941, she moved to Ocala 17 years ago from Delray Beach.

She retired as a purchasing agent for the U.S. Army at Fort Devens, Massachusetts. Ruth was an active member of the Order of Eastern Star in Concord, Massachusetts, Hawthorn chapter, where she held the chair of Esther.

While living in Ocala she became very active in the craft of ceramics which she greatly enjoyed. Ruth never knew a stranger. She was a loving, caring, and generous friend to all.

She is survived by her high school sweetheart, her beloved husband of 69 years, Stanley D. Nichols; son, Steven (Carol) Nichols of Gallatin, TN; daughters, Janet (Jim) Windham of Greensboro, NC; Linda (Deane) Rundell of Muncie, IN; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Memorial Service will be 1 p.m. on Friday, July 20th, 2012 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her memory to the Alzheimer's Association, P.O. Box 96011, Washington, DC, 20090-6011.

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A memorial service will be set up at a later date. Online condolences may be left for the family at: [www.maxsass.com](http://www.maxsass.com). Arrangements entrusted to Max A. Sass & Sons, Funeral & Cremation Services, Milwaukee, WI., 414-645-4992

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**SCHONBERG, ARNOLD, 89**

Syracuse, NY - Mr. Arnold Schonberg, age 89, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away on Saturday, July 14th, 2012 at the Community General Hospital in Syracuse, NY.

He was born on October 15th, 1922 in New York City, NY, a son of the late John and Betty Schonberg Parvin.

Arnold graduated from New York University with a degree in Mechanical Engineering.

In 1956 he was joined in marriage to Charlotte Hill, a loving and blessed union of 46 years until her passing on November 2nd, 2002.

Arnold proudly served his country during WWII in the U.S. Army Air Corps. He enlisted in the Army Air Corps in 1943 and completed twin engine pilot training at George Field, IL in February of 1944 where he was commissioned as a 2nd LT. He served as a flight instructor at George Field and then entered B-24 training at Chatham Field, GA and Langley Field, VA. Upon completion of radar training at Langley, he flew a B-24 to England and was assigned to the 491st Bomb Group, 8th Air Force at Metfield, England. Arnold was awarded many highly distinguished medals during his WWII Military Career.

He was employed as a General Contractor and was co-owner of Fieler-Schonberg Construction Co. in N.Y.C. for many years until his retirement in 1973. Arnold enjoyed his second career as a dairy and beef farmer, having been the owner of the Cedarville Farm in Cedarville, NY for several years.

Surviving are one daughter, Jane Schonberg of VT; one son and daughter-in-law, Jeffrey and Sheryl Schonberg of Ballston Spa, NY; two grandchildren, Lynn Schonberg and Peter Schonberg; and several nieces, nephews and many dear friends.

Funeral services will be held today at 9:30 a.m. at The Scala & Roefaro Funeral Home, Inc., 1122 Culver Ave. Utica, NY where the Rabbi Cassi Kail will officiate. Interment will follow and take place in the Saratoga National Cemetery, Schuylerville, NY.

Online sympathy: [www.scalaroefaro.com](http://www.scalaroefaro.com)

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She was raised in Plymouth, IN where she graduated from Plymouth High School in 1949.

Ms. Faust traveled to many countries in her adult life. Some of her favorites included Australia, where she resided for two years, England, Japan, Germany, and France. She also traveled to Plymouth, IN to visit family for many years.

She loved to attend the Plymouth Alumni and her class gatherings. She made Ocala her home in 1992.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard Faust Sr. in February, 2003; a sister, Ellen

Bauman Rosebaum; brothers, Michael, Howard and Laurence Bauman.

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**BAKER, FAYE J., 78**

Ocala - Faye J. Baker, 78, passed away July 19th, 2012 in Ocala.

She is survived by her niece, Dawn Gardner; nephews, Scott Johnson, Ray Johnson, and Jamie Johnson; step-daughter, Susan Green; and stepson, Rick Baker; grandchildren, Davis Ann Green and Holden Green.

A memorial service will be held on Sunday, July 22nd, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470.

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**FAUST, JOAN BAUMAN ,81**

Ocala - Joan Faust went to be with her Lord on June 29th, 2012.

She was raised in Plymouth, IN where she graduated from Plymouth High School in 1949.

Ms. Faust traveled to many countries in her adult life. Some of her favorites included Australia, where she resided for two years, England, Japan, Germany, and France. She also traveled to Plymouth, IN to visit family for many years.

She loved to attend the Plymouth Alumni and her class gatherings. She made Ocala her home in 1992.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard Faust Sr. in February, 2003; a sister, Ellen Bauman Rosebaum; brothers, Michael, Howard and Laurence Bauman.

Surviving is her stepson, Richard Faust Jr., (Estella); grandchildren, Cynthia and Karen Faust; and a great- grandson, Jaden Florence, all of Ocala, FL. Also surviving are three sisters, Alice Pearson of Plymouth, IN, Lois (Art) Morrell of Argos, IN and Doris (Dean) Anders of Niles, MI.; and a brother, Bob Bauman of Argos, IN; and many nieces and nephews in the Plymouth, Argos, South Bend, IN and the Florida area.

Celebration of Life services will be held 2 p.m., Saturday, July 21st, 2012 at First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, 503 SE 3rd Street Ocala,FL., 34471.

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**RISKO, BETHANY NICOLE, 21**

Ocala - Bethany Nicole Risko, age 21, of Ocala, FL passed away on Wednesday, July 18, 2012. She was born in Fairfield, CA on February 27, 1991. She was raised in Ocala.

Bethany graduated this past June 1, 2012 from Hillcrest School in Ocala. She was a Special Olympics Medal Winner. She enjoyed jigsaw puzzles, bowling and therapeutic horseback riding. She was a huge fan of the cartoon character Barney.

She is survived by her mother Tammera Foster; father George Risko; stepmother Michelle Risko; 3 brothers: Austin, Dillon and Eli, 1 sister Erica; paternal grandparents George and Rosemary Risko; maternal grandfather Charles Prentiss; maternal grandmother Kathleen Jones-Spieler; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470 on Saturday, July 21, 2012 from 5-7 p.m. A funeral service will be held at Church @ The Springs, 5424 SE 58th Ave., Ocala, FL 34480 on Sunday, July 22, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. Interment will take place at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, FL.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Epilepsy Foundation, Shands Children's Hospital, Autism Speaks or Special Olympics.

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**SANFORD, JAMES C., 72**

Ocala - James C. Sanford, 72, of Ocala, FL, went to be with his Lord on July 14th, 2012, peacefully and surrounded by his loving family.

He was born in Jamestown, NY on March 24th, 1940 to the late Carl and Adaline Sanford. He is survived by Karen, his wife of 50 years, and their four children, Sherri Sanford, Rhonda Buckner (David), Troy Sanford (Lisa) all of Ocala and LeAnn Spencer (Kevin) of Jamestown, NY. Jim has ten grandchildren, Tiffany Sanford, Austin Buckner, Ashley Buckner Davis, Nicole and Adam Sharrow, Salena, Steve and Aaron Spencer, and Andrew and Tyler Sanford. He has three great-granddaughters, Ayanna, Bella and Joan; several nieces and nephews; brother-in-law, Jerry Sampson, and sister-in-law, Patricia Morris (Richard).

He was predeceased by two brothers, Riley and Mark Sanford; three sisters, Dianne Washburg, Bonnie Gilmartin and Rachel Czarnecki.

A 1958 graduate of Jamestown High School, he attended various colleges before being employed by the City of Jamestown for over 30 years.

Family always came first with Jim. He was a very active thirty-third degree Master Mason with his home lodge. He enjoyed raising horses and other various animals on his mini farm. Over the years he hosted several foreign exchange students.

Upon retirement, and making his home in Ocala, he became a member of the Marion-Dunn Masonic Lodge. He enjoyed traveling with Karen, family and friends. We will have a time of remembrance and celebration of his life Tuesday, July 24th, 2012 at Meadowbrook Church in Ocala, at 11 a.m., followed by a gathering of family and friends.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in his memory to the Shriners Hospital for Children, 12502 USF Pine Drive, Tampa, FL 33612-9411. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala, FL.

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A memorial service will be held on Sunday, July 22nd, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470.

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**BERGLUND, ROBERT W., JR.**

Ocklawaha - Born December 26th, 1970 in Boston, MA; died July 10th, 2012 in Ocklawaha, FL. Rob loved the great outdoors, including fishing, hunting, and camping.

Survived by sister, Rachel Cook of Virginia Beach, VA; aunts, Margaret Brown of Plant City, FL, and Lisa Nesmith of Belleview, FL; one niece; and numerous cousins.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Catherine Hall.

No service will be held at his request. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424.



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**CAFFARRA, EDWARD, 93**

Ocala - Edward Caffarra, 93, died July 16th, 2012 at his Ocala home.

Edward was born in Orange, NJ to Mario and Rosa Pesce Caffarra on April 12th, 1919.

He was an Army Veteran serving in WWII and received a Purple Heart and a Bronze Star. He was a commercial artist, who loved the NY Yankees, golfing and being with family and friends. He moved to Ocala from W. Orange, NJ in 2006. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church.

He is survived by his wife, Concetta Caffarra of Ocala; two daughters, Kay (Howard) Epstein of Ocala and Karen (Ronald) Crawford of Little Falls, NJ; sister, Edith Jacquin of Macon, GA; brother, Emil (Helen) Caffarra of Cranford, NJ; and grandchildren, Kimberly Epstein, Brian Epstein, and Thomas Crawford.

A memorial gathering will be held Monday, July 23rd, 2012 from 5-7:30 p.m. followed by prayer service at 7 p.m. with Father Roy Eco officiating at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470.

Those who wish may make contributions to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34474. Tributes may be made at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**CLARK, ROYCE I.**

Ocala - Royce I. Clark, 93, passed away on Thursday, July 19, 2012 at Palm Gardens of Ocala surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Skaneateles Falls, NY and moved to Ocala from Memphis, TN in 1993. He was a retired farmer and had been employed for many years with Stauffer Chemical Co. and Nationwide Insurance. He was of the Methodist faith. He is survived by his wife, Emma, his daughters, Carol and Anne, his son, Douglas (Jeanna), his brother, Joseph, his six grandchildren, nine great grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his mother and father, two sisters, five brothers, a son, Richard and a grandson, Tony. Services were private.

Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Marks United Methodist Church or Hospice of Marion County.

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**HUNTER, HELEN E.**

Summerfield - Born February 17th, 1918 in Canton, OH, Helen E. Hunter died July 18th, 2012 in Belleview, FL. Mrs. Hunter believed in the Catholic faith.

Survived by sons, James R. of Belleview, FL, and Robert M. of Orange Springs, FL; sister, Rose Ann Pullin of Lakeland, FL; 11 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Sentiments may be left online at:

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### **KUYKENDALL, HOWARD A., JR.**

Ocala - Howard Alvin Kuykendall Jr. left this earth peacefully on June 3rd, 2012. He was surrounded by his loving family and friends as he made his way to eternal happiness and comfort.

"Howie" was born to Howard Alvin Kuykendall Sr. and Marjorie Cadmus Kuykendall in Paterson, New Jersey on June 14th, 1938. He grew up in New Jersey and graduated from Dumont High School in 1956.

He proudly served in the National Guard for six years in the 50th Armor Division as a Sergeant. He worked for Exxon before beginning a long career with C.A. Reed. The company moved him and his family to Williamsport, Pennsylvania and one more time to Ocala, Florida where he planted his roots. His career with C.A. Reed, led him to eventually starting his own sales and marketing business, H.K. Marketing.

Howie was a friend to many, uncle to several, grandpa to seven, dad to three, brother to two and fiancé to one.

His laugh was contagious. His jokes were tireless. His love was never ending. His kindness was unmatched. He spent countless hours on his boat in the Gulf of Mexico fishing, scalloping and enjoying time with friends and family. If he wasn't on his fishing boat, you could often find him hunting with his brother Gary in Pennsylvania, or at the hunt club in Georgia with his trusting four-legged friend, Bramble, by his side.

Howie was a proud member of the Ocala Elks Lodge 286. He loved to make treks across the country to spend time with his children and grandchildren, who were the light of his life. Conversations with Howie usually started with a simple, "How are you?" to which he would respond, "If I were any better, I'd be a twin". Howie's glass was always half full. He will be deeply missed.

Howie leaves behind his loving fiancé, Barbara Fontaine; his brother, Gary Kuykendall (Duane); his sister, Lois Holmstrom; his son, Kenny Kuykendall (Puoy Premsrirut), his son, Brian Kuykendall (Denae); and his daughter Deidre Pieretti (John); as well as his seven grandchildren, Caden Kuykendall, Zane Kuykendall, Hudson Kuykendall, Jaiden Pattenau, Makena Pieretti, Tessa Pieretti and Jax Pieretti.

A celebration of life will be held on Friday, August 3rd, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. at the Ocala Elks Lodge 286, 702 N.E. 25th Ave., Ocala Florida 34470.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a contribution to Ocala Elks Lodge 286.

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### **LYCHAKO, WALTER**

Orlando, FL - Walter Lychako, 95, quietly passed away on Saturday June, 14, 2012 at the home of his youngest son, James Lychako in Orlando, Florida. He was lovingly surrounded by his son James, daughter-in-law Jayne and granddaughter Jenna.

Walter was born in Youngstown, Ohio in 1917. He enlisted in the United States Army Air Core in 1940, served in WWII and was honorably discharged in 1945. He re-listed in the United States Air Force and retired with 20 years of service in 1964 with the rank of CMSGT. Walter served in the 22nd Armament and Electronic Maintenance Squadron of the Strategic Air Command (SAC). After retirement, Walter moved his family to Miami, Florida and began working for the United States Postal Service. He retired again in 1981 and he and his wife Jean moved to Rainbow Lakes Estates, Florida.

In 2001, his loving daughter, Beverly, assisted him in caring for his wife, Jean, who passed away in 2003. During the last year of Walter's life he was living in Orlando with his youngest son and family.

Walter's daughter Beverly, son James and wife Jayne, granddaughter Jenna, son Paul and wife Kris, will miss him, but know he is happily reunited with his wife Jean, grandson Steven, and other family and friends who have gone on before him.

Walter and Jean will be buried together at Bushnell National Cemetery where his family will hold a private remembrance.

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### **PYLES, JACQUELINE LUCILLE, 85**

Ocala - Jacqueline Lucille Pyles, known as "Lukie", passed away quietly July 18th, 2012. She was 85 years old.

She was a gentle and artistic soul with a keen eye for beauty. She was born in Ocala, the daughter of Annie Pearl Old Pyles and Sam Robert Pyles. She attended Harkum College in Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania, and studied art with the renowned portrait painter Jerry Farnsworth at The Farnsworth School of Art in Siesta Key, Florida.

She spent the majority of her adult life in Ocala, a devoted sister, friend, and aunt to her many nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her sisters, Ann Hope Rose and Jimmie Mae Vaughn and by her brother, Sammy Pyles; her niece, Hope Vaughn McGee; and nephew, Sandy Pyles.

She is survived and mourned by her nieces and nephews, Robin Rose of Washington DC, David Vaughn of Ocala, Susan Vaughn of Ocala, Lytle Bigham of Leesburg, and Jim Pyles of Leesburg. She will also be missed by the Palmer Family, lifelong friends.

Arrangements entrusted to Heirs-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL.

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She is survived by her mother Tammera Foster; father George Risko; stepmother Michelle Risko; 3 brothers: Austin, Dillon and Eli, 1 sister Erica; paternal grandparents George and Rosemary Risko; maternal grandfather Charles Prentiss; maternal grandmother Kathleen Jones-Spieler; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470 on Saturday, July 21, 2012 from 5-7 p.m. A funeral service will be held at Church @ The Springs, 5424 SE 58th Ave., Ocala, FL 34480 on Sunday, July 22, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. Interment will take place at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, FL.

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He was born in Jamestown, NY on March 24th, 1940 to the late Carl and Adaline Sanford. He is survived by Karen, his wife of 50 years, and their four children, Sherri Sanford, Rhonda Buckner (David), Troy Sanford (Lisa) all of Ocala and LeAnn Spencer (Kevin) of Jamestown, NY. Jim has ten grandchildren, Tiffany Sanford, Austin Buckner, Ashley Buckner Davis, Nicole and Adam Sharrow, Salena, Steve and Aaron Spencer, and Andrew and Tyler Sanford. He has three great-granddaughters, Ayanna, Bella and Joan; several nieces and nephews; brother-in-law, Jerry Sampson, and sister-in-law, Patricia Morris (Richard).

He was predeceased by two brothers, Riley and Mark Sanford; three sisters, Dianne Washburg, Bonnie Gilmartin and Rachel Czarnecki.

A 1958 graduate of Jamestown High School, he attended various colleges before being employed by the City of Jamestown for over 30 years.

Family always came first with Jim. He was a very active thirty-third degree Master Mason with his home lodge. He enjoyed raising horses and other various animals on his mini farm. Over the years he hosted several foreign exchange students.

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In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in his memory to the Shriners Hospital for Children, 12502 USF Pine Drive, Tampa, FL 33612-9411. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala, FL.

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**SEXTON, MARGARET M.**

Summerfield, FL - Margaret M. Sexton, 76, passed away on Friday, July 20, 2012 at her home with her family by her side. Margaret moved here in 1994 from her native Makawao Maui Hawaii, she was a retired Escrow clerk for a title company. Margaret was a member of the Tri County Baptist Church in Lady Lake and enjoyed doing cross word puzzles and word puzzles, and was active in helping the Republican Party. Margaret was the chaplain for the Nautilus Submarine Veterans of Ocala, Florida.

She is preceded in death by her husband- Isaac Sexton and son- Dale Mahoney.

Margaret is survived by a daughter- Mary Ward of Summerfield, Fl., son- Richard A. Mahoney and wife Pam of Taylors, SC., sister- Roseline Estrella of Makawao Maui, HI, with 5 grandchildren: Brian Ward, Sharon Ward, Adrienne Mahoney, Kimberly Mahoney, Richard Mahoney, Jr., and great grandson Tyson Ward.

The family will be receiving friends at the Tri County Baptist Church, 38405 Rolling Acres Rd, Lady Lake (391-9808) on Tuesday, July 24th from 10:00 to 11:00 am all are welcome to share with the family, Margaret's celebration of life will begin at 11:00 am with the burial to follow at Florida National Cemetery, all are welcome to attend the service.

Family requested donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice of Marion Co. in memory of Margaret, Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, Fl., 352-622-4141.

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**UNDERHILL, HERBERT L.**

Ocala - Herbert L. Underhill passed away on July 11th, 2012.

He was born January 3rd, 1940, in Madison, Indiana. He joined the U.S. Air Force and was honorably discharged as a MP. Later, he became a Florida Highway Patrolman and retired as a Captain. He was a member of the Elks Lodge.

Herb's life was spending time with his loving wife Susan whom passed away July 13th, 2012. He enjoyed traveling to Las Vegas, going out to eat and time with his faithful canine companion, Duchess.

He was preceded in death by parents, Raymond and Jean Underhill and a brother, William.

Herb is survived by a brother, Melvin Underhill (Helen); daughters, Tammy Lynn Gauthier (John); and Lisa McVey (Ricky); son, Joseph Luther; ten grandchildren; four great-grandchildren and many other loving family members.

Remembrances can be made with donations to the American Cancer Society or Hospice of Marion County.

Services will be held Saturday July 28th, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Church of Christ Central, 4200 East Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL, 34470.

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**UNDERHILL, SUSAN G.**

Ocala - Susan G. Underhill passed away on July 13th, 2012.

She was born October 17th, 1942 in Morristown, New Jersey. She moved to Ocala with her family in 1949. She graduated from Ocala High and was a member of the Elks Lodge. She retired in 2009 with the Civil Division for Marion County Sheriff's department.

She loved being with her loving husband, Herbert L. Underhill of 27 years, until his passing on July 11th, 2012. Her heart and soul was her family.

She was preceded in death by parents Floyd and Isabella (Murph) Goble.

She is survived by her daughter, Lisa McVey (Ricky); son, Joseph Luther; stepdaughter, Tammy Lynn Gauthier (John); brother, Floyd (Butch) Goble (Michelle); ten grandchildren, four great-grandchildren and many other loving family members.

Remembrances can be made with donations to American Cancer Society or Hospice of Marion County.

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**WYCKOFF, JOSEPH C.**

Bellevue - Born February 22nd, 1917 in Sharpsburg, PA; died July 12, 2012 in Ocala, FL.

Mr. Wyckoff was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church, Bellevue, FL. He retired to Bellevue from Ft. Lauderdale, FL; he was devoted to his family, and loved golfing and pizza.

He is survived by his daughter, Karen (Andrew) Reid of Fairfield, FL; son, Ronald of Plantsville, CT; son-in-law, Robert Armitage of Daytona, FL; ten grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 64 years, Helen; and daughter, Janice Armitage. Memorial mass will be celebrated Saturday, July 28th, 2012, at 9:30 a.m. at St. Theresa Catholic Church.

In lieu of flowers, family suggests contributions to Hospice of Marion County or your favorite

charity .

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 23, 2012**

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Survived by sister, Rachel Cook of Virginia Beach, VA; aunts, Margaret Brown of Plant City, FL, and Lisa Nesmith of Belleview, FL; one niece; and numerous cousins.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Catherine Hall.

No service will be held at his request. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview 352-245-2424.

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Those who wish may make contributions to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34474. Tributes may be made at:

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#### **CLARK, ROYCE I.**

Ocala - Royce I. Clark, 93, passed away on Thursday, July 19, 2012 at Palm Gardens of Ocala surrounded by his loving family. He was born in Skaneateles Falls, NY and moved to Ocala from Memphis, TN in 1993. He was a retired farmer and had been employed for many years with Stauffer Chemical Co. and Nationwide Insurance. He was of the Methodist faith. He is survived by his wife, Emma, his daughters, Carol and Anne, his son, Douglas (Jeanna), his brother, Joseph, his six grandchildren, nine great grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his mother and father, two sisters, five brothers, a son, Richard and a grandson, Tony. Services were private.

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**HUNTER, HELEN E.**

Summerfield - Born February 17th, 1918 in Canton, OH, Helen E. Hunter died July 18th, 2012 in Belleview, FL. Mrs. Hunter believed in the Catholic faith.

Survived by sons, James R. of Belleview, FL, and Robert M. of Orange Springs, FL; sister, Rose Ann Pullin of Lakeland, FL; 11 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES, Belleview. Sentiments may be left online at:

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**KUYKENDALL, HOWARD A., JR.**

Ocala - Howard Alvin Kuykendall Jr. left this earth peacefully on June 3rd, 2012. He was surrounded by his loving family and friends as he made his way to eternal happiness and comfort.

"Howie" was born to Howard Alvin Kuykendall Sr. and Marjorie Cadmus Kuykendall in Paterson, New Jersey on June 14th, 1938. He grew up in New Jersey and graduated from Dumont High School in 1956.

He proudly served in the National Guard for six years in the 50th Armor Division as a Sergeant. He worked for Exxon before beginning a long career with C.A. Reed. The company moved him and his family to Williamsport, Pennsylvania and one more time to Ocala, Florida where he planted his roots. His career with C.A. Reed, led him to eventually starting his own sales and marketing business, H.K. Marketing.

Howie was a friend to many, uncle to several, grandpa to seven, dad to three, brother to two and fiancé to one.

His laugh was contagious. His jokes were tireless. His love was never ending. His kindness was unmatched. He spent countless hours on his boat in the Gulf of Mexico fishing, scalloping and enjoying time with friends and family. If he wasn't on his fishing boat, you could often find him hunting with his brother Gary in Pennsylvania, or at the hunt club in Georgia with his trusting four-legged friend, Bramble, by his side.

Howie was a proud member of the Ocala Elks Lodge 286. He loved to make treks across the country to spend time with his children and grandchildren, who were the light of his life. Conversations with Howie usually started with a simple, "How are you?" to which he would respond, "If I were any better, I'd be a twin". Howie's glass was always half full. He will be deeply missed.

Howie leaves behind his loving fiancé, Barbara Fontaine; his brother, Gary Kuykendall (Duane); his sister, Lois Holmstrom; his son, Kenny Kuykendall (Puoy Premsrirut), his son, Brian Kuykendall (Denae); and his daughter Deidre Pieretti (John); as well as his seven grandchildren, Caden Kuykendall, Zane Kuykendall, Hudson Kuykendall, Jaiden Pattenau, Makena Pieretti, Tessa Pieretti and Jax Pieretti.

A celebration of life will be held on Friday, August 3rd, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. at the Ocala Elks Lodge 286, 702 N.E. 25th Ave., Ocala Florida 34470.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a contribution to Ocala Elks Lodge 286.

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**LYCHAKO, WALTER**

Orlando, FL - Walter Lychako, 95, quietly passed away on Saturday June, 14, 2012 at the home of his youngest son, James Lychako in Orlando, Florida. He was lovingly surrounded by his son James, daughter-in-law Jayne and granddaughter Jenna.

Walter was born in Youngstown, Ohio in 1917. He enlisted in the United States Army Air Core in 1940, served in WWII and was honorably discharged in 1945. He re-listed in the United States Air Force and retired with 20 years of service in 1964 with the rank of CMSGT. Walter served in the 22nd Armament and Electronic Maintenance Squadron of the Strategic Air Command (SAC). After retirement, Walter moved his family to Miami, Florida and began working for the United States Postal Service. He retired again in 1981 and he and his wife Jean moved to Rainbow Lakes Estates, Florida.

In 2001, his loving daughter, Beverly, assisted him in caring for his wife, Jean, who passed away in 2003. During the last year of Walter's life he was living in Orlando with his youngest son and family.

Walter's daughter Beverly, son James and wife Jayne, granddaughter Jenna, son Paul and wife Kris, will miss him, but know he is happily reunited with his wife Jean, grandson Steven, and other family and friends who have gone on before him.

Walter and Jean will be buried together at Bushnell National Cemetery where his family will hold a private remembrance.

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**PYLES, JACQUELINE LUCILLE, 85**

Ocala - Jacqueline Lucille Pyles, known as "Lukie", passed away quietly July 18th, 2012. She was 85 years old.

She was a gentle and artistic soul with a keen eye for beauty. She was born in Ocala, the daughter of Annie Pearl Old Pyles and Sam Robert Pyles. She attended Harkum College in Bryn Mayr, Pennsylvania, and studied art with the renowned portrait painter Jerry Farnsworth at The Farnsworth School of Art in Siesta Key, Florida.

She spent the majority of her adult life in Ocala, a devoted sister, friend, and aunt to her many nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her sisters, Ann Hope Rose and Jimmie Mae Vaughn and by her brother, Sammy Pyles; her niece, Hope Vaughn McGee; and nephew, Sandy Pyles.

She is survived and mourned by her nieces and nephews, Robin Rose of Washington DC, David Vaughn of Ocala, Susan Vaughn of Ocala, Lytle Bigham of Leesburg, and Jim Pyles of Leesburg. She will also be missed by the Palmer Family, lifelong friends.

Arrangements entrusted to Heirs-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL.

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**SEXTON, MARGARET M.**

Summerfield, FL - Margaret M. Sexton, 76, passed away on Friday, July 20, 2012 at her home with her family by her side. Margaret moved here in 1994 from her native Makawao Maui Hawaii, she was a retired Escrow clerk for a title company. Margaret was a member of the Tri County Baptist Church in Lady Lake and enjoyed doing cross word puzzles and word puzzles,



and was active in helping the Republican Party. Margaret was the chaplain for the Nautilus Submarine Veterans of Ocala, Florida.

She is preceded in death by her husband- Isaac Sexton and son- Dale Mahoney.

Margaret is survived by a daughter- Mary Ward of Summerfield, Fl., son- Richard A. Mahoney and wife Pam of Taylors, SC., sister- Roseline Estrella of Makawao Maui, HI, with 5 grandchildren: Brian Ward, Sharon Ward, Adrienne Mahoney, Kimberly Mahoney, Richard Mahoney, Jr., and great grandson Tyson Ward.

The family will be receiving friends at the Tri County Baptist Church, 38405 Rolling Acres Rd, Lady Lake (391-9808) on Tuesday, July 24th from 10:00 to 11:00 am all are welcome to share with the family, Margaret's celebration of life will begin at 11:00 am with the burial to follow at Florida National Cemetery, all are welcome to attend the service.

Family requested donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice of Marion Co. in memory of Margaret, Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, Fl., 352-622-4141.

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### **UNDERHILL, HERBERT L.**

Ocala - Herbert L. Underhill passed away on July 11th, 2012.

He was born January 3rd, 1940, in Madison, Indiana. He joined the U.S. Air Force and was honorably discharged as a MP. Later, he became a Florida Highway Patrolman and retired as a Captain. He was a member of the Elks Lodge.

Herb's life was spending time with his loving wife Susan whom passed away July 13th, 2012. He enjoyed traveling to Las Vegas, going out to eat and time with his faithful canine companion, Duchess.

He was preceded in death by parents, Raymond and Jean Underhill and a brother, William.

Herb is survived by a brother, Melvin Underhill (Helen); daughters, Tammy Lynn Gauthier (John); and Lisa McVey (Ricky); son, Joseph Luther; ten grandchildren; four great-grandchildren and many other loving family members.

Remembrances can be made with donations to the American Cancer Society or Hospice of Marion County.

Services will be held Saturday July 28th, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Church of Christ Central, 4200 East Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL, 34470.

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### **UNDERHILL, SUSAN G.**

Ocala - Susan G. Underhill passed away on July 13th, 2012.

She was born October 17th, 1942 in Morristown, New Jersey. She moved to Ocala with her family in 1949. She graduated from Ocala High and was a member of the Elks Lodge. She retired in 2009 with the Civil Division for Marion County Sheriff's department.

She loved being with her loving husband, Herbert L. Underhill of 27 years, until his passing on July 11th, 2012. Her heart and soul was her family.

She was preceded in death by parents Floyd and Isabella (Murph) Goble.

She is survived by her daughter, Lisa McVey (Ricky); son, Joseph Luther; stepdaughter, Tammy Lynn Gauthier (John); brother, Floyd (Butch) Goble (Michelle); ten grandchildren, four great-grandchildren and many other loving family members.

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**WYCKOFF, JOSEPH C.**

Belleview - Born February 22nd, 1917 in Sharpsburg, PA; died July 12, 2012 in Ocala, FL.

Mr. Wyckoff was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview, FL. He retired to Belleview from Ft. Lauderdale, FL; he was devoted to his family, and loved golfing and pizza.

He is survived by his daughter, Karen (Andrew) Reid of Fairfield, FL; son, Ronald of Plantsville, CT; son-in-law, Robert Armitage of Daytona, FL; ten grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 64 years, Helen; and daughter, Janice Armitage. Memorial mass will be celebrated Saturday, July 28th, 2012, at 9:30 a.m. at St. Theresa Catholic Church.

In lieu of flowers, family suggests contributions to Hospice of Marion County or your favorite charity .

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**BAXLEY, ELIZABETH PATRICIANN,74**

Anthony - Mrs. Elizabeth Baxley, 74, of Anthony, died peacefully Sunday afternoon, July 22nd, 2012, at her residence.

A native of Eufala, Alabama, she moved to this area over 50 years ago. Previously she had worked as a legal secretary, then worked for the Marion County Tax Collector's office for many years, and more recently she was the office manager for her husband's company, E.E. Baxley Logging, Inc. She was a member of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority.

Survivors include her husband, Eugene E. Baxley; daughters, Della Rose Giles, Denise Lynne Dusing, Donna Kuboske Barnett and Dawn Marie Castonguay; stepsons, Timothy and David Baxley; sisters, Mary Katherine Ragan and Annette Garner; brothers, James and Jerry Garner, 17 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her first husband Billy Gene Kuboske and her stepson Phillip Baxley.

Funeral services for Mrs. Baxley will be held at 10 a.m., Thursday, July 26th, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., with Rev. Sam W. Clements officiating. Interment will follow in the Anthony Cemetery. The family will receive friends at a visitation at the funeral home on Wednesday from 5-7 p.m.

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**JACKSON, ERIC LORENZO, 50**

Ocala - Eric Lorenzo Jackson, age 50, of Ocala, Florida passed away peacefully on July 20, 2012, at The Legacy House: He was born on August 18, 1961, in Ocala, Florida to his parents, Daniel J. McKeever and Celester Willis McKeever.

Eric attended Vanguard High School. He was a lifelong resident of Ocala, Florida for 50 years and was retired. Eric was a member of Greater Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church. He enjoyed praising the Lord and liked to spend his time in fellowship with his family and friends.

Eric will be remembered by his loving son Eric Jackson and a devoted father, Daniel McKeever; brothers Ronald McKeever (Donica), Victor Youmans, Spencer Jackson, Ralph Jackson, and Calvin Jackson; sisters Carol McKeever, Sharon Jackson Wilkerson (Kenneth), Mitzi Jackson Dewese (Fabian), Ollie Jackson, and Stacey Jackson; uncles Nathaniel McKeever (Mildred), Chester Pullings Washington, and William Jackson (Janie); aunts Francis Willis and Pastor Mary Washington Atkins, and a host of nieces, nephews, many cousins and friends.

Relatives and friends are invited to remember and rejoice in the life of Eric at 11 am on Wednesday, July 25, 2012, at Restoration Ministries of Reconciliation & Outreach Center, 1732 NW 2 Avenue, Ocala, FL 34470.

Family has entrusted services to Brown Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Services, LLC. 706 SW Martin Luther King Ave., Ocala FL., 34471

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### **KACHURIK, JOSEPH J. JR., 82**

Belleview - Joseph J. Kachurik, Jr., 82, of Belleview, died July 18th, 2012, in Ocala, at Oakhurst Care Center.

He was born July 5th, 1930, in Royal, Pennsylvania. He spent twenty years in the United States Air Force, and moved to Florida in 1968, from New Hampshire. He worked at Florida State College in the transportation department. Mr. Kachurik was a 4th Degree Knight, in the Knights of Columbus. In 1958, he married Laura Martin.

Survivors include three step-daughters, Ruth Palombit of Monmouth Junction, New Jersey, Joyce Parady (Joseph) of Grayson, Georgia, and Dori Barth (Ronald) of Chelmsford, Massachusetts; and eleven stepgrandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Laura; one brother and two sisters.

Funeral Mass will be conducted by Father Robert Fuchek, Wednesday, July 25th, 2012 at 10 a.m. with visitation beginning at 9:30 a.m. at St. Teresa's Catholic Church. Military rights will be conducted at Forest Lawn Cemetery following Mass.

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Mr. Sandelli served five years as a commissioned officer in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers during World War II and saw action in the European theater. After the war, he spent several years at Picatinny Arsenal, New Jersey, and worked as a general supervisor on the New Jersey Turnpike.

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Mr. Sandelli is survived by his beloved wife of 70 years, Frances, and his three children, his daughter, Georgine Villafana, (Luis), of White Stone, Virginia; his sons, Alfred Sandelli, Jr., (Roberta) of Bucksport, Maine, and James Sandelli (Janet), of Oak Ridge, North Carolina. He is also survived by his sister, Florence Crane of Deming New Mexico; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was pre-deceased by his grandson, Michael, in 2006.

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Mr. Sandelli was a member of Church of the Assumption in Hackettstown for 58 years and a member of Queen of Peace, Ocala, for 26 years. His love and care of his family and his Catholic faith were first and foremost in his life.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, July 24th, 2012, from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. at the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala. A Mass of Christian burial will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, State Road 200, Ocala, on Wednesday, July 25th, 2012, at 8:30 a.m., and interment with military honor guard will be at Pequest Union Cemetery, Great Meadows, New Jersey.

Memorial donations may be made to Church of the Assumption, 302 High Street, Hackettstown, NJ, 07840. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, Florida, and Cochran Funeral Home, Hackettstown, New Jersey. Memorial contributions may be posted to: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **HOULIHAN, THOMAS "TOM" JOHN, 84**

Ocala - Thomas "Tom" John Houlihan, age 84, of Ocala, FL passed away on Saturday, July 21st, 2012.

He was born in Brooklyn, NY on August 9th, 1927. He was raised in Brooklyn and joined the U.S. Navy at the age of 17 where he served during WWII. After his military service, he returned to Queens where he started working in the construction industry.

He moved to Ocala, FL in 1975 and eventually gained employment with Martin Marietta where he retired after 13 years.

He was Irish and a Roman Catholic. He was an avid sports fan and loved playing bingo. Tom was a devoted husband, father and grandfather.

He is survived by his son, Michael Houlihan of Orlando, FL; son, Thomas Houlihan of New Hope, PA; daughter, Patricia Nolan of Lake Grove, NY; brother, Bobby Houlihan of Ronkonkoma, NY; a cousin, Patsy of Tampa, FL and five grandchildren, Jennifer, Alan, Thomas, Timothy and Kristen.

He was preceded in death by his wife and love of his life of 60 years, Harriet Theresa Houlihan, whom passed away on December 26th, 2009 and his sister, Dorothy Correia.

A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, July 26th, 2012 from 5-7 p.m. A funeral service will also be held at the funeral home on Friday, July 27th, 2012 at 11 a.m. Burial with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Friday, July 27th, 2012 at 12:30 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Humane Society of Marion Co., 701 NW 14th Rd, Ocala, FL 34475 in memory of Thomas "Tom" John Houlihan.

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### **LULOW BRUCE, 69**

Vancouver, WA - Bruce Lulow of Vancouver, WA died on July 18th, 2012. He was 69.

He was born in Columbus, NB and lived in Gainesville, FL from 1990 until 2000. During that time, he served as Director of the University of Florida Bookstores, and also worked as a statistician at men's Gator basketball games.

Survivors include his wife Cheryl; daughters, Kim Hartman and Kris Taylor; son, Richard; and five grandchildren, all of Vancouver and his twin sister, Barbara Heinert of Racine, WI.

Arrangements by Evergreen Memorial Gardens in Vancouver. Online condolences may be left at:

[www.evergreenmemorialgardens.com](http://www.evergreenmemorialgardens.com)

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### **PINTOK, GEORGE, 94**

Ocala - Mr. George Pintok, 94, of Ocala, died Monday, July 16th, 2012, at Hawthorne Village.

A native of Opole, Minnesota, he and his family moved to Ocala in 1973. Mr. Pintok was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church.

He is survived by son, Bruce Pintok, Ocala; daughter, Diane Murray, Greensboro, NC; brothers, Edward, Franklin, of Minnesota and Claude of Oregon; sisters, Josephine Pierzina, Marion Hunziker, Lorraine Weinmeyer of Minnesota and Irene Dodge of Oregon; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Lucy Pintok; brothers, Ambrose and Alfred; sister, Alma LaSota and his wife of 68 years, Lorraine Pintok.

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Friday, July 27th, 2012 at 10 a.m., Father Roy Eco officiating. In lieu of flowers, family suggests a contribution to a favorite charity .

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**REED, BLANCHE E., 85**

Ocala - Blanche E. Reed, age 85, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Sunday, July 22nd, 2012.

She is survived by her beloved companion, Thomas F. Begley; sons, James and Michael Reed; daughters, Allie and Marlana; and grandsons, Kenden and Preston Reed.

Blanche's many kindnesses, grace and good humor will be sorely missed by her family and her many friends. We'll miss her.

Memorial donations in Blanche's name may be sent to the Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34474, they will be much appreciated.

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Mr. Sandelli served five years as a commissioned officer in the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers during World War II and saw action in the European theater. After the war, he spent several years at Picatinny Arsenal, New Jersey, and worked as a general supervisor on the New Jersey Turnpike.

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Government at Kindley Air Force Base as well as local island buildings to include the Bank of Bermuda, main and branch offices, and Bacardi Rum World Headquarters.

Mr. Sandelli is survived by his beloved wife of 70 years, Frances, and his three children, his daughter, Georgine Villafana, (Luis), of White Stone, Virginia; his sons, Alfred Sandelli, Jr., (Roberta) of Bucksport, Maine, and James Sandelli (Janet), of Oak Ridge, North Carolina. He is also survived by his sister, Florence Crane of Deming New Mexico; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He was pre-deceased by his grandson, Michael, in 2006.

Mr. Sandelli and his wife, Frances, raised their three children in Hackettstown, New Jersey, and Bermuda. Upon retirement, they divided their time between their Hackettstown home and their Ocala, Florida home.

Mr. Sandelli was a member of Church of the Assumption in Hackettstown for 58 years and a member of Queen of Peace, Ocala, for 26 years. His love and care of his family and his Catholic faith were first and foremost in his life.

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### **SHELTON, LILLIE T., 91**

Ocala - Lillie T. Shelton, 91, licensed Funeral Director and Embalmer passed away on July 18th, 2012.

Mrs. Shelton was a nurse, beautician and funeral director. She had a childhood dream to become a nurse and that dream was fulfilled when Mrs. Shelton entered the Montifield Hospital School of Nursing in New York and graduated in 1952. After working in the hospital a few years, she returned to Ocala to help her aunt, D.J. Brown, owner of D.J. Brown Funeral Home, run the business.

She later went to the New York School of Embalming and in 1954 came back to Ocala, where she was able to use her cosmetology skills in the funeral home. She also attended McAllister Institution of Funeral Services in New York. Upon receiving both degrees, she was licensed as a Funeral Director and Embalmer in 1969. After working with D.J. Brown Funeral Home, she brought her talents to Summers Funeral Home, Inc. since their opening in 1986.

Although Mrs. Shelton never had any children of her own, she was a mother figure to many, especially to Alvis D. Summers, owner of Summers Funeral Home, Inc. and she remained as one of the Licensed Funeral Directors there until her demise.

She is survived by her cousins, Emerson Brown and the Brown family, Jacquelyn Brown Shelton and the Shelton family; her in-laws, the Hayes family and Kinsler family and the Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church family; goddaughter, Johnnie Mae Green; and best friend, Alfronia Johnson.

Wake service will held on Thursday, July 26th, 2012 from 6:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church.



Funeral services will be on Friday, July 27th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, FL; Reverend Edward Bland, Pastor.

Please visit our website at: [www.summersfh.com](http://www.summersfh.com).

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**STURGIS, ROBERT, 83**

Flint, MI - (Bob) Joel Sturgis, age 83, of Flint, Michigan, (formerly of Ocala, Florida) was welcomed into the arms of his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ on July 18th, 2012.

Funeral services were held Monday, July 23rd, 2012 at the Brown Funeral Home, 1480 E. Hill Road, Grand Blanc, Michigan with Rev. Carl Petty officiating. Interment followed at New Calvary Catholic Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations be made to Helping Encourage Abilities in Riders through Therapeutic Horsemanship (HEART), 11455 W. Beecher Road, Flushing, MI, 48433. The full obituary may be viewed and online condolences may be left at: [www.brownfh.com](http://www.brownfh.com).

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**BERGLIND, ALBERT ADAMS, 84**

Seneca, SC - Albert Adams Berglind, 84, of 412 Rivercrest Drive, Seneca, SC, husband of 63 years of Betty Drake Berglind, died Tuesday, July 24th, 2012 at Oconee Memorial Hospital.

A native of New Sweden, ME, he was the son of the late John Richard and Esther Adamson Berglind. He worked for Berce Potato Company in St. Agatha, ME, United Aircraft in East Hartford, CT, Thomas Troy at Troy's Mobile in West Hartford, CT, and Marion Oaks Country Club Golf Course, Ocala, FL.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Berglind is survived by sons, Michael Berglind and wife Peggy of Palm Harbor, FL, Larry Berglind and wife Wenda of Simpsonville, SC, and Steven Berglind and wife Annette of Hebron, MD; brother, Bernard Berglind and wife Barbara of Fairfax, VA; ten grandchildren and twenty-one great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Berglind was predeceased by his twin brother, Arthur Berglind, brother, Carl Berglind and a great-grandson, Michael Robert Sacco.

Services will be held Friday, July 27th, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Oconee Memorial Park Mausoleum Chapel with entombment to follow.

The family will receive friends from 12:30 - 2 p.m. Friday, July 27th, 2012, prior to the service, at Oconee Memorial Park Mausoleum Chapel.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Association , SC Chapter, 4124 Clemson Blvd., Suite L, Anderson, SC, 29621. Condolences may be sent to the family by visiting:

[www.davenportfuneralhome.com](http://www.davenportfuneralhome.com).

Davenport Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. (864)638-3611.

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**CRON, PEARLENA, 77**

Citra, FL - Pearlana Cron, 77, of Citra, FL, passed away on Saturday, July 21st, 2012 at her home.

A native of Sayre, PA, she moved here in 1982 from Ulster, PA. In addition to being a lifelong homemaker, Mrs. Cron was a former owner and operator of a produce stand in Citra with her late husband Morris for many years. She also worked in an egg factory in Belleview as well as being a caregiver at Bradford County Manor, a nursing facility in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Cron is survived by her five children, Bruce Cron (Robin) of Citra, FL; Gloria Potter (Terry) of Towanda, PA; Robert Cron (Linda) of Abbeyville, AL; Jesse Cron (Marge) of Ulster, PA and Hope Cordwell of Citra, FL; sisters, Frieda Hibbard of Mailan, PA; Emma Evans and Connie Campbell, both of Athens, PA; 14 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren.

Pearlana was preceded in death by her husband of over 50 years, Morris Cron in 2007; and three siblings, Garfield, Howard and Shirley.

Friends will be received on Friday, July 27th from 11 a.m. until 12 noon at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala. Graveside service will follow at 12 noon at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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#### **DELUCCA, JANE KEIM, 74**

Dunnellon - Jane Keim DeLucca (Fowler), age 74, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away on July 20th, 2012.

Jane was born in Denver, Colorado on November 30th, 1937. She was married to Anthony DeLucca, Sr., for 30 years. Jane is survived by six biological children (one is already with her in heaven), six stepchildren, many grandchildren and countless dear friends.

Husband, Anthony DeLucca, Sr., 2009 and son, Bruce Fowler, 2009, preceded her in death.

Jane worked as a RN for 20 years. She brought a sense of hope and joy to all of her patients and their families. Her lust for life and truly authentic style of building friendships makes her passing all that more difficult. From ringing the cowbell at Cagni Park for over two decades, to housing countless neighborhood friends, she represents the type of saint-hood that any person would be overjoyed to replicate! Jane was a mother to many, a friend and mentor to many more. Jane loved her horses, cats, dogs and bun-bun.

In her final weeks, she worked for every breath. Her wish was to see each of her children and tell them that she loved them. Her wish came true! We love her and will miss her terribly. Our Heavenly Father now holds her in His arms.

A memorial service will be held for Jane on July 28th, 2012 at noon at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave, Dunnellon, FL 34432. Immediately following, a celebration of Jane's life will take place at Gruffs in the Dinner Bell Hotel on Williams Street in Dunnellon.

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Family suggests memorial donations may be made to:

<http://feedingamerica.org>.

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#### **HENRY, RALPH L., 53**

Ocala - Ralph L. Henry, 53, moved from his earthly home to his heavenly home on July 17th, 2012.

He was a retired truck driver with the Marion County Board of County Commission Road

Division for 25 years. Ralph's life was richly blessed with a loving family.

He is survived by his wife, Patricia Henry; his sons, Kendrick (Yamelia) Henry of Gainesville, Rafael (Ronshae) Henry of Ocala; daughters, Natalie Famer, Live Oak, FL, and Felita (Asaph) Barnett, Fairfield, FL; mother, Addie Lee Dardy of Williston; nine grandchildren, Taylor, Kynzi, Shayla, Jada, Camryn, Jakevious, Casey, Zylon, and Ian; seven sisters and six brothers.

We will have a time of remembrance and celebration of his life Saturday, July 28th, 2012 at Unity Temple International Deliverance Center, Williston, FL at 11 a.m. with burial in New Hope cemetery.

Public visitation will be held on Friday from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry in Ocala. Family members are asked to gather at the home of Addie Dardy at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. Service entrusted to O.B. Samuel Funeral Home, Williston, FL.

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### **HONAKER, NINA SABINS, 71**

Ocala - Nina Sabins Honaker, 71, of Ocala passed away Monday, July 23rd, 2012.

Nina was born October 25th, 1940 to William Edward and Ruth Gleason in Bryan, Ohio. She graduated from Bryan High School, in 1958. While raising her five children, she worked at home running a daycare for 15 years. Nina moved to Sarasota, Florida in 1990. She was a manager at Shoney's Restaurant for 15 years and moved to Ocala in 2008. She was of the Lutheran Faith, a member of the Ladies of the Moose in Ocala and loved her family, crocheting and her pool.

She is preceded in death by her father, William Edward Gleason; husband, Shaw Honaker; granddaughter, Jessica Manley. Survivors include her mother, Ruth Gleason; children, William (Wanda) Manley, Sara (Rick) Link, Laura (AJ) Karpinski, Shannon (Doug) Nowak, Mary Beth (Derek) Foss; 15 grandchildren, and 23 great-grandchildren.

Nina's life will be celebrated with a visitation from 5 until 6:30 p.m. and a service at 6:30 pm on Thursday, July 26th, 2012 at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Home.

Online condolences and memories may be shared by visiting:  
[www.bankspagetheus.com](http://www.bankspagetheus.com).

Arrangements are entrusted to Banks/Page-Theus Funerals and Cremations, Wildwood.

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### **HOULIHAN, THOMAS "TOM" JOHN, 84**

Ocala - Thomas "Tom" John Houlihan, age 84, of Ocala, FL passed away on Saturday, July 21st, 2012.

He was born in Brooklyn, NY on August 9th, 1927. He was raised in Brooklyn and joined the U.S. Navy at the age of 17 where he served during WWII. After his military service, he returned to Queens where he started working in the construction industry.

He moved to Ocala, FL in 1975 and eventually gained employment with Martin Marietta where he retired after 13 years.

He was Irish and a Roman Catholic. He was an avid sports fan and loved playing bingo. Tom was a devoted husband, father and grandfather.

He is survived by his son, Michael Houlihan of Orlando, FL; son, Thomas Houlihan of New Hope, PA; daughter, Patricia Nolan of Lake Grove, NY; brother, Bobby Houlihan of Ronkonkoma, NY; a cousin, Patsy of Tampa, FL and five grandchildren, Jennifer, Alan, Thomas, Timothy and Kristen.

He was preceded in death by his wife and love of his life of 60 years, Harriet Theresa Houlihan,

whom passed away on December 26th, 2009 and his sister, Dorothy Correira.

A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, July 26th, 2012 from 5-7 p.m. A funeral service will also be held at the funeral home on Friday, July 27th, 2012 at 11 a.m. Burial with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Friday, July 27th, 2012 at 12:30 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Humane Society of Marion Co., 701 NW 14th Rd, Ocala, FL 34475 in memory of Thomas "Tom" John Houlihan.

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**HUBBARD, ROSE J., 93**

Ocala - Rose J. Hubbard, 93, passed away on July 19th, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House.

She was born in Franklin, NJ, daughter of Philip and Teresa Plaza. She was a member of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church. She was a homemaker all of her life.

She is survived by two daughters, Monica Higbie of Branchville, NJ and Virginia Hubbard Conley of Ocala, FL.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Melvin F. Hubbard.

Cremation will take place through the services of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL.

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**KELLER, ELIZABETH MARIE, 58**

Ocala - Ms. Elizabeth Marie Keller, 58, passed away in Ocala on July 16th, 2012.

She was born in Bayshore, NY on May 21st, 1954. She worked at Wal-Mart as a stock handler. Elizabeth graduated from Deer Park High School in Deer Park, NY. She moved here from Long Island, NY in 1979. She was a Christian by faith.

She is survived by her son, Brian Keller of Ocala, FL; two brothers, James Penna Jr. and Robert Penna, both of Ocala, FL; and her ex-husband Kevin Keller of Belleview, FL.

She is predeceased by her parents, James Sr. and Elizabeth Penna.

A memorial service will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., (352) 732-9944 in Ocala, on July 28th, 2012 at 6 p.m. To leave condolences, please visit:

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**LULOW BRUCE, 69**

Vancouver, WA - Bruce Lulow of Vancouver, WA died on July 18th, 2012. He was 69.

He was born in Columbus, NB and lived in Gainesville, FL from 1990 until 2000. During that time, he served as Director of the University of Florida Bookstores, and also worked as a statistician at men's Gator basketball games.

Survivors include his wife Cheryl; daughters, Kim Hartman and Kris Taylor; son, Richard; and five grandchildren, all of Vancouver and his twin sister, Barbara Heinert of Racine, WI.

Arrangements by Evergreen Memorial Gardens in Vancouver. Online condolences may be left at:

[www.evergreenmemorialgardens.com](http://www.evergreenmemorialgardens.com)

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**PINTOK, GEORGE, 94**

Ocala - Mr. George Pintok, 94, of Ocala, died Monday, July 16th, 2012, at Hawthorne Village. A native of Opole, Minnesota, he and his family moved to Ocala in 1973. Mr. Pintok was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church.

He is survived by son, Bruce Pintok, Ocala; daughter, Diane Murray, Greensboro, NC; brothers, Edward, Franklin, of Minnesota and Claude of Oregon; sisters, Josephine Pierzina, Marion Hunziker, Lorraine Weinmeyer of Minnesota and Irene Dodge of Oregon; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Frank and Lucy Pintok; brothers, Ambrose and Alfred; sister, Alma LaSota and his wife of 68 years, Lorraine Pintok.

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Friday, July 27th, 2012 at 10 a.m., Father Roy Eco officiating. In lieu of flowers, family suggests a contribution to a favorite charity .

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**REED, BLANCHE E., 85**

Ocala - Blanche E. Reed, age 85, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Sunday, July 22nd, 2012.

She is survived by her beloved companion, Thomas F. Begley; sons, James and Michael Reed; daughters, Allie and Marlana; and grandsons, Kenden and Preston Reed.

Blanche's many kindnesses, grace and good humor will be sorely missed by her family and her many friends. We'll miss her.

Memorial donations in Blanche's name may be sent to the Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34474, they will be much appreciated.

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**REISMAN, LEE, 90**

Dunnellon - Lee Reisman, 90, of Dunnellon, FL passed away July 25th, 2012.

Lee was born June 17th, 1922 in Bronx, NY to Frank and Paula (Mirner) Kider. She was a former civilian employee of the Nassau County Police Department. She was a member of Hadassah and a former member of Temple Beth El and the Moose Lodge in Ormond Beach. Lee enjoyed travel, playing bridge and mahjong.

She is survived by a two daughters, Fran Holtzman and Helene Crawshaw; a son, Don Reisman; four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Memorial donation may be made to either Marion County Hospice or Alzheimer's Foundation of America. Arrangements are under the direction of Haigh-Black Funeral Home in Ormond Beach.

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**SHELTON, LILLIE T., 91**

Ocala - Lillie T. Shelton, 91, licensed Funeral Director and Embalmer passed away on July 18th, 2012.

Mrs. Shelton was a nurse, beautician and funeral director. She had a childhood dream to become a nurse and that dream was fulfilled when Mrs. Shelton entered the Montifield Hospital School of Nursing in New York and graduated in 1952. After working in the hospital a few years, she returned to Ocala to help her aunt, D.J. Brown, owner of D.J. Brown Funeral Home, run the business.

She later went to the New York School of Embalming and in 1954 came back to Ocala, where

she was able to use her cosmetology skills in the funeral home. She also attended McAllister Institution of Funeral Services in New York. Upon receiving both degrees, she was licensed as a Funeral Director and Embalmer in 1969. After working with D.J. Brown Funeral Home, she brought her talents to Summers Funeral Home, Inc. since their opening in 1986.

Although Mrs. Shelton never had any children of her own, she was a mother figure to many, especially to Alvis D. Summers, owner of Summers Funeral Home, Inc. and she remained as one of the Licensed Funeral Directors there until her demise.

She is survived by her cousins, Emerson Brown and the Brown family, Jacquelyn Brown Shelton and the Shelton family; her in-laws, the Hayes family and Kinsler family and the Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church family; goddaughter, Johnnie Mae Green; and best friend, Alfronia Johnson.

Wake service will held on Thursday, July 26th, 2012 from 6:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church.

Funeral services will be on Friday, July 27th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, FL; Reverend Edward Bland, Pastor.

Please visit our website at: [www.summersfh.com](http://www.summersfh.com).

'A Summers funeral service makes the difference, our family serving your family'.

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### **STURGIS, ROBERT, 83**

Flint, MI - (Bob) Joel Sturgis, age 83, of Flint, Michigan, (formerly of Ocala, Florida) was welcomed into the arms of his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ on July 18th, 2012.

Funeral services were held Monday, July 23rd, 2012 at the Brown Funeral Home, 1480 E. Hill Road, Grand Blanc, Michigan with Rev. Carl Petty officiating. Interment followed at New Calvary Catholic Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations be made to Helping Encourage Abilities in Riders through Therapeutic Horsemanship (HEART), 11455 W. Beecher Road, Flushing, MI, 48433. The full obituary may be viewed and online condolences may be left at:

[www.brownfh.com](http://www.brownfh.com).

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### **WHEELER, NAOMI GLADYS, 93**

DeLand, FL - Naomi Gladys Wheeler, age 93, of DeLand, FL passed away on Tuesday, July 24th, 2012.

She was born in Umatilla, FL on May 5th, 1919. Gladys lived most of her life in Florida. She enjoyed sewing and taking care of her family. She also worked at Ronnie's Restaurant in Orlando.

She is survived by her sons, James "Jimmy" Wheeler of DeLand, FL and Glen Sellers of Sunset, SC; sister, Lillian Lambert of CA; and five grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by husbands, I.J. Sellers who passed away in 1955 and Forest Eugene Wheeler who passed away in 1988.

A graveside service will take place at St John's Cemetery in Cotton Plant, FL on Saturday, July 28th, 2012 at 10 a.m.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 27, 2012**

### **BERGLIND, ALBERT ADAMS, 84**

Seneca, SC - Albert Adams Berglind, 84, of 412 Rivercrest Drive, Seneca, SC, husband of 63 years of Betty Drake Berglind, died Tuesday, July 24th, 2012 at Oconee Memorial Hospital.

A native of New Sweden, ME, he was the son of the late John Richard and Esther Adamson Berglind. He worked for Berce Potato Company in St. Agatha, ME, United Aircraft in East Hartford, CT, Thomas Troy at Troy's Mobile in West Hartford, CT, and Marion Oaks Country Club Golf Course, Ocala, FL.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Berglind is survived by sons, Michael Berglind and wife Peggy of Palm Harbor, FL, Larry Berglind and wife Wenda of Simpsonville, SC, and Steven Berglind and wife Annette of Hebron, MD; brother, Bernard Berglind and wife Barbara of Fairfax, VA; ten grandchildren and twenty-one great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Berglind was predeceased by his twin brother, Arthur Berglind, brother, Carl Berglind and a great-grandson, Michael Robert Sacco.

Services will be held Friday, July 27th, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Oconee Memorial Park Mausoleum Chapel with entombment to follow.

The family will receive friends from 12:30 - 2 p.m. Friday, July 27th, 2012, prior to the service, at Oconee Memorial Park Mausoleum Chapel.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Association , SC Chapter, 4124 Clemson Blvd., Suite L, Anderson, SC, 29621. Condolences may be sent to the family by visiting:

[www.davenportfuneralhome.com](http://www.davenportfuneralhome.com).

Davenport Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. (864)638-3611.

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### **CRON, PEARLENA, 77**

Citra, FL - Pearlina Cron, 77, of Citra, FL, passed away on Saturday, July 21st, 2012 at her home.

A native of Sayre, PA, she moved here in 1982 from Ulster, PA. In addition to being a lifelong homemaker, Mrs. Cron was a former owner and operator of a produce stand in Citra with her late husband Morris for many years. She also worked in an egg factory in Belleview as well as being a caregiver at Bradford County Manor, a nursing facility in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Cron is survived by her five children, Bruce Cron (Robin) of Citra, FL; Gloria Potter (Terry) of Towanda, PA; Robert Cron (Linda) of Abbeyville, AL; Jesse Cron (Marge) of Ulster, PA and Hope Cordwell of Citra, FL; sisters, Frieda Hibbard of Mailan, PA; Emma Evans and Connie Campbell, both of Athens, PA; 14 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren.

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### **DELUCCA, JANE KEIM, 74**

Dunnellon - Jane Keim DeLucca (Fowler), age 74, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away on July 20th,

2012.

Jane was born in Denver, Colorado on November 30th, 1937. She was married to Anthony DeLucca, Sr., for 30 years. Jane is survived by six biological children (one is already with her in heaven), six stepchildren, many grandchildren and countless dear friends.

Husband, Anthony DeLucca, Sr., 2009 and son, Bruce Fowler, 2009, preceded her in death.

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### **ENGH, JACK B., 89**

Ocala - Jack B. Engh, 89, died July 13th, 2012 at the Oakhurst Rehabilitation & Nursing Center in Ocala, Florida.

He was born March 11th, 1923 in Athens, Ohio. Jack graduated from Athens High School and joined the Marine Corps to serve his country during WWII. He earned a BA degree in Physical Education from Ohio University, and was a member of the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity. He taught physical education and coached football, basketball and baseball at Stanton High School in Ohio. He was a Regional Sales Manager for Armour Meats. He retired from Anchor Hocking Glass Corp as an account executive. He was a member of the American Legion and Murat Temple, and was an avid golfer.

He married Grace Derrell Chism in November of 1952, and had four children, Jay, Jeff, Jonathan and Jacquelyn.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Grace and son, Jonathan. He is survived by children, Jay (Carol) Engh, Jeff Engh, Jacquelyn (David) Albright; grandchildren, Amanda Engh, Darcy and Mike Jacobs, Bryan Engh, Jesse Engh, Julie Engh, Carly Albright, Austin Albright, and JJ Albright; and great-grandchildren, Ryken and Kalissa Jacobs.

There will be a memorial service on July 30th, 2012 at 4:30 p.m. at the Villas at Winding Ridge Clubhouse, 11586 Winding Wood Drive, Indianapolis, IN, 46235.

Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470.

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She is survived by two daughters, Monica Higbie of Branchville, NJ and Virginia Hubbard Conley of Ocala, FL.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Melvin F. Hubbard.

Cremation will take place through the services of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL.

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### **KELLER, ELIZABETH MARIE, 58**

Ocala - Ms. Elizabeth Marie Keller, 58, passed away in Ocala on July 16th, 2012.

She was born in Bayshore, NY on May 21st, 1954. She worked at Wal-Mart as a stock handler.

Elizabeth graduated from Deer Park High School in Deer Park, NY. She moved here from Long Island, NY in 1979. She was a Christian by faith.

She is survived by her son, Brian Keller of Ocala, FL; two brothers, James Penna Jr. and Robert Penna, both of Ocala, FL; and her ex-husband Kevin Keller of Belleview, FL.

She is predeceased by her parents, James Sr. and Elizabeth Penna.

A memorial service will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., (352) 732-9944 in Ocala, on July 28th, 2012 at 6 p.m. To leave condolences, please visit:

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### **PREWITT, KENNETH DALE, 62**

Belleview- Kenneth Dale Prewitt of Belleview, passed away at The Villages Hospital on July 20th, 2012 at the age of 62.

Kenneth was born on March 25th, 1950 in Covington, Kentucky. He attended Boone County High School in Boone County Kentucky where he excelled in sports, especially football. He was raised in a musical family and at a young age he began playing the guitar and singing.

He moved to Summerfield, Florida in 1985. Most of his adult life he owned his own companies, Prewitts Precision Painting and Prewitts Tae Kwon Do.

Kenneth is survived by his beloved wife, Linda Bridgeman Prewitt. He was cherished by his two sons, Brandon Wade Prewitt, Bradley Dale Prewitt; daughter-in-law, Jamie Prewitt; his devoted mother, Myrtle Slusher Prewitt; his loving grandson, Haeden Dale Prewitt; and step-grandchildren, Trever Perkins and Sahara Drawdy; his dearly loved sisters, Carol Knapmeyer, Pat Nader, Sharon Paul, Barbara Craddock, and Kimberly Caldwell; along with his brother-in-laws, Roger Knapmeyer, and Tony Caldwell; his loving aunt, Flora Alfred, uncle Jack Alfred; and countless nieces and nephews.

Kenneth loved spending time with his family and his music. Kenneth touched many lives with his generosity and love and will be dearly missed.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, July 28th, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview with burial to follow at Belleview Cemetery. Visitation will be Friday, July 27th, 2012 from 6 until 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Online condolences may be left at:

[www.Hiers-Baxley.com](http://www.Hiers-Baxley.com).

Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview.

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### **REISMAN, LEE, 90**

Dunnellon - Lee Reisman, 90, of Dunnellon, FL passed away July 25th, 2012.

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She is survived by her sons, James "Jimmy" Wheeler of DeLand, FL and Glen Sellers of Sunset, SC; sister, Lillian Lambert of CA; and five grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by husbands, I.J. Sellers who passed away in 1955 and Forest Eugene Wheeler who passed away in 1988.

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**ENGH, JACK B., 89**

Ocala - Jack B. Engh, 89, died July 13th, 2012 at the Oakhurst Rehabilitation & Nursing Center in Ocala, Florida.

He was born March 11th, 1923 in Athens, Ohio. Jack graduated from Athens High School and joined the Marine Corps to serve his country during WWII. He earned a BA degree in Physical Education from Ohio University, and was a member of the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity. He taught physical education and coached football, basketball and baseball at Stanton High School in Ohio. He was a Regional Sales Manager for Armour Meats. He retired from Anchor Hocking Glass Corp as an account executive. He was a member of the American Legion and Murat Temple, and was an avid golfer.

He married Grace Derrell Chism in November of 1952, and had four children, Jay, Jeff, Jonathan and Jacquelyn.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Grace and son, Jonathan. He is survived by children, Jay (Carol) Engh, Jeff Engh, Jacquelyn (David) Albright; grandchildren, Amanda Engh, Darcy and Mike Jacobs, Bryan Engh, Jesse Engh, Julie Engh, Carly Albright, Austin Albright, and JJ Albright; and great-grandchildren, Ryken and Kalissa Jacobs.

There will be a memorial service on July 30th, 2012 at 4:30 p.m. at the Villas at Winding Ridge Clubhouse, 11586 Winding Wood Drive, Indianapolis, IN, 46235.

Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470.

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A celebration of life will be held for family and friends at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to Big Bend Hospice of Tallahassee and would be appreciated by the family.

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**PREWITT, KENNETH DALE, 62**

Bellevue- Kenneth Dale Prewitt of Bellevue, passed away at The Villages Hospital on July 20th, 2012 at the age of 62.

Kenneth was born on March 25th, 1950 in Covington, Kentucky. He attended Boone County High School in Boone County Kentucky where he excelled in sports, especially football. He was raised in a musical family and at a young age he began playing the guitar and singing.

He moved to Summerfield, Florida in 1985. Most of his adult life he owned his own companies, Prewitts Precision Painting and Prewitts Tae Kwon Do.

Kenneth is survived by his beloved wife, Linda Bridgeman Prewitt. He was cherished by his two sons, Brandon Wade Prewitt, Bradley Dale Prewitt; daughter-in-law, Jamie Prewitt; his devoted mother, Myrtle Slusher Prewitt; his loving grandson, Haeden Dale Prewitt; and step-grandchildren, Trever Perkins and Sahara Drawdy; his dearly loved sisters, Carol Knapmeyer, Pat Nader, Sharon Paul, Barbara Craddock, and Kimberly Caldwell; along with his brother-in-laws, Roger Knapmeyer, and Tony Caldwell; his loving aunt, Flora Alfred, uncle Jack Alfred; and countless nieces and nephews.

Kenneth loved spending time with his family and his music. Kenneth touched many lives with his generosity and love and will be dearly missed.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, July 28th, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Bellevue with burial to follow at Bellevue Cemetery. Visitation will be Friday, July 27th, 2012 from 6 until 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Online condolences may be left at:

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During his illness he was served with kindness and great care by his hospice nurse, Genevieve Asomaning of Vista Care Hospice of Southborough, MA.

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Formerly of Michigan, Reba moved to the area in 1984. Mrs. Adams was a homemaker and enjoyed sewing and spending time with family and friends. She was of the Baptist faith and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Reba is survived by her three daughters, Sharon Lynn Trainowski, Indianapolis, IN; Kimberly Lunday, Belleview, FL; Carla Manning, Starke, FL; three sisters, Alice Cole, Sharon, TN; Pearl Courtney and Judy Metzger, both of Indiana; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Adams will be held on Wednesday, August 1, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Belleview with interment to follow at Belleview Cemetery. Visitation will be Tuesday evening from 6 until 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Sentiments may be made online at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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Asheville, NC - George R. Bolton, 89, of Asheville, NC died Tuesday, July 24th, 2012.

He was born July 29th, 1922 in Wauchula, FL.

He was an Army veteran of WWII. He had a lengthy association with Silver Springs and the Salt Springs Corp.

He is survived by his spouse, Miriam "Bee" Hoover Bolton; two daughters, Georgia Greene and Barbara Bolton; and a grandson, Ryan Bolton Hart.

A graveside service will be held at 10 a.m., Wednesday, August 1st, 2012 at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Ocala, FL.

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Ocala - Felicien Walter Goguen, 74, of Ocala, died July 28, 2012, at his residence.

Mr. Goguen was born in Fitchburg, Massachusetts, June 17, 1938. He and his wife, Arlene, moved to Florida in 2005, from Merrimack, New Hampshire. His occupation was self-employed truck driver.

Mr. Goguen is survived by his wife of 46 years; seven sons, Joseph of Summerfield, Florida, Martin of Spokane, Washington, Philip of Galivants Ferry, South Carolina, John of Jacksonville, Florida, Paul of San Diego, California, James of Chesapeake, Virginia, and Daniel of Sneads Ferry, North Carolina; two daughters, Cyndi Fought of Ocala, and Cathyrn Miller of Erie Pennsylvania, 22 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents.

The family will meet at Forest Lawn Funeral Home and Cemetery for a visitation from 6 - 8 p.m. Wednesday evening, to be followed by Cremation services.

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**KETCHAM, THOMAS C., 89**

Ocala - Thomas Craig Ketcham, 89, Ocala, FL passed away on July 23, 2012 at the Hospice of Marion County, Tuscany House in Summerfield, FL.

He was born on May 13, 1923, in Evanston, Ill., the son of the late Craig B. and Janey B. Ketcham. He was in the U.S. Army from 1943 to 1946; serving in the 85th Infantry Division, Headquarters Battery, 403rd Field Artillery in Italy. After receiving an honorable discharge in 1946, Tom earned a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering in 1948 from Purdue University, W. Lafayette, IN.

He moved to Green Bay, WI and married Ruth A. Lindner of Fond du Lac, WI in 1956. He retired as a Sales Engineer with Paper Converting Machine Company of Green Bay, WI. Tom later divorced and was re-married to Janet M. Ash and moved to Lancaster, PA. In 2005, he moved to Ocala, FL.

Tom was an avid sailor and radio-controlled model airplane builder and flyer.

Tom is survived by his first wife, Ruth Ketcham, Green Bay, WI; daughter, Barbara and son-in-law Philip Mednick, Shoreview, MN; son Peter Ketcham, Cleveland, OH; son Jeffrey and his wife Joan Ketcham, Indianapolis, IN; sister-in-law,, Jean Ketcham, Green Bay, WI; nephew Donald and his wife Barbara Ketcham, Hastings MN; niece Lee Ann Ness, Pulaski, WI; and brother-in-law John McConnell, Vero Beach, FL and his nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he is preceded in death by his second wife, Janet Ketcham, Lancaster, PA; identical twin brother, Frank Ketcham, Green Bay, WI; and sisters Betty McConnell, Vero Beach, FL and Peggy Kurtz, Sturgeon Bay, WI.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be sent to the Hospice of Marion County, 3231 S.W. 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474, or the Academy of Model Aeronautics, 5161 E. Memorial Dr., Muncie, IN 47032.

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### **MARRA, DR. EDWARD FRANCIS, 96**

Peterborough, NH - Dr. Edward Francis Marra, 96, of Peterborough, died peacefully at the Monadnock Community Hospital on July 24, 2012.

Dr. Marra was born in Poughkeepsie, NY, the youngest son of Mary and Thomas Marra. Upon graduation from high school, a family doctor sparked his interest in medicine and Edward enrolled in the nursing program at the Hudson River State Hospital in Poughkeepsie. He remained with the hospital for eight years before moving to Hartford, CT to supervise the industrial nurses at the Pratt & Whitney aircraft plant.

While working nights at the plant, he became a student at Trinity College in Hartford and proceeded to earn his Bachelor of Science degree in two and a half years. At Trinity he also had the good fortune to study with Clarence Watters, a renowned organist who appointed him the student organist for all College chapel services.

These were the years of World War II, and the war intervened in Edward's life as it did for so many others. He enlisted in the U.S. Navy and was assigned to the USS Portland. There his medical skills were put to good use during a savage storm on the Atlantic which severely damaged the ship and caused many casualties among the troops being transported home from Europe.

At the war's end, Edward finally realized his dream of becoming a medical doctor and earned his M.D. at Boston University's School of Medicine, to which he returned as a Professor of Medicine after completing his residencies. He remained at the Medical School until 1961, taking a Master's in Public Health from Harvard University along the way, and creating programs emphasizing the need to understand patients within the larger context of their family and societal situations.

In 1961, he moved to Buffalo, NY to assume the Chairmanship of the Department of Preventive Medicine at the University of Buffalo Medical School, where he remained until his retirement.

Dr. Marra enjoyed 25 years of his retirement in Orange Springs, Florida before returning to the Northeast to become a resident of the RiverMead Retirement Community. In each

location he made deep and lasting friendships. As a physician and as a friend, he insisted on treating people in their wholeness. His interests were wide and varied and he shared them generously. His family and friends are deeply grateful for the gift of his life.

Survivors include his two nieces, Sydney Thomas of Temple, New Hampshire and Beverly Hacunda of Poughkeepsie, New York; and six grand nieces and nephews, and their children. At Dr. Marra's request, there will be no calling hours.

A Memorial Service will be held at 1 p.m. on Friday, August 3, 2012 at the Congregational Church of Temple. The Reverend Roger Daly will officiate. A graveside service will be held on Thursday, August 23, 2012 at the Arkport Cemetery in Arkport, New York.

In lieu of flowers, gifts may be made in Dr. Marra's memory to the charity of one's choice .

The Cournoyer Funeral Home and Cremation Center of Jaffrey is assisting the family.

To share memories or to send condolences to Dr. Marra's family, please visit:

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### **POUCHER, ANN DENSON, 65**

Salt Lake City, UT - Ann Denson Poucher, wife of Earl Poucher, of Sopchoppy, FL died of natural causes on July 15th, 2012 in Salt Lake City where the two had been vacationing since March.

Ann was born in Lake Weir, FL on July 14th, 1947, daughter of John and Marie Denson. She graduated from Lake Weir High School and the University of South Florida. Ann was a teacher in both the Marion County and Wakulla school systems.

She was a long-time member of Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala and was a founding member of St. Teresa Episcopal Church in Wakulla County.

She is survived by brother, Don Denson, Ocala FL; sisters, Kay Casella, Pittsburg, PA and Patricia Bercik, Tampa, FL; sons, Noel Davis, Crawfordville, FL., Michael Poucher, Ocala, FL., Bruce Poucher, Alachua, FL., Duane Poucher, Las Vegas, NV.; daughter, Kimerly Poucher, Cornville, AZ; and 13 grandchildren.

A graveside memorial service will be held at Woodlawn Cemetery, N.E. 3rd Street, in Ocala on Saturday, August 4th, 2012 at 10 a.m. A memorial service will be held in Wakulla County on Sunday, August 5th, 2012 at 3 p.m. at the couple's home, 443 Seminole Lane, Sopchoppy. Flowers are not requested.

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### **TAYLOR, THURLEY R., 92**

Morrison - Thurley R. Taylor, 92, Morrison, began her glorious days in Heaven July 27, 2012. She was born in Fort Pierce, FL on April 4, 1920 to Arthur R. and Laura (Shiland) Helseth.

She enjoyed fishing, gardening, making sweet tea for her family and friends, cooking, going to Church and fellowshiping with family and friends. She was known as "The Queen of Pidlin".

Services are scheduled for 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 1, 2012 at the Fellowship Baptist Church with pastors John Outlaw and Rick Hooper officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. Visitation will be 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, July 31, 2012 at the Fellowship Baptist Church.

Survivors include her sons: Everett (Dottie) Taylor, Morriston and Ted (Sandra) Taylor, Morriston, daughter: Miriam (Kirk) Sutton, Crescent, OK, brother: Harold (Betty) Helseth, Fort Pierce, FL, 9 grandchildren, and 20 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Taylor was predeceased by her husband of 66 years Edward "Ted" Taylor and great-grandson Ashton Taylor.

Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon is entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be offered at [robertsofdunnellon.com](http://robertsofdunnellon.com).

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### **WALTERS, BRUCE WAYNE, 58**

Ocklawaha - Bruce Wayne Walters passed away at home on July 28, 2012.

A native of Franklin, OH, he came to Ocklawaha twenty years ago from Leesburg. Along with his wife, he owned and operated Countryside Furniture in Ocala.

Preceded in death by parents, Luther and Lois Walters, and brother, Joe Walters; he is survived by his wife, Tammy Walters; sons, Joshua Walters, Devin Walters, Russell Culbertson, Jr., Randall Culbertson; daughters, Christina Walters, Brandie McDonald, Crystal Butterfield; brothers, Wendall Walters, Mike Walters, Curtis Walters, Harold Walters, Kenneth Walters, Melvin Walters; sister, Wanda Helton; grandchildren, Lane McDonald, Carter McDonald, Bradley Culbertson, Kaitlyn Butterfield, and Emma Grace Butterfield.

Funeral service will be at 7 p.m., Wednesday, August 1, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service.

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### **WATERMAN, DORIS M.**

Ocala - Mrs. Doris M. Waterman born in Brooklyn, New York on October 5th, 1920.

She attended P.S. in Brooklyn and Girls H.S. in Brooklyn after graduation. She attended a designer school. She married Darnell Decosta Waterman, Sr. in April, 1939.

They had three children Darnell D. Waterman, Jr.; Roger R. Waterman and Barry M. Waterman. She was a New York City Social worker for 36 years. She leaves to morn, sons, Darnell D. Waterman, Jr., Roger R. Waterman, daughter- in-law, Claudette Waterman. grandchildren: Debra R. Waterman, Roger R. Waterman, Jr., David M. Waterman, Melissa L. Waterman and Claudia Waterman; great grand-children, Ronnie J. Waterman, Catreese V. Waterman, Dwight B. Waterman, Martik R. Waterman, Darnell D. Waterman III, Sierra M. Waterman-Devine, Vonica S. Reed, Mario D. Reed, Rashae Q. Evans, Jake D. Waterman, Aiden M. Waterman, Tyesha E. Weathers and Amya D. Weathers; three great-great grandchildren.

A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR# 200, (352) 854-2266 in Ocala on Thursday, August 2nd, 2012 from 9 until 11 a.m. with a funeral service to follow at 11 a.m. To leave condolences: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 1, 2012**

#### **ADAMS, REBA L., 75**

Ocklawaha, FL - Reba L. Adams, 75, passed away on July 28, 2012. Mrs. Adams was born in Arlington, Kentucky on November 23, 1936.

Formerly of Michigan, Reba moved to the area in 1984. Mrs. Adams was a homemaker and enjoyed sewing and spending time with family and friends. She was of the Baptist faith and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Reba is survived by her three daughters, Sharon Lynn Trainowski, Indianapolis, IN; Kimberly Lunday, Belleview, FL; Carla Manning, Starke, FL; three sisters, Alice Cole, Sharon, TN; Pearl Courtney and Judy Metzger, both of Indiana; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Adams will be held on Wednesday, August 1, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Belleview with interment to follow at Belleview Cemetery. Visitation will be Tuesday evening from 6 until 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Sentiments may be made online at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **BOLTON, GEORGE R., 89**

Asheville, NC - George R. Bolton, 89, of Asheville, NC died Tuesday, July 24th, 2012.

He was born July 29th, 1922 in Wauchula, FL.

He was an Army veteran of WWII. He had a lengthy association with Silver Springs and the Salt Springs Corp.

He is survived by his spouse, Miriam "Bee" Hoover Bolton; two daughters, Georgia Greene and Barbara Bolton; and a grandson, Ryan Bolton Hart.

A graveside service will be held at 10 a.m., Wednesday, August 1st, 2012 at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Ocala, FL.

Condolences may be made to the family at:

[www.ashevillmortuaryservices.com](http://www.ashevillmortuaryservices.com).

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### **DALTON, D. PATRICK, 70**

Orlando - D. Patrick Dalton, 70, of Orlando, FL passed away on Tuesday, July 31, 2012 at Health Central Park in Winter Garden, Florida.

Born December 1, 1941 in Hollywood, FL he was the son of the late Honore and Jewel Butler Dalton.

D. Patrick Dalton was licensed to practice law in District of Columbia, Florida, and West Virginia, having graduated from Beaufort High School in SC, earned an undergraduate degree from the University of MD, and received his law degree from the University of Miami School of Law.

His private law practice began in West Virginia in 1976 and later worked with Richard McCune as Dalton & McCune. While living in WV he was also a fiduciary commissioner, worker's compensation hearing examiner, municipal court judge, and family law judge.

He moved to Florida in 1989 and in early 1991 began law practice with Legal Services in Ocala, specializing in representing victims of civil domestic violence. He then practiced with the firm of Trow, Appleget, & Perry for five years prior to becoming the child support hearing officer in October 2004 for the Fifth Circuit.

While he was an associate with Trow, Appleget, & Perry, he averaged more than 300 pro bono hours per year which earned him the 2004 Richard D. Custureri Pro Bono Service award and the



2005 President's Pro Bono Service award from the Florida Bar.

His hobbies included building fences, raising horses, and spending time on the family's 1,100 acre ranch in Avon Park, FL.

He is survived by a daughter, Carolyn Wainwright (James) of Orlando, FL; son, David Dalton (Candy) of Martinsburg, WV; three grandchildren, Dalton Wainwright, Cameron Dalton, and Emily Dalton; two brothers, Tom (Kate) of Fullerton, CA; Joe (Carol) of Park City, UT; two sisters, Nancy Hall of Annandale, VA; Teresa Bragg (Jack) of La Crosse, FL; and a number of nieces and nephews.

A Celebration of Life will be private at a later date.

The family has requested that memorial contributions be made to a charity of one's choice . Online condolences may be offered at:

[www.BrownFuneralHomesWV.com](http://www.BrownFuneralHomesWV.com)

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### **HARRISON, EMMA JEAN, 76**

Floral City, FL - Emma Jean Harrison, age 76, of Floral City, FL, went to be with the Lord on July 28, 2012. She was a loving mother, grandmother and a special friend to all of those who knew her. She will be missed by all.

Prior to coming to Floral City, Emma was a resident of Fort McCoy for over 35 years. She was part owner of Joe's Stuff-n-Such, Fort McCoy, and Builders Surplus, Brooksville, FL. She was a member of Floral City First Baptist Church where she loved working in the kitchen and singing in the choir.

Surviving are her children, Deborah (Jim) Lambert of Floral City, Joseph O. (Teena) Harrison of Floral City and Yvonne (Albert) Perkins of Crystal River; grandchildren, James Lambert, Jr. and Jesse Lambert both of Floral City, Rachel (Marshal) Vincent of Inverness, Heather (Micah) Moore of Colorado, Christopher (Lauren) Harrison of Brooksville, Lundy Perkins and Yvette Perkins both of Crystal River; four great-grandchildren, Miley, Austyn, Ghabriel and Caylin; two sisters, Margaret Adams and Dorothy Sebree; three brothers, David Henry, Jerry Henry and James Henry; many nieces and nephews. Also surviving is her ex-husband, Joseph M. Harrison.

Private cremation will take place under the direction of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL.

A Celebration of Life will take place at 10 a.m. on Saturday, August 4th, 2012 at the First Baptist Church in Floral City.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Citrus County.

Brown Funeral Home and Crematory, Lecanto, Florida.

[www.brownfuneralhome.com](http://www.brownfuneralhome.com)

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Survivors include his two nieces, Sydney Thomas of Temple, New Hampshire and Beverly Hacunda of Poughkeepsie, New York; and six grand nieces and nephews, and their children.

At Dr. Marra's request, there will be no calling hours.

A Memorial Service will be held at 1 p.m. on Friday, August 3, 2012 at the Congregational Church of Temple. The Reverend Roger Daly will officiate. A graveside service will be held on Thursday, August 23, 2012 at the Arkport Cemetery in Arkport, New York.

In lieu of flowers, gifts may be made in Dr. Marra's memory to the charity of one's choice .

The Cournoyer Funeral Home and Cremation Center of Jaffrey is assisting the family.

To share memories or to send condolences to Dr. Marra's family, please visit:

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### **NEWLIN, SR., JOHN E. "JACK" 80**

Ocklawaha - John E. "Jack" Newlin, Sr., 80, died in Ocklawaha, FL, on July 28, 2012.

He was born in Westchester, PA and was a supervisor for U.S. defense contractors. Jack was a member of VFW, American Legion. He served in the U.S. Army and Air Force combined for 32 years.

In addition to his beloved wife Joan, Jack is survived by his son, Barry Lincoln of FL; daughter, Cindy Scullion, DE; brother, Jay Newlin, PA; and sister Eva May Cattell, NJ.

Graveside services will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell 2:30 p.m., Friday, August 3, 2012, will full military honors.

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Salt Lake City, UT - Ann Denson Poucher, wife of Earl Poucher, of Sopchoppy, FL died of natural causes on July 15th, 2012 in Salt Lake City where the two had been vacationing since March.

Ann was born in Lake Weir, FL on July 14th, 1947, daughter of John and Marie Denson. She graduated from Lake Weir High School and the University of South Florida. Ann was a teacher

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### **ROSENKRANZ, GERARD GEORGE, 87**

Ocala - On July 24th, 2012 at the age of 87, Gerard George Rosenkranz of Ocala, FL, passed away.

He was the beloved husband of 58 years, to the late Margaret Rosenkranz; dear friend of Edith Weinman of Ocala; loving father of Geraldine Chernowetz of NJ, Thomas of PA, John (Sharon) of NJ, James (Melanie) of PA, and Regina Coeby of NJ; proud grandpa of Thomas, James, John, Jennifer (Michael) Snyder, Sarah, Natalie (Jason) Gawaldo, Johnny, and Allison Coeby; great-grandpa of Cecilia Gawaldo, Jack Snyder, and Baby Gawaldo.

Jerry served in WWII under Patton's Third Army and first saw action at the Battle of the Bulge with the Fourth Armored Division. He also saw action in four other major battles in Europe.

Born in New York City and raised in Brooklyn, NY, he began a banking career there, where he met his future wife. In later years they successfully established and managed J. G. Ross and Associates, a manufacturing supplier in central NJ. After retiring, Jerry and Margaret moved to Oak Run in Ocala, where they were active in many social and dancing clubs. Jerry also enjoyed playing tennis and poker.

For several years in FL he fostered his lifelong interest in magic, performing in the Ocala area under the stage name of "Gerraldo". More recently he enjoyed the social and dancing clubs with his friend, Edie.

A private service will be held in Ocala at a later date. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West made the arrangements.

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### **SARKO, DAVID, 52**

Ocala - David Sarko, 52, of Ocala, passed away suddenly, July 24, 2012. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio and moved to Ocala ten years ago from South Florida with his wife and children.

He is survived by his wife of 21 years, Denise Sarko; daughter, Alexa; sons, Brandon, Cyle and David Michael; daughter-in-law, Jennifer; granddaughter, Allison Marie; mother, Marie T. Sarko and six siblings.

A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, August 3, 2012, at Meadowbrook Church in Ocala at 10 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the David Sarko Memorial Fund are appreciated:

[www.gofundme.com/xbqa4](http://www.gofundme.com/xbqa4)

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**STREBEL, MARY, 83**

Ocala - Mary Strebel, 83, of Ocala, FL, a beloved aunt, passed away July 27, 2012.

She was born in Shelby, NC, January 14, 1929, and was a member of the Dunnellon Presbyterian Church and the Red Hat Society.

Mary loved bingo as well as social and family gatherings. Everyone she met she called friend. She will be truly missed by her family which includes nephews and nieces: Kathleen, Karen, Marion, William, John and Cecilia as well as many great-nieces and nephews.

A Memorial Service will be held 1 p.m., Saturday, August 4, 2012, at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon with visitation one hour earlier at 12 noon. Please feel free to leave condolences at:

[www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com)

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**WACKS, MARILYN M. JOHNSON, 74**

Ocala - Marilyn M. Johnson Wacks, age 74, of Ocala, FL passed away peacefully at her home on Saturday, July 28, 2012.

She was born in Fulton Co., IN on December 28, 1937 to Roy E. Minter and Mary E. Burk Minter. When Marilyn was at an early age, her mother remarried. Marilyn received the gift of love from her mother and stepfather, George E. Corrie.

She grew up in Marseilles, Illinois, and was active member of the First Baptist Church of Marseilles, serving as a pianist. Her life dream was to be a missionary, but instead focused her talents and love in raising her three daughters.

She moved to Ocala in 1976 with her family. She was a retired store manager for General Nutrition Center (GNC) in Ocala.

She is survived by her husband, Eugene Wacks of Ocala, FL; daughters, Rebecca (Dale) Anspach of Highland Village, TX, Lorenda (Ken) Houghton of Tavares, FL, and Deborah (Wes) Elsea of Ocala, FL. A sister, Mabel Corrie of Belleview, FL; five granddaughters and two grandsons and three great-granddaughters and three great-grandsons.

A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, August 2, 2012 from 4-7 p.m. A funeral service will also be held at the funeral home on Friday, August 3, 2012 at 10 a.m. Burial will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL.

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**WALTERS, BRUCE WAYNE, 58**

Ocklawaha - Bruce Wayne Walters passed away at home on July 28, 2012.

A native of Franklin, OH, he came to Ocklawaha twenty years ago from Leesburg. Along with his wife, he owned and operated Countryside Furniture in Ocala.

Preceded in death by parents, Luther and Lois Walters, and brother, Joe Walters; he is survived by his wife, Tammy Walters; sons, Joshua Walters, Devin Walters, Russell Culbertson, Jr., Randall Culbertson; daughters, Christina Walters, Brandie McDonald, Crystal Butterfield; brothers, Wendall Walters, Mike Walters, Curtis Walters, Harold Walters, Kenneth Walters, Melvin Walters; sister, Wanda Helton; grandchildren, Lane McDonald, Carter McDonald, Bradley Culbertson, Kaitlyn Butterfield, and Emma Grace Butterfield.

Funeral service will be at 7 p.m., Wednesday, August 1, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service.

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**WATERMAN, DORIS M.**

Ocala - Mrs. Doris M. Waterman born in Brooklyn, New York on October 5th, 1920.

She attended P.S. in Brooklyn and Girls H.S. in Brooklyn after graduation. She attended a designer school. She married Darnell Decosta Waterman, Sr. in April, 1939.

They had three children Darnell D. Waterman, Jr.; Roger R. Waterman and Barry M. Waterman. She was a New York City Social worker for 36 years. She leaves to morn, sons, Darnell D. Waterman, Jr., Roger R. Waterman, daughter- in-law, Claudette Waterman. grandchildren: Debra R. Waterman, Roger R. Waterman, Jr., David M. Waterman, Melissa L. Waterman and Claudia Waterman; great grand-children, Ronnie J. Waterman, Catreese V. Waterman, Dwight B. Waterman, Martik R. Waterman, Darnell D. Waterman III, Sierra M. Waterman-Devine, Vonica S. Reed, Mario D. Reed, Rashae Q. Evans, Jake D. Waterman, Aiden M. Waterman, Tyesha E. Weathers and Amya D. Weathers; three great-great grandchildren.

A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR# 200, (352) 854-2266 in Ocala on Thursday, August 2nd, 2012 from 9 until 11 a.m. with a funeral service to follow at 11 a.m. To leave condolences:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com)

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 2, 2012**

**BROWN, ROSA LEE, 78**

Ocala - Ms. Lee Rosa Brown, 78, passed away July 28, 2012. She was born on Dec. 8, 1933 in Ocala, FL to Ras and Essie Mae Jones.

She graduated from Howard High School and attended Bethune Cookman College. She was employed by Marion County School for 25 years until retirement. She was an active member of

New Covenant Miss. Bapt. Church. She was a member of the Eastern Star Lodge.

She was preceded in death by a son, Tommie Lee Brown; sister, Lillie Mae Dennis, and a brother, Willie C. Jones, and Lillie Shelton.

She is survived by children: Lee Rosa Rawls (Nathaniel), Lillie Brown-Smith, Thomas Brown Jr. (Bridgette), Essie McCall (Charles); grandchildren: Kristen Rawls Mack (Steven), Brishailah Brown, Lakadria and Charles McCall Jr., Janae' Smith, Phyllis Rawls, Tanya Hanks (Robert M.), Sheronda Brown, preceded in death by Master Frank Latrey Smith III; great grands: Jeriahmiah and Courtland Mack, Kori and Robbie Hanks. Aunt, Jeanett Howard, Uncle, Willie Burley, St. Petersburg, FL; sister in law, Queen Jones; daughter in law, Dorothy Brown; adopted sons and daughters, Pastor Stanley and Virginia Jacobs, Jerry and Berna Jenkins; god daughter, Donnalyne Fields, special friends, Debbie Palazzo, Diane Hughes, Deloris Robinson, Pertie Carter; nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of sorrowing friends all loved by her.

Visitation will be held today from 6 until 7:30 p.m. at New Covenant Miss. Bapt. Church, 606 S.W. Broadway and also on Fri. from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 N.W. 10th St. Funeral service will be held 11 a.m., Sat., Aug. 4, 2012, at New Covenant Miss. Bapt. Church.

Arrangements entrusted to C. L. PAGE MORTUARY, INC., 3031 Moncrief Rd., Jacksonville, FL, CARLA L. PAGE, FDIC.

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### **DALTON, D. PATRICK, 70**

Orlando - D. Patrick Dalton, 70, of Orlando, FL passed away on Tuesday, July 31, 2012 at Health Central Park in Winter Garden, Florida.

Born December 1, 1941 in Hollywood, FL he was the son of the late Honore and Jewel Butler Dalton.

D. Patrick Dalton was licensed to practice law in District of Columbia, Florida, and West Virginia, having graduated from Beaufort High School in SC, earned an undergraduate degree from the University of MD, and received his law degree from the University of Miami School of Law.

His private law practice began in West Virginia in 1976 and later worked with Richard McCune as Dalton & McCune. While living in WV he was also a fiduciary commissioner, worker's compensation hearing examiner, municipal court judge, and family law judge.

He moved to Florida in 1989 and in early 1991 began law practice with Legal Services in Ocala, specializing in representing victims of civil domestic violence. He then practiced with the firm of Trow, Appleget, & Perry for five years prior to becoming the child support hearing officer in October 2004 for the Fifth Circuit.

While he was an associate with Trow, Appleget, & Perry, he averaged more than 300 pro bono hours per year which earned him the 2004 Richard D. Custureri Pro Bono Service award and the 2005 President's Pro Bono Service award from the Florida Bar.

His hobbies included building fences, raising horses, and spending time on the family's 1,100 acre ranch in Avon Park, FL.

He is survived by a daughter, Carolyn Wainwright (James) of Orlando, FL; son, David Dalton (Candy) of Martinsburg, WV; three grandchildren, Dalton Wainwright, Cameron Dalton, and Emily Dalton; two brothers, Tom (Kate) of Fullerton, CA; Joe (Carol) of Park City, UT; two sisters, Nancy Hall of Annandale, VA; Teresa Bragg (Jack) of La Crosse, FL; and a number of

nieces and nephews.

A Celebration of Life will be private at a later date.

The family has requested that memorial contributions be made to a charity of one's choice .

Online condolences may be offered at:

[www.BrownFuneralHomesWV.com](http://www.BrownFuneralHomesWV.com)

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### **DAVIS, LASHONDA RENEE**

Ocala - LaShonda was born on March 17th, 1981 in Gainesville, FL, to the parents of Bernadean Lowery-Davis and Leroy Davis Sr.

LaShonda departed this earthly life on Sunday morning, July 2nd, 2012 for her heavenly home.

She leaves to cherish her memory, six children, Darius Davis, Alexander Davis, Ashanta Pittman, Sharda Williams, Nakeyciah Jordan and Raven Smith; her loving mother, Bernadean Lowery of Gainesville, FL; her father, Leroy Davis Sr. (Linda) of Ocala, FL; three brothers, Leroy Davis Jr. (Aviel) of Ocala, FL, Timothy Davis of Tampa, FL, Kevin Lowery of Gainesville, FL; grandmother, Rosetta Lowery of Gainesville, FL; thirteen aunts and fifteen uncles; nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends that will miss her dearly.

Funeral services for LaShonda Renee Davis will be Saturday, August 4, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church in Orange Lake, Florida with The Rev. T.D. Fountain, Pastor. Interment will be in the Mt. Zion Memorial Gardens, Reddick, Florida under the care of Summers Funeral Home Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida, 34475. You may sign the guest register book at:

[www.Summersfh.com](http://www.Summersfh.com).

Visitation on Friday, from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. following there will be a wake service in the Chapel of Summers Funeral Home from 7 p.m until 8 p.m.

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### **DEES, JAMES EMMETT, 85**

Ft. McCoy - James Emmett Dees, age 85, of F. McCoy passed away on Monday, July 30, 2012.

He was the beloved husband of 52 years to Ada Mae Dees. He was the loving father of Ms. Debbie Dees, Mr. and Mrs. Donna Jones, Mr. D. Marvin Dees. all of Florida; Mr. and Mrs. Darrell K. Dees, US Navy of VA, Mr. and Mrs. David James Dees of Florida; proud grandpa of ten grandchildren and one great grandchild.

James was a Navy Gunner in WWII having served in the Pacific theatre from 1942-1945.

Born in Winter Haven, FL on October 23, 1926, his favorite things were NASCAR, hunting, fishing and his family.

A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, August 2, 2012 from 5-7 p m.

A funeral service will also be held at the funeral home on Friday, August 3, 2012 at 12:30 p.m. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Friday, August 3, 2012 at 2:30 pm.

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### **HARRISON, EMMA JEAN, 76**

Floral City, FL - Emma Jean Harrison, age 76, of Floral City, FL, went to be with the Lord on



July 28, 2012. She was a loving mother, grandmother and a special friend to all of those who knew her. She will be missed by all.

Prior to coming to Floral City, Emma was a resident of Fort McCoy for over 35 years. She was part owner of Joe's Stuff-n-Such, Fort McCoy, and Builders Surplus, Brooksville, FL. She was a member of Floral City First Baptist Church where she loved working in the kitchen and singing in the choir.

Surviving are her children, Deborah (Jim) Lambert of Floral City, Joseph O. (Teena) Harrison of Floral City and Yvonne (Albert) Perkins of Crystal River; grandchildren, James Lambert, Jr. and Jesse Lambert both of Floral City, Rachel (Marshal) Vincent of Inverness, Heather (Micah) Moore of Colorado, Christopher (Lauren) Harrison of Brooksville, Lundy Perkins and Yvette Perkins both of Crystal River; four great-grandchildren, Miley, Austyn, Ghabriel and Caylin; two sisters, Margaret Adams and Dorothy Sebree; three brothers, David Henry, Jerry Henry and James Henry; many nieces and nephews. Also surviving is her ex-husband, Joseph M. Harrison. Private cremation will take place under the direction of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL.

A Celebration of Life will take place at 10 a.m. on Saturday, August 4th, 2012 at the First Baptist Church in Floral City.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Citrus County.

Brown Funeral Home and Crematory, Lecanto, Florida.

[www.brownfuneralhome.com](http://www.brownfuneralhome.com)

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### **McLAUGHLIN, JEAN LYNETTE, 66**

Ocala - Jean Lynette McLaughlin, 66 of Ocala, Florida died peacefully on July 29, 2012.

Jean is survived by her daughters, Tambra Wolfe, Wendy Chaffin and Theresa Luzader; her sister, Angela Dawe; her grandchildren, Crystal Owen, Scott Owen, Tomas Owen, Chaffin, Jordyn Chaffin, Andrea Wolfe and Maeleigh Luzader and one great-grand child, Knox Thomas. She is also survived by her Aunt Peggy, Aunt Marie and Uncle Frank, Uncle Carl and Aunt Marie, Uncle Howard and Aunt Beth. Jean was preceded by her parents James and Betty Dawe.

Born in Miami, Florida on December 1, 1945, Jean was a loving mother and grandmother who enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. She loved her animals Piper and Misty, sewing, listening to music, dancing, bowling and Bingo!

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, August 4, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with interment to follow at Highlands Memorial Park.

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### **MONTGOMERY, TONY ALAN, 55**

Ocala - Tony Alan Montgomery passed away at Estelle's House on July 28, 2012.

Born in Cookeville, TN, he came to Ocala in the early 70's, graduated from Vanguard and went on to receive a Bachelor's degree in nursing. He last worked as an RN for the VA Medical Center in Gainesville.

He is survived by his loving wife of 27 years, Barbara Montgomery; daughter, Emily Montgomery; and parents, Lefrey B. and Ruby R. Montgomery, all of Ocala.

Memorial Mass will be held at 10 a.m., Saturday, August 4, 2012, at Our Lady of the Springs with Father Andrew Mallick officiating.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Tony's name to Hospice of Marion County or the Moffitt Cancer Center in Tampa.

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**NEWLIN, SR., JOHN E. "JACK" 80**

Ocklawaha - John E. "Jack" Newlin, Sr., 80, died in Ocklawaha, FL, July 28, 2012.

He was born in Westchester, PA, and was a supervisor for U.S. defense contractors. Jack was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocklawaha, American Legion, and a lifetime member of the VFW. He served in the U.S. Army and Air Force combined for 32 years.

In addition to his beloved wife Joan, Jack is survived by his sons, Barry Lincoln of FL; John E. Newlin II, WA; daughters Cindy Scullion, DE; Linda Carango, MI; brother Jay Newlin, PA; and sister Eva May Cattell, NJ.

A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, August 3, 2012, at the First Baptist Church of Ocklawaha, with interment to follow at 2:30 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell.

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**RIVERS, JOYCE ANN, 56**

West Palm Beach - "Joyful Joyce", Joyce Ann Rivers, age 56, was born on June 25, 1955 in Ocala, Florida and passed away on July 21, 2012 after a brief illness.

Fond memories of Joyce's loving spirit will be cherished by her husband, Isiah W. Rivers; daughters, Shatasia (Lorenzo) Small of Palm Beach Gardens, FL, Reejetta Miller and Shundalar Miller, both of West Palm Beach, FL; sons, Murrell Rivers and Courtney Rivers, both of West Palm Beach, FL; grandchildren, Jaiquan, Traivon, Lorenz, Evita, Shatasia, Janiyah and Je'Anna; sisters, Jewell Mosley of Pittsburgh, PA, Janice McLaud of Lafayette, LA, Linda Peoples of Ocala, FL and Robbie Nelson of Riviera Beach, FL; brothers, John Van Humphrey of Riviera Beach, FL, Willie Earl Moore of Ocala, Florida and Robert Lee Moore of West Palm Beach, FL; a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Visitation will be on Friday, August 3, 2012 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 868 W. 9th Street, Riviera Beach, Florida.

Celebration of Life services will be held on Saturday, August 4, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 868 W. 9th Street, Riviera Beach, Florida.

Interment will be on Sunday, August 5, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Chestnut Cemetery in Ocala, Florida.

Services Entrusted to:

Tony Tanner Funeral Home

127 NW 20th Street, Ocala, Florida (352) 304-6994

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**ROSENKRANZ, GERARD GEORGE, 87**

Ocala - On July 24th, 2012 at the age of 87, Gerard George Rosenkranz of Ocala, FL, passed away.

He was the beloved husband of 58 years, to the late Margaret Rosenkranz; dear friend of Edith Weinman of Ocala; loving father of Geraldine Chernowetz of NJ, Thomas of PA, John (Sharon) of NJ, James (Melanie) of PA, and Regina Coeby of NJ; proud grandpa of Thomas, James, John, Jennifer (Michael) Snyder, Sarah, Natalie (Jason) Gawaldo, Johnny, and Allison Coeby; great-

grandpa of Cecilia Gawaldo, Jack Snyder, and Baby Gawaldo.

Jerry served in WWII under Patton's Third Army and first saw action at the Battle of the Bulge with the Fourth Armored Division. He also saw action in four other major battles in Europe.

Born in New York City and raised in Brooklyn, NY, he began a banking career there, where he met his future wife. In later years they successfully established and managed J. G. Ross and Associates, a manufacturing supplier in central NJ. After retiring, Jerry and Margaret moved to Oak Run in Ocala, where they were active in many social and dancing clubs. Jerry also enjoyed playing tennis and poker.

For several years in FL he fostered his lifelong interest in magic, performing in the Ocala area under the stage name of "Gerraldo". More recently he enjoyed the social and dancing clubs with his friend, Edie.

A private service will be held in Ocala at a later date. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West made the arrangements.

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### **SARKO, DAVID, 52**

Ocala - David Sarko, 52, of Ocala, passed away suddenly, July 24, 2012. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio and moved to Ocala ten years ago from South Florida with his wife and children.

He is survived by his wife of 21 years, Denise Sarko; daughter, Alexa; sons, Brandon, Cyle and David Michael; daughter-in-law, Jennifer; granddaughter, Allison Marie; mother, Marie T. Sarko and six siblings.

A Memorial Service will be held on Friday, August 3, 2012, at Meadowbrook Church in Ocala at 10 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the David Sarko Memorial Fund are appreciated:

[www.gofundme.com/xbqa4](http://www.gofundme.com/xbqa4)

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### **SMITH, FRANCES JANE WALDRON, 82**

Orlando - Frances Jane Waldron Smith, 82 passed away peacefully on July 31, 2012.

She was raised at Bay Lake in north Marion County and was one of six in the 1952 class at Orange Memorial School of Nursing.

She married W.A. "Al" Smith and lived in Orange County, Florida. They celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary in April. She is survived by four children, four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Cary Hand Funeral Home, Curry Ford Road in Orlando is handling arrangements. (407.898.2561)

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### **STICKELER, NICKOLAS JOSEPH, 84**

Venice, FL - Nickolas Joseph Stickeler, 84, of Venice, FL, entered into eternal rest on July 30th, 2012. We are saddened by the loss of his daily presence in our lives, and we feel truly blessed for the time we had with him. His spirit will remain in our hearts.

Nick was the beloved husband of Carl Ann "Jimmy" Stickeler for 63 years; devoted father to five children, Nick Stickeler (Montana) of Keller, TX; Juliann Ebert (Brian) of Ocala, FL, Carl Stickeler and (Colleen) of Valrico, FL, John Stickeler of Blue Ridge, GA, and "Casey" Stickeler

of Venice, FL; a cherished brother to Madelyn Stickeler of Miami, FL; a wonderful brother-in-law to Sarah Dumas of Lapeer, MI; an adored grandfather to six grandchildren, Sheryl Stickeler of Plant City, FL, Valerie Stickeler of Tampa, FL, Jennifer Doty (Brandon) of Duluth, GA, Dale Ebert of Washington, DC, Tony Stickeler (Heather) of Valrico, FL, and Nick Stickeler of Valrico, FL; and a blessed great-grandfather to three great-grandchildren.

Nick was born August 9th, 1927 in Jersey City, NJ. His family moved to Miami, FL in the 1930s, where he attended Miami High School.

After serving in the Navy in WWII, he worked for Florida Power & Light Company for 38 years. He was a member of St. Brendan Catholic Church and was active in Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, Jaycees, Mahi Shriners, Toastmasters International, and Civitan International. He also served as a volunteer police officer in the Miami-Dade County Police Department.

He was an avid hunter and loved to hunt wild turkey and deer in the Everglades. Upon retirement, he and his wife moved to Ocala, FL where they lived for 22 years. In Ocala, Nick was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, a Florida Fish and Wildlife reserve officer, past president of the FPL retirees club, and a member of the Ocala Shriners where he was part of the clown unit (his clown name was "Happy"). In July of 2010, he and Jimmy moved to Venice, FL to live with their daughter, Casey.

A Funeral Mass will be held Friday, August 3rd, 2012 at 11:30 a.m., at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, located at 10670 S.E. Maricamp Rd., Candler, FL 32111. The family will receive friends in the church's community hall after the service.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Nick Stickeler's honor to the Tidewell Hospice House, 210 Wexford Blvd., Venice, FL 34293, phone (941) 441-2042.

Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, Fl. 352-622-4141

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### **STREBEL, MARY, 83**

Ocala - Mary Strebel, 83, of Ocala, FL, a beloved aunt, passed away July 27, 2012.

She was born in Shelby, NC, January 14, 1929, and was a member of the Dunnellon Presbyterian Church and the Red Hat Society.

Mary loved bingo as well as social and family gatherings. Everyone she met she called friend. She will be truly missed by her family which includes nephews and nieces: Kathleen, Karen, Marion, William, John and Cecilia as well as many great-nieces and nephews.

A Memorial Service will be held 1 p.m., Saturday, August 4, 2012, at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon with visitation one hour earlier at 12 noon. Please feel free to leave condolences at:

[www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com)

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### **TAYLOR, ANN LOIS, 74**

Ocala - Ms. Ann Lois Taylor, 74, went on to be with the Lord on July 30, 2012. She was born Shawnee, OK on June 12, 1938.

Ann retired from W. L. Gore and Associates where she started from the bottom and worked up to an executive position and was much loved there. She was originally from Shawnee, OK where she graduated from high school in 1956.

She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala, FL. She moved to Ocala in 1997 from Hollywood, FL.

She is predeceased by her parents Jeff and Thelma Taylor. She is survived by her brother, JD

Taylor of Souderton, PA; two nieces, Stephanie Bennett and Kerri Spencer both of Pennsylvania. Services will be held at a later date. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West made the arrangements.

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#### **WACKS, MARILYN M. JOHNSON, 74**

Ocala - Marilyn M. Johnson Wacks, age 74, of Ocala, FL passed away peacefully at her home on Saturday, July 28, 2012.

She was born in Fulton Co., IN on December 28, 1937 to Roy E. Minter and Mary E. Burk Minter. When Marilyn was at an early age, her mother remarried. Marilyn received the gift of love from her mother and stepfather, George E. Corrie.

She grew up in Marseilles, Illinois, and was active member of the First Baptist Church of Marseilles, serving as a pianist. Her life dream was to be a missionary, but instead focused her talents and love in raising her three daughters.

She moved to Ocala in 1976 with her family. She was a retired store manager for General Nutrition Center (GNC) in Ocala.

She is survived by her husband, Eugene Wacks of Ocala, FL; daughters, Rebecca (Dale) Anspach of Highland Village, TX, Lorenda (Ken) Houghton of Tavares, FL, and Deborah (Wes) Elsea of Ocala, FL. A sister, Mabel Corrie of Belleview, FL; five granddaughters and two grandsons and three great-granddaughters and three great-grandsons.

A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, August 2, 2012 from 4-7 p.m. A funeral service will also be held at the funeral home on Friday, August 3, 2012 at 10 a.m. Burial will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL.

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She was preceded in death by a son, Tommie Lee Brown; sister, Lillie Mae Dennis, and a brother, Willie C. Jones, and Lillie Shelton.

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**COSSACK-VILLNAVE, LENORE, 62**

Ocala - Lenore Cossack-Villnave, 62, of Fort McCoy, FL, and Lake Worth, FL, passed away peacefully at Sylvia's House of Hospice in Ocala, FL, on July 27, 2012, four days after she was felled by a stroke.

Norah, as she was known to her many friends, was born in Concord, NH, and was a homemaker. She is survived by her son, Robert Cossack.

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**DAVIS, LASHONDA RENEE**

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He was the beloved husband of 52 years to Ada Mae Dees. He was the loving father of Ms. Debbie Dees, Mr. and Mrs. Donna Jones, Mr. D. Marvin Dees. all of Florida; Mr. and Mrs. Darrell K. Dees, US Navy of VA, Mr. and Mrs. David James Dees of Florida; proud grandpa of ten grandchildren and one great grandchild.

James was a Navy Gunner in WWII having served in the Pacific theatre from 1942-1945.

Born in Winter Haven, FL on October 23, 1926, his favorite things were NASCAR, hunting, fishing and his family.

A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, August 2, 2012 from 5-7 p m.

A funeral service will also be held at the funeral home on Friday, August 3, 2012 at 12:30 p.m. Interment with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Friday, August 3, 2012 at 2:30 pm.

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### **HARRISON, EMMA JEAN, 76**

Floral City, FL - Emma Jean Harrison, age 76, of Floral City, FL, went to be with the Lord on July 28, 2012. She was a loving mother, grandmother and a special friend to all of those who knew her. She will be missed by all.

Prior to coming to Floral City, Emma was a resident of Fort McCoy for over 35 years. She was part owner of Joe's Stuff-n-Such, Fort McCoy, and Builders Surplus, Brooksville, FL. She was a member of Floral City First Baptist Church where she loved working in the kitchen and singing in the choir.

Surviving are her children, Deborah (Jim) Lambert of Floral City, Joseph O. (Teena) Harrison of Floral City and Yvonne (Albert) Perkins of Crystal River; grandchildren, James Lambert, Jr. and Jesse Lambert both of Floral City, Rachel (Marshal) Vincent of Inverness, Heather (Micah) Moore of Colorado, Christopher (Lauren) Harrison of Brooksville, Lundy Perkins and Yvette Perkins both of Crystal River; four great-grandchildren, Miley, Austyn, Ghabriel and Caylin; two sisters, Margaret Adams and Dorothy Sebree; three brothers, David Henry, Jerry Henry and James Henry; many nieces and nephews. Also surviving is her ex-husband, Joseph M. Harrison. Private cremation will take place under the direction of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL.

A Celebration of Life will take place at 10 a.m. on Saturday, August 4th, 2012 at the First Baptist Church in Floral City.

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### **HOPKINS, PATRICIA WINIFRED RICHARDS, 87**

Dunnellon - Patricia Winifred Richards Hopkins, "Pat" to her friends, age 87, went home to be with our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Mrs. Hopkins was born in Vancouver, B.C. Canada and was an only child. She proudly served nearly four years in the Canadian Women's Army Corps during World War II, joining at one month seventeen in 1942 and leaving the service as a Platoon Sergeant.

Married in 1946 to career U.S. Army Master Sgt. Craig S. Hopkins, she lived in many parts of the United States and Germany, to include Seattle, Washington, Killeen, Texas, Butte and Missoula, Montana, DeRidder, Louisiana, and Miami, Florida. Moving to Dunnellon in 1978 was their 39th move as a family. She was a devoted, loving mother and raised three sons and a daughter who were born in Washington, Germany, and Montana.

The family often enjoyed primitive camping during the 1960's. One 50,000 mile journey took the family on a camping trip overseas through 27 different countries. She wrote a book about the family's travels and had excerpts from it published in the United States and Germany.

Mrs. Hopkins went to night school to complete her High School education and then received an

Associate in Arts degree from Miami-Dade Community College in 1975. She was a member of Phi Theta Kappa and the Epsilon Chapter of Phi Lambda Pi Fraternity. She was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary for the Dunnellon Volunteer Fire Dept. and also an original board member of the Dunnellon Daycare Center. Mrs. Hopkins retired as a Pharmacy Technician from Eckerd's Drug Store in Dunnellon after 14 years of service.

Mrs. Hopkins was preceded in death by her husband on July 17, 1988. Mrs. Hopkins is survived by three sons of Miami and Dunnellon, Florida; Richard, Brian, David, their wives, Nancy and Sue, and a daughter, Patricia Powell of Dunnellon. She is dearly missed by seven grandchildren, Michelle, Stacey, Jennifer, Jeffrey, Alyson, Anthony, and Nicholas. She is also survived by six great-grandchildren, Samantha, Rory, Paige, Aidyn and Kailyn.

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### **McLAUGHLIN, JEAN LYNETTE, 66**

Ocala - Jean Lynette McLaughlin, 66 of Ocala, Florida died peacefully on July 29, 2012.

Jean is survived by her daughters, Tambra Wolfe, Wendy Chaffin and Theresa Luzader; her sister, Angela Dawe; her grandchildren, Crystal Owen, Scott Owen, Tomas Owen, Ali Smith, Ashley Chaffin, Spencer Smith, Timmy Luzader, Jacob Wolfe, Jon Michael Chaffin, Jordyn Chaffin, Andrea Wolfe and Maeleigh Luzader and one great-grand child, Knox Thomas. She is also survived by her Aunt Peggy, Aunt Marie and Uncle Frank, Uncle Carl and Aunt Marie, Uncle Howard and Aunt Beth. Jean was preceded by her parents James and Betty Dawe.

Born in Miami, Florida on December 1, 1945, Jean was a loving mother and grandmother who enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. She loved her animals Piper and Misty, sewing, listening to music, dancing, bowling and Bingo!

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, August 4, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala with interment to follow at Highlands Memorial Park.

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### **MONTGOMERY, TONY ALAN, 55**

Ocala - Tony Alan Montgomery passed away at Estelle's House on July 28, 2012.

Born in Cookeville, TN, he came to Ocala in the early 70's, graduated from Vanguard and went on to receive a Bachelor's degree in nursing. He last worked as an RN for the VA Medical Center in Gainesville.

He is survived by his loving wife of 27 years, Barbara Montgomery; daughter, Emily Montgomery; and parents, Lefrey B. and Ruby R. Montgomery, all of Ocala.

Memorial Mass will be held at 10 a.m., Saturday, August 4, 2012, at Our Lady of the Springs with Father Andrew Mallick officiating.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Tony's name to Hospice of Marion County or the Moffitt Cancer Center in Tampa.

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### **MUELLER, KAREN, 67**



Ocala - Karen Mueller, 67, of Ocala, Florida, passed away in Foristell, Missouri, on July 31, 2012. She was the daughter of the late Dr. Clarence Mueller and Della A. Mueller nee Mehl, dear friend of Todd Garland, loving sister of Joyce E. Rosner, and a beloved aunt and grand-aunt. She will be greatly missed by her pets Billy, Petey and Reggie.

A funeral service will be conducted on Monday, August 6, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Pitman Funeral Home, 1545 Wentzville Parkway, Wentzville, MO. Interment will be at Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis, MO.

The family will receive friends at Pitman Funeral Home, 1545 Wentzville Parkway, Sunday, August 5, 2012 from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Siteman Cancer Society or BJC Hospice, care of Pitman Funeral Home, 1545 Wentzville Parkway, Wentzville, MO 63385.

Memories and condolences may be expressed at:  
[www.pitmanfuneralhome.com](http://www.pitmanfuneralhome.com).

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### **NETTNIN, CHARLES "CHUCK", 76**

Ocala - Charles "Chuck" Nettin, 76, of Ocala, FL, peacefully passed away August 1, 2012 at Legacy House.

He is survived by his wife of 41 years, Lori Nettin; his sons, Chuck Nettin of San Diego, CA; David Wade of Ocala, FL; his daughter, Jennifer Marceaux of Williamsville, NY; his sister, Ruth Mapes of Bradford, PA; his aunt, Veda Lemcke of Brockport, NY; six nieces and nephews and seven grandchildren.

Born in Rochester, NY, on June 2, 1936, Chuck worked on the family farm before being drafted by the U.S. Army in the 1950s. After leaving the Army, he worked as a mechanic for Ford, then as a maintenance mechanic for General Electric, then for Black & Decker.

He moved with his family to Ocala, FL in 1987, where he worked as a maintenance mechanic for Professional Medical Products until he retired.

Chuck enjoyed seeing the country in his RV and the world from a cruise ship. He also enjoyed baseball, auto racing, tinkering in his workshop, country music and his dog.

Services will be on Saturday, Aug. 4, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala with visitation on Friday from 6 until 8 p.m. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery at Bushnell.

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### **NEWLIN, SR., JOHN E. "JACK" 80**

Ocklawaha - John E. "Jack" Newlin, Sr., 80, died in Ocklawaha, FL, July 28, 2012.

He was born in Westchester, PA, and was a supervisor for U.S. defense contractors. Jack was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocklawaha, American Legion, and a lifetime member of the VFW. He served in the U.S. Army and Air Force combined for 32 years.

In addition to his beloved wife Joan, Jack is survived by his sons, Barry Lincoln of FL; John E. Newlin II, WA; daughters Cindy Scullion, DE; Linda Carango, MI; brother Jay Newlin, PA; and sister Eva May Cattell, NJ.

A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, August 3, 2012, at the First Baptist Church of Ocklawaha, with interment to follow at 2:30 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell.

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**RIVERS, JOYCE ANN, 56**

West Palm Beach - "Joyful Joyce", Joyce Ann Rivers, age 56, was born on June 25, 1955 in Ocala, Florida and passed away on July 21, 2012 after a brief illness.

Fond memories of Joyce's loving spirit will be cherished by her husband, Isiah W. Rivers; daughters, Shatasia (Lorenzo) Small of Palm Beach Gardens, FL, Reejetta Miller and Shundalar Miller, both of West Palm Beach, FL; sons, Murrell Rivers and Courtney Rivers, both of West Palm Beach, FL; grandchildren, Jaiquan, Traivon, Lorenz, Evita, Shatasia, Janiyah and Je'Anna; sisters, Jewell Mosley of Pittsburgh, PA, Janice McLaud of Lafayette, LA, Linda Peoples of Ocala, FL and Robbie Nelson of Riviera Beach, FL; brothers, John Van Humphrey of Riviera Beach, FL, Willie Earl Moore of Ocala, Florida and Robert Lee Moore of West Palm Beach, FL; a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Visitation will be on Friday, August 3, 2012 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 868 W. 9th Street, Riviera Beach, Florida.

Celebration of Life services will be held on Saturday, August 4, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 868 W. 9th Street, Riviera Beach, Florida.

Interment will be on Sunday, August 5, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Chestnut Cemetery in Ocala, Florida.

Services Entrusted to:

Tony Tanner Funeral Home

127 NW 20th Street, Ocala, Florida (352) 304-6994

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**SMITH, FRANCES JANE WALDRON, 82**

Orlando - Frances Jane Waldron Smith, 82 passed away peacefully on July 31, 2012.

She was raised at Bay Lake in north Marion County and was one of six in the 1952 class at Orange Memorial School of Nursing.

She married W.A. "Al" Smith and lived in Orange County, Florida. They celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary in April. She is survived by four children, four grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Cary Hand Funeral Home, Curry Ford Road in Orlando is handling arrangements. (407.898.2561)

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**STICKELER, NICKOLAS JOSEPH, 84**

Venice, FL - Nickolas Joseph Stickeler, 84, of Venice, FL, entered into eternal rest on July 30th, 2012. We are saddened by the loss of his daily presence in our lives, and we feel truly blessed for the time we had with him. His spirit will remain in our hearts.

Nick was the beloved husband of Carl Ann "Jimmy" Stickeler for 63 years; devoted father to five children, Nick Stickeler (Montana) of Keller, TX; Juliann Ebert (Brian) of Ocala, FL, Carl Stickeler and (Colleen) of Valrico, FL, John Stickeler of Blue Ridge, GA, and "Casey" Stickeler of Venice, FL; a cherished brother to Madelyn Stickeler of Miami, FL; a wonderful brother-in-law to Sarah Dumas of Lapeer, MI; an adored grandfather to six grandchildren, Sheryl Stickeler of Plant City, FL, Valerie Stickeler of Tampa, FL, Jennifer Doty (Brandon) of Duluth, GA, Dale Ebert of Washington, DC, Tony Stickeler (Heather) of Valrico, FL, and Nick Stickeler of Valrico, FL; and a blessed great-grandfather to three great-grandchildren.

Nick was born August 9th, 1927 in Jersey City, NJ. His family moved to Miami, FL in the 1930s, where he attended Miami High School.

After serving in the Navy in WWII, he worked for Florida Power & Light Company for 38 years. He was a member of St. Brendan Catholic Church and was active in Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, Jaycees, Mahi Shriners, Toastmasters International, and Civitan International. He also served as a volunteer police officer in the Miami-Dade County Police Department.

He was an avid hunter and loved to hunt wild turkey and deer in the Everglades. Upon retirement, he and his wife moved to Ocala, FL where they lived for 22 years. In Ocala, Nick was a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, a Florida Fish and Wildlife reserve officer, past president of the FPL retirees club, and a member of the Ocala Shriners where he was part of the clown unit (his clown name was "Happy"). In July of 2010, he and Jimmy moved to Venice, FL to live with their daughter, Casey.

A Funeral Mass will be held Friday, August 3rd, 2012 at 11:30 a.m., at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, located at 10670 S.E. Maricamp Rd., Candler, FL 32111. The family will receive friends in the church's community hall after the service.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Nick Stickeler's honor to the Tidewell Hospice House, 210 Wexford Blvd., Venice, FL 34293, phone (941) 441-2042.

Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, Fl. 352-622-4141

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#### **TAYLOR, ANN LOIS, 74**

Ocala - Ms. Ann Lois Taylor, 74, went on to be with the Lord on July 30, 2012. She was born Shawnee, OK on June 12, 1938.

Ann retired from W. L. Gore and Associates where she started from the bottom and worked up to an executive position and was much loved there. She was originally from Shawnee, OK where she graduated from high school in 1956.

She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala, FL. She moved to Ocala in 1997 from Hollywood, FL.

She is predeceased by her parents Jeff and Thelma Taylor. She is survived by her brother, JD Taylor of Souderton, PA; two nieces, Stephanie Bennett and Kerri Spencer both of Pennsylvania. Services will be held at a later date. Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West made the arrangements.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 4, 2012**

#### **COSSACK-VILLNAVE, LENORE, 62**

Ocala - Lenore Cossack-Villnave, 62, of Fort McCoy, FL, and Lake Worth, FL, passed away peacefully at Sylvia's House of Hospice in Ocala, FL, on July 27, 2012, four days after she was felled by a stroke.

Norah, as she was known to her many friends, was born in Concord, NH, and was a homemaker. She is survived by her son, Robert Cossack.

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#### **HARRISON, EMMA JEAN, 76**

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Dunnellon - Patricia Winifred Richards Hopkins, "Pat" to her friends, age 87, went home to be with our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

Mrs. Hopkins was born in Vancouver, B.C. Canada and was an only child. She proudly served nearly four years in the Canadian Women's Army Corps during World War II, joining at one month seventeen in 1942 and leaving the service as a Platoon Sergeant.

Married in 1946 to career U.S. Army Master Sgt. Craig S. Hopkins, she lived in many parts of the United States and Germany, to include Seattle, Washington, Killeen, Texas, Butte and Missoula, Montana, DeRidder, Louisiana, and Miami, Florida. Moving to Dunnellon in 1978 was their 39th move as a family. She was a devoted, loving mother and raised three sons and a daughter who were born in Washington, Germany, and Montana.

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A funeral service will be conducted on Monday, August 6, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Pitman Funeral Home, 1545 Wentzville Parkway, Wentzville, MO. Interment will be at Bellefontaine Cemetery, St. Louis, MO.

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Born in Rochester, NY, on June 2, 1936, Chuck worked on the family farm before being drafted by the U.S. Army in the 1950s. After leaving the Army, he worked as a mechanic for Ford, then as a maintenance mechanic for General Electric, then for Black & Decker.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 5, 2012**

#### **BREWER, SYBIL L. SUDDARDS BUDD NIELAND, 94**

Augusta, GA - Mrs. Sybil L. Suddards Budd Nieland Brewer completed her earthly journey of 94 years on Friday, August 3, 2012, and is safely home with our Lord in Glory Land.

A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2012 in the Chapel of Rowland Funeral Home with Rev. Alan Suddards officiating. Interment will be in Camden, NJ.

Mrs. Brewer was a faithful member of Victory Baptist Church in North Augusta. She was also a member and past president of PEO Sisterhood since 1947, and was a current member of its Chapter "P" in Augusta.

Her love and devotions linger on with her family, two sons, Jerry Suddards of St. Petersburg, FL and Alan Suddards and his wife Iva of Augusta, GA; a stepson, Arthur Brewer of Lake Wales, FL and Joann Land of Jacksonville, FL; three granddaughters, Anya Sturgeon of Augusta, GA, Kara Suddards and Jamie Watson both of St. Petersburg, FL; two great-grandsons, Tristin Hayes and Jared Hayes both of St. Petersburg, FL; and two sister-in-laws, Shirley Weller of Jacksonville, FL and Doris Pollack of Lake Wales, FL.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Weller; one brother, William Weller; and her husbands, Frank Suddards, Elmer Budd, William Nieland, and Herman Brewer.

Memorials may be made to Victory Baptist Bible College, 620 W. Martintown Road, North Augusta, SC 29841.

Please visit the online register at:

[www.rowlandfuneralhome.com](http://www.rowlandfuneralhome.com)

Rowland Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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#### **CHAZAL, JR., JOHN PHILIP, 86**

Ocala - John P. Chazal, Jr., a lifelong resident of Ocala died on August 3, 2012 at Munroe Regional Hospital.

Johnny was born on January 18, 1926 in Ocala, FL. His parents were John P. Chazal and Dorothy Brooks Chazal. He was Roman Catholic and attended Blessed Trinity Church.

He attended Ocala High School, class of 1943. He graduated from the University of South Carolina in 1945. He was in the Navy for eight years and obtained the rank of Lieutenant JG and served on the USS Norris.

Johnny, along with his father and brother Louis, founded Hurricane Batteries in 1950. He

worked every day until a few months before his death, some 62 years.

He was an avid golfer.

He is survived by brothers, Louis (Barbara) Chazal of Morehead City, NC and Peter (Mae) Chazal of Ocala; sisters, Betty Chazal of Ocala and Dorrie Chazal Platte of Augusta, GA; five nephews, four nieces, and thirty one great-nephews and nieces.

Visitation will be at 1:00 pm followed by a Memorial Service on Tuesday at 2:00 pm, August 7, 2012. The Service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Inurnment will be held at a later date by family.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions to the Diabetes Research Institute Foundation, 200 S. Park Rd., Suite 100, Hollywood, FL 33021-8335.

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### **DALEY, JOSEPHINE, 74**

Ocala - Josephine Daley, 74, passed away quietly on July 30th, 2012 at home. She was born on February 6th, 1938 in Parika, Guyana to Oliver and Eldeka Forde.

Josephine moved to New York in 1965 where she met and married Stephen Daley (of Jamaica) in 1969. They moved to Ocala in 1983 and are members of Shiloh SDA Church.

Josephine enjoyed helping others and was a true servant of Jesus. She gave unselfishly and was a perfect example of the virtuous woman in Proverbs 31. She was blessed to have plenty of love from family and friends, and she was an enormous blessing to all.

Josephine will be lovingly remembered by a multitude of people; especially her devoted husband, Stephen Sr.; her children, Mark (Darlene) Norville, Beverly (Johnny Jr.) Grandison, Stephen Jr. (Maricar) Daley, Ruth Daley, Grace Daley; and her grandchildren, Monica and Jasmine Norville, Gabriel and Ella Daley.

The viewing will take place at Brown Memorial Funeral Home (706 SW MLK Ave., Ocala) on Friday, August 10th, 2012 from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m., Saturday, August 11th, from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. and at Shiloh SDA Church (500 SW 17th Ave., Ocala) Saturday, August 11th at 7:30 p.m.

There will be a final viewing at the Silver Spring Shores SDA Church, 45 Pine Ave., Ocala, on Sunday, August 12th, at 10 a.m. The funeral service will follow at 11 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, Josephine requested donations be sent to Euchee Pines Institute for Hidden Manna Ministries. (334) 855-4764. Family has entrusted services to Brown Memorial Funeral Home (352) 840-0611.

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### **DELAINO, MARY ANN**

Mary Ann Delaino, age 94, beloved citizen of Cedar Key, Florida, passed away peacefully in her Home on Friday, August 3, 2012. As a Mother, Teacher and friend, she touched the lives of all who knew her. She was born in Madison, Florida on November 11, 1917. She graduated from Florida State College for Women in 1937. She later received her Master's Degree in Library Science from the University of Florida.

Mary Ann taught one year in Lee, Florida. She moved to Cedar Key in 1938, where she taught English for 30 years and then worked in the Cedar Key School Library and Libraries in several other Schools in Levy County. In 1988 the Cedar Key School Library was named in her honor.

Mary Ann married Bill Delaino, a commercial fisherman in 1939. She was very active in the Cedar Key United Methodist Church as pianist, Sunday School Teacher and a member of the United Women's Society. She was a founding member of the Cedar Key Woman's Club,

Historical Society and the Garden Club. Mary Ann loved traveling, cooking wonderful meals and visiting with friends and family in her home.

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**BREWER, SYBIL L. SUDDARDS BUDD NIELAND, 94**

Augusta, GA - Mrs. Sybil L. Suddards Budd Nieland Brewer completed her earthly journey of 94 years on Friday, August 3, 2012, and is safely home with our Lord in Glory Land.

A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2012 in the Chapel of Rowland Funeral Home with Rev. Alan Suddards officiating. Interment will be in Camden, NJ.

Mrs. Brewer was a faithful member of Victory Baptist Church in North Augusta. She was also a member and past president of PEO Sisterhood since 1947, and was a current member of its Chapter "P" in Augusta.

Her love and devotions linger on with her family, two sons, Jerry Suddards of St. Petersburg, FL and Alan Suddards and his wife Iva of Augusta, GA; a stepson, Arthur Brewer of Lake Wales, FL and Joann Land of Jacksonville, FL; three granddaughters, Anya Sturgeon of Augusta, GA, Kara Suddards and Jamie Watson both of St. Petersburg, FL; two great-grandsons, Tristin Hayes and Jared Hayes both of St. Petersburg, FL; and two sister-in-laws, Shirley Weller of Jacksonville, FL and Doris Pollack of Lake Wales, FL.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Weller; one brother, William Weller; and her husbands, Frank Suddards, Elmer Budd, William Nieland, and Herman Brewer.

Memorials may be made to Victory Baptist Bible College, 620 W. Martintown Road, North Augusta, SC 29841.

Please visit the online register at:

[www.rowlandfuneralhome.com](http://www.rowlandfuneralhome.com)

Rowland Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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**CHAZAL, JR., JOHN PHILIP, 86**

Ocala - John P. Chazal, Jr., a lifelong resident of Ocala died on August 3, 2012 at Munroe Regional Hospital.

Johnny was born on January 18, 1926 in Ocala, FL. His parents were John P. Chazal and Dorothy Brooks Chazal. He was Roman Catholic and attended Blessed Trinity Church.

He attended Ocala High School, class of 1943. He graduated from the University of South Carolina in 1945. He was in the Navy for eight years and obtained the rank of Lieutenant JG and served on the USS Norris.

Johnny, along with his father and brother Louis, founded Hurricane Batteries in 1950. He worked every day until a few months before his death, some 62 years.

He was an avid golfer.

He is survived by brothers, Louis (Barbara) Chazal of Morehead City, NC and Peter (Mae) Chazal of Ocala; sisters, Betty Chazal of Ocala and Dorrie Chazal Platte of Augusta, GA; five nephews, four nieces, and thirty one great-nephews and nieces.

Visitation will be at 1:00 pm followed by a Memorial Service on Tuesday at 2:00 pm, August 7, 2012. The Service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. Inurnment will be held at a later date by family.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions to the Diabetes Research Institute Foundation, 200 S. Park Rd., Suite 100, Hollywood, FL 33021-8335.

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#### **DALEY, JOSEPHINE, 74**

Ocala - Josephine Daley, 74, passed away quietly on July 30th, 2012 at home. She was born on February 6th, 1938 in Parika, Guyana to Oliver and Eldeka Forde.

Josephine moved to New York in 1965 where she met and married Stephen Daley (of Jamaica) in 1969. They moved to Ocala in 1983 and are members of Shiloh SDA Church.

Josephine enjoyed helping others and was a true servant of Jesus. She gave unselfishly and was a perfect example of the virtuous woman in Proverbs 31. She was blessed to have plenty of love from family and friends, and she was an enormous blessing to all.

Josephine will be lovingly remembered by a multitude of people; especially her devoted husband, Stephen Sr.; her children, Mark (Darlene) Norville, Beverly (Johnny Jr.) Grandison, Stephen Jr. (Maricar) Daley, Ruth Daley, Grace Daley; and her grandchildren, Monica and Jasmine Norville, Gabriel and Ella Daley.

The viewing will take place at Brown Memorial Funeral Home (706 SW MLK Ave., Ocala) on Friday, August 10th, 2012 from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m., Saturday, August 11th, from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. and at Shiloh SDA Church (500 SW 17th Ave., Ocala) Saturday, August 11th at 7:30 p.m.

There will be a final viewing at the Silver Spring Shores SDA Church, 45 Pine Ave., Ocala, on Sunday, August 12th, at 10 a.m. The funeral service will follow at 11 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, Josephine requested donations be sent to Euchee Pines Institute for Hidden Manna Ministries. (334) 855-4764. Family has entrusted services to Brown Memorial Funeral Home (352) 840-0611.

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#### **DELAINO, MARY ANN**

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Mary Ann taught one year in Lee, Florida. She moved to Cedar Key in 1938, where she taught English for 30 years and then worked in the Cedar Key School Library and Libraries in several other Schools in Levy County. In 1988 the Cedar Key School Library was named in her honor.

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**ALLEN, CAROLYN M.**

Summerfield - Born August 15th, 1930 in Wyauega, WI; died July 24th, 2012 in Summerfield, FL.

Mrs. Allen enjoyed volunteering in the neighborhood, cake decorating, crafts, and writing letters. Carolyn was a strong and feisty Christian woman.

She is survived by her sons, Robert, of Summerfield, FL, and James, of Cumming, GA; daughters, Marilyn Allen of Ocala, FL, and Louise James of DE; sister, Lois Timm of Watertown, WI; ten grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Gordon Allen; and her parents.

Memorial will be held Wednesday, August 15th, 2012 8 a.m. at St. John Lutheran Church, Summerfield, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to UF Shands Cancer Center.

Arrangements entrusted with Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Sentiments may be left online at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**BATTEN, BETTY B., 83**

Ocala - Betty B. Batten, 83, passed away on Sunday, Aug. 5, 2012, at Ocala Regional Medical Center.

Betty was born in Bartow, FL and moved to Ocala in 1967. She was a retired operator for United

Telephone Company now CenturyLink. She was a member of Olivet Baptist Church and enjoyed Gospel music, church life, reading and cross stitching.

She is survived by her husband, H.C. Batten of Ocala; daughter, Edna Hayes of Ocala; sister, Imogene Gandy of Connorsville, FL; brothers, Jessie Brown of Tifton, GA, and Jerry Brown of Arkansas; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, Aug. 9, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Olivet Baptist Church with Pastor Michael Davis officiating. Visitation at the church at 10 a.m. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park.

Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd.

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### **BUCHKO, MICHAEL, 80**

Michael Judson "Mike" Buchko, age 80, of Dunnellon, FL, ascended from his earthly journey into everlasting life on August 3, 2012, at his home.

Mike was born October 30, 1931, in Uniontown, PA, the son of the late Agnes and Mike Buchko.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his infant daughter, Terri Lynn, his daughter-in-law, Robin Buchko and brothers-in-law, Bob Vilseck and Tom Myers.

Mike served his country during the Korean Conflict in the U.S. Navy. He retired early in 1986 from US Steel as Head Cost Analyst in the Frick Mining District as well as serving as Assistant Treasurer with the Frick District Federal Credit Union. He moved to Kill Devil Hills, NC, and continued working as the Office Manager for Hutchins Allen CPA Firm in Nags Head, NC. He retired and

continued his journey to Rainbow Springs, Florida, in 2001.

Mike was an avid Pittsburgh Steeler Fan, loved everything Baseball, Golf and Florida Gator Football.

He also loved to sing and belonged to his Church Choir as well as Singing Barbershop in North Carolina. He was the proprietor of "Mike's Hunky Heaven" in Uniontown, PA, where everybody had a great time!

Mike leaves to cherish his memory a loving wife of 55 years, Connie Connor Buchko, daughter Lisa Buchko (William Descalzi), Dunnellon, FL; son Jeff Buchko, Columbia, SC; two grandsons, Judson Buchko and Bradley Buchko, Columbia, SC; seven sisters who affectionately called him "Junie", Joan Jansen (Bill), Baltimore, MD, Carol Vilseck-Hughes (Don), Pittsburgh, PA, Janet Myers, Dolores Buchko, Barbara Buchko, Patty Buchko, Ida Morganosky, Uniontown, PA, sisters-in-law, Pat Kothmann (Ed), Pittsburgh, PA, Mary Jo Connor, WV, and many nieces and nephews.

A Mass celebrating Mike's life will be held on Saturday, August 25, 2012, at 2 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Church, Highway 41, Dunnellon, FL, with Fr. Joseph Pinchock officiating. A reception will immediately follow at the Church Hall.

A private family interment service at Mount Saint Macrina in Uniontown, PA, will be held at a later date.

Mike loved all of his poodles throughout the years. He will be reunited with his beloved Rocky at the Rainbow Bridge.

The family requests, in lieu of flowers, that memorials be made in his memory to The Humane Society of Marion County, Florida.

[www.humanesocietyofmarioncounty.com](http://www.humanesocietyofmarioncounty.com) or PO Box 1542, Ocala, FL 34478.

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**CONKLIN, AMANDA, 26**

Silver Springs - Amanda Conklin, age 26, passed away August 3, 2012.

She is survived by her daughter, Jayden Barlass, her partner in parenthood, Matt Barlass, her mother Jeanie Moody, her father Bud Conklin, her brothers Sean Conklin, Nicholas "Chey" Conklin, Chris Carr, Joshua Smith and John Roberts, her sisters Patricia Barnhardt and Katie Moody, her grandparents Christine Magee, David Barnes, many aunts, uncles and cousins. She was preceded in death by her grandmother Linda Barnes and grandfathers Jack Magee and Roy Conklin.

She was a wonderful mother, a loving sister and a great friend to many.

Memorial service will be held Thursday, August 9, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. Donations may be made to Alachua County Humane Society in her name.

We love you Mandy, always.

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**CUNDIFF, LOUISE HENDERSON, 88**

Olive Hill - Mrs. Louise Henderson Cundiff, age 88, of Olive Hill, Kentucky, passed away Saturday morning, August 4, 2012, at her residence. She was born September 8, 1923, in Carter County, Kentucky, a daughter of the late Edd and Lucinda Spillman Henderson.

Louise was a member of the Soldier Church of God. She was a retired owner of Flowers By Jeanie in Olive Hill, Kentucky for 31 years. She also spent 88 years of her life bringing joy and beauty to other people's lives.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 43 years, Otha "Hooks" Cundiff, one son, Alfred Wayne "Buddy" Cundiff, a daughter, Carole Jean "Jeanie" Williams, eight brothers, Arden Ray Henderson, Coy Henderson, Everett Henderson, Gordon Henderson, Granville Henderson, Orville Henderson, Theodore Henderson and Willie Henderson, Five sisters, Audra Henderson, Clystie Henderson, Edna Henderson, Emil Stamper and Hazel Henderson.

Louise is survived by her son-in-law who cared for her, Richard "Dick" Williams of Olive Hill, Kentucky; three grandsons and their wives, Rick and Heatherann Cundiff of Ocala, Florida, David and Diane Cundiff of Soldier, Kentucky, Jonathan and Kim Cundiff of Olive Hill, Kentucky; three great-grandchildren, Bradley J. Cundiff, Dalton Cundiff, Travis Cundiff, and Kyle Cundiff, one great-great-grandson, Bryson Cundiff, one brother and sister-in-law, Lowell and Clara Henderson of Yellow Springs, Ohio; one daughter-in-law, Sharon Baker of Olive Hill, Kentucky; one sister-in-law; Doris Henderson of Georgetown, Kentucky. She also leaves many other family members and friends who will sadly mourn her passing.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, August 7, 2012, at Globe Funeral Chapel in Olive Hill, Kentucky, with Brother Martin Henderson officiating. Burial will follow in the Garvin Ridge Cemetery in Olive Hill, Kentucky. Friends may visit from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Monday, August 6, 2012, at Globe Funeral Chapel, 17277 West US 60, Olive Hill, Kentucky. Family and Friends will serve as pallbearers. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.globefc.com](http://www.globefc.com).

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**DANIELS, ERIC AARON, 78**

Scrambletown - Eric Aaron Daniels passed away at home on July 31, 2012, surrounded by his loving family.

A native of Bradenton, Eric came to Scrambletown from Venice, FL, 15 years ago. He retired as a foreman after 37 1/2 years with Florida Power and Light and was a longtime member of the Eagles Club. He served in the Army National Guard in Manatee County.

Eric is survived by sons, Chad Benjamin Daniels, Venice; Eric Chalmer Daniels, Sarasota; David Urofsky Daniels, Sarasota; daughter, Felicia Daniels Futch, Scrambletown; seven grandchildren: Shanon, Aaron, Kyle, Amanda, Crystle, Shana and Cameron; six great-grandchildren: Kylie, Tyler, Kayla, Brayden, Cole and Trevor.

Celebration of life will be held at Scrambletown Country Store, 15480 NE Hwy 314, Silver Springs, Florida, at four o'clock in the afternoon on August 11, 2012.

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### **GRIFFIN, JR., FRANCIS A. "FRANK", 83**

Dunnellon - Francis A. "Frank" Griffin, Jr., age 83, of 21271 West Highway 40, Dunnellon, Florida, passed away peacefully at his home surrounded and supported by his partner and children, on Thursday, August 2, 2012.

He was born on September 17, 1928, in Washington, D.C.; the Son of Francis and Beatrice (Oden) Griffin. He grew up in Washington D.C. and graduated from Gonzaga High School prior to enlisting in the U.S. Navy; serving on active duty from 1950--1954. Following his military service, Frank worked for forty--five years as an electrician in the capital region, and was a proud member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 26, for sixty--five years.

He was predeceased in 2001 by his wife of forty--five years, Mary Lee (Allgire) Griffin. Frank is survived by his partner of eleven years, Betty Dangar, of Ocala, Florida; his sister, Shirley (Robert) Hill, of Owings, Maryland; three daughters, Carol (Edward) Kertz, of Naples, Florida; Brenda (John) McGuire, of Shushan, New York and Deborah (Patrick) Kellaher, of Waldorf, Maryland; his son, Francis "Buzzy" (Patricia) Griffin III, of Hughesville, Maryland, as well as thirteen grandchildren, thirteen great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Frank had a lifelong love of sports and was an accomplished baseball, basketball, and tennis player. In retirement, his combined athleticism and gregarious nature led him to excel in the area of ballroom dance.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County (West) Florida and the American Cancer Society . Friends are invited to a memorial ceremony in celebration of Frank's life on Saturday, September 15, 2012, at 11:00 a.m., at the Benedict Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad, 18210 Hyatt Avenue, Benedict, Maryland.

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### **HICKS, KARL DUANE, 73**

Hog Valley, FL - Duane was born on June 20, 1939. He passed away at his home in Hog Valley, FL on August 1, 2012.

Duane was preceded in death by his parents, Carl and Georgia Hicks and his daughters, Wanda Moreno and Denise Petermann.

Duane did many things in his life from U.S. Marine Corps, wrestling to truck driving. He enjoyed talking on his CB, fishing, camping and hunting and having cookouts with friends and family.

Duane is survived by his dog Molly and children, Dawn and Fred Vogel, Karl Duane Hicks II and Tammy Hicks of Iowa. Loving grandkids, Randy and Maria Bennett, Chris and Crystal Bohannon, Joseph and Amber Moreno, Jessica, Amanda, Taylor and Dale Vogel, Karl Hicks III, Tammy and Troy, Jesse and Timmy Peterman. Eight great grandchildren Austin Baldwin, Haley, Ashley and Randi Bennett, Christopher and Amber Bohannon, Joseph and Rachel Moreno; many nieces and nephews and great friends.

Memorial service was conducted by E.W. Lawson and Son Funeral Home.

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### **MADDOX, FRANCES ROBINSON LYTLE, 91**

Wildwood - Frances Robinson Lytle Maddox, 91, a resident of Wildwood, went to be with the Lord on August 4, 2012, in Leesburg.

Frances was a Florida native, born at the family home on Lake Weir. Frances graduated from Ocala High School and Florida State College for Women (FSU). She was a retired home economics teacher for Wildwood High School. Frances was a member of St. Andrew Orthodox Church in Eustis. She was a member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, Daughters of the American Revolution and the Retired Educators Association.

She is survived by a host of loving nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband of over 66 years, Thomas Eugene Maddox, Jr. Frances was also preceded in death by her parents, Ernest James Lytle, Sr. and Caroline Pasteur Lytle and three siblings, Sarah Dumas Lytle Wellhoner, Ernest James Lytle, Jr. and John Carney Lytle.

Frances and Gene were inseparable in life. They shared a life of helping others, a love of travel and the great outdoors and their families. The Maddox and Lytle families will miss their wisdom, patience, cheerful smiles and helping hands.

Graveside Funeral Services will be held on Wednesday, August 8, 2012, at 10 a.m. at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church Cemetery, Fruitland Park, FL.

Memorial gifts may be made to the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranch, PO Box 2000, Boys Ranch, FL 32064. On line condolences and memories may be shared by visiting [www.bankspagetheus.com](http://www.bankspagetheus.com).

Arrangements are entrusted to Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Home, Wildwood.

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### **MERCER, MARGARET M., 68**

Ocala - Margaret M. Mercer, 68, of Ocala, FL, passed away August 5, 2012. Born in Hazlehurst, GA, she lived most of her life in Ocala. She was blessed to be a homemaker and bookkeeper later in life. She was an active member of First United Methodist Church and loved spending time with her friends and family. She enjoyed bible study, sewing, and her sisters in Beta Sigma Phi.

Margaret is survived by her husband, Lee Mercer; daughters, Rhonda Sapia (Louie), Rachel Sherouse (Tony), and son, Russell Mercer (Nicole). She was blessed to have five grandchildren whom she loved dearly: Kaitlyn, Abbey, Logan, Hannah, and Grace. She is also survived by three sisters, Willie White of Ocala; Jean Kinard of Ocala, and Delores White of Laurens, SC.

A memorial service celebrating Margaret's life will be held on Wednesday, August 8, 2012, at 3 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala, Florida. Family requests no flowers. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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**PERKINS, DOROTHY (DOT) ELLEN, 79**

Ocala - Dorothy Ellen Perkins, age 79, of Ocala, passed away peacefully at Legacy Hospice House on Thursday, August 2, 2012.

She was born on August 6, 1932, in Albany, NY, to Clifford O. and Ruth D. Gilbert. She and her husband, Harry W. Perkins, moved to Ocala in 1987.

In Ocala, she worked for several florists, St. Mark's United Methodist Church and Sam's Club. Prior to moving to Ocala, she lived in Chattanooga, TN. She moved there in 1954 where she spent 12 devoted years at the Chattanooga YWCA. During her tenure, she served as the YWCA's Swimming Instructor, Y-Teen Director, Health Education Director, and Camp and Day Camp Director. In 1967, she was elected to Outstanding Young Women of America. From 1966-1968, Dot served as Executive Director of the Chattanooga Girls Club of America.

As Y-Teen Director, she directed the activities of 1,000 junior and senior high school girls in 30 clubs in Chattanooga and Hamilton Counties. Under her leadership, each girl was in a club of service with the goals to grow as a person, to grow in friendship with people of all races, religions and nationalities, and grow in knowledge and love of God. These, too, were the lifelong goals of Dot Perkins.

She was active in the Easter Seal Society, the Chattanooga Social Workers Club, and the American Camping Association. She was a Life Member and Past Matron of the Order of Eastern Star, Life member of the VFW Auxiliary, and Past President of the Quota Club.

A lifelong member of the Methodist church, Dot was an active member of St. Mark's United Methodist Church. Her abiding faith and church family gave her strength and great joy.

She was preceded in death by her loving husband of 36 years, Harry W. Perkins. She is survived by a brother, Walter Gilbert and his wife, Mary, of Palm Bay; a brother-in-law, Fred Haggerty of Watertown, NY; a sister-in-law, Margaret Holland and her husband Jack, of Ocala; a step-granddaughter, Noel Sima of Jupiter; two great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

A celebration of life service will be held Wednesday, August 8, at 11 a.m. at St. Mark's United Methodist Church in Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Mark's United Methodist Church or the Florida United Methodist Children's Home in Enterprise, FL.

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**ALLEN, CAROLYN M.**

Summerfield - Born August 15th, 1930 in Wyauwega, WI; died July 24th, 2012 in Summerfield, FL.

Mrs. Allen enjoyed volunteering in the neighborhood, cake decorating, crafts, and writing letters. Carolyn was a strong and feisty Christian woman.

She is survived by her sons, Robert, of Summerfield, FL, and James, of Cumming, GA; daughters, Marilyn Allen of Ocala, FL, and Louise James of DE; sister, Lois Timm of Watertown, WI; ten grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Gordon Allen; and her parents.

Memorial will be held Wednesday, August 15th, 2012 8 a.m. at St. John Lutheran Church, Summerfield, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to UF Shands Cancer Center.

Arrangements entrusted with Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Sentiments may be left online at:

www.hiers-baxley.com.

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**BATTEN, BETTY B., 83**

Ocala - Betty B. Batten, 83, passed away on Sunday, Aug. 5, 2012, at Ocala Regional Medical Center.

Betty was born in Bartow, FL and moved to Ocala in 1967. She was a retired operator for United Telephone Company now CenturyLink. She was a member of Olivet Baptist Church and enjoyed Gospel music, church life, reading and cross stitching.

She is survived by her husband, H.C. Batten of Ocala; daughter, Edna Hayes of Ocala; sister, Imogene Gandy of Connorsville, FL; brothers, Jessie Brown of Tifton, GA, and Jerry Brown of Arkansas; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, Aug. 9, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Olivet Baptist Church with Pastor Michael Davis officiating. Visitation at the church at 10 a.m. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park.

Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd.

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**BUCHKO, MICHAEL, 80**

Michael Judson "Mike" Buchko, age 80, of Dunnellon, FL, ascended from his earthly journey into everlasting life on August 3, 2012, at his home.

Mike was born October 30, 1931, in Uniontown, PA, the son of the late Agnes and Mike Buchko.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his infant daughter, Terri Lynn, his daughter-in-law, Robin Buchko and brothers-in-law, Bob Vilseck and Tom Myers.

Mike served his country during the Korean Conflict in the U.S. Navy. He retired early in 1986 from US Steel as Head Cost Analyst in the Frick Mining District as well as serving as Assistant Treasurer with the Frick District Federal Credit Union. He moved to Kill Devil Hills, NC, and continued working as the Office Manager for Hutchins Allen CPA Firm in Nags Head, NC. He retired and continued his journey to Rainbow Springs, Florida, in 2001. Mike was an avid Pittsburgh Steeler Fan, loved everything Baseball, Golf and Florida Gator Football. He also loved to sing and belonged to his Church Choir as well as Singing Barbershop in North Carolina. He was the proprietor of "Mike's Hunky Heaven" in Uniontown, PA, where everybody had a great time!

Mike leaves to cherish his memory a loving wife of 55 years, Connie Connor Buchko, daughter Lisa Buchko (William Descalzi), Dunnellon, FL; son Jeff Buchko, Columbia, SC; two grandsons, Judson Buchko and Bradley Buchko, Columbia, SC; seven sisters who affectionately called him "Junie", Joan Jansen (Bill), Baltimore, MD, Carol Vilseck-Hughes (Don), Pittsburgh, PA, Janet Myers, Dolores Buchko, Barbara Buchko, Patty Buchko, Ida Morganosky, Uniontown, PA, sisters-in-law, Pat Kothmann (Ed), Pittsburgh, PA, Mary Jo Connor, WV, and many nieces and nephews.

A Mass celebrating Mike's life will be held on Saturday, August 25, 2012, at 2 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Church, Highway 41, Dunnellon, FL, with Fr. Joseph Pinchock officiating. A reception will immediately follow at the Church Hall.

A private family interment service at Mount Saint Macrina in Uniontown, PA, will be held at a later date.

Mike loved all of his poodles throughout the years. He will be reunited with his beloved Rocky at the Rainbow Bridge.

The family requests, in lieu of flowers, that memorials be made in his memory to The Humane Society of Marion County, Florida.

[www.humanesocietyofmarioncounty.com](http://www.humanesocietyofmarioncounty.com) or PO Box 1542, Ocala, FL 34478.

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**BUSH, DWIGHT S., 67**

Ocala - Mr. Dwight S. Bush, 67, of Ocala, FL, passed away on July 27, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House.

He was born in Baltimore, MD on May 4, 1945 to parents, Scott and Nettie (Honeywell) Bush. He was loved and will be greatly missed by all that survive him, including his wife of 27 years, Norma Bush; daughters, Debbie, Diane, Lori, and Amy; son, Steve; and sisters, Donna and Shirley.

Dwight was laid to rest at Woodlawn South Cemetery in Miami, FL on July 31st, 2012. A Celebration of life service will take place on Saturday, August 11th at 1:30 p.m. at Friendship Baptist Church, 910 SW 105 Ave, where Dwight was a member.

Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266

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**CARICCHIO, JEROME 96**

Ocala - Jerome (Jerry) Caricchio, age 96, of Ocala, FL, passed away from natural causes on Saturday, August 4, 2012, after a brief stay at Sylvia's Hospice House, Ocala, FL.

Jerome was born on October 22, 1915, in Susquehanna, PA and there, as a young man, worked for the Erie Railroad and the Civilian Conservation Corps. At age 27 he moved to Binghamton, NY, to work for ANSCO (GAF) until retirement in 1977. In 1990 he, with his wife Marion, moved to Ocala, FL where, as an avid golfer and at age 92, scored his second career hole-in-one, on a par 3 hole at the Ocala Golf Club.

He is survived by his wife Marion in Ocala, FL; a daughter Joan, in Binghamton, NY; and a son Jerry, Jr. (Susan) in Kansas City, MO. In addition, he is survived by three grand-children, their mother, Philomena Caricchio, and nine great-grandchildren.

Condolences may be sent to: Mrs. Marion Caricchio, c/o Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. 34470. (352) 629-7171.

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**CONKLIN, AMANDA, 26**

Silver Springs - Amanda Conklin, age 26, passed away August 3, 2012.

She is survived by her daughter, Jayden Barlass, her partner in parenthood, Matt Barlass, her mother Jeanie Moody, her father Bud Conklin, her brothers Sean Conklin, Nicholas "Chey" Conklin, Chris Carr, Joshua Smith and John Roberts, her sisters Patricia Barnhardt and Katie Moody, her grandparents Christine Magee, David Barnes, many aunts, uncles and cousins. She was preceded in death by her grandmother Linda Barnes and grandfathers Jack Magee and Roy Conklin.

She was a wonderful mother, a loving sister and a great friend to many.

Memorial service will be held Thursday, August 9, 2012 at 2:00 p.m. Donations may be made to Alachua County Humane Society in her name.

We love you Mandy, always.

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**CUNDIFF, LOUISE HENDERSON, 88**

Olive Hill - Mrs. Louise Henderson Cundiff, age 88, of Olive Hill, Kentucky, passed away Saturday morning, August 4, 2012, at her residence. She was born September 8, 1923, in Carter County, Kentucky, a daughter of the late Edd and Lucinda Spillman Henderson.

Louise was a member of the Soldier Church of God. She was a retired owner of Flowers By Jeanie in Olive Hill, Kentucky for 31 years. She also spent 88 years of her life bringing joy and beauty to other people's lives.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 43 years, Otha "Hooks" Cundiff, one son, Alfred Wayne "Buddy" Cundiff, a daughter, Carole Jean "Jeanie" Williams, eight brothers, Arden Ray Henderson, Coy Henderson, Everett Henderson, Gordon Henderson, Granville Henderson, Orville Henderson, Theodore Henderson and Willie Henderson, Five sisters, Audra Henderson, Clystie Henderson, Edna Henderson, Emil Stamper and Hazel Henderson.

Louise is survived by her son in-law who cared for her, Richard "Dick" Williams of Olive Hill, Kentucky; three grandsons and their wives, Rick and Heatherann Cundiff of Ocala, Florida, David and Diane Cundiff of Soldier, Kentucky, Jonathan and Kim Cundiff of Olive Hill, Kentucky; three great-grandchildren, Bradley J. Cundiff, Dalton Cundiff, Travis Cundiff, and Kyle Cundiff, one great-great-grandson, Bryson Cundiff, one brother and sister-in-law, Lowell and Clara Henderson of Yellow Springs, Ohio; one daughter-in-law, Sharon Baker of Olive Hill, Kentucky; one sister-in-law; Doris Henderson of Georgetown, Kentucky. She also leaves many other family members and friends who will sadly mourn her passing.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, August 7, 2012, at Globe Funeral Chapel in Olive Hill, Kentucky, with Brother Martin Henderson officiating. Burial will follow in the Garvin Ridge Cemetery in Olive Hill, Kentucky. Friends may visit from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Monday, August 6, 2012, at Globe Funeral Chapel, 17277 West US 60, Olive Hill, Kentucky. Family and Friends will serve as pallbearers. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.globefc.com](http://www.globefc.com).

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**DANIELS, ERIC AARON, 78**

Scrambletown - Eric Aaron Daniels passed away at home on July 31, 2012, surrounded by his loving family.

A native of Bradenton, Eric came to Scrambletown from Venice, FL, 15 years ago. He retired as a foreman after 37 1/2 years with Florida Power and Light and was a longtime member of the Eagles Club. He served in the Army National Guard in Manatee County.

Eric is survived by sons, Chad Benjamin Daniels, Venice; Eric Chalmer Daniels, Sarasota; David Urofsky Daniels, Sarasota; daughter, Felicia Daniels Futch, Scrambletown; seven grandchildren: Shanon, Aaron, Kyle, Amanda, Crystle, Shana and Cameron; six great-grandchildren: Kylie, Tyler, Kayla, Brayden, Cole and Trevor.

Celebration of life will be held at Scrambletown Country Store, 15480 NE Hwy 314, Silver Springs, Florida, at four o'clock in the afternoon on August 11, 2012.

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**DOWNNS, TRACY ANN, 46**

Citra - Tracy Ann Downs, born July 1, 1966 in Biddeford, ME, to Lawrence Downs and Audrey Pratt Downs. On August 5, 2012, her battle with cancer ended and she crossed over River Jordan with her Heavenly Father guiding her through the "shadow of the valley of death" knowing that to be absent from the body was to be present with her Lord.

Tracy resided in West Palm Beach for 33 years, was a charter member of Florida Gardens Baptist Church, and a 1984 graduate of John I. Leonard HS. Tracy was employed by Conifer Health as a Medicare A/R Rep.

She moved to Citra in 2006 where she was a member of Sparr Baptist Church. Tracy is survived by her parents, Lawrence and Audrey P. Downs, Citra; two brothers, Bartell Downs, West Palm Beach; and Darryl J. Downs, Citra; nephews Jeremy Downs, Blake Downs, Austin Downs and Elijah Downs; and nieces, Schree Hiatt, Jessica K. Gonzales and Jessica E. Trieber; six great nieces and nephews, aunt and uncles and a host of family and friends.

Visitation will be 6 until 7 p.m., Friday, August 10th, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony. Funeral Service will be 6:00 pm, Saturday, August 11, 2012, at Sparr Baptist Church with Rev. Brian Caple officiating.

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**GRIFFIN, JR., FRANCIS A. "FRANK", 83**

Dunnellon - Francis A. "Frank" Griffin, Jr., age 83, of 21271 West Highway 40, Dunnellon, Florida, passed away peacefully at his home surrounded and supported by his partner and children, on Thursday, August 2, 2012.

He was born on September 17, 1928, in Washington, D.C.; the Son of Francis and Beatrice (Oden) Griffin. He grew up in Washington D.C. and graduated from Gonzaga High School prior to enlisting in the U.S. Navy; serving on active duty from 1950--1954. Following his military service, Frank worked for forty--five years as an electrician in the capital region, and was a proud member of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 26, for sixty--five years.

He was predeceased in 2001 by his wife of forty--five years, Mary Lee (Allgire) Griffin. Frank is survived by his partner of eleven years, Betty Dangar, of Ocala, Florida; his sister, Shirley (Robert) Hill, of Owings, Maryland; three daughters, Carol (Edward) Kertz, of Naples, Florida; Brenda (John) McGuire, of Shushan, New York and Deborah (Patrick) Kellaher, of Waldorf, Maryland; his son, Francis "Buzzy" (Patricia) Griffin III, of Hughesville, Maryland, as well as thirteen grandchildren, thirteen great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Frank had a lifelong love of sports and was an accomplished baseball, basketball, and tennis player. In retirement, his combined athleticism and gregarious nature led him to excel in the area of ballroom dance.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County (West) Florida and the American Cancer Society . Friends are invited to a memorial ceremony in celebration of Frank's life on Saturday, September 15, 2012, at 11:00 a.m., at the Benedict Volunteer Fire Department and Rescue Squad, 18210 Hyatt Avenue, Benedict, Maryland.

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**HAMBIDGE, COLBERT DALE, 27**

Reddick - Colbert Dale Hambidge, 27, of Reddick, Florida passed away August 5th, 2012.

A memorial service will be held at the home of Hal and Jan Watts, at 9365 NW 115th Ave.,

Ocala, Florida on Friday August 10th at 6:30 pm.

Colbert was born in Coal Creek Canyon, Colorado on April 10th, 1985. He attended Vanguard High School and Central Florida Community College, where he also worked as a lab assistant.

Colbert was a loyal son, brother and uncle. He loved the outdoors and science. He is survived by his parents, Bob and Cathy Hambidge of Reddick, FL; and his brother, two sisters, grandfather, and several nieces and nephews.

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### **HICKS, KARL DUANE, 73**

Hog Valley, FL - Duane was born on June 20, 1939. He passed away at his home in Hog Valley, FL on August 1, 2012.

Duane was preceded in death by his parents, Carl and Georgia Hicks and his daughters, Wanda Moreno and Denise Petermann.

Duane did many things in his life from U.S. Marine Corps, wrestling to truck driving. He enjoyed talking on his CB, fishing, camping and hunting and having cookouts with friends and family.

Duane is survived by his dog Molly and children, Dawn and Fred Vogel, Karl Duane Hicks II and Tammy Hicks of Iowa. Loving grandkids, Randy and Maria Bennett, Chris and Crystal Bohannon, Joseph and Amber Moreno, Jessica, Amanda, Taylor and Dale Vogel, Karl Hicks III, Tammy and Troy, Jesse and Timmy Peterman. Eight great grandchildren Austin Baldwin, Haley, Ashley and Randi Bennett, Christopher and Amber Bohannon, Joseph and Rachel Moreno; many nieces and nephews and great friends.

Memorial service was conducted by E.W. Lawson and Son Funeral Home.

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### **HOLLOWAY, HATTIE OTHEL, 82**

Highlands, NC - Hattie Othel Holloway, age 82, of Highlands, NC passed away Saturday, August 4, 2012 at an Asheville hospital.

She was born in Hillsborough County, FL, the daughter of the late Henry Holland and Hattie Cooper Tyler. She was the youngest of nine children and her main joy in her life was her grandchildren who called her, "Mom-Mom".

She loved to sew, loved meeting new friends and traveling with her husband to different jobs all over the country. She had worked as a legal secretary and was a member of Highlands First Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Frank Harris Holloway; her daughter, Lisa Maselli and her husband, John of Evans, GA; two sons, Lamar Brown and his wife, Malinda of Hampton, SC and Rick Holloway and his wife Carolyn of Tomball, TX; one sister, Thelma Glattli of Highlands, NC; four grandchildren, Anthony Maselli, Angela Maselli, Tyler Holloway and Leigh Anna Brown.

Funeral services will be held Friday, August 10th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the Highlands First Baptist Church with Dr. Charles H. Harris officiating. Lamar Brown, Rick Holloway, Anthony Maselli, Tyler Holloway, Joe Simmons and Joe Powell will serve as pallbearers. Burial will be held at the Highlands Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends Thursday, August 9th, 2012 from 6 until 8 p.m. at Bryant-Grant Funeral Home in Highlands, NC where the body will remain until placed in the church thirty minutes prior to the service.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation, 6520 North Andrews Ave., Ft. Lauderdale, FL, 33309 or the Lupus Foundation of America, 1850 Lake Park Drive Suite 101, Smyrna, GA 30080.

Online condolences may be made by visiting:

[www.bryantgrantfuneralhome.com](http://www.bryantgrantfuneralhome.com).

Bryant-Grant Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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### **MADDOX, FRANCES ROBINSON LYTLE, 91**

Wildwood - Frances Robinson Lytle Maddox, 91, a resident of Wildwood, went to be with the Lord on August 4, 2012, in Leesburg.

Frances was a Florida native, born at the family home on Lake Weir. Frances graduated from Ocala High School and Florida State College for Women (FSU). She was a retired home economics teacher for Wildwood High School. Frances was a member of St. Andrew Orthodox Church in Eustis. She was a member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, Daughters of the American Revolution and the Retired Educators Association.

She is survived by a host of loving nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband of over 66 years, Thomas Eugene Maddox, Jr. Frances was also preceded in death by her parents, Ernest James Lytle, Sr. and Caroline Pasteur Lytle and three siblings, Sarah Dumas Lytle Wellhoner, Ernest James Lytle, Jr. and John Carney Lytle.

Frances and Gene were inseparable in life. They shared a life of helping others, a love of travel and the great outdoors and their families. The Maddox and Lytle families will miss their wisdom, patience, cheerful smiles and helping hands.

Graveside Funeral Services will be held on Wednesday, August 8, 2012, at 10 a.m. at Holy Trinity Episcopal Church Cemetery, Fruitland Park, FL.

Memorial gifts may be made to the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranch, PO Box 2000, Boys Ranch, FL 32064. On line condolences and memories may be shared by visiting [www.bankspagetheus.com](http://www.bankspagetheus.com).

Arrangements are entrusted to Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Home, Wildwood.

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### **MELLINGER, JERRY LEE**

Dunnellon - Jerry passed away at 12:30 a.m. on August 6th, 2012 at his home outside Dunnellon, FL. He was born in Danville, IL on October 19, 1942.

He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Mary Pauline of Dunnellon, FL; brother, John of Terre Haute, IN; three sons, Jerry of Marlborough, MA; Flip of Ocala, FL; and David of Port Orchard, WA; a stepdaughter, Carla Cox of Danville, IL, and stepson Danny Cox of Naples, FL. He had 11 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Jerry worked for years as an iron worker in the mid-west. He loved to fish and hunt. He moved to Dunnellon in 1982 and worked as a concrete contractor until he retired in 2007.

Donations in lieu of flowers may be made to the Hospice of Citrus County of the Nature Coast (866) 642-0962.

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### **MERCER, MARGARET M., 68**

Ocala - Margaret M. Mercer, 68, of Ocala, FL, passed away August 5, 2012. Born in Hazlehurst,

GA, she lived most of her life in Ocala. She was blessed to be a homemaker and bookkeeper later in life. She was an active member of First United Methodist Church and loved spending time with her friends and family. She enjoyed bible study, sewing, and her sisters in Beta Sigma Phi.

Margaret is survived by her husband, Lee Mercer; daughters, Rhonda Sapia (Louie), Rachel Sherouse (Tony), and son, Russell Mercer (Nicole). She was blessed to have five grandchildren whom she loved dearly: Kaitlyn, Abbey, Logan, Hannah, and Grace. She is also survived by three sisters, Willie White of Ocala; Jean Kinard of Ocala, and Delores White of Laurens, SC.

A memorial service celebrating Margaret's life will be held on Wednesday, August 8, 2012, at 3 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala, Florida. Family requests no flowers. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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### **MISNER, JANET ANN, 67**

Belleview - Janet Ann Misner, 67, passed away on Friday, August 3, 2012.

She leaves to cherish her memory, four children, Mike (Song-Ju) Misner, Nick (Jannie) Misner, Jed (Mindy) Misner, and Lyn Marshall; her brother, Edward (Rosy) Nuckols; Willard Nuckols (deceased); six grandchildren and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, August 8, 2012 from 1 p.m. until 2 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry,

"Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade".

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### **PERKINS, DOROTHY (DOT) ELLEN, 79**

Ocala - Dorothy Ellen Perkins, age 79, of Ocala, passed away peacefully at Legacy Hospice House on Thursday, August 2, 2012.

She was born on August 6, 1932, in Albany, NY, to Clifford O. and Ruth D. Gilbert. She and her husband, Harry W. Perkins, moved to Ocala in 1987.

In Ocala, she worked for several florists, St. Mark's United Methodist Church and Sam's Club. Prior to moving to Ocala, she lived in Chattanooga, TN. She moved there in 1954 where she spent 12 devoted years at the Chattanooga YWCA. During her tenure, she served as the YWCA's Swimming Instructor, Y-Teen Director, Health Education Director, and Camp and Day Camp Director. In 1967, she was elected to Outstanding Young Women of America. From 1966-1968, Dot served as Executive Director of the Chattanooga Girls Club of America.

As Y-Teen Director, she directed the activities of 1,000 junior and senior high school girls in 30 clubs in Chattanooga and Hamilton Counties. Under her leadership, each girl was in a club of service with the goals to grow as a person, to grow in friendship with people of all races, religions and nationalities, and grow in knowledge and love of God. These, too, were the lifelong goals of Dot Perkins.

She was active in the Easter Seal Society, the Chattanooga Social Workers Club, and the American Camping Association. She was a Life Member and Past Matron of the Order of Eastern Star, Life member of the VFW Auxiliary, and Past President of the Quota Club.

A lifelong member of the Methodist church, Dot was an active member of St. Mark's United Methodist Church. Her abiding faith and church family gave her strength and great joy.

She was preceded in death by her loving husband of 36 years, Harry W. Perkins. She is survived



by a brother, Walter Gilbert and his wife, Mary, of Palm Bay; a brother-in-law, Fred Haggerty of Watertown, NY; a sister-in-law, Margaret Holland and her husband Jack, of Ocala; a step-granddaughter, Noel Sima of Jupiter; two great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. A celebration of life service will be held Wednesday, August 8, at 11 a.m. at St. Mark's United Methodist Church in Ocala. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Mark's United Methodist Church or the Florida United Methodist Children's Home in Enterprise, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from August 7 to August 8, 2012

**REID, MARILYN, 65**

Hernando - Marilyn Reid, 65, of Hernando, FL, passed away peacefully on Sunday, August 5, 2012 in Ocala.

She was born on April 27, 1947 in Brooklyn, New York, daughter to the late Charles J. and Dolly M. (Fowler) Yearwood and moved to Miami, FL as a child. She married Tom Reid in 1976, moving to this area within the next few years.

She worked at Southern Bell of Gainesville as a service representative. Marilyn was of the Baptist faith and salvation of her family and friends was her lifelong priority. She was an exceptional mom, loving wife and devoted friend.

Besides her parents she was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Richard T. Reid on May 11, 2012; a sister and three brothers.

Marilyn is survived by her loving children, Tommy B. Reid and Jenny L. Reid, both of Hernando and several in-laws, nieces and nephews.

A funeral ceremony will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, August 10, 2012 at Fairfield Presbyterian Church, 15096 NW Hwy 225, Reddick, FL with Pastor Tommy Reaves officiating. Family will receive their friends one hour prior the ceremony. She will be laid to rest next to her husband at the church cemetery following services. Memorial contributions may be made to Harvest International, P.O. Box 6690, Ocala, FL, 34478. Condolences may be expressed at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

Funeral arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL, 34481.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 9, 2012**

**BUCHKO, MICHAEL, 80**

Michael Judson "Mike" Buchko, age 80, of Dunnellon, FL, ascended from his earthly journey into everlasting life on August 3, 2012, at his home.

Mike was born October 30, 1931, in Uniontown, PA, the son of the late Agnes and Mike Buchko.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his infant daughter, Terri Lynn, his daughter-in-law, Robin Buchko and brothers-in-law, Bob Vilseck and Tom Myers.

Mike served his country during the Korean Conflict in the U.S. Navy. He retired early in 1986 from US Steel as Head Cost Analyst in the Frick Mining District as well as serving as Assistant Treasurer with the Frick District Federal Credit Union. He moved to Kill Devil Hills, NC, and continued working as the Office Manager for Hutchins Allen CPA Firm in Nags Head, NC. He retired and

continued his journey to Rainbow Springs, Florida, in 2001.

Mike was an avid Pittsburgh Steeler Fan, loved everything Baseball, Golf and Florida Gator Football.

He also loved to sing and belonged to his Church Choir as well as Singing Barbershop in North Carolina. He was the proprietor of "Mike's Hunky Heaven" in Uniontown, PA, where everybody had a great time!

Mike leaves to cherish his memory a loving wife of 55 years, Connie Connor Buchko, daughter Lisa Buchko (William Descalzi), Dunnellon, FL; son Jeff Buchko, Columbia, SC; two grandsons, Judson Buchko and Bradley Buchko, Columbia, SC; seven sisters who affectionately called him "Junie", Joan Jansen (Bill), Baltimore, MD, Carol Vilseck-Hughes (Don), Pittsburgh, PA, Janet Myers, Dolores Buchko, Barbara Buchko, Patty Buchko, Ida Morganosky, Uniontown, PA, sisters-in-law, Pat Kothmann (Ed), Pittsburgh, PA, Mary Jo Connor, WV, and many nieces and nephews.

A Mass celebrating Mike's life will be held on Saturday, August 25 , 2012, at 2 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Church, Highway 41, Dunnellon, FL, with Fr. Joseph Pinchock officiating. A reception will immediately follow at the Church Hall.

A private family interment service at Mount Saint Macrina in Uniontown, PA, will be held at a later date.

Mike loved all of his poodles throughout the years. He will be reunited with his beloved Rocky at the Rainbow Bridge.

The family requests, in lieu of flowers, that memorials be made in his memory to The Humane Society of Marion County, Florida.

[www.humanesocietyofmarioncounty.com](http://www.humanesocietyofmarioncounty.com) or PO Box 1542, Ocala, FL 34478.

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### **BUSH, DWIGHT S., 67**

Ocala - Mr. Dwight S. Bush, 67, of Ocala, FL, passed away on July 27, 2012 at Legacy House.

He was born in Baltimore, MD on May 4, 1945 to parents, Scott and Nettie (Honeywell) Bush. He was loved and will be greatly missed by all that survive him, including his wife of 27 years, Norma Bush; daughters, Debbie, Diane, Lori, and Amy; son, Steve; and sisters, Donna and Shirley.

Dwight was laid to rest at Woodlawn South Cemetery in Miami, FL on July 31st, 2012. A celebration of life service will take place on Saturday, August 11th at 1:30 p.m. at Friendship Baptist Church, 9510 SW 105 St., where Dwight was a member.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions be made to the Friendship Baptist Church Building Fund.

Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266

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### **CARICCHIO, JEROME 96**

Ocala - Jerome (Jerry) Caricchio, age 96, of Ocala, FL, passed away from natural causes on Saturday, August 4, 2012, after a brief stay at Sylvia's Hospice House, Ocala, FL.

Jerome was born on October 22, 1915, in Susquehanna, PA and there, as a young man, worked for the Erie Railroad and the Civilian Conservation Corps. At age 27 he moved to Binghamton, NY, to work for ANSCO (GAF) until retirement in 1977. In 1990 he, with his wife Marion, moved to Ocala, FL where, as an avid golfer and at age 92, scored his second career hole-in-one, on a par 3 hole at the Ocala Golf Club.

He is survived by his wife Marion in Ocala, FL; a daughter Joan, in Binghamton, NY; and a son Jerry, Jr. (Susan) in Kansas City, MO. In addition, he is survived by three grand-children, their mother, Philomena Caricchio, and nine great-grandchildren.

Condolences may be sent to: Mrs. Marion Caricchio, c/o Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. 34470. (352) 629-7171.

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### **COOPER, JOSEPH KING, 59**

Ocala - Joseph King Cooper, 59, passed away on Monday, August 6, 2012.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife, Cynthia Cooper; mother, Queenie Cooper; son, Christoph Cooper; siblings, Geraldine Baxter, Amelia Kiner, Carolyn Jenkins, Nathaniel Dempsey, Eugene LeCorn (deceased), and Chrisp Cooper (deceased); stepchildren, Vernon Smith, Wendy McBean, and Shelia McBean; a host of grandchildren and other sorrowing relatives and friends.

Visitation will be held 10 am. until 7 p.m. on Friday, August 10, 2012 at Snow's Funeral Ministry. The funeral service will be held on Saturday, August 11, 2012 at 2 p.m. at the Greater New Bethel Baptist Church. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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### **CUMMINGS, FLORENCE B., 97**

Ocala - Florence B. Cummings, age 97, of Ocala, passed away August 7, 2012.

She was born on September 20, 1914 in Mt. Vernon, Maine. Florence belonged to the New Covenant Pentecostal Holiness Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William; two grandsons, Bradley Wilkins and Donato Ferrante who just passed away on Sunday, August 5, 2012; and two sisters.

She is survived by two sons, Malcolm Cummings of Plainville, CT, George Cummings of East Livermore, Maine; two daughters, Jan Cummings of Ocala, Evelyn Wilkins of Lewiston, Maine; one sister, Verna Cote of Lewiston, Maine; thirteen grandchildren and several great, and great-great grandchildren as well as nieces, and nephews.

A funeral service has been scheduled for Friday, August 10, 2012 at 2 p.m. with an hour visitation prior to the service at Forest Lawn Funeral Home.

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### **DOWNS, TRACY ANN, 46**

Citra - Tracy Ann Downs, born July 1, 1966 in Biddeford, ME, to Lawrence Downs and Audrey Pratt Downs. On August 5, 2012, her battle with cancer ended and she crossed over River Jordan with her Heavenly Father guiding her through the "shadow of the valley of death" knowing that to be absent from the body was to be present with her Lord.

Tracy resided in West Palm Beach for 33 years, was a charter member of Florida Gardens Baptist Church, and a 1984 graduate of John I. Leonard HS. Tracy was employed by Conifer Health as a Medicare A/R Rep.

She moved to Citra in 2006 where she was a member of Sparr Baptist Church. Tracy is survived by her parents, Lawrence and Audrey P. Downs, Citra; two brothers, Bartell Downs, West Palm Beach; and Darryl J. Downs, Citra; nephews Jeremy Downs, Blake Downs, Austin Downs and

Elijah Downs; and nieces, Schree Hiatt, Jessica K. Gonzales and Jessica E. Trieber; six great nieces and nephews, aunt and uncles and a host of family and friends.

Visitation will be 6 until 7 p.m., Friday, August 10th, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony. Funeral Service will be 6:00 pm, Saturday, August 11, 2012, at Sparr Baptist Church with Rev. Brian Caple officiating.

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### **FLOYD, JR., CLIFFORD ROBERT, 48**

Ocala - Clifford Robert Floyd Jr. passed away on Tuesday, July 31, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory, loving devoted parents, Clifford Sr, Eddie Floyd, both of Ocala, FL; sons, Clifford R. Floyd III, Sterlin James, Brolin Floyd, all of Ocala, FL; sisters, Sharon (Juan) Council, of Ocala, FL; Linda (Gabriel) Garcia, of Mexico; grandchildren, Janiyah, Jazira Floyd; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and special friends.

Funeral services for Clifford R. Floyd Jr. will be held on Saturday, August 11th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. Lorenzo S. Edwards, Pastor, Eulogist.

Visitation will be on Friday, August 10, 2012 from 10 am until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A Wake service will be held on Friday, August 10, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens.

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### **GOGGINS, LOUISE MARGARET, 79**

Reddick - Ms. Goggins was a faithful member of the Church of God By Faith in Righteousness & True Holiness.

Funeral services will be on Saturday, August 11, 2012, 1:00 p.m. at Church of God By Faith In Righteousness & True Holiness, Citra, Florida with Reverend Ruby Graddic, Words of Comfort.

Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 until 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the McNairs residence (1560 N.E. 175th Street, Citra, FL) on Saturday at 12:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy.

Survivors to cherish the memories of Ms. Goggins are sons: John Goggins, Lorenzo Goggins, Jermaine Goggins, Walter Hicks; sisters: Ida M. Harris, Alma Lawton (Tommy), Reverend Casabell Taylor (Johnny), Pastor Ruby Graddic, Mary Gillespie, Odessa Basine (Bob) 15 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren, and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

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### **HAMBIDGE, COLBERT DALE, 27**

Reddick - Colbert Dale Hambidge, 27, of Reddick, Florida passed away August 5th, 2012.

A memorial service will be held at the home of Hal and Jan Watts, at 9365 NW 115th Ave., Ocala, Florida on Friday August 10th at 6:30 pm.

Colbert was born in Coal Creek Canyon, Colorado on April 10th, 1985. He attended Vanguard High School and Central Florida Community College, where he also worked as a lab assistant.

Colbert was a loyal son, brother and uncle. He loved the outdoors and science. He is survived by his parents, Bob and Cathy Hambidge of Reddick, FL; and his brother, two sisters, grandfather,

and several nieces and nephews.

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**HOLLOWAY, HATTIE OTHEL, 82**

Highlands, NC - Hattie Othel Holloway, age 82, of Highlands, NC passed away Saturday, August 4, 2012 at an Asheville hospital.

She was born in Hillsborough County, FL, the daughter of the late Henry Holland and Hattie Cooper Tyler. She was the youngest of nine children and her main joy in her life was her grandchildren who called her, "Mom-Mom".

She loved to sew, loved meeting new friends and traveling with her husband to different jobs all over the country. She had worked as a legal secretary and was a member of Highlands First Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Frank Harris Holloway; her daughter, Lisa Maselli and her husband, John of Evans, GA; two sons, Lamar Brown and his wife, Malinda of Hampton, SC and Rick Holloway and his wife Carolyn of Tomball, TX; one sister, Thelma Glattli of Highlands, NC; four grandchildren, Anthony Maselli, Angela Maselli, Tyler Holloway and Leigh Anna Brown.

Funeral services will be held Friday, August 10th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the Highlands First Baptist Church with Dr. Charles H. Harris officiating. Lamar Brown, Rick Holloway, Anthony Maselli, Tyler Holloway, Joe Simmons and Joe Powell will serve as pallbearers. Burial will be held at the Highlands Memorial Park.

The family will receive friends Thursday, August 9th, 2012 from 6 until 8 p.m. at Bryant-Grant Funeral Home in Highlands, NC where the body will remain until placed in the church thirty minutes prior to the service.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation, 6520 North Andrews Ave., Ft. Lauderdale, FL, 33309 or the Lupus Foundation of America, 1850 Lake Park Drive Suite 101, Smyrna, GA 30080.

Online condolences may be made by visiting:

[www.bryantgrantfuneralhome.com](http://www.bryantgrantfuneralhome.com).

Bryant-Grant Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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**JEFFERY, CHRISTOPHER**

Ocala - Christopher Robin Jeffery went to be with his Lord and Savior on August 3, 2012. He was the son of Richard and Wanetta Jeffery. He was an avid bowler and a fan of the Detroit Tigers.

He is survived by four brothers, Roger, Orlando, FL; Timothy, N. Lauderdale, FL; Donald, Irvine, CA; Philip, Basel, Switzerland, and one sister, Mary Arroyo, Mesa, AZ.

A celebration of life will be held at 10 AM Saturday, August 11, 2012, at St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 800 SE 41st Ave., Ocala, FL.

In lieu of flowers, a donation may be made to We Who Care, 1776 NE 40th Street, Ocala, FL 34470.

Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL.

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**LANIER, BARBARA ANN HUMPHRIES, 80**

Ocala - On August 5, 2012, Barbara Ann Humphries Lanier, 80 years of age, passed peacefully from this world into the loving arms of God.

Born in New Haven, Connecticut, on December 15, 1931. She was the fifth daughter of James L. Humphries and Lennie Lou Allen Humphries.

After a childhood spent in Connecticut and Virginia, she moved to Miami, Florida, where she graduated from Edison High School. While working at Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami, she met her future husband, Grady E. "Gene" Lanier, they were married on December 2, 1950.

During the course of her 58-year marriage, she raised four children, ran all aspects of her household with amazing efficiency and managed the family veterinary practices in Miami, Marco Island, Franklin (NC) and finally Ocala, and she made it all look easy. When not working, she enjoyed sewing, knitting, tending her rose garden and going to movies and museums.

She was a skilled artist, a great dancer and a terrific cook. She supported numerous charities, and those who knew her well can attest to her loving nature, generosity, patience and boundless compassion.

She was preceded in death by her husband Gene, as well as her son, Brian Eugene Lanier; brother, Jim Humphries; and sister, Elaine Humphries Lorenzen. She leaves behind to cherish her memory, her children, James A. Lanier (Sandra) and Susan G. Lanier, both of Ocala, and Lt. Col- Christopher J. Lanier (Dana) of Kaiserslautern, Germany; five grandchildren; and four of her beloved sisters, Evelynne Krauskopf (Stuart, FL), Vivian Jean Fowler (Albuquerque, NM), Doris Vincent (Colonial Heights, VA) and Carol Jeter (Stuart, FL).

Devoted wife, wonderful mom and grandma, loving sister, dear friend, she will live forever in the hearts of all who loved her. Her passing leaves a hole in the hearts of her family that will never truly be filled, but we can count ourselves blessed for the time we were given with her.

The family wishes to gratefully acknowledge the wonderful staff of Sylvia's Hospice House, whose skill and compassion in caring for mom in her final days helped us all immensely through this difficult time. Burial will take place at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell at a date as yet undetermined.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County:

[www.hospiceofmarion.com](http://www.hospiceofmarion.com)

or the Alzheimer's Association : [www.alz.org](http://www.alz.org).

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**MCKAY JR., GEORGE, 66**

Ocala - Mr. George McKay Jr., age 66, transitioned from this life on August 4, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida. He was born in Ocala, Florida and was educated in Marion County Public Schools. He served in the U.S. Air Force.

He leaves to mourn, his fiancé, Ms. Lillian Brinson, Ocala, Florida; three sons, Bishop George McKay III (Rebecca), Tarpon Springs, Florida, Lonnie Brinson of Washington, D.C. Ronald McKay (Kim), Titusville, Florida; two daughters, Gearldetta Charlene McKay Parker (Mike), Carrie La'shawan Smith. Also, mourning him, a host of stepchildren, Barbara Jean Pringle, Wesley Earl Pringle (Darlene), Debroah Ann Pringle, Patricia Kinsler (Broderick), Anett Grimsley (Kenneth), Thadious Pringle (Darlene), Clarence McKay, Hellen Stocker, Robert Brinson, Willie Ray Brinson, Diana Graham Miller (Brand), Minister Kenneth T. Jackson all of Ocala, Florida; 17 grandchildren, 13 great-grands, 68 step-grands, 103 step-great grand and three

step great-great-grand; best friends, Amit Patel (like a son).

Viewing for Mr. George Mckay Jr., will be on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Funeral services for Mr. George Mckay Jr., age 66, custodian at American Panel Company, will be held on Saturday August 11, 2012 at 1p.m., at House of God, 2830 Northwest 27th Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34475, with the Elder Harold Franklin, Pastor and his son Bishop George McKay III, Eulogist. Interment will be in the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida on Monday August 13, 2012 at 1 p.m. under the care of Summers Funeral Home, 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida, 34475 viewing at the church on Saturday 12 noon until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy.

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### **MELLINGER, JERRY LEE**

Dunnellon - Jerry passed away at 12:30 a.m. on August 6th, 2012 at his home outside Dunnellon, FL. He was born in Danville, IL on October 19, 1942.

He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Mary Pauline of Dunnellon, FL; brother, John of Terre Haute, IN; three sons, Jerry of Marlborough, MA; Flip of Ocala, FL; and David of Port Orchard, WA; a stepdaughter, Carla Cox of Danville, IL, and stepson Danny Cox of Naples, FL. He had 11 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Jerry worked for years as an iron worker in the mid-west. He loved to fish and hunt. He moved to Dunnellon in 1982 and worked as a concrete contractor until he retired in 2007.

Donations in lieu of flowers may be made to the Hospice of Citrus County of the Nature Coast (866) 642-0962.

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### **MISNER, JANET ANN, 67**

Belleview - Janet Ann Misner, 67, passed away on Friday, August 3, 2012.

She leaves to cherish her memory, four children, Mike (Song-Ju) Misner, Nick (Jannie) Misner, Jed (Mindy) Misner, and Lyn Marshall; her brother, Edward (Rosy) Nuckols; Willard Nuckols (deceased); six grandchildren and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, August 8, 2012 from 1 p.m. until 2 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry,

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### **MONTGOMERY, RUBY, 87**

Ocala - Ruby Montgomery, 87, of Ocala, Florida, died August 3, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center.

She was born September 19, 1924, in Putnum County, Tennessee. She and her husband moved to Ocala from Alabama, in 1970. Mrs. Montgomery was employed as a book keeper for Montgomery Trucking.

She was a member of the Ocala Baptist Temple. She is survived by her husband, L.B. Montgomery; a granddaughter, Emily Montgomery of Ocala; and a daughter-in-law, Barbara Montgomery, also of Ocala; three nephews; four sister-in-laws and one brother-in-law. Mrs. Montgomery was preceded in death by her son Tony, and two brothers, Grover and Ernest.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2012 at Forest Lawn Funeral and Cemetery, burial to follow services. Pastor David A. Chaffin of the Ocala Baptist Temple, will officiate.

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**REID, MARILYN, 65**

Hernando - Marilyn Reid, 65, of Hernando, FL, passed away peacefully on Sunday, August 5, 2012 in Ocala.

She was born on April 27, 1947 in Brooklyn, New York, daughter to the late Charles J. and Dolly M. (Fowler) Yearwood and moved to Miami, FL as a child. She married Tom Reid in 1976, moving to this area within the next few years.

She worked at Southern Bell of Gainesville as a service representative. Marilyn was of the Baptist faith and salvation of her family and friends was her lifelong priority. She was an exceptional mom, loving wife and devoted friend.

Besides her parents she was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Richard T. Reid on May 11, 2012; a sister and three brothers.

Marilyn is survived by her loving children, Tommy B. Reid and Jenny L. Reid, both of Hernando and several in-laws, nieces and nephews.

A funeral ceremony will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, August 10, 2012 at Fairfield Presbyterian Church, 15096 NW Hwy 225, Reddick, FL with Pastor Tommy Reaves officiating. Family will receive their friends one hour prior the ceremony. She will be laid to rest next to her husband at the church cemetery following services. Memorial contributions may be made to Harvest International, P.O. Box 6690, Ocala, FL, 34478. Condolences may be expressed at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

Funeral arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL, 34481.

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**STOCKER, TERONE JERRY, 62**

Baltimore, MD - Terone Jerry Stocker, age 62, transitioned on July 27, 2012 at Eastern Memorial Hospital.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his children, Lavonne Stocker, Terone Stocker, Katrina Stocker and Santresee Smith ( all of Maryland); five grandchildren; sisters, Louise Williams, Bradenton, FL, Bessie Mae Williams, Ocala, FL. Glorida Reed, Jacksonville, FL, Betty Stocker and Annette Stocker (both of Ocala, FL., Quincy McCoy, Atlanta, GA; brothers, Ernest Williams, John Williams (both of Ft. Pierce, FL, Syndey Stocker, Ocala, FL, Thomas Stocker, Centerville, IL, Jimmie Stocker, Lowell, FL, Randall Morrison, Williston, FL.

Funeral services for Mr. Stocker will be held August 11, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Solomon Chapel United Methodist Church, Orange Lake, FL. Rev. Annie Fae Thomas, Pastor. Interment will immediately follow in Sparr Community Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to the professional services of J. Hadley Funeral Home, 2030 N. Temple Ave, Starke. (352)351-0210 or (904)368-0210. Jessica Hadley. LFD.

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**WEEMS, CARRIE NELL, 63**

Ocala - Mrs. Carrie Nell Weems age 63, housekeeper, transitioned from this life on August 2,



2012 at Sylvia's House, Ocala, Florida.

She was born in Ocala, Florida, and was educated in Marion County Public Schools.

She is survived by her son, Robert Weems, Ocala, Florida; daughter, Sandra Weems, Ocala, Florida; eight sisters; two brothers, nine grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; one aunt and a host of Nieces, Nephews, cousins, and sorrowing friends.

Viewing for Mrs. Carrie Nell Weems will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. with funeral services on Saturday, August 11, 2012 at 11 a.m. at New St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church, 4491 Northwest 27th Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34475 with the Reverend Richard Howard Sr., Pastor conducting the services. Interment will in the Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, Florida under the care of Summers Funeral Home Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida.

Viewing at the church on Saturday from 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy.

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### **WOODEN, ALETHA LASHANA, 38**

Ocala - Aletha Lashana Wooden, 38, passed away on Tuesday, July 31, 2012.

She leaves to cherish her memory her children, Danielle Smith, T'Keyah Clayton, Timothy Wooden, LaMarcus Graham, LaMariy Graham; father, Samuel Wooden; grandchild, Tierra Smith; three sisters, Leverk Williford, Hattie Wooden, and Beckie Wooden; three brothers, Samuel Wooden, Ricky Wooden, Kareem Williford; and host of other sorrowing relatives and friends.

Visitation will be held on Friday, August 10, 2012 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. The funeral service will be held on Saturday, August 11, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the New St. John Baptist Church and will be presided by Rev. Stanley Gillings.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 10, 2012**

#### **BUSH, DWIGHT S., 67**

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He was born in Baltimore, MD on May 4, 1945 to parents, Scott and Nettie (Honeywell) Bush. He was loved and will be greatly missed by all that survive him, including his wife of 27 years, Norma Bush; daughters, Debbie, Diane, Lori, and Amy; son, Steve; and sisters, Donna and Shirley.

Dwight was laid to rest at Woodlawn South Cemetery in Miami, FL on July 31st, 2012. A celebration of life service will take place on Saturday, August 11th at 1:30 p.m. at Friendship Baptist Church, 9510 SW 105 St., where Dwight was a member.

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She was preceded in death by her husband, William; two grandsons, Bradley Wilkins and Donato Ferrante who just passed away on Sunday, August 5, 2012; and two sisters.

She is survived by two sons, Malcolm Cummings of Plainville, CT, George Cummings of East Livermore, Maine; two daughters, Jan Cummings of Ocala, Evelyn Wilkins of Lewiston, Maine; one sister, Verna Cote of Lewiston, Maine; thirteen grandchildren and several great, and great-great grandchildren as well as nieces, and nephews.

A funeral service has been scheduled for Friday, August 10, 2012 at 2 p.m. with an hour visitation prior to the service at Forest Lawn Funeral Home.

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**EARLS, RUTH A. VAN FLEET, 85**

Ocala - Mrs. Ruth A. Van Fleet Earls, 85, of Ocala, died Thursday morning, August 9, 2012, at Tuscany Hospice House.

A native of Allentown, PA, she moved to this area in 1985 from Kentucky. She enjoyed spending time with her family. Mrs. Earls was a member of Maricamp Church of Christ and Woodmen of the World.

Survivors include her daughters Gail Pratt (Paul), Kathy Vance (Tommy), Patti Selman, Angela Barrentine (Doug) and son Bruce Van Fleet (Millie); sister Katherine Evans; brother Anthony Krentiras; 18 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husbands, John Van Fleet and Walter Earls; brothers, Nicholas Lewis, Samuel Reifinger, and "Bud" Reifinger.

Visitation for Mrs. Earls will be held from 4 until 6 p.m. Sunday, August 12, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be Monday at 11 a.m. at the funeral home with Pastor Phil Wade officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box

4860, Ocala, FL 34470.

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**FERRIS, ROSE M., 96**

Ocala - Rose M. Ferris, 96, passed away on August 6, 2012. Rose was born in Perth Amboy, NJ but had been a long time resident of Ocala.

She was preceded in death by her husband Clifford, her parents and all of her siblings.

Rose enjoyed studying the Bible, gardening and cooking, especially for others. She was baptized as one of Jehovah's Witnesses in 1946 and had been an active member of the Central Ocala Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses until her death.

She is survived by two nieces, Carol Kearney of Silver Springs, FL and Sally Carmichael of Huguenot, NY; and 26 great nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on August 18, 2012 at the North/Northeast Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, 3788 NE 35th St Ocala. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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**FILUMINIA, JOSEPH, 88**

Ocala - Joseph Filuminia, age 88, of Ocala, FL, died Monday August 6, 2012.

He was born in Providence, RI on July 28, 1924 to the late Antonio and Michelina (Cerella) Filuminia of Italy. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his wife Lucille and three sons, Alfred, Joseph, and Jay.

Joseph was retired from the Teamsters local 251 after 45 years of service. He lived in Ocala since 1995.

Survivors include a son, Steven Filuminia in Woonsocket, RI; daughters, Janice Fischer in Ocala, FL, Jo Ann Michaelson in Browns Mills, NJ, Susan Brunette in Ocala, FL, Paula Brennan in Cranston, RI; a brother, Robert Filuminia in RI; two sisters, Angelina Calore in RI, Isabella Tallia in CA; ten grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Cremation arrangements are being handled by Forest Lawn Funeral Home.

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**FLOYD, JR., CLIFFORD ROBERT, 48**

Ocala - Clifford Robert Floyd Jr. passed away on Tuesday, July 31, 2012. He leaves to cherish his memory, loving devoted parents, Clifford Sr, Eddie Floyd, both of Ocala, FL; sons, Clifford R. Floyd III, Sterlin James, Brolin Floyd, all of Ocala, FL; sisters, Sharon (Juan) Council, of Ocala, FL; Linda (Gabriel) Garcia, of Mexico; grandchildren, Janiyah, Jazira Floyd; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and special friends.

Funeral services for Clifford R. Floyd Jr. will be held on Saturday, August 11th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. Lorenzo S. Edwards, Pastor, Eulogist.

Visitation will be on Friday, August 10, 2012 from 10 am until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A Wake service will be held on Friday, August 10, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel. Interment: Lincoln Memorial Gardens.

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**GOGGINS, LOUISE MARGARET, 79**

Reddick - Ms. Goggins was a faithful member of the Church of God By Faith in Righteousness & True Holiness.

Funeral services will be on Saturday, August 11, 2012, 1:00 p.m. at Church of God By Faith In Righteousness & True Holiness, Citra, Florida with Reverend Ruby Graddic, Words of Comfort.

Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 until 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the McNairs residence (1560 N.E. 175th Street, Citra, FL) on Saturday at 12:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy.

Survivors to cherish the memories of Ms. Goggins are sons: John Goggins, Lorenzo Goggins, Jermaine Goggins, Walter Hicks; sisters: Ida M. Harris, Alma Lawton (Tommy), Reverend Casabell Taylor (Johnny), Pastor Ruby Graddic, Mary Gillespie, Odessa Basine (Bob) 15 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren, and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

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### **HANEY, MELVIN S., 87**

Summerfield, FL - Melvin S. Haney, age 87, of Summerfield, passed away on Tuesday August 7, 2012 at the Tuscany House.

He was born on July 10, 1925 in Racine, WI, a son to the late Stanley and Louise (Henke) Haney, Sr. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his wife of 60 years, Wilma and a sister and brother-in-law Faye and Gil Skovsted.

Melvin was a WWII U.S. Coast Guard veteran, and worked as a servicem at Sears in Rockford, IL for 25 years. He also worked and enjoyed his employment at the Ace Hardware in Weirsdale and Fruitland Park.

His family will remember his love for building model ships, working with his hands, fixing things, and mastering the computer. He enjoyed traveling in an RV, Coast Guard reunions, and cruising with Wilma.

He leaves behind to cherish his memory, his children and their spouses, Robert and Mary Jo Haney of Rockford, IL, Martin and Sandra Haney of Belleview, Lawrence and Kathleen Haney of Fruitland Park, Vicki and Steven Swanson of Summerfield, Richard and Bonnie Haney of Aurora, CO, three brothers and their wives, Lyle and Sylvia Haney of West Plains, MO, Stanley and Kay Haney, Jr. of Racine, WI, Gerald and Sophie Haney in Hayward, WI; sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Lila Lange of Summerfield, Marie and Don Lange of Huntley, IL, Carol Cuccia of Arlington, VA, Bill and Barbara Lange of Delavin, WI; eleven grandchildren, fourteen great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

A Celebration of Life service will be held on Sunday, August 12, 2012 at 2 p.m. with visitation for half an hour before at the Hope Lutheran Church in The Villages. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hope Lutheran Church or to the Disabled American Veterans. Forest Lawn Funeral Home has been entrusted with the care of Mr. Haney.

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### **JEFFERY, CHRISTOPHER**

Ocala - Christopher Robin Jeffery went to be with his Lord and Savior on August 3, 2012. He was the son of Richard and Wanetta Jeffery. He was an avid bowler and a fan of the Detroit

Tigers.

He is survived by four brothers, Roger, Orlando, FL; Timothy, N. Lauderdale, FL; Donald, Irvine, CA; Philip, Basel, Switzerland, and one sister, Mary Arroyo, Mesa, AZ.

A celebration of life will be held at 10 AM Saturday, August 11, 2012, at St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 800 SE 41st Ave., Ocala, FL.

In lieu of flowers, a donation may be made to We Who Care, 1776 NE 40th Street, Ocala, FL 34470.

Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL.

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### **JOHNSON, ELMER THEODORE "TED"**

Ascutney, NH - Elmer Theodore "Ted" Johnson passed away August 8th, 2012 peacefully at his home after a long illness.

He was born in Springfield, MA on February 27, 1928 to Albion and Pauline Johnson.

He graduated from the U.S. Merchant Maritime Academy on Gallups Island as a radio officer in October 1944 and served in that capacity until 1950 after contracting polio in India.

After coming home, he attended MIT Lowell Institute in Boston, MA graduating in 1955. Upon completion, Ted worked as an electrical engineer at Minneapolis Honeywell (where he received three patents), Raytheon, RCA, Digital Equipment, and finally at Vermont Research Corp. in Springfield, VT.

Ted married Carolyn Houghton Grimes on September 30, 1967 in Springfield, VT and they made their home in Ascutney, VT for the next 45 years.

He was an avid bridge and chess player over the years. He maintained his radio operator's license under the call letters W1VKH. His interests also included astronomy, history, trains and ships.

Ted was an especially talented vegetable gardener from which his many friends and neighbors benefited over the years.

Ted is survived by his loving wife, Carolyn Houghton Johnson of Ascutney, VT; his brother, Paul Johnson of Ocala, FL; and three daughters, Judith Grimes Block of Newburyport, MA, Alison Steele Raymond and her husband, Keith of Claremont, NH, and Kathryn Johnson Boyle and her husband, Kenneth of Essex, VT. Ted is also survived by five grandchildren, Matthew and Jonas Steele, Scott and Tyler Raymond and Nicholas Boyle. He was predeceased by his sister, Sherry Hoyt.

Ted was extremely fond of and appreciative of his loving and devoted caregivers during his prolonged illness.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, August 11th, 2012 at 3 p.m., in the Stringer Funeral Home, 146 Broad Street, Claremont, NH, with Rev. Dan Kelin, officiating. Visiting hours will be held from 1-3 p.m. prior to the service.

In lieu of flowers, contributions in his memory can be made to Ascutney Volunteer Fire Dept., 540 Route 131, Ascutney, VT 05030 or the Springfield Humane Society, 401 Skitchewaugh Trail, Springfield, VT, 05156.

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[www.stringerfh.com](http://www.stringerfh.com).

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### **LANIER, BARBARA ANN HUMPHRIES, 80**

Ocala - On August 5, 2012, Barbara Ann Humphries Lanier, 80 years of age, passed peacefully from this world into the loving arms of God.

Born in New Haven, Connecticut, on December 15, 1931. She was the fifth daughter of James L. Humphries and Lennie Lou Allen Humphries.

After a childhood spent in Connecticut and Virginia, she moved to Miami, Florida, where she graduated from Edison High School. While working at Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami, she met her future husband, Grady E. "Gene" Lanier, they were married on December 2, 1950.

During the course of her 58-year marriage, she raised four children, ran all aspects of her household with amazing efficiency and managed the family veterinary practices in Miami, Marco Island, Franklin (NC) and finally Ocala, and she made it all look easy. When not working, she enjoyed sewing, knitting, tending her rose garden and going to movies and museums.

She was a skilled artist, a great dancer and a terrific cook. She supported numerous charities, and those who knew her well can attest to her loving nature, generosity, patience and boundless compassion.

She was preceded in death by her husband Gene, as well as her son, Brian Eugene Lanier; brother, Jim Humphries; and sister, Elaine Humphries Lorenzen. She leaves behind to cherish her memory, her children, James A. Lanier (Sandra) and Susan G. Lanier, both of Ocala, and Lt. Col- Christopher J. Lanier (Dana) of Kaiserslautern, Germany; five grandchildren; and four of her beloved sisters, Evelynne Krauskopf (Stuart, FL), Vivian Jean Fowler (Albuquerque, NM), Doris Vincent (Colonial Heights, VA) and Carol Jeter (Stuart, FL).

Devoted wife, wonderful mom and grandma, loving sister, dear friend, she will live forever in the hearts of all who loved her. Her passing leaves a hole in the hearts of her family that will never truly be filled, but we can count ourselves blessed for the time we were given with her.

The family wishes to gratefully acknowledge the wonderful staff of Sylvia's Hospice House, whose skill and compassion in caring for mom in her final days helped us all immensely through this difficult time. Burial will take place at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell at a date as yet undetermined.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County:

[www.hospiceofmarion.com](http://www.hospiceofmarion.com)

or the Alzheimer's Association : [www.alz.org](http://www.alz.org).

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### **LOONEY, EUGENE KENT, 65**

Ocala - Eugene Kent Looney passed away at home on August 7, 2012, with his loving family by his side.

Born in Grundy, VA, his family moved to Ocala in 1949 and was one of the first graduating classes from North Marion HS in 1964. He retired as a senior engineer with Sprint Telephone Company after 32 years and also served six years in the Army National Guard. He was known for his honor and integrity and his Christian walk.

He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Shirley Haddock Looney; son, Kenny Looney; daughter, Kimberly Schantz, both of Ocala; mother, Tan Looney, Ocala; brother, Darrell Looney, Leesburg; and six grandchildren, Zachary, Kristin, Taylor, Karissa, Kelsey and Cassidy.

He was preceded in death by his dad, Hayes and brother, Ralph.

Visitation will be at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 11th, 2012 at Living Waters Worship Center with Home Going Services at 2:30 p.m. with Pastors James R. Watson and Johnny Moore

officiating. Interment to follow in Anthony Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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**MCKAY JR., GEORGE, 66**

Ocala - Mr. George McKay Jr., age 66, transitioned from this life on August 4, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida. He was born in Ocala, Florida and was educated in Marion County Public Schools. He served in the U.S. Air Force.

He leaves to mourn, his fiancé, Ms. Lillian Brinson, Ocala, Florida; three sons, Bishop George McKay III (Rebecca), Tarpon Springs, Florida, Lonnie Brinson of Washington, D.C. Ronald McKay (Kim), Titusville, Florida; two daughters, Gearldetta Charlene McKay Parker (Mike), Carrie La'shawan Smith. Also, mourning him, a host of stepchildren, Barbara Jean Pringle, Wesley Earl Pringle (Darlene), Debroah Ann Pringle, Patricia Kinsler (Broderick), Anett Grimsley (Kenneth), Thadious Pringle (Darlene), Clarence McKay, Hellen Stocker, Robert Brinson, Willie Ray Brinson, Diana Graham Miller (Brand), Minister Kenneth T. Jackson all of Ocala, Florida; 17 grandchildren, 13 great-grands, 68 step-grands, 103 step-great grand and three step great-great-grand; best friends, Amit Patel (like a son).

Viewing for Mr. George Mckay Jr., will be on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Funeral services for Mr. George Mckay Jr., age 66, custodian at American Panel Company, will be held on Saturday August 11, 2012 at 1p.m., at House of God, 2830 Northwest 27th Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34475, with the Elder Harold Franklin, Pastor and his son Bishop George McKay III, Eulogist. Interment will be in the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida on Monday August 13, 2012 at 1 p.m. under the care of Summers Funeral Home, 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida, 34475 viewing at the church on Saturday 12 noon until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy.

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**MILLER, MAVIS E., 80**

Ocala - Mavis E. Miller, age 80, of Ocala passed away August 6, 2012.

She was born on November 6, 1931 in Sheffield, Westmoreland, Jamaica, West Indies. She was of the Anglican faith.

Survivors include a daughter, Pauline James; cousins, Avery Pearce, Joan Hylton, Ethel Royce; and numerous friends and relatives.

A visitation has been scheduled for Friday, August 10, 2012 from 5 p.m.-7 p.m. at the Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Saturday, August 11, 2012 at 2 p.m. also in the funeral home with the Rev. Grover Tyrone Reddie officiating. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn memory Gardens.

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**MONTGOMERY, RUBY, 87**

Ocala - Ruby Montgomery, 87, of Ocala, Florida, died August 3, 2012, at Munroe Regional Medical Center.

She was born September 19, 1924, in Putnum County, Tennessee. She and her husband moved to Ocala from Alabama, in 1970. Mrs. Montgomery was employed as a book keeper for

Montgomery Trucking.

She was a member of the Ocala Baptist Temple. She is survived by her husband, L.B. Montgomery; a granddaughter, Emily Montgomery of Ocala; and a daughter-in-law, Barbara Montgomery, also of Ocala; three nephews; four sister-in-laws and one brother-in-law. Mrs. Montgomery was preceded in death by her son Tony, and two brothers, Grover and Ernest.

Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. on Saturday, August 11, 2012 at Forest Lawn Funeral and Cemetery, burial to follow services. Pastor David A. Chaffin of the Ocala Baptist Temple, will officiate.

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### **PRESTON, PHILLIP RALPH, 63**

Anthony - Cowboy Phillip Ralph Preston passed away after a lengthy illness on August 8, 2012. Born in Shreveport, LA on October 10, 1948 to Phillip Mart Preston and Lyda Mae Studdard Preston. He moved to Anthony from Williston ten years ago.

He was a Combat Medic during the Vietnam War. In the 1980's and 1990's he was terminal manager at Yellow Freight in Dallas, TX.

Also during these years he touched many, many boys' lives when he was the Director of Ranch Operations for Rhodeheaver Boys Ranch in Palatka, Florida where he was know as "Papa Phil".

When he was able, he enjoyed fishing, traveling to the mountains, riding his horses, listening to old records, loving his dogs and most all he loved spending time with his grandchildren. He enjoyed interacting with friends at the Ocala Livestock Market for the past several years.

He is survived by his wife, Deborah Roberts Preston; children, Jonathan E Preston (Susan), Jonathan W Preston; Mark Chesser (Joann), Adam Chesser (Katie), Jamie Chesser-Corley (Ted); ten grandchildren; two great-grand children; several cousins; his beloved dogs, Foxy and Bailey and scores of dear friends and extended family.

The family would like to thank all the nurses at Davita Home Dialysis Center, MRMC and most especially, Dr. Melvin Seek for his tireless devotion, care and friendship.

The family will gather to receive friends and honor his life on Friday, August 10, 2012 from 1 until 3 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd, Anthony to gather for fellowship and share memories of Phillip.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Marion County Therapeutic Riding Association (MTRA); 6850 SE 41st Ct., Ocala, FL. 34480/ 352-732-7300;

[www.mtraocala.org](http://www.mtraocala.org)

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### **STOCKER, TERONE JERRY, 62**

Baltimore, MD - Terone Jerry Stocker, age 62, transitioned on July 27, 2012 at Eastern Memorial Hospital.

He leaves to cherish his memory, his children, Lavonne Stocker, Terone Stocker, Katrina Stocker and Santresee Smith ( all of Maryland); five grandchildren; sisters, Louise Williams, Bradenton, FL, Bessie Mae Williams, Ocala, FL. Glorida Reed, Jacksonville, FL, Betty Stocker and Annette Stocker (both of Ocala, FL., Quincy McCoy, Atlanta, GA; brothers, Ernest Williams, John Williams (both of Ft. Pierce, FL, Syndey Stocker, Ocala, FL, Thomas Stocker, Centerville, IL, Jimmie Stocker, Lowell, FL, Randall Morrison, Williston, FL.

Funeral services for Mr. Stocker will be held August 11, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Solomon Chapel United Methodist Church, Orange Lake, FL. Rev. Annie Fae Thomas, Pastor. Interment will



immediately follow in Sparr Community Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to the professional services of J. Hadley Funeral Home, 2030 N. Temple Ave, Starke. (352)351-0210 or (904)368-0210. Jessica Hadley. LFD.

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**WEEMS, CARRIE NELL, 63**

Ocala - Mrs. Carrie Nell Weems age 63, housekeeper, transitioned from this life on August 2, 2012 at Sylvia's House, Ocala, Florida.

She was born in Ocala, Florida, and was educated in Marion County Public Schools.

She is survived by her son, Robert Weems, Ocala, Florida; daughter, Sandra Weems, Ocala, Florida; eight sisters; two brothers, nine grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; one aunt and a host of Nieces, Nephews, cousins, and sorrowing friends.

Viewing for Mrs. Carrie Nell Weems will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. with funeral services on Saturday, August 11, 2012 at 11 a.m. at New St. Mary Missionary Baptist Church, 4491 Northwest 27th Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34475 with the Reverend Richard Howard Sr., Pastor conducting the services. Interment will in the Chestnut Cemetery, Ocala, Florida under the care of Summers Funeral Home Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida.

Viewing at the church on Saturday from 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy.

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**WOODEN, ALETHA LASHANA, 38**

Ocala - Aletha Lashana Wooden, 38, passed away on Tuesday, July 31, 2012.

She leaves to cherish her memory her children, Danielle Smith, T'Keyah Clayton, Timothy Wooden, LaMarcus Graham, LaMariy Graham; father, Samuel Wooden; grandchild, Tierra Smith; three sisters, Leverk Williford, Hattie Wooden, and Beckie Wooden; three brothers, Samuel Wooden, Ricky Wooden, Kareem Williford; and host of other sorrowing relatives and friends.

Visitation will be held on Friday, August 10, 2012 from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. The funeral service will be held on Saturday, August 11, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the New St. John Baptist Church and will be presided by Rev. Stanley Gillings.

Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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**WOODS, AMIE MARIE, 31**

Gainesville - Amie Marie Woods passed away at Shands on August 4, 2012.

Born in Gainesville, she was a secretary for Fairbank Construction.

She is survived by her son, Anthony Woods; daughter, Jadyann Woods; father, Kevin Woods; mother, Judy Ann Woods; brothers, Ronnie Lansberry, Bobby Lansberry, and Jagger Woods; sister, Amanda Johnson; Aunt, Bonnie Woods.

A memorial service will be held at 6 p.m. on Saturday, August 11th, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home with Pastor Bobby Myrick officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 11, 2012**

#### **EARLS, RUTH A. VAN FLEET, 85**

Ocala - Mrs. Ruth A. Van Fleet Earls, 85, of Ocala, died Thursday morning, August 9, 2012, at Tuscany Hospice House.

A native of Allentown, PA, she moved to this area in 1985 from Kentucky. She enjoyed spending time with her family. Mrs. Earls was a member of Maricamp Church of Christ and Woodmen of the World.

Survivors include her daughters Gail Pratt (Paul), Kathy Vance (Tommy), Patti Selman, Angela Barrentine (Doug) and son Bruce Van Fleet (Millie); sister Katherine Evans; brother Anthony Krentiras; 18 grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husbands, John Van Fleet and Walter Earls; brothers, Nicholas Lewis, Samuel Reifinger, and "Bud" Reifinger.

Visitation for Mrs. Earls will be held from 4 until 6 p.m. Sunday, August 12, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be Monday at 11 a.m. at the funeral home with Pastor Phil Wade officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34470.

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#### **FERRIS, ROSE M., 96**

Ocala - Rose M. Ferris, 96, passed away on August 6, 2012. Rose was born in Perth Amboy, NJ but had been a long time resident of Ocala.

She was preceded in death by her husband Clifford, her parents and all of her siblings.

Rose enjoyed studying the Bible, gardening and cooking, especially for others. She was baptized as one of Jehovah's Witnesses in 1946 and had been an active member of the Central Ocala Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses until her death.

She is survived by two nieces, Carol Kearney of Silver Springs, FL and Sally Carmichael of Huguenot, NY; and 26 great nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on August 18, 2012 at the North/Northeast Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, 3788 NE 35th St Ocala. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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#### **FILUMINIA, JOSEPH, 88**

Ocala - Joseph Filuminia, age 88, of Ocala, FL, died Monday August 6, 2012.

He was born in Providence, RI on July 28, 1924 to the late Antonio and Michelina (Cerella) Filuminia of Italy. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his wife Lucille and three sons, Alfred, Joseph, and Jay.

Joseph was retired from the Teamsters local 251 after 45 years of service. He lived in Ocala since 1995.

Survivors include a son, Steven Filuminia in Woonsocket, RI; daughters, Janice Fischer in Ocala, FL, Jo Ann Michaelson in Browns Mills, NJ, Susan Brunette in Ocala, FL, Paula Brennan in Cranston, RI; a brother, Robert Filuminia in RI; two sisters, Angelina Calore in RI, Isabella Tallia in CA; ten grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

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Ted is survived by his loving wife, Carolyn Houghton Johnson of Ascutney, VT; his brother, Paul Johnson of Ocala, FL; and three daughters, Judith Grimes Block of Newburyport, MA, Alison Steele Raymond and her husband, Keith of Claremont, NH, and Kathryn Johnson Boyle and her husband, Kenneth of Essex, VT. Ted is also survived by five grandchildren, Matthew and Jonas Steele, Scott and Tyler Raymond and Nicholas Boyle. He was predeceased by his sister, Sherry Hoyt.

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Survivors include a daughter, Pauline James; cousins, Avery Pearce, Joan Hylton, Ethel Royce; and numerous friends and relatives.

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### **PRESTON, PHILLIP RALPH, 63**

Anthony - Cowboy Phillip Ralph Preston passed away after a lengthy illness on August 8, 2012. Born in Shreveport, LA on October 10, 1948 to Phillip Mart Preston and Lyda Mae Studdard Preston. He moved to Anthony from Williston ten years ago.

He was a Combat Medic during the Vietnam War. In the 1980's and 1990's he was terminal manager at Yellow Freight in Dallas, TX.

Also during these years he touched many, many boys' lives when he was the Director of Ranch Operations for Rhodeheaver Boys Ranch in Palatka, Florida where he was know as "Papa Phil".

When he was able, he enjoyed fishing, traveling to the mountains, riding his horses, listening to old records, loving his dogs and most all he loved spending time with his grandchildren. He enjoyed interacting with friends at the Ocala Livestock Market for the past several years.

He is survived by his wife, Deborah Roberts Preston; children, Jonathan E Preston (Susan), Jonathan W Preston; Mark Chesser (Joann), Adam Chesser (Katie), Jamie Chesser-Corley (Ted); ten grandchildren; two great-grand children; several cousins; his beloved dogs, Foxy and Bailey and scores of dear friends and extended family.

The family would like to thank all the nurses at Davita Home Dialysis Center, MRMC and most especially, Dr. Melvin Seek for his tireless devotion, care and friendship.

The family will gather to receive friends and honor his life on Friday, August 10, 2012 from 1 until 3 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd, Anthony to gather for fellowship and share memories of Phillip.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Marion County Therapeutic Riding Association (MTRA); 6850 SE 41st Ct., Ocala, FL. 34480/ 352-732-7300;

[www.mtraocala.org](http://www.mtraocala.org)

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### **WOODS, AMIE MARIE, 31**

Gainesville - Amie Marie Woods passed away at Shands on August 4, 2012.

Born in Gainesville, she was a secretary for Fairbank Construction.

She is survived by her son, Anthony Woods; daughter, Jadyann Woods; father, Kevin Woods; mother, Judy Ann Woods; brothers, Ronnie Lansberry, Bobby Lansberry, and Jagger Woods; sister, Amanda Johnson; Aunt, Bonnie Woods.

A memorial service will be held at 6 p.m. on Saturday, August 11th, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home with Pastor Bobby Myrick officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service.

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August 8, 2012, after a long illness.

Tracie is the loving daughter of Bill and Mary Bodine. She is also survived by her brother Tyrone Bodine and wife April, nephew, Joseph, grandmother, Midge Durr, aunts, uncles, cousins, and her loving companion, Jim Perkins.

A Memorial Service will be held at 1:00 p.m. Friday, August 17, 2012 in the chapel at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, Ocala, Florida.

Memorial Donations in Tracie's name may be made to "Brother's Keeper", c/o Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 South East 17th Street, Ocala, Florida 34471.

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### **CASHMAN, ALICE I. , 86**

STUART, FL - Alice I. (Noel) Cashman, 86, of Stuart, FL formerly of Belleview, passed away on Tuesday, August 7, 2012.

Born in Hiawatha, KS, and a long time resident of Belleview, she was the daughter of the late Raymond and Thelma (Jeffery) Noel.

Alice was employed as a bank teller and along with her late husband Veryl also raised greyhound dogs for several years. She was a life- long member of the First Baptist Church of Belleview. She found enjoyment in life through her church activities and all the people she had such wonderful social contact with. She was most proud of her family whom she loved and adored.

Alice was predeceased by her husband, Veryl Cashman. She leaves her son, Veryl Wayne Cashman (Judy) of Indiantown, FL; daughters, Ruby Elaine Joy (Lyle) of Miami, FL. Rhonda Kay Pollard of Miami, FL, Gaylene Marie McCracken (Mike) of Eustis, FL; a sister, Betty Hamilton of St. George, Utah; seven grandchildren, and ten great-grandchildren.

Besides her husband Veryl, Alice was predeceased by a brother, Donald Noel; and sisters, Dorothy Worth and Judy Nekuda.

The family will receive relatives and friends on Sunday, August 12, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview from 5 until 7 p.m. Funeral Services will be held on Monday, August 13, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview at 10 a.m. Burial will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala.

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### **COOLEY, BESSIE LOUISE, 65**

Anthony - Bessie Louise Cooley passed away at Sylvia's House on August 8, 2012.

Born in Johnson City, Tennessee, she moved to Marion County in 1969. She was a homemaker.

She is survived by her loving husband, James Cooley; son, Cody Matthew Cooley; daughter, Crystal Marie Cooley; brothers, Carl Bawgus; George Bawgus; sisters, Sarah Reece, Sue Rowell and Janice Magill; nieces, Michelle Huffman-Dunn; Angie Martinez, Jamie Bryant, Melinda Rankin, Myria Weems, Wendy Owens; nephews, Gavin Edwards, Brian Edwards, and Al Edwards.

Funeral service will be 3 p.m., Sunday, August 12th, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony with visitation one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow in Flemington Cemetery.

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Survivors include her daughter Sally E. Boyd, Ocala, sons William Bard Edrington, IV, College Grove, TN, and Robert W. Edrington, Ocala, 8 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 69 years, William Bard Edrington, III in November 2011.

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She was preceded in death by her husband, Ernest Gibbs on May 19, 2003.

Survivors include three children, Ethelda Hillsman (John) of Crestview, FL., Elton Self (Diane) of Scales Mound, Ill., David Gibbs (Diane) of Lebanon, TN.; eight grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; three sisters, Christene Angelly of Brookport, Ill., Janet Foust of Poplar Bluff and Marilyn Rush of Houston; and a brother, J.F. Barnett of Onalaska, Tex.

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He is survived by many cousins, including Richard Hadley, Mary Wagner (John) and Francis Russett (Barb) all of New York. His church, Agape Baptist Church, was his immediate family.

Reverend Michael Hackathorn, of Agape Baptist Church will preside over graveside services on Monday, August 13th at 10 a.m. at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens (5050 SW 20th St., Ocala).

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Agape Baptist Church, 6200 NW 50th Ave, Ocala, FL 34482, in memory of Mr. Hadley. Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944) is entrusted with all arrangements.

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**MALONE, CAROL A., 69**

Ocala - Carol Ann Malone, nee Keyes; retired loan officer from Fall River, MA, passed away August 6, 2012.

To cherish her memory, she leaves her beloved ex-husband Robert Lee Malone; her three children, Andrea L. Enright, James A. Malone and Charles K. Malone; four grandchildren- Dylan, Grace, and Rebecca Enright, and Alexis Malone; and one great-granddaughter Alaya Marie Chesser.

She was a wonderful mother, friend and neighbor. She will be missed by all.

Thank you to Hospice-Legacy House from Carol and her family.

A service will be held at a later date in Massachusetts, where she will be laid to rest.

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**NORDAHL, GERHARD**

Gerhard Nordahl, 92, Ocala, passed away Aug. 8, 2012 at the Ocala Health & Rehab Center. Mr. Nordahl was born in Haugesund, Norway on July 1, 1920. He had been a resident of The Top of The World community for 19 years. He was a retired construction superintendent and served our country in the U.S. Marine Corps. Mr. Nordahl was 32nd Degree Scottish Rite Mason.

Survivors include his wife of 46 years, Evelyn Hinsch Nordahl; 5 children, Gary Nordahl of Perrysville, OH; John Nordahl of Uniondale, NY; Fred Harnisch, Lindenhurst, NY; Christine Mengel of North Carolina; Linda Willa, Setauket, NY; 1 sister, Ragna Heiberg, Brooklyn, NY; 10 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

Memorial Services will be conducted on Wednesday, Aug. 15th, 11:00 A.M. from Joy Lutheran Church of Ocala. Graveside Military Honors are scheduled for Thursday, Aug. 16th at 2:30 PM at Florida National Cemetery with the Marion County Honor Guard officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorials are being accepted by Joy Lutheran Church of Ocala. The Chas E. Davis Funeral Home With Crematory, Inverness.

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residence.

Hugh was born in Leeper, PA to the late John F. and Mary P. Schmader Ochs. He retired to Ocala, FL in 1982. Mr. Ochs was a graduate of Carnegie Mellon Institute in Pittsburgh, PA.

Hugh served in the U.S. Navy as Chief of Navigation and Communications. He began his initial employment working in his family-owned feed and milling company. Later, he used his prior business skills to secure a position as Agent Operator of Transportation for the CSX Corporation's Buffalo, NY to Pittsburgh, PA railroad division. Hugh's expertise with railroad transportation operations enabled him to oversee and assure that general and family-related coal and lumber commodities successfully arrived at their intended destinations in a timely manner without demurrage.

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Hugh was predeceased by his loving wife, Rita Carroll Ochs, who died in 2011; and three grandchildren, James Streit, James Swanson and John Swanson.

He is survived by his children, Kathryn Ann Swanson, Charlene Marie Streit, Kenneth Hugh Ochs, and Larry Joseph Ochs; his grandchildren, Marcy M. Berry, Craig P. Swanson, Rachel M. McGuinness and Melissa A. Ochs; and his two great-grandsons, Bryce Swanson and Luke Swanson. Hugh is survived by one sister, Joan Vogel of California.

Mr. Ochs was instrumental in building the Beverage Barn of Marion County, Inc. which he cherished. He was a genuine businessman, who prided himself in determination and integrity.

Mr. Ochs was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church and Knights of Columbus Council 5960 of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. Hugh was a charter member of the Association of the Miraculous Medal and St. Jude Children's Hospital.

His generosity was not to be outdone. The family is confident that God will provide peace and contentment on welcoming Hugh into his heavenly home and reward him for his compassion and spiritual guidance. A private Catholic family service was held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Chapel. The Rev. Father George Maniangattu officiated. The family extends special thanks to Hugh's extended, dedicated caregivers. The family requests any donations be made to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Hugh F. Ochs. In memory of Hugh Francis Ochs, fifty roses were planted in New York's Central Park by the Women's Committee of The Central Park Conservancy.

Please view and sign the guest book at:

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Preceding her in death were her brother, Greg Queen; and her paternal grandparents, Arthur and Sarah Queen.

Jennifer is survived by her mother, Lynn S. Queen of Gainesville; her father and step-mother,

Tim and Ann Queen of Gainesville; her fiancée, Robert Barnes of Gainesville; her maternal grandparents, Ruth and Ed Sturdivant of Florahome; one brother, Michael Queen of Gainesville; and several aunts, uncles and cousins.

Graveside funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, August 14, 2012 at the Oak Ridge Cemetery in Interlachen with Bro. Golden Ramey and Bro. Dallas Queen officiating. No calling hours are scheduled.

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Survived by son-Terry Spray (Terry) of Ocklawaha, Fl., son-Steve Spray (Robin) of Ocala, Fl., daughter- Janet Owens (Bradley) of Ocala, Fl., daughter- Patti Jo Lynn (Tommy Henderson)of Ocala, Fl., sister- Marjorie Bryden of Ocala, Fl., sister- Muriel Delaney of Branford, Fl., brother-Joe Harrison of Jacksonville, Fl., with 4 grandchildren and 7 great Grandchildren.

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There will be a celebration of Mildred's life on Tuesday, Aug 14th at 1:00 pm at Roberts Downtown Chapel all are welcome to attend and celebrate Mildred's life, with the committal service to follow.

Donations in lieu of Flowers can be made to Ft. Douglas Baptist Church in memory of Mildred.

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Mildred is preceded in death by her husband Charles Spray former Fire Chief of the Ocala Fire Dept.

Survived by son-Terry Spray (Terry) of Ocklawaha, Fl., son-Steve Spray (Robin) of Ocala, Fl., daughter- Janet Owens (Bradley) of Ocala, Fl., daughter- Patti Jo Lynn (Tommy Henderson)of Ocala, Fl., sister- Marjorie Bryden of Ocala, Fl., sister- Muriel Delaney of Branford, Fl., brother-Joe Harrison of Jacksonville, Fl., with 4 grandchildren and 7 great Grandchildren.

The family will be receiving friends on Monday, Aug 13th at the Roberts Funeral Homes Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave. from 6:00-8:00 pm.

There will be a celebration of Mildred's life on Tuesday, Aug 14th at 1:00 pm at Roberts Downtown Chapel all are welcome to attend and celebrate Mildred's life, with the committal service to follow.

Donations in lieu of Flowers can be made to Ft. Douglas Baptist Church in memory of Mildred. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes. 352-622-4141.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 14, 2012**

### **ALTMAN, SONNY DEVON, 22**

Ocala - Sonny Devon Altman passed away peacefully as a result of a vehicular accident at the Orlando Regional Medical Center.

Sonny was one of two children born to George and Kathy Altman on July 2, 1990, in Ocala, Florida. Sonny will forever be remembered with love by his sister, Heather Altman and his nephew, Joseph Altman.

He leaves behind his beautiful daughter, Ariana Devon Altman as a remembrance of how his beautiful smile and heart touched us all. Sonny also leaves behind his grandparents, George and Dorothy Altman of Ocala, Florida, and Dolores Talsky of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Raymond Talsky also of Ocala.

Sonny leaves behind many aunts, uncles and cousins who will always remember the imprint of happiness and love Sonny left on their hearts.

The viewing will be at Hiers Baxley Funeral Home on Silver Springs Blvd. on Wednesday, August 15, from 5 to 8 p.m. A Funeral Mass will be officiated by Father Patrick Sheedy at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Thursday, August 16 at 11:30 a.m. Burial services will be at Forest Lawn Cemetery following the Mass.

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### **BAYS, GENEVIEVE, 81**

Sumterville - Genevieve F. "Midge" Bays, 81, of Webster, FL, died Friday, August 10, 2012, at Sumterville, FL.

She was born July 25, 1931, in Beards Fork, WV. Mrs. Bays was a member of the American Legion Ladies Auxiliary Post #101 of Beville's Corner, FL, and the VFW Post #10038 of Lake Panasoffkee, FL.

She is survived by her husband, Eugene Bays of Webster, FL; son, Dan Bays of Webster, FL; daughters, Brenda Kay (Thomas) Schoonover of Webster, FL, and Dianna Lynn Boyd of Ocklawaha, FL; seven grandchildren, and 11 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Bays also had many years of great memories from adopted children of the heart; sons, Norman Anderson, and Freddie Fudge; and daughters, Gail Shoup, Ludie Enfinger, Lori Davis, and Laurie Smith. She was preceded in death by her daughter, Sheila Denise Bays; mother and father; five brothers; three sisters; and two great-grandchildren.

A visitation was held at the Purcell Funeral Home Chapel on Monday, August 13, 2012, from 5 - 7 p.m. Services will be held at the Purcell Funeral Home Chapel on Tuesday, August 14, 2012, at 2 p.m. with Chaplain David Scott presiding. Interment will follow at Evergreen Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

In lieu of flowers, a donation may be made to Bereaved Parents of the USA, Ocala Chapter, 3921 SW 5th Ave., Ocala, FL 34471. Online condolences may be left at [www.purcellfuneralhome.com](http://www.purcellfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements entrusted to Purcell Funeral Home, Bushnell, FL.

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### **DiCORTE, MERVIN RICHARD, 33**

Ocala - Mervin Richard "JJ" DiCorte was born in Tampa, FL, on June 3, 1979, to the late Johnnie DiCorte and Joyce DiCorte and passed away on August 8, 2012.

Mervin graduated from North Marion High School in 1997. He was active in Special Olympics until his health conditions would no longer allow. He was deeply loved by all who knew him.

He is survived by mother, Joyce DiCorte, Ft. McCoy; brothers, Mervin Garrett and Charles Garrett, Ft. McCoy; Pastor Johnnie DiCorte, Selma, NC, Robert DiCorte, Four Oaks, NC, and brother, Gary DiCorte, Little Mountain, SC; sisters, Kim Peek, Anthony, FL; Deborah Hudson and Robyn Franklin, Ocala; Aunt Dollie Robaldo and Uncle Joseph "JR" Robaldo; many beloved aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Memorial services will be at Roberts Funeral Home, Ocala, FL, on Sunday, August 19, 2012, at 3 p.m. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. Matthew 5:8

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Ocala - Elizabeth "Betty" A. Jenkins, age 78, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Saturday, August 11, 2012. She was born in St. Johnsbury, VT, on August 07, 1934.

She attended St. Johnsbury Academy and later Heaton Hospital School of Nursing, also in Vermont. She worked as a registered nurse all her life. She was the former Director of Nursing at the Vermont Veterans Home. She was a Protestant. Betty moved to Florida from Vermont in 1992.

She is survived by a daughter, Judi Weyers of Mercer, PA; son, William (Cathy) Guy of Phoenix, AZ; son, Steven (Karri) Guy of Burgettstown, PA; brother, Richard (Ruth) Steeves of The Villages, FL; sister, Margaret (Jerry) McLeod of Port St. Lucie, FL; eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Sandy Benoit.

A memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL, on Tuesday, August, 14, 2012 at 3 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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Survivors include one son, John Rudnianyn, (Shirley), three grandchildren, Steve, Matt (Pam) and Todd Rudnianyn and three great-grandchildren, Alexandra, Luke and Jake Rudnianyn, all in Ocala, FL.

The family extends special thanks to Jolene Williams, her dedicated caregiver, and requests any donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

Visitation will be held in the chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 S.E. Robinson Road,



Belleview, FL on Friday, August 17, 2012 from 10 AM with a memorial service at 11:00 AM.  
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**ZIEGLER, LAURA JEAN, 78**

Ocala - Mrs. Laura Jean Ziegler, 78, went to be with the Lord on August 8, 2012. She was born in Pottstown, PA, on December 15, 1933, to parents, Julius and Gertrude (Lightcap) Banyai.

She is survived by her husband, Robert Ziegler; son, Robert "Bobby" Ziegler and wife, Karen; son, Michael Ziegler and wife, Anita; son, Steven Ziegler and wife, Brenda; daughter, Cherly Sharayko; three sisters, Charlotte Reifsnnyder, Barbara Ciabattoni, and Carol Green; two brothers, Richard and Julius Banyai; 12 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to St Jude Children's Hospital in Mrs. Ziegler's honor.

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Mr. Bane spent many years as a horse trainer, having worked on farms in Lexington, KY and Nashville, TN. He moved out to Las Vegas 11/2 years ago from Ocala, FL, where he had lived for several years.

Mr. Bane will be missed by his daughter, Cheryl Bane, of Erie, PA; son, Randy Bane, of Las Vegas, NV; one grandchild and one great-grandchild.

Mr. Bane was preceded in death by his parents, sister, Ethel Faye Bane; brothers, E. Keith Bane, Jerry Bane and Raymond Bane.

Services for Mr. Bane will be held at the convenience of his family at a later date with interment in Sugar Grove Cemetery near Greens Fork, IN.

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### **CASTO, CONSTANCE**

Dunnellon, FL - Constance Casto died July 25th, 2012 at the Mayo Clinic in Jacksonville, FL.

Sweet spirited, beautiful, patient and kind are a few words that can be used to describe Connie.

She was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother and friend.

Connie was born in Clarksburg, WV., as Constance Ada Bailey. She married Richard Casto in 1971, and they were able to share 41 wonderful years together before her passing.

Connie obtained an associate's degree at Sullins College in Bristol, Va., a bachelor's degree in physical education at Brenau University in Gainesville and a master's degree in special education at West Virginia University - home of the Mountaineers.

During her 34 years of teaching, Connie also served as a councilwoman for the Dunnellon (FL) City Council. She served as president for Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority and sang in the church choir.

Since her retirement, Connie moved to St. Marys with her husband. While living in St. Marys she has served on the board of directors for CASA and EarthKeepers and was involved in many other volunteer activities.

Connie was loved by all who knew her, and she touched the life of everyone she met in many ways.

She is survived by her husband, Fr. Richard Casto; four daughters, Valerie Spencer of Citrus Springs, FL, Melissa Casto of Ocala, FL, Shannon Casto of Ocala, FL, and Allison Mentzer of Portage, MI.; stepsons, Ric Casto of Longwood, FL., Steven Casto of Weston WV., David Casto of Milford, Ohio, and Christopher Casto of Bridgeport, WV.; one sister, Beverly Chinnis of Richmond, VA.; two brothers, the Rev. Douglass Bailey of Winston-Salem, N.C., and Gary Bailey of Freno, CA.

A memorial service for Connie was held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, 2012, at King of Peace Episcopal Church in Kingsland. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in Connie's name to King of Peace Episcopal Church, 6230 Laurel Island Parkway, Kingsland, GA 31548, or the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation, 1332 N. Halsted St., Suite 201, Chicago, IL 60622-2691.

Inurnment is scheduled for 11 a.m., Saturday, August 18, 2012 at the Holy Faith Episcopal Church in Dunnellon.

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### **CROSS, DOROTHY R. (HURLEY), 92**

Ocala - Dorothy R. (Hurley) Cross, 92, passed away on August 7, 2012 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, FL.

She was the devoted wife of Donald C. Cross. Born in Boston, MA on March 21, 1920, she was a daughter of the late William and Elizabeth (Nagle) Hurley. She was educated in the Town of Bourne and was a graduate of Bourne High school.

Mrs. Cross worked in Massachusetts until staying home to raise her daughter Patricia.

She and Don retired to Ocala eleven years ago where she enjoyed going out to eat and trips to Flagler Beach.

Besides leaving her husband of 60 years, Donald, she leaves her daughter Patricia Sherman (Robert) of Ocala, FL; her grandchildren, Tim, Bob Jr., Scott and Steven; great-grandchildren, William, Peter, Haley, Shawn, Robert III, and Luke.

Memorial services were not held at the request of the family. Donations in her memory may be made to Hospice Legacy House. (352)854-5218.

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### **DAWSON, GREGORY O., 65**

Ocala - Gregory O. Dawson, 65, of Ocala, passed away Saturday, August 4, 2012. He was born on April 6, 1947, in Plymouth, Indiana.

Gregory belonged to the FOP Ocala Lodge #145, the Masonic Lodge #89 in Columbia Falls, Montana, the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry-Valley of Western Montana, and the Shriner's International, Butte, MT. He was a past Marion County Sheriff Deputy in Indianapolis, IN, from 1970-1977, a police officer in Columbia Falls, MT, from 1978-2000. He also worked for the Glacier International Airport Police from 2002-2004 and currently was an Associate Professor at CF in the Criminal Justice Department.

He is survived by his wife, Nancy; one son and daughter-in-law, Jeffrey and Teresa Dawson of Liberty Lake, WA; one sister and brother-in-law, Glenda and Robert Parker in Fenton, MI; and two grandchildren, Alex and Josh Dawson.

A celebration of life service was held on Monday, August 13, 2012, at 12 p.m. at the College of Central Florida in the Criminal Justice Department. In lieu of flowers donation may be made to

the CF Foundation-K.C. Alvarez Scholarship Fund, 3001 SW College Rd., Ocala, FL 34474.  
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**LAMB, ADDIS EDNA, 93**

Dunnellon - Addis Edna Lamb, 93, died Friday, August 10, 2012. She was born in Scotland, GA, on June 6, 1919, to Albert E. Darden and Minnie Holland Darden. Addis was the best homemaker, a loving wife, mother and grandmother.

Survivors include her husband of 43 years, Ralph E. Lamb, Dunnellon; sons: Donald Marshall, HAFB, NM, and David (Libby) Marshall, New Port Richey, FL; brothers: Hubert Darden, Orlando, FL, Albert (Dorothy) Darden, Winter Park, FL; grandchildren: Debbie Marshall, Michael Marshall, Jennifer Marshall and several great-grandchildren.

Addis loved all people, especially children, all children.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in the memory of Mrs. Lamb to "I Am" School of St. Germain Temple, 118 Siskiyou Avenue, Mt. Shasta, CA 96067 or The St. Germain

Temple of Orlando, P.O. Box 1286, Sorrento, FL 32776.

Cremation has been entrusted to the Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL with services to be determined at a later date and time.

Online condolences may be offered at robertsofdunnellon.com

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**MEFFERT, JACOB GILMAN, 35**

Ocala, FL - Jacob Gilman Meffert, 35, passed away on August 12, 2012. He was born August 12, 1977 in Ocala, FL.

Jacob was a graduate of Forest High School. As an avid Gator fan, he enjoyed attending many UF sporting events. Known to his close friends as "Jake", he loved 80's music, the Atlanta Braves, bowling, and was a wrestling fan.

Jacob is preceded in death by his father, John "Mike" Meffert. He is survived by his mother, Gilmery "Pickle" Meffert of Ocala, FL.; brothers John Meffert (Jill) of Ocala, FL, Todd Young (Shannon) of Lexington, KY; sisters Jordan Meffert of Ocala, FL, Jennifer Meffert of Washington, DC; Uncle Phil Hutson of Hartford City, IN; Aunt Elizabeth Stoney of Ocala, FL; nieces, nephews, other family, and many friends.

A celebration of Jacob's life will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home on Silver Springs Blvd. on August 17th, 2012 at 2 p.m., and all are welcome to attend.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the charity of your choice .

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Survivors include one son, John Rudnianyn, (Shirley), three grandchildren, Steve, Matt (Pam) and Todd Rudnianyn and three great-grandchildren, Alexandra, Luke and Jake Rudnianyn, all in Ocala, FL.

The family extends special thanks to Jolene Williams, her dedicated caregiver, and requests any donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

Visitation will be held in the chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 S.E. Robinson Road, Belleview, FL on Friday, August 17, 2012 from 10 AM with a memorial service at 11:00 AM.

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**STEWART, SANDRA W., 76**

Ocala - Sandra W. Stewart, 76, passed away on August 6, 2012 from a lengthy illness. She is survived by one brother, Terry Stewart; and seven children, Shannon, Marcy, Shawn, Richard, Eddie, Timothy, and David; 17 grandchildren, several nephews and nieces; and several great

grandchildren. She will be dearly missed and never forgotten. R.I.P. always.  
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**WILSON, ELIZA LOUISE COY, 80**

Ocala - Eliza Louise Wilson Coy, 80, passed away on August 10, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center.

She leaves to cherish her memory, two daughters, Linda Bryant (George) of Wilmington, North Carolina; Jacqueline Genwright (Melvin) of Bowie, Maryland; and one son, Freddie Coy, Jr. (Sonji) of Ocala, Florida; seven grandchildren, Eric Wilson of Wilmington, North Carolina, Erica Wilson of Temple Hills, Maryland; Cory Bryant of Wilmington, North Carolina; Oriasaunta McAllister (Derrick) of Ocala, Florida; Fredricka Coy of Ocala, Florida; Jamel Genwright of Greenbelt, Maryland; and Piotrowski Coy (Jessica) of Ocala, Florida; seven great-grandchildren, her brother, George Wilson of Decatur, Georgia; brother-in-laws, Eugene Keitt, Jr. (Carol) of Sacramento, California; Larnie Canty of Wilmington, North Carolina; Charles Burton, Willie Charles (Tina), Louis Scott (Margeret) and Reginald Scott all of Ocala; two sisters-in-law, Barbara Charles and Linda Scott Price (Bernard) of Sumter, South Carolina; nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services for Eliza Louise Wilson Coy will be held on Thursday, August 16, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Edwards Bland, Pastor, Rev. Isaac Burgess, Eulogist.

Visitation will be on Wednesday, August 15, 2012 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A wake service will be held on Wednesday, August 15, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will be at Lincoln Memorial Gardens.

[www.cunninghamfhocala.com](http://www.cunninghamfhocala.com)

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**ZIEGLER, LAURA JEAN, 78**

Ocala - Mrs. Laura Jean Ziegler, 78, went to be with the Lord on August 8, 2012. She was born in Pottstown, PA, on December 15, 1933, to parents, Julius and Gertrude (Lightcap) Banyai.

She is survived by her husband, Robert Ziegler; son, Robert "Bobby" Ziegler and wife, Karen; son, Michael Ziegler and wife, Anita; son, Steven Ziegler and wife, Brenda; daughter, Cherly Sharayko; three sisters, Charlotte Reifsnnyder, Barbara Ciabattoni, and Carol Green; two brothers, Richard and Julius Banyai; 12 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

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**BANE, DONALD RICHARD, 80**

Las Vegas, NV - Donald Richard Bane, 80, passed away Sunday, August 12, 2012 at the home of his son in Las Vegas, Nevada.

He was born October 28, 1931 in Williamsburg, Indiana to Dewey and Ruby Landrum Bane. He graduated from Williamsburg High School and later served in the U.S. Navy.

Mr. Bane spent many years as a horse trainer, having worked on farms in Lexington, KY and Nashville, TN. He moved out to Las Vegas 11/2 years ago from Ocala, FL, where he had lived for several years.

Mr. Bane will be missed by his daughter, Cheryl Bane, of Erie, PA; son, Randy Bane, of Las Vegas, NV; one grandchild and one great-grandchild.

Mr. Bane was preceded in death by his parents, sister, Ethel Faye Bane; brothers, E. Keith Bane, Jerry Bane and Raymond Bane.

Services for Mr. Bane will be held at the convenience of his family at a later date with interment in Sugar Grove Cemetery near Greens Fork, IN.

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### **BROWN, DEACON CURTIS LEON, 74**

Ocala - Deacon Curtis Leon Brown, 74, retired Supervisor for Department of Juvenile Justice, transitioned from this life to his heavenly home on Friday, August 10, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida.

He was a graduate of Howard Academy Class of 1955. He served in the U.S. Army from 1957 until 1961. He worked for the Philadelphia Fire Department for six years and the Department of Juvenile Justice for 22 Years, then retired as a Supervisor.

He was a member of New Zion Missionary Baptist Church where he was a Deacon and served in other Ministry.

He is survived by wife of 17 years, Mrs. Betty J. Brown, Ocala, Florida; three daughters, Sheryl Brown, Philadelphia, PA, Kimberly Jacobs and Irene Sue Crosby (Reginald), Ocala, Florida; two sisters, Alyce Lewis (Nathaniel) and Hilda Cox, Ocala, Florida; four grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild.

Viewing for Deacon Curtis Leon Brown will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Funeral services for Deacon Curtis Leon Brown, 74, retired Supervisor for Department of Juvenile Justice will be held on Saturday August 18, 2012 at 11 a.m. at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 728 Northwest 6th Avenue Ocala, Florida, 34475 with the Reverend Bruce Chatman Sr., Pastor Conducting the Services. Interment will in Lincoln Memorial Gardens, Ocala, under the care of Summers Funeral Home, Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street, Ocala.

Viewing at the church on Saturday, 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy.

"A Summers Funeral Service Makes the Difference. Our Family Serving your Family."

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Dunnellon, FL - Constance Casto died July 25th, 2012 at the Mayo Clinic in Jacksonville, FL.

Sweet spirited, beautiful, patient and kind are a few words that can be used to describe Connie. She was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother and friend.

Connie was born in Clarksburg, WV., as Constance Ada Bailey. She married Richard Casto in 1971, and they were able to share 41 wonderful years together before her passing.

Connie obtained an associate's degree at Sullins College in Bristol, Va., a bachelor's degree in physical education at Brenau University in Gainesville and a master's degree in special education at West Virginia University - home of the Mountaineers.

During her 34 years of teaching, Connie also served as a councilwoman for the Dunnellon (FL) City Council. She served as president for Delta Kappa Gamma Sorority and sang in the church choir.

Since her retirement, Connie moved to St. Marys with her husband. While living in St. Marys she has served on the board of directors for CASA and EarthKeepers and was involved in many other volunteer activities.

Connie was loved by all who knew her, and she touched the life of everyone she met in many ways.

She is survived by her husband, Fr. Richard Casto; four daughters, Valerie Spencer of Citrus Springs, FL, Melissa Casto of Ocala, FL, Shannon Casto of Ocala, FL, and Allison Mentzer of Portage, MI.; stepsons, Ric Casto of Longwood, FL., Steven Casto of Weston WV., David Casto of Milford, Ohio, and Christopher Casto of Bridgeport, WV.; one sister, Beverly Chinnis of Richmond, VA.; two brothers, the Rev. Douglass Bailey of Winston-Salem, N.C., and Gary Bailey of Freno, CA.

A memorial service for Connie was held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, 2012, at King of Peace Episcopal Church in Kingsland. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in Connie's name to King of Peace Episcopal Church, 6230 Laurel Island Parkway, Kingsland, GA 31548, or the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation, 1332 N. Halsted St., Suite 201, Chicago, IL 60622-2691.

Inurnment is scheduled for 11 a.m., Saturday, August 18, 2012 at the Holy Faith Episcopal Church in Dunnellon.

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### **CROSS, DOROTHY R. (HURLEY), 92**

Ocala - Dorothy R. (Hurley) Cross, 92, passed away on August 7, 2012 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, FL.

She was the devoted wife of Donald C. Cross. Born in Boston, MA on March 21, 1920, she was a daughter of the late William and Elizabeth (Nagle) Hurley. She was educated in the Town of Bourne and was a graduate of Bourne High school.

Mrs. Cross worked in Massachusetts until staying home to raise her daughter Patricia.

She and Don retired to Ocala eleven years ago where she enjoyed going out to eat and trips to Flagler Beach.

Besides leaving her husband of 60 years, Donald, she leaves her daughter Patricia Sherman (Robert) of Ocala, FL; her grandchildren, Tim, Bob Jr., Scott and Steven; great-grandchildren, William, Peter, Haley, Shawn, Robert III, and Luke.

Memorial services were not held at the request of the family. Donations in her memory may be made to Hospice Legacy House. (352)854-5218.

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### **DAWSON, GREGORY O., 65**

Ocala - Gregory O. Dawson, 65, of Ocala, passed away Saturday, August 4, 2012. He was born on April 6, 1947, in Plymouth, Indiana.

Gregory belonged to the FOP Ocala Lodge #145, the Masonic Lodge #89 in Columbia Falls, Montana, the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry-Valley of Western Montana, and the Shriner's International, Butte, MT. He was a past Marion County Sheriff Deputy in Indianapolis, IN, from 1970-1977, a police officer in Columbia Falls, MT, from 1978-2000. He also worked for the Glacier International Airport Police from 2002-2004 and currently was an Associate Professor at



CF in the Criminal Justice Department.

He is survived by his wife, Nancy; one son and daughter-in-law, Jeffrey and Teresa Dawson of Liberty Lake, WA; one sister and brother-in-law, Glenda and Robert Parker in Fenton, MI; and two grandchildren, Alex and Josh Dawson.

A celebration of life service was held on Monday, August 13, 2012, at 12 p.m. at the College of Central Florida in the Criminal Justice Department. In lieu of flowers donation may be made to the CF Foundation-K.C. Alvarez Scholarship Fund, 3001 SW College Rd., Ocala, FL 34474.

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He is survived by son, Curtis (Linda) J. DeYoung; daughter, Ruth White; stepson, Bill (Laura) White; stepdaughters, Shirley White, and Sallie Boer; 14 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; and three great-great grandchildren. Preceded in death by his wives, Connie and Willa; stepson, Harry "Jack" White.

Graveside service will be held Friday, August 17, 2012 4 p.m. at Wauchula Cemetery, Wauchula, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to Gideons International.

Arrangements entrusted with Hiers-Baxley Funeral Service, The Villages, FL (352)-753-8353.

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**LAMB, ADDIS EDNA, 93**

Dunnellon - Addis Edna Lamb, 93, died Friday, August 10, 2012. She was born in Scotland, GA, on June 6, 1919, to Albert E. Darden and Minnie Holland Darden. Addis was the best homemaker, a loving wife, mother and grandmother.

Survivors include her husband of 43 years, Ralph E. Lamb, Dunnellon; sons: Donald Marshall, HAFB, NM, and David (Libby) Marshall, New Port Richey, FL; brothers: Hubert Darden, Orlando, FL, Albert (Dorothy) Darden, Winter Park, FL; grandchildren: Debbie Marshall, Michael Marshall, Jennifer Marshall and several great-grandchildren.

Addis loved all people, especially children, all children.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in the memory of Mrs. Lamb to "I Am" School of St. Germain Temple, 118 Siskiyou Avenue, Mt. Shasta, CA 96067 or The St. Germain Temple of Orlando, P.O. Box 1286, Sorrento, FL 32776.

Cremation has been entrusted to the Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL with services to be determined at a later date and time.

Online condolences may be offered at [robertsofdunnellon.com](http://robertsofdunnellon.com)

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**McCROSKEY, DEAN, 78**

Summerfield - Dean McCroskey, 78, died on Tuesday, August 14, 2012 at Tuscany Hospice House, Summerfield, FL.

He was born in Fairgrove, Missouri. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Belleview where he was a Deacon Emeritus, children's Sunday School teacher, and participated on several mission trips. He was a member of the Masons for 50 years.

Dean graduated from Pleasant Hope High School in Missouri, and was a graduate of CFCC and the University of South Florida. He worked at the Vehicle Assembly Building (VAB) at NASA and was a school teacher in Marion County for many years. He was a veteran of the United States Army.

Dean is survived by his wife, Velma McCroskey; son, Wesley (Debra) McCroskey; daughters, Lorie Lou (Keith) Brumm and Dana Sue Williams; stepsons, Robert (Priscilla) Davis and Mark Davis; brother, Terry (Pat) McCroskey; sister-in-law, Nova McCroskey and 17 grandchildren. He is predeceased by his parents, Earl David and Essie Wommack McCroskey; brother, David McCroskey and wife, Alice Jane McCroskey.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday, August 17, 2012 at First Baptist Church of Belleview, 6107 SE Agnew Road, Belleview. Visitation will be from 6 until 8 p.m. Thursday, August 16, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Burial will be in Cedar Bluff Cemetery, Fairgrove, Missouri.

The family suggests that memorial contributions be made to the Mission Ministry of First Baptist Church, Belleview or Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL, 34478.

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He grew up with his parents Max and Loretta McMillen, and his two siblings, Patrick McMillen of Tampa and Kensey Barnes of MI. He was surrounded by family with six nieces and nephews, and eight grandchildren. Mark followed the death of his father, Max A. McMillen.

A memorial service will be held on Monday, August 20th, 2012 at 2 p.m. The service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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#### **MEFFERT, JACOB GILMAN, 35**

Ocala, FL - Jacob Gilman Meffert, 35, passed away on August 12, 2012. He was born August 12, 1977 in Ocala, FL.

Jacob was a graduate of Forest High School. As an avid Gator fan, he enjoyed attending many UF sporting events. Known to his close friends as "Jake", he loved 80's music, the Atlanta Braves, bowling, and was a wrestling fan.

Jacob is preceded in death by his father, John "Mike" Meffert. He is survived by his mother, Gilmery "Pickle" Meffert of Ocala, FL.; brothers John Meffert (Jill) of Ocala, FL, Todd Young (Shannon) of Lexington, KY; sisters Jordan Meffert of Ocala, FL, Jennifer Meffert of Washington, DC; Uncle Phil Hutson of Hartford City, IN; Aunt Elizabeth Stoney of Ocala, FL; nieces, nephews, other family, and many friends.

A celebration of Jacob's life will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home on Silver Springs Blvd. on August 17th, 2012 at 2 p.m., and all are welcome to attend.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the charity of your choice .

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**STEWART, SANDRA W., 76**

Ocala - Sandra W. Stewart, 76, passed away on August 6, 2012 from a lengthy illness. She is survived by one brother, Terry Stewart; and seven children, Shannon, Marcy, Shawn, Richard, Eddie, Timothy, and David; 17 grandchildren, several nephews and nieces; and several great grandchildren. She will be dearly missed and never forgotten. R.I.P. always.

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**WILSON, ELIZA LOUISE COY, 80**

Ocala - Eliza Louise Wilson Coy, 80, passed away on August 10, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center.

She leaves to cherish her memory, two daughters, Linda Bryant (George) of Wilmington, North Carolina; Jacqueline Genwright (Melvin) of Bowie, Maryland; and one son, Freddie Coy, Jr. (Sonji) of Ocala, Florida; seven grandchildren, Eric Wilson of Wilmington, North Carolina, Erica Wilson of Temple Hills, Maryland; Cory Bryant of Wilmington, North Carolina; Oriasaunta McAllister (Derrick) of Ocala, Florida; Fredricka Coy of Ocala, Florida; Jamel Genwright of Greenbelt, Maryland; and Piotrowski Coy (Jessica) of Ocala, Florida; seven great-grandchildren, her brother, George Wilson of Decatur, Georgia; brother-in-laws, Eugene Keitt, Jr. (Carol) of Sacramento, California; Larnie Canty of Wilmington, North Carolina; Charles Burton, Willie Charles (Tina), Louis Scott (Margaret) and Reginald Scott all of Ocala; two sisters-in-law, Barbara Charles and Linda Scott Price (Bernard) of Sumter, South Carolina; nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services for Eliza Louise Wilson Coy will be held on Thursday, August 16, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Edwards Bland, Pastor, Rev. Isaac Burgess, Eulogist.

Visitation will be on Wednesday, August 15, 2012 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A wake service will be held on Wednesday, August 15, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel. Interment will be at Lincoln Memorial Gardens.

[www.cunninghamfhocala.com](http://www.cunninghamfhocala.com)

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 17, 2012**

**BAKER, JA'QUEZ DEMARION, 2**

Ocala - Ja'quez Demarion Baker, 2, of Ocala, FL. went to be with our Lord on Wednesday, August 8, 2012.

Ja'quez was born in Ocala. He was a member of Wings of Faith Fellowship Church in Silver Springs Shores, and attended Blessed Trinity Angel in Arms day care and Angels Are Us day care.

He is survived by his mother, Bethany Myers; father, Freddie Baker Jr.; maternal grandmother, Virginita Myers; maternal great-grandmother, Clotelia Lindsey all of Ocala, FL.; paternal grandmother- Gwendolyn Bakley of Gainesville, FL.; and a host of aunts, uncles and close

family.

There will be a gathering at Wings of Faith Fellowship Church on Sunday August 19th, 2012 from 2 p.m. until 3 p.m. with Ja'quez's celebration of life beginning at 3 p.m. All are welcome to attend and celebrate with the family. Gifts of love can be made to the Wings of Faith Fellowship Church in memory of Ja'quez for the Children's Nursery or Shands Children's Miracle Network.

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**BROWN, DEACON CURTIS LEON, 74**

Ocala - Deacon Curtis Leon Brown, 74, retired Supervisor for Department of Juvenile Justice, transitioned from this life to his heavenly home on Friday, August 10, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, Florida.

He was a graduate of Howard Academy Class of 1955. He served in the U.S. Army from 1957 until 1961. He worked for the Philadelphia Fire Department for six years and the Department of Juvenile Justice for 22 Years, then retired as a Supervisor.

He was a member of New Zion Missionary Baptist Church where he was a Deacon and served in other Ministry.

He is survived by wife of 17 years, Mrs. Betty J. Brown, Ocala, Florida; three daughters, Sheryl Brown, Philadelphia, PA, Kimberly Jacobs and Irene Sue Crosby (Reginald), Ocala, Florida; two sisters, Alyce Lewis (Nathaniel) and Hilda Cox, Ocala, Florida; four grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild.

Viewing for Deacon Curtis Leon Brown will be held on Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Funeral services for Deacon Curtis Leon Brown, 74, retired Supervisor for Department of Juvenile Justice will be held on Saturday August 18, 2012 at 11 a.m. at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 728 Northwest 6th Avenue Ocala, Florida, 34475 with the Reverend Bruce Chatman Sr., Pastor Conducting the Services. Interment will in Lincoln Memorial Gardens, Ocala, under the care of Summers Funeral Home, Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street, Ocala.

Viewing at the church on Saturday, 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy.

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Shavertown, PA - Phyllis Jean Eckman, age 82, of Shavertown, PA and Ocala, FL, died Wednesday, August 15, 2012, at her home in Shavertown.

Born January 12, 1930 in South Bend, Indiana, she was the daughter of the later Peter and Bernice Pulaski Borkowski.

Educated in South Bend, she was a graduate of Riley High School. Phyllis received her Bachelor of Science degree in Pharmacy from Purdue University. She maintained her license for over 60 years working in various pharmacies primarily in the Back Mountain area.

Over the years, Phyllis was an active member of the Back Mountain Memorial Library, the Dallas Ladies Rotary Club and the Valley Tennis and Swim Club, where she was an avid tennis player. She was a member of Huntsville Golf Club, where she enjoyed playing golf and card games with her friends.

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Preceding her in death, in addition to her parents, were her husband, Hanford L. Eckman, who was the founder and president of the Encon Corporation in Dallas; her brother, Robert Borkowski and nephew, Edward Borkowski, both formerly of South Bend, IN.

Surviving are her children, Elizabeth Lloyd and husband, John, Dallas, PA; Peter Eckman and wife, Yvonne, Shavertown, PA; Charles Eckman and wife, Cynthia, Dallas, PA; grandchildren, Matthew Lloyd, Victor, ID; Amy Lloyd Thompson, Chester Springs, PA; Anna Lloyd Ball, E. Granby, CT; Richard Eckman, Dallas, PA; Laura Eckman Vorozilchak, Shavertown, PA; Michael Eckman, Shavertown, PA; Christopher Eckman, Long Beach, CA; Jocelyn Eckman, Pittsburgh, PA; great-grandchildren, Ellie Thompson, Chester Springs, PA; Brooks Lloyd, Victor, ID; Henry Ball, E. Granby, CT; nieces, Kathy Borkowski, Madison, WI; Anne Borkowski, Warwick, RI; and nephew, John Borkowski, Castaic, CA.

Friends may call Friday, August 17, 2012 from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. at the Harold C. Snowdon Funeral Home, Inc., 140 N. Main Street, Shavertown, PA 18708.

Private funeral services will be held at the convenience of family with interment at Huntsville Cemetery, Jackson Township, PA.

Floral tributes are welcomed or memorial contributions in Phyllis's honor may be made to the charity of the donor's choice .

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Ocala - Ual Buno Fincher, 83, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Thursday, August 16, 2012. He was born in Tallapoosa, GA, on July 23, 1929.

Ual served in the U.S. Marines. He moved to Ocala in 1964 and retired after working as a school teacher at Sparr Elementary School for 36 years. He was a member of Oakcrest Baptist Church of Ocala. His favorite hobby was fishing. Mr. Fincher also coached for the Ocala Recreation Dept. at Tusawilla Park for 25 years.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Rachel R. Fincher of Ocala, FL; daughter, Rhonda (Donnie) Wood of Ocala, FL; sister, Oberia Carter of Washington, DC; two grandchildren, Donnie and Scott; and four great- grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL, on Sunday, August 19, 2012, at 3 p.m. A visitation will also be held at the funeral home on Sunday from 2 p.m. until the time of the service at 3 p.m. Burial with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL, on Monday, August 20, 2012, 9:30 a.m.

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### **THOMAS, MARJORIE ANN**

Lynn Haven, FL - Born and raised in Bradenton, FL to parents, Robert and Perry Lou Harris.

She grew up around her grandfather's dairy farm and always had a horse, rode barrels, and loved animals. After two years of college she naturally went into the horse industry in Ocala. She lived most of her life in Ocala when she was not away racing. She was a respected horse woman and trainer. Her last farm was Sundrop Stables at its starting point.

She had many hobbies, traveling on Pan Am World Airways with her hubby, furniture building,



flying her 1946 J-3 cub, reading lots of books, and gardening. Gardening was at the top of her list. In her garden was a sign that said, "An hour in the garden puts life's problems in perspective".

Always a hard worker, she could outwork anyone. She is survived by her loving husband of 29 years, Terry Thomas; stepchildren, Terry Jr. and Natalie Hodge (Scotty); and stepgrandchildren, Allyssa and Adrianna and Aunt Wilma Weiner.

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#### **FINCHER, UAL BUNO, 83**

Ocala - Ual Buno Fincher, 83, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Thursday, August 16, 2012. He was born in Tallapoosa, GA, on July 23, 1929.

Ual served in the U.S. Marines. He moved to Ocala in 1964 and retired after working as a school teacher at Sparr Elementary School for 36 years. He was a member of Oakcrest Baptist Church of Ocala. His favorite hobby was fishing. Mr. Fincher also coached for the Ocala Recreation Dept. at Tusawilla Park for 25 years.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Rachel R. Fincher of Ocala, FL; daughter, Rhonda (Donnie) Wood of Ocala, FL; sister, Oberia Carter of Washington, DC; two grandchildren, Donnie and Scott; and four great-grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL, on Sunday, August 19, 2012, at 3 p.m. A visitation will also be held at the funeral home on Sunday from 2 p.m. until the time of the service at 3 p.m. Burial with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL, on Monday, August 20, 2012, 9:30

a.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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**PONS, TROY ALTON**

Troy Alton Pons, age 90, of Micanopy, FL, passed away on Wednesday, August 15, 2012. Born in Bronson, FL on December 20, 1921, Troy was raised near Ocala and lived all his life in the Flemington area. Troy served in the 361st Infantry Division during WW2. He was taken Prisoner of War (POW) during a conflict in Italy, and was held as a POW in Germany for 202 days. He was also awarded a Purple Heart for injuries sustained during his service. Troy was a multi-million dollar sales representative for Western and Southern Life Insurance, and he actively farmed and raised cattle near his home in Flemington. He was an active member of Flemington Baptist Church, and served as their treasurer for several decades. Troy is survived by granddaughters, Mary Ward of West Topsham, VT; Caroline Whitehurst of Ludlow, MA; and Shirley Coviello of Ludlow, MA; 5 great grandchildren, John Ward, Brian DeVilling, Keith DeVilling, Mya Coviello and Lanna Coviello; and 1 great great granddaughter, Aubrey DeVilling.

Visitation and services will be held at Flemington Baptist Church, 18250 NW 100th Avenue Rd., Flemington, FL 32667 on Wednesday, August 22, 2012, at 11am with Funeral Service to begin at Noon. Interment will follow in Flemington Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Flemington Baptist Church Building Fund. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.

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**SHEALY, BERT R., 90**

Columbia, MS - Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. on Monday, Aug. 6, 2012 in the Hathorn Funeral Home Chapel for Mr. Bert R. Shealy, 90, of Columbia, who died Friday, Aug. 3 in Jackson, MS. Interment was in the Woodlawn Cemetery. Dr. Bryant Barnes officiated at the services.

Visitation was held from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. on Sunday, Aug. 5 at Hathorn Funeral Home.

A native of Ocala, Florida, he was a department store manager for J.C. Penney, retiring after 50 years and a member of Columbia First Baptist Church, Columbia Lions Club and served in the U.S. Navy during WWII.

He was preceded in death by his parents, George and Dora Smith Shealy and his first wife, Theresa (Pete) Shealy.

Survivors include his wife, Billie Shealy of Columbia; one daughter, Sonja Shealy of Pensacola, Fla.; step-daughters, Celia Mitchell (Jim) of Dothan, Ala. and Cyndy McGuffie (Mike) of Clinton; three brothers, B.F. Shealy, Arch Shealy and Reuel Shealy all of Ocala, Fla.; three grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

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#### **ALSTON, LUISA, 94**

Summerfield - Luisa Alston, 94, passed away August 19, 2012.

Luisa was born in Naranjito, Puerto Rico on March 27, 1918 and came to the U.S. from Puerto Rico in 1983. She was a retired seamstress. Luisa was a member of the I.C. Fe Y Esperanza. She enjoyed cooking, sewing, reading the Bible, and spending quality time with her family.

She is survived by two daughters, Elba M. Cruz and Lydia (Juan) Quiñones, both of Summerfield, FL; two sons, Ramón Tirado, Richfield Park, NJ and José Tirado, Dumont, NJ; brother, Luis Rodriguez, Puerto Rico; sister, Eva Rodriguez, Puerto Rico; 23 grandchildren, 26 great grandchildren, and one great-great grandson.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Manuel Tirado; her two daughters, Rosa Falcon and Haydee Ramos; and her son, Angel Tirado.

A funeral service for Mrs. Alston will be held Saturday, August 25, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, The Villages, with burial immediately following at Pine Level Cemetery. Visitation will be held Friday evening from 6:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Building Fund at I.C. Fe Y Esperanza. Sentiments may be left online at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

Arrangements are entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, The Villages, Florida.

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#### **FANNING, BRUCE E., 80**

Silver Springs- Bruce E. Fanning, 80, died Tuesday, August 14th, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center.

Mr. Fanning was born in Canton, NY and became a permanent resident of Silver Springs in 2000. He was a mechanic by trade and a veteran of the U.S. Army.

Survivors include his wife of eleven years, Norma Fanning of Silver Springs; seven sons, Dale



Fanning of MT, Ed Fanning of OH, Jeff Fanning of CT, Terry Fanning of Silver Springs, Sonny Fanning of MD, Lyle Fanning of Miami, FL, Tom Fanning of St. Petersburg, FL; two daughters, Karen Whitmore of St. Petersburg, FL, Chris Malasky of OH; one sister, Eva Gustafson of CT; eighteen grandchildren, and nineteen great-grandchildren.

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**GLATFELTER, NEVIN L., 81**

Ocala - Mr. Nevin L. Glatfelter, 81, of Ocala, passed away at his residence on Sunday, August 19th, 2012.

Nevin was born in York, PA on October 10th, 1930 to parents, Ralph and Sylvia (Falkenrath) Glatfelter. He was a U.S. Army veteran and served during WWII.

Nevin moved to Ocala in 1984 from Largo and was the former owner of N.L. Glatfelter Inc., a very successful painting company. Nev was a private pilot and loved to fly.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Nancy Ann Glatfelter; son, Gary Glatfelter and wife, Ruth; daughter, Bonnie Bottoms and husband, Stanley; daughter, Lori Chambers and husband, Fred; son, Kevin Glatfelter and Deb; daughter Debbie Smolik; grandchildren, Melissa Walter and husband, Joseph, Christina Chambers, and Justin Gothard; great-grandchildren, Owen Walter, Emily Walter, Mariah Chambers; three sisters, Shirley Gentzler, Yvonne Jackson, and Cindy Mitzel; and one brother, Amon Glatfelter.

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**HALL, ANNA JOSEPHINE, 66**

Bellevue - Anna Josephine Hall, 66, died on August 17, 2012.

She was born in Indiana and moved to this area from Indiana 38 years ago. She was a member of Village View Baptist Church and was a retired property appraiser.

Mrs. Hall is survived by her son, David A. Hall, Summerfield; adopted son, Brian Hughes, Las Vegas; daughter, Cheryl M. Hall-Akay, Bellevue, son-in-law, Kyle Akay; and three grandsons.

There will be a gathering of family and friends from 6 until 8 p.m., Wednesday, August 22, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Bellevue. Online condolences may be sent at:

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**HICKS, JANE L., 66**

Ocala - Jane L. Hicks, 66, died Saturday, August 18th, 2012 in Ocala.

Jane was born in Cincinnati, OH and has been in Florida for 30 years. She graduated from the University of Cincinnati. She was a school teacher and an assistant to Congressman Bill McCollum. Jane retired with the CFCC Foundation.

A celebration of Jane's life will be held Saturday, August 25, 2012 at 10 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, 511 SE Third Street, Ocala, Florida 34471. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the lovely Hospice House that took such good care of Jane. Hospice of Marion County, 3231 Southwest 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474.

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**LOWMAN, DAVID LEE, 62**

Ocala - David Lee Lowman, 62, of Ocala, went to be with the Lord on August 17th, 2012, after a long battle with cancer.

He was a U.S. Marine Corps veteran of the Vietnam War and retired welder, mechanic and owner/operator of Ocala Hydraulics Plus. Mr. Lowman attended Christ's Church of Marion County, was an avid fisherman, musician, singer and was well known for his sense of humor.

He is survived by his loving wife of 27 years, Lisa A. Lowman; son, Russell Lee Lowman of Ocala; grandchildren, Keri Nicole Lowman and Joshua Taylor Lowman; brothers, Larry Lowman of Clewiston, FL, and Stevon Lowman of Clewiston, FL; sisters, Quinetta Thompson and Kay Cardin both of Clewiston, FL; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and many close friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Jim and Florence Lowman and brother, Denver Wiles and recently deceased is his brother, Billy D. Fields of Atlanta, GA.

A Celebration of David's Life will be held at Christ's Church of Marion County (6768 SW 80th St., Ocala, phone: 861-6182) on Saturday, August 25th, 2012 at 5 p.m.

Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 352-732-9944. A condolence message may be left at:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you make donations in David's memory to their church, Christ's Church of Marion County.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 23, 2012****ALSTON, LUISA, 94**

Summerfield - Luisa Alston, 94, passed away August 19, 2012.

Luisa was born in Naranjito, Puerto Rico on March 27, 1918 and came to the U.S. from Puerto Rico in 1983. She was a retired seamstress. Luisa was a member of the I.C. Fe Y Esperanza. She enjoyed cooking, sewing, reading the Bible, and spending quality time with her family.

She is survived by two daughters, Elba M. Cruz and Lydia (Juan) Quiñones, both of Summerfield, FL; two sons, Ramón Tirado, Richfield Park, NJ and José Tirado, Dumont, NJ; brother, Luis Rodriguez, Puerto Rico; sister, Eva Rodriguez, Puerto Rico; 23 grandchildren, 26

great grandchildren, and one great-great grandson.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Manuel Tirado; her two daughters, Rosa Falcon and Haydee Ramos; and her son, Angel Tirado.

A funeral service for Mrs. Alston will be held Saturday, August 25, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, The Villages, with burial immediately following at Pine Level Cemetery. Visitation will be held Friday evening from 6:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Building Fund at I.C. Fe Y Esperanza. Sentiments may be left online at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

Arrangements are entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, The Villages, Florida.

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### **BRITTON, MARTHASU KEMP., 85**

Haymarket, VA - Marthasu Kemp Britton, 85, died at her home in Haymarket, VA on August 20, 2012.

She was born in Hartford, Alabama, the daughter of the late John Milton and Gladys Gertrude Wesley Kemp. She had retired from U.S. Air.

She was a graduate of Ocala High school and after World War II, she and her husband Weldon called Ocala home for a time with their children. She and her husband built the first grass airstrip in Ocala. Mrs. Britton also worked at the Star-Banner during the 1950's.

Survivors include her loving husband, Weldon C. Britton; children, Don Britton, Whiteville, NC, Sharyn Britton Evert, San Clemente, CA, Robin Hoyle, Gastonia, NC and Leslie Britton, Charlotte, NC; grandchildren, Michael Britton, Marni Britton Corley, Tamara White, Tara Lordi Grimes and Johnny Reece, also six great grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 7 until 9 p.m. Thursday, August 23, 2012 at Moser Funeral Home, 233 Broadview Ave., Warrenton, VA where services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, August 24, 2012 by Rev. Carrie Evans of the Warrenton Presbyterian Church. Interment will be at a later date in Arlington National Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to: Office of Advancement, National Air & Space Museum, Ste. 3700, MRC 321, P.O. Box 3700, Washington, DC 20013-7012. (202) 633-2600 or e-mail:

[youcanhelpnasm@si.edu](mailto:youcanhelpnasm@si.edu)

or Best Friends Animal Society, 5001 Angel Canyon Road Kanab, UT 84741. (435) 644-2001. [info@bestfriends.org](mailto:info@bestfriends.org). Online condolences may be left at:

[www.moserfuneralhome.com](http://www.moserfuneralhome.com)

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### **COMER, SHARON KAY, 66**

Ocala - Sharon Kay Comer, 66, of Ocala, passed away Friday, August 17, 2012.

She was born to the late Maynard and Betty DeVore, on September 20, 1945, in Sacramento, CA. Sharon graduated from high school and nursing school in Memphis, TN, and began a career in nursing in Tennessee, Georgia and Florida. She retired in 1992.

She married Mark Comer in 1966, and they lived together in Powder Springs, GA, before relocating to Florida in 1991. Sharon was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She was passionate about genealogy and thoroughly researched her family lines. Sharon loved to travel, and traveled through much of the United States in her motor home with

her husband. She even traveled full-time for three years. She also took seven cruise trips with her husband in her lifetime.

Sharon is survived by her husband of 46 years, James Mark Comer, III; one son and one daughter and their spouses: Christopher and Elisa Comer of Jonesborough, TN and Laura and Matthew Vitale, of Ocala, FL; her mother, Betty DeVore of Ocala, and her sister and spouse, Linda and Steve Horton of Tampa. She also is survived by six grandchildren, Carley, Nick, and Jake Comer, Jonesborough, TN, and Gia, Christina and Landry Vitale of Ocala.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, August 24, 2012, at Florida National Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Ave., Bushnell, FL. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, is handling arrangements.

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### **FANNING, BRUCE E., 80**

Silver Springs- Bruce E. Fanning, 80, died Tuesday, August 14th, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center.

Mr. Fanning was born in Canton, NY and became a permanent resident of Silver Springs in 2000. He was a mechanic by trade and a veteran of the U.S. Army.

Survivors include his wife of eleven years, Norma Fanning of Silver Springs; seven sons, Dale Fanning of MT, Ed Fanning of OH, Jeff Fanning of CT, Terry Fanning of Silver Springs, Sonny Fanning of MD, Lyle Fanning of Miami, FL, Tom Fanning of St. Petersburg, FL; two daughters, Karen Whitmore of St. Petersburg, FL, Chris Malasky of OH; one sister, Eva Gustafson of CT; eighteen grandchildren, and nineteen great-grandchildren.

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### **GLATFELTER, NEVIN L., 81**

Ocala - Mr. Nevin L. Glatfelter, 81, of Ocala, passed away at his residence on Sunday, August 19th, 2012.

Nevin was born in York, PA on October 10th, 1930 to parents, Ralph and Sylvia (Falkenrath) Glatfelter. He was a U.S. Army veteran and served during WWII.

Nevin moved to Ocala in 1984 from Largo and was the former owner of N.L. Glatfelter Inc., a very successful painting company. Nev was a private pilot and loved to fly.

He is survived by his wife of 62 years, Nancy Ann Glatfelter; son, Gary Glatfelter and wife, Ruth; daughter, Bonnie Bottoms and husband, Stanley; daughter, Lori Chambers and husband, Fred; son, Kevin Glatfelter and Deb; daughter Debbie Smolik; grandchildren, Melissa Walter and husband, Joseph, Christina Chambers, and Justin Gothard; great-grandchildren, Owen Walter, Emily Walter, Mariah Chambers; three sisters, Shirley Gentzler, Yvonne Jackson, and Cindy Mitzel; and one brother, Amon Glatfelter.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County in Nev's honor. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. (352)854-2266.

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### **HALL, ANNA JOSEPHINE, 66**

Belleview - Anna Josephine Hall, 66, died on August 17, 2012.

She was born in Indiana and moved to this area from Indiana 38 years ago. She was a member of Village View Baptist Church and was a retired property appraiser.

Mrs. Hall is survived by her son, David A. Hall, Summerfield; adopted son, Brian Hughes, Las Vegas; daughter, Cheryl M. Hall-Akay, Belleview, son-in-law, Kyle Akay; and three grandsons. There will be a gathering of family and friends from 6 until 8 p.m., Wednesday, August 22, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview. Online condolences may be sent at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**HICKS, JANE L., 66**

Ocala - Jane L. Hicks, 66, died Saturday, August 18th, 2012 in Ocala.

Jane was born in Cincinnati, OH and has been in Florida for 30 years. She graduated from the University of Cincinnati. She was a school teacher and an assistant to Congressman Bill McCollum. Jane retired with the CFCC Foundation.

A celebration of Jane's life will be held Saturday, August 25, 2012 at 10 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, 511 SE Third Street, Ocala, Florida 34471. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the lovely Hospice House that took such good care of Jane. Hospice of Marion County, 3231 Southwest 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474.

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**LOWMAN, DAVID LEE, 62**

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He is survived by his loving wife of 27 years, Lisa A. Lowman; son, Russell Lee Lowman of Ocala; grandchildren, Keri Nicole Lowman and Joshua Taylor Lowman; brothers, Larry Lowman of Clewiston, FL, and Stevon Lowman of Clewiston, FL; sisters, Quinetta Thompson and Kay Cardin both of Clewiston, FL; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and many close friends.

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**SAWAYA, FRANCES S., 70**

Ocala - Frances S. Sawaya, 70, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, August 21, 2012, at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala.

She was a native and lifetime resident of Ocala. Fran attended Blessed Trinity School, and was an active member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Prior to her retirement three years ago, her

entire career was spent in banking, working for Barnett Bank, Nations Bank, Bank of America, South Trust and Regions Bank.

She is survived by her cousins; Sarah J. and Mary Sawaya of Ocala; Judge Thomas and Jeanne Sawaya of Winter Park, Robert and Cindy Leathers of San Mateo, CA; John, Richard, Beverly, Jennifer, Richard and Barbara Basila families of Miami, FL.

Visitation will be held from 6 until 9 p.m., Thursday, August 23, 2012 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street, Ocala. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at Blessed Trinity at 10 a.m. Friday, with Father Pat Sheedy officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park.

Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, is handling arrangements. For those who wish, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Cancer Society .

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### **WILDER, RICHARD F. "DICK", 69**

Homosassa - Richard F. "Dick" Wilder, 69, of Homosassa, FL, passed away on August 21, 2012 at his home.

A native of Lecanto, FL, he was born September 19, 1942 to William and Catherine (Allen) Wilder, one of six children. Mr. Wilder grew up in Citrus County as a boy and played football on the very first Junior Varsity team at Crystal River High School.

He moved to St. Petersburg as a teen and began a 54 year career in funeral service with Lee Williams Funeral Home in St. Petersburg, washing cars, serving with the ambulance crew, or wherever he was needed. Dick attended the Kentucky School of Mortuary Science, Louisville, KY and graduated in 1967.

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In addition to his parents, Dick was preceded in death by three siblings: William, Walter and Florida Ann.

A Celebration of Life service will take place at Gulf To Lake Baptist Church, Crystal River on Saturday, August 25th, 2012 at 11 a.m. with Pastors Lloyd Bertine and Laverle Coats. Interment

will follow at Magnolia Cemetery, Lecanto. Friends will be received on Friday, August 24th from 6 until 8 p.m. at Wilder Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to either Hospice of Citrus County or the Shriner's Club.

[www.wilderfuneral.com](http://www.wilderfuneral.com)

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 24, 2012**

#### **BRITTON, MARTHASU KEMP., 85**

Haymarket, VA - Marthasu Kemp Britton, 85, died at her home in Haymarket, VA on August 20, 2012.

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She was a graduate of Ocala High school and after World War II, she and her husband Weldon called Ocala home for a time with their children. She and her husband built the first grass airstrip in Ocala. Mrs. Britton also worked at the Star-Banner during the 1950's.

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The family will receive friends from 7 until 9 p.m. Thursday, August 23, 2012 at Moser Funeral Home, 233 Broadview Ave., Warrenton, VA where services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, August 24, 2012 by Rev. Carrie Evans of the Warrenton Presbyterian Church. Interment will be at a later date in Arlington National Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to: Office of Advancement, National Air & Space Museum, Ste. 3700, MRC 321, P.O. Box 3700, Washington, DC 20013-7012. (202) 633-2600 or e-mail:

[youcanhelpnasm@si.edu](mailto:youcanhelpnasm@si.edu)

or Best Friends Animal Society, 5001 Angel Canyon Road Kanab, UT 84741. (435) 644-2001. [info@bestfriends.org](mailto:info@bestfriends.org). Online condolences may be left at:

[www.moserfuneralhome.com](http://www.moserfuneralhome.com)

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#### **BUCHKO, MICHAEL JUDSON, 80**

Dunnellon - A Mass of Christian Burial celebrating the life of Michael Judson "Mike" Buchko, 80, of Dunnellon, will be held on Saturday, August 25th, 2012 at 2 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church; U.S. Hwy. 41, Dunnellon, FL, with Father Joseph Pinchock, Celebrant. A reception will immediately follow in the church hall.

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#### **COMER, SHARON KAY, 66**

Ocala - Sharon Kay Comer, 66, of Ocala, passed away Friday, August 17, 2012.

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She married Mark Comer in 1966, and they lived together in Powder Springs, GA, before

relocating to Florida in 1991. Sharon was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She was passionate about genealogy and thoroughly researched her family lines. Sharon loved to travel, and traveled through much of the United States in her motor home with her husband. She even traveled full-time for three years. She also took seven cruise trips with her husband in her lifetime.

Sharon is survived by her husband of 46 years, James Mark Comer, III; one son and one daughter and their spouses: Christopher and Elisa Comer of Jonesborough, TN and Laura and Matthew Vitale, of Ocala, FL; her mother, Betty DeVore of Ocala, and her sister and spouse, Linda and Steve Horton of Tampa. She also is survived by six grandchildren, Carley, Nick, and Jake Comer, Jonesborough, TN, and Gia, Christina and Landry Vitale of Ocala.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, August 24, 2012, at Florida National Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Ave., Bushnell, FL. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, is handling arrangements.

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### **COWHERD JR., FRANK G., 90**

Green Cove Springs, FL - Frank G. Cowherd Jr., 90, of Green Cove Springs, FL passed away Tuesday, August 21, 2012.

He died peacefully at his residence. Frank was born May 5, 1922, Cumberland, Maryland. Frank was a World War II veteran (U.S. Army Air Force, B-29 Gunner) and Chief Design Engineer and Engineering Consultant in the food systems industry for over 35 years.

Following his retirement, he and his wife moved to Oak Run in Ocala, FL. He and Norma enjoyed boating on the Chesapeake Bay and traveled across the U.S. for many years.

He is survived by his wife of 71 years, Norma and sons, Frank G. Cowherd III, Bryans Road, MD; William H. Cowherd, Palm Beach Gardens, FL; Robert K. Cowherd, Downingtown, PA; Thomas R. Cowherd, Green Cove Springs, FL; eight grandsons, one granddaughter, and four great grandchildren.

Memorial Services with burial will be held 11 a.m., Thursday, September 6, 2012 at Jacksonville National Cemetery, Jacksonville, FL with Military Honors.

Arrangements are under the care of Russell Haven of Rest Cemetery, Funeral Home and Cremation Center, 2335 Sandridge Road, Green Cove Springs, FL., 32043. Family and friends may share their condolences at:

[www.RHRCemetery  
andFuneralHome.com](http://www.RHRCemeteryandFuneralHome.com)  
(904) 284-7720

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### **GRANLUND, ELLI, 92**

Ocala - Elli (Tellervo) Granlund, died peacefully on Wednesday, August 22, 2012 at the Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala, FL. She was 92.

She was the beloved wife of the late Harold S. Granlund for over 22 years.

Elli was born in Worcester, MA. At the age of three she moved to Finland with her father after the passing of her mother. Elli was educated in Finland where she graduated from (Kurikka) High School.

Elli was a former long time resident of Worcester and Holden, MA. She was a resident of Ocala for the past 38 years.



For many years Elli worked for the (Astra) Pharmaceutical Co. in Worcester, MA.

Elli enjoyed needle point, sewing, her garden and flowers.

She is survived by her daughters, Ellen Wilson of Falmouth, MA, Selma LaMotte of Bradford, RI; 15 grandchildren and many great and great-great grandchildren. She was predeceased by her son, Ronald Grandlund.

A private burial service will be in the Swedish Cemetery, Worcester, MA.

Online condolences may be shared with the family at:

[www.ccgfuneralhome.com](http://www.ccgfuneralhome.com)

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### **HARRIS JR., ROY MONROE**

Silver Springs - Roy Monroe Harris, Jr. passed away Monday, August 20, 2012 at The Villages Regional Hospital in Sumter County.

Roy's family relocated to Silver Springs from Tampa in 1970. He was a foreman for JWJ Inc., underground utilities contractor in Ocala. Roy was a Baptist, and enjoyed fishing and hunting in the outdoors.

He is survived by three sons, Shawn Boyd, Roy M. Harris, III, and Tylor G. Harris all of Ocala; one sister, Paula (Brad) Holly of Ocklawaha; three brothers, Donald Harris of Ocala, David Harris of Ocklawaha, and Allen (Donna) Harris of Ocklawaha; mother, Barbara (Pete) Sirk of Ocklawaha; father, Roy M. (Charna) Harris, Sr. of Keaton Beach, FL.; and four grandchildren.

There will be a Celebration of Life at the family's house Saturday, August 25, 2012.

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### **MARTIN, MICHAEL G., 58**

Hernando - Michael G. Martin, 58, of Dunnellon, went peacefully with the Lord August 23, 2012 at his family's home in Hernando, FL.

Mike was born in Lapeer, Michigan and has been in the area for 30 years. He is survived by his son, Michael C Martin; brother, Tom Martin of California; his Uncle Osel Martin of Kentucky; his nephew Robert Martin of California; his mother and father-in-law Don Goclon and Beverly Senter Goclon of Hernando; his brother and sister-in-law Andrew and Stacey Barnes of Hernando; his niece and nephew Brandon and Sabrina Barnes; lifelong friend, Keith Mullins of Crystal River; and most importantly his dearest friends of Marion County Fire Rescue.

He was a member of the Moose International LOOM 2112 of Inverness. Mike served with Marion County Fleet Management moving into the title of Marion County Fire Rescue Fleet Manager. Mike was responsible for over 100 emergency vehicles that provided protection to the citizens of Marion County.

Mike loved his son, family, fishing, his motorcycles and his Cadi! He loved helping others anytime, anyplace, anywhere and he had no enemies.

The family will be receiving friends on Friday, August 24th, 2012 at the Roberts Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Rd 200, Ocala, FL. (352) 854-2266 from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. All are welcome to attend and share with the family. There will be a celebration of Mike's life on Saturday August 25th, 2012 at the Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Hwy 200 at 10 a.m. and all are welcome to attend.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the American Cancer Society . Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Ocala, FL. Visit our guest book at:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**PERNICE, GLORIA A., 80**

Ocala - Gloria A. Pernice, 80, passed away on Wednesday, August 22, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House.

She was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Ocala in 1974. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and liked playing cards and cooking. She enjoyed listening to Frank Sinatra, Perry Como and music of the 60's and 70's.

She is survived by her sons, Anthony (Debbie) Pernice, Benjamin (Marion) Pernice and James (Pam) Pernice all of Ocala; her sister, Vivian Bianco of Nokomis, FL; and her four grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 49 years, Benjamin Joseph Pernice.

A Funeral Mass will be said on Sunday, August 26, 2012 at 2:30 p.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. A visitation will be held on Friday from 6 until 9 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 25, 2012**

### **BUCHKO, MICHAEL JUDSON, 80**

Dunnellon - A Mass of Christian Burial celebrating the life of Michael Judson "Mike" Buchko, 80, of Dunnellon, will be held on Saturday, August 25th, 2012 at 2 p.m. at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church; U.S. Hwy. 41, Dunnellon, FL, with Father Joseph Pinchock, Celebrant. A reception will immediately follow in the church hall.

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### **COWHERD JR., FRANK G., 90**

Green Cove Springs, FL - Frank G. Cowherd Jr., 90, of Green Cove Springs, FL passed away Tuesday, August 21, 2012.

He died peacefully at his residence. Frank was born May 5, 1922, Cumberland, Maryland. Frank was a World War II veteran (U.S. Army Air Force, B-29 Gunner) and Chief Design Engineer and Engineering Consultant in the food systems industry for over 35 years.

Following his retirement, he and his wife moved to Oak Run in Ocala, FL. He and Norma enjoyed boating on the Chesapeake Bay and traveled across the U.S. for many years.

He is survived by his wife of 71 years, Norma and sons, Frank G. Cowherd III, Bryans Road, MD; William H. Cowherd, Palm Beach Gardens, FL; Robert K. Cowherd, Downingtown, PA; Thomas R. Cowherd, Green Cove Springs, FL; eight grandsons, one granddaughter, and four great grandchildren.

Memorial Services with burial will be held 11 a.m., Thursday, September 6, 2012 at Jacksonville National Cemetery, Jacksonville, FL with Military Honors.

Arrangements are under the care of Russell Haven of Rest Cemetery, Funeral Home and Cremation Center, 2335 Sandridge Road, Green Cove Springs, FL., 32043. Family and friends may share their condolences at:

[www.RHRCemetery  
andFuneralHome.com](http://www.RHRCemeteryandFuneralHome.com)  
(904) 284-7720

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### **GRANLUND, ELLI, 92**

Ocala - Elli (Tellervo) Granlund, died peacefully on Wednesday, August 22, 2012 at the Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala, FL. She was 92. She was the beloved wife of the late Harold S. Granlund for over 22 years. Elli was born in Worcester, MA. At the age of three she moved to Finland with her father after the passing of her mother. Elli was educated in Finland where she graduated from (Kurikka) High School. Elli was a former long time resident of Worcester and Holden, MA. She was a resident of Ocala for the past 38 years. For many years Elli worked for the (Astra) Pharmaceutical Co. in Worcester, MA. Elli enjoyed needle point, sewing, her garden and flowers. She is survived by her daughters, Ellen Wilson of Falmouth, MA, Selma LaMotte of Bradford, RI; 15 grandchildren and many great and great-great grandchildren. She was predeceased by her son, Ronald Grandlund. A private burial service will be in the Swedish Cemetery, Worcester, MA. Online condolences may be shared with the family at:

[www.ccgfuneralhome.com](http://www.ccgfuneralhome.com)

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### **HARRIS JR., ROY MONROE**

Silver Springs - Roy Monroe Harris, Jr. passed away Monday, August 20, 2012 at The Villages Regional Hospital in Sumter County.

Roy's family relocated to Silver Springs from Tampa in 1970. He was a foreman for JWJ Inc., underground utilities contractor in Ocala. Roy was a Baptist, and enjoyed fishing and hunting in the outdoors.

He is survived by three sons, Shawn Boyd, Roy M. Harris, III, and Tylor G. Harris all of Ocala; one sister, Paula (Brad) Holly of Ocklawaha; three brothers, Donald Harris of Ocala, David Harris of Ocklawaha, and Allen (Donna) Harris of Ocklawaha; mother, Barbara (Pete) Sirk of Ocklawaha; father, Roy M. (Charna) Harris, Sr. of Keaton Beach, FL.; and four grandchildren.

There will be a Celebration of Life at the family's house Saturday, August 25, 2012.

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### **MARTIN, MICHAEL G., 58**

Hernando - Michael G. Martin, 58, of Dunnellon, went peacefully with the Lord August 23, 2012 at his family's home in Hernando, FL.

Mike was born in Lapeer, Michigan and has been in the area for 30 years. He is survived by his

son, Michael C Martin; brother, Tom Martin of California; his Uncle Osel Martin of Kentucky; his nephew Robert Martin of California; his mother and father-in-law Don Goclon and Beverly Senter Goclon of Hernando; his brother and sister-in-law Andrew and Stacey Barnes of Hernando; his niece and nephew Brandon and Sabrina Barnes; lifelong friend, Keith Mullins of Crystal River; and most importantly his dearest friends of Marion County Fire Rescue.

He was a member of the Moose International LOOM 2112 of Inverness. Mike served with Marion County Fleet Management moving into the title of Marion County Fire Rescue Fleet Manager. Mike was responsible for over 100 emergency vehicles that provided protection to the citizens of Marion County.

Mike loved his son, family, fishing, his motorcycles and his Cadi! He loved helping others anytime, anyplace, anywhere and he had no enemies.

The family will be receiving friends on Friday, August 24th, 2012 at the Roberts Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Rd 200, Ocala, FL. (352) 854-2266 from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. All are welcome to attend and share with the family. There will be a celebration of Mike's life on Saturday August 25th, 2012 at the Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Hwy 200 at 10 a.m. and all are welcome to attend.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the American Cancer Society . Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Ocala, FL. Visit our guest book at:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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### **MCINTYRE, JOSEPH FRANKLIN, 69**

Citra - Joseph Franklin McIntyre passed away at home on August 22, 2012.

Born in Cincinnati, OH, he moved to Marion County in 1970. He retired as a meat cutter with Sweet Bay grocery.

He is survived by his wife of 34 years, Nancy Dillard McIntyre; daughter, Susan (Robert) Williams, Dunnellon; brothers, James (Joan) McIntyre, Cincinnati, OH; and Walter (Charlene) McIntyre, Harrison, OH; grandsons, Kyle Williams, Jordan Williams, Shane Williams; granddaughter, Victoria "Tori" Williams; and great-grandchildren, Trent Williams and Aubrey Williams.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to Hospice of Marion County or Sparr United Methodist Church.

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### **PERNICE, GLORIA A., 80**

Ocala - Gloria A. Pernice, 80, passed away on Wednesday, August 22, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House.

She was born in Brooklyn, NY and moved to Ocala in 1974. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and liked playing cards and cooking. She enjoyed listening to Frank Sinatra, Perry Como and music of the 60's and 70's.

She is survived by her sons, Anthony (Debbie) Pernice, Benjamin (Marion) Pernice and James (Pam) Pernice all of Ocala; her sister, Vivian Bianco of Nokomis, FL; and her four grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 49 years, Benjamin Joseph Pernice.

A Funeral Mass will be said on Sunday, August 26, 2012 at 2:30 p.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. A visitation will be held on Friday from 6 until 9 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services,

910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Burial will be at Highland Memorial Park.  
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**WILDER, RICHARD F. "DICK", 69**

Homosassa - Richard F. "Dick" Wilder, 69, of Homosassa, FL, passed away on August 21, 2012 at his home.

A native of Lecanto, FL, he was born September 19, 1942 to William and Catherine (Allen) Wilder, one of six children. Mr. Wilder grew up in Citrus County as a boy and played football on the very first Junior Varsity team at Crystal River High School.

He moved to St. Petersburg as a teen and began a 54 year career in funeral service with Lee Williams Funeral Home in St. Petersburg, washing cars, serving with the ambulance crew, or wherever he was needed. Dick attended the Kentucky School of Mortuary Science, Louisville, KY and graduated in 1967.

In 1975, Dick moved to Homosassa Springs and established Wilder Funeral Home, where he worked until the day of his passing, a Citrus County career that spanned 37 years. He had resided in Sugarmill Woods for the past 20 years and was a member of the Springs Lodge F & AM, where he served for a number of years as its Secretary.

He was of the Baptist faith and was an avid Bobby Bowden and Florida Seminole fan. His many associations in Citrus County included Homosassa Springs Chamber of Commerce; Lions Club, Kiwanis Club, Shriners Club, Rotary International and Citrus County Cattleman's Association. Dick was one the founding fathers of Chassahowitzka Baptist Church, which later evolved into Faith Baptist Church.

Dick Wilder was known countywide as a man who always gave more than he received and contributed to many local organizations, especially Little League and soccer, and even coached his daughters on their softball team when they were young. Mr. Wilder sponsored many Citrus County bowling leagues over the years.

He is survived by his wife of 26 years, Lynn Wilder, Homosassa; daughter, Donna Guinn (Rodney), Ocala; daughter, Dina Baird (Walter), Ocala; daughter, Mitzi Patrick (Darrell), Crystal River; daughter Gina Ingram (Casey); brother Robert Wilder, Ocala; sister Katie Rehnke, St. Petersburg; sister-in-law, Doris Wilder, Brooksville; grandchildren, Madison, Ian, Daniel, Joshua, Ethan and Tyler and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, Dick was preceded in death by three siblings: William, Walter and Florida Ann.

A Celebration of Life service will take place at Gulf To Lake Baptist Church, Crystal River on Saturday, August 25th, 2012 at 11 a.m. with Pastors Lloyd Bertine and Laverle Coats. Interment will follow at Magnolia Cemetery, Lecanto. Friends will be received on Friday, August 24th from 6 until 8 p.m. at Wilder Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to either Hospice of Citrus County or the Shriner's Club.

[www.wilderfuneral.com](http://www.wilderfuneral.com)

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Ocala- Suzanne (Trahan) Delk, died August 19, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She

was 62.

She was the wife of the late, Danny Delk, Sr. She was born in Saratoga Springs, NY and lived most of her life in Miami, prior to moving to Ocala in 1987. She enjoyed cruising, cooking, playing the piano, classical music, but most of all she loved her grandchildren.

She is survived by her children, Monique Delk, Ocala, Danny Delk, Ocala, Michelle and Joseph Colorio, Gainesville; and her nine grandchildren, Brandon, Taryn, Blake, Justin, Cameron, McKenzie, Preston, Juliana and Joey; sister, Camille Faircloth, Palm Beach, FL; brother, John Grant, CA. She was predeceased by her grandson, Tyler.

Memorial Services will be held Friday, August 31, 2012 at 5 p.m., at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Patrick J. Sheedy.

Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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### **DEVITO, PAULINE GRACE, 79**

Charlotte, NC- Pauline Grace Devito, 79, went to be with her Savior on August 22, 2012 in Charlotte, North Carolina.

She was born on September 27, 1932 in New Brunswick, Canada. She was later married to and preceded in death by her husband, Mario Devito.

She is survived by her daughter, Barbara LaBelle; sisters, Agnes and Patricia; grandchildren, Sarah, James, Matt and Lisa; great-grandchildren, Jimi, Megan and Benjamin; as well as numerous nieces and nephews and their children.

A Memorial Service will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, August 31, 2012, in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 S.W. 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481 followed by urn committal services at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

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### **FLUSCHE, RAYMOND PAUL (RIP)**

Raymond Paul (Rip) Flusche, Lt. Col. (USAF, Retired) passed away Saturday, August 25, 2012. He was a pilot during WWII, and served during the Korean and Vietnam wars. He retired in 1971 and moved to Florida several years later. His wife of 44 years, Beatrice Flusche (Nee Schroeder) preceded him in death in 1986. Ray was also preceded in death by his three sisters and 2 brothers. He is survived by his daughter Michele (Cryder); 2 grandsons, Chad and T.J., and his son Ray Jr.; his current wife of 26 years, Marie (Macknack), who is a resident of Hampton Manor West in Ocala. He will also be missed by her sons, Robert Macknack of Crystal River and Ronald Macknack of Ocala, and their families, children and grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews.

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### **LYLES, MARIE MacPHERSON, 87**

Ocala - Marie MacPherson Lyles, 87, passed away Wednesday, August 22, 2012, at Estelle's Hospice House.

She was born in Detroit, MI, and grew up in Bowling Green, KY, where she graduated from high school and the Bowling Green Business University. Following the end of World War II, she moved to Ocala, where she met and married W. Clark Lyles in 1947. She was a member of the

First United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her son, Gary Lyles and his wife Gail; daughter, Ruth Bowen and her husband Tinker; four grandchildren; and one great granddaughter.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, W. Clark Lyles.

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Mary Wadhams Sullivan died August 21, 2012 at her home in Ocala at 94 years of age. Mary grew up in Daytona Beach and moved to Ocala in 1946, when she married Fred Landt, Jr., deceased. She retired in 1988, after a 40-year career as a legal secretary and judicial assistant. Her love and dedication to the legal profession were exceeded only by her love of family. She was past president of the Florida Legal Secretaries Association and a charter member and past president of the Marion County Legal Secretaries Association. She was pleased to have a scholarship named by the MCLSA in her honor in recognition of her faithful service.

She is survived by two children, Mary A. Forbes, and Fred E. Landt, III; five grandchildren: Patricia K. Kirby, Robin H. Welch, Andrew Hinkle, Fred E. Landt, IV, Alexander Landt; and six great grandchildren.

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Joseph was a veteran of the Korean War. He grew up in Cleveland, OH, the son of Giuseppe and Nancy DeSantis. Joseph spent over 40 years as an automobile salesman and owned two automobile dealerships. He took pride in the fact that he always left his customers satisfied. Joseph retired from the business seventeen years ago and moved to Ocala, FL to pursue his other passion, golfing.

The viewing will be held on Wednesday at 10 a.m. with a Mass following at 11 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street, Ocala, Florida, 34471. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to: Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Guestbook at: [www.VeteransFuneralCare.com](http://www.VeteransFuneralCare.com)

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**DOSSEY, J.W. (WILSON), 89**

Ocala - J.W. (Wilson) Dossey, 89, passed away on Sunday, Aug. 26, 2012.

He was born in Welcome, FL and had been a resident of Ocala for over 80 years. He was a retired owner-operator of Dossey's Meat Cutting and had served his country in the U.S. Marine Corps. He was a Southern Baptist and was instrumental in establishing the Marion County Veterans Park.

He is survived by his daughter, Deborah Ann Hanson (Kenneth) of Bradenton; his sons, James F. Dossey (Summer) and Matthew Wilson Dossey (Teresa) both of Ocala; his sisters, Annie Lou Brown and Betty Lou Sommers both of Columbus, GA and Laverne Smith of Jacksonville; and his six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife Shirley in 2008. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, August 30, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Visitation will be on Wednesday from 6 until 8 p.m. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Those who wish may make contributions to Hospice of Marion County.

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**HINDS, JAMES DENHAM, 85**

Ocala - James Denham Hinds, 85, Command Sergeant Major of the Military Police (U.S. Army retired) passed away peacefully at his residence, Thursday, August 23, 2012, after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Miami and moved to Ocala in 1980. He served 24 years in the military during World War II, The Korean Conflict and Vietnam War. He received numerous decorations for valor and was the recipient of the Purple Heart and Bronze Star. He was highly respected for being a natural leader with a soft spoken manner. Following his military retirement in 1971, Jim served with the Capital Police in Washington, D.C.

He was a life member of VFW Post #4209 having held the office of Jr. Vice Commander from 1989-1990 as well as being a former House Committee Chairman and Honor Guard member. He was a former volunteer at both Nature Coast Regional Hospital in Williston and the Veterans Administration Hospital in Gainesville.

He was a man who loved life, loved people, and never met a stranger. He was an amazing husband, father and grandfather and was adored by all who knew him. He enjoyed fishing and listening to music.

He is survived by his loving wife of 24 years, Barbara Ann; three sons, Thomas, Columbia, SC, James (Lorna) Snow Hill, MD and Marc (Deb) Kernersville, NC; daughter, Joni (Wayne) Fenwick, Romney, W VA, grandson/son, Carl Cagle-Hinds, granddaughter/daughter, Chanbrie L. Himes; two brothers, Roy (Genevieve) Ocala, Harvey Daytona Beach; three sisters, Susan Hoffmann Fullerton, CA., Genevieve Claxton Summerfield, Margie (Harry) Haytock Trenton; eight granddaughters, three grandsons, seven great-grandchildren; cousins, George Hinds of Dunedin, FL and Rudy Hinds (Nancy) of Key Largo, FL; several nieces and nephews; military comrades, Michael Frayer Wayne, MI, Max Blumenthal Baltimore, MD, Kenneth Newby, Charlotte, MD.

He was preceded in death by three sisters, Marion Buttari, Edith Dennis and Naomi Litton.

A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, September 7th, 2012 at Meadowbrook Church 4741 SW 20th St, Ocala, with Pastor Ron Howard officiating.

Military honors will be provided by VFW Post #4209.

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**ROBERTS, BELINDA JANE**

Gainesville - Belinda Jane Roberts passed away peacefully at Haven Hospice in Gainesville, Florida on August 26, 2012. She owned A Ab Actis Court Reporting Services out of the Gainesville and Ocala area.

She is survived by her husband, Mark Roberts of Orange Lake, FL.; her son David Ivy and his wife Kimberly of Jacksonville, FL; and her sister Joyce Carter of Orange Park, FL. She will also be missed by her three precious dogs Gizzy, Turbo and Ginger that she loved dearly.

Family and friends will celebrate her life Thursday, August 30th, 2012 at 12 p.m. at Haven Hospice E.T. York Care Center, 4200 NW 90th Blvd, Gainesville, FL., 32606.

Following the service the family welcomes those who wish to gather at their home to further celebrate the life of this cherished wife, mother, sister and friend.

In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made to Haven Hospice 800-727-1889.

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**STRONG, LEWIS WAYNE, 48**

Ocala - Lewis Wayne Strong passed away on August 23, 2012 at Sylvia's House.

Born January 5, 1964, in Elkhart, IN, he moved to Ocala in 2000. He served in the U.S. Army and the Indiana National Guard in Elkhart. Lewis loved to work on computers, watch TV, movies and play games until he was diagnosed with ALS and his health deteriorated.

Preceded in death by his father, George S. Strong, he is survived by his mother, Joan Strong; daughters, Sidnie and Lindsie Strong; and brother, Jesse S. Strong.

Memorial service will be 6 p.m. on Wednesday, August 29, 2012 at Wyomina Park Baptist Church with Pastor Bob King officiating.

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**VOLKHEIMER, ELEANOR, 79**

Ocala - Eleanor Volkheimer, 79, of Ocala, joined her Savior in Heaven on Saturday, August 25, 2012, from home under the care of her loving companion Marjorie Hull.

She moved to Oak Run Community from Brooklyn, NY in 1995. Eleanor was a faithful member at Queen of Peace Catholic Church where she sang in the choir. She was a member of the Oak Run Troubadours and was musically inclined throughout life.

Besides her loving companion of 52 years, Margie, she is survived by her brother Henry Volkheimer of Oak Run; niece Carol Devenski and her husband Paul of Knoxville, TN; and nephew Stephen Volkheimer and his wife Margaret of New Baltimore, NY; grandnieces Jennie Devenski Currin, Alex and Cassie Volkheimer; and grandnephew Douglas Devenski.

The family will receive their friends on Thursday, August 30th from 2:00PM to 4:00PM in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. At 3:30PM, a service will be conducted by Rev. Dale E. Travis, Jr.

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He is survived by his daughter, Deborah Ann Hanson (Kenneth) of Bradenton; his sons, James F. Dossey (Summer) and Matthew Wilson Dossey (Teresa) both of Ocala; his sisters, Annie Lou Brown and Betty Lou Sommers both of Columbus, GA and Laverne Smith of Jacksonville; and his six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife Shirley in 2008. Funeral services will be held on Thursday, August 30, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Visitation will be on Wednesday from 6 until 8 p.m. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Those who wish may make contributions to Hospice of Marion County.

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**HINDS, JAMES DENHAM, 85**

Ocala - James Denham Hinds, 85, Command Sergeant Major of the Military Police (U.S. Army retired) passed away peacefully at his residence, Thursday, August 23, 2012, after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Miami and moved to Ocala in 1980. He served 24 years in the military during World War II, The Korean Conflict and Vietnam War. He received numerous decorations for valor and was the recipient of the Purple Heart and Bronze Star. He was highly respected for being a natural leader with a soft spoken manner. Following his military retirement in 1971, Jim served with the Capital Police in Washington, D.C.

He was a life member of VFW Post #4209 having held the office of Jr. Vice Commander from 1989-1990 as well as being a former House Committee Chairman and Honor Guard member. He was a former volunteer at both Nature Coast Regional Hospital in Williston and the Veterans Administration Hospital in Gainesville.

He was a man who loved life, loved people, and never met a stranger. He was an amazing husband, father and grandfather and was adored by all who knew him. He enjoyed fishing and listening to music.

He is survived by his loving wife of 24 years, Barbara Ann; three sons, Thomas, Columbia, SC, James (Lorna) Snow Hill, MD and Marc (Deb) Kernersville, NC; daughter, Joni (Wayne) Fenwick, Romney, W VA, grandson/son, Carl Cagle-Hinds, granddaughter/daughter, Chanbrie L. Himes; two brothers, Roy (Genevieve) Ocala, Harvey Daytona Beach; three sisters, Susan Hoffmann Fullerton, CA., Genevieve Claxton Summerfield, Margie (Harry) Haytock Trenton; eight granddaughters, three grandsons, seven great-grandchildren; cousins, George Hinds of Dunedin, FL and Rudy Hinds (Nancy) of Key Largo, FL; several nieces and nephews; military comrades, Michael Frayer Wayne, MI, Max Blumenthal Baltimore, MD, Kenneth Newby, Charlotte, MD.

He was preceded in death by three sisters, Marion Buttari, Edith Dennis and Naomi Litton.

A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, September 7th, 2012 at Meadowbrook

Church 4741 SW 20th St, Ocala, with Pastor Ron Howard officiating.  
Military honors will be provided by VFW Post #4209.  
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**PECK, JOANN, 69**

Ocala - Joann Peck, 69, passed away on Sunday, August 26, 2012 at Citrus Memorial Hospital in Inverness.

She was born in St. Augustine and was a retired Patient Care Tech 2 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. In her earlier years, she drove a taxi for the Yellow Cab Co. here in Ocala. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Silver Springs.

Joann is survived by her daughters, Linda Dudek of Lecanto, Donna Baughman of Sevierville, TN and Deborah Brown of Knoxville, TN; her sons, Billy Collins of Ocala and Tommy Collins of Oneida, TN; her sisters, Juanita Trocha of Greenville, TN, Pat Stokes of Ocklawaha and Julia Eley of Luthrell, TN; her brother, Rosco Kinlaw of Michigan; her twelve grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, August 31, 2012 at 4 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. with Rev. Wayne Hunter officiating. Visitation will be on Friday from 3 until 4 p.m. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the American Heart Assn. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from August 29 to August 30, 2012

**ROBERTS, BELINDA JANE**

Gainesville - Belinda Jane Roberts passed away peacefully at Haven Hospice in Gainesville, Florida on August 26, 2012. She owned A Ab Actis Court Reporting Services out of the Gainesville and Ocala area.

She is survived by her husband, Mark Roberts of Orange Lake, FL.; her son David Ivy and his wife Kimberly of Jacksonville, FL; and her sister Joyce Carter of Orange Park, FL. She will also be missed by her three precious dogs Gizzy, Turbo and Ginger that she loved dearly.

Family and friends will celebrate her life Thursday, August 30th, 2012 at 12 p.m. at Haven Hospice E.T. York Care Center, 4200 NW 90th Blvd, Gainesville, FL., 32606.

Following the service the family welcomes those who wish to gather at their home to further celebrate the life of this cherished wife, mother, sister and friend.

In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made to Haven Hospice 800-727-1889.

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**SHEARER, VIVIAN IONE BRANT GWIN, 95**

Waycross, GA - Born July 16, 1917 at Electra, Florida and died August 24th, 2012. She was a native of Marion County.

Her grandfather homesteaded in the Ocala National Forest. She attended school in Summerfield, Florida. Along with the others in her senior class, she witnessed the end of the gun battle with the "Ma Barker Gang".

She married and raised three children living primarily in Miami and Jacksonville. In later years she traveled extensively in the United States and all over the world.

Ione was a wonderful Christian example of a caring, serving mother, grandmother, and friend. She is Heaven's gain - our loss. She is survived by one son, Henry A. Gwin; two daughters, Millicent Clements and Fonda Haddad; five grand children, and twelve great grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at the Community United Methodist Church of Debary, Florida,

located at 41 West Highbanks Road, on Sunday September 2nd, 2012 at 3 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to The Florida United Methodist Children's Home, Inc. at 51 Main Street, Enterprise, Florida 32725.

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**STRONG, LEWIS WAYNE, 48**

Ocala - Lewis Wayne Strong passed away on August 23, 2012 at Sylvia's House.

Born January 5, 1964, in Elkhart, IN, he moved to Ocala in 2000. He served in the U.S. Army and the Indiana National Guard in Elkhart. Lewis loved to work on computers, watch TV, movies and play games until he was diagnosed with ALS and his health deteriorated.

Preceded in death by his father, George S. Strong, he is survived by his mother, Joan Strong; daughters, Sidnie and Lindsie Strong; and brother, Jesse S. Strong.

Memorial service will be 6 p.m. on Wednesday, August 29, 2012 at Wyomina Park Baptist Church with Pastor Bob King officiating.

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**VOLKHEIMER, ELEANOR, 79**

Ocala - Eleanor Volkheimer, 79, of Ocala, joined her Savior in Heaven on Saturday, August 25, 2012, from home under the care of her loving companion Marjorie Hull.

She moved to Oak Run Community from Brooklyn, NY in 1995. Eleanor was a faithful member at Queen of Peace Catholic Church where she sang in the choir. She was a member of the Oak Run Troubadours and was musically inclined throughout life.

Besides her loving companion of 52 years, Margie, she is survived by her brother Henry Volkheimer of Oak Run; niece Carol Devenski and her husband Paul of Knoxville, TN; and nephew Stephen Volkheimer and his wife Margaret of New Baltimore, NY; grandnieces Jennie Devenski Currin, Alex and Cassie Volkheimer; and grandnephew Douglas Devenski.

The family will receive their friends on Thursday, August 30th from 2:00PM to 4:00PM in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. At 3:30PM, a service will be conducted by Rev. Dale E. Travis, Jr.

Funeral Mass will be on Friday, August 31st at Noon at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Hwy 200, Ocala, FL.

Memorial Contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Condolences may be expressed at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**WORKMAN, RANDALL W., 71**

Ocala - Randall W. Workman, 71, of Ocala, went to be with Our Lord on August 23, 2012 surrounded by family.

Born in Boone County, West Virginia, he was preceded in death by his parents, Ted L. and Loma Workman; brother, David and sister, Gail Perdew.

Mr. Workman loved God, his family and his country. He served unselfishly, two tours of duty, in Germany with the U.S. Army's Third Infantry Division and Seventh Calvary from the late fifties to the early sixties, protecting our freedoms.

Randall leaves behind his wife of fifty years, Brenda; daughter, Teresa Krug; sons, Gregory (Mindy) Workman, Darrin (Ilena) Workman; and eight grandchildren, Brooke, A.J., Kianna,

Ben, Bryce, Hannah, Julie and Ava and many relatives in WV, TX and CT.

A Celebration of Mr. Workman's life will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, September 1, 2012 at The Church of God (3201 NE 25th Ave., Ocala 34479, 690-7977).

A condolence message may be left at:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944).

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 30, 2012**

#### **BRELICK, LAURA MAY BLACKHURST BAKER, 86**

Ft. McCoy - Laura May Blackhurst Baker Brelick, 91, of Fort McCoy, FL, formerly from Midland, MI, went to be with her Lord and Savior at the Meadowbrook Nursing Facility in Bellaire, MI on August 26, 2012.

She was born May 7, 1921 in Midland, MI, daughter of Edward and Cora (Lantz) Blackhurst. Laura married Gareld (Jerry) Baker in 1945. They resided in Midland, MI. He preceded her in death on April 20, 1976. After Jerry's death, Laura moved to Florida, where she met and married Michael Brelick. He died on June 29, 2006.

Laura is survived by daughter, Barbara (Charlie) Guntermann of Fort McCoy, FL, daughter, Connie Kobel of Bellaire, MI, and son Dennis (Betty) Baker of Tyler, TX, sister, Ruth Berryhill of Big Rapids, MI, sisters-in-law, Christine Baker of McHenry, IL, Ethel (Baker) Grover of McMinnville, TN, and Mildred (Baker) Skinner of Zeeland, MI, and many nieces and nephews. Laura leaves her precious grandchildren, Kimberly Lane, Orlando, FL, Charles Guntermann III, Fort McCoy, FL, Curtis Guntermann, Orlando, FL, Jeff (Trisha Engler) Baker, Orlando, FL, Cathy (Ryan) Valeriano, Orlando, FL, Stephanie (Jason) Castlebury, Longview, TX, Todd (Cathy) Kobel, St. Clair Shores, MI, Kelly (Rob) Bailey, Bellaire, MI, 15 great-grandchildren that she loved very much, and six very special great-great-grandchildren. She was a very precious and caring mother and grandmother, she will be missed dearly.

Laura grew up in Midland, MI and was an active member of the United Methodist Church. She was a leader in 4-H and the PTA when her children were young. After moving to Florida, she joined the United Methodist Church of Lady Lake and Fort McCoy, FL, where she was very active and the leader of various clubs within her church. She loved to travel, working on her many craft projects and loved to read, but most of all she enjoyed spending time with her beloved family.

Services will be held noon on Saturday, September 1, 2012 at Midland Memorial Gardens in Midland, MI with viewing prior to the service.

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#### **FREEMAN, WILLIAM "WIMPY", 73**

Ocala- William "Wimpy" Freeman passed away on Tuesday, August 21, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center.

He leaves to cherish his memory three loving devoted daughters, Dedra Freeman Richardson, Latonia Dobson, Sharon Green and stepdaughter, Tamela Landers; son, Donovan Sr., (Alicia) Freeman; stepson, Reggie (Pamela) Landers, all of Ocala, FL; 15 grandchildren; six great grands; a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends...



Funeral services for William "Wimpy" Freeman Jr. will be held on Saturday, September 1, 2012, At 11 a.m. at New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Stanley Jacobs Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, August 31, 2012 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A Wake service will be held on Thursday, August 29, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. Interment is at Chestnut Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations made in his honor to New Covenant Church building fund. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Freeman residence (2010 SW 7th Street, Ocala, FL) at 10:15 p.m. on Saturday to form the funeral cortege.

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### **KIRSCH, ANNA M.**

Ocala - Anna M. Kirsch passed away peacefully on Monday, August 27, 2012, in Ocala, FL. She was born December 8, 1916 in Mahanoy City, PA. to Boniface and Angela Morkaitis Adamaitis, moving to Ocala, FL. in 1998 from Philadelphia, PA. Mrs. Kirsch was a homemaker, enjoying sewing, cooking, and most of all her family. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church.

She is survived by her children, Marcella A. (William) Glasgow, Largo, FL., Robert T. Kirsch, Ocala, FL., William R. (Dolores) Kirsch, Dunnellon, FL., and Mary G. Kirsch, daughter-in-law, Hernando, FL.; her grandchildren, Brian Kirsch, Deana Kirsch, Elizabeth Kirsch Murray, Lois Glasgow Brusven, and Eric Glasgow; great grandchildren, William Brusven, Owen Kirsch, and Eli Kirsch. Mrs. Kirsch was preceded in death by her son, Richard P. Kirsch, and husband, Joseph T. Kirsch.

Memorial contributions may be made in her memory to American Cancer Society . A Mass and burial will take place in Philadelphia, PA.

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### **KUNTZ, ELISABETH, 91**

Ocala - Mrs. Elisabeth Kuntz, 91, of Ocala, passed away Thursday, August 29, 2012, at Sylvia's Hospice House.

Born in Yugoslavia, she moved to Marion County in 2001, coming here from Boca Raton, FL. Prior to her retirement, Elisabeth was a supervisor in a knitting mill. She then pursued some of her favorite things in life which were knitting, crocheting and baking. She was well known for her special Omi cookies. She loved doing anything that involved spending time with her family.

Survivors include her daughters, Elizabeth Diener-Dickmann (Joseph) and Louise Cannatella (Ronald) both of Ocala; six grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; several nieces in California, New York, and Germany; and her sisters-in-law, Karolina Peter in New York and Rosi Rosenkrantz in Germany. She was preceded in death by her husband Friedrich in 2009.

Visitation will be held from 5 until 7 p.m. Friday, August 31, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the funeral home. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park.

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### **McCULLOUGH, ROOSEVELT "GOOLEY", 76**

Ocala - Roosevelt "Gooley" McCullough passed away on Wednesday, August 22, 2012. at Legacy House.

He leaves to cherish his memory, six daughters, Linda McCullough, Ocala, FL, Susan McCullough, Washington DC, Jaretta Tunner, Ocala, FL, Lisa McCullough, Atlanta, GA, Teresa Jones, Atlanta, GA, Teri McCullough, Atlanta, GA; two sons, John McCullough, Atlanta, GA and Calvin McCullough Atlanta, GA; 25 grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren; sisters Rose Lee Douglas, Edna Walker, Debra McCullough, all of Ocala FL; Willie, Joseph, of Sarasota, FL; Henry McCullough, Clearwater; FL; a special friend with love Verna Mae Green, Ocala, FL; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and special friends.

Funeral Services for Roosevelt "Gooley" McCullough will be held on Saturday, September 1, 2012, At 2:30 p.m. at Eighth Street Church of God, Rev. Isaiah Johnson Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, August 31, 2012 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A Wake service will be held on Friday, August 31, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. Interment will be at Chestnut Cemetery. Family and friends are asked to meet at the McCullough residence (495 Marion Oaks Golf Road, Ocala, FL) at 1 p.m. on Saturday to form the funeral cortege.

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Joann is survived by her daughters, Linda Dudek of Lecanto, Donna Baughman of Sevierville, TN and Deborah Brown of Knoxville, TN; her sons, Billy Collins of Ocala and Tommy Collins of Oneida, TN; her sisters, Juanita Trocha of Greenville, TN, Pat Stokes of Ocklawaha and Julia Eley of Luthrell, TN; her brother, Rosco Kinlaw of Michigan; her twelve grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

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In lieu of flowers, please make donations to The Florida United Methodist Children's Home, Inc. at 51 Main Street, Enterprise, Florida 32725.

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**TOWNSEND JR., JOHN L., (BUNCH)**

Ocala - Mr. John L. Townsend Jr., 62, retired auto mechanic transitioned from this Life to His Heavenly Home on Saturday August 25, 2012 at Shands at the University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida.

He was born in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. He was a graduate of Dillard High School, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. He is survived by his wife of 19 years, Mrs. Adrian Townsend, Citrus Springs, Florida; children, John L. Townsend III, Priscilla D. Townsend, Demetruis Townsend, Kaship Townsend (Paula) all of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, LaKinzi Driessen (Tavares), Kennesaw, Georgia, Jasmine Johnson, Stockbridge, Georgia, Kelvin Smith, Ida Townsend both of Dunnellon, Florida; 24 grandchildren; six great grandchildren; sisters, Lanita Nelson (Larry), Dunnellon, Florida, Mildred Williams, Lois Walker, Loretta Cox and Gwendolyn Goddard all of Haines City, Florida; three aunts, Easter McClendon, Dorothy Washington, Ethel Thomas all of Dunnellon, Florida.

Viewing for Mr. John L. Townsend Jr. will be held on Friday, August 31, 2012 at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Funeral services for Mr. John L. Townsend Jr., 62, retired auto mechanic will be held on Saturday September 1, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Beulah Missionary Baptist Church, 11732 Illinois Street Dunnellon, Florida 34431, with the Reverend Warren F. Hardaway, conducting the services. Interment will be in Dunnellon Community Cemetery, Dunnellon, Florida under the care of Summers Funeral Home Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street, Ocala, Florida. Viewing at the church on Saturday at 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy.

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**WEST, BETTY S.**

Williston - Betty S. West died August 28, 2012 after a brief illness.

She was born in Pahokee, Florida in 1932. Betty grew up in West Palm Beach, lived in Ft. Lauderdale and Boca Raton before moving to Orange Lake in 1974 and to Williston in 1983.

She leaves her daughter Karen Bothun (Tim); sons, John O'Hara (Roxann) and Alan "Rusty" Hubbard, (John Darrah); six grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

She was a Christian and a member of Fellowship Baptist Church for many years. She was a member of Williston Highlands Golf and C.C. for 30+ years. She also was a long standing member of the Williston Art League, Stitch and Stir, and Levy Co Republican Club. She enjoyed her church and church family, playing golf, oil painting, reading and especially friends and family. She was a realtor for many years as well as a co-owner in a country grocery store and other businesses. She retired from the University of Florida.

She was predeceased by her husband, Bob; two sons, Michael and Philip O'Hara; her sister, Mary Heath and brother, John Williams.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Fellowship Baptist Church or Haven Hospice, Gainesville.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, August 31, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the Fellowship Baptist Church, 10500 North U.S. Highway 27 Ocala, FL, 34482 and family will receive family and

friends to fellowship with after the service.

Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Williston.

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### **WORKMAN, RANDALL W., 71**

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Mr. Workman loved God, his family and his country. He served unselfishly, two tours of duty, in Germany with the U.S. Army's Third Infantry Division and Seventh Calvary from the late fifties to the early sixties, protecting our freedoms.

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A Celebration of Mr. Workman's life will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, September 1, 2012 at The Church of God (3201 NE 25th Ave., Ocala 34479, 690-7977).

A condolence message may be left at:. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944).

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Laura is survived by daughter, Barbara (Charlie) Guntermann of Fort McCoy, FL, daughter, Connie Kobel of Bellaire, MI, and son Dennis (Betty) Baker of Tyler, TX, sister, Ruth Berryhill of Big Rapids, MI, sisters-in-law, Christine Baker of McHenry, IL, Ethel (Baker) Grover of McMinnville, TN, and Mildred (Baker) Skinner of Zeeland, MI, and many nieces and nephews. Laura leaves her precious grandchildren, Kimberly Lane, Orlando, FL, Charles Guntermann III, Fort McCoy, FL, Curtis Guntermann, Orlando, FL, Jeff (Trisha Engler) Baker, Orlando, FL, Cathy (Ryan) Valeriano, Orlando, FL, Stephanie (Jason) Castlebury, Longview, TX, Todd (Cathy) Kobel, St. Clair Shores, MI, Kelly (Rob) Bailey, Bellaire, MI, 15 great-grandchildren that she loved very much, and six very special great-great-grandchildren. She was a very precious and caring mother and grandmother, she will be missed dearly.

Laura grew up in Midland, MI and was an active member of the United Methodist Church. She was a leader in 4-H and the PTA when her children were young. After moving to Florida, she joined the United Methodist Church of Lady Lake and Fort McCoy, FL, where she was very active and the leader of various clubs within her church. She loved to travel,

working on her many craft projects and loved to read, but most of all she enjoyed spending time with her beloved family.

Services will be held noon on Saturday, September 1, 2012 at Midland Memorial Gardens in Midland, MI with viewing prior to the service.

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**BUSCH, ROBERT E., 71**

Atco, NJ - Robert E. Busch, 71, passed away on August 27, 2012, beloved husband of the late Justine Busch (nee Kline).

Survived by daughters, Kim Busch and husband Pete Chenard of Trappe, PA and Christine Baughman and husband Harry Baughman of Williamstown; three grandchildren, Barry, Ashley, and Jason; siblings, Richard Busch of Clementon, Donald Busch of Sicklerville, and Kelly Cook of Berlin; and many loving nieces and nephews.

Bob served in the U.S. Navy and worked as a distributor for Arnold Bakery in Palmyra. He was a member of the American Legion Post #94, Laurel Lodge # 237 F&AM, and Presbyterian Church of Somerdale, where he served as a Deacon.

Funeral Services will be held today at 1 p.m. in Clementon, NJ. Interment of ashes will be private at a later date following services. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations to: The Masonic Home of NJ, 902 Jacksonville Rd., Burlington Twp., NJ 08016 and/or the Florida Cocker Spaniel Rescue, Inc. - [floridacocker.org](http://floridacocker.org). Share memories at: [www.OraLWoosterFuneralHome.com](http://www.OraLWoosterFuneralHome.com).

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**CROSS, DANIEL "DAN", 19**

Ocala - Daniel "Dan" Cross, age 19, of Ocala, FL passed away on Saturday, August 25, 2012. He was born in Ocala, FL on August 31, 1992. Dan was an outgoing, funny and loyal friend to many. He would do anything for anybody.

He is survived by his mother, Jacalyn Marsh of Ocala, FL; father, Billy Cross of Ocala, FL; sister, Veronica Stokes of Ocala, FL; paternal grandparents, Robert and Mary Frances Cross of Ocala, FL; maternal grandmother, Beryle Yount of Ford Cliff, PA; maternal grandfather, Jay Yount of Kittanning, PA; and several friends.

A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Saturday, September 1, 2012 from 6 until 8 p.m. A funeral service will be held at Church of Hope, 3233 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL on Sunday, September 2, 2012 at 2pm. Burial will take place at Greenwood Cemetery, Ocala, FL.

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Funeral services for William "Wimpy" Freeman Jr. will be held on Saturday, September 1, 2012, At 11 a.m. at New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Stanley Jacobs Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, August 31, 2012 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A Wake service will be held on Thursday, August 29, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. Interment is at Chestnut Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations made in his honor to New Covenant Church building fund. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Freeman residence (2010 SW 7th Street, Ocala, FL) at 10:15 p.m. on Saturday to form the funeral cortege.

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### **KIRSCH, ANNA M.**

Ocala - Anna M. Kirsch passed away peacefully on Monday, August 27, 2012, in Ocala, FL. She was born December 8, 1916 in Mahanoy City, PA. to Boniface and Angela Morkaitis Adamaitis, moving to Ocala, FL. in 1998 from Philadelphia, PA. Mrs. Kirsch was a homemaker, enjoying sewing, cooking, and most of all her family. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church.

She is survived by her children, Marcella A. (William) Glasgow, Largo, FL., Robert T. Kirsch, Ocala, FL., William R. (Dolores) Kirsch, Dunnellon, FL., and Mary G. Kirsch, daughter-in-law, Hernando, FL.; her grandchildren, Brian Kirsch, Deana Kirsch, Elizabeth Kirsch Murray, Lois Glasgow Brusven, and Eric Glasgow; great grandchildren, William Brusven, Owen Kirsch, and Eli Kirsch. Mrs. Kirsch was preceded in death by her son, Richard P. Kirsch, and husband, Joseph T. Kirsch.

Memorial contributions may be made in her memory to American Cancer Society . A Mass and burial will take place in Philadelphia, PA.

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### **KUNTZ, ELISABETH, 91**

Ocala - Mrs. Elisabeth Kuntz, 91, of Ocala, passed away Thursday, August 29, 2012, at Sylvia's Hospice House.

Born in Yugoslavia, she moved to Marion County in 2001, coming here from Boca Raton, FL. Prior to her retirement, Elisabeth was a supervisor in a knitting mill. She then pursued some of her favorite things in life which were knitting, crocheting and baking. She was well known for her special Omi cookies. She loved doing anything that involved spending time with her family.

Survivors include her daughters, Elizabeth Diener-Dickmann (Joseph) and Louise Cannatella (Ronald) both of Ocala; six grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; several nieces in California, New York, and Germany; and her sisters-in-law, Karolina Peter in New York and Rosi Rosenkrantz in Germany. She was preceded in death by her husband Friedrich in 2009.

Visitation will be held from 5 until 7 p.m. Friday, August 31, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the funeral home. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park.

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### **McCULLOUGH, ROOSEVELT "GOOLEY", 76**

Ocala - Roosevelt "Gooley" McCullough passed away on Wednesday, August 22, 2012. at Legacy House.

He leaves to cherish his memory, six daughters, Linda McCullough, Ocala, FL, Susan McCullough, Washington DC, Jaretta Tunner, Ocala, FL, Lisa McCullough, Atlanta, GA, Teressa Jones, Atlanta, GA, Teri McCullough, Atlanta, GA; two sons, John McCullough, Atlanta, GA and Calvin McCullough Atlanta, GA; 25 grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren; sisters Rose Lee Douglas, Edna Walker, Debra McCullough, all of Ocala FL; Willie, Joseph, of Sarasota, FL; Henry McCullough, Clearwater; FL; a special friend with love Verna Mae Green, Ocala, FL; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and special friends.

Funeral Services for Roosevelt "Gooley" McCullough will be held on Saturday, September 1, 2012, At 2:30 p.m. at Eighth Street Church of God, Rev. Isaiah Johnson Pastor, Eulogist.

Visitation will be on Friday, August 31, 2012 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A Wake service will be held on Friday, August 31, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. Interment will be at Chestnut Cemetery. Family and friends are asked to meet at the McCullough residence (495 Marion Oaks Golf Road, Ocala, FL) at 1 p.m. on Saturday to form the funeral cortege.

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### **SCHMIDTKE, OTTO (SONNY)**

Ocala - Otto (Sonny) Schmidtke passed away August 26, 2012 at Hospice of Marion County, Estelle's House.

Judy, his wife, would like to thank Hospice, his loving daughter, Tammy (Chris) Snyder, and Maryellen (Larry) Singelais for all the love and care they have given through these difficult times.

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### **SHEPPARD, GEORGE, 70**

Reddick - On August 29th, 2012, George W. Sheppard, of Reddick, FL. passed away.

He was the beloved father of Rhonda Sheppard-Lane, Robert Sheppard, Tony Sheppard and Claude Sheppard; cherished grandfather of Charlotte Lane (Sheppard), Hannah Sheppard, and Mason Sheppard.

George served in the U.S. Army in Vietnam and was retired from the Gainesville Sheriff's Dept. He was a devoted man to his family and community. He was always laughing and made those around him feel loved and respected.

A memorial service will be held at First United Methodist Church, 15250 NW 42nd Terrace, Reddick, Florida, on September 1st at 11 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to First United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 55, Reddick, FL., 32686.

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### **TOWNSEND JR., JOHN L., (BUNCH)**

Ocala - Mr. John L. Townsend Jr., 62, retired auto mechanic transitioned from this Life to His Heavenly Home on Saturday August 25, 2012 at Shands at the University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida.

He was born in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. He was a graduate of Dillard High School, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. He is survived by his wife of 19 years, Mrs. Adrian Townsend, Citrus Springs, Florida; children, John L. Townsend III, Priscilla D. Townsend, Demetrus Townsend, Kaship Townsend (Paula) all of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, LaKinzi Driessen (Tavares), Kennesaw, Georgia, Jasmine Johnson, Stockbridge, Georgia, Kelvin Smith, Ida Townsend both of Dunnellon, Florida; 24 grandchildren; six great grandchildren; sisters, Lanita Nelson (Larry), Dunnellon, Florida, Mildred Williams, Lois Walker, Loretta Cox and Gwendolyn Goddard all of Haines City, Florida; three aunts, Easter McClendon, Dorothy Washington, Ethel Thomas all of Dunnellon, Florida.

Viewing for Mr. John L. Townsend Jr. will be held on Friday, August 31, 2012 at Summers Funeral Home from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Funeral services for Mr. John L. Townsend Jr., 62, retired auto mechanic will be held on Saturday September 1, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Beulah Missionary Baptist Church, 11732 Illinois Street Dunnellon, Florida 34431, with the Reverend Warren F. Hardaway, conducting the services. Interment will be in Dunnellon Community Cemetery, Dunnellon, Florida under the care of Summers Funeral Home Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street, Ocala, Florida. Viewing at the church on Saturday at 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy.

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#### **WEST, BETTY S.**

Williston - Betty S. West died August 28, 2012 after a brief illness.

She was born in Pahokee, Florida in 1932. Betty grew up in West Palm Beach, lived in Ft. Lauderdale and Boca Raton before moving to Orange Lake in 1974 and to Williston in 1983. She leaves her daughter Karen Bothun (Tim); sons, John O'Hara (Roxann) and Alan "Rusty" Hubbart, (John Darrah); six grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

She was a Christian and a member of Fellowship Baptist Church for many years. She was a member of Williston Highlands Golf and C.C. for 30+ years. She also was a long standing member of the Williston Art League, Stitch and Stir, and Levy Co Republican Club. She enjoyed her church and church family, playing golf, oil painting, reading and especially friends and family. She was a realtor for many years as well as a co-owner in a country grocery store and other businesses. She retired from the University of Florida.

She was predeceased by her husband, Bob; two sons, Michael and Philip O'Hara; her sister, Mary Heath and brother, John Williams.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Fellowship Baptist Church or Haven Hospice, Gainesville.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, August 31, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the Fellowship Baptist Church, 10500 North U.S. Highway 27 Ocala, FL, 34482 and family will receive family and friends to fellowship with after the service.

Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Williston.

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#### **END OF AUGUST 2012 OBITUARIES**

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**BUSCH, ROBERT E., 71**

Atco, NJ - Robert E. Busch, 71, passed away on August 27, 2012, beloved husband of the late Justine Busch (nee Kline).

Survived by daughters, Kim Busch and husband Pete Chenard of Trappe, PA and Christine Baughman and husband Harry Baughman of Williamstown; three grandchildren, Barry, Ashley, and Jason; siblings, Richard Busch of Clementon, Donald Busch of Sicklerville, and Kelly Cook of Berlin; and many loving nieces and nephews.

Bob served in the U.S. Navy and worked as a distributor for Arnold Bakery in Palmyra. He was a member of the American Legion Post #94, Laurel Lodge # 237 F&AM, and Presbyterian Church of Somerdale, where he served as a Deacon.

Funeral Services will be held today at 1 p.m. in Clementon, NJ. Interment of ashes will be private at a later date following services. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations to: The Masonic Home of NJ, 902 Jacksonville Rd., Burlington Twp., NJ 08016 and/or the Florida Cocker Spaniel Rescue, Inc. - [floridacocker.org](http://floridacocker.org). Share memories at:

[www.OraLWooster](http://www.OraLWooster)

[FuneralHome.com](http://FuneralHome.com).

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**CROSS, DANIEL "DAN", 19**

Ocala - Daniel "Dan" Cross, age 19, of Ocala, FL passed away on Saturday, August 25, 2012.

He was born in Ocala, FL on August 31, 1992. Dan was an outgoing, funny and loyal friend to many. He would do anything for anybody.

He is survived by his mother, Jacalyn Marsh of Ocala, FL; father, Billy Cross of Ocala, FL; sister, Veronica Stokes of Ocala, FL; paternal grandparents, Robert and Mary Frances Cross of Ocala, FL; maternal grandmother, Beryle Yount of Ford Cliff, PA; maternal grandfather, Jay Yount of Kittanning, PA; and several friends.

A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Saturday, September 1, 2012 from 6 until 8 p.m. A funeral service will be held at Church of Hope, 3233 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL on Sunday, September 2, 2012 at 2pm. Burial will take place at Greenwood Cemetery, Ocala, FL.

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In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to First United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 55, Reddick, FL., 32686.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 2, 2012**

#### **ALFORD SR, DONALD J., 74**

Grant, AL - Donald J. Alford Sr. died August 29, 2012, at his home in Alabama, after an illness of about a year. He was under Hospice care.

He and his wife Elaine moved to Grant, AL. about six years ago from Nevada, and prior had lived in Florida. He was a retired auto mechanic and enjoyed writing. Some of his work appeared in the Ocala StarBanner and the Daily Sun in the Villages.

The family asks that in his memory, "Please do a heartfelt act for a stranger in need of a little help. It need not be financial. It can remain anonymous. It would be a kindness for him, encouraging for others and wonderful for yourself."

A private family memorial service is being planned. Spry Funeral Home of Huntsville, AL. is handling arrangements.

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#### **JENKINS, LINDA FAYE HUSS, 67**

Summerfield - Linda Fay Huss Jenkins, 67, of Summerfield, FL., died Thursday, August 23, 2012, at her home, after battling an acute illness with cancer.

She was born in Lincoln County, NC, August 1, 1945, to Clarence Huss and Lois Scronce Huss. Linda attended elementary and high school in Lincoln County. She graduated from Lenoir-Rhyne College, with a Bachelor's degree in Education. For over 20 years, she taught at Hickory City and Catawba County Schools, at Jenkins Elementary and Grandview Middle School. Her final 18 years of teaching were at Weirsdale Elementary School in Marion County, FL.

She was preceded in death by her mother and father. She is survived by her husband, Earnest Eugene Jenkins(Gene), of Summerfield, FL; her sister, Susan Eaker of Charlotte; her brother, Jack Huss of Valdese; two daughters, Michelle Hall, of Lincolnton, NC, Nicole Lewis of Hickory; stepson, Jeff Jenkins; five grandchildren and three nephews and one niece; and best friends, Martha and Bill Reese.

She had a talent and love for flower gardening and teaching, and was the best mother in the world.

Many thanks to all of the wonderful staff of the ICU of Munroe Regional Hospital.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time. A service of remembrance will be held in North Carolina and Florida at a later date.

Memorials may be made to Odyssey Hospice, a Gentiva Company, at 1320 SE 25th Loop, Suite 101, Ocala, Florida, 34471.

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#### **JENNINGS, CATHY**

Cathy Jennings, age 50, of Morriston passed away on Thursday, August 30, 2012. She was born in Middletown, OH on December 26, 1961 and was married to Gilbert Jennings for 35 years.

She is survived by their sons Jereme (Leslie Seale) Jennings of Morriston, FL and Josh (Kayla) Jennings of Morriston, FL. Cathy is the daughter of John Perry and sister of John (Mary) West of Morriston, FL. She graduated from Vanguard High School and worked her own metal fabrication shop for 20 years. She was a member of the MeadowBrook Church.

Visitation will be held Tuesday 6:00pm-8:00pm at the Fellowship Baptist Church where the service will be held Wednesday 10:00am at the church with burial following at West Marion Baptist Church Cemetery.

Family suggests contributions may be made to the Breast Cancer Awareness.

Arrangements are by Roberts Funeral Home 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave Dunnellon, FL 34432.

Condolences may be left at [RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://RobertsofDunnellon.com)

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### **JUNGWIRTH, MARY "PAT", PATRICIA, 81**

Dunnellon - Mary "Pat" Patricia Jungwirth, 81, passed on August 27, 2012.

Pat was born in Harrisburg, PA on December 1, 1930, and was preceded in death by her husband, Brient Jungwirth and son, John Jungwirth. She is survived by her sons, Michael Jungwirth of DeLeon Springs, FL; Kurt Jungwirth of Golden, CO; and daughter, Jemele Jungwirth of Orlando, FL.

Pat was a loving grandmother to eleven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was also an avid bowler and loved spending time outside gardening. Online condolences may be left at: [www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com).

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### **KEARBAY, BYRON R., 88**

Dunnellon - Byron R. Kearbay, age 88, of Dunnellon, FL, died August 28, 2012 at the hospice Estelle's House.

He was born in Poplar Bluff, MO and was a U.S. Army WWII Vet, then later a merchant marine who retired as a U.S. engineering officer.

Before he passed, Byron wrote, "My life to this point has been full of the stuff of life. Love and happiness, sorrow and regret, joy and contentment, success and failure, adventure and war, fear and hope, living on the edge and in luxury, and of all things, I think having someone to love was the most important. I look back on my life and find I did OK and had a great time living it. It has been one hell of a ride for me and I wouldn't change anything."

He was predeceased by his loving wife Darlene and two sons, Byron and Kevin, and is survived by his son Garrett Kearbey of Fairhope, AL; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, September 5, 2012, at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Dunnellon Little League, 12214 S. Bridges Rd., Dunnellon, FL 34432.

Arrangements are by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, and Condolences may be left at: [RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://RobertsofDunnellon.com).

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### **NEAL, BUENA M., 91**

Ft. McCoy - Buena M. Neal, 91, of Ft. McCoy, died August 21, 2012 at Estelle's House, Ocala. During her lengthy illness, she was supported by her loving family and caregivers and then additionally by Hospice Palliative Care.

Buena was born November 27, 1920 in Pine Level, FL and grew up and was educated in Ft. Myers, FL. After her marriage to Clyde W. Neal, they moved to Miami and then to Salt Springs in 1962. Buena and Clyde owned Neal's Corner in Salt Springs and served that area for many years.

She was preceded in death by her husband Clyde in 1978. She was also preceded in death by son, Daniel Neal; sisters, LaVerna Thomas and Ara Shafer; and grandson, Richard Davis, Jr. She is survived by her daughters, Connie Davis (Dick) of St. Augustine, Marcella "Marcie" Goolsby (Gene) of Sparr; son, C.W. Neal Jr. (Tine) of Bradenton; and sister, Lena Lamb of Leonardtown, MD. Also surviving her are grandchildren, Barbara Morgan, Debra Roberts, Roger Davis, Buddy Moorman, Bonnie Moorman, Todd Goolsby, Rennie Bailey, Renee Hyatt, Sonya Neal and Clyde W. Neal III. In addition, Ms. Neal is survived by a host of nephews, nieces as well as great and great-great grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Hospice of Marion County in her memory. A memorial gathering of friends and family will be held at Pine United Methodist Church on CR 316 and Pine Church Rd. on Saturday, September 8th, at 11 a.m.

Enjoy your family and friends today!

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### **NETTESHEIM, ENA MARGARET (nee RICHARDS), 91**

St. Louis, MO - Ena Nettessheim passed away peacefully Monday August 27, 2012, at age 91.

Beloved wife of Joseph Nettessheim, loving mother of Richard (Jane), Sandra (Wilbert) Schenk, Marcia (Thomas) Friedman, Gregg (Margaret Steele). Grandmother to eleven and great grandmother to eleven.

Ena was a graduate of the University of Wisconsin with a degree in Journalism, but elected to become homemaker for husband Joe and the years necessary for all her children to be safely in school. Ena then returned to school to acquire a teaching certificate. Her first job was teaching special education in the Milwaukee area. She later became a second grade teacher. After seventeen years she retired and volunteered to help Vietnamese refugees to learn the English

language.

After a couple of years, Joe retired and they moved to Florida and established a home in Marion Oaks. Soon after, Ena volunteered to take over the community newsletter and kept busy with that and assisting with an ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) program. When a new elementary school was built Ena volunteered as a teacher's aide and after school hours assisted students at the Community Center who needed extra help. In addition, she wrote a monthly community news column for the Ocala StarBanner newspaper.

Memorials may be made to Alternative Hospice or to a charity of choice . A memorial service is planned for later in September.

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### **PETTIT, THEADORA THERESA**

Theadora Theresa Pettit, 88, of The Villages, Florida, died Friday, August 31, 2012. She was born May 20, 1924 in New Haven, Connecticut.

She was a homemaker. She was a member of American Legion. Moved from Derby, CT in 1996 to Spruce Creek, and then moved to The Villages in 2008. She was a member of St Marks Catholic Church, Summerfield, FL.

She is survived by: Husband of 66 yrs. Paul B. Pettit of The Villages, FL, Sons: Thomas Fenton (Linda) Pettit of Summerfield, FL, Paul Theodore Pettit of Tulsa, OK, Daughter: Amanda Sue (Norman) Hale of Monroe, CT, Sister: Alexandria Alice (Andrew) Dynia of New Haven, CT, 6 Grandchildren, 7 Great Grandchildren

Funeral Services for Mrs. Pettit will be held on Tuesday September 4, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Beyers Funeral Home Chapel, Lady Lake, FL. Family and friends may call at the Funeral Home on Monday September 3, 2012 from 5:00 TO 7:00 PM, and Tuesday 1:00 to 2:00 PM. Prior to the service. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL

Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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### **VOTINO SR., WILLIAM, 96**

Anthony - Mr. William Votino, Sr., 96, of Anthony, died Sunday, August 26, 2012, at his residence, surrounded by his family.

A native of Schenectady, New York, he moved to Marion County in 1979, coming here from Miami. A long distance trucker by profession, Mr. Votino was known for being able to do anything with his hands. In his younger years, he was a bantam weight prize fighter, having once boxed in Madison Square Garden in New York. He then joined the U.S. Army, where he served during World War II. He was an active member of Christ the King Catholic Church in Citra.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 56 years, Mafalda "Dutch" Votino. Mr. Votino is survived by his son, William Votino, Jr.; daughters, Marie Votino, Annette Beach (Jack), and Susan Price; sister Clementine McMahan; brother Nicola Votino; grandchildren James (Wendy), Dominic, William (Mandy); great grandchildren Matthew and Michael; many nieces and nephews; and his constant canine companion, Calvin.

Visitation for Mr. Votino will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, from 11 a.m. until 8 p.m. on Tuesday, September 4, 2012. The Rosary will be said at 4:30. A Funeral Mass will be held at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, September 5, 2012, at Christ the King Catholic Church, 14045 N US Highway 301, Citra. Interment will follow in Good

Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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**WHITING, DOROTHY J.**

Dorothy J. Whiting, 84, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Wednesday, August 22, 2012 in Ocala. She was born in Mishawaka, Indiana on January 11, 1928 and was the daughter of the late Lawrence and Hattie (Gay) Gardner. She moved to Ocala in 1989 from Cincinnati, OH. Earlier in life she managed a Bridal Shop in Ann Arbor, MI. She was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. She was also preceded in death by her brother Bernard.

Dorothy is survived by her loving husband of 63 years, Earl Whiting of Ocala; daughter Karen King (Roland) of Ocala; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Harold and Betty Whiting of South Bend, IN.

A Memorial Service will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Wednesday, September 5, 2012 at 11:00AM. Family will receive their friends from 10:00AM to service time. Private urn committal will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell.

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Gilbert Jennings, age 53, of Morriston passed away on Thursday, August 30, 2012. He was born in Ocala, FL on June 9, 1959 and was married to Cathy Jennings for 35 years.

He is survived by their sons Jereme (Leslie Seale) Jennings of Morriston, FL and Josh (Kayla) Jennings of Morriston, FL. Gilbert is the son of Bill and Leona Jennings and brother of James (Glenda) Jennings and Willie Jennings. He graduated from Vanguard High School and worked his own metal fabrication shop for 20 years. He enjoyed flying, antique cars and his family and was a member of the MeadowBrook Church.

Visitation will be held Tuesday 6:00pm-8:00pm at the Fellowship Baptist Church where the service will be held Wednesday 10:00am at the church with burial following at West Marion Baptist Church Cemetery.

Family suggests contributions may be made to the Breast Cancer Awareness.

Arrangements are by Roberts Funeral Home 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave Dunnellon, FL 34432.

Condolences may be left at [RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://RobertsofDunnellon.com)

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### **JUNGWIRTH, MARY "PAT", PATRICIA, 81**

Dunnellon - Mary "Pat" Patricia Jungwirth, 81, passed on August 27, 2012.

Pat was born in Harrisburg, PA on December 1, 1930, and was preceded in death by her husband, Brient Jungwirth and son, John Jungwirth. She is survived by her sons, Michael Jungwirth of DeLeon Springs, FL; Kurt Jungwirth of Golden, CO; and daughter, Jemele

Jungwirth of Orlando, FL.

Pat was a loving grandmother to eleven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was also an avid bowler and loved spending time outside gardening. Online condolences may be left at: [www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com).

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**KEARBAY, BYRON R., 88**

Dunnellon - Byron R. Kearbay, age 88, of Dunnellon, FL, died August 28, 2012 at the hospice Estelle's House.

He was born in Poplar Bluff, MO and was a U.S. Army WWII Vet, then later a merchant marine who retired as a U.S. engineering officer.

Before he passed, Byron wrote, "My life to this point has been full of the stuff of life. Love and happiness, sorrow and regret, joy and contentment, success and failure, adventure and war, fear and hope, living on the edge and in luxury, and of all things, I think having someone to love was the most important. I look back on my life and find I did OK and had a great time living it. It has been one hell of a ride for me and I wouldn't change anything."

He was predeceased by his loving wife Darlene and two sons, Byron and Kevin, and is survived by his son Garrett Kearbay of Fairhope, AL; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held 2:30 p.m., Wednesday, September 5, 2012, at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Dunnellon Little League, 12214 S. Bridges Rd., Dunnellon, FL 34432.

Arrangements are by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon, and Condolences may be left at: [RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://RobertsofDunnellon.com).

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**NEAL, BUENA M., 91**

Ft. McCoy - Buena M. Neal, 91, of Ft. McCoy, died August 21, 2012 at Estelle's House, Ocala. During her lengthy illness, she was supported by her loving family and caregivers and then additionally by Hospice Palliative Care.

Buena was born November 27, 1920 in Pine Level, FL and grew up and was educated in Ft. Myers, FL. After her marriage to Clyde W. Neal, they moved to Miami and then to Salt Springs in 1962. Buena and Clyde owned Neal's Corner in Salt Springs and served that area for many years.

She was preceded in death by her husband Clyde in 1978. She was also preceded in death by son, Daniel Neal; sisters, LaVerna Thomas and Ara Shafer; and grandson, Richard Davis, Jr. She is survived by her daughters, Connie Davis (Dick) of St. Augustine, Marcella "Marcie" Goolsby (Gene) of Sparr; son, C.W. Neal Jr. (Tine) of Bradenton; and sister, Lena Lamb of Leonardtown, MD. Also surviving her are grandchildren, Barbara Morgan, Debra Roberts, Roger Davis, Buddy Moorman, Bonnie Moorman, Todd Goolsby, Rennie Bailey, Renee Hyatt, Sonya Neal and Clyde W. Neal III. In addition, Ms. Neal is survived by a host of nephews, nieces as well as great and great-great grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Hospice of Marion County in her memory. A memorial gathering of friends and family will be held at Pine United Methodist Church on CR 316 and Pine Church Rd. on Saturday, September 8th, at 11 a.m.

Enjoy your family and friends today!

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**NETTESHEIM, ENA MARGARET (nee RICHARDS), 91**

St. Louis, MO - Ena Nettlesheim passed away peacefully Monday August 27, 2012, at age 91.

Beloved wife of Joseph Nettlesheim, loving mother of Richard (Jane), Sandra (Wilbert) Schenk, Marcia (Thomas) Friedman, Gregg (Margaret Steele). Grandmother to eleven and great grandmother to eleven.

Ena was a graduate of the University of Wisconsin with a degree in Journalism, but elected to become homemaker for husband Joe and the years necessary for all her children to be safely in school. Ena then returned to school to acquire a teaching certificate. Her first job was teaching special education in the Milwaukee area. She later became a second grade teacher. After seventeen years she retired and volunteered to help Vietnamese refugees to learn the English language.

After a couple of years, Joe retired and they moved to Florida and established a home in Marion Oaks. Soon after, Ena volunteered to take over the community newsletter and kept busy with that and assisting with an ESOL (English for Speakers of Other Languages) program. When a new elementary school was built Ena volunteered as a teacher's aide and after school hours assisted students at the Community Center who needed extra help. In addition, she wrote a monthly community news column for the Ocala StarBanner newspaper.

Memorials may be made to Alternative Hospice or to a charity of choice . A memorial service is planned for later in September.

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**PETTIT, THEADORA THERESA**

Theadora Theresa Pettit, 88, of The Villages, Florida, died Friday, August 31, 2012. She was born May 20, 1924 in New Haven, Connecticut.

She was a homemaker. She was a member of American Legion. Moved from Derby, CT in 1996 to Spruce Creek, and then moved to The Villages in 2008. She was a member of St Marks Catholic Church, Summerfield, FL.

She is survived by: Husband of 66 yrs. Paul B. Pettit of The Villages, FL, Sons: Thomas Fenton (Linda) Pettit of Summerfield, FL, Paul Theodore Pettit of Tulsa, OK, Daughter: Amanda Sue (Norman) Hale of Monroe, CT, Sister: Alexandria Alice (Andrew) Dynia of New Haven, CT, 6 Grandchildren, 7 Great Grandchildren

Funeral Services for Mrs. Pettit will be held on Tuesday September 4, 2012 at 2:00 PM at Beyers Funeral Home Chapel, Lady Lake, FL. Family and friends may call at the Funeral Home on Monday September 3, 2012 from 5:00 TO 7:00 PM, and Tuesday 1:00 to 2:00 PM. Prior to the service. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL

Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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**VOTINO SR., WILLIAM, 96**

Anthony - Mr. William Votino, Sr., 96, of Anthony, died Sunday, August 26, 2012, at his residence, surrounded by his family.

A native of Schenectady, New York, he moved to Marion County in 1979, coming here from Miami. A long distance trucker by profession, Mr. Votino was known for being able to do anything with his hands. In his younger years, he was a bantam weight prize fighter, having once

boxed in Madison Square Garden in New York. He then joined the U.S. Army, where he served during World War II. He was an active member of Christ the King Catholic Church in Citra.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 56 years, Mafalda "Dutch" Votino. Mr. Votino is survived by his son, William Votino, Jr.; daughters, Marie Votino, Annette Beach (Jack), and Susan Price; sister Clementine McMahon; brother Nicola Votino; grandchildren James (Wendy), Dominic, William (Mandy); great grandchildren Matthew and Michael; many nieces and nephews; and his constant canine companion, Calvin.

Visitation for Mr. Votino will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, from 11 a.m. until 8 p.m. on Tuesday, September 4, 2012. The Rosary will be said at 4:30. A Funeral Mass will be held at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, September 5, 2012, at Christ the King Catholic Church, 14045 N US Highway 301, Citra. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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### **WHITING, DOROTHY J.**

Dorothy J. Whiting, 84, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Wednesday, August 22, 2012 in Ocala. She was born in Mishawaka, Indiana on January 11, 1928 and was the daughter of the late Lawrence and Hattie (Gay) Gardner. She moved to Ocala in 1989 from Cincinnati, OH. Earlier in life she managed a Bridal Shop in Ann Arbor, MI. She was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. She was also preceded in death by her brother Bernard.

Dorothy is survived by her loving husband of 63 years, Earl Whiting of Ocala; daughter Karen King (Roland) of Ocala; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Harold and Betty Whiting of South Bend, IN.

A Memorial Service will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Wednesday, September 5, 2012 at 11:00AM. Family will receive their friends from 10:00AM to service time. Private urn committal will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 5, 2012**

#### **BERFIELD, GERALD F. "JERRY", 80**

Ocala - Gerald F. "Jerry" Berfield, 80, of Ocala, FL, joined his wife Lois in eternity from his residence on Saturday, September 1, 2012.

He was born in Sinnamahoning, PA on February 6, 1932 to the late Lester and Violet (Haynes) Berfield. He was a 1950 graduate of Williamsport High School, PA and served with the U.S. Navy during the Korean Conflict from 1951 to 1953. He was employed with Westvaco (formerly C.A. Reed) of Williamsport, PA as a Supervisor for many years before retiring in 1993. He and his wife moved to Ocala in 1995 from Williamsport. Jerry loved to joke and laugh and loved his family.

He was also preceded in death by his beloved of 53 years, Lois E. (Mitcheltree) Berfield in 2009;

brother, Earl Berfield; and sister, Lorraine Knecht. Jerry is survived by his children, Gwenda L. Watkins and husband Daniel of Ocala, FL and Keith A Berfield of Port St. Lucie, FL; grandchildren Brandi, David, William, Timothy, Amanda and Travis; siblings, Ardis Ireland of Williamsport, PA, Lila Coleman of Mt. Dora, FL, Wayne Berfield of New Smyrna Beach, FL, and Carol Grove of Orlando, FL; numerous nieces and nephews.

Cremation arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, 34482. A celebration of his life will be held at a later date with interment at Twin Hills Cemetery, Muncy, PA. Contributions may be made to a charity of one's choice . Condolences may be expressed at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **CATES, GERTRUDE BOWLER, 96**

Waynesboro, MS - Born in Shubuta, Mississippi January 20, 1916, died September 2, 2012 in Waynesboro, Mississippi.

Mrs. Cates was a resident of Anthony, FL for many years and she was a member of Anthony Baptist Church. She was a homemaker and volunteered at Munroe Regional Hospital for 39 years.

She is survived by her brother, L.D. Gatlin; two step-daughters, Marilyn (Branard) Grant, and Virginia (Dick) Bishop; 4 step-grandchildren, eight step great-grandchildren, four step great-great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. Mrs. Cates was preceded in death by her husbands, Sam Bowler and Clarence Cates.

Funeral services for Mrs. Cates will be held at Anthony Baptist Church on Friday, September 7, 2012 at 10 a.m. with Rev. Gwenn McCormick officiating. Visitation will be at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, on Thursday, September 6, 2012 from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made in her memory to Anthony Baptist Church, P.O. Box 267, Anthony, FL, 32617.

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### **LYLES, MARIE MacPHERSON, 87**

Ocala - Marie MacPherson Lyles, 87, passed away Wednesday, August 22, 2012, at Estelle's Hospice House.

She was born in Detroit, MI, and grew up in Bowling Green, KY, where she graduated from high school and the Bowling Green Business University. Following the end of World War II, she moved to Ocala, where she met and married W. Clark Lyles in 1947. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her son Gary Lyles and his wife Gail, daughter Ruth Bowen and her husband Tinker, four grandchildren, and one great-granddaughter. She was preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, W. Clark Lyles. Memorial Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, September 6, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Dr. John Few officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Florida Diabetes Camp, PO Box 14136, Gainesville, FL 32604.

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### **MACKNACK - FLUSCHE, MARIE P., 88**

Winter Haven, FL - Marie P. Macknack - Flusche, 88, of Winter Haven, passed away September

1, 2012 at Hampton Manor West under the care of Hospice.

She was born in Bartow, Florida on August 3, 1924 and was a Baptist by faith. She was preceded in death by her first husband, John S. Macknack and her second husband, Lt. Col. Raymond P. Flusche, Sr. USAF, retired.

She is survived by her two sons, Robert Macknack (Mary) of Crystal River, FL and Ronald Macknack of Ocala and sister, Dorothy Jernigan of Ocala. She was "E" to three granddaughters, Luanne Macknack Batts (Bill) of Melbourne, Leslie Macknack Garrison (Dale) of Inverness and Jennifer Macknack Sands (Roy) of Ocala. She was "Mama E" to six great grandchildren, Tayloe and Jordan Batts, Judy Hawley, Alivia Garrison and Kyle and Kevin Mobley.

Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, downtown chapel on Friday (Sept. 7th) from 1 until 2 p.m. Funeral services will follow at the funeral home at 2 p.m. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. A condolence message can be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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### **MANGANO, ANGELINA, 96**

Ocala - Angelina Mangano, 96, passed away September 3, 2012.

She was born on August 4, 1916 in Jersey City, NJ to Leonard and Catherine Monesteri. On July 26, 1942, she married Carmelo Mangano in Garfield NJ. She was a homemaker and co-owner and operator of Mangano Farm Market. Carmelo preceded her in death on October 23, 2004.

Surviving are her children, Marie Sneddon, Ocala, Kathryn Macleod, Toms River, NJ, and Carl (Sharon) Mangano, Ocala; 13 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

Visitation will take place from 5 until 7 p.m. on Friday, September 7, 2012 at Hiers- Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala 34470. The Funeral Mass will take place at 10 a.m. on Saturday, September 8, 2012 at Our Lady Of The Springs Catholic Church, 4047 NE 21st Street, Ocala 34470, with entombment to follow at Highland Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association Central and North Florida, 378 Center Pointe Circle, Suite 1280, Altamonte Springs, FL 32701.

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### **PHILLIPS, JR., LARMOUR A. (LARRY)**

Ocala - Mr. Larmour A. Phillips, Jr. (Larry), passed away on August 31, 2012 to be with the Lord. Larry had been battling a disease for the last 15 years.

Larry leaves behind his wife of 33 years, Retta Sue; as well as his mother Stella, his sister April, and his mother-in-law Barbara Cameron. He also leaves behind a lot of friends who loved him dearly.

A celebration of life will be held at Trinity Baptist Church, 1600 SE 58th Ave, Ocala, FL on Friday, September 7, 2012 at 9 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Mission Funds at Trinity Baptist Church.

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### **SHEALY, DELIA G., 94**

Ocala - Delia G. Shealy, 94, of Ocala passed away on August 30, 2012.

She was predeceased by her husband of 67 years, Jeffrey Lee Shealy, Sr. Delia is survived by her

son, Jeffrey Lee Shealy, Jr., and his wife Julie, of Ocala, FL; granddaughters, Stephanie Harrell and her husband Greg, and Samantha Rauba and her husband Erik, both of Ocala, FL; and two great-grandchildren, Jefferson Walker Harrell and Shealy Grace Harrell of Ocala, FL.

Funeral services were held on September 4, 2012, at Highland Memorial Park. The service was officiated by Father Jonathan French of Grace Episcopal Church. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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### **THOMAS, JERAMY "SUPERMAN" PATRICK 1992-2012**

Jeremy won his courageous battle over Lymphoma on Saturday, September 1 at 7:00PM when he went to be with his Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ. After enduring through two bone marrow transplants, many months spent in hospitals, numerous trips to doctors and clinics, all while sharing the Gospel with anyone and everyone he came in contact with; he is now living his perfect eternal life as his reward.

His courageous charisma, through this vast and hard journey, was nothing short of amazing and truly inspired everyone who had the pleasure of meeting him. He never complained, not even through the most difficult of times, but instead took it head on as his given mission. Being apologetic as well as even sympathetic at times, even worrying more about those around him, than himself and his fight, was what he will be remembered for most.

Jeremy was a 2010 graduate of Elton High School and attended McNeese University, while his real goal was to follow in his father's footsteps and attend Southwestern Baptist Theological College and eventually enter the ministry to work with youth. Little does he know, he was already in the ministry and through this journey, he disciplined and ministered to thousands of people during his time here on earth, through face to face conversations, speaking engagements, substituting at local schools, posts on social media and word of mouth from people who had the pleasure of meeting him.

This living testimony for Christ will be missed! You can follow Jeremy's story on [CaringBridge.org](http://CaringBridge.org) search Jeramythomas.

Jeremy is survived by his parents, Rev. Pat Thomas and wife Amy, who lead First Baptist Church in Elton, LA; brothers, Nathan Thomas and his wife Bethany and their daughters, Emma and Ava, all of Burleson, TX and Joshua Thomas and his wife Molly and their daughters, Amelia and Piper-Ann, all of Bluffton, SC; paternal grandparents, Billy and Joy Thomas of Gainesville, FL; maternal grandparents, Gary and Wendy Warren, also of Gainesville, FL; great grandmother, Fran Warren of Bluffton, SC; two uncles, Scott Thomas and his 3 children of Jacksonville, FL and Mitchell Warren and his wife Jennifer and their two children, and three sets of great aunts, uncles and numerous cousins and second cousins. Preceded in death by Joshua "Bert" Bertrand, his best friend.

Celebration services will be held Thursday, September 6, 2012, 1:00 p.m. at Westside Baptist Church, 10000 West Newberry Road, Gainesville with Rev. Don Downs of Westend Baptist Church in Valley, AL officiating. The family will receive friends prior to the service beginning at 11:00 a.m. at Westside Baptist Church. Interment will follow in Jonesville Cemetery. Arrangements are under the care of WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN, 404 North Main Street.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to First Baptist Church of Elton, 915 2nd Street Elton, LA 70532 for the purchase of Gideon Bibles in Jeremy's name or to Ronald McDonald House of Dallas, 4707 Bengal St. Dallas, TX 75235. Both of which are very close to Jeremy's heart.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN  
(352) 376-7556

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**TURNIPSEED, EARLE MUNROE, JR., 69**

Ocala - Earle Munroe Turnipseed, Jr., passed away on August 30, 2012. Born in Ocala he graduated from Ocala High School and lived here all his life.

He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Jane Turnipseed; sons, Earle M. (Janet) Turnipseed and Jesse Albert (Rebecca) Turnipseed, both of Ocala; brother, Harry Turnipseed, Ocala; sisters, Libby Putz, NE; Judy Webb, Ocala; and four grandchildren, Paige, Lauren, Natalia and Kara Lynn.

Memorial service will be at 4 p.m., Thursday, September 6, 2012 at Oakcrest Baptist Church, 1109 Northeast 28th Street, with Rev. Richard Phillips officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.

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**WEBB, WILLIAM PERCY, 99**

Ocala - William Percy Webb, known to over 150 nieces and nephews, their spouses, and their offspring as "Uncle Willie", died on September 1, 2012, just three days shy of his 100th birthday. Uncle Willie was born in Lakeland, FL., on September 4, 1912. He is survived by his sister, Elizabeth (Betty) Doyle Brogdon; brother, Wallace Webb (Alma); sister-in-law Muriel Webb; loving nieces and nephews, and their descendants.

He was predeceased by his brother Herbert M. Webb, Jr., M.D. and his sister Daisy Webb Kennedy.

Uncle Willie retired as a computer programmer from Southern Railway in 1977. During his career, he worked in both Washington, D.C. and Atlanta, and he moved to Ocala upon his retirement.

An avid collector of rooster curios, he was also keenly interested in family genealogy, but his primary passion was his family, and he delighted in staying in touch with them through visits, letters, and emails.

He was greatly loved and will be sorely missed.

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**WONN, THOMAS, W., 63**

Ocala - Thomas W. Wonn, 63, of Ocala, passed away August 29, 2012 at his home.

He was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and was a retired clerk for the U.S. Postal Service. Mr. Wonn was a member of Family Life Ministries of Belleview, Gold Prospectors of America, Rural Letter Carriers Association and he had also formerly served as a deacon for the Belleview First Assembly of God. Mr. Wonn had a fondness for Chinese Pugs and enjoyed gold prospecting, antiquing, hiking, camping, fishing and the outdoors in general.

He is survived by his loving wife of 42 years, June Wonn; daughter, Addie Jo Turner, her husband Clyde Travis Turner III and their son, Charles Travis Turner all of Atlanta, GA.

A celebration of his life will be held at Family Life Ministries (12404 SE 112th Ave. Rd., Belleview, FL 34420, 288-9335) on Saturday, September 8th, 2012 at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the children's programs at Family

Life Ministries. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 S.E. Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944.

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Cremation arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, 34482. A celebration of his life will be held at a later date with interment at Twin Hills Cemetery, Muncy, PA. Contributions may be made to a charity of one's choice . Condolences may be expressed at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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Funeral services for Mrs. Cates will be held at Anthony Baptist Church on Friday, September 7, 2012 at 10 a.m. with Rev. Gwenn McCormick officiating. Visitation will be at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, on Thursday, September 6, 2012 from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made in her memory to Anthony Baptist Church, P.O. Box 267, Anthony, FL, 32617.

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#### **DYESS, JAYDEN MARIE, 2**

Ocala - Jayden Marie Dyess age 2, who was born and raised in Ocala, FL passed away on September 2, 2012. She was born on July 19, 2010 to Curtis Dyess III and Kristen Shepherd.

She enjoyed playing outside, picking flowers, dancing, singing, eating chocolate with her PawPaw, anything to do with paper, pillow fights, watching T.V., going to the park to feed the ducks and playing with the dogs Marley, BellBell and Moose "MooMoo".

She was always a very happy child who was very smart and mature for her age. Jayden was a character who would always put a smile to anyone's face whom she met. She will be loved, cherished and missed by her family and all that knew her.

She is survived by her parents, Curtis III and Kristen Dyess; great-great grandparents Linda and Sonny Insprucker; Mary Jones; great grandparents Douglas Jr. and Edna Shepherd, Curtis Sr. and Elizabeth Dyess; grandparents Curtis Jr. and Teresa Dyess, Douglas III and Teresa Shepherd; Uncles Lee, Bobby Carl, Andrew, Doug; Aunt Shantell; godfather Justin; along with numerous more aunts and uncles and many special friends and Marley and Bella, the dogs who Jayden considered her sisters.

Visitation will be held on Friday, September 7, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Knauff Funeral Home-Williston. Funeral service is to follow at 3 p.m. with Reverend Jerry Philman officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family has started a memorial fund please call Teresa Dyess (352)208-7541 or Teresa Shepherd (352)422-7873 for more information.

Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Chiefland.

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### **HERMAN, HELEN, 82**

Reddick - Helen Herman, age 82, of Reddick, FL passed away on Sunday, September 2, 2012.

She was born in New York City, NY on February 27, 1930. She lived in New York City until the age of 12 when her family moved to Miami Beach, FL. At the age of 40 she became an LPN and later in life a licensed real estate broker. Her hobbies included horse riding, cooking and caregiver. Helen loved all animals especially dogs.

She is survived by her companion, Libbie Gerry; three nephews; Louis Kessler and family; Charles Kessler and family; Phillip Kessler and family; and a host of friends.

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### **LANE, MARTHA, 86**

Ocala - Mrs. Martha H. Lane, 86, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, August 28, 2012, at Ocala Regional Medical Center.

A native of Mt. Dora, FL, she moved to Marion County in 1998, coming here from Miami. Prior to her retirement, she worked as a bookkeeper in the insurance industry. Mrs. Lane was an active member of First Baptist Church of Ocala, where she spent many hours volunteering and working with various ministries.

Survivors include her husband of 25 years, David F. Lane; her son, Steve Harbour and wife Lynn, Columbus, GA; sisters Sarah Nash, Summerfield, Betty Haines, Georgia, and Daisy Anderson, Lakeland; grandsons Joshua Harbour and wife Diana, and Christopher Harbour; great-grandson Robert Harbour; and her stepson David Lane and wife Chris, and stepdaughter Deborah Lane.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, September 8, 2012, at First Baptist Church, 2801 S.E. Maricamp Road, Ocala. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.



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**LEMIRE, BARBARA ANN, 59**

Ocala - Barbara Ann Lemire, 59, went to be with the Lord on Friday, August 31, 2012.

Lord, we come to you in love and prayer on the death of Barbara Lemire. Together we loved her unconditionally. Barbara's life trekked the highs and lows and together we struggled and walked through this life. We thank you for taking Barbara gently and fast, and now we can rest without worry at last. Barbara loved her family very much and had a kind heart with an infectious laugh. She is survived by her mother, Maude B. Purdy; her brother, Ronald Purdy; her daughter, DeeDee L. Myers; her granddaughter, Jessica L. Myers; her nephew, Ronald N. Purdy and his wife Alia; her great-nephew, Schuyler Purdy and great-niece, Anastacia Purdy.

In lieu of any flowers or service, you may honor her and our family with a donation to a charity of your choice in her name.

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**LYLES, MARIE MacPHERSON, 87**

Ocala - Marie MacPherson Lyles, 87, passed away Wednesday, August 22, 2012, at Estelle's Hospice House.

She was born in Detroit, MI, and grew up in Bowling Green, KY, where she graduated from high school and the Bowling Green Business University. Following the end of World War II, she moved to Ocala, where she met and married W. Clark Lyles in 1947. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her son Gary Lyles and his wife Gail, daughter Ruth Bowen and her husband Tinker, four grandchildren, and one great-granddaughter. She was preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, W. Clark Lyles. Memorial Services will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, September 6, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Dr. John Few officiating. Memorial contributions may be made to the Florida Diabetes Camp, PO Box 14136, Gainesville, FL 32604.

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**MACKNACK - FLUSCHE, MARIE P., 88**

Winter Haven, FL - Marie P. Macknack - Flusche, 88, of Winter Haven, passed away September 1, 2012 at Hampton Manor West under the care of Hospice.

She was born in Bartow, Florida on August 3, 1924 and was a Baptist by faith. She was preceded in death by her first husband, John S. Macknack and her second husband, Lt. Col. Raymond P. Flusche, Sr. USAF, retired.

She is survived by her two sons, Robert Macknack (Mary) of Crystal River, FL and Ronald Macknack of Ocala and sister, Dorothy Jernigan of Ocala. She was "E" to three granddaughters, Luanne Macknack Batts (Bill) of Melbourne, Leslie Macknack Garrison (Dale) of Inverness and Jennifer Macknack Sands (Roy) of Ocala. She was "Mama E" to six great grandchildren, Tayloe and Jordan Batts, Judy Hawley, Alivia Garrison and Kyle and Kevin Mobley.

Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, downtown chapel on Friday (Sept. 7th) from 1 until 2 p.m. Funeral services will follow at the funeral home at 2 p.m. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. A condolence message can be left at:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**MANGANO, ANGELINA, 96**

Ocala - Angelina Mangano, 96, passed away September 3, 2012.

She was born on August 4, 1916 in Jersey City, NJ to Leonard and Catherine Monesteri. On July 26, 1942, she married Carmelo Mangano in Garfield NJ. She was a homemaker and co-owner and operator of Mangano Farm Market. Carmelo preceded her in death on October 23, 2004.

Surviving are her children, Marie Sneddon, Ocala, Kathryn Macleod, Toms River, NJ, and Carl (Sharon) Mangano, Ocala; 13 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

Visitation will take place from 5 until 7 p.m. on Friday, September 7, 2012 at Hiers- Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala 34470. The Funeral Mass will take place at 10 a.m. on Saturday, September 8, 2012 at Our Lady Of The Springs Catholic Church, 4047 NE 21st Street, Ocala 34470, with entombment to follow at Highland Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association Central and North Florida, 378 Center Pointe Circle, Suite 1280, Altamonte Springs, FL 32701.

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**MARSCHHAUSER, HOWARD**

Ocala - Howard Marschhauser passed away on Monday, September 3, 2012 in Ocala, FL.

He was born January 26, 1935 in Queens, NY to Salvatore and Margaret Marschhauser Giadano. Mr. Marschhauser moved to Ocala in 1997 after retiring from the Medford Fire Department, in Medford, LI, NY, after serving for 38 years. Medford Fire Department made him a life time member. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He was a veteran of the Korean War, serving with the U.S. Navy.

Mr. Marschhauser is survived by, his wife of 56 yrs Elizabeth of Ocala, FL; daughters, Vivian Pontieri of Ocala, and Elizabeth Anderson of LI, NY; his son, Howard W. Marschhauser of Ocala; three grandchildren and a granddaughter-in-law.

Visitation will be held from 5 until 7 p.m. on Thursday, September 6, 2012 and Sunday, September 9, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL., 34470. A Funeral Mass will be said on Monday September 10, 2012 at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic with Fr. Alex Panakal, Officiating. Burial will follow at Florida National Cemetery with full military honors being provided by Angela Santos, VFW Post #4781.

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**PHILLIPS, JR., LARMOUR A. (LARRY)**

Ocala - Mr. Larmour A. Phillips, Jr. (Larry), passed away on August 31, 2012 to be with the Lord. Larry had been battling a disease for the last 15 years.

Larry leaves behind his wife of 33 years, Retta Sue; as well as his mother Stella, his sister April, and his mother-in-law Barbara Cameron. He also leaves behind a lot of friends who loved him dearly.

A celebration of life will be held at Trinity Baptist Church, 1600 SE 58th Ave, Ocala, FL on Friday, September 7, 2012 at 9 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Mission Funds at Trinity Baptist Church.

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**PITTS, WILLIAM RANDOLPH, 78**

Silver Springs - William R. "Bill" Pitts, 78, beloved husband of Doris B. Pitts, passed away on September 4, 2012 at his home.

Born May 1934 in Cambridge, MA to Edward Howard Pitts and Anna Bendry Pitts, he was raised in Somerville, MA graduating from Somerville High School followed by service in the U.S. Navy. He married Doris, the love of his life, on June 25, 1954 in Randolph, NJ. He completed studies at the RCA Institutes in New York City followed by a distinguished career with Cameron Machine, Inc. in Woodbridge, N.J.

Upon retiring, Bill and Doris moved to Silver Springs, Florida where he was a dedicated member of Druid Hills United Methodist Church, serving actively in the choir and in many leadership positions. His hobbies included music, reading and camping.

Bill was committed to Jesus Christ and his family and leaves a legacy of love, generosity and compassion for others. He was a loving, vigorous and exemplary son, brother, husband, father, care giver and friend.

Mr. Pitts was preceded in death by his parents and his daughter, Janet Teates. He is survived by his dear wife, Doris; his grateful son, William (Kelly) Randolph Pitts, Jr., Northampton, PA.; and his loving siblings, Edward Howard Pitts, Jr., Southbridge, MA, George Francis Tesniere, Woburn, MA and Anne (Robert) Lorraine Scanlon, Silver Springs, FL.

The family invites loved ones and friends to attend a memorial service at 11 a.m. on Saturday, September 8, 2012 at Druid Hills United Methodist Church at 1712 SE Lake Weir Avenue, Ocala, FL. Interment will be at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Music Fund at Druid Hills United Methodist Church 1712 SE Lake Weir Ave., Ocala, FL 34471, (352) 629-5688.

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**SHEALY, DELIA G., 94**

Ocala - Delia G. Shealy, 94, of Ocala passed away on August 30, 2012.

She was predeceased by her husband of 67 years, Jeffrey Lee Shealy, Sr. Delia is survived by her son, Jeffrey Lee Shealy, Jr., and his wife Julie, of Ocala, FL; granddaughters, Stephanie Harrell and her husband Greg, and Samantha Rauba and her husband Erik, both of Ocala, FL; and two great-grandchildren, Jefferson Walker Harrell and Shealy Grace Harrell of Ocala, FL.

Funeral services were held on September 4, 2012, at Highland Memorial Park. The service was officiated by Father Jonathan French of Grace Episcopal Church. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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**THOMAS, JERAMY "SUPERMAN" PATRICK**

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Jeramy won his courageous battle over Lymphoma on Saturday, September 1 at 7:00PM when he went to be with his Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ. After enduring through two bone marrow transplants, many months spent in hospitals, numerous trips to doctors and clinics, all while sharing the Gospel with anyone and everyone he came in contact with; he is now living his perfect eternal life as his reward.

His courageous charisma, through this vast and hard journey, was nothing short of amazing and truly inspired everyone who had the pleasure of meeting him. He never complained, not even through the most difficult of times, but instead took it head on as his given mission. Being

apologetic as well as even sympathetic at times, even worrying more about those around him, than himself and his fight, was what he will be remembered for most.

Jeremy was a 2010 graduate of Elton High School and attended McNeese University, while his real goal was to follow in his father's footsteps and attend Southwestern Baptist Theological College and eventually enter the ministry to work with youth. Little does he know, he was already in the ministry and through this journey, he disciplined and ministered to thousands of people during his time here on earth, through face to face conversations, speaking engagements, substituting at local schools, posts on social media and word of mouth from people who had the pleasure of meeting him.

This living testimony for Christ will be missed!

You can follow Jeremy's story on [CaringBridge.org](http://CaringBridge.org)

search [Jeremythomas](http://CaringBridge.org).

Jeremy is survived by his parents, Rev. Pat Thomas and wife Amy, who lead First Baptist Church in Elton, LA; brothers, Nathan Thomas and his wife Bethany and their daughters, Emma and Ava, all of Burleson, TX and Joshua Thomas and his wife Molly and their daughters, Amelia and Piper-Ann, all of Bluffton, SC; paternal grandparents, Billy and Joy Thomas of Gainesville, FL; maternal grandparents, Gary and Wendy Warren, also of Gainesville, FL; great grandmother, Fran Warren of Bluffton, SC; two uncles, Scott Thomas and his 3 children of Jacksonville, FL and Mitchell Warren and his wife Jennifer and their two children, and three sets of great aunts, uncles and numerous cousins and second cousins. Preceded in death by Joshua "Bert" Bertrand, his best friend.

Celebration services will be held Thursday, September 6, 2012, 1:00 p.m. at Westside Baptist Church, 10000 West Newberry Road, Gainesville with Rev. Don Downs of Westend Baptist Church in Valley, AL officiating. The family will receive friends prior to the service beginning at 11:00 a.m. at Westside Baptist Church. Interment will follow in Jonesville Cemetery. Arrangements are under the care of WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN, 404 North Main Street.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to First Baptist Church of Elton, 915 2nd Street Elton, LA 70532 for the purchase of Gideon Bibles in Jeremy's name or to Ronald McDonald House of Dallas, 4707 Bengal St. Dallas, TX 75235. Both of which are very close to Jeremy's heart.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN

(352) 376-7556

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### **TURNIPSEED, EARLE MUNROE, JR., 69**

Ocala - Earle Munroe Turnipseed, Jr., passed away on August 30, 2012. Born in Ocala he graduated from Ocala High School and lived here all his life.

He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Jane Turnipseed; sons, Earle M. (Janet) Turnipseed and Jesse Albert (Rebecca) Turnipseed, both of Ocala; brother, Harry Turnipseed, Ocala; sisters, Libby Putz, NE; Judy Webb, Ocala; and four grandchildren, Paige, Lauren, Natalia and Kara Lynn.

Memorial service will be at 4 p.m., Thursday, September 6, 2012 at Oakcrest Baptist Church, 1109 Northeast 28th Street, with Rev. Richard Phillips officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.

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**WEBB, WILLIAM PERCY, 99**

Ocala - William Percy Webb, known to over 150 nieces and nephews, their spouses, and their offspring as "Uncle Willie", died on September 1, 2012, just three days shy of his 100th birthday. Uncle Willie was born in Lakeland, FL., on September 4, 1912. He is survived by his sister, Elizabeth (Betty) Doyle Brogdon; brother, Wallace Webb (Alma); sister-in-law Muriel Webb; loving nieces and nephews, and their descendants.

He was predeceased by his brother Herbert M. Webb, Jr., M.D. and his sister Daisy Webb Kennedy.

Uncle Willie retired as a computer programmer from Southern Railway in 1977. During his career, he worked in both Washington, D.C. and Atlanta, and he moved to Ocala upon his retirement.

An avid collector of rooster curios, he was also keenly interested in family genealogy, but his primary passion was his family, and he delighted in staying in touch with them through visits, letters, and emails.

He was greatly loved and will be sorely missed.

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**WONN, THOMAS W., 63**

Ocala - Thomas W. Wonn, 63, of Ocala, passed away August 29, 2012 at his home.

He was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and was a retired clerk for the U.S. Postal Service. Mr. Wonn was a member of Family Life Ministries of Belleview, Gold Prospectors of America, Rural Letter Carriers Association and he had also formerly served as a deacon for the Belleview First Assembly of God. Mr. Wonn had a fondness for Chinese Pugs and enjoyed gold prospecting, antiques, hiking, camping, fishing and the outdoors in general.

He is survived by his loving wife of 42 years, June Wonn; daughter, Addie Jo Turner, her husband Clyde Travis Turner III and their son, Charles Travis Turner all of Atlanta, GA.

A celebration of his life will be held at Family Life Ministries (12404 SE 112th Ave. Rd., Belleview, FL 34420, 288-9335) on Saturday, September 8th, 2012 at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the children's programs at Family Life Ministries. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 S.E. Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 7, 2012****BIGHAM, LEOMA A., 88**

Ocala - Leoma A. Bigham, 88, of Ocala, reunited with her husband James on Wednesday, September 5, 2012 from her home under the loving care of her family and Hospice of Marion County.

Born in Hocking County, Ohio on December 14, 1923, daughter to the late Edson and Lerma (Vorhees) Anderson, she moved here from Lancaster, OH in 1992. For many years she was a bookkeeper with Murphy's Dept. store in Logan, OH. She was of the Christian faith. Leoma loved gardening and oil painting.

She was also preceded in death by her brother, Clyde; daughter, Bonnie Louise and grandson, Brian. She is survived by her loving daughter Beverly Linscott and her husband Keith of Ocala;

granddaughters, Lori Rasey and her husband Phil of Rockford, MI and Janine Radkowski and her husband Leo of St. Petersburg, FL; great grandchildren, Nicole, Daniel, Leo Joseph, Kevin and Patrick; sister, Fonda Williams and her husband Jack of Lancaster, OH.

Services will be held at 11:30 a.m., Friday, September 7th, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala. Memorial Contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478.

Condolences may be expressed at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **DYESS, JAYDEN MARIE, 2**

Ocala - Jayden Marie Dyess age 2, who was born and raised in Ocala, FL passed away on September 2, 2012. She was born on July 19, 2010 to Curtis Dyess III and Kristen Shepherd.

She enjoyed playing outside, picking flowers, dancing, singing, eating chocolate with her PawPaw, anything to do with paper, pillow fights, watching T.V., going to the park to feed the ducks and playing with the dogs Marley, BellBell and Moose "MooMoo".

She was always a very happy child who was very smart and mature for her age. Jayden was a character who would always put a smile to anyone's face whom she met. She will be loved, cherished and missed by her family and all that knew her.

She is survived by her parents, Curtis III and Kristen Dyess; great-great grandparents Linda and Sonny Insprucker; Mary Jones; great grandparents Douglas Jr. and Edna Shepherd, Curtis Sr. and Elizabeth Dyess; grandparents Curtis Jr. and Teresa Dyess, Douglas III and Teresa Shepherd; Uncles Lee, Bobby Carl, Andrew, Doug; Aunt Shantell; godfather Justin; along with numerous more aunts and uncles and many special friends and Marley and Bella, the dogs who Jayden considered her sisters.

Visitation will be held on Friday, September 7, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Knauff Funeral Home-Williston. Funeral service is to follow at 3 p.m. with Reverend Jerry Philman officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family has started a memorial fund please call Teresa Dyess (352)208-7541 or Teresa Shepherd (352)422-7873 for more information.

Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Chiefland.

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### **HERMAN, HELEN, 82**

Reddick - Helen Herman, age 82, of Reddick, FL passed away on Sunday, September 2, 2012.

She was born in New York City, NY on February 27, 1930. She lived in New York City until the age of 12 when her family moved to Miami Beach, FL. At the age of 40 she became an LPN and later in life a licensed real estate broker. Her hobbies included horse riding, cooking and caregiver. Helen loved all animals especially dogs.

She is survived by her companion, Libbie Gerry; three nephews; Louis Kessler and family; Charles Kessler and family; Phillip Kessler and family; and a host of friends.

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### **HOWELL, MATTIE H., 92**

Ocala - Mattie H. Howell died on Tuesday, September 4, 2012 at Estelle's House, Hospice of Marion County, Inc., she was 92 years old.

Mrs. Howell was born in Itta Bena, MS and moved to Ocala in the mid 1930's. She is a 1938

graduate of Howard Academy. Prior to moving back to Ocala, Mrs. Howell owned and operated the Beauty Rama Hair Salon in Gainesville. After many years of service in Florida, she retired as a Vocational Instructor in Pasco County, FL.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 51 years, Rev. Abraham H. Howell of Silver Springs, FL. Survivors include her daughter, Myrna H. Manuel of Silver Springs; grandchildren, Clifton and Devionne Manuel of Pompano Beach, FL; one sister, Clara H. Laurent of Port au Prince, Haiti; and a host of nieces, nephews and other devoted relatives and friends.

Service will be held Saturday at 11 a.m. at New Covenant Baptist Church, Ocala, with Rev. Stanley M. Jacobs, Sr., officiating. Viewing will begin at 9:45 a.m. until time of service.

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### **LANE, MARTHA, 86**

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Survivors include her husband of 25 years, David F. Lane; her son, Steve Harbour and wife Lynn, Columbus, GA; sisters Sarah Nash, Summerfield, Betty Haines, Georgia, and Daisy Anderson, Lakeland; grandsons Joshua Harbour and wife Diana, and Christopher Harbour; great-grandson Robert Harbour; and her stepson David Lane and wife Chris, and stepdaughter Deborah Lane.

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In lieu of any flowers or service, you may honor her and our family with a donation to a charity of your choice in her name.

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### **MARSCHHAUSER, HOWARD**

Ocala - Howard Marschhauser passed away on Monday, September 3, 2012 in Ocala, FL.

He was born January 26, 1935 in Queens, NY to Salvatore and Margaret Marschhauser Giadano. Mr. Marschhauser moved to Ocala in 1997 after retiring from the Medford Fire Department, in Medford, LI, NY, after serving for 38 years. Medford Fire Department made him a life time

member. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He was a veteran of the Korean War, serving with the U.S. Navy.

Mr. Marschhauser is survived by, his wife of 56 yrs Elizabeth of Ocala, FL; daughters, Vivian Pontieri of Ocala, and Elizabeth Anderson of LI, NY; his son, Howard W. Marschhauser of Ocala; three grandchildren and a granddaughter-in-law.

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### **MIXON, AGNES L., 88**

Ocala - Mrs. Agnes L. Mixon, 88, of Ocala, died Wednesday, September 5, 2012, under the compassionate care of the hospice staff at Sylvia's Hospice House.

Born in Long Branch, NJ, June 3, 1924, she moved to Marion County in 1958 and immediately fell in love with the warm, friendly people and the quaint Ocala of the 1950's.

Shortly after her arrival in Florida, she went to work in the toy/swimwear shop at Silver Springs where she stayed until she retired to homemaking and cookie baking full time. She had a passion for cooking and baking, especially breads, cookies and pizza. Many of her recipes were tested by and published in Southern Living magazine. In addition to family, friends and cooking, the other thing that gave her great pleasure was travel, especially on cruise ships.

She is survived by her devoted sons, Thomas (Tommy) Bibb, Robert Bibb; her granddaughters, Holly and Tanya Bibb; her grandson, Robert Bibb; numerous great and great-great grandchildren; her siblings, Arnold Pisani, Gary Pisani, and Betty Pisani Uptagraft and their respective families, all of Ocala.

While no public services are being held, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478, in Mrs. Mixon's memory.

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### **PELLICANO, JOSEPH "JOE" JAMES, 87**

Ocala - Joseph James Pellicano, 87, entered into peaceful rest in Ocala, FL, after a short battle with cancer, surrounded by his loving family.

Joseph, formerly of Greenwich, CT, was born on June 13, 1925 to Demetrio and Serafina (Ambrogio) Pellicano. He moved to Palm Cay in Ocala in 2002 to be closer to his brother and sister-in-law, Fred and Pia Pellicano.

Joe served in the Army during the Korean War. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus 3rd Degree for over 50 years, and he was affiliated with the American Legion.

Joe will mostly be remembered for his kind heart, giving character and chats on the porch with his cigar close by. Joe loved to work in his garden. No uncle comes close to the love we had for him.

Survivors include his loving brother and sister-in-law Fred and Pia (Urso) Pellicano of Ocala, FL; beloved uncle to nieces Diane (Tom) Balogh of Ocala, FL., Nancy Pellicano (Joseph) Lopes of Royal Palm Beach, FL., Lisa (John) Niemiec of Madison, CT., Karen Pellicano (Adam) Brill of Stratford, CT.; and nephew Steven (Karen) Pellicano of Hillsborough, NH.; his many great-nieces and great-nephews and great- great nieces; as well as many cousins and friends.



The wake will be private and burial will be in Greenwich, CT.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Joseph's honor to Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Pl., Ocala, FL 34481.

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**PILCHER, DOCIA T., 71**

Ocala - Docia T. Pilcher of Fairfield, passed away September 3, 2012.

Born in Otter Creek, Mrs. Pilcher has been a life-long resident of the area, widow of Hubert Pilcher.

She is survived by her siblings, Eddie J., Lucille and Bill; her children, Albert, Rebecca, Vince, Kurt, Travis and Vicky; and by her grandchildren, Albert, Louise, Megan, Charles, Matthew, Suzanne, Savannah and Jack.

Services will be held at Anthony Congregation of Jehovah's Witness, 9393 NE 21st Ave, Anthony, FL, at 2 p.m. on Saturday, September 8, 2012. There will be a gathering following the service at her son's home, 14600 NW 100th Ave Rd, Reddick, FL.

In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, [www.cff.org](http://www.cff.org).

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The family invites loved ones and friends to attend a memorial service at 11 a.m. on Saturday, September 8, 2012 at Druid Hills United Methodist Church at 1712 SE Lake Weir Avenue, Ocala, FL. Interment will be at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Music Fund at Druid Hills United Methodist Church 1712 SE Lake Weir Ave., Ocala, FL 34471, (352) 629-5688.

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**WHEELER, JOHN W., 88**

Ocala - John W. Wheeler, 88, passed away on September 5th, 2012 in Ocala, Florida.

He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Margaret (nee Montgomery) of Ocala; two sons, Mark (Kathy) of Virginia Beach, VA, Craig (Liz) of Ocala; and five grandchildren.

John lived a full life, including enlisting in the Army Air Corps at 18 years of age, eventually joining the Flying Tigers 74th Fighter Squadron, 23rd group, in Kweilin, China, under General Claire Chennault. Between 1942 and 1945, John flew P40's and P51's and was shot down twice by ground fire. He attained the rank of 1st Lieutenant and was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air medal, and the Purple Heart for his efforts. After serving in World War II, John returned to Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, where in 1948 he received a degree in mechanical engineering.

John was a fifty-two year resident of Barrington, RI, and was the former owner of Narragansett Concrete Company and John Wheeler Yachts. He was an avid sailor and waterman and owned and built classic wooden boats.

Three years ago while in failing health, John and Margaret moved to Ocala, FL, where he lived the remainder of his life with his son and family.

There will be a gathering Saturday, September 8th, 2012 from 1 p.m. until service time at 2 p.m. at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL, 34471. Burial will be in Royalston, MA. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Boys & Girls Clubs of America. [www.bgca.org](http://www.bgca.org).

Please view and sign the online guestbook at:  
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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 8, 2012**

#### **BIGHAM, LEOMA A., 88**

Ocala - Leoma A. Bigam, 88, of Ocala, reunited with her husband James on Wednesday, September 5, 2012 from her home under the loving care of her family and Hospice of Marion County.

Born in Hocking County, Ohio on December 14, 1923, daughter to the late Edson and Lerma (Vorhees) Anderson, she moved here from Lancaster, OH in 1992. For many years she was a bookkeeper with Murphy's Dept. store in Logan, OH. She was of the Christian faith. Leoma loved gardening and oil painting.

She was also preceded in death by her brother, Clyde; daughter, Bonnie Louise and grandson, Brian. She is survived by her loving daughter Beverly Linscott and her husband Keith of Ocala; granddaughters, Lori Rasey and her husband Phil of Rockford, MI and Janine Radkowski and her husband Leo of St. Petersburg, FL; great grandchildren, Nicole, Daniel, Leo Joseph, Kevin and Patrick; sister, Fonda Williams and her husband Jack of Lancaster, OH.

Services will be held at 11:30 a.m., Friday, September 7th, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala. Memorial Contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478.

Condolences may be expressed at:  
[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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#### **HOWELL, MATTIE H., 92**

Ocala - Mattie H. Howell died on Tuesday, September 4, 2012 at Estelle's House, Hospice of

Marion County, Inc., she was 92 years old.

Mrs. Howell was born in Itta Bena, MS and moved to Ocala in the mid 1930's. She is a 1938 graduate of Howard Academy. Prior to moving back to Ocala, Mrs. Howell owned and operated the Beauty Rama Hair Salon in Gainesville. After many years of service in Florida, she retired as a Vocational Instructor in Pasco County, FL.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 51 years, Rev. Abraham H. Howell of Silver Springs, FL. Survivors include her daughter, Myrna H. Manuel of Silver Springs; grandchildren, Clifton and Devionne Manuel of Pompano Beach, FL; one sister, Clara H. Laurent of Port au Prince, Haiti; and a host of nieces, nephews and other devoted relatives and friends.

Service will be held Saturday at 11 a.m. at New Covenant Baptist Church, Ocala, with Rev. Stanley M. Jacobs, Sr., officiating. Viewing will begin at 9:45 a.m. until time of service.

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### **KIRCHAINED, CHARLES ALEXANDER, 33**

Ocala - Charles Alexander Kirchaine was born on June 5, 1979, in Gainesville, Florida, and grew up in Hampton, attending schools in Bradford County. He passed away August 28, 2012.

It was determined early that he was exceptionally intelligent and special attention was given him in the studies of fine arts, literature, and music. He especially excelled in mathematics and grew to love the computer industry, developing his own niche in mobile PC repair. Many people will surely miss him.

He was preceded in death by his father, John Alexander Hawkins and his beloved grandparents, Y.L. and Mildred Kirchaine and leaves to cherish his memory his mother, Elizabeth Jane and stepfather, Robert Eric Lee and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins.

A memorial service will be held at the Civic Center located at 5835 Avenue F in McIntosh, Florida, on Sunday, September 16, 2012, at 2 p.m.

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### **KNECHT, REGINA GAMMONS, 46**

McIntosh - Regina Gammons Knecht, age 46, of McIntosh, FL, passed away on Wednesday, September 5, 2012. She was born in Charleston, MO, on December 3, 1965. She lived most all her life in Florida. Regina was a homemaker. Her favorite loves were taking care of her family, helping others and faith in Jesus.

She is survived by her husband Stanley Knecht; sisters, Lou Lastinger and Pamela Mink; brothers, Timothy and Darin Gammons; sons, Michael Skinner and Dennis Dildine; daughters, Kristy Dildine, Magina Gammons, Shyann Gammons, Jazzmon Dildine; grandchildren, Jacob, JJ, Jaden, Kristen and Dakota Skinner; nephew, Stephan Lastinger; and her father, William M. Gammons. She was preceded in death by her mother Violet O. Gammons.

A graveside service will be held at McIntosh Town Cemetery West on Sunday, September 9, 2012 at 2 pm.

Burial arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL.

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### **MARVIN, GEORGE, 76**

Sparr - George Marvin passed away at the VA Medical Center in Gainesville on Sunday, September 2, 2012.

Beloved husband, father, and grandfather, he went home to be with the Lord. He was a pastor

and minister as well as served in the Korean War in the U.S. Army.

He is survived by his wife of 56 years, Rose Marvin; his daughter, Cathy Thompson; his son-in-law, Vance Thompson; his granddaughter, Jennifer Cox; his grandson, Wes Cox and his great-grandson, Austin Cox. He will be dearly missed and never forgotten.

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**MIXON, AGNES L., 88**

Ocala - Mrs. Agnes L. Mixon, 88, of Ocala, died Wednesday, September 5, 2012, under the compassionate care of the hospice staff at Sylvia's Hospice House.

Born in Long Branch, NJ, June 3, 1924, she moved to Marion County in 1958 and immediately fell in love with the warm, friendly people and the quaint Ocala of the 1950's.

Shortly after her arrival in Florida, she went to work in the toy/swimwear shop at Silver Springs where she stayed until she retired to homemaking and cookie baking full time. She had a passion for cooking and baking, especially breads, cookies and pizza. Many of her recipes were tested by and published in Southern Living magazine. In addition to family, friends and cooking, the other thing that gave her great pleasure was travel, especially on cruise ships.

She is survived by her devoted sons, Thomas (Tommy) Bibb, Robert Bibb; her granddaughters, Holly and Tanya Bibb; her grandson, Robert Bibb; numerous great and great-great grandchildren; her siblings, Arnold Pisani, Gary Pisani, and Betty Pisani Uptagraft and their respective families, all of Ocala.

While no public services are being held, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478, in Mrs. Mixon's memory.

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**PELLICANO, JOSEPH "JOE" JAMES, 87**

Ocala - Joseph James Pellicano, 87, entered into peaceful rest in Ocala, FL, after a short battle with cancer, surrounded by his loving family.

Joseph, formerly of Greenwich, CT, was born on June 13, 1925 to Demetrio and Serafina (Ambrogio) Pellicano. He moved to Palm Cay in Ocala in 2002 to be closer to his brother and sister-in-law, Fred and Pia Pellicano.

Joe served in the Army during the Korean War. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus 3rd Degree for over 50 years, and he was affiliated with the American Legion.

Joe will mostly be remembered for his kind heart, giving character and chats on the porch with his cigar close by. Joe loved to work in his garden. No uncle comes close to the love we had for him.

Survivors include his loving brother and sister-in-law Fred and Pia (Urso) Pellicano of Ocala, FL; beloved uncle to nieces Diane (Tom) Balogh of Ocala, FL., Nancy Pellicano (Joseph) Lopes of Royal Palm Beach, FL., Lisa (John) Niemiec of Madison, CT., Karen Pellicano (Adam) Brill of Stratford, CT.; and nephew Steven (Karen) Pellicano of Hillsborough, NH.; his many great-nieces and great-nephews and great- great nieces; as well as many cousins and friends.

The wake will be private and burial will be in Greenwich, CT.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Joseph's honor to Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Pl., Ocala, FL 34481.

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**PILCHER, DOCIA T., 71**

Ocala - Docia T. Pilcher of Fairfield, passed away September 3, 2012.

Born in Otter Creek, Mrs. Pilcher has been a life-long resident of the area, widow of Hubert Pilcher.

She is survived by her siblings, Eddie J., Lucille and Bill; her children, Albert, Rebecca, Vince, Kurt, Travis and Vicky; and by her grandchildren, Albert, Louise, Megan, Charles, Matthew, Suzanne, Savannah and Jack.

Services will be held at Anthony Congregation of Jehovah's Witness, 9393 NE 21st Ave, Anthony, FL, at 2 p.m. on Saturday, September 8, 2012. There will be a gathering following the service at her son's home, 14600 NW 100th Ave Rd, Reddick, FL.

In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, [www.cff.org](http://www.cff.org).

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### **SHERTZER, JOYCE L. (Martin), 77**

Morrison - Joyce L (Martin) Shertzer passed peacefully into eternity September 6, 2012, at Legacy House Hospice.

Born July 16, 1935, in Hummelstown, PA, Joyce was the 13th of 14 children of the late Harry G. and Mary Martin. Married May 15, 1954, to SSGT William A. Shertzer; the couple's 58 year marriage raised and nurtured a family of three while living in 10 different cities on three continents. Joyce retired from the Tampa Tribune, where she supervised the front desk of classified advertising.

Joyce worshiped at the 1st United Methodist Church in Williston and the Morrison Baptist Church.

Joyce is survived by her husband, Bill, and their children, Mary (Michael) McNulty - grandsons, Michael J. and Matthew; Bill, Jr (Debi) - grandchildren Kate Shertzer and Cory Wietbrock; and Cheryl (Wayne) Hazle - granddaughters Alison, Shannon and Jennifer (Shaun) Smithson and great-grandchildren Alexis, Caly, Sayer, and Zoen.

A memorial service will be held to celebrate Joyce's life at Legacy House on Saturday morning, September 8th, at 9 a.m., Chaplin Warren Thompson officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorials directed specifically to Legacy House, through Hospice of Marion County, Inc. 9505 SW 100th St, Ocala, FL 34481, would be appreciated by the family. -

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John lived a full life, including enlisting in the Army Air Corps at 18 years of age, eventually joining the Flying Tigers 74th Fighter Squadron, 23rd group, in Kweilin, China, under General Claire Chennault. Between 1942 and 1945, John flew P40's and P51's and was shot down twice by ground fire. He attained the rank of 1st Lieutenant and was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Air medal, and the Purple Heart for his efforts. After serving in World War II, John returned to Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, where in 1948 he received a degree in mechanical engineering.

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and built classic wooden boats.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 9, 2012**

#### **BOLENDER, RUSSELL L., 77**

Dunnellon - Russell L. Bolender, 77, went to be with the Lord on September 4, 2012. He was born in Lima, OH, to Erma and Dan Bolender in 1934. He graduated in 1952 from South High School in Lima, OH, and worked at Ford Motor Plant for 30 years. He moved to Florida in 1990 and loved Florida. He liked fishing, treasure hunting, wood-working, painting, and old cars. He loved, most of all, his family, friends and his loyal dog Star. Russell was fun-loving, full of life, a great provider, and always willing to listen.

Russell was married to Wilma J. Stone Bolender, his wife and best friend for 20 years. They loved to fish, travel, sing, paint, and they enjoyed life to the fullest. In addition to his beloved wife, he is survived by his step-daughter, Rhonda (Fred) Roman and step-grandchildren Riki and Ryan. Previously, Russell was married to Barbara Pat (Tracy) Bolender for 30 years. They had five children: Riki (Mike) Harpest, Marcia (Gary) Flemke, Russell Bolender, Jr.; Stuart Bolender; and Carla Bolender as well as five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. He had five brothers and sisters: Herb (Carrie) Bolender; Wayne (dec'd) (Judy) Bolender; Richard (Rose) Bolender; Becky (Glen) Kiefer; and Karen (Ed) Kelly.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Wounded Warriors Project, 4899 Belfort Rd., Ste. 300, Jacksonville, FL 32256. Russell will be deeply missed. Condolences may be left at [www.RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://www.RobertsofDunnellon.com)

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#### **COLWELL, ANNA M.**

McIntosh, FL - Anna M. Colwell journeyed to Heaven on August 13, 2012 to be with her beloved husband, Eugene. Ann was born on August 19, 1937 in Hamilton, Ohio. She grew up in Hamilton and graduated from Hamilton High School in 1955. After Graduation, Ann was employed by the Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company as a switchboard operator. She married Eugene Colwell on December 1, 1956. They lived in Hamilton until 1967, when they moved to Naples, Florida. Ann was employed by Publix Supermarkets in Naples for many years. The family then moved to McIntosh, Florida where they owned and operated McIntosh Fish Camp for over 30 years. Ann was active in many community projects, especially those involving saving Orange Lake. Even though operating the camp kept Ann extremely busy, she still found time to enjoy her favorite pastimes; visiting with family and friends, cooking, baking, sewing and crafting.

Ann is survived by her two sons Martin (Kathleen) Colwell, Mark (Donna) Colwell;

grandchildren Jennifer, Elizabeth, Allycia and David Colwell and her great granddaughter, Zoey Anne Ralph.

A memorial service will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 15, 2012 at the McIntosh United Methodist Church, 20632 8th Street, McIntosh, Florida. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Humane Society of Marion County 701 NW 14th Rd PO Box 1542 Ocala Florida 34478-1542.

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### **FRANCO, DEWEY L., 85**

Ocala - Dewey L. Franco, 85, passed away on August 31, 2012, at home. Dewey was born in Lansing, Ohio, on October 15, 1926, and was a resident of Ocala since 1972. He was a bookkeeper and accountant, and owned his own accounting business in Michigan before moving to Florida in 1969.

Dewey was a Marine Corps veteran of World War II and the Korean War, receiving a Purple Heart for injuries received in service. He was very active in the Jaycees for many years, and became a member of the Exchange Club of Ocala in 1973. He served in many capacities, including secretary, treasurer and president. He also was a committee chair for major projects, such as Freedom Shrine, Book of Golden Deeds and Blue & Gold Award. Dewey was also treasurer of the Florida District Exchange Clubs from 1990 to 2005. In 1988, he received the Exchangeite of the Year award for the Exchange Club of Ocala and the Florida District Exchange Clubs.

He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers and two sisters. Dewey is survived by his wife, Karen; sons, Michael (Marjorie) Franco, Craig (Cheryl) Franco and Harry (Julie) Wheeler of Ocala, Ken (Elizabeth) Franco of Jacksonville; daughters, Debbie Franco of Gainesville, Gail Crandall of Wooster, Ohio, and Debbie Kubis of Lauderhill, 14 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, September 15, 2012, at 1 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, Florida. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County or United Ostomy Association of America.

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### **GOLD, KAREN JOAN**

Karen Joan Gold, PsyD. passed, away on 31 August 2012. She was born in Baltimore, Maryland. Her parents were Ben and Sylvia Lansberg. After public school, she attended and earned degrees at the University of Maryland, Loyola College, and Baylor University. As a self-described "knowledge junkie", she obtained still more education through a host of institutions and organizations throughout her life. She was self-employed as a clinical and forensic psychologist, was a published author and a gifted public speaker. She was stubborn, funny, kind and compassionate. She was happily married for 44 years to her best friend and love of her life, Dr. J.D. Gold, who survives her. She is also survived by her beloved brother Allan Lansberg, nieces Melissa Sams and Jennifer Lansberg, nephew Joshua Lansberg, and great-nephews Jay and Logan Sams. She leaves behind many friends and patients all over the country. There will be an informal memorial gathering at the Forest Lawn Funeral Home 5740 South Pine Avenue, Ocala, Florida on Saturday 22 September from 3 to 6 pm. In lieu of flowers, donations to her favorite non-profit charity Esophageal Cancer Support, Inc at 11284 Reed Island Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32225 would be most appreciated.

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**KENNY, BEVERLY MAE, 75**

Ocala - Mrs. Beverly Mae Kenny, 75, of Ocala, FL went on to be with the Lord on September 7, 2012. She was born in Freeport, Maine on October 23, 1936. Beverly retired from the Marion County Property Appraisers Office after 17 years.

She moved to this area in 1978 from Brewer, Maine. She was a member of the American Legion Aux. in Belleview, FL and a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in Ocala, FL. She is predeceased by her loving husband Charles L. Kenny Sr. Beverly is survived by two brothers: Frank and Toni of Hernando, FL; Bill and Kathy of Cumberland Foreside, Maine; and three nephews: Tim, Scott and Jason.

A gathering of friends will take place at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, (352)732-9944, on Tuesday, September 11th from 6-8PM with a funeral service to take place at the funeral home on Wednesday the 12th at 11AM. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to go to: The Beverly Mae Kenny Memorial Endowment Fund, PO Box# 2000, Boys Ranch, FL 32064.

To leave condolences:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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**KIRCHAIINE, CHARLES ALEXANDER, 33**

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**SULLIVAN, JAMES JOHN, 77**

Ocala - James John Sullivan, age 77, died peacefully at his home in Ocala, Florida, on Sunday, September 2, 2012. The cause of death was cancer.

Born December 21, 1934, in Philadelphia, PA, he lived in Darby, PA, Falsom, PA, Wilmington, DE, and Ocala, FL. He served 13 years in the Air Force. He worked for DuPont in Wilmington, DE, as a printing supervisor, and at Sports Authority, in Ocala, Florida, until retiring in 2012.

Survivors include children: Deborah Giampietro of Millsboro, DE, Joseph Sullivan of Ocala, FL, Denise Degges of Indianapolis, IN, one sister Martie Patch of Lima, PA, many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, James Sullivan and mother, Ruth Sullivan and daughter, Patti Cochran of Damascus, MD.

Memorial contributions are welcome at Hospice of Marion County.

A memorial service will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, October 26, 2012, at Florida National

Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Ave., Bushnell, FL 33513. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers and two sisters. Dewey is survived by his wife, Karen; sons, Michael (Marjorie) Franco, Craig (Cheryl) Franco and Harry (Julie) Wheeler of Ocala, Ken (Elizabeth) Franco of Jacksonville; daughters, Debbie Franco of Gainesville, Gail Crandall of Wooster, Ohio, and Debbie Kubis of Lauderhill, 14 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, September 15, 2012, at 1 p.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, Florida. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County or United Ostomy Association of America. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from September 9 to September 10, 2012

**GOLD, KAREN JOAN**

Karen Joan Gold, PsyD. passed, away on 31 August 2012. She was born in Baltimore, Maryland. Her parents were Ben and Sylvia Lansberg. After public school, she attended and earned degrees at the University of Maryland, Loyola College, and Baylor University. As a self-described "knowledge junkie", she obtained still more education through a host of institutions and organizations throughout her life. She was self-employed as a clinical and forensic psychologist, was a published author and a gifted public speaker. She was stubborn, funny, kind and compassionate. She was happily married for 44 years to her best friend and love of her life, Dr. J.D. Gold, who survives her. She is also survived by her beloved brother Allan Lansberg, nieces Melissa Sams and Jennifer Lansberg, nephew Joshua Lansberg, and great-nephews Jay and Logan Sams. She leaves behind many friends and patients all over the country. There will be an informal memorial gathering at the Forest Lawn Funeral Home 5740 South Pine Avenue, Ocala, Florida on Saturday 22 September from 3 to 6 pm. In lieu of flowers, donations to her favorite non-profit charity Esophageal Cancer Support, Inc at 11284 Reed Island Drive, Jacksonville, FL 32225 would be most appreciated.

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**KENNY, BEVERLY MAE, 75**

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She moved to this area in 1978 from Brewer, Maine. She was a member of the American Legion

Aux. in Belleview, FL and a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church in Ocala, FL. She is predeceased by her loving husband Charles L. Kenny Sr. Beverly is survived by two brothers: Frank and Toni of Hernando, FL; Bill and Kathy of Cumberland Foreside, Maine; and three nephews: Tim, Scott and Jason.

A gathering of friends will take place at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, (352)732-9944, on Tuesday, September 11th from 6-8PM with a funeral service to take place at the funeral home on Wednesday the 12th at 11AM. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to go to: The Beverly Mae Kenny Memorial Endowment Fund, PO Box# 2000, Boys Ranch, FL 32064.

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Thomas Pitti, age 86, of Ocala, died September 6, 2012. He was born on April 20, 1926 in Brooklyn, NY to the late Onopheo and Frances Pitti. He was a veteran of the US Navy, a member of St. Theresa's Catholic Church, and was a Mason. He leaves behind to cherish his memories his wife Margaret, sons, Thomas Pitti in NY, Charles (Susan) Pitti in FL, daughters Liz McGrory in SC, Alley (Jim) Pitti-Clark in FL, nine grandchildren, thirteen great grandchildren, and five great-great grandchildren. A visitation has been scheduled for Monday, September 10, 2012 from 5-7pm with a prayer service at 7:00pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home.

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### **SULLIVAN, JAMES JOHN, 77**

Ocala - James John Sullivan, age 77, died peacefully at his home in Ocala, Florida, on Sunday, September 2, 2012. The cause of death was cancer.

Born December 21, 1934, in Philadelphia, PA, he lived in Darby, PA, Falsom, PA, Wilmington, DE, and Ocala, FL. He served 13 years in the Air Force. He worked for DuPont in Wilmington, DE, as a printing supervisor, and at Sports Authority, in Ocala, Florida, until retiring in 2012.

Survivors include children: Deborah Giampietro of Millsboro, DE, Joseph Sullivan of Ocala, FL, Denise Degges of Indianapolis, IN, one sister Martie Patch of Lima, PA, many grandchildren,

great- grandchildren, nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his father, James Sullivan and mother, Ruth Sullivan and daughter, Patti Cochran of Damascus, MD.

Memorial contributions are welcome at Hospice of Marion County.

A memorial service will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Friday, October 26, 2012, at Florida National Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Ave., Bushnell, FL 33513. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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Joyce Peacock was born October 9, 1923 in Reddick, FL. She graduated from Reddick High School and attended Florida State College for Women where she received a degree in Education. Ms. Peacock taught at Reddick High School and Hardee County Jr. High School until her retirement in 1986.

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She is survived by her sons, Robert E. Philpot, Jr. (Brenda), Stephen I. Philpot (Jan); daughter, Carol Diciento (Mike); brother, Donald Rountree; grandchildren, Ryan, Erin, Judson, Rob, Amber, Robbie, Stephanie, Amy and Kyle; and great-grandchildren, Fox, Weston and Brenna. She was preceded in death by her husband Robert E. "Bob" Philpot, Sr.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, September 11, 2012 at 1:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Williston. Funeral service will follow at 2:30 p.m. with Reverend Jerry Cottone officiating. Interment is to follow at Orange Hill Cemetery.

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She is survived by her son, James Rudolph Ditty, Jr. of Ocala, FL; daughter, Janice L. (Ron) Berry of Bushnell, FL; 6 grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Rudolph Ditty in 1985.

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Arrangements entrusted to Purcell Funeral Home, Bushnell, FL.

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**EZZELL, PATRICIA, 56**

Crystal River - Patricia Ezzell, 56, of Crystal River, passed away peacefully at home on September 6th with family at her side.

She was born in Ocala, Florida in 1955, the daughter of Ezra and Juanita Varnadore. Patricia met her husband, Peter Ezzell, in high school and they married 1974. The couple moved to Crystal River in 1983, the year she gave birth to their first child. She began her career as a registered nurse in 1985 at Citrus Memorial Hospital and continued there until 2011. She also worked for Hospice of Citrus County during the later part of her career.

Patricia was the proud mother of three children, Zachary (29), Katie (24), and Natalie (17). In addition to her children, husband, and mother, she is survived by her brother, Wade Varnadore, of Ocala, Florida. She is preceded in death by her father and brother, Larry.

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Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 15, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the First Bethel Baptist Church, presided by Rev. N. Rawls. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade."

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**JACKSON, OLLIE MAE, 69**

Morrison, FL. - Ollie Mae Jackson, 69, homemaker, of Morrison, passed away September 8,

2012.

Funeral services will be on Saturday, September 15, 2012 at 1 p.m., at Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church, in Morriston. A wake service will be held on Friday at 6 p.m. at Sellers Funeral Home. The family will be receiving friends during this hour of reflection. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Jackson's residence (7828 N.W. 145th Avenue Road, Morriston) on Saturday at 12:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy.

Survivors to cherish the memory of Ms. Jackson are her children; Spencer Jackson, Sharon Wilkerson (Kenneth), Ralph Jackson, Kelvin Jackson, Mitzi Dewese (Fabian), Ollie Jackson, Stacey Jackson, brothers; Robert Jackson, Tony Jackson, Benjamin Jackson, Charlie Jackson, Joseph Jackson, sisters; Louise Jackson, Frances Jackson brother-in-law; William Jackson (Janie), seven grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Ms. Jackson was preceded in death by her husband; Ralph Jackson, sister; Lougene Gaines and brothers; William and Willie Jackson. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction." [www.sellersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sellersfuneralhomes.com)

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**ROUSSEAU, RHONDA A., 61**

Bellevue - Rhonda A. Rousseau, age 61, of Bellevue, Florida passed away on September 6, 2012.

She was born in Ocala, Florida on July 31, 1951. Most of her adult working life was spent as an administrative assistant. She moved to North Carolina in 1999, returning in 2010 to live out her life in Bellevue, Florida.

Mrs. Rousseau is survived by her husband, Leon Rousseau, Jr. of Bellevue, FL; one daughter, Heather Kincaid and her husband Zach Kincaid of Sweet Briar, VA; one son, Richard Rousseau and his wife Jennifer Rousseau of Ocala, FL; and six grandchildren. She is also survived by one sister, Hughlene Sadler and her husband Richard Sadler of Toccoa, GA and preceded in death by one brother Kendall Thomas; and parents Hugh Thomas and Wilma Thomas, both of Ocala, FL.

Mrs. Rousseau was a member of Bellevue Church of Christ and a woman with great love and faith for our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Her greatest joy on this earth was for her family and friends.

A memorial service will be held at Bellevue Church of Christ, 12355 S. HWY 441, Bellevue, FL 34420 on Saturday, September 15th, 2012 at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Bellevue Church of Christ or Hospice of Marion County.

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**SMITH, SHENKERA LESHA, 18**

Ocala - Shenkera Lesha Smith, 18, passed away on September 6, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, her son, Joseph Dennis III; father, Vernon Smith; grandmothers, Gloria Barnes and

Carolyn Smith; siblings, Vernon Smith Jr., Keandre Smith, Tyre Smith, Daquan Smith, Kateria Smith, and Tyrisha Smith.

Funeral Services will be held at the Theological Seminary on Saturday, September 15, 2012 at 3 p.m., Pastor Joshua Walker, Eulogist. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade."

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### **ZEEK, JUDIE, 71**

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Born on August 2, 1941 in Hamilton, OH, daughter to the late Theodore and Charlotte Bergedick, she moved here from Columbus, IN in 1998. Judie was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother.

She is survived by her husband, Vance; children, Randall, Ronald and Eric; and eight grandchildren.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 14, 2012**

### **BOWMAN, D. SCOTT, 91**

Dunnellon - D. Scott Bowman, 91, of Dunnellon, Florida, passed away on September 10, 2012.

He was born in Philadelphia, PA in 1921 and spent most of his younger years in Niagara Falls, NY, where he met his wife of 63 years, Doris Carver Bowman. He enlisted in the Army in 1942 and was stationed in Texas where he was married in 1943. Captured in World War II, he was a German P.O.W. until the end of the war.

After returning from the war, he attended Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute where he earned a degree in Electrical Engineering. His career was primarily in marketing for electronics. His real passion was golf. He played from the age of nine and was active on the course until last April. When he was 84 years old, he had the thrilling experience of two holes-in-one, within ten days of each other.

His wife preceded him in death and they will be interred together at the Bushnell National Cemetery. He is survived by his three children, Daniel, Candice and Douglas and a younger sister, Mimi. No services are planned except for an informal gathering at the Rainbow Springs Golf and Country Club at 11a.m. Saturday, September 15, 2012.

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**FOLKS, LATOYA DYNEL, 40**

Ocala - LaToya Dynel Folks, 40, passed away on September 2, 2012.

She leaves to cherish her memory, her mother, Lessie Smith; father, Fred Taylor Jr.; children, Shawne Taylor, Teresa Taylor, Tony Taylor and Keshi Brown; four grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 15, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the First Bethel Baptist Church, presided by Rev. N. Rawls. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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**JACKSON, OLLIE MAE, 69**

Morriston, FL. - Ollie Mae Jackson, 69, homemaker, of Morriston, passed away September 8, 2012.

Funeral services will be on Saturday, September 15, 2012 at 1 p.m., at Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church, in Morriston. A wake service will be held on Friday at 6 p.m. at Sellers Funeral Home. The family will be receiving friends during this hour of reflection. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Jackson's residence (7828 N.W. 145th Avenue Road, Morriston) on Saturday at 12:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy.

Survivors to cherish the memory of Ms. Jackson are her children; Spencer Jackson, Sharon Wilkerson (Kenneth), Ralph Jackson, Kelvin Jackson, Mitzi Dewese (Fabian), Ollie Jackson, Stacey Jackson, brothers; Robert Jackson, Tony Jackson, Benjamin Jackson, Charlie Jackson, Joseph Jackson, sisters; Louise Jackson, Frances Jackson brother-in-law; William Jackson (Janie), seven grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Ms. Jackson was preceded in death by her husband; Ralph Jackson, sister; Lougene Gaines and brothers; William and Willie Jackson.

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He is survived by his loving wife, Mildred; a daughter, Tracy Ascioffa of Rockaway, NJ; and a son, Jamie Ascioffa of Salem, VA. Also an aunt, Lucy Ascioffa of Manhattan, NY. The family requests donations to be given in Frank's name to the American Heart Fund. A gathering of friends will take place at the Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 SW SR# 200 in Ocala (352) 854-2266 on Sunday September 16th, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. with a prayer service at 7:30 p.m. A funeral Mass will be held at St. Theresa's Catholic Church, 11528 S HWY#301 in Belleview on Monday, September 17th, 2012 at 10 a.m. To leave condolences:

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### **CAMP SR., HORACE WILLIAM, 90**

Ocala - Mr. Horace William Camp, Sr., 90, with family members by his side, went peacefully to be with his heavenly father while at his home, on Wednesday, September 12th, 2012.

He was born July 23, 1922, in Ocala, FL, to Horace Stein and Mary Ruth Beams Camp. During World War II, as a combat veteran Sergeant in the Army Air Force, he flew on 35 missions as the Tail Gunner in a B24.

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Survivors include two daughters, M. Elaine Camp and Nancy J. Camp, and one son, Grady Paul Camp, all of Ocala; three granddaughters, Jennifer Berry Hefner, (Chip), Heather Camp, both of Ocala, and Jessica Camp of Davie, FL; four great-grandchildren, Marybeth, Katie-Lynn, and Avery Hefner, all of Ocala; and Cara Marie Pitkins, of Davie, FL; sister, Shirley Stancliffe; brother, Donald (Chris) Camp; and sister-in-law, Ruth (Mark D.) Camp, all of Ocala.

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In lieu of flowers, please donate to the Woodside Baptist Church Building Fund. The funeral will be held at Woodside Baptist Church on Sunday, September 16th, 2012 with visitation at 3 p.m. and the Homecoming Celebration following at 4. Rev. Paul Daniel will officiate. Interment will take place at Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, FL.

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**AUSTIN, JOSEPH "POP" G., 58**

Ocala - Joseph "Pop" G. Austin, 58, of Ocala, FL., was born September 30, 1953, and passed away August 23, 2012.

Joseph left this world too soon, but to be reunited with his beloved granddaughter Kayleigh King. Joseph is survived by his wife of almost 35 years, Terry A. Austin; three daughters, Jennifer Austin-King, Kimberly Austin-Hazin (Del), and Kathleen Austin; grandchildren Steven Austin, Ashley King, Haylee Austin and Austin Bell; "adopted sons" Cameron Calaverne and Kyle Gilson; brother Robert Austin (Alicia); sister Mary Sue Schweitzer (Fred); many nieces, nephews, friends and other adopted "family".

Joseph was born in Hollywood, California, and moved to Ft. Lauderdale, Florida in the 60's. Joseph and his family moved to Ocala, Florida in 1987 to raise his family and start his career and later retire from Publix Supermarkets.

Joseph will be remembered for his sense of humor and his love for family and friends. His favorite past time was to go to the Hard Rock Casino and to sit with family and friends on the back porch and drink Lime Rickeys.

Pop will be missed tremendously by his family and friends, but we all know he is in a better place where he will be waiting for us all with open arms.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. Condolences may be expressed at:

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### **BUTTS, TAMMY SHAWN SINECOFF**

Tammy Shawn Sinecoff Butts "Coach", 42, Weirsdale, FL passed Wednesday, September 12, 2012 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville, FL. She was born November 22, 1969 in Mullens, West Virginia.

Tammy joined her father, Everett Smith in God's Kingdom.

She is survived by 4 children and 3 stepchildren, though she loved them all as her very own: Donald Richardson, Bobby Sinecoff, Joseph Butts, Amanda Butts, Jessica Jones, Joshua Jones and Jennifer Jones, brother Ronald Sinecoff, sisters Linda Spurlock and Lynette Green; mother Brenda Sinecoff; 7 grandchildren: Haleigh, Tyler, Jamie, Landon, Hunter, Ashlynn and Gabriel; and of course her beloved significant other of 20 years, Kenneth Jones.

There will be a Memorial Service held on Thursday, September 20, 2012 at 6:00 PM at The Church at the Springs, 5424 SE 58th Avenue (Baseline Road), Ocala, FL 34480, (352) 624-0545 with a gathering from 5:00 to 6:00 PM prior to the service.

Flowers may be sent to Beyers Funeral Home, 134 North Highway 27/441, Lady Lake, FL 32159 (352) 753-4444.

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Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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### **COLLINS, KAREN, 59**

Morrison - Karen Collins, age 59, of Morrison, FL passed away on September 11, 2012.

She was born in Miami, FL on September 22, 1952. She was married to Terence Collins for 31 years and moved to Ocala, FL in 2006. She is survived by her daughter, Elyssa Loraine Collins and grandson Jayden Daniel Collins.

She owned and operated, with her husband, Fairglade School in Miami, FL. She was a graduate of Killian Senior High School, 1970, Florida International University, 1977, and University of Miami with her Master's Degree in Exceptional Education K-12, 1995.

She was exceptionally skilled in horsemanship and won numerous national championships in both English and Western styles of riding.

Gifts in memory of Karen Collins may be directed to the University of Florida College of Veterinary Medicines - Large Animal Hospital c/o Karen Legato P.O. Box 100125 Gainesville, FL 32610 Condolences may be left at: [www.RobertsofDunnellon.com](http://www.RobertsofDunnellon.com)

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**EARLES, JOYCE B., 77**

Dunnellon - Joyce B. Earles, 77, passed away on September 11, 2012 after a two year battle with cancer.

She was born in Harrisonburg, VA and moved to Dunnellon from Washington, D.C. in 1997. She is a member of the Dunnellon Garden Club, attended the Dunnellon Presbyterian Church and the Christians Women's Club.

She enjoyed reading, listening to music, decorating, flowers, the arts and theater, watching the travel channel and traveling, especially cruising and her trips to Europe.

She is the wife of Calvin Earles; a sister to Nancy (Nelson) Hess, Harrisburg, VA, Betty (Richard) Payner, Clemens, NC and Bobby (JoAnn) Burkholder, Ruckersville, VA; also, several nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held 10 a.m. Monday, September 17, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon with Pastor Jeffrey Welch presiding.

The family suggests donations in the memory of Mrs. Earles may be made to the Legacy House, 9505 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481 or The American Cancer Society , Marion County Office, 2201 SE 30th Avenue-#301 ,Ocala, FL 34471. Online condolences may be offered at [www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com)

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**JONES, VERNON L., 87**

Gainesville - Vernon L. Jones, 87, formerly of Ocala, died September 6, 2012. He was a Prudential insurance agent and an Army veteran of World War II.

Survived by his wife, Jennifer Wright Jones; daughter, Cathy Wiese (John); grandchildren, Lauren Smallwood of Denver, Lindsay Wiese of San Francisco, step grandchildren Van Akin, II of Ocala, Suzanne Bachus and Nita Chester of Gainesville and Marie Griffies of Newnan, Georgia.

Preceded in death by a stepson, Jack Akin; wife Natalie Jones and wife Juanita Akin Jones; and his five siblings.

Memorial service will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, 34470. Placement of urn will follow service at Highland Memorial Park. Memorials can be made to the Alzheimer's Association , 866-232-8484, or at [www.alzfdn.org](http://www.alzfdn.org).

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Her survivors include her 3 daughters, Billie Moore, Christine Sexton, and Tracy Schneberger, her son Steven Lewis, 16 grandchildren, and 16 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her daughter Sandy Mengert, and sons Danny and Johnny Lewis. Visitation for Mrs. Nowicki will be held from 5-7 PM Monday at Hiers Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be at 11 AM Tuesday at Southwest Christian Church, 9045 SW 60th Ave., Ocala. Interment will follow in Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL.

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He was retired from Franklin Limestone Co., a member of Countryside Presbyterian Church, a U.S. Veteran of the Korean war era, member of the LIONS Club of Ocala, a lifelong member of the Masonic Lodge and founder of R.O.M.E.O. Club (Retired Old Men Eating Out).

He was preceded in death by his first wife of almost 50 years, Nannette B. Rickolt. He is survived by his second wife of 14 years, Sally W. Rickolt; son, Charles (Kim) Rickolt; daughter, Christina (Tom) Rhodes; stepdaughters, Cheryl Godwin and Karen (Dana) Sturgeon; stepson, Wayne (Sharon) Woodis; grandchildren, Marcy (Stephen) Butler, Lauren (Mike) McLeod, and Holly Rickolt; step grandchildren Erica (Joe) Godwin-Robbins, Courtney Godwin, Colten Godwin, Megan Hale, Connor Woodis, Chase Woodis and great grandchildren Perry and Ben Butler.

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**WOJDAK, HENRY L., 74**

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He is survived by his wife Sandra; two sons, John and Steven; daughter-in-law, Victoria and two grandchildren, Madeline and Henry.

Donations may be made in Henry's memory to: Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 17, 2012**

### **AUSTIN, JOSEPH "POP" G., 58**

Ocala - Joseph "Pop" G. Austin, 58, of Ocala, FL., was born September 30, 1953, and passed away August 23, 2012.

Joseph left this world too soon, but to be reunited with his beloved granddaughter Kayleigh King. Joseph is survived by his wife of almost 35 years, Terry A. Austin; three daughters, Jennifer Austin-King, Kimberly Austin-Hazin (Del), and Kathleen Austin; grandchildren Steven Austin, Ashley King, Haylee Austin and Austin Bell; "adopted sons" Cameron Calaverne and Kyle Gilson; brother Robert Austin (Alicia); sister Mary Sue Schweitzer (Fred); many nieces, nephews, friends and other adopted "family".

Joseph was born in Hollywood, California, and moved to Ft. Lauderdale, Florida in the 60's. Joseph and his family moved to Ocala, Florida in 1987 to raise his family and start his career and later retire from Publix Supermarkets.

Joseph will be remembered for his sense of humor and his love for family and friends. His favorite past time was to go to the Hard Rock Casino and to sit with family and friends on the back porch and drink Lime Rickeys.

Pop will be missed tremendously by his family and friends, but we all know he is in a better place where he will be waiting for us all with open arms.

A memorial service will be held at a later date. Condolences may be expressed at:  
[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com)

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### **BUTTS, TAMMY SHAWN SINECOFF**

Tammy Shawn Sinecoff Butts "Coach", 42, Weirsdale, FL passed Wednesday, September 12, 2012 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville, FL. She was born November 22, 1969 in Mullens, West Virginia.

Tammy joined her father, Everett Smith in God's Kingdom.

She is survived by 4 children and 3 stepchildren, though she loved them all as her very own: Donald Richardson, Bobby Sinecoff, Joseph Butts, Amanda Butts, Jessica Jones, Joshua Jones and Jennifer Jones, brother Ronald Sinecoff, sisters Linda Spurlock and Lynette Green; mother Brenda Sinecoff; 7 grandchildren: Haleigh, Tyler, Jamie, Landon, Hunter, Ashlynn and Gabriel; and of course her beloved significant other of 20 years, Kenneth Jones.

There will be a Memorial Service held on Thursday, September 20, 2012 at 6:00 PM at The Church at the Springs, 5424 SE 58th Avenue (Baseline Road), Ocala, FL 34480, (352) 624-0545 with a gathering from 5:00 to 6:00 PM prior to the service.

Flowers may be sent to Beyers Funeral Home, 134 North Highway 27/441, Lady Lake, FL 32159 (352) 753-4444.

Online condolences may be left at [www.beyersfuneralhome.com](http://www.beyersfuneralhome.com).

Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL.

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### **COLLINS, KAREN, 59**

Morrison - Karen Collins, age 59, of Morrison, FL passed away on September 11, 2012.

She was born in Miami, FL on September 22, 1952. She was married to Terence Collins for 31 years and moved to Ocala, FL in 2006. She is survived by her daughter, Elyssa Loraine Collins

and grandson Jayden Daniel Collins.

She owned and operated, with her husband, Fairglade School in Miami, FL. She was a graduate of Killian Senior High School, 1970, Florida International University, 1977, and University of Miami with her Master's Degree in Exceptional Education K-12, 1995.

She was exceptionally skilled in horsemanship and won numerous national championships in both English and Western styles of riding.

Gifts in memory of Karen Collins may be directed to the University of Florida College of Veterinary Medicines - Large Animal Hospital c/o Karen Legato P.O. Box 100125 Gainesville, FL 32610

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### **EARLES, JOYCE B., 77**

Dunnellon - Joyce B. Earles, 77, passed away on September 11, 2012 after a two year battle with cancer.

She was born in Harrisonburg, VA and moved to Dunnellon from Washington, D.C. in 1997. She is a member of the Dunnellon Garden Club, attended the Dunnellon Presbyterian Church and the Christians Women's Club.

She enjoyed reading, listening to music, decorating, flowers, the arts and theater, watching the travel channel and traveling, especially cruising and her trips to Europe.

She is the wife of Calvin Earles; a sister to Nancy (Nelson) Hess, Harrisburg, VA, Betty (Richard) Payner, Clemens, NC and Bobby (JoAnn) Burkholder, Ruckersville, VA; also, several nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held 10 a.m. Monday, September 17, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon with Pastor Jeffrey Welch presiding.

The family suggests donations in the memory of Mrs. Earles may be made to the Legacy House, 9505 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481 or The American Cancer Society , Marion County Office, 2201 SE 30th Avenue-#301 ,Ocala, FL 34471.

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### **JONES, VERNON L., 87**

Gainesville - Vernon L. Jones, 87, formerly of Ocala, died September 6, 2012. He was a Prudential insurance agent and an Army veteran of World War II.

Survived by his wife, Jennifer Wright Jones; daughter, Cathy Wiese (John); grandchildren, Lauren Smallwood of Denver, Lindsay Wiese of San Francisco, step grandchildren Van Akin, II of Ocala, Suzanne Bachus and Nita Chester of Gainesville and Marie Griffies of Newnan, Georgia.

Preceded in death by a stepson, Jack Akin; wife Natalie Jones and wife Juanita Akin Jones; and his five siblings.

Memorial service will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, 34470. Placement of urn will follow service at Highland Memorial Park. Memorials can be made to the Alzheimer's Association , 866-232-8484, or at [www.alzfdn.org](http://www.alzfdn.org).



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**KIRCHAINED, CHARLES ALEXANDER, 33**

Ocala - Charles Alexander Kirchaine was born on June 5, 1979, in Gainesville, Florida, and grew up in Hampton, attending schools in Bradford County. He passed away August 28, 2012.

It was determined early that he was exceptionally intelligent and special attention was given him in the studies of fine arts, literature, and music. He especially excelled in mathematics and grew to love the computer industry, developing his own niche in mobile PC repair. Many people will surely miss him.

He was preceded in death by his father, John Alexander Hawkins and his beloved grandparents, Y.L. and Mildred Kirchaine and leaves to cherish his memory his mother, Elizabeth Jane and stepfather, Robert Eric Lee and numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins.

A memorial service will be held at the Civic Center located at 5835 Avenue F in McIntosh, Florida, on Sunday, September 16, 2012, at 2 p.m.

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Ocala - Patricia Elaine Rodriguez, 65, of Ocala, passed away on August 24, 2012 in Ocala, FL. A private memorial service will be held in Ocala, FL on September 22, 2012. Attendance will be by invitation only.

Patricia was born in Owosso, MI to Wayne and Mary Ellen Baird on March 29, 1947. She went to high school at Owosso High School and graduated in 1964. She went on to earn both a bachelor's and master's degree in Elementary Education from Michigan State University. She served as a public school teacher in Bay City, MI for 5 years and in Ocala, FL for 23 years before retiring in 2005. She was a member of the National Education Association, Marion Education Association, and American Federation of Teachers. She enjoyed reading; crossword puzzles; clogging; playing piano; and spending time with her two sons, their families, and her friends.

Patricia is preceded in death by her parents, Wayne and Mary Ellen. Patricia is survived by her sister Darlene Bennett of Grand Rapids, MI; son Jason Rodriguez of Tampa, FL; son Chris (Diana) Rodriguez; and two grandchildren Derek and Benjamin Rodriguez of Davenport, FL.

In lieu of flowers, the family has requested that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474.

The family wishes to extend their gratitude to The Legacy House Hospice and Palliative Care Center for their support in her final days.

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**CADY, ORMA GERALDINE, 97**

Dunnellon - Orma Geraldine Cady, 97, of Dunnellon, FL was born on January 18, 1915 and passed away on September 15, 2009.

She loved to watch sports, particularly basketball and football. In her younger years, she played basketball and scored 103 points in one game setting, a record in her home town. Orma was a member of Alliance Church of Port Charlotte and later Friendship Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 51 years, Donald Cady.

Orma is survived by her children; Dale Clark Cady (Paula) and Donna Peebles (Louie), grandchildren; Kevin, Daniel, Brian, Kyle, Donald and Rudy, and seven great-grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held on Thursday, September 20, 2012, 10 a.m., at Friendship Baptist Church, 9530 Southwest 105th Street, Ocala, FL 34481 with family to receive friends 1 hour prior. Burial will be private.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Friendship Baptist Church Missionary Fund in her name.

Condolences can be left at [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com).

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### **ERHARDT, PATRICIA ANN, 72**

Ocala -- Patricia Ann Erhardt, Ocala, passed away on Saturday, September 15, 2012.

She was born in Davenport, Iowa and moved here from Cape Coral, Florida in 1991. She enjoyed making quilts, baking, bowling, collecting pigs and different types of music. Mrs. Erhardt cherished her children. She was of the Catholic faith.

She is survived by her daughter, Pam Lockrem, Wheatland, CA.; sons, Cliff Erhardt, Ocala, Herb Erhardt, Cape Coral, FL, and George Erhardt, Ocala; daughter, Susan Gordon, Ocala; son, Paul Erhardt, Belleview; stepdaughter Caroline Perez, Boynton Beach, FL; stepson, Donald Erhardt, Ft. Lauderdale, FL; brothers, Bill Lockrem, Ocala, Bobby Lockrem, Indian Trails, NC and Lee Lockrem of Ocala; sister, Lois Devita, Dunnellon, 20 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband Bob Erhardt; stepson Bobby Erhardt and sister Genora Moran.

Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, September 19, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Visitation will be from 11 until 1 p.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home.

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[www.Hiers-Baxley.com](http://www.Hiers-Baxley.com).

Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview.

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### **FILER, DIANA LYNN, 67**

Ocala - Diana Lynn Filer, 67, of Ocala, FL, passed away Monday, September 10, 2012.

She was born February 11, 1945 in Coral Gables, FL. She moved here in 1980 from Griffin, GA. Mrs. Filer was a homemaker as well as an airline stewardess in the early part of her life.

She is survived by her two sons, Harry Filer Ropp, Robert W. Filer; two daughters, Amy Filer Burke of Ocala, Lee R. Filer of Palm Coast, FL; mother Louise Barton of Ocala; two brothers, Champe F. Barton Jr. of Ft. Lauderdale, FL, David Barton of Ocala; and ten grandchildren.

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### **HAWKINS, RANDALL L., 41**

Orlando - In loving memory, long-time resident of Ocala, Nurse, Paramedic, Firefighter, Realtor, employee of Ocala Regional Medical Center and 20 year former employee of Marion County Fire Rescue, Randall Hawkins died Wednesday, September 12, 2012.

He leaves behind to cherish his memory, his wife Christina Mitchell-Hawkins and their children, Robert, Elisabeth, Haven, Wade, Brian, Ashley, Justin, Koryn, David and Keith, and grandchildren. He was much loved and will be missed.

A memorial service will be held for him at Church at the Springs, 5424 Southeast 58th Avenue, Ocala, Sunday, September 23, 2012 at 2 p.m.

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**McCORMICK, WILLIAM H., 88**

Ocala - William H. McCormick, 88, of Ocala, FL passed away on September 14, 2012 at Estelles Hospice House in Ocala.

He was born on February 28, 1924 in Indiana, PA to Paul and Mary McCormick and moved to Clearwater, FL in 1963 before moving to Ocala. William served three years in World War II in the U.S. Army. He retired from Sears Roebuck as a division manager after 31 years and was an avid horse lover.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 60 years, Lila in 2007. Survivors include his sons, William Paul McCormick, Sr. and his wife, Debbie of Ocala, FL and John C. McCormick and his wife Michelle of Silver Springs, FL; sister, Ruth McQuiston of Seminole, FL; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren and his dog, Duke.

A funeral service will be held Tuesday, September 18, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Sylvan Abbey Funeral Home in Clearwater, FL. Entombment will follow in the Sylvan Abbey Peacefield Mausoleum. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. until service time.

"Happy trails to you...

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**TINDALL, GEORGE THURMAN, 95**

Ocala - George Thurman Tindall, 95, passed away on Thursday, September 13, 2012.

He was born in Laurens County, Georgia on December 16, 1916. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was an Assembly of God preacher for over 50 years and was a carpenter. He enjoyed fishing, hunting and gardening but especially cherished church work and

activities.

He is survived by daughters, Annette (Tom) Hightower, Doris (Gerard) King, and Renee' Merritt; son, Wayne (Libby) Tindall; stepsons, John (Bobbi) Crowder and Jimmy Crowder; 12 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, September 18, 2012 at Oxford Assembly of God with Tom Hightower and Pastor Derrel Strickland officiating. Online condolences may be left at: [www.Hiers-Baxley.com](http://www.Hiers-Baxley.com)

Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview.

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**FAIVER, JACQUELINE M.**

Ocala - Jacqueline M. Faiver, of Sebastian, passed away unexpectedly Thursday, September 13, 2012 in Ocala.

Born in Farmington, CT, July 8, 1986, beloved daughter of Cynthia and James Hardin of Sebastian, she was a graduate of Sebastian River High School and attended Valencia Community College.

Jacqueline was an avid music lover and was always singing. She always showed concern for others with her kindness and enjoyed spending time with dogs and children. Besides her mom and stepfather, she is survived by her sister, Ashley Faiver of Bristol, CT; her grandmother, Antionette Shine of Sebastian; longtime boyfriend, Jonathan Lott of FL; and her father, David Faiver.

The Funeral Liturgy will be celebrated Saturday, September 22, 2012 at 10 a.m. in the Church of St. Mary Star of the Sea, Unionville, CT. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Jacqueline Favier Memorial Fund, for the benefit of music enrichment for young adults, at any Wells Fargo Bank. The family strongly encourages friends to share their memories of Jacqueline by visiting:

[www.ahernfuneralhome.com](http://www.ahernfuneralhome.com).

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**FINKS, HERBERT E., 80**

Ocala - Herbert E. Finks, "Pop and Papa", 80, of Belleview passed away on Monday, September 17, 2012 in Ocala.

He was born on January 26, 1932 in Cass County, Indiana. Not only was he a loving husband and father, Herb was a truck driver and an Army veteran of the Korean War. He also belonged to the First United Methodist Church of Lady Lake.

Herb is survived by his wife of 14 years Patricia; his sons, Herb Finks and Dennis Finks; his daughters, Vandie Finks, Dara Jo Finks, Charlene Whitehead, Cheryl Finks, Dorothy Ann Milliman and Skeeter McDavid; a brother, Donald Finks; a sister, Jeanette Finks Smith; and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren; nieces, nephews and friends.

A visitation will be held on Friday, September 21, 2012 from 5 until 7 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL., 34480.

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**LeVAR, JR., DAVID PRESTON, 57**

Ocala - David Preston LeVar, Jr., born May 11, 1955 in Mesa, Arizona, passed on September 12, 2012 in Marion County at age of 57. He was a dog lover and an avid fisherman. Loved and will not be forgotten, he is survived by his son, Chad David LeVar, sisters: Tammie Havis and Charlotte Sims, brothers-in-law: Tony Havis and Paul Sims, and other family members.

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Ocala - William H. McCormick, 88, of Ocala, FL passed away on September 14, 2012 at Estelles Hospice House in Ocala.

He was born on February 28, 1924 in Indiana, PA to Paul and Mary McCormick and moved to Clearwater, FL in 1963 before moving to Ocala. William served three years in World War II in the U.S. Army. He retired from Sears Roebuck as a division manager after 31 years and was an avid horse lover.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 60 years, Lila in 2007. Survivors include his sons, William Paul McCormick, Sr. and his wife, Debbie of Ocala, FL and John C. McCormick and his wife Michelle of Silver Springs, FL; sister, Ruth McQuiston of Seminole, FL; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren and his dog, Duke.

A funeral service will be held Tuesday, September 18, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Sylvan Abbey Funeral Home in Clearwater, FL. Entombment will follow in the Sylvan Abbey Peacefield Mausoleum. The family will receive friends from 10 a.m. until service time.

"Happy trails to you...

until we meet again."

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**McENERY, JAMES F., 92**

Ocala - James F. McEnery, 92, of Ocala, Florida passed away September 16, 2012.

Born on September 30, 1919 in Brooklyn, NY to Francis and Lillian (Daniels) McEnery. James moved to Ocala 28 years ago from Matawan, NJ. He was a retired self-employed auto upholsterer and a 1st Marine Division Veteran of World War II. He was a member of the 1st Marine Division Association, VFW, AMVETS, Queen of Peace Catholic Church Men's Club, Kingsland Country Homeowners' Association and Founder and First President of SW 200 Coalition. He was recent author of, "Hell in the Pacific", A Marine Rifleman's Journey from Guadalcanal to Peleliu.

Preceded in death by his sister, Lillian; brother, Peter and son, James. Survived by his wife of 65 years, Gertrude K. McEnergy; daughter, Karen Cummins of Short Hills, NJ; grandsons Brendan Cummins of Hoboken, NJ and Erik Cummins of Newport Beach, CA.

Mass of Resurrection will be offered at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, September 20, 2012 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Private cremation will follow under the direction of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL. Burial will be on Tuesday, September 25, 2012 in Long Island National Cemetery, Farmingdale, NY.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County, Legacy House.

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### **MOSIEUR, MICHAEL HENRY, 61**

Ocala - Michael Henry Mosieur, age 61, passed away on September 12, 2012, in Ocala.

Michael was born August 30, 1951 in Plainville, Connecticut to Rudolph and Shirley Mosieur.

Michael was the founder of RMS Communications Group, Inc. and Mosieur Business Brokers.

Michael is survived by his loving wife, Nancy D. Mosieur of Ocala. Michael is also survived by his father, Rudolph Mosieur; his daughter, Danielle Mosieur; his son, Matthew Mosieur; and two step-daughters, Erika Connell and Kacey Sullivan. He also leaves behind, his two sisters, Laurie Pribyl and Sarah Pardew; his brother, James Mosieur and eight beautiful grandchildren.

Michael will also be missed by his two favorite couch-potato Pugs, Otis and Milo.

A celebration of Michael's life will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, September 22, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial contribution can be made to the charity of your choice .

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### **TINDALL, GEORGE THURMAN, 95**

Ocala - George Thurman Tindall, 95, passed away on Thursday, September 13, 2012.

He was born in Laurens County, Georgia on December 16, 1916. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was an Assembly of God preacher for over 50 years and was a carpenter. He enjoyed fishing, hunting and gardening but especially cherished church work and activities.

He is survived by daughters, Annette (Tom) Hightower, Doris (Gerard) King, and Renee' Merritt; son, Wayne (Libby) Tindall; stepsons, John (Bobbi) Crowder and Jimmy Crowder; 12 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, September 18, 2012 at Oxford Assembly of God with Tom Hightower and Pastor Derrel Strickland officiating. Online condolences may be left at: [www.Hiers-Baxley.com](http://www.Hiers-Baxley.com)

Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 20, 2012**

#### **CADY, ORMA GERALDINE, 97**

Dunnellon - Orma Geraldine Cady, 97, of Dunnellon, FL was born on January 18, 1915 and passed away on September 15, 2012.

She loved to watch sports, particularly basketball and football. In her younger years, she played



basketball and scored 103 points in one game setting, a record in her home town. Orma was a member of Alliance Church of Port Charlotte and later Friendship Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 51 years, Donald Cady.

Orma is survived by her children; Dale Clark Cady (Paula) and Donna Peebles (Louie), grandchildren; Kevin, Daniel, Brian, Kyle, Donald and Rudy, and seven great-grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held on Thursday, September 20, 2012, 10 a.m., at Friendship Baptist Church, 9530 Southwest 105th Street, Ocala, FL 34481 with family to receive friends 1 hour prior. Burial will be private.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Friendship Baptist Church Missionary Fund in her name.

Condolences can be left at [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com).

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### **CRAIG, GLENN WALLACE, 88**

Bellevue - Glenn Wallace Craig, 88, of Bellevue passed away Tuesday, September 18, 2012.

Born in Bedford, Indiana he was the son of the late Ermal and Loda (Canada) Craig. Glenn was a long-time building contractor in Indiana and Florida. One of his proudest accomplishments was being the lead contractor in building Souls Harbor First Pentecostal Church. He was a pastor in Indiana for (14) years and evangelized when he came to Florida for several years.

He was married to his beloved wife Ruth for 65 years. His marriage to Ruth and his children was what he was most proud of. He served his country with distinction during World War II in the U. S. Army. He participated in the Central Burma and Indian Burma campaigns and received the Asiatic-Pacific Theatre Ribbon with two Bronze Stars, Good Conduct Medal, World War II Victory Medal, China Memorial Medal, Good Conduct Medal and the American Theatre Ribbon. Glenn was also a published author. He wrote and published *The Old Veteran*, *Crutches to Wings*, *Modesty* and *A Balm in Gilead*.

He leaves his beloved wife of 65 years, Ruth L. (Sipes) Craig; his loving children, Anthony W. Craig of St. Petersburg, FL, Teresa L. Dailey and husband Garry of St. Petersburg, FL, Deitra G. Wilson and fiancé Jeff of Dunedin, FL, Steven W. Craig and wife Angel of Summerfield, FL; siblings, Ted Craig of New York, Lois Shelton of West Virginia, Ruthie Sanders of Indiana, Matthew Craig of Indiana; six grandchildren, Jessica, Leah, Ashley, Amanda, Spencer, and Ethan and five great-grandchildren.

The family will receive relatives and friends at a gathering at the Souls Harbor First Pentecostal Church, Bellevue on Thursday, September 20, 2012 from 5 to 8 p.m. and on Friday, September 21, 2012 from 6 to 7 p.m. Services will be held on Friday at 7 p.m. Committal services with military honors will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2012 in Bellevue Cemetery at 10 a.m.

Memorial contributions may be made in Rev. Craig's memory to the Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-Bellevue.

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### **EASTER, DEBRA E., 65**

Ocala - Debra E. Easter, 65, received her angel wings on September 18, 2012.

She is survived by her husband, Larry Easter; daughters, Cara Fitzgerald and Tonya Mostow; and son, Lantz Easter.

Services will be at 2 p.m. on September 21st, 2012 at 1st United Methodist Church of Dunnellon, 21501 West Highway 40, Dunnellon, FL., 34431.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the American Kidney Foundation:

[www.kidneyfund.org](http://www.kidneyfund.org)

or 800-638-8299.

Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266

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**FAIVER, JACQUELINE M.**

Ocala - Jacqueline M. Faiver, of Sebastian, passed away unexpectedly Thursday, September 13, 2012 in Ocala.

Born in Farmington, CT, July 8, 1986, beloved daughter of Cynthia and James Hardin of Sebastian, she was a graduate of Sebastian River High School and attended Valencia Community College.

Jacqueline was an avid music lover and was always singing. She always showed concern for others with her kindness and enjoyed spending time with dogs and children. Besides her mom and stepfather, she is survived by her sister, Ashley Faiver of Bristol, CT; her grandmother, Antionette Shine of Sebastian; longtime boyfriend, Jonathan Lott of FL; and her father, David Faiver.

The Funeral Liturgy will be celebrated Saturday, September 22, 2012 at 10 a.m. in the Church of St. Mary Star of the Sea, Unionville, CT. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Jacqueline Favier Memorial Fund, for the benefit of music enrichment for young adults, at any Wells Fargo Bank. The family strongly encourages friends to share their memories of Jacqueline by visiting:

[www.ahernfuneralhome.com](http://www.ahernfuneralhome.com).

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**FINKS, HERBERT E., 80**

Ocala - Herbert E. Finks, "Pop and Papa", 80, of Belleview passed away on Monday, September 17, 2012 in Ocala.

He was born on January 26, 1932 in Cass County, Indiana. Not only was he a loving husband and father, Herb was a truck driver and an Army veteran of the Korean War. He also belonged to the First United Methodist Church of Lady Lake.

Herb is survived by his wife of 14 years Patricia; his sons, Herb Finks and Dennis Finks; his daughters, Vandie Finks, Dara Jo Finks, Charlene Whitehead, Cheryl Finks, Dorothy Ann Milliman and Skeeter McDavid; a brother, Donald Finks; a sister, Jeanette Finks Smith; and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren; nieces, nephews and friends.

A visitation will be held on Friday, September 21, 2012 from 5 until 7 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL., 34480.

Condolences can be left at:

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**GREEN JR., WILLIE. 87**

Ocala - Mr. Willie Green Jr. 87, resident of Ocala, Florida received the call of life well lived on September 14, 2012.

He served in the U.S. Military and was a retired butcher. He was a member of New St. John Baptist Church of Ocala.

Mr. Willie Green leaves to share his precious memory, his wife, Barbara Green; 13 children, Roger Green, Tonya L. Green, Willie Green III, Quincy Eugene Green, Louise Green, Juanita Davis, Zola Stevenson, Jeanetta Graham, Sherry A. Green, John L. Green, Agnes Boyd, Minister Reginald B. Green, Louretta M. Wallace; 44 grandchildren, 43 great-grands and five great-great grands; one brother; and two sisters.

The services for the late Mr. Willie Green Jr. will be held on Saturday, at 2 p.m., September 22, 2012 at New St. John Baptist Church, 2251 Northwest 2nd Street in Ocala, Florida. Visitation hours will be held one hour prior to services. The burial will follow immediately in the Chestnut Cemetery in Ocala, Florida.

Services are under the professional care of Carnegie Funeral Home, 217 SE 4th Ave. Chiefland, Florida.

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### **LeVAR, JR., DAVID PRESTON, 57**

Ocala - David Preston LeVar, Jr., born May 11, 1955 in Mesa, Arizona, passed on September 12, 2012 in Marion County at age of 57. He was a dog lover and an avid fisherman. Loved and will not be forgotten, he is survived by his son, Chad David LeVar, sisters: Tammie Havis and Charlotte Sims, brothers-in-law: Tony Havis and Paul Sims, and other family members.

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Preceded in death by his sister, Lillian; brother, Peter and son, James. Survived by his wife of 65 years, Gertrude K. McEnery; daughter, Karen Cummins of Short Hills, NJ; grandsons Brendan Cummins of Hoboken, NJ and Erik Cummins of Newport Beach, CA.

Mass of Resurrection will be offered at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, September 20, 2012 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Private cremation will follow under the direction of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL. Burial will be on Tuesday, September 25, 2012 in Long Island National Cemetery, Farmingdale, NY.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County, Legacy House.

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Michael will also be missed by his two favorite couch-potato Pugs, Otis and Milo.

A celebration of Michael's life will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, September 22, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL.

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### **PERRY JR., FREEMAN, 57**

Reddick - Mr. Perry was a member of Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Flemington, Florida and a graduate from North Marion High School class of '73.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2012, 11 a.m. at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church. Elder LC. Hunt will conduct the words of comfort; Reverend Michael Maeweather presiding.

Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 until 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Perry's residence (10041 W. Hwy 318, Flemington) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy.

Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Perry are his mother: Cherry Lee Perry, brothers: Clarence Perry, Carlton Williams, Douglas Williams, and his sister: Vanessa Richardson.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 21, 2012**

#### **BROWN, BERTHA L.**

Ocala - Bertha L. Brown passed away on September 12, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center.

Services will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Progressive Union Missionary Baptist Church. Pastor Derrell Redding, eulogist, Paster Leon L. Thomas, officiating. Interment will be at Progressive Union Cemetery, Zuber, FL. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Inc. (352)563-1394

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#### **CRAIG, GLENN WALLACE, 88**

Bellevue - Glenn Wallace Craig, 88, of Bellevue passed away Tuesday, September 18, 2012.

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The family will receive relatives and friends at a gathering at the Souls Harbor First Pentecostal Church, Belleview on Thursday, September 20, 2012 from 5 to 8 p.m. and on Friday, September 21, 2012 from 6 to 7 p.m. Services will be held on Friday at 7 p.m. Committal services with military honors will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2012 in Belleview Cemetery at 10 a.m.

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### **FREUND, JOANNE ELISABETH SCHIFFLIN, 87**

Dunwoody, GA - Joanne Elisabeth Schifflin Freund, 87, of Dunwoody, Georgia, passed away on Sunday, September 16, 2012.

She was born October 3, 1924 in Evanston, Illinois, to Arthur Krissler Schifflin and Elisabeth Harder Schifflin. She is preceded in death by her loving husband, William John Freund, and her sister, Diane Inez Freund Hampton. She leaves behind her daughters, Beth Arenburg (Rick) and Barbara Waters (James); her stepson, Gene Freund (Sharon); grandchildren, Jon Freund (Tara) and Laura Geasland (Brian); great-grandchildren, Drew Freund, Bree Geasland and Max Freund; and many nieces and nephews. She also leaves behind her extended Arenburg, Leydon, Moore and Bone families.

Joanne graduated from the University of Minnesota with a degree in Library Science. She was active in the Order of the Eastern Star in both Clearfield, Utah and Ocala, Florida, and in the Social Order of the Beauceant in Ocala, Florida.

There will be a private service at the time of internment. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Joanne's memory to the Cross and Crown Lutheran Church, 4276 Chamblee-Dunwoody Road, Atlanta, Georgia, 30341.

HM Patterson Oglethorpe Hill Chapel is serving the family, 404-261-3510.

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**HARTNETT, IRENE "SUE" SOLANA, 81**

Ocala - Irene "Sue" Solana Hartnett, 81, beloved mother, grandmother, sister and friend passed away on September 19, 2012 at Tuscan House.

She was born on December 10, 1930 in Centerville, PA. She was a homemaker and paraprofessional for Marion County School Board for 20 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala and was a choir member for many years.

She is survived by her children, Diane Kleier, George "Bucky" Solana Jr., Susan (Steve) Johnson and Nancy (Dan) Post; six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and four brothers.

She was preceded in death by her husband, George Edward Solana, who passed away on November 19, 1989 and husband Robert Hartnett Sr., who passed away on November 21, 2006.

The funeral service will take place at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview on Sunday, September 23, 2012 at 2 p.m. with a viewing beginning at 1:30 p.m. Burial will follow at Hillcrest Cemetery, Ocala.

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**KASH JR., DANIEL " DANNY" EDWARD**

Ocala - Daniel (Danny) Edward Kash Jr. was born on July 31, 1947, in Bayshore, NY to Daniel and Mildred Kash Sr. Danny moved to Ocala 55 yrs ago from NY.

He worked at Sears for 20 years and retired as warehouse manager. He worked at Ocala Fire Department as an engineer and one of the first paramedics of the Ocala Fire Department from 1975-1984. As a firefighter he established the blue reflector on the roads to mark where the fire hydrants are located.

He served in the U.S. Army as a Military Policeman for four years and was honorably discharged as an SSGT (E6) during the Vietnam Era.

Danny enjoyed the outdoors doing yard work, playing and watching golf. He enjoyed spending time with his granddaughter Addison and his grand niece and nephew Bayler and Colt. He was always there to help others. He enjoyed watching westerns, especially John Wayne.

As a child he pitched no hitters for the Ocala Lions Club Cubs, and award winning tennis and ping pong player.

Danny is survived by his wife of 46 years, Barbara (Bratcher) Kash; sons Greg (Danielle) Kash, Kevin Kash; and granddaughter, Addison Lenora Kash all of Ocala. He also leaves behind three brothers, Mike, Dennis, Jimmy Kash and a sister Maureen McNeill. He is preceded in death by his parents, Daniel and Mildred Kash and the family dog, "Beans" his dessert buddy.

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### **MICHAUD, EDWARD ALBERT, 69**

Bellevue - Edward Albert Michaud, 69, went home to be with the Lord on September 19, 2012 surrounded by his immediate family.

Edward was born August 9, 1943 in Presque Isle, Maine to Thomas and Lillian (Bear) Michaud. Edward lived with his foster family, John and Albertha Cyr most of his entire youth in Caribou. Edward attended and graduated Caribou High School in 1963. He immediately joined the U.S. Army, serving in Germany from 1963-1966.

He married Jean (Olmstead) Michaud in February 1968. Edward was employed by the U.S. Postal Service in Bridgeport, CT and Ocala, FL for 42 years. Edward is a member of the Houlton, Maine Band of Maliseet Indians. After his retirement he could be found on the golf course. Edward was a loving husband and father. He and his wife served as foster parents in Ocala, FL for 30 years giving a loving and stable home to many children.

Edward was very active at Memorial Baptist Church with the Children's Bus Ministry and also in the church choir.

Edward is survived by his wife, Jean; sons, Edward M. from Waxhaw, NC, Kristofer D. from Chesapeake, VA, David from NH, Michael and Derik from Caribou, ME and Todd from Ocala, FL; daughters, Joy and Brandi Michaud of Ocala, FL. He was the proud grandfather of Molly, Jack, Taylor, Lauren, Chloe and Cayden Michaud and Emily Golding.

Also surviving is a brother, William Michaud from Ashland, ME; sisters, Edith Essex, Hawthorne, FL, Regina St. Amant, Brooksville, VA, Alice Pomfret, New Smyrna Beach, FL, Irene Wambaugh, Michigan, Margaret Reiger, Gainesville, FL and Joan Zimmerly, Daytona Beach, FL. He is predeceased by a daughter, Angel Dawn Michaud; two grandsons, Clay and Lane Golding; and a brother, John Michaud of Presque Isle, ME.

Viewing will be held at the Memorial Baptist Church, 3693 SE 95th Street, Ocala, FL, 34480, on Saturday, September 22, 2012 from 1 until 2 p.m. with services immediately following with Pastor Michael West officiating.

In lieu of flowers, Edward's wishes are for donations to be given to Memorial Baptist Church in his memory. Burial will be in the Northern Maine Veterans Cemetery with Rev. Larry Palmer officiating. Online condolences may be sent at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Bellevue.

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### **PERRY JR., FREEMAN, 57**

Reddick - Mr. Perry was a member of Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church,

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Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2012, 11 a.m. at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church. Elder LC. Hunt will conduct the words of comfort; Reverend Michael Maeweather presiding.

Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 until 7 p.m. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Perry's residence (10041 W. Hwy 318, Flemington) on Saturday at 10:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy.

Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Perry are his mother: Cherry Lee Perry, brothers: Clarence Perry, Carlton Williams, Douglas Williams, and his sister: Vanessa Richardson.

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### **SMITH, EDNA SIMPSON SADLER, 100**

Ocala - Edna Simpson Sadler Smith celebrated her 100th birthday on May 25, 2012 and passed gently into the arms of our Lord on September 19, 2012 at the home of her daughter.

Edna was born in Pine Bluff, AR to Tom and Etta Simpson. She moved to Ocala in her early twenties. She loved to study her Bible, write Bible lessons, teach Sunday School and talk about Jesus. As a young mother, she raised her children in church and even drove the Olivet Baptist Church bus picking up other families for church also.

Edna was predeceased by her parents; her twin brother, Edwin; brother Ralph; sister Josephine; husband, Cardon Smith; and beloved son, John David Sadler. She is survived by son, Kenneth Sadler (Patsy), Burleson, TX; daughters, Louise Gunn, Montgomery, AL, and Marjorie Forrest (Steve), Ocala, FL; grandson, Richard Honel, Montgomery, AL; granddaughters, Susan Shreve, Millington, TN, Anita Ellenberger and Charlotte Tackett, Burleson, TX; eight great-grandchildren and 11 great-great grandchildren; one brother, Sid Simpson (Hattie), Springdale, AK; niece, B.J. Hall, Ocala, as well as several other nieces and nephews.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, September 22nd, 2012 at Olivet Baptist Church with interment following at Barnes Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Florida, 34474.

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### **TUCKEY, GARETH W. "GARY", 89**

Ocala- Gareth W. "Gary" Tuckey, 89, of Ocala, FL., peacefully passed away on Wednesday, September 19, 2012.

He was a career U.S. Army veteran having served in World War II and Vietnam. Gary retired in 1970 with the rank of Lt. Colonel. During World War II he served with the 42nd Rainbow Division and remained active at their annual reunions. Following his military service, he worked with the Internal Revenue Service for several years. He was an AARP tax aide volunteer, a lifetime member of the Angela Santos V.F.W. Post #4781 and the General Francis Marion Stamp Club. He was also active with the Cherrywood Estates Veterans Club.

He was preceded in death by daughter, Teri. Gary is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Virginia Tuckey; son Thom Tuckey and his wife Kathy of Augusta, GA; grandchildren Elisa, Travis and Jessica and great-grandson Tyler.

The funeral service will be held on Monday, September 24, 2012 at 11 a.m. in the TimberRidge



Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Family will receive their friends from 10 a.m. until service time. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with full military honors.

Memorial contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478. Condolences may be expressed to:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 22, 2012**

#### **BRITT, PAYTON LEVELL, 66**

Ocala - Payton Levell Britt, age 66, died at home unexpectedly on September 19, 2012.

Born September 17, 1946 in South Carolina, he lived in Ocala, FL. Payton was a member of The Moose Lodge, Silver Springs Shores, FL.

Survivors include his wife, Tina Britt of Ocala, FL; his mother, Annie Mae Cross of Darlington, SC; brother Bill Britt, of Ocala, FL; two sisters, Lila McGee, of Florence, SC and Irene Martin of Hendersonville, NC; seven children, Teresa Britt Collins of Florence SC, Ed Britt of Punta Gorda, FL, Mike Britt, of Ocala, FL Pamela Britt Sanders, of Bossier City, LA, Payton Britt, Jr. of Longview, TX, Ronald Britt, of Ocala, FL, Beverly Britt Schrenker, of Ocala, FL; 17 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his two brothers, Ronald Britt, of Leesburg, FL and Jack Britt, of Port Charlotte, FL; and his father William Britt, of Ocala.

He will remain in our hearts forever!

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#### **BROWN, BERTHA L.**

Ocala - Bertha L. Brown passed away on September 12, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center.

Services will be held on Saturday, September 22, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Progressive Union Missionary Baptist Church. Pastor Derrell Redding, eulogist, Paster Leon L. Thomas, officiating. Interment will be at Progressive Union Cemetery, Zuber, FL. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Inc. (352)563-1394

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#### **BROWN, MARGERY PATRICIA, 83**

Ocala - Margery Patricia Brown passed away at the Legacy House in Ocala on September 19, 2012. She was born on October 5, 1928 to Harold and Leah (Lowe) Braun in Philadelphia PA. Margery married Arthur F. Brown on June 4, 1955 in Baltimore MD and they raised four children together. After spending many years working in Tucson, AZ. Margery and Arthur retired to Ocala in 1995, settling in Cherrywood Estates, where they had many wonderful friends.

In addition to Arthur, Margery was preceded in death by her son Michael Brown and her grandson Eric McAlpin. She is survived by daughter Diane (Pat) McAlpin, son Steven (Mary) Brown, and daughter Sherry (David) Garcia. Margery is also survived by her grandchildren Angela (Bill) Weiman, Matthew Garcia, Chris (Robin) Brown, Carlie Ann Brown, Craig Brown, Lindsay Brown and Kristen (Bryan) Pierson, and four great-grandchildren.

A Celebration of Margery's Life is scheduled for September 22nd at 2 pm at the Cherrywood Estates clubhouse. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Legacy House or to the American Cancer Society .

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**FREUND, JOANNE ELISABETH SCHIFFLIN, 87**

Dunwoody, GA - Joanne Elisabeth Schifflin Freund, 87, of Dunwoody, Georgia, passed away on Sunday, September 16, 2012.

She was born October 3, 1924 in Evanston, Illinois, to Arthur Krissler Schifflin and Elisabeth Harder Schifflin. She is preceded in death by her loving husband, William John Freund, and her sister, Diane Inez Freund Hampton. She leaves behind her daughters, Beth Arenburg (Rick) and Barbara Waters (James); her stepson, Gene Freund (Sharon); grandchildren, Jon Freund (Tara) and Laura Geasland (Brian); great-grandchildren, Drew Freund, Bree Geasland and Max Freund; and many nieces and nephews. She also leaves behind her extended Arenburg, Leydon, Moore and Bone families.

Joanne graduated from the University of Minnesota with a degree in Library Science. She was active in the Order of the Eastern Star in both Clearfield, Utah and Ocala, Florida, and in the Social Order of the Beauceant in Ocala, Florida.

There will be a private service at the time of internment. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Joanne's memory to the Cross and Crown Lutheran Church, 4276 Chamblee-Dunwoody Road, Atlanta, Georgia, 30341.

HM Patterson Oglethorpe Hill Chapel is serving the family, 404-261-3510.

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**GERRARD, SHARON ANN**

Sharon Ann Gerrard, 68, resident of Ocala, Florida, died Thursday, September 20, 2012, in Shands Hospital at the University of Florida, following a brief illness.

Mrs. Gerrard was born on December 30, 1943 in Worcester, Massachusetts, to the late Wilford and Edna Garvey Paradise. After receiving her nursing degree, she specialized in Labor and Delivery, eventually joining the U.S. Navy. She served for over 21 years in various duty stations, retiring as a lieutenant commander in Ocala. She devoted herself to her family, especially her grandchildren.

She is survived by her husband, Wade J. Gerrard, of Ocala; three daughters, Donna (Don) McAfee, of Gainesville, Amy Akers, of Fernandina Beach, and Jessica (Darby) Boyce, of Jacksonville; two sons, Steven Dube, of Orlando, and Joshua (Tilo) Gerrard, of Berlin, Germany; two sisters, Diane (Mike) Zoppo, of Holden, Mass, and Susie Morris, of Kissimmee; one brother, Billy (Antoinette) Paradise, of Spencer, Mass.; six grandchildren, Zachary McAfee, Joshua McAfee, Victoria Akers, Savannah Boyce, Alyson Akers, and Darby Boyce.

The family will receive friends on Sunday, September 23, 2012 from 1:00 to 3:00 P.M., in the WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME WESTAREA, 823 NW 143rd St; which will be followed by a wake at the McAfee home. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery, at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations should be made to the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Post Office Box 4527, New York, NY 10163.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA 352-376-7556

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**HARTNETT, IRENE "SUE" SOLANA, 81**

Ocala - Irene "Sue" Solana Hartnett, 81, beloved mother, grandmother, sister and friend passed away on September 19, 2012 at Tuscany House.

She was born on December 10, 1930 in Centerville, PA. She was a homemaker and paraprofessional for Marion County School Board for 20 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Ocala and was a choir member for many years.

She is survived by her children, Diane Kleier, George "Bucky" Solana Jr., Susan (Steve) Johnson and Nancy (Dan) Post; six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and four brothers.

She was preceded in death by her husband, George Edward Solana, who passed away on November 19, 1989 and husband Robert Hartnett Sr., who passed away on November 21, 2006.

The funeral service will take place at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview on Sunday, September 23, 2012 at 2 p.m. with a viewing beginning at 1:30 p.m. Burial will follow at Hillcrest Cemetery, Ocala.

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**KASH JR., DANIEL "DANNY" EDWARD**

Ocala - Daniel (Danny) Edward Kash Jr. was born on July 31, 1947, in Bayshore, NY to Daniel and Mildred Kash Sr. Danny moved to Ocala 55 yrs ago from NY.

He worked at Sears for 20 years and retired as warehouse manager. He worked at Ocala Fire Department as an engineer and one of the first paramedics of the Ocala Fire Department from 1975-1984. As a firefighter he established the blue reflector on the roads to mark where the fire hydrants are located.

He served in the U.S. Army as a Military Policeman for four years and was honorably discharged as an SSGT (E6) during the Vietnam Era.

Danny enjoyed the outdoors doing yard work, playing and watching golf. He enjoyed spending time with his granddaughter Addison and his grand niece and nephew Bayler and Colt. He was always there to help others. He enjoyed watching westerns, especially John Wayne.

As a child he pitched no hitters for the Ocala Lions Club Cubs, and award winning tennis and ping pong player.

Danny is survived by his wife of 46 years, Barbara (Bratcher) Kash; sons Greg (Danielle) Kash, Kevin Kash; and granddaughter, Addison Lenora Kash all of Ocala. He also leaves behind three brothers, Mike, Dennis, Jimmy Kash and a sister Maureen McNeill. He is preceded in death by his parents, Daniel and Mildred Kash and the family dog, "Beans" his dessert buddy.

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**MICHAUD, EDWARD ALBERT, 69**

Belleview - Edward Albert Michaud, 69, went home to be with the Lord on September 19, 2012 surrounded by his immediate family.

Edward was born August 9, 1943 in Presque Isle, Maine to Thomas and Lillian (Bear) Michaud. Edward lived with his foster family, John and Albertha Cyr most of his entire youth in Caribou. Edward attended and graduated Caribou High School in 1963. He immediately joined the U.S. Army, serving in Germany from 1963-1966.

He married Jean (Olmstead) Michaud in February 1968. Edward was employed by the U.S. Postal Service in Bridgeport, CT and Ocala, FL for 42 years. Edward is a member of the Houlton, Maine Band of Maliseet Indians. After his retirement he could be found on the golf course. Edward was a loving husband and father. He and his wife served as foster parents in

Ocala, FL for 30 years giving a loving and stable home to many children.

Edward was very active at Memorial Baptist Church with the Children's Bus Ministry and also in the church choir.

Edward is survived by his wife, Jean; sons, Edward M. from Waxhaw, NC, Kristofer D. from Chesapeake, VA, David from NH, Michael and Derik from Caribou, ME and Todd from Ocala, FL; daughters, Joy and Brandi Michaud of Ocala, FL. He was the proud grandfather of Molly, Jack, Taylor, Lauren, Chloe and Cayden Michaud and Emily Golding.

Also surviving is a brother, William Michaud from Ashland, ME; sisters, Edith Essex, Hawthorne, FL, Regina St. Amant, Brooksville, VA, Alice Pomfret, New Smyrna Beach, FL, Irene Wambaugh, Michigan, Margaret Reiger, Gainesville, FL and Joan Zimmerly, Daytona Beach, FL. He is predeceased by a daughter, Angel Dawn Michaud; two grandsons, Clay and Lane Golding; and a brother, John Michaud of Presque Isle, ME.

Viewing will be held at the Memorial Baptist Church, 3693 SE 95th Street, Ocala, FL, 34480, on Saturday, September 22, 2012 from 1 until 2 p.m. with services immediately following with Pastor Michael West officiating.

In lieu of flowers, Edward's wishes are for donations to be given to Memorial Baptist Church in his memory. Burial will be in the Northern Maine Veterans Cemetery with Rev. Larry Palmer officiating. Online condolences may be sent at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview.

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### **SMITH, EDNA SIMPSON SADLER, 100**

Ocala - Edna Simpson Sadler Smith celebrated her 100th birthday on May 25, 2012 and passed gently into the arms of our Lord on September 19, 2012 at the home of her daughter.

Edna was born in Pine Bluff, AR to Tom and Etta Simpson. She moved to Ocala in her early twenties. She loved to study her Bible, write Bible lessons, teach Sunday School and talk about Jesus. As a young mother, she raised her children in church and even drove the Olivet Baptist Church bus picking up other families for church also.

Edna was predeceased by her parents; her twin brother, Edwin; brother Ralph; sister Josephine; husband, Cardon Smith; and beloved son, John David Sadler. She is survived by son, Kenneth Sadler (Patsy), Burleson, TX; daughters, Louise Gunn, Montgomery, AL, and Marjorie Forrest (Steve), Ocala, FL; grandson, Richard Honel, Montgomery, AL; granddaughters, Susan Shreve, Millington, TN, Anita Ellenberger and Charlotte Tackett, Burleson, TX; eight great-grandchildren and 11 great-great grandchildren; one brother, Sid Simpson (Hattie), Springdale, AK; niece, B.J. Hall, Ocala, as well as several other nieces and nephews.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, September 22nd, 2012 at Olivet Baptist Church with interment following at Barnes Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, Florida, 34474.

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### **TOUCHET, ADAM MITCHELL, 32**

Citra - Adam Mitchell Touchet passed away on September 17, 2012 in Morehead, KY.

Born in Durham, NC, he moved to Marion County in 1997 and graduated from North Marion High School in 1998. He is survived by his parents, Christopher and Edie Touchet, Citra;

brother, Butch Gordon Touchet, San Mateo; and sister, Madonna Touchet Baglin, Tampa. Visitation will be held Sunday, September 23, 2012 from 6 until 8 p.m., at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. A private graveside service for immediate family only will be 10 a.m., Monday, September 24, 2012 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Pastor Paul Daniels officiating.

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**TUCKEY, GARETH W. "GARY", 89**

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He was preceded in death by daughter, Teri. Gary is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Virginia Tuckey; son Thom Tuckey and his wife Kathy of Augusta, GA; grandchildren Elisa, Travis and Jessica and great-grandson Tyler.

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Memorial contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478. Condolences may be expressed to: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**BAZO, CORINNE JOY HILL, 62**

Front Royal, VA - Corinne Joy Hill Bazo 62, of Front Royal, VA died Sunday, September 9th 2012 in Beverly Hills, FL of natural causes.

She was born in Arlington, VA on June 30th 1950. She graduated from Warren County High School in 1968. She received a Nursing Degree from Alexandria School of Nursing in 1972. Joy always lived life to the fullest, and served as an inspiration for those who knew her. Her absence in this world will be felt and her inspiration missed. She is survived by her mother, Carolyn; her two sons, John and Peter; her brothers, Richard and Paul; and her sister, Ann.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., September 29th, 2012, at Seven Rivers Presbyterian Church in Lecanto, FL. For further information contact the church at (352) 746-6200.

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**BRITT, PAYTON LEVELL, 66**

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Survivors include his wife, Tina Britt of Ocala, FL; his mother, Annie Mae Cross of Darlington,

SC; brother Bill Britt, of Ocala, FL; two sisters, Lila McGee, of Florence, SC and Irene Martin of Hendersonville, NC; seven children, Teresa Britt Collins of Florence SC, Ed Britt of Punta Gorda, FL, Mike Britt, of Ocala, FL Pamela Britt Sanders, of Bossier City, LA, Payton Britt, Jr. of Longview, TX, Ronald Britt, of Ocala, FL, Beverly Britt Schrenker, of Ocala, FL; 17 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his two brothers, Ronald Britt, of Leesburg, FL and Jack Britt, of Port Charlotte, FL; and his father William Britt, of Ocala.

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In addition to Arthur, Margery was preceded in death by her son Michael Brown and her grandson Eric McAlpin. She is survived by daughter Diane (Pat) McAlpin, son Steven (Mary) Brown, and daughter Sherry (David) Garcia. Margery is also survived by her grandchildren Angela (Bill) Weiman, Matthew Garcia, Chris (Robin) Brown, Carlie Ann Brown, Craig Brown, Lindsay Brown and Kristen (Bryan) Pierson, and four great-grandchildren.

A Celebration of Margery's Life is scheduled for September 22nd at 2 pm at the Cherrywood Estates clubhouse. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Legacy House or to the American Cancer Society .

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### **COLE, KENNETH SELA**

Ocala, FL - Kenneth Sela Cole entered into eternal rest on September 18, 2012.

Ken was preceded in death by his beloved wife Sandra Lee (Mabry).

He is survived by his loving sister Norsela Cole of Selkirk, NY, his niece Jennifer Wood-yard of Schenectady, NY, his nephew Sean Woodyard (Christine) of Ontario, NY. Ken is also survived by his sister-in-Law Judith Mabry of Ocala, his Good Friend Linda McFarland, also of Ocala.

Ken's family offers their deepest appreciation to Judy and Linda for all their kindness and support they've given to Ken during the past 3 years. Ken spoke often of you both, your help meant so much to him. In keeping with Ken's wishes, graveside memorial services will be held at Lake-side Memory Garden, Eustis, FL., at a later date.

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### **GARRISON, CLARENCE EDWARD, 67**

Ocala - Clarence Edward Garrison, 67, of Ocala, passed away September 20, 2012.

Born in Luxora, Arkansas, he moved to this area eight months ago from Buckner, MO. He was retired from Garrison Auto Sales, a business he owned and operated with his wife in Grandview, MO. Mr. Garrison was also a U.S. Air Force veteran, attended Southwest Christian Church of Ocala and loved playing poker.

He is survived by his wife, Kimberly Garrison, whom he has been with for 12 years; grandson,

Christopher Garrison of Marshall, MO.; step-daughter, Elizabeth Davis Jeffers of Belton, MO.; and his aunt, Opal Spencer of Marion, IL. A condolence message can be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Southwest Christian Church 9045 SW 60th Ave., Ocala, FL, 34476.

Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, 352-854-2266.

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### **GERRARD, SHARON ANN**

Sharon Ann Gerrard, 68, resident of Ocala, Florida, died Thursday, September 20, 2012, in Shands Hospital at the University of Florida, following a brief illness.

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She is survived by her husband, Wade J. Gerrard, of Ocala; three daughters, Donna (Don) McAfee, of Gainesville, Amy Akers, of Fernandina Beach, and Jessica (Darby) Boyce, of Jacksonville; two sons, Steven Dube, of Orlando, and Joshua (Tilo) Gerrard, of Berlin, Germany; two sisters, Diane (Mike) Zoppo, of Holden, Mass, and Susie Morris, of Kissimmee; one brother, Billy (Antoinette) Paradise, of Spencer, Mass.; six grandchildren, Zachary McAfee, Joshua McAfee, Victoria Akers, Savannah Boyce, Alyson Akers, and Darby Boyce.

The family will receive friends on Sunday, September 23, 2012 from 1:00 to 3:00 P.M., in the WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME WESTAREA, 823 NW 143rd St; which will be followed by a wake at the McAfee home. Interment will be in Florida National Cemetery, at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations should be made to the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Post Office Box 4527, New York, NY 10163.

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352-376-7556

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### **HILL, LYNN CLARENCE**

High Springs , FL - Lynn Clarence Hill, 67, of High Springs, FL passed away Wednesday, September 5, 2012 at his residence in Summerville, SC.

Mr. Hill was born May 27, 1945 in Miami, FL, a son of Johnnie Hill and Sara Casey. He spent his early adulthood serving our country in the Navy and continued his career as a Director of Operations with Margie Wood Trucking Company of Belleview, FL. Mr. Hill was a Christian who centered his life around his family, which he considered to be his greatest treasure.

He is survived by his adoring wife Melba Hope-Hill; a son, Dustin Lynn Hill, of Ocala, FL; daughters, Kim Hill Akins and Lori Hill Clark both of Bell, FL; and grandchildren, Alexis Lynn Hill of Ocala, FL, Courtney Akins, Brett Clark and Brandon Clark of Bell, FL. He is also survived by many loving extended family members. He was predeceased by his parents Johnnie Hill and Sara Casey.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to: United Hospice of Charleston, One Poston Road Charleston, SC, 29407.

A memorial service will be held in the Chapel of Forest Lawn at 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala on Saturday, September 29th, 2012 at 2 p.m. with Mr. Gene Goolsby officiating.  
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**JONES, DAVID P., 52**

Clarendon Hills, IL - David P. Jones was received into the arms of his Heavenly Father on Friday, September 14, 2012.

He joins his father Royal W. and mother Delma E. (Blevins) Jones both of whom he sacrificially cared for in the last 17 and 8 years of their lives, respectively.

Born in Akron, Ohio on February 6, 1960 he is the younger brother to Linda (Jim, deceased) Smith, Ocala, FL; Laura Bell, Mason, OH; Deborah (Paul) Allen, Clarendon Hills, IL. He is survived by many nieces, nephews and friends.

A celebration of life service will be held Tuesday, September 25th at 10 a.m. at Church of Hope, 3233 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be directed to:

Art Institute of Chicago

312-499-4111

www.artic@edu

or Appleton Museum

352-291-4455

www.appletonmuseum.org

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**MILLER, CHARLES WAYNE, 72**

Ocala - Mr. Charles Wayne Miller, 72, of Ocala, FL went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, August 21, 2012 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, Florida.

Wayne was born on January 17, 1940, in Grover Hill, Ohio to parents, Charles (Willie) and Barbara A. (Funk) Miller. He was an administrative director of clinical laboratories with Tenet Health Care, working in Kirksville, MO and New Orleans, LA. He moved to Gulfport, MS, taking a job as Director of Laboratories at Biloxi Regional Hospital. He was in the Army Reserve Medic Corps, retiring as a Sgt. Major after 25 years of service. He was the proud recipient of the Army Commendation Medal, the Humanitarian Service Medal, the Army Achievement Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, and especially proud of the St Louis Globe Soldier of the Year Award.

Wayne graduated from Elkhart University in 1959 with a certificate in Medical Technology. Later, in 1984, he completed his Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration/Personnel Management from Truman State University.

On April 5th, 1980 in Kirksville, Missouri he married Donna Nichols. He was a member of the former Grover Hill Church of Christ. He belonged to the Masons, Shriners, Lions Club and Red Cross. He loved hunting, fishing and antique cars.

He was preceded in death by his father, his father-in-law, Dale Nichols; brother, Kevin N. Miller; brother-in-law, Jim Yahn; niece, Victoria Yahn; and nephew, Nicholas Spilker. He will be greatly missed by those who survive him, including his wife, Donna Miller of Ocala; his son, Collin Wayne (Brittany) of Biloxi, MS; daughter, Saricca (Jason) Taunton of Gulfport, MS; mother, Barbara Miller of Lady Lake, FL; grandson, Christian Ashford of Gulfport, MS; brother, Duane Kent (Gloria) Miller of The Villages, FL.; sister, Marlene (Doug) Foss of Ohio City, OH.



A memorial service will be held on September 29, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW 200, Ocala, FL.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL., 34481, in Wayne's honor. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266

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**MITCHELL, STEVEN THOMAS, 60**

Ocala - Steven Thomas Mitchell, 60, of Ocala, FL passed away September 11, 2012.

Steve was born in Panama City, FL in 1952. He was the son of Air Force Sergeant, Thomas Mitchell and Lavona Mitchell. Steve was raised in Homestead, FL. He attended college on a golf scholarship and eventually played on the Florida PGA Tour for nine years after graduating. Steve married his wife, Suzanne in 1981 and moved to the North Central Florida area thereafter and in time, became the proud father of four children: Tasha (Emmett) Cristie, Julianne, and Thomas (Stephanie). For the past 31 years, Steve was an entrepreneur and successfully ran his own business.

Steven had unconditional love for his family, had a passion for the outdoors and was an avid hunter and fisherman. In 2010, he co-founded Hunters in Christ Kingdom (H.I.C.K.), a nonprofit Christian hunting organization with long time friend Bert Thomas.

In addition to his wife and children, Steven is survived by his older brother, Jim, and two grandchildren, Claire and Catherine.

A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, September 29th, 2012, at Meadowbrook Church of Ocala, 4741 SW 20th St., Ocala.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Hunt of a Lifetime Foundation:

[www.huntofalifetime.org](http://www.huntofalifetime.org).

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**ROLLINS, LILLIAN A.**

Ocala, FL - Lillian A. Rollins, celebrated her 86th birthday on January 5, 2012 and passed gently into the arms of her Lord on September 21, 2012.

She was born in Springfield Massachusetts to Mildred and Theodore Arel. She graduated from Commerce High School and married her high school sweetheart Howard E. Rollins Jr. when he returned from World War II. Together they raised four children.

She was a secretary par excellence and after moving to Hollywood Florida in 1961 was promoted to the position of office manager with Broward County Schools. She served in that capacity for McArthur High, Hallandale High, and retiring from South Plantation High in 1986 when they moved to Ocala.

Lillian served many years in the American Legion Auxiliary and supported Howard when he ran for Florida State Commander of the American Legion. She loved music and singing. She spent many enjoyable hours as a member of the Oak Run Troubadours. She was a recent contributing voice to the Oak Run Chords performing in local area Assisted Living Facilities. She was a long time member of St. John's United Methodist Church where she liberally shared her soprano voice with the choir.

She was predeceased by her parents and her husband. She is survived by her sister Shirley Lizotte, Suffield Ct., her children Linda Bertolami Ocala Fl., Sue Brown Ft. McCoy Fl., Howard E. Rollins 111 Royal Palm Beach Fl. and Cindy Hedland Hallandale Fl., as well as her

grandchildren Marc Dionio Ripon Ca., Matthew Bertolami U.S. Army, Chad Soukenik Ft. McCoy Fl., Jeremy Brown Ft. McCoy Fl., Jennifer Rollins Tallahassee Fl., Michele Lockwood West Park Fl., and 10 great grandchildren as well as many nieces and nephews.

Services will be held on Wednesday September 26th at St. John's United Methodist Church 12390 West Highway 328 with viewing at 11:00 am and service at 12:00 noon. Burial will follow at the Church cemetery. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala. Condolences may be expressed to [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **TOUCHET, ADAM MITCHELL, 32**

Citra - Adam Mitchell Touchet passed away on September 17, 2012 in Morehead, KY.

Born in Durham, NC, he moved to Marion County in 1997 and graduated from North Marion High School in 1998. He is survived by his parents, Christopher and Edie Touchet, Citra; brother, Butch Gordon Touchet, San Mateo; and sister, Madonna Touchet Baglin, Tampa.

Visitation will be held Sunday, September 23, 2012 from 6 until 8 p.m., at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. A private graveside service for immediate family only will be 10 a.m., Monday, September 24, 2012 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens with Pastor Paul Daniels officiating.

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### **TUCKEY, GARETH W. "GARY", 89**

Ocala- Gareth W. "Gary" Tuckey, 89, of Ocala, FL., peacefully passed away on Wednesday, September 19, 2012.

He was a career U.S. Army veteran having served in World War II and Vietnam. Gary retired in 1970 with the rank of Lt. Colonel. During World War II he served with the 42nd Rainbow Division and remained active at their annual reunions. Following his military service, he worked with the Internal Revenue Service for several years. He was an AARP tax aide volunteer, a lifetime member of the Angela Santos V.F.W. Post #4781 and the General Francis Marion Stamp Club. He was also active with the Cherrywood Estates Veterans Club.

He was preceded in death by daughter, Teri. Gary is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Virginia Tuckey; son Thom Tuckey and his wife Kathy of Augusta, GA; grandchildren Elisa, Travis and Jessica and great-grandson Tyler.

The funeral service will be held on Monday, September 24, 2012 at 11 a.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Family will receive their friends from 10 a.m. until service time. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with full military honors.

Memorial contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478. Condolences may be expressed to:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 24, 2012**

#### **BAZO, CORINNE JOY HILL, 62**

Front Royal, VA - Corinne Joy Hill Bazo 62, of Front Royal, VA died Sunday, September 9th 2012 in Beverly Hills, FL of natural causes.

She was born in Arlington, VA on June 30th 1950. She graduated from Warren County High School in 1968. She received a Nursing Degree from Alexandria School of Nursing in 1972. Joy always lived life to the fullest, and served as an inspiration for those who knew her. Her absence in this world will be felt and her inspiration missed. She is survived by her mother, Carolyn; her two sons, John and Peter; her brothers, Richard and Paul; and her sister, Ann.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., September 29th, 2012, at Seven Rivers Presbyterian Church in Lecanto, FL. For further information contact the church at (352) 746-6200.

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### **COLE, KENNETH SELA**

Ocala, FL - Kenneth Sela Cole entered into eternal rest on September 18, 2012.

Ken was preceded in death by his beloved wife Sandra Lee (Mabry).

He is survived by his loving sister Norsela Cole of Selkirk, NY, his niece Jennifer Wood-yard of Schenectady, NY, his nephew Sean Woodyard (Christine) of Ontario, NY. Ken is also survived by his sister-in-Law Judith Mabry of Ocala, his Good Friend Linda McFarland, also of Ocala.

Ken's family offers their deepest appreciation to Judy and Linda for all their kindness and support they've given to Ken during the past 3 years. Ken spoke often of you both, your help meant so much to him. In keeping with Ken's wishes, graveside memorial services will be held at Lake-side Memory Garden, Eustis, FL., at a later date.

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### **GARRISON, CLARENCE EDWARD, 67**

Ocala - Clarence Edward Garrison, 67, of Ocala, passed away September 20, 2012.

Born in Luxora, Arkansas, he moved to this area eight months ago from Buckner, MO. He was retired from Garrison Auto Sales, a business he owned and operated with his wife in Grandview, MO. Mr. Garrison was also a U.S. Air Force veteran, attended Southwest Christian Church of Ocala and loved playing poker.

He is survived by his wife, Kimberly Garrison, whom he has been with for 12 years; grandson, Christopher Garrison of Marshall, MO.; step-daughter, Elizabeth Davis Jeffers of Belton, MO.; and his aunt, Opal Spencer of Marion, IL. A condolence message can be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Southwest Christian Church 9045 SW 60th Ave., Ocala, FL, 34476.

Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, 352-854-2266.

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### **HILL, LYNN CLARENCE**

High Springs, FL - Lynn Clarence Hill, 67, of High Springs, FL passed away Wednesday, September 5, 2012 at his residence in Summerville, SC.

Mr. Hill was born May 27, 1945 in Miami, FL, a son of Johnnie Hill and Sara Casey. He spent his early adulthood serving our country in the Navy and continued his career as a Director of Operations with Margie Wood Trucking Company of Belleview, FL. Mr. Hill was a Christian who centered his life around his family, which he considered to be his greatest treasure.

He is survived by his adoring wife Melba Hope-Hill; a son, Dustin Lynn Hill, of Ocala, FL; daughters, Kim Hill Akins and Lori Hill Clark both of Bell, FL; and grandchildren, Alexis Lynn

Hill of Ocala, FL, Courtney Akins, Brett Clark and Brandon Clark of Bell, FL. He is also survived by many loving extended family members. He was predeceased by his parents Johnnie Hill and Sara Casey.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to: United Hospice of Charleston, One Poston Road Charleston, SC, 29407.

A memorial service will be held in the Chapel of Forest Lawn at 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala on Saturday, September 29th, 2012 at 2 p.m. with Mr. Gene Goolsby officiating.

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### **JONES, DAVID P., 52**

Clarendon Hills, IL - David P. Jones was received into the arms of his Heavenly Father on Friday, September 14, 2012.

He joins his father Royal W. and mother Delma E. (Blevins) Jones both of whom he sacrificially cared for in the last 17 and 8 years of their lives, respectively.

Born in Akron, Ohio on February 6, 1960 he is the younger brother to Linda (Jim, deceased) Smith, Ocala, FL; Laura Bell, Mason, OH; Deborah (Paul) Allen, Clarendon Hills, IL. He is survived by many nieces, nephews and friends.

A celebration of life service will be held Tuesday, September 25th at 10 a.m. at Church of Hope, 3233 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be directed to:

Art Institute of Chicago

312-499-4111

www.artic@edu

or Appleton Museum

352-291-4455

www.appletonmuseum.org

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### **MILLER, CHARLES WAYNE, 72**

Ocala - Mr. Charles Wayne Miller, 72, of Ocala, FL went to be with the Lord on Tuesday, August 21, 2012 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, Florida.

Wayne was born on January 17, 1940, in Grover Hill, Ohio to parents, Charles (Willie) and Barbara A. (Funk) Miller. He was an administrative director of clinical laboratories with Tenet Health Care, working in Kirksville, MO and New Orleans, LA. He moved to Gulfport, MS, taking a job as Director of Laboratories at Biloxi Regional Hospital. He was in the Army Reserve Medic Corps, retiring as a Sgt. Major after 25 years of service. He was the proud recipient of the Army Commendation Medal, the Humanitarian Service Medal, the Army Achievement Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, and especially proud of the St Louis Globe Soldier of the Year Award.

Wayne graduated from Elkhart University in 1959 with a certificate in Medical Technology. Later, in 1984, he completed his Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration/Personnel Management from Truman State University.

On April 5th, 1980 in Kirksville, Missouri he married Donna Nichols. He was a member of the former Grover Hill Church of Christ. He belonged to the Masons, Shriners, Lions Club and Red Cross. He loved hunting, fishing and antique cars.

He was preceded in death by his father, his father-in-law, Dale Nichols; brother, Kevin N.

Miller; brother-in-law, Jim Yahn; niece, Victoria Yahn; and nephew, Nicholas Spilker. He will be greatly missed by those who survive him, including his wife, Donna Miller of Ocala; his son, Collin Wayne (Brittany) of Biloxi, MS; daughter, Saricca (Jason) Taunton of Gulfport, MS; mother, Barbara Miller of Lady Lake, FL; grandson, Christian Ashford of Gulfport, MS; brother, Duane Kent (Gloria) Miller of The Villages, FL.; sister, Marlene (Doug) Foss of Ohio City, OH. A memorial service will be held on September 29, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW 200, Ocala, FL.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL., 34481, in Wayne's honor. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266

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### **MITCHELL, STEVEN THOMAS, 60**

Ocala - Steven Thomas Mitchell, 60, of Ocala, FL passed away September 11, 2012.

Steve was born in Panama City, FL in 1952. He was the son of Air Force Sergeant, Thomas Mitchell and Lavona Mitchell. Steve was raised in Homestead, FL. He attended college on a golf scholarship and eventually played on the Florida PGA Tour for nine years after graduating. Steve married his wife, Suzanne in 1981 and moved to the North Central Florida area thereafter and in time, became the proud father of four children: Tasha (Emmett) Cristie, Julianne, and Thomas (Stephanie). For the past 31 years, Steve was an entrepreneur and successfully ran his own business.

Steven had unconditional love for his family, had a passion for the outdoors and was an avid hunter and fisherman. In 2010, he co-founded Hunters in Christ Kingdom (H.I.C.K.), a nonprofit Christian hunting organization with long time friend Bert Thomas.

In addition to his wife and children, Steven is survived by his older brother, Jim, and two grandchildren, Claire and Catherine.

A memorial service will be held at 1 p.m. on Saturday, September 29th, 2012, at Meadowbrook Church of Ocala, 4741 SW 20th St., Ocala.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Hunt of a Lifetime Foundation:  
[www.huntofalifetime.org](http://www.huntofalifetime.org).

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### **ROLLINS, LILLIAN A.**

Ocala, FL - Lillian A. Rollins, celebrated her 86th birthday on January 5, 2012 and passed gently into the arms of her Lord on September 21, 2012.

She was born in Springfield Massachusetts to Mildred and Theodore Arel. She graduated from Commerce High School and married her high school sweetheart Howard E. Rollins Jr. when he returned from World War II. Together they raised four children.

She was a secretary par excellence and after moving to Hollywood Florida in 1961 was promoted to the position of office manager with Broward County Schools. She served in that capacity for McArthur High, Hallandale High, and retiring from South Plantation High in 1986 when they moved to Ocala.

Lillian served many years in the American Legion Auxiliary and supported Howard when he ran for Florida State Commander of the American Legion. She loved music and singing. She spent many enjoyable hours as a member of the Oak Run Troubadours. She was a recent contributing voice to the Oak Run Chords performing in local area Assisted Living Facilities. She was a long

time member of St. John's United Methodist Church where she liberally shared her soprano voice with the choir.

She was predeceased by her parents and her husband. She is survived by her sister Shirley Lizotte, Suffield Ct., her children Linda Bertolami Ocala Fl., Sue Brown Ft. McCoy Fl., Howard E. Rollins 111 Royal Palm Beach Fl. and Cindy Hedland Hallandale Fl., as well as her grandchildren Marc Dionio Ripon Ca., Matthew Bertolami U.S. Army, Chad Soukenik Ft. McCoy Fl., Jeremy Brown Ft. McCoy Fl., Jennifer Rollins Tallahassee Fl., Michele Lockwood West Park Fl., and 10 great grandchildren as well as many nieces and nephews.

Services will be held on Wednesday September 26th at St. John's United Methodist Church 12390 West Highway 328 with viewing at 11:00 am and service at 12:00 noon. Burial will follow at the Church cemetery. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala. Condolences may be expressed to [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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He was preceded in death by daughter, Teri. Gary is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Virginia Tuckey; son Thom Tuckey and his wife Kathy of Augusta, GA; grandchildren Elisa, Travis and Jessica and great-grandson Tyler.

The funeral service will be held on Monday, September 24, 2012 at 11 a.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Family will receive their friends from 10 a.m. until service time. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with full military honors.

Memorial contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL., 34478. Condolences may be expressed to:

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 25, 2012**

#### **BAZO, CORINNE JOY HILL, 62**

Front Royal, VA - Corinne Joy Hill Bazo 62, of Front Royal, VA died Sunday, September 9th 2012 in Beverly Hills, FL of natural causes.

She was born in Arlington, VA on June 30th 1950. She graduated from Warren County High School in 1968. She received a Nursing Degree from Alexandria School of Nursing in 1972. Joy always lived life to the fullest, and served as an inspiration for those who knew her. Her absence in this world will be felt and her inspiration missed. She is survived by her mother, Carolyn; her two sons, John and Peter; her brothers, Richard and Paul; and her sister, Ann.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., September 29th, 2012, at Seven Rivers Presbyterian

Church in Lecanto, FL. For further information contact the church at (352) 746-6200.  
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**BROWN, JOHNNY RAY, 46**

Hopkinsville, KY - Johnny Ray Brown, 46, passed away September 21, 2012.

He was born in Ocala to Frank A. Brown and Mary (Sims) Brown on October 4, 1965. Johnny graduated from North Marion High School. Soon after he served his country in the Army for ten years and was stationed at Ft. Campbell, KY. When discharged, he made Clarksville, TN his home and later moved to Hopkinsville, KY.

He worked for Wal-Mart in Ocala and TN for ten years. Johnny chose to go into food service working as a manager for Shoney's, Applebee's and started a new career as an assistant manager with Cracker Barrel in Madisonville, KY.

He is survived by his mother Mary and stepfather Buddy Taff; the love of his life, Tina Welcher; and children Angela Brown of TN, Rachel, Joshua Brown, of KY; stepdaughter, Tear Welcher KY; two sisters, Teresa Shriver, Belleview, Shelia Perhealth, Summerfield; a brother, Frank Brown Jr., Ocala; two stepbrothers Dennis and Jimmy Taft Ocala; grandmother Dorothy Sims, Ocala. He also had two nieces, KyLeigh Siska, Shelby Shriver, Belleview; three nephews, Jonathan of Summerfield, Mike of Anthony, Ethan of Ocala; and one great nephew Myer of Anthony.

Memorial Services will be Tuesday, September 25, 2012, at 7 p.m., at Grace Baptist Church, 10835 S.E. 70th Ave. Belleview, FL., Pastor Rocky Culpepper officiating.

A good bye service will be held Thursday, September 27, 2012 at Gamble Funeral Home in Hopkinsville, KY.

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**INGRAM, ROBIN LEE, 50**

Ocala - Robin Lee Ingram, 50, of Ocala, passed away September 21, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House.

Robin was born in Newcastle, IN on June 30, 1962 to Robert and Betty Stoops of Ocala. She was a high school math teacher who loved her students and being with her family and friends especially her daughters and best friend Clare. Before moving to Florida, she was a member of the Temple Baptist Church in Indiana.

She will be dearly missed by her parents; her husband Ronald; one son Ryan (Tara) Neal of Ocala; daughters Emily (Shawn) Grubb of Ocala, Candace Ingram of Ocala; a sister Tammy (Scott) Gard of Mooreland, IN; and five grandchildren: Connor, Braden and Molly Grubb and Brianna and Isabelle Neal.

A celebration of life service will be held on Saturday, September 29, 2012 at 1 p.m. at the Church of Christ, 2750 Maricamp Rd., Ocala.

Forest Lawn Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements for Robin.

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**LOWERY, CHARLES V., 85**

Summerfield - Charles V. Lowery, 85, passed away Tuesday, September 18, 2012.

Born in Bartow, FL he was the son of the late William and Mary (Fortner) Lowery. He served in the Marine Corps during World War II and later received an appointment to the U.S. Naval Academy. He was a graduate of the University of Florida with a degree in architecture. He began

his career with the State of Florida designing and building schools throughout the state and later was chief architect and school planner for Broward County. Subsequently, he became a private builder and developer of commercial properties. Charles retired and moved to Summerfield in 1978 from Ft. Lauderdale and became a citrus grower in the Lake Weir area. He enjoyed country music and was an avid photographer. He was of the Baptist faith.

He leaves his beloved wife Suzanne H. (West) Lowery; his son, Steven P. Lowery of Summerfield; two grandchildren, William C. Lowery, Jr. and Chance Lowery, both of Michigan; and four great-grandchildren. He was pre-deceased by a daughter, Mary Katherine Lowery and a son, William C. Lowery.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, September 29, 2012 at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL at 2 p.m. Burial will be private and at a later date in Greenwood Cemetery, Weirsdale.

Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview.

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### **McCOY, RODNEY A., 59**

Ft. McCoy- -Rodney A. McCoy, 59, of Ft. McCoy, FL, passed away on Saturday, September 22, 2012.

He was born in Lakeland, FL on March 13, 1953. Rodney had a real love of the outdoors. He was an avid hunter and fisherman. His favorite loves were his grandchildren and fishing on the Ocklawaha River with his dog, Hobo.

He is survived by his father, Albin E. "Mack" McCoy of Ft. McCoy, FL; sister Beverly (Paul) Wood of Ft. McCoy, FL; daughters Rachel Tracy of St. Petersburg, FL and Sara (Matt) Bulger of Lakeland, FL; four grandchildren, Brendan and Shea Tracy and Kathryn and Jonnymack Bulger.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Barbara McCraney McCoy and a brother Edward McCoy.

A funeral service will be held at First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy, 11350 E. Hwy 316, Ft. McCoy, FL on Wednesday, September 26, 2012 at 1 p.m. A visitation will also be held at the church on Wednesday from 12:30 p.m. until the time of the service at 1 p.m. Cremation will follow.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Sara or Mack to help defray funeral expenses.

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### **ROBLES, LOUISE ORTIZ, 58**

Ocala - Louise Ortiz Robles, 58, of Ocala, daughter and servant of God, passed on to Heaven to be with her Lord on Saturday, September 22, 2012.

Born in Philadelphia, PA on May 13, 1954, she moved here from Puerto Rico in 2005. She was a hard working mother and wife who cared for her family throughout her life. For the past few years she was a Theology student taking online courses at Liberty University. She was a giving woman who shared her Lord Jesus with everyone she met. Louise made great bread pudding. She was presently attending Christian Life Assembly of God Church.

She was preceded in death by her father, Juan Ortiz. Louise is survived by her loving husband Jose L. Robles; mother Carmen Robles; children, Felipe, Luisa, Josue and Melinda; grandchildren Joseph, Jocelyn and Felipe Jr.; siblings, Carmen, Lucy, Jenny, John, Joe, Manny and Jose.

The visitation will be held today, September 25, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-



Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. The funeral will be held on Wednesday, September 26, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Christian Life Assembly of God, 9644 S.W. Hwy. 484, Ocala with Pastor Tom Markham officiating. Burial will follow at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala.

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#### **HANSON, SHIRLEY L., 79**

Ocala - Shirley L. Hanson, 79, died September 22 following a brief illness.

A mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, Mrs. Hanson was born in Kansas City, MO., May 26, 1933, the daughter of the late John Lewis and Edrie McAninch Lewis. She held a bachelor's degree in business from Central Missouri State College, and a master's degree in psychology from the University of Missouri at Kansas City.

Mrs. Hanson also pursued additional graduate studies at Columbia University Teachers College, New York City, and was a former member of the American Association of University Women. Together with her husband, Mrs. Hanson raised her family in Middleport, New York, and Middletown, New Jersey. The couple resided in Poolesville, Maryland, before moving to Ocala in 2003.

Mrs. Hanson was pre-deceased by two sons, Kevin L. and Norman D. Hanson. Surviving are her husband, David G. Hanson, Ocala; a son, Brandon E. Hanson, Alexandria, Virginia; a grandson, Derek Weber, Tarpon Springs, Florida; a granddaughter, Mrs. Kristin Banjany, Lakewood, New

Jersey; a great grandson, Nathan Banjany, Lakewood, New Jersey; and a sister, Mrs. Patricia Barker, Denver, Colorado.

No services are planned. The family suggests that the most appropriate remembrances would be donations to Hospice of Marion County.

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**INGRAM, ROBIN LEE, 50**

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She will be dearly missed by her parents; her husband Ronald; one son Ryan (Tara) Neal of Ocala; daughters Emily (Shawn) Grubb of Ocala, Candace Ingram of Ocala; a sister Tammy (Scott) Gard of Mooreland, IN; and five grandchildren: Connor, Braden and Molly Grubb and Brianna and Isabelle Neal.

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Forest Lawn Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements for Robin.

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**LEWIS, DANIEL JAMES, 52**

Ocklawaha - Daniel James Lewis, 52, died on September 22, 2012.

Danny was born June 28th, 1960. Danny spent summer vacations with his children, grandchildren and friends in Sanibel Island where he loved to go shelling and build their annual sand castle together.

His interests included family, gardening, wood work and spending time with family and friends. He devoted much of his time and energy as a father and grandfather to his children and grandchildren whom he loved very much.

Danny's life would seem too short to many, but those who were touched by him understood that the quality of existence far exceeds the quantity of time in which one lives. His gentle smile, the way he touched others with his laughter and love brought so much joy to his family and friends.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, September 29th, 2012 at Ocklawaha United Methodist Church, 13333 E. Highway 25, Ocklawaha, Florida.

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music and was an avid photographer. He was of the Baptist faith.

He leaves his beloved wife Suzanne H. (West) Lowery; his son, Steven P. Lowery of Summerfield; two grandchildren, William C. Lowery, Jr. and Chance Lowery, both of Michigan; and four great-grandchildren. He was pre-deceased by a daughter, Mary Katherine Lowery and a son, William C. Lowery.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, September 29, 2012 at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL at 2 p.m. Burial will be private and at a later date in Greenwood Cemetery, Weirsdale.

Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview.

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He was born in Lakeland, FL on March 13, 1953. Rodney had a real love of the outdoors. He was an avid hunter and fisherman. His favorite loves were his grandchildren and fishing on the Ocklawaha River with his dog, Hobo.

He is survived by his father, Albin E. "Mack" McCoy of Ft. McCoy, FL; sister Beverly (Paul) Wood of Ft. McCoy, FL; daughters Rachel Tracy of St. Petersburg, FL and Sara (Matt) Bulger of Lakeland, FL; four grandchildren, Brendan and Shea Tracy and Kathryn and Jonnymack Bulger.

He was preceded in death by his mother, Barbara McCraney McCoy and a brother Edward McCoy.

A funeral service will be held at First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy, 11350 E. Hwy 316, Ft. McCoy, FL on Wednesday, September 26, 2012 at 1 p.m. A visitation will also be held at the church on Wednesday from 12:30 p.m. until the time of the service at 1 p.m. Cremation will follow.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Sara or Mack to help defray funeral expenses.

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He is survived by his devoted wife of 42 years, Elisabeth Robinson of Ocala; son, Walter Robinson of FL; daughter, Donna Ruth Robinson of Largo, FL; son, Donald F. Robinson of Columbia, SC; son, David Robinson (wife Amanda Robinson), of Ocala, FL; brother, M. David Robinson; sister, Mary Turner of Lake City, FL; four stepdaughters, Evelyn Hamm (husband Steve Reinhardt) of OH; Janet Benjamin of Iowa; Pamela Schlemmer of Ocala; Sherry Fried (husband Harold) of Tavernier, FL; and four grandchildren.

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**ROBLES, LOUISE ORTIZ, 58**

Ocala - Louise Ortiz Robles, 58, of Ocala, daughter and servant of God, passed on to Heaven to be with her Lord on Saturday, September 22, 2012.

Born in Philadelphia, PA on May 13, 1954, she moved here from Puerto Rico in 2005. She was a hard working mother and wife who cared for her family throughout her life. For the past few years she was a Theology student taking online courses at Liberty University. She was a giving woman who shared her Lord Jesus with everyone she met. Louise made great bread pudding. She was presently attending Christian Life Assembly of God Church.

She was preceded in death by her father, Juan Ortiz. Louise is survived by her loving husband Jose L. Robles; mother Carmen Robles; children, Felipe, Luisa, Josue and Melinda; grandchildren Joseph, Jocelyn and Felipe Jr.; siblings, Carmen, Lucy, Jenny, John, Joe, Manny and Jose.

The visitation will be held today, September 25, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. The funeral will be held on Wednesday, September 26, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Christian Life Assembly of God, 9644 S.W. Hwy. 484, Ocala with Pastor Tom Markham officiating. Burial will follow at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala.

Condolences may be expressed to:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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The family would like to thank the wonderful staff and the care from Timberridge of their mother. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Florida College of Music/Chorus, FC 119 N. Glen Arven Ave. Temple Terrace, FL., 33617, in memory of Karen.

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Ken was buried in the Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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She is survived by her children, Reecy Crews Jr. (Vielka), Isaiah Crews (Miriam), Priscilla Davis (Micheal); sister, Beatrice Smith (Robert); brother, Jimmie Tomb (Herietta); twelve grandchildren; six great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins. She was predeceased in death by her husband, Reecy Crews Sr. and son, Kenneth Crews.

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Ocala - Shirley L. Hanson, 79, died September 22 following a brief illness.

A mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, Mrs. Hanson was born in Kansas City, MO., May 26, 1933, the daughter of the late John Lewis and Edrie McAninch Lewis. She held a bachelor's degree in business from Central Missouri State College, and a master's degree in psychology from the University of Missouri at Kansas City.

Mrs. Hanson also pursued additional graduate studies at Columbia University Teachers College, New York City, and was a former member of the American Association of University Women. Together with her husband, Mrs. Hanson raised her family in Middleport, New York, and Middletown, New Jersey. The couple resided in Poolesville, Maryland, before moving to Ocala in 2003.

Mrs. Hanson was pre-deceased by two sons, Kevin L. and Norman D. Hanson. Surviving are her husband, David G. Hanson, Ocala; a son, Brandon E. Hanson, Alexandria, Virginia; a grandson, Derek Weber, Tarpon Springs, Florida; a granddaughter, Mrs. Kristin Banjany, Lakewood, New Jersey; a great grandson, Nathan Banjany, Lakewood, New Jersey; and a sister, Mrs. Patricia Barker, Denver, Colorado.

No services are planned. The family suggests that the most appropriate remembrances would be donations to Hospice of Marion County.

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**LEWIS, DANIEL JAMES, 52**

Ocklawaha - Daniel James Lewis, 52, died on September 22, 2012.

Danny was born June 28th, 1960. Danny spent summer vacations with his children, grandchildren and friends in Sanibel Island where he loved to go shelling and build their annual sand castle together.

His interests included family, gardening, wood work and spending time with family and friends. He devoted much of his time and energy as a father and grandfather to his children and grandchildren whom he loved very much.

Danny's life would seem too short to many, but those who were touched by him understood that the quality of existence far exceeds the quantity of time in which one lives. His gentle smile, the way he touched others with his laughter and love brought so much joy to his family and friends.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m., Saturday, September 29th, 2012 at Ocklawaha United Methodist Church, 13333 E. Highway 25, Ocklawaha, Florida.

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March 15th, 1955 -

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Not written to describe in detail Carols' life or her many accomplishments, this is a tribute of mere words to honor a great woman.

She was born to Mary Marconi in the winter of upstate New York, and at the early age of five months old, was ravished by Polio. Experts said that she would not live, that given the amount of damage the disease caused it would be impossible. Yet, she lived 57 years. They said she would be bed bound, never to attend school, have a career or be a productive member of society; it would be impossible for her to be anything more than a burden. Yet, she went to school, she worked full time as a leader in the disabled community, constantly striving to help those who needed a nudge in the right direction or changing policy at a local, state and federal level to enable others. They also said she would never have a boyfriend, that children were an impossibility. Yet, she married and had not one, but two beautiful, intelligent and accomplished young ladies, Jamie and Sarah.

The experts never understood that impossible was a word that had no meaning to a woman who had the spirit of a warrior, her body was almost useless but her soul soared.

Her memory and many gifts that she brought to the lives around her will always be cherished.

Carol left this world six incredibly special gifts that would simply not exist without her unbridled will and absolute resolve to live her own life; her daughters, Jamie Terrillion Dodge and Sarah Terrillion Paci; grandchildren, Aspen, Bryce, Joseph and Silvano; her mother Mary Marconi; and her siblings, Donna Mallette, Diane MacDonald, John Sprague, Noella Tiberend.



Visitation for Carol will be held from 2 until 4 p.m., Saturday, September 29, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with funeral services at 4 p.m. At Carol's request, memorial contributions may be made to the Center for Independent Living and can be made through [www.cilncf.org](http://www.cilncf.org).

Thank you, mom.

We love you.

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He leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Martha Williams, daughters, Jehlycya and Jurny Williams; father, Lawrence Williams Sr.; brothers, Darrell, Keith, Corey and Brian Williams; sisters, Keyona Freeman, Phayedrea, Chanel, and Dale Williams.

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David was born to Fred and Arlene Hackbarth in Kansas on July 14, 1953. He lived and grew up in Poughkeepsie, New York, later moving to Florida. He was employed by E-One for 22 years as a welder and manifold installer.

He found enjoyment in photography and old movies. He took joy in capturing the world on his camera and was more often behind the lens than in front of it. He passed a love of reading and literature on to his two daughters from a very early age.

David is survived by four brothers, Fred, Scott, Brian, and Steve; and his two daughters, Amber and Shannon. He will be missed very much by those who knew him.

A service will be held at the family's convenience.

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### **HINKLE, HELEN MADELINE WILLIAMS, 89**

Pax, WV - Helen Madeline Williams Hinkle, 89, of Pax, WV died Friday at her home.

Born March 19, 1923 at Long Branch, WV, she was the daughter of the late Thomas and Clara Lively Williams.

She was a retired registered nurse, having worked for Dr. Carl Lytle for 25 years and served as Director of Nursing for New Horizon in Ocala, Florida.

Helen received her degree from St. Mary's School of Nursing in Huntington. She was a Christian woman and a member of First Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida.

Survivors include one son, Timothy (Shannon) Hinkle of Buckhannon; two daughters, Judith (Robert) Mock and Nancy (Chester) Holloway of Ocala, Florida; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Graveside rites were held Monday, September 24, 2012 at Dock Lively Cemetery in Long Branch in WV with Pastor Doug Holley officiating.

Online condolences may be sent to our website at:

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Arrangements by Tyree Funeral Home, Mount Hope, WV.

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She was born to Mary Marconi in the winter of upstate New York, and at the early age of five months old, was ravished by Polio. Experts said that she would not live, that given the amount of damage the disease caused it would be impossible. Yet, she lived 57 years. They said she would be bed bound, never to attend school, have a career or be a productive member of society; it would be impossible for her to be anything more than a burden. Yet, she went to school, she worked full time as a leader in the disabled community, constantly striving to help those who needed a nudge in the right direction or changing policy at a local, state and federal level to enable others. They also said she would never have a boyfriend, that children were an impossibility. Yet, she married and had not one, but two beautiful, intelligent and accomplished young ladies, Jamie and Sarah.

The experts never understood that impossible was a word that had no meaning to a woman who had the spirit of a warrior, her body was almost useless but her soul soared.

Her memory and many gifts that she brought to the lives around her will always be cherished.

Carol left this world six incredibly special gifts that would simply not exist without her unbridled will and absolute resolve to live her own life; her daughters, Jamie Terrillion Dodge and Sarah Terrillion Paci; grandchildren, Aspen, Bryce, Joseph and Silvano; her mother Mary Marconi; and her siblings, Donna Mallette, Diane MacDonald, John Sprague, Noella Tiberend.

Visitation for Carol will be held from 2 until 4 p.m., Saturday, September 29, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with funeral services at 4 p.m. At Carol's request, memorial contributions may be made to the Center for Independent Living and can be made through [www.cilncf.org](http://www.cilncf.org).

Thank you, mom.

We love you.

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### **WILLIAMS, LAWRENCE MONDOROL, 51**

Ocala - Lawrence Mondorol Williams, 51, passed away on September 24, 2012.

He leaves to cherish his memory his wife, Martha Williams, daughters, Jehlycyca and Jurny Williams; father, Lawrence Williams Sr.; brothers, Darrell, Keith, Corey and Brian Williams; sisters, Keyona Freeman, Phayedrea, Chanel, and Dale Williams.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday at 1 p.m. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

"Providing a memory  
that will never fade."

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 29, 2012**

#### **BOONE, MARIANNE W., 77**

Ocala - Marianne W. Boone, 77, of Ocala, FL, peacefully passed away on Tuesday, September 25, 2012 at home under the loving care of her family.

Marianne was born in Trenton, NJ on June 2, 1935, daughter of the late Joseph M. and Praxeta

M. Wright. She graduated with a Bachelor of Science from the College of New Jersey in 1957 and later went on to receive a Masters In Education from Framingham State College, MA. She taught elementary education for 22 years in various locations, retiring in 1985.

She came to Ocala, FL in 2005 from Framingham, MA. She was of the Catholic faith. Marianne was active with the Ladies Auxiliary of the Angela Santos Post#4781 and past officer and a member of the Lady Birds of OTOW. As an avid traveler, she along with her husband Bill had over 600 cruise days at sea.

She was preceded in death by her son, William "Thad" F. Boone III. Marianne is survived by her beloved husband of 52 years, William F. "Bill" Boone, Jr. of Ocala; daughter, Phoebe Boone Demers and her husband Roger of Ocala; granddaughter, Lindsey M. Schneider and her husband Eli of Sharon, MA; brother Jeffrey C. Wright and his wife Leslie and their daughters Molly and Anna, all of Lancaster, PA.

The visitation will be held on Sunday, September 30th, 2012 from 3 p.m. until 5 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala. The funeral Mass will be held at 8:30 a.m. on Monday, October 1st, 2012 at the Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Hwy. 200, Ocala.

Memorial contributions may be given to the Marianne Wright Boone Scholarship, c/o the College of New Jersey, P.O. Box 7718, Ewing, NJ, 08628. Condolences may be given at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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#### **BOTTOMS, KATHRYN LYNN McLELLAN, 50**

Panama City Beach, FL - Kathryn Lynn McLellan Bottoms, 50, of Panama City Beach, passed away Monday, September 24, 2012.

She was born November 2, 1961 in Sanford, Florida. She was preceded in death by her father, Pat McLellan. She is survived by her husband, Bobby Bottoms of Slocomb, AL; daughter, Stephanie Groucke of Ocala, FL; son, Edward J. Groucke of Slocomb, AL; mother, Ernestine Watts of Southport; stepfather, Carroll "Buddy" Watts of Silver Springs, FL; stepmother, Diane McLellan of Osteen, FL; seven sisters, Teresa Johnston (Glen) of Waverly Hall, GA, Diana "DeeDee" Pucci (Rick), of Ocala, FL, Debbie Watts of Ormond Beach, FL, Caralee Carver of Winter Haven, FL, Sarah Paris of Brooksville, FL, Lorrie Griffin (Rex), of Denver, NC, Lisa Traugher (Robert) of Ft. Christmas, FL; one brother, Ricky Watts (Lynn) of Silver Springs, FL; one grandchild; and nine nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. on Monday, October 1, 2012 at the First Baptist Church of Panama City C.C. Moore Chapel with her uncle, Robert Denmark officiating.

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#### **GARES, ALLEN A., 61**

Ocala - Allen A. Gares, 61, of Ocala, passed away on September 26, 2012.

He was born on January 3, 1951 in Miami, FL and was an avid Dolphins fan and loved football. Allen was a self employed electrician and worked at Home Depot for the past 15 years.

He is survived by his loving wife of six years, Tammy; a son, Michael Gares and wife Priscilla; his father, Walter Gares; a brother, Bob DePaula and wife Elaine; a grandson, Eric Gares, three sister-in-laws, Lindsey Wise, Romona Brown, and Delrene Jensen; two brother-in-laws, John Wise and Keith; many nieces, nephews and friends.

Allen was preceded in death by two sisters and his mother, Mildred Gares. A visitation will take

place on Sunday, September 30, 2012 from 6 until 8 p.m., followed by a funeral service Monday, October 1, 2012, at 10 a.m. at Forest lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, FL, 34480. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from September 29 to September 30, 2012

**GRAY, ISABELLA BOWMAN, 67**

Ocala - Isabella Bowman Gray passed away Tuesday, September 25th, 2012 at home.

Isabella was born September 3rd, 1945 in Scotland.

She came to the United States and retired to Ocala in 1985, and was a manager of the Kangaroo Store for 17 years before she retired last year.

Isabella was predeceased by both of her parents and her husband, Donald L. Gray, in 2011.

Left to cherish her memory is her daughter, Shirley Binger; granddaughter, Rachael Gray, both of Ocala; brother, John Hodge; sisters, Louise Ewing, Elma Dowds, Anne Patterson and Linda Barclay, all of Scotland.

Family and friends are invited to remember Isabella at her home Sunday, September 30th, 2012 at 3 p.m.

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**HACKBARTH, DAVID, 59**

Ocala - David passed away at his home in Ocala, Florida on Tuesday, September 11, 2012.

David was born to Fred and Arlene Hackbarth in Kansas on July 14, 1953. He lived and grew up in Poughkeepsie, New York, later moving to Florida. He was employed by E-One for 22 years as a welder and manifold installer.

He found enjoyment in photography and old movies. He took joy in capturing the world on his camera and was more often behind the lens than in front of it. He passed a love of reading and literature on to his two daughters from a very early age.

David is survived by four brothers, Fred, Scott, Brian, and Steve; and his two daughters, Amber and Shannon. He will be missed very much by those who knew him.

A service will be held at the family's convenience.

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**HINKLE, HELEN MADELINE WILLIAMS, 89**

Pax, WV - Helen Madeline Williams Hinkle, 89, of Pax, WV died Friday at her home.

Born March 19, 1923 at Long Branch, WV, she was the daughter of the late Thomas and Clara Lively Williams.

She was a retired registered nurse, having worked for Dr. Carl Lytle for 25 years and served as Director of Nursing for New Horizon in Ocala, Florida.

Helen received her degree from St. Mary's School of Nursing in Huntington. She was a Christian woman and a member of First Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida.

Survivors include one son, Timothy (Shannon) Hinkle of Buckhannon; two daughters, Judith (Robert) Mock and Nancy (Chester) Holloway of Ocala, Florida; four grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Graveside rites were held Monday, September 24, 2012 at Dock Lively Cemetery in Long Branch in WV with Pastor Doug Holley officiating.

Online condolences may be sent to our website at:

[www.tyreefuneralhome.com](http://www.tyreefuneralhome.com)

Arrangements by Tyree Funeral Home, Mount Hope, WV.

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**MORRISON, SANDRA, 71**

Ocala - Sandra (Sandy) Morrison, 71, passed away on September 26, 2012 of lung cancer. Daughter of Charles and Margaret Tidwell (deceased), she was raised in Miami. Sandy worked for Burger King Corporation for five years, and Temple Beth Am for 15 years, before retiring to Ocala. She is survived by her sister, Charlotte and brother, Chuck.

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**WILSON, BARBARA L., 87**

Jaffrey, NH - Barbara L. Wilson, 87, longtime resident of Amherst, NH, died September 27, 2012 at the Good Shepherd Nursing Home, Jaffrey, NH.

She was born in Winchester, MA on December 7, 1924, a daughter of Joseph E. and Alice E. (McMonagle) Thorn.

A resident of Jaffrey for several years, Mrs. Wilson formerly lived in Zephyrhills, FL for many years and also in Dover, NH and Amherst, NH.

She was a charter member of Christ the King Lutheran Church, Nashua and attended Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Dade City, Florida.

Mrs. Wilson enjoyed sewing, knitting, gardening and especially spending time with her family.

She was a loving mother, a devoted grandmother and great-grandmother.

She was predeceased by her first husband, Wilfred Edmands and her second husband of 61 years, John R. Wilson, Sr.; sisters, Ruth Hobart and Dorothy Foster.

Family members include four daughters and sons-in-law, Beverly and David Gage of Wilton, NH, Priscilla and Terry Clarkson of Hopkinton, NH, Christine and Clint Lefabvre of Ocala, FL, Barbara and Bill Wurst of Amherst, NH; a son, John R. Wilson, Jr. of Milford, NH; six grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Visiting hours are Monday evening, October 1st from 5:00-7:00 p.m. in the Smith & Heald Funeral Home, 63 Elm Street, Milford. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in the Messiah Lutheran Church, 303 Route 101, Amherst, NH. Burial will follow in Meadowview Cemetery, Amherst.

In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to Good Shepherd Nursing Home, 20 Plantation Drive, Jaffrey, NH 03452.

Arrangements are in the care of Smith & Heald Funeral Home, Milford. To leave an online condolence, please go to [www.smith-heald.com](http://www.smith-heald.com).

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**BEACH, PAUL L., 82**

Ocala - Paul L. Beach, 82, of Ocala, passed away September 19, 2012 at home.

He was born November 8, 1929 in Stamford, NY and moved to Belleview, FL in 1949, where he had a poultry farm. He also worked as an undertaker, which was his favorite occupation. Paul loved spending time with his family and friends, camping and crossword puzzles.

He is survived by his daughters, Jeanne Nelson (Reed), Phyllis MacKenzie (Steve); grandchildren, Jason, Joshua and Stephanie Nelson and Matthew and Sarah MacKenzie; great-grandchildren, Miguel and Joshua, Jr.; and nieces, Barbara Beach Barone and Bonnie Peavy



(Henry) and his cat, Miss Kitty.

He was preceded in death by his loving wife of 58 years, Alice; parents, William and Nellie Beach; brothers, Cliff (Jean), Raymond and Larry; and nephew Billy Beach (Lou Ann).

A memorial service will be held at Christ the King Anglican Church, 3801 N. U.S. HWY 441, Ocala, FL., 34475, where he was a member, on Tuesday October 2, 2012 at 2 p.m., with The Rev. Donald J. Curran, Jr. officiating.

Donations may be made to Transitions Life Center (TLC), an organization to benefit young adults with special needs, P.O. Box 236, Ocala, FL 34478.

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**BOONE, MARIANNE W., 77**

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Marianne was born in Trenton, NJ on June 2, 1935, daughter of the late Joseph M. and Praxeta M. Wright. She graduated with a Bachelor of Science from the College of New Jersey in 1957 and later went on to receive a Masters In Education from Framingham State College, MA. She taught elementary education for 22 years in various locations, retiring in 1985.

She came to Ocala, FL in 2005 from Framingham, MA. She was of the Catholic faith. Marianne was active with the Ladies Auxiliary of the Angela Santos Post#4781 and past officer and a member of the Lady Birds of OTOW. As an avid traveler, she along with her husband Bill had over 600 cruise days at sea.

She was preceded in death by her son, William "Thad" F. Boone III. Marianne is survived by her beloved husband of 52 years, William F. "Bill" Boone, Jr. of Ocala; daughter, Phoebe Boone Demers and her husband Roger of Ocala; granddaughter, Lindsey M. Schneider and her husband Eli of Sharon, MA; brother Jeffrey C. Wright and his wife Leslie and their daughters Molly and Anna, all of Lancaster, PA.

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one grandchild; and nine nieces and nephews.

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### **ENGLEMAN SR., EARL W.,85**

Ocala - Mr. Earl W. Engleman Sr., 85, passed away in Ocala, FL on September 27, 2012.

He was born in Pittston, PA on February 25, 1927. He was a practicing cartoonist. He was a World War II veteran of the U.S. Army. Earl was a member of the American Legion and VFW in Ocala, FL.

He is predeceased by his parents, Louis Engleman and Mary Hartin Engleman; also his first wife, Jean Engleman.

Earl is survived by his loving wife, Shirley of 18 years; one son, Earl Engleman Jr. of St. Louis, MO; a daughter, Suzanne Baginskie of Hudson, FL; and his sister, Gladys Snyder of Howell, NJ. He is also survived by five grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Marion County Hospice in Earl's memory. A visitation will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 S.W. SR# 200 in Ocala (352) 854-2266 on October 2nd, 2012 from 5 until 7 p.m.

A funeral service will take place at the funeral home on October 3rd, 2012 at 11 a.m. Burial will be at a later date at Florida National Cemetery. To leave condolences:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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### **GARES, ALLEN A., 61**

Ocala - Allen A. Gares, 61, of Ocala, passed away on September 26, 2012.

He was born on January 3, 1951 in Miami, FL and was an avid Dolphins fan and loved football. Allen was a self employed electrician and worked at Home Depot for the past 15 years.

He is survived by his loving wife of six years, Tammy; a son, Michael Gares and wife Priscilla; his father, Walter Gares; a brother, Bob DePaula and wife Elaine; a grandson, Eric Gares, three sister-in-laws, Lindsey Wise, Romona Brown, and Delrene Jensen; two brother-in-laws, John Wise and Keith; many nieces, nephews and friends.

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### **GARRETT, DOROTHY QUINN, 89**

Ocala - Dorothy Quinn Garrett, 89, of Ocala, FL passed from this existence in the same manner that she lived every day of her life---without fear or regret, on Saturday, September 8, 2012 in Ocala.

She was born on September 18, 1922 in Litchfield, IL, daughter to the late Thomas J. and Mary Edith (Ford) Quinn. She had an indelible, far-reaching, positive impact on everyone who met her. The emptiness that is the result of her passing will never be filled.

After graduating from high school, Dorothy's first employment was as a beautician. Several years later, she moved to Detroit, Michigan and began working for Michigan Bell Telephone. Over 40 years of service, she rose through the ranks from operator to a management position.

After her retirement, she traveled throughout Michigan as a training consultant.

During her time in the Detroit area, Dorothy, along with her younger brother Thomas, undertook the upbringing of their older sister Florence's son, Charles Martin. From 1954 until her final day, Dorothy guided Charles on his journey from childhood to adulthood, providing unconditional love and understanding, as her brother, Thomas, continues to do.

She married Roland Garrett in 1976, and they moved to Chiefland, Florida in 1981. Roland died in 1991. Dorothy moved to Ocala, Florida eight years later. After taking a year to settle in, she was joined by her brother, Thomas. In 2001 her sister Eugenia bought a home across the street. Until the end of her life, Dorothy was a member of numerous charitable organizations, often serving as president. She has been honored as "Citizen of the Year" and "Woman of the Year" for her selfless contributions of time, energy and funding.

She was also preceded in death by her siblings Francis, Robert, John, Morris, Margaret, Isabel and Florence in addition to her husband, Roland. Dorothy is survived by her sister, Eugenia Magalotti, her brother Thomas James Quinn, her nephew/son Charles Martin, as well as countless nieces, nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews and many, many friends; all of whom feel an immeasurable loss.

A memorial service will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481 on Saturday, October 13th at 4:00PM. A private graveside service will be held at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala at a later date. Memorial Contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

Condolences may be expressed to:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **GRAY, ISABELLA BOWMAN, 67**

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She came to the United States and retired to Ocala in 1985, and was a manager of the Kangaroo Store for 17 years before she retired last year.

Isabella was predeceased by both of her parents and her husband, Donald L. Gray, in 2011.

Left to cherish her memory is her daughter, Shirley Binger; granddaughter, Rachael Gray, both of Ocala; brother, John Hodge; sisters, Louise Ewing, Elma Dowds, Anne Patterson and Linda Barclay, all of Scotland.

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Ocala - Sandra (Sandy) Morrison, 71, passed away on September 26, 2012 of lung cancer.

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### **WEBB, WILLIAM P., 99**

Ocala - William P. Webb, known endearingly by his family members and friends variously as,

"Will", "Uncle Will" and "Uncle Willie", passed away on Saturday, September 1, 2012.

Will was to be celebrated on Sunday, September 2, 2012 for his 100th birthday milestone, anticipated just three days after his untimely passing. His advanced age notwithstanding, Will had always lived independently and his death was not expected at this time. The ceremony was held as planned and instead became a memorial celebration of Will's long and full life, having lived all but three days of his 100th year.

Nearly 100 friends and family members, who traveled from a number of northeast, east coast, mid-west and southern states, attended the event. The celebration was held at the Ocala Elks' Lodge on September 2, 2012. Included among those attending were his sister, Betty Doyle Brogdon (Naples, formerly of Ocala) and brother, Wallace Webb (Dunedin) and his wife Alma; along with the majority of his 18 nieces and nephews; as well as many of their spouses, and great and great-great nieces and nephews. His siblings' family names which were represented at the celebration included Kennedy and Doyle, in addition to Webb; first generation married family surnames which were represented included Ayer, Carlton, Cook, Duffel, Hodges, Putnam, Shealy, Slay and Voge. Surnames of cousins' descendants included Belote and Edwards.

Will Webb was born September 4, 1912 in Lakeland, Florida, where he graduated from high school. He attended the University of Florida, where he worked in the University library. It was there that he further developed what would become his lifelong interest in reading and a broad knowledge of literature, history, botany, antiques and a gift for story-telling.

With a career in corporate accounting and, later, early generation computer applications with the railroad industry (Southern Railway), Will lived his working life in Washington, D.C., as well as Atlanta, Georgia. His career and work-connected friendships, including many years with his long-time companion, Vic Paturel - combined with a remarkably sharp memory and attention to detail - provided the basis for many of his humorous and entertaining stories.

Eulogies were given by a number of family members and friends who reflected on many of Will's endearing traits, including: a generous spirit, kind soul, quick smile and near-constant twinkle in his eye; his keen memory and quick and active mind, which was clear to his last day of life; his genuine love for and patience with children; his story-telling abilities which endeared him to children and adults alike; his interest and knowledge of antique furniture and china; his trademark, "rooster theme" antique collection, as well as many collectibles with the same theme; and- reflecting that love for family was his most important interest- and a perfect record of remembering family members' birthdays with mailed birthday letters and cards (and in later years, 'happy birthday wishes' with a rooster icon sent by e-mails).

A "Happy Birthday" card had been sent to Will from the White House. It included a congratulatory message sent in anticipation of the birthday event. It was signed by the President and First Lady of the United States, Barack Obama and Michelle Obama. The card's message was read to all those in attendance.

Will retired to Ocala in 1978, where his parents had resided during their retirement. Ocala was also where his sister, Betty, lived at the time; and was where his older brother, Dr. Herbert Webb (deceased) also lived; and is where his sister-in-law, Muriel Webb, still resides.

Will always enjoyed an active retirement life, energetically pursuing an interest in family connections, genealogy and associated travel and personal computer use. Will established direct lineage relationship to ancestors who served the U.S. military, both in the American Revolutionary War and the Civil War; and established that his paternal great-grandfather, John F. Webb, was one of the Florida pioneer delegates to the 1838-1839 Constitution and was a signer of the Florida Constitution, meeting the criteria for designation of all of his great-

grandfather's descendants as Florida Pioneer Descendants.

Will has had the good fortune of always living independently and, as an avid exercise walker, was often seen walking the boundary limits of the city, miles from his residence. His use of his car in his later years was limited to trips to the library and homes of his relatives in Ocala.

A number of stories about Will were shared during his birth-day party, including ones touching on his love for walking and joy in remaining physically active (including bike-riding in his late 80's). There was an occasion in 1996, when, at age 84, he drove his declining early model Ford to Don's Garage to see about a repair. He was told that, unfortunately, the engine had reached such a state of use that it would cost more to fix than the vehicle was worth; but that \$80 could be offered for the car as junk. Hearing that report, Will thanked the service manager for the offer and, rather than pay the cost of a repair, accepted the proposal without hesitation. He declined an offer to be provided with a courtesy transportation back to his residence. In-stead, Will walked the nearly three mile distance back to his home. Will never bought another car, reasoning that in view of his limited local destinations, he could walk to wherever he needed to go.

Will Webb will always be remembered by his family and friends as being a truly remarkable, accomplished, generous and very lovable man.

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### **WHITE, CAROL MAE, 75**

Citra - Carol Mae White, 75, of Citra, FL passed away peacefully at home, surrounded by loved ones, Thursday, Sept. 27, 2012. A native Floridian, Carol was born and raised in Miami. Carol was a Christian and found enjoyment in her family (two-legged and four-legged), crocheting, Nascar Racing, and gardening.

Carol is survived by her best friend and husband of 38 years, Richard A. White; six children, Terri Anderson (and Larry), James B. Duckworth, Jr., Renee A. Duckworth, Debbie Shotwell, Richard A. White, Jr., Russell W. Duckworth (and Dora); seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. She will be their angel.

Memorial service: First Baptist of Ft. McCoy, 11350 N.E. Hwy. 316, Ft. McCoy, FL 32134 on Saturday, Oct. 13, 2012 at 2:00 PM.

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### **WILSON, BARBARA L., 87**

Jaffrey, NH - Barbara L. Wilson, 87, longtime resident of Amherst, NH, died September 27, 2012 at the Good Shepherd Nursing Home, Jaffrey, NH.

She was born in Winchester, MA on December 7, 1924, a daughter of Joseph E. and Alice E. (McMonagle) Thorn.

A resident of Jaffrey for several years, Mrs. Wilson formerly lived in Zephyrhills, FL for many years and also in Dover, NH and Amherst, NH.

She was a charter member of Christ the King Lutheran Church, Nashua and attended Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Dade City, Florida.

Mrs. Wilson enjoyed sewing, knitting, gardening and especially spending time with her family.

She was a loving mother, a devoted grandmother and great-grandmother.

She was predeceased by her first husband, Wilfred Edmands and her second husband of 61 years, John R. Wilson, Sr.; sisters, Ruth Hobart and Dorothy Foster.

Family members include four daughters and sons-in-law, Beverly and David Gage of Wilton, NH, Priscilla and Terry Clarkson of Hopkinton, NH, Christine and Clint Lefabvre of Ocala, FL,

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Visiting hours are Monday evening, October 1st from 5:00-7:00 p.m. in the Smith & Heald Funeral Home, 63 Elm Street, Milford. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. in the Messiah Lutheran Church, 303 Route 101, Amherst, NH. Burial will follow in Meadowview Cemetery, Amherst.

In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to Good Shepherd Nursing Home, 20 Plantation Drive, Jaffrey, NH 03452.

Arrangements are in the care of Smith & Heald Funeral Home, Milford. To leave an online condolence, please go to [www.smith-heald.com](http://www.smith-heald.com).

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### **WOLCOTT, SHIRLEE RAE, 87**

Nokesville, VA - Shirlee Rae Wolcott, 87, formerly of Ocala, FL passed away in Nokesville, VA at her home under the care of Hospice and her loving family on Tuesday, September 11, 2012.

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She is survived by her children, Philip Wolcott and his wife Collette of Miami Gardens, FL and Diane Wolcott Broome and her husband Andy of Nokesville, VA; grandchildren, Philip Wolcott, Jr. of Miami Gardens, FL, Marshall Wolcott and wife Leslie of Coral Springs, FL, Michael Broome and Tyler Broome, both of San Antonio, TX and Alex Broome of Nokesville, VA; great-grandchildren, Emily, Samantha and Lillian Wolcott of Coral Springs, FL.

Services will be held on Friday, October 12, 2012 at the Ocala West United Methodist Church, Ocala, FL at 10 a.m. with urn committal to follow at Florida National Cemetery at 12:30 p.m. where her urn will be placed aside her husband's urn in the columbarium niche.

Memorial donations may be given to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL, 34478. Condolences may be expressed to:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

Shirlee was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister and friend.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, October 1, 2012**

#### **BEACH, PAUL L., 82**

Ocala - Paul L. Beach, 82, of Ocala, passed away September 19, 2012 at home.

He was born November 8, 1929 in Stamford, NY and moved to Belleview, FL in 1949, where he had a poultry farm. He also worked as an undertaker, which was his favorite occupation. Paul loved spending time with his family and friends, camping and crossword puzzles.

He is survived by his daughters, Jeanne Nelson (Reed), Phyllis MacKenzie (Steve); grandchildren, Jason, Joshua and Stephanie Nelson and Matthew and Sarah MacKenzie; great-grandchildren, Miguel and Joshua, Jr.; and nieces, Barbara Beach Barone and Bonnie Peavy (Henry) and his cat, Miss Kitty.

He was preceded in death by his loving wife of 58 years, Alice; parents, William and Nellie Beach; brothers, Cliff (Jean), Raymond and Larry; and nephew Billy Beach (Lou Ann).

A memorial service will be held at Christ the King Anglican Church, 3801 N. U.S. HWY 441, Ocala, FL., 34475, where he was a member, on Tuesday October 2, 2012 at 2 p.m., with The Rev. Donald J. Curran, Jr. officiating.

Donations may be made to Transitions Life Center (TLC), an organization to benefit young adults with special needs, P.O. Box 236, Ocala, FL 34478.

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### **ENGLEMAN SR., EARL W.,85**

Ocala - Mr. Earl W. Engleman Sr., 85, passed away in Ocala, FL on September 27, 2012.

He was born in Pittston, PA on February 25, 1927. He was a practicing cartoonist. He was a World War II veteran of the U.S. Army. Earl was a member of the American Legion and VFW in Ocala, FL.

He is predeceased by his parents, Louis Engleman and Mary Hartin Engleman; also his first wife, Jean Engleman.

Earl is survived by his loving wife, Shirley of 18 years; one son, Earl Engleman Jr. of St. Louis, MO; a daughter, Suzanne Baginskie of Hudson, FL; and his sister, Gladys Snyder of Howell, NJ. He is also survived by five grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Marion County Hospice in Earl's memory. A visitation will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 6241 S.W. SR# 200 in Ocala (352) 854-2266 on October 2nd, 2012 from 5 until 7 p.m.

A funeral service will take place at the funeral home on October 3rd, 2012 at 11 a.m. Burial will be at a later date at Florida National Cemetery. To leave condolences:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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### **GARRETT, DOROTHY QUINN, 89**

Ocala - Dorothy Quinn Garrett, 89, of Ocala, FL passed from this existence in the same manner that she lived every day of her life---without fear or regret, on Saturday, September 8, 2012 in Ocala.

She was born on September 18, 1922 in Litchfield, IL, daughter to the late Thomas J. and Mary Edith (Ford) Quinn. She had an indelible, far-reaching, positive impact on everyone who met her. The emptiness that is the result of her passing will never be filled.

After graduating from high school, Dorothy's first employment was as a beautician. Several years later, she moved to Detroit, Michigan and began working for Michigan Bell Telephone. Over 40 years of service, she rose through the ranks from operator to a management position. After her retirement, she traveled throughout Michigan as a training consultant.

During her time in the Detroit area, Dorothy, along with her younger brother Thomas, undertook the upbringing of their older sister Florence's son, Charles Martin. From 1954 until her final day, Dorothy guided Charles on his journey from childhood to adulthood, providing unconditional love and understanding, as her brother, Thomas, continues to do.

She married Roland Garrett in 1976, and they moved to Chiefland, Florida in 1981. Roland died in 1991. Dorothy moved to Ocala, Florida eight years later. After taking a year to settle in, she was joined by her brother, Thomas. In 2001 her sister Eugenia bought a home across the street. Until the end of her life, Dorothy was a member of numerous charitable organizations, often

serving as president. She has been honored as "Citizen of the Year" and "Woman of the Year" for her selfless contributions of time, energy and funding.

She was also preceded in death by her siblings Francis, Robert, John, Morris, Margaret, Isabel and Florence in addition to her husband, Roland. Dorothy is survived by her sister, Eugenia Magalotti, her brother Thomas James Quinn, her nephew/son Charles Martin, as well as countless nieces, nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews and many, many friends; all of whom feel an immeasurable loss.

A memorial service will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481 on Saturday, October 13th at 4:00PM. A private graveside service will be held at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala at a later date. Memorial Contributions may be given to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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### **WEBB, WILLIAM P., 99**

Ocala - William P. Webb, known endearingly by his family members and friends variously as, "Will", "Uncle Will" and "Uncle Willie", passed away on Saturday, September 1, 2012.

Will was to be celebrated on Sunday, September 2, 2012 for his 100th birthday milestone, anticipated just three days after his untimely passing. His advanced age notwithstanding, Will had always lived independently and his death was not expected at this time. The ceremony was held as planned and instead became a memorial celebration of Will's long and full life, having lived all but three days of his 100th year.

Nearly 100 friends and family members, who traveled from a number of northeast, east coast, mid-west and southern states, attended the event. The celebration was held at the Ocala Elks' Lodge on September 2, 2012. Included among those attending were his sister, Betty Doyle Brogdon (Naples, formerly of Ocala) and brother, Wallace Webb (Dunedin) and his wife Alma; along with the majority of his 18 nieces and nephews; as well as many of their spouses, and great and great-great nieces and nephews. His siblings' family names which were represented at the celebration included Kennedy and Doyle, in addition to Webb; first generation married family surnames which were represented included Ayer, Carlton, Cook, Duffel, Hodges, Putnam, Shealy, Slay and Voge. Surnames of cousins' descendants included Belote and Edwards.

Will Webb was born September 4, 1912 in Lakeland, Florida, where he graduated from high school. He attended the University of Florida, where he worked in the University library. It was there that he further developed what would become his lifelong interest in reading and a broad knowledge of literature, history, botany, antiques and a gift for story-telling.

With a career in corporate accounting and, later, early generation computer applications with the railroad industry (Southern Railway), Will lived his working life in Washington, D.C., as well as Atlanta, Georgia. His career and work-connected friendships, including many years with his long-time companion, Vic Paturel - combined with a remarkably sharp memory and attention to detail - provided the basis for many of his humorous and entertaining stories.

Eulogies were given by a number of family members and friends who reflected on many of Will's endearing traits, including: a generous spirit, kind soul, quick smile and near-constant twinkle in his eye; his keen memory and quick and active mind, which was clear to his last day of life; his genuine love for and patience with children; his story-telling abilities which endeared him to children and adults alike; his interest and knowledge of antique furniture and china; his



trademark, "rooster theme" antique collection, as well as many collectibles with the same theme; and- reflecting that love for family was his most important interest- and a perfect record of remembering family members' birthdays with mailed birthday letters and cards (and in later years, 'happy birthday wishes' with a rooster icon sent by e-mails).

A "Happy Birthday" card had been sent to Will from the White House. It included a congratulatory message sent in anticipation of the birthday event. It was signed by the President and First Lady of the United States, Barack Obama and Michelle Obama. The card's message was read to all those in attendance.

Will retired to Ocala in 1978, where his parents had resided during their retirement. Ocala was also where his sister, Betty, lived at the time; and was where his older brother, Dr. Herbert Webb (deceased) also lived; and is where his sister-in-law, Muriel Webb, still resides.

Will always enjoyed an active retirement life, energetically pursuing an interest in family connections, genealogy and associated travel and personal computer use. Will established direct lineage relationship to ancestors who served the U.S. military, both in the American Revolutionary War and the Civil War; and established that his paternal great-grandfather, John F. Webb, was one of the Florida pioneer delegates to the 1838-1839 Constitution and was a signer of the Florida Constitution, meeting the criteria for designation of all of his great-grandfather's descendants as Florida Pioneer Descendants.

Will has had the good fortune of always living independently and, as an avid exercise walker, was often seen walking the boundary limits of the city, miles from his residence. His use of his car in his later years was limited to trips to the library and homes of his relatives in Ocala.

A number of stories about Will were shared during his birth-day party, including ones touching on his love for walking and joy in remaining physically active (including bike-riding in his late 80's). There was an occasion in 1996, when, at age 84, he drove his declining early model Ford to Don's Garage to see about a repair. He was told that, unfortunately, the engine had reached such a state of use that it would cost more to fix than the vehicle was worth; but that \$80 could be offered for the car as junk. Hearing that report, Will thanked the service manager for the offer and, rather than pay the cost of a repair, accepted the proposal without hesitation. He declined an offer to be provided with a courtesy transportation back to his residence. Instead, Will walked the nearly three mile distance back to his home. Will never bought another car, reasoning that in view of his limited local destinations, he could walk to wherever he needed to go.

Will Webb will always be remembered by his family and friends as being a truly remarkable, accomplished, generous and very lovable man.

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### **WHITE, CAROL MAE, 75**

Citra - Carol Mae White, 75, of Citra, FL passed away peacefully at home, surrounded by loved ones, Thursday, Sept. 27, 2012. A native Floridian, Carol was born and raised in Miami. Carol was a Christian and found enjoyment in her family (two-legged and four-legged), crocheting, Nascar Racing, and gardening.

Carol is survived by her best friend and husband of 38 years, Richard A. White; six children, Terri Anderson (and Larry), James B. Duckworth, Jr., Renee A. Duckworth, Debbie Shotwell, Richard A. White, Jr., Russell W. Duckworth (and Dora); seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. She will be their angel.

Memorial service: First Baptist of Ft. McCoy, 11350 N.E. Hwy. 316, Ft. McCoy, FL 32134 on Saturday, Oct. 13, 2012 at 2:00 PM.

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**BARRY, MARY JO, 86**

Spring Hill, FL - Mrs. Mary Jo Barry, 86, former resident of Ocala, died Thursday, September 27, 2012 in Spring Hill, FL.

A native of Georgia, she was a long time resident of Ocala and Astor. Mrs. Barry was a member of Oakcrest Baptist Church.

She is survived by her sons Charles G. Barry, Jr., Malcolm McLean, and Morris Lee Barry; daughter Linda Morse; 13 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Charles G. Barry, Sr., son James Lewis McLean, Jr., and daughter Melinda Ruth Sandlin.

Funeral services for Mrs. Barry will be held at 2 p.m., Wednesday, October 3, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. William D. Terrell officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. The family will receive friends from 1 p.m. until service time.

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**COBURN, JERRY C., 74**

Ocala - Jerry C. Coburn, 74, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, September 30, 2012 in Ocala. Born on December 29, 1937 in Ashland, KY, son of the late Mack and Leatha Coburn, he moved here from Sarasota, FL in 2006. He was an Air Force veteran with S.A.C. Jerry was the

Maintenance Engineer at Doctor's Hospital of Sarasota, Florida. He was a member at Ocala West Church of the Nazarene, Ocala and served on the church board. Jerry was known for his cooking for family and friends.

He was preceded in death by brothers Curt, John and Nokie. Jerry is survived by his beloved wife of 55 years, Louise of Ocala, FL; daughter Chris Waller and her husband Robert of Lawrenceville, GA; son Don and his wife Patti of Sarasota, FL and Chip and his wife Tiffany of Clermont, FL; granddaddy's jewels Brad, Kristi, Emily and Paris; brothers Ken and his wife Polly of Ashland, KY and Ron and his wife Judi of Worthington, KY; sisters-in-law Mary Coburn, Elaine Coburn, Joyce Coburn and many other family members that he loved.

A memorial service will be held on Thursday, October 4th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the Ocala West Church of the Nazarene, 5884 S.W. 60th Ave, Ocala, FL., 34477. Urn committal with full military honors will be held later this year at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL., 34481.

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### **GRAY, BETTY KAY, 71**

Ocala - Betty Kay Gray (Newsome), 71, formerly of West Palm Beach, FL unexpectedly passed away September 30th, 2012 in Ocala, FL.

She is survived by her husband Richard (Dick) Gray. Betty is also survived by her three daughters, Stacy Cann (Ted) of Brentwood, TN., Courtney Wear (Washburn) of Ocala, FL. and Leslie Phillips (Ted) of Tallahassee, FL. She is also survived by five grandchildren Seth Cann, Taylor and Tre Wear, Paige and Lyndsey Phillips; five sisters, Jeanette McLaren of West Palm Beach, FL., Donna Newsome of Tallahassee, FL., Linda Shrigley of Tallahassee, FL., Shirley Houlihan of Royal Palm Beach, FL. and Laura Briggs of Amherst, VA.; two nieces, three nephews and her Aunt Lucille Cates of Sparr, FL.

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He was admitted to the NY Stock Exchange in March 1965. He became Senior Vice President with the firm of Wedbush, Noble and Cooke. He was a member of the Button Wood Club since 1986. He enjoyed playing golf, fishing, playing cards, dancing and traveling.

Survivors include his wife of 55 years, Virginia (Snyder) Nessler; daughters, Susan (Steve) Narbutt, Kathleen (William) Doherty; sons, Richard (Patricia) Nessler, Scott (Margaret) Nessler; grandchildren, Billy, Emily, Kevin, Ashley, Richard, the twins- Andrew and Erin, all of Long Island, New York. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother Wallace and granddaughter Melissa.

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Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL. A funeral Mass is scheduled for 10 a.m. Thursday, October 4, 2012 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon with Father Kevin MacGabhann officiating.

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**FORTIER, SANDRA MAE**

Ocala - Sandra Mae Fortier passed away on Sunday, September 30th, 2012 after a brief illness. Sandy was originally from Akron, Ohio and attended Springfield High School, graduating with the class of 1959. She served in the Army Reserves from 1974 to 1984. Sandy relocated to Ocala, Florida in 1978 where she worked at the Robert Boissoneault Oncology Institute for 30 years as a Registered Radiologic Technologist and Radiation Therapist.

Sandy is predeceased by her husband, Al Fortier of Ocala and survived by her son, John Philip (Cheryl) McCann; daughter, Kristine Paige Jessop; mother, Ethyle M. Keele of Kansas; sisters Virginia L. Padilla and Rebecca Warner, both of Kansas; grandson, Ryan Philip (Markita) McCann; great-grandsons, Kalub and Aidan McCann and longtime friend, Carol Marshall.

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Ocala, FL - Lusitania "Tan" Looney, 97, of Anthony, passed away on Monday, October 1, 2012. She was a resident of Life Care Center of Ocala and she was born in Vansant, Virginia. She was preceded in death by her parents, William and Elizabeth (Hagey) Looney; husband Hayes Looney; sons Ralph Looney and Kent Looney; and eleven brothers and sisters. She is survived by one son, Darrell (Wanda) Looney; a daughter-in-law, Shirley Looney; four grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Looney will be held at Anthony Baptist Church on Thursday, October 4, 2012 at 11 a.m. with Rev. Gwenn McCormick officiating. Visitation will be at 10:30 a.m. at the church.

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### **REED, MARILYN JANE, 92**

Ocala - Marilyn Jane Reed passed away September 27, 2012.

Born in St. Louis, MO, she moved to Florida in 1940 and to Marion County in 1969. She attended Fontbonne University in St. Louis and worked as a case worker for the State of Missouri; later she earned her Florida real estate license.

She is survived by her daughter, Joy French, Citra; grandson, William Lattin, Ocala; great-grandchildren, William James Lattin and Marcus Lattin; brothers, Walter Light, Silver Springs; and Robert "Coach" (Patricia) Light, Boone, NC.

Memorial service will be at 11 a.m., Saturday, October 6th, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony.

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Kathleen was a familiar site to neighbors as a bicycle rider and walker. She excelled in journalism and loved reading and sharing her research.

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Survivors include her daughters, Sandra Griffin (Steve) of Weirsdale and Helen Skelton (Buster) of Ocala; grandchildren, Thomas, Eric and Stephen Pindur, Matthew and Kristin Skelton; and three great-grandchildren.

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**LOONEY, LUSITANIA "TAN", 97**

Ocala, FL - Lusitania "Tan" Looney, 97, of Anthony, passed away on Monday, October 1, 2012. She was a resident of Life Care Center of Ocala and she was born in Vansant, Virginia. She was preceded in death by her parents, William and Elizabeth (Hagey) Looney; husband Hayes Looney; sons Ralph Looney and Kent Looney; and eleven brothers and sisters. She is survived by one son, Darrell (Wanda) Looney; a daughter-in-law, Shirley Looney; four grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Looney will be held at Anthony Baptist Church on Thursday, October 4, 2012 at 11 a.m. with Rev. Gwenn McCormick officiating. Visitation will be at 10:30 a.m. at the church.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County, or to Anthony Baptist Church, P.O. Box 267, Anthony, FL, 32617. Arrangements made by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL.

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**MORTON, DOROTHY SOPHIA, 87**

Owosso, Michigan - Dorothy Sophia Morton, age 87, of Owosso, Michigan, passed away Monday, October 1, 2012 at Memorial Healthcare, Owosso, MI.

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She is survived by her children, Ronald and Joan Morton of Saco, ME, Dawn Milne of Cape Coral, FL, Sharon Lee Morton of Rudyard, MI, and Jaytee and Teresa Morton of Owosso, MI. Dorothy is preceded in death by her parents, husband, Robert; son, Robert Craig; one grandchild, one brother, and one sister.

Memorials may be made to the Hospice House of Shiawassee County, 2005 East Copas Road, Owosso, MI 48867. Online condolences can be sent to [www.smithfamilyfuneralhomes.com](http://www.smithfamilyfuneralhomes.com) The family is being served by Smith Family Funeral Homes Jennings-Lyons Chapel, Owosso, Michigan.

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**PETERSON, GENEVA**

Geneva Peterson, 86, passed away on October 1, 2012 at Shands Hospital, Gainesville, FL. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, October 6, 2012 at 11:00 am at Mt. Pleasant United Methodist Church, 630 NW 2nd ST, Gainesville, FL. Rev. Geraldine W. McClellan, Pastor, eulogist; Elder Leon L. Thomas, Sr., officiating. Interment will be at Pine Grove Cemetery, Gainesville, FL. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs., Inc. 352-563-1394.

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**REED, MARILYN JANE, 92**

Ocala - Marilyn Jane Reed passed away September 27, 2012.

Born in St. Louis, MO, she moved to Florida in 1940 and to Marion County in 1969. She attended Fontbonne University in St. Louis and worked as a case worker for the State of Missouri; later she earned her Florida real estate license.

She is survived by her daughter, Joy French, Citra; grandson, William Lattin, Ocala; great-grandchildren, William James Lattin and Marcus Lattin; brothers, Walter Light, Silver Springs; and Robert "Coach" (Patricia) Light, Boone, NC.

Memorial service will be at 11 a.m., Saturday, October 6th, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony.

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Ocala - Jackie Capreri, of Ocala, passed away October 2, 2012 at Hospice's Estelle House after a brief illness.

Born in Abington, PA she came to this area in 1975 from Horsham, PA. She was a retired teacher's aide and a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church.

She is survived by her daughter, Jackie Litherland and her husband Mark of Ocala; son, Patrick Capreri of North Carolina; grandchildren, Jordan and Reagan Litherland of Ocala; sister, Susann O'Connor of Daytona Beach, FL, her long time companion Jerry Fern of Ocala and three nieces.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice's Estelle House, P.O. Box 4860 Ocala, FL., 34478.

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**RICHMOND, RHEA WOLFORD, 91**

Ocala - Rhea Wolford Richmond, age 91, of Ocala, formerly of Fredericktown, Ohio died on September 26, 2012 in Ocala.

Memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on October 14, 2012, at the Marion Woods Independent Living Home, 1661 Southeast 31st., Ocala.

Funeral arrangements by the Snyder Funeral Home in Fredericktown, Ohio.

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Ocala - Jane B. Smith, 71, passed away Thursday, October 4, 2012, after a 21-month battle with pancreatic cancer.

Jane graduated from Williston High School in 1959. She also graduated from Jones Business College in Jacksonville and worked for Florida National Bank in Ocala and Gainesville in the early 1960s. With the birth of her first child, she left the workforce to become a mother and homemaker. She was a member of Morriston Baptist Church. She lived her entire life in Morriston before moving to Ocala nine years ago.

She is predeceased by her husband, Lester D. Smith, and survived by two daughters, Vivian

(Kelly) Culbertson, Ocala, and Valerie (Mark) Waldorff, Evinston. She has four grandchildren, Kayla Waldorff (18), Preston Culbertson (17), Davis Waldorff (15) and Hannah Culbertson (14). Funeral services to be held Tuesday, Oct. 9, at 10 a.m. in the Morriston Baptist Church, with burial at Orange Hill Cemetery, Williston. Donations may be made to Morriston Baptist Church Building Fund, 20291 SE 33rd Street, Morriston, FL 32668.

Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Williston.

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Gina M. Bailey, age 43, of Ocala, FL went home to be with Jesus on Friday, October 5, 2012. She was born in Roseburg, OR on January 24, 1969. All her friends and family describe Gina as very lovable. During all her struggles with mental illness, Gina always remained devoted to Christ.

She is survived by her parents Tommy and Gail Bailey of Ocala, FL; brother Kevin Bailey of Ocala, FL; grandmother Ola McKinney of Richmond, VA; and many cousins, aunts and uncles; nephew Connor Bailey; and her friends at NAMI (National Alliance of Mental Illness).

A funeral service will take place at First Baptist Church, Ocala, FL on Tuesday, October 9, 2012 at 1pm. A visitation will also take place at the church on the day of the service from Noon until 1pm.

Burial will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL.

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Funeral arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida.

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#### **BEHAR, DORIS LANE, 84**

Belleview - Doris Lane Behar, 84, of Belleview, went to be with our Lord October 4, 2012.

Doris came to this area 10 years ago from her native, Tampa. She was a homemaker and a member of Trinity Baptist Church of Ocala. Doris touched many lives as a loving wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother and is survived by her husband of 60 years, Albert; children, Michael (Wendy) of Belleview, Sherri of San Clemente, CA, and William (Jan) of Ft. Worth, TX; brothers, Robert Lane of Merritt Island, FL, Jack Lane of Land O Lakes, FL, Jean Lane of Temple Terrace, FL, and Dick Lane of Greenville, TN; grandchildren, Brian, Danita, Shawn, Jason, Jonathan, Briyanna, Nya, Tonya, Kristen and Jennifer and 11 great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be held at ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944 on Monday, Oct. 8, from 5-7 p.m.

Funeral Services will be held at Trinity Baptist Church, 1600 SE 58th Ave., Ocala, on Tuesday, Oct. 9, at 10 a.m. with fellowship to follow. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell at 2:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County or Unlimited Discipleship Ministries, 4560 SE 120th St. Belleview, Fl 34420. A condolence message may be left at:

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**BLAIR, EMMA T., 95**

Ocala - Emma T. Blair, "Omi," 95, passed away Thursday, October 4, 2012.

Emma was preceded in death by her husband, James D. Blair, and her son-in-law, Robert Clemens.

She is survived by her daughter, Jutta Clemens; grandchildren, James (Elise) Clemens, Clifton (Valerie) Clemens, Theresa Stefl, all of Ocala, Robert (Michelle) Clemens, Carmel, Indiana; eight great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Graveside funeral services will be held at Florida National Cemetery at 2 p.m. Tuesday, October 9, 2012. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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**CONLEY, MARY SUSANNA, 100**

Ocala - Mary Susanna Conley of Ocala, FL, was 100 years old when she passed away on Monday, October 1, 2012. She was born June 28, 1912, in Doddridge County, WV, to Felix and Rhoda Coffman, the last of five children.

She became a nurse in Weston, WV, where she met her future husband, Laurence (Larry) Conley. They eloped in January, 1935, and were married in Maryland. They moved to Baltimore, MD, during the war where Laurence worked as a tool maker for Glenn L. Martin Company and Mary was a Girl Scout Leader, church librarian and mother. It was during this time that Mary painted the family Oldsmobile with a brush and house paint. The family moved back to Weston for a short time and then returned to Maryland, where they lived until the Martin Company sent them to Orlando in 1959. Mary was an excellent baker and seamstress and during the sixties even crafted a leisure suit for her son-in-law, while working full-time in a clerical role for Martin Marietta. Thanks to the wonderful atmosphere and care she received while at Orlando Jewish Federation's Kinneret Apartments and Lifecare of Ocala she achieved her Century milestone.

She is survived by her daughter, Sue Shuler of Oxford, PA, and her son and daughter-in-law, Fred and Ann Conley of Ocala, FL. Mary is further survived by her grandchildren: Paige Moses of Herndon, VA, Jeff Conley of Orlando, FL, and Ken Conley of New York, NY; and her great-grandchildren Gareth Lange and Carson Moses of Herndon, VA. She was pre-deceased by her loving husband, Laurence, in January, 1994, and her son-in-law, Henry Shuler in January, 2012.

Mary did not gossip in her 100 years and was always doing more for others than for herself.

There will be a memorial service celebrating Mary's life at the Union Presbyterian Church in Kirkwood, PA, on November 18, 2012, at 1 p.m. All are welcome to attend. Memorial donations may be made to Temple Beth Shalom, PO Box 6117, Ocala, FL 34478 or Union Presbyterian Church, 5637 Street Road, Kirkwood, PA, 17536.

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**DELISO, EDNA LOUISE, 74**

Dunnellon - Edna Louise DeLiso passed away on October 3, 2012. Born in Queens, New York, she moved to Marion County from Long Island, NY, in 1984. She worked as a Medical Records Specialist.

Preceded in death by her brothers, Lawrence and John; she is survived by her loving husband of

54 years, Thomas "Tom" DeLiso; sons, Thomas DeLiso, Dunnellon; Paul (Carol) DeLiso, Chactaw, OK; daughter, Donna (David) Miller; Ocala; six grandchildren; sisters, Dorothy, Carol and Mary.

Visitation will be held 2:00-4:00 and 6:00-8:00pm, Monday, October 8 in the Chapel at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, Ocala.

Funeral Mass will be 1:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 9th at Blessed Trinity with Father Patrick Sheedy officiating. Interment will follow at Memorial Gardens in Beverly Hills, 5891 North Lecanto Highway, Beverly Hills, FL.

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### **GRIGGS, VERONICA "JO" HART**

Ocala - Jo, as she was known to her friends, went HOME to be with the Lord on Tuesday, October 2nd.

Originally from Georgia, Jo taught school, mostly in Florida for 38 years. She served on many boards and committees with Ocala First Baptist Church and was loved by all. She was Marion County's Teacher of the year in 1975.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Jimmy Griggs, in 1975. She is survived by her two sons, John and Jeff Griggs. John & Sara have two God-Fearing sons, Ben Griggs, (recently married to Marley) and Zack Griggs, presently in medical school & President of the Student Government. All four live in Tampa, FL. Her other son, Jeff, has two children, Chloe Griggs, and Joel Griggs, Chloe is an excellent student, plays sax and clarinet, Joel has a gift of sports excellence. Jeff's wife Susan has two children, (Jo's step grandchildren), Nic and Abi, they live in Tallahassee.

Jo's mind remained sharp, even at 93, (94 on Oct. 5th). She read 75 books in the last 8 months. She is remembered as a Prayer Warrior who kept prayer journals and knew her Savior, Jesus Christ, intimately. Mother was a God-Fearing example of Faith and Trust in JESUS. John and I both knew that she was there for us, 24/7. She spoke wisdom, listened, and gave us encouragement, hope. We knew she would ask the Lord to give us understanding, favor and wisdom.

Her memorial service will be at 10am, November 10th, 2012, at the First Baptist Church and all of her many friends and acquaintances are invited to share in this celebration of this remarkable God-Fearing woman and her Joy at being with the Lord. Condolences maybe expressed to Jeff and John at [Jeff@360sam.com](mailto:Jeff@360sam.com) or [John@serviceinsurors.com](mailto:John@serviceinsurors.com)

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### **JAEGER, MARGARETTE A., 84**

Palm Coast, FL - Margarettte passed away on Sunday, September 30, 2012 at the Stuart F. Meyer Hospice House.

She was born August 22, 1928 in New York City to the late Charles and Mary Hovestadt (Stockhorst). She was married in the aftermath of the Blizzard of '47, brought to the church in the only transportation that could navigate the snow clogged streets: a horse drawn sleigh; she lived most of her life on Long Island and in 1994, moved to the family home in Belleview, FL.

Margarette was very involved in the Ostomy Support Group of Ocala/Marion County where she served as an officer for many years. She will always be remembered as a woman who gave of herself freely, often volunteering to counsel patients at the local hospitals. The neighborhood

children will always remember her as the candy lady that had the, 'never empty jar' of jelly beans. She enjoyed breeding Boxers, getting involved in her community, the 'grandma's luncheon', watching basketball, but most of all being with her beloved family.

She came to Palm Coast earlier this year and met a wonderful group of friends at Las Palmas. She will be greatly missed by all those who knew and loved her.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert A. Jaeger in 2001. Survivors include her son, Robert C. and his wife, Linda Jaeger of Palm Coast, FL; granddaughter Robin, grandson Christopher and his wife Pam and their children, Renee, Katelyn and Reid.

Donations in her memory may be made to United Ostomy Associations of America Inc., [www.ostomy.org](http://www.ostomy.org)

or NEADS, Dogs for Deaf & Disabled Americans; canines for combat vets at: [www.neads.org](http://www.neads.org).

For online condolences go to:

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A funeral Mass celebrating the life of Margarette A. Jaeger, 84, of Palm Coast will be held on Friday, October 12, 2012, at 11 a.m. at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church in Palm Coast. A gathering will begin at 10 a.m. until service time at the church. Services are in the care and trust of Craig Flagler Palms Funeral Home.

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#### **RICHMOND, RHEA WOLFORD, 91**

Ocala - Rhea Wolford Richmond, age 91, of Ocala, formerly of Fredericktown, Ohio died on September 26, 2012 in Ocala.

Memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on October 14, 2012, at the Marion Woods Independent Living Home, 1661 Southeast 31st., Ocala.

Funeral arrangements by the Snyder Funeral Home in Fredericktown, Ohio.

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#### **SMITH, JANE B., 71**

Ocala - Jane B. Smith, 71, passed away Thursday, October 4, 2012, after a 21-month battle with pancreatic cancer.

Jane graduated from Williston High School in 1959. She also graduated from Jones Business College in Jacksonville and worked for Florida National Bank in Ocala and Gainesville in the early 1960s. With the birth of her first child, she left the workforce to become a mother and homemaker. She was a member of Morriston Baptist Church. She lived her entire life in Morriston before moving to Ocala nine years ago.

She is predeceased by her husband, Lester D. Smith, and survived by two daughters, Vivian (Kelly) Culbertson, Ocala, and Valerie (Mark) Waldorff, Evinston. She has four grandchildren, Kayla Waldorff (18), Preston Culbertson (17), Davis Waldorff (15) and Hannah Culbertson (14).

Funeral services to be held Tuesday, Oct. 9, at 10 a.m. in the Morriston Baptist Church, with burial at Orange Hill Cemetery, Williston. Donations may be made to Morriston Baptist Church Building Fund, 20291 SE 33rd Street, Morriston, FL 32668.

Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Williston.

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#### **SWANGO, DOUGLAS M., 70**

Ocala - Douglas M. Swango, 70, died Sunday, September 30, 2012.

Born in Belle Glade, FL, he came to Ocala with his family in 1945. A few years ago he relocated to Seminole, FL. He was a long time employee of the House of Bargains Furniture Store.

He was predeceased by his parents, W.H. Swango and Trudy Swango Dearmond; brother, Edward Swango, and infant daughter.

Survivors include his wife of 50 years, Laverne Burnett Swango; his sons, Brian and Jonathan; his daughters, Cheryl, Lisa and Pamela along with four grandchildren, Allie, Serena, Aidan and Kaleb. He is also survived by his sisters, Carol Dabbs and Sue Talsky along with many caring friends. A private memorial will be held at a later date.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, October 8, 2012**

#### **BAILEY, GINA M.**

Gina M. Bailey, age 43, of Ocala, FL went home to be with Jesus on Friday, October 5, 2012. She was born in Roseburg, OR on January 24, 1969. All her friends and family describe Gina as very lovable. During all her struggles with mental illness, Gina always remained devoted to Christ.

She is survived by her parents Tommy and Gail Bailey of Ocala, FL; brother Kevin Bailey of Ocala, FL; grandmother Ola McKinney of Richmond, VA; and many cousins, aunts and uncles; nephew Connor Bailey; and her friends at NAMI (National Alliance of Mental Illness).

A funeral service will take place at First Baptist Church, Ocala, FL on Tuesday, October 9, 2012 at 1pm. A visitation will also take place at the church on the day of the service from Noon until 1pm.

Burial will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL.

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### **HAMM, WILMA VIRIGINIA THOMAS**

Wilma Virginia Thomas Hamm (94), a longtime resident of Marion County, Florida, went to be with the Lord on Friday, October 5th, 2012 in Ocoee, Tennessee.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Gordon and Sallie Thomas. Two brothers, Ottis and James Thomas and one sister, Edna Garrett and the love of her life Willie Dalton Hamm, also by three sons, Jesse James Hamm, William Hardy Hamm, and Dalton Daniel Hamm.

She is survived by one brother O.D. Thomas of Archer, Fl, two sisters, Louise Perkins of Ocala, Fl, and Inez Klem of Jacksonville, Fl, four sons, W. Howard (Wanda) Hamm, Sparr, Fl, Robert

(Betsy) Hamm, Ocoee, Tn. Charles (Lucy) Hamm, Gainesville, Fl, Jeff (Trella) Hamm, Pocahontas, Ar, and three daughters, Mary Virginia (Kinnith) Findley, Attalla, Al, Vangie Canady, Lenoir City, Tn, Melody (Jerry) Downs, Sweetwater, Tn.

The blessings of a long life brought her twenty three grandchildren, thirty eight great grandchildren, and twenty two great, great grandchildren.

Her life was her family - Her Lord was her love.

There will be a gathering of family and friends Monday, Oct. 8th from 6-8pm at ROBERTS DOWNTOWN CHAPEL, 606 SW 2ND AVE, OCALA, FL, 34471, where a funeral service will be held on Tuesday, Oct. 9th at 11am. Interment will follow at Greenwood Cemetery, Ocala, FL.

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He was predeceased by his parents, W.H. Swango and Trudy Swango Dearmond; brother, Edward Swango, and infant daughter.

Survivors include his wife of 50 years, Laverne Burnett Swango; his sons, Brian and Jonathan; his daughters, Cheryl, Lisa and Pamela along with four grandchildren, Allie, Serena, Aidan and Kaleb. He is also survived by his sisters, Carol Dabbs and Sue Talsky along with many caring friends. A private memorial will be held at a later date.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, October 9, 2012**

#### **BARNETT, REBA MANN**

Ocala- Reba Mann Barnett passed away on Sunday, October 7, 2012. She was at home surrounded by her loving family.

Reba was born in Abbeville, Georgia, and moved to Ocala in 1944 to begin her teaching career at Ocala High School. She was a loved and respected teacher for many years and influenced many of Ocala's community leaders. Reba was known for her kind and gentle spirit and taught others by her example. She leaves behind many wonderful memories to all who crossed her path.

Reba was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Downs Barnett, and also brothers, J.T. Mann, Roy Mann, and Leon Mann. She is survived by her dear sister, Margaret Luffman, of Ocala as well as daughters, Trudy Yancey (Wayne) and Cindy Stenzel (Marc) and son, Bobby Barnett. She leaves behind 16 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Reba was just as sharp in her 94th year as she ever was and enjoyed reading, crossword puzzles and could still diagram any sentence the old fashioned way. She studied her Bible every day and attended services at the Central Church of Christ as long as she was able. She enjoyed being a keeper at home, was a wonderful cook and loved her friends and family.

Visitation will be on Tuesday, October 9, from 5 to 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. There will be a memorial service at the Central Church of Christ on Wednesday, October 10, at 5 p.m.

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#### **BENCK, GEORGE F., 88**

Ocala - George F. Benck, 88, passed away October 6, 2012, in Ocala, FL. Born October 13, 1923, he was a devoted husband of 61 years and a loving father of six.

He was a long-time member of the Kiwanis Club, an avid golfer, and football fan. He was a member of Our Saviour Lutheran Church of Marion Oaks.

He is survived by wife, Dolores; children, Gary (Lora), Susan, Nancy, David, Linda, and Melissa (John); six grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

A memorial ceremony will be held Saturday, October 13, 11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge, followed by a brief reception. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Heart Association .

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Wilma Virginia Thomas Hamm (94), a longtime resident of Marion County, Florida, went to be with the Lord on Friday, October 5th, 2012 in Ocoee, Tennessee.

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### **MALSTROM, MARY K., 81**

York, PA - Mary K. Malstrom, 81, of Red Lion, PA, formerly of Ocala, FL, died Friday, October 5, 2012, in Rest Haven Nursing Center, York, PA.

She was born January 26, 1931, in Detroit, MI, daughter of the late Waino and Bertha (Makela) Kokko.

She was a member of Joy Lutheran Church in Ocala FL.

In addition to her parents she is preceded in death by her brother, Kenneth Kokko.

She is survived by her husband of 62 years, Marvin R. Malstrom, of Red Lion; sons: Glenn and his wife, Catherine Malstrom, of Red Lion, Gregg Malstrom, of New Orleans, LA; daughter, Gail Diane Scott, of Greer, SC, and two grandchildren.

Services were private at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements Neill Funeral Home, Camp Hill, PA.

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### **RUSSER, HAROLD G., 86**

Harold G. Russer, 86, died October 6, 2012 at Sylvia's Hospice House.

He was born on February 25, 1926, at Bronx, NY, to Jacob and Martha Russer. Harold was a Navy veteran of World War II. He was married to Teresa "Terry" Russer for 55 years. She preceded him in death in 2006. He was a policeman for the city of Ansonia, CT, and was a trooper for the State of Connecticut. He worked for General Electric, and he was a sales engineer for Robertshaw Controls in Milford, CT. He retired and moved to Ocala in 1989.

Surviving him are his children: Kevin J. (Judy) Russer of So. Amboy, CT, Karen Gatison of Ocala, Maureen Swanson of Clearwater, FL, Patti Moore of Belen, NM, and Brian H. (Sandy) Russer of Wallingford, CT; eight grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife and brothers, Jacob and Donald Russer.

A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, October 9, 2012, at 3 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala 34470. A viewing will begin an hour prior to the service. The interment will take place at a later date at Florida National Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be sent to Hospice of Marion County. Online condolences may be made at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**ROBINSON, CYNTHIA G., 49**

Ocala - Cynthia G. Robinson, born August 10, 1963, in Knoxville, TN, and Jeffery L. Shinn, born March 11, 1958, in Hollywood, FL, passed on October 4, 2012.

They were survived by their only child, Lauren N. Shinn, age 24. Their lives were full of laughter and excitement. Together and not together, they were so loving and giving to others.

The Robinson and Shinn families will be holding a public memorial for all who loved the deceased at their residence on Wednesday, October 10, 2012, from 6 to 8 p.m. All friends and family are welcome.

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**SMITH, FRANCES LOUISE, 91**

Belleview - Frances Louise Smith, age 91, of Belleview, passed away October 6, 2012, at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born on November 21, 1921, in Fulton, County, Indiana, a daughter to the late Esta and Edith Shriver.

In addition to her parents she was also preceded in death by her husband, Robert; two sons, Terry Allen Smoker and Dennis LeRoy Smoker; and a brother, Gene Shriver. Her family fondly remembers her love for cooking, sewing, reading and her cat, Tweety.

She leaves behind to cherish her memory, two daughters, Shelby Wogoman of Warsaw, IN, Phyllis (Emory) Smith of Ocala, FL; four sons, Ernest "Ernie" (Genelle) Smoker of Rochester, IN, Dick (Janice) Smoker of Lawrenceburg, IN, Eddie (Lottie) Smoker of Rochester, IN, Jimmy (Joene) Smoker of Puyallup, WA; daughter-in-law, Joyce Smoker; 17 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and six great- great-grandchildren.

A visitation has been scheduled for Wednesday, October 10, 2012, from 6 - 8 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A celebration of life service will be held on Thursday at 11 a.m. also at the funeral home, burial to follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, October 10, 2012**

**BARNETT, REBA MANN**

Ocala- Reba Mann Barnett passed away on Sunday, October 7, 2012. She was at home surrounded by her loving family.

Reba was born in Abbeville, Georgia, and moved to Ocala in 1944 to begin her teaching career at Ocala High School. She was a loved and respected teacher for many years and influenced many of Ocala's community leaders. Reba was known for her kind and gentle spirit and taught others by her example. She leaves behind many wonderful memories to all who crossed her path.

Reba was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Downs Barnett, and also brothers, J.T. Mann, Roy Mann, and Leon Mann. She is survived by her dear sister, Margaret Luffman, of Ocala as well as daughters, Trudy Yancey (Wayne) and Cindy Stenzel (Marc) and son, Bobby Barnett. She leaves behind 16 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Reba was just as sharp in her 94th year as she ever was and enjoyed reading, crossword puzzles and could still diagram any sentence the old fashioned way. She studied her Bible every day and attended services at the Central Church of Christ as long as she was able. She enjoyed being a keeper at home, was a wonderful cook and loved her friends and family.

Visitation will be on Tuesday, October 9, from 5 to 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. There will be a memorial service at the Central Church of Christ on Wednesday, October 10, at 5 p.m.

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### **BENCK, GEORGE F., 88**

Ocala - George F. Benck, 88, passed away October 6, 2012, in Ocala, FL. Born October 13, 1923, he was a devoted husband of 61 years and a loving father of six.

He was a long-time member of the Kiwanis Club, an avid golfer, and football fan. He was a member of Our Saviour Lutheran Church of Marion Oaks.

He is survived by wife, Dolores; children, Gary (Lora), Susan, Nancy, David, Linda, and Melissa (John); six grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

A memorial ceremony will be held Saturday, October 13, 11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge, followed by a brief reception. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Heart Association .

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### **BLAKE, ROBERT LEO, 64**

Belleview - Robert Leo Blake passed away October 5, 2012. Born in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, on May 19, 1948, Mr. Blake moved to Belleview from DeWitt, Iowa in 1985. Before retirement, Robert worked as a receiver/shipper. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy during the Vietnam War. Mr. Blake was of the Methodist faith and a member of the American Legion Post 284. He enjoyed telling stories and jokes, putting models together, and especially loved NASCAR.

Robert is survived by his wife, Helen; two daughters, Brandi (Jay) Simmons, Belleview, FL; Becky Evans, Ocala, FL; sister, Diane (David) Petersen, DeWitt, IA; three grandchildren, Megan, Joseph, and Jason, and two great-grandchildren, Lukas and Amelia.

A memorial service for Mr. Blake will be held Monday, October 15, 2012, at 10:30 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services - Belleview, with a committal service immediately following at 12:30 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery. Sentiments may be left online at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **CROWLEY JR., ROBERT JOSEPH, 24**

Ocala - Robby was born on March 29th 1988 in St Petersburg, Florida. He is survived by a family that loves him deeply. Robby is the son of Bob and Julie Crowley and the big brother to Amanda and Brad. Robby is also survived by his grandparents, Gaspar and Jackie Palmisano and Alice Gooch all of St. Petersburg, Florida. Robby had many aunts and uncles as well as

numerous cousins.

He graduated from Forest High School in 2006. He loved playing golf, cheering on the Gators and studying American History. What Robby loved most was spending time with his friends and family. Robby was a lifetime member of First Baptist Church of Ocala, Florida where he accepted Jesus as his Lord and Savior on April 7th, 2002. Today Robby rests in the arms of his Savior and will be forever at peace. Robby will live forever in our hearts.

Visitation for Robby will be held from 5 until 7 p.m., Thursday, October 11, 2012, at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, October 12, 2012 at First Baptist Church, with Dr. Phillip E. Hanes officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park.

Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala.

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### **HIGGINBOTHAM, WALTER M., 87**

Ocala - Walter M. Higginbotham, 87, passed away at home on October 8, 2012.

Born in Hastings, FL, he grew up in Island Grove and lived here most all his life. A veteran of the U.S. Army, he served as a Military Policeman. He retired as a Supervisor with Citrus Central. He was a member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church and member of Woodman of the World.

Preceded in death by his mother and father, Lola and Marion Higginbotham; and sisters, Lorraine Rigby, Mildred Beckman and Isoline Chitty; he is survived by his spouse, Jeannette Tarrant; step-daughter, Debbie (Billy) Youmans; granddaughters, Angela (Dennis) Young; Brandi (Roy) Johnson, Morgan (David) Raney; brother, Frank Higginbotham, Tampa; sisters, Dot Croy, Temple Terrace; Cathryn Chapman, Brooksville; Annie Hinck, Marietta, GA; and Bonnie Jones, Eatonton, GA; brother-in-law, Martin Chitty, Gainesville; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral service will be 11:30 a.m., Friday, October 12th, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 N.E. Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, with visitation one half-hour prior to the service. Pastor Samuel W. Clements and Pastor Paul Alonso will officiate. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell with military honors. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Wyomina Park Baptist Church, 1411 NE 14th St., Ocala, FL 34470.

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### **MALSTROM, MARY K., 81**

York, PA - Mary K. Malstrom, 81, of Red Lion, PA, formerly of Ocala, FL, died Friday, October 5, 2012, in Rest Haven Nursing Center, York, PA.

She was born January 26, 1931, in Detroit, MI, daughter of the late Waino and Bertha (Makela) Kokko.

She was a member of Joy Lutheran Church in Ocala FL.

In addition to her parents she is preceded in death by her brother, Kenneth Kokko.

She is survived by her husband of 62 years, Marvin R. Malstrom, of Red Lion; sons: Glenn and his wife, Catherine Malstrom, of Red Lion, Gregg Malstrom, of New Orleans, LA; daughter, Gail Diane Scott, of Greer, SC, and two grandchildren.

Services were private at the convenience of the family.

Arrangements Neill Funeral Home, Camp Hill, PA.

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**MISKUF, JOSEPHINE E.**

Ocala - Josephine E. Miskuf of Ocala passed away Saturday, October 6, 2012.

She was born in Ponca City, OK, lived in Interlachen, FL before moving to this area in 1987. She was very active in the Marion Oaks community. Josephine was the first volunteer librarian of the Marion Oaks library and was instrumental along with other volunteers in the opening of the Marion Oaks Library in 1993. She was a member of the Arts & Crafts of Marion Oaks and a member of the American Legion Post 284 Ladies Auxiliary of Belleview.

She is survived by a daughter Martina Stinson (Daniel) of Keystone Heights, FL; daughter-in-law, Debra Lee Miskuf of AZ; three grandchildren, Angela Champion of NJ, Jeffrey Champion of TN, Jason Miskuf of AZ and several nieces and nephews.

Josephine was predeceased by her husband, Albert J. Miskuf; son, Jerome A. Miskuf; and grandson, Joshua Miskuf. The family will receive relatives and friends at a gathering at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 S.E. Robinson Road, Belleview, on Friday October 12, 2012 from 9 until 11 a.m. Funeral Services celebrating Josephine's life will follow the gathering to begin at 11 a.m. Burial will be held in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell.

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**PITTMAN, RICKY LEE, 57**

Ocala - Ricky Lee Pittman, 57, of Ocala, passed away October 7, 2012.

He came to this area over 30 years ago from his native, Logan, Ohio. He was a retired grocery floor associate, attended Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church and enjoyed sports, especially basketball, football and wrestling.

He is survived by his loving wife of 35 years, Shirley; sons, Chris (Marisa) Pittman of Silver Springs and Michael (Angelia) Pittman of Ocala; his mother, Thelma Sheppard of Ocala; sister, Cheryl Butler of Alabama and six grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his granddaughter, Caitlyn Pittman. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944) on Thursday, October 11th, 2012) from 6 until 8 p.m. Funeral Services will be held at the funeral home on Friday, October 12th, 2012 at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church Cemetery. A condolence message may be left at:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, October 9, 2012, at 3 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral

Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala 34470. A viewing will begin an hour prior to the service. The interment will take place at a later date at Florida National Cemetery.

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**TAYLOR, JONATHAN ROBERT, JR.**

Gainesville, FL - Mr. Jonathan Robert "Bob" Taylor, Jr., of Gainesville, Florida, died Sunday, October 7, 2012 at the E.T. York Hospice Care Center, following a brief illness.

Mr. Taylor was born in Homerville, Georgia on October 5, 1934 to the late Jonathan Robert, Sr., and Pauline Alma Taylor. He served in the U.S. Army, and then moved with his family to Gainesville in 1970. Mr. Taylor had been employed by Florida Farm Bureau for 37 years until his retirement in 1998 as District Sales Manager, he also taught insurance licensing at Santa Fe Community College. His greatest work was serving the Lord through his work as a member of North Gainesville Baptist Church, where he served as head of Deacons, and as a Sunday School teacher. He will be remembered as a loving husband to his wife of 49 years, Elizabeth "Libby" Taylor, who preceded him in death in 2008. He loved his family and his church family very much.

He is survived by one daughter, Rebecca (Oscar) Taylor-Allen, of Middleburg; two sons, Christopher Alan (Renee) Taylor, of Jacksonville, and Robert Vince (LaTrelle) Taylor, of High Springs; eight grandchildren, Laine Elizabeth Allen, Morgan Taylor, Kelly Taylor, Erica Taylor, Victoria Taylor, Bobby Taylor, Megan Atkins, and Joshua Atkins.

Memorial services will be held on Monday, October 15, 2012 at 12 p.m., in the North Gainesville Baptist Church, 6203 NW 39th Avenue, Gainesville, with Rev. Gary Manning, officiating. Interment will follow in Countryside Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the church prior to the service, beginning at 10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations should be made to the North Gainesville Baptist Church Building Fund, 6203 NW 39th Avenue, Gainesville, FL 32606.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION  
WILLIAMS-THOMAS WESTAREA  
(352) 376-7556

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#### **BENSON (BOGGESS), MELANIE**

Ocala - Melanie was taken from us unexpectedly on October 1st, 2012.

She is survived by the loves of her life, Cody Benson, Anjelina Benson, Rowan Benson, Lilly Boggess and boyfriend and best friend Eric Weatherford. Melanie is also survived by her father, Shelby Boggess; mother, Linda Boggess, and her two sisters, Kimberly Boggess and Brittany Pasanen.

Melanie is a graduate of Rasmussen College, where she obtained her associates degree in clinical psychology. She worked for Goodwill Industries in Ocala as a skills trainer and was most

recently promoted to site supervisor.

Melanie had a love of life that was only surpassed by the love she had for children and family. While she will remain in our hearts, we will miss her laugh, her smiles, her beauty, and wit.

The family will be receiving friends and family on Thursday, October 11, 2012 from 5 to 7 PM and a service will follow at Hiers-Baxley Chapel, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470, 352-629-7171.

The family is requesting in lieu of flowers, to please send donations to "In memory of Melanie Benson Trust", 530 SE 129th Terrace, Silver Springs, FL 34488.

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### **BLAKE, ROBERT LEO, 64**

Bellevue - Robert Leo Blake passed away October 5, 2012. Born in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, on May 19, 1948, Mr. Blake moved to Bellevue from DeWitt, Iowa in 1985. Before retirement, Robert worked as a receiver/shipper. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Navy during the Vietnam War. Mr. Blake was of the Methodist faith and a member of the American Legion Post 284. He enjoyed telling stories and jokes, putting models together, and especially loved NASCAR.

Robert is survived by his wife, Helen; two daughters, Brandi (Jay) Simmons, Bellevue, FL; Becky Evans, Ocala, FL; sister, Diane (David) Petersen, DeWitt, IA; three grandchildren, Megan, Joseph, and Jason, and two great-grandchildren, Lukas and Amelia.

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Visitation for Robby will be held from 5 until 7 p.m., Thursday, October 11, 2012, at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Friday, October 12, 2012 at First Baptist Church, with Dr. Phillip E. Hanes officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park.

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### **FUTCH, ANN FORNTNER**



Ocala - Ann Fortner Futch, loving wife, mother, and friend, of Ocala and San Miguel de Allende, Mexico, passed away on October 8, 2012, at Sylvia's House in Ocala.

Born November 16, 1943 in Miami, Florida to Ed and Gladys Fortner, Ann moved to Ocala in 1959 and graduated from Ocala High School in 1961. She attended Florida State University, graduating in 1965 with a degree in Elementary Education. She was a member of Delta Gamma Sorority. Ann taught in the Marion County School System.

Ann loved the beauty of the world and all it had to offer. Ann was a licensed pilot, boat captain, and rode a motorcycle across the country. She and her family traveled the world and she was fascinated with nature, especially hummingbirds.

Survivors Include her husband and high school sweetheart of 53 years, R. S. "Butch" Futch, Jr., her children, R.S. "Chip" Futch, III, and his wife, Maria Esther, and their children, Michelle, Alex and Jaqueline, of Boca Grande, Florida; Caroline Elizabeth Futch of Tampa, Florida; and Jeremy Edward Futch, his wife Danielle, and their children, Brenna and Morgan, of Ocala, Florida. She is also survived by her mother, Gladys Dunn Fortner, her sister, Mary Jane Bohus and her husband Jerry, and their children, Christopher and Sarah, her sister-in-law Sandra Futch Conn and her children, Christa and Greg, her brother-in-law, R. William "'Bill' Futch and his wife Beth, and their children, Alexandra and Will, as well as many special and beloved cousins, extended family and close friends too numerous to count.

Memorial services will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. on Friday, October 12, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Chapel located at 910 East Silver Springs Boulevard, with Pastor Sue Hauptert-Johnson officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to Interfaith Emergency Services or Hospice of Marion County.

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### **HEITZ, DOROTHY E., 88**

Meriden, CT - Dorothy E. (Stromberg) Heitz, 88, of Meriden, and formerly of Ocala, FL peacefully departed this life on Monday, October 8, 2012 at Cocomo Health Care Center in Meriden. She was the wife of the late David E. Heitz.

Dorothy was born on February 27, 1924 in Manchester, NH daughter of the late Carl and Signe (Hogland) Stromberg. She was office manager at Smith Corona in Woodbridge until her retirement. In her spare time she enjoyed traveling with her husband, knitting and was active in her church communities.

She will be sadly missed by her children, Signe Olivieri of Hamden, David Heitz and his wife Phyllis of TN, and Audrey Schiller and her husband William of Vernon. She also leaves five beloved grandchildren, Karl, Kurt, Kirsten, Alison and Christie. She is preceded in death by a brother, Harold Stromberg.

A funeral service will be led by Pastor Robert Hass on Friday, October 12, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. at Zion Lutheran Church, 235 Pond Hill Road, Wallingford, CT. Interment will follow at the Connecticut State Veterans Cemetery in Middletown.

It is suggested that memorial contributions in her name be directed to Zion Lutheran Church. To leave a message of remembrance, please visit:

[www.BCBailey.com](http://www.BCBailey.com).

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Preceded in death by his mother and father, Lola and Marion Higginbotham; and sisters, Lorraine Rigby, Mildred Beckman and Isoline Chitty; he is survived by his spouse, Jeannette Tarrant; step-daughter, Debbie (Billy) Youmans; granddaughters, Angela (Dennis) Young; Brandi (Roy) Johnson, Morgan (David) Raney; brother, Frank Higginbotham, Tampa; sisters, Dot Croy, Temple Terrace; Cathryn Chapman, Brooksville; Annie Hinck, Marietta, GA; and Bonnie Jones, Eatonton, GA; brother-in-law, Martin Chitty, Gainesville; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral service will be 11:30 a.m., Friday, October 12th, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 N.E. Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, with visitation one half-hour prior to the service. Pastor Samuel W. Clements and Pastor Paul Alonso will officiate. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell with military honors. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Wyomina Park Baptist Church, 1411 NE 14th St., Ocala, FL 34470.

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### **ISHAM, JR., ORIS BENJAMIN, 70**

Ocala - Oris Benjamin Isham Jr., "Ben", age 70, a retired truck driver transitioned from his earthly house to his heavenly home on Monday, October 1, 2012 at Ocala Oaks Rehabilitation Center, Ocala, Florida.

Mr. Isham was born in Ocala, Florida. He was educated in Marion County Public Schools. He served in U.S. Air Force from 1960 to 1966. He is survived by his wife: Fermetta Croskey Isham, Ocala, Florida; step-mother: Virginia Isham, Ocala, Florida; daughters: Gloria Epps (Carl), West Palm Beach, Florida; Laderia Johnson (Dwayne) Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Rosalind Welch, Kansas City, Missouri; Lawana Lamb, Dacula, Georgia; Arnesia Isham, Jacksonville, Florida; sons: Oris B. Isham III, Ahmed Isham (Candice), both of Ocala, Florida; 19 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; sisters: Naomi Isham, Altamonte Springs, Florida; Penny Myers, Valdosta, Georgia; Sharon Shepard, Boston, Massachusetts; brother: Freddy Jones (Charvon), Ocala, Florida; Keith Washington (Joyce), Valdosta, Georgia; Angelo Williams (Sandra), Boston, Massachusetts; Twan Williams (Cassandra), Wildwood, Florida; three aunts and three uncles.

Viewing for Mr. Oris Benjamin Isham Jr. will be held on Friday, October 12, 2012 at Summers Funeral Home, 11:00 A.M. to 6:00 p.m.

Funeral Services for Mr. Oris Benjamin Isham Jr. "Ben", age 70, a truck driver, will be held on Saturday, October 13, 2012 at 2:00 P.M. at House of God Keith Dominion, 2830 Northwest 27th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34475 with the Elder Harold Franklin Sr., Pastor and Apostle R. G. Williams, Eulogist conducting the services.

Interment will take place at a later date under the Care of Summers Funeral Home Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street, Ocala, Florida 34475, 352-351-0566.

Visitation at the church on Saturday, 1:00 P.M. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy.

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**JACKSON, SARAH F, 91**

Ocklawaha - Sarah F. Jackson, 91, passed away October 4, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center after a brief illness.

Sarah leaves to cherish her memories four sons, Johnny (Debra) Jackson, Micanopy, FL, Kenneth (Sharon) Jackson of St. Petersburg, FL, Gregory (Gloria) Jackson, Seffner, FL; two daughters, Cheryl (Nathaniel) Moore, Ocala, FL, Voncea (Calvin) Fuller, Jacksonville, FL; a devoted daughter-in-law, Geraldine Jackson, Ocala, FL; two sisters, Agnes Willoughby, Summerfield, FL and Catherine Hall, Belleview, FL; numerous grandchildren, great-grands, great-great grands, nieces, nephews, cousins and a host of sorrowing friends.

Preceding Sarah in eternal rest her husband, Cleophus "Buster" Jackson; and her son, Charles "Lightning" Jackson.

A celebration of life for Sarah F. Jackson will be held Saturday, October 13, 2012 at 11 a.m., at St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church, Candler, FL, Reverend Nathaniel Moore presiding. In lieu of flowers, per Sarah's pre-arranged request, please make contributions to a church of your choice.

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**MISKUF, JOSEPHINE E.**

Ocala - Josephine E. Miskuf of Ocala passed away Saturday, October 6, 2012.

She was born in Ponca City, OK, lived in Interlachen, FL before moving to this area in 1987. She was very active in the Marion Oaks community. Josephine was the first volunteer librarian of the Marion Oaks library and was instrumental along with other volunteers in the opening of the Marion Oaks Library in 1993. She was a member of the Arts & Crafts of Marion Oaks and a member of the American Legion Post 284 Ladies Auxiliary of Belleview.

She is survived by a daughter Martina Stinson (Daniel) of Keystone Heights, FL; daughter-in-law, Debra Lee Miskuf of AZ; three grandchildren, Angela Champion of NJ, Jeffrey Champion of TN, Jason Miskuf of AZ and several nieces and nephews.

Josephine was predeceased by her husband, Albert J. Miskuf; son, Jerome A. Miskuf; and grandson, Joshua Miskuf. The family will receive relatives and friends at a gathering at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 S.E. Robinson Road, Belleview, on Friday October 12, 2012 from 9 until 11 a.m. Funeral Services celebrating Josephine's life will follow the gathering to begin at 11 a.m. Burial will be held in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell.

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**NARDELLA, GERALDINE, 70**

Ocala - Geraldine "Jerri" Nardella (nee Belzner) passed away on October 7th, 2012. She was beloved wife of the late Jack C. Nardella; devoted daughter of the late Helen and John Belzner; loving mother of Nicholas Nardella; dear sister of John Belzner and his wife Jane and Noreen Belzner Chauncey and her husband George. She is also survived by her sister in law, Sarah Duvall, her aunt Marie Biernatowski and numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews, cousins and friends.

Jerri was a resident of the On Top of the World community in Ocala.

Friends may call at the family owned Leonard J. Ruck, Inc. Funeral Home, 5305 Harford Road in Maryland on Friday, October 12, 2012 from 3 until 5 and 7 until 9 p.m. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. Dominic Church on Saturday, October 13, 2012 at 10 a.m. Interment is private.

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[www.ruckfuneralhomes.com](http://www.ruckfuneralhomes.com).

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**PERRYMAN, ELIZABETH ANN, 65**

Ocala - Elizabeth Ann Perryman, 65, passed away on October 9th, 2012. She was a homemaker. She was married to Alton Douglas Perryman. She was preceded in death by parents John W. Hall and Helen Mildred Nix; a sister, Helen Barbara; and a brother, John J. Hall.

Left to cherish her memory is her brother, John Allen Hall; daughters, Virginia "Ginny" (Marcus) Wright, Susan (Walter) Pressley, and Melanie (Anthony) Mullen; eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

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**PITTMAN, RICKY LEE, 57**

Ocala - Ricky Lee Pittman, 57, of Ocala, passed away October 7, 2012.

He came to this area over 30 years ago from his native, Logan, Ohio. He was a retired grocery floor associate, attended Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church and enjoyed sports, especially basketball, football and wrestling.

He is survived by his loving wife of 35 years, Shirley; sons, Chris (Marisa) Pittman of Silver Springs and Michael (Angelia) Pittman of Ocala; his mother, Thelma Sheppard of Ocala; sister, Cheryl Butler of Alabama and six grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his granddaughter, Caitlyn Pittman. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944) on Thursday, October 11th, 2012) from 6 until 8 p.m. Funeral Services will be held at the funeral home on Friday, October 12th, 2012 at 11 a.m. Interment will follow at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church Cemetery. A condolence message may be left at:

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**TAYLOR, JONATHAN ROBERT, JR.**

Gainesville, FL - Mr. Jonathan Robert "Bob" Taylor, Jr., of Gainesville, Florida, died Sunday, October 7, 2012 at the E.T. York Hospice Care Center, following a brief illness.

Mr. Taylor was born in Homerville, Georgia on October 5, 1934 to the late Jonathan Robert, Sr., and Pauline Alma Taylor. He served in the U.S. Army, and then moved with his family to Gainesville in 1970. Mr. Taylor had been employed by Florida Farm Bureau for 37 years until his retirement in 1998 as District Sales Manager, he also taught insurance licensing at Santa Fe Community College. His greatest work was serving the Lord through his work as a member of North Gainesville Baptist Church, where he served as head of Deacons, and as a Sunday School teacher. He will be remembered as a loving husband to his wife of 49 years, Elizabeth "Libby" Taylor, who preceded him in death in 2008. He loved his family and his church family very much.

He is survived by one daughter, Rebecca (Oscar) Taylor-Allen, of Middleburg; two sons, Christopher Alan (Renee) Taylor, of Jacksonville, and Robert Vince (LaTrelle) Taylor, of High

Springs; eight grandchildren, Laine Elizabeth Allen, Morgan Taylor, Kelly Taylor, Erica Taylor, Victoria Taylor, Bobby Taylor, Megan Atkins, and Joshua Atkins.

Memorial services will be held on Monday, October 15, 2012 at 12 p.m., in the North Gainesville Baptist Church, 6203 NW 39th Avenue, Gainesville, with Rev. Gary Manning, officiating. Interment will follow in Countryside Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the church prior to the service, beginning at 10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations should be made to the North Gainesville Baptist Church Building Fund, 6203 NW 39th Avenue, Gainesville, FL 32606.

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**YOUNG, NANCY LINDA HANKS TARDY, 68**

Bellevue - Nancy Linda Hanks Tardy Young, 68, passed away at her home in Bellevue, Florida on Sunday, October 7, 2012.

She was born December 16, 1943, in Fitchburg, MA to Henry E. and Emma M. Hanks. She moved with her family to Miami, FL, where she attended North Miami Senior High School. While living in Miami Nancy met Gary Young, who would become her sweetheart for life.

Nancy professed her life to the Lord at a young age and continually shared her faith with others. Her favorite Bible verse was Psalm 23. She was retired from SmithKline Beecham. Her interests included crafts, sewing, crocheting, singing karaoke, socializing with her Tropicana Village family, Red Hat Club, and many years of traveling by motor home with her husband and some very special friends. Nancy's favorite pastime was visiting with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Nancy is survived by her loving husband of 50 years, Gary Dale Young; one son, Gary R. Young and wife Lynn of Callahan, FL; three daughters, Deborah Garlington and husband David of Fleming Island, FL, Sheryl Young of Tazewell, TN, Victoria Sedan and husband Karim of New Tazewell, TN; eleven grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; two sisters, Phyllis Darcangelo and Jean Hager of Fitchburg, MA; two brothers, Donald "Bucky" Hanks and John "Jack" Tardy of Ocala, FL; many wonderful nephews and nieces; mother-in-law/pal, Shirley Bryson; in-laws, Raymond and Jeanne Young; and a cat, MaeLing.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Henry E. Hanks and Emma M. Poulson Hanks Tardy; sister, Marilyn Jordan; and brother, James "Jim" Tardy.

A Celebration of Life will be held Saturday, November 3rd, 2012 from 1 p.m. until 6 p.m. at the Tropicana Village Clubhouse in Bellevue.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Nancy's honor to: Team Tropicana Village Relay For Life , c/o American Cancer Society , 2201 S.E. 30th Ave., Suite 301, Ocala, FL., 34471. Or Team Tropicana Village at:

[www.relayforlife.org/southmarionfl](http://www.relayforlife.org/southmarionfl)

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, October 12, 2012**

**AUTULLO, JOSEPH DANIEL, 87**

Tiffin, OH - Joseph Daniel Autullo, 87, passed into eternal life October 10, 2012 in Charleston, SC.

He was born March 19, 1925 in Tiffin, Ohio. He was the loving husband of Regina Ruth Autullo. He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, and one sister.

Joseph was a veteran of World War II and a recipient of the Purple Heart. He served as a tank crewman in the D-Day invasion of Normandy and also the Battle of the Bulge.

He married Regina Ruth Nigh September 4, 1981 in Tiffin, Ohio. He retired from the American Standard where he was employed as a technician.

Joseph lived in Ocala, Florida for 22 years where he was an avid golfer and a volunteer at Pine Oaks Golf Course. He was an active member of the VFW and in April, 2012 participated in the Veterans "honor Flight" trip to Washington D.C. He was also a member of the Knights of Columbus, Eagles and the Moose.

Joseph is survived by wife, Regina; brother, Mike Autullo (Ruth) of Tiffin; sister-in-law, Betty Autullo of Fremont and daughter, Kathleen. Also surviving are two sons-in-law, Terry Nigh (Sharon) of Pemberville, Ohio and Larry Nigh (Cynthia) of Charleston, SC; daughter-in-law, Vickie Miller of Tiffin, Ohio; nine grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Mary Catholic Church in Tiffin. Burial will follow in St. Mary Catholic Cemetery with military honors.

The family requests memorial donations be made to South Carolina Office of Veterans' Affairs, 1205 Pendleton Street, Suite 463, Columbia, South Carolina, 29201, phone (803) 734-0200.

Online condolences may be sent to her family via:

[www.McAlister-Smith.com](http://www.McAlister-Smith.com).

Arrangements by McAlister-Smith Funeral Home, Mount Pleasant Chapel, 1520 Rifle Range Rd., Mt. Pleasant, SC. (843) 884-3833.

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### **BENSON (BOGGESS), MELANIE**

Ocala - Melanie was taken from us unexpectedly on October 1st, 2012.

She is survived by the loves of her life, Cody Benson, Anjelina Benson, Rowan Benson, Lilly Boggess and boyfriend and best friend Eric Weatherford. Melanie is also survived by her father, Shelby Boggess; mother, Linda Boggess, and her two sisters, Kimberly Boggess and Brittany Pasanen.

Melanie is a graduate of Rasmussen College, where she obtained her associates degree in clinical psychology. She worked for Goodwill Industries in Ocala as a skills trainer and was most recently promoted to site supervisor.

Melanie had a love of life that was only surpassed by the love she had for children and family. While she will remain in our hearts, we will miss her laugh, her smiles, her beauty, and wit.

The family will be receiving friends and family on Thursday, October 11, 2012 from 5 to 7 PM and a service will follow at Hiers-Baxley Chapel, 910 Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470, 352-629-7171.

The family is requesting in lieu of flowers, to please send donations to "In memory of Melanie Benson Trust", 530 SE 129th Terrace, Silver Springs, FL 34488.

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### **DELL, KATHERINE MARY, 69**

Ocala - Katherine Mary Dell, 69, of Ocala, passed away on October 8, 2012.

Born in Lakehurst, New Jersey, she came to this area 13 years ago from Frederick, Maryland.

She was a retired secretary for IBM and a member of the Church @ the Springs. Mrs. Dell was chairperson for the Ocala Christian Women's Club and the MRMC Auxiliary Staff. She also was administrative secretary for the Munroe Foundation.

She enjoyed gardening, decorating inside and outside her home, and the beach.

She is survived by her husband of 36 years, Charlie S. Dell; son, Ken A. Davis of Dallas, TX; daughter, Susan Blum of Anchorage, AK; sisters, Bernice Driver of Cary, NC and Mary Hickey of LaPorte, TX; granddaughter, Kayla Davis of Dallas, TX, and numerous nieces and nephews.

A Celebration of Katherine's Life will be held at the Church @ the Springs, 5424 S.E. 59th Ave, Ocala, on Friday, October 12th, 2012 at 6 p.m. Following the memorial, the family will receive friends and refreshments will be served at the MRMC ACC Building.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society or the Munroe Foundation.

A condolence message may be left at:

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### **DOLEZAL, JOHN "JACK", 86**

Ocala- John "Jack" Dolezal, 86, passed away surrounded by loved ones on October 7, 2012.

He was born in Cleveland, Ohio and moved to Florida in 1950 with his wife, Konney, who predeceased him in 1991. He is survived by his two daughters, Cassandra Grimes and Andrea Shonkwiler; and by his grandchildren and sweet great-grandchildren.

As a Marine he was awarded The Purple Heart for his injuries received during the battle of Iwo-Jima in World War II. A private memorial will be held at a later date.

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### **FUTCH, ANN FORTNER**

Ocala - Ann Fortner Futch, loving wife, mother, and friend, of Ocala and San Miguel de Allende, Mexico, passed away on October 8, 2012, at Sylvia's House in Ocala.

Born November 16, 1943 in Miami, Florida to Ed and Gladys Fortner, Ann moved to Ocala in 1959 and graduated from Ocala High School in 1961. She attended Florida State University, graduating in 1965 with a degree in Elementary Education. She was a member of Delta Gamma Sorority. Ann taught in the Marion County School System.

Ann loved the beauty of the world and all it had to offer. Ann was a licensed pilot, boat captain, and rode a motorcycle across the country. She and her family traveled the world and she was fascinated with nature, especially hummingbirds.

Survivors Include her husband and high school sweetheart of 53 years, R. S. "Butch" Futch, Jr., her children, R.S. "Chip" Futch, III, and his wife, Maria Esther, and their children, Michelle, Alex and Jaqueline, of Boca Grande, Florida; Caroline Elizabeth Futch of Tampa, Florida; and Jeremy Edward Futch, his wife Danielle, and their children, Brenna and Morgan, of Ocala, Florida. She is also survived by her mother, Gladys Dunn Fortner, her sister, Mary Jane Bohus and her husband Jerry, and their children, Christopher and Sarah, her sister-in-law Sandra Futch Conn and her children, Christa and Greg, her brother-in-law, R. William "'Bill' Futch and his wife Beth, and their children, Alexandra and Will, as well as many special and beloved cousins, extended family and close friends too numerous to count.

Memorial services will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. on Friday, October 12, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Chapel located at 910 East Silver Springs Boulevard, with Pastor Sue Hauptert-Johnson

officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to Interfaith Emergency Services or Hospice of Marion County.

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**HEITZ, DOROTHY E., 88**

Meriden, CT - Dorothy E. (Stromberg) Heitz, 88, of Meriden, and formerly of Ocala, FL peacefully departed this life on Monday, October 8, 2012 at Coccoma Health Care Center in Meriden. She was the wife of the late David E. Heitz.

Dorothy was born on February 27, 1924 in Manchester, NH daughter of the late Carl and Signe (Hogland) Stromberg. She was office manager at Smith Corona in Woodbridge until her retirement. In her spare time she enjoyed traveling with her husband, knitting and was active in her church communities.

She will be sadly missed by her children, Signe Olivieri of Hamden, David Heitz and his wife Phyllis of TN, and Audrey Schiller and her husband William of Vernon. She also leaves five beloved grandchildren, Karl, Kurt, Kirsten, Alison and Christie. She is preceded in death by a brother, Harold Stromberg.

A funeral service will be led by Pastor Robert Hass on Friday, October 12, 2012 at 10:30 a.m. at Zion Lutheran Church, 235 Pond Hill Road, Wallingford, CT. Interment will follow at the Connecticut State Veterans Cemetery in Middletown.

It is suggested that memorial contributions in her name be directed to Zion Lutheran Church. To leave a message of remembrance, please visit:

[www.BCBailey.com](http://www.BCBailey.com).

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**HIGGINBOTHAM, WALTER M., 87**

Ocala - Walter M. Higginbotham, 87, passed away at home on October 8, 2012.

Born in Hastings, FL, he grew up in Island Grove and lived here most all his life. A veteran of the U.S. Army, he served as a Military Policeman. He retired as a Supervisor with Citrus Central. He was a member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church and member of Woodman of the World.

Preceded in death by his mother and father, Lola and Marion Higginbotham; and sisters, Lorraine Rigby, Mildred Beckman and Isoline Chitty; he is survived by his spouse, Jeannette Tarrant; step-daughter, Debbie (Billy) Youmans; granddaughters, Angela (Dennis) Young; Brandi (Roy) Johnson, Morgan (David) Raney; brother, Frank Higginbotham, Tampa; sisters, Dot Croy, Temple Terrace; Cathryn Chapman, Brooksville; Annie Hinck, Marietta, GA; and Bonnie Jones, Eatonton, GA; brother-in-law, Martin Chitty, Gainesville; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral service will be 11:30 a.m., Friday, October 12th, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 N.E. Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, with visitation one half-hour prior to the service. Pastor Samuel W. Clements and Pastor Paul Alonso will officiate. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell with military honors. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Wyomina Park Baptist Church, 1411 NE 14th St., Ocala, FL 34470.

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**ISHAM, JR., ORIS BENJAMIN, 70**

Ocala - Oris Benjamin Isham Jr., "Ben", age 70, a retired truck driver transitioned from his



earthly house to his heavenly home on Monday, October 1, 2012 at Ocala Oaks Rehabilitation Center, Ocala, Florida.

Mr. Isham was born in Ocala, Florida. He was educated in Marion County Public Schools. He served in U.S. Air Force from 1960 to 1966. He is survived by his wife: Fermetta Croskey Isham, Ocala, Florida; step-mother: Virginia Isham, Ocala, Florida; daughters: Gloria Epps (Carl), West Palm Beach, Florida; Laderia Johnson (Dwayne) Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Rosalind Welch, Kansas City, Missouri; Lawana Lamb, Dacula, Georgia; Arnesia Isham, Jacksonville, Florida; sons: Oris B. Isham III, Ahmed Isham (Candice), both of Ocala, Florida; 19 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; sisters: Naomi Isham, Altamonte Springs, Florida; Penny Myers, Valdosta, Georgia; Sharon Shepard, Boston, Massachusetts; brother: Freddy Jones (Charvon), Ocala, Florida; Keith Washington (Joyce), Valdosta, Georgia; Angelo Williams (Sandra), Boston, Massachusetts; Twan Williams (Cassandra), Wildwood, Florida; three aunts and three uncles.

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Funeral Services for Mr. Oris Benjamin Isham Jr. "Ben", age 70, a truck driver, will be held on Saturday, October 13, 2012 at 2:00 P.M. at House of God Keith Dominion, 2830 Northwest 27th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34475 with the Elder Harold Franklin Sr., Pastor and Apostle R. G. Williams, Eulogist conducting the services.

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Preceding Sarah in eternal rest her husband, Cleophus "Buster" Jackson; and her son, Charles "Lightning" Jackson.

A celebration of life for Sarah F. Jackson will be held Saturday, October 13, 2012 at 11 a.m., at St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church, Candler, FL, Reverend Nathaniel Moore presiding. In lieu of flowers, per Sarah's pre-arranged request, please make contributions to a church of your choice.

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### **MALDONADO, MANUEL, 80**

Windsor, NY - Manuel Maldonado of New Windsor, NY originally of Ocala, Florida entered

into rest October 8, 2012 at home with his family by his side.

He was born in Ciales, Puerto Rico on February 15, 1932 to Manuel and Juana (Caravallo) Maldonado. He was a loving father, grandfather, great grandfather and brother. Manuel was a Merchant Marine and Longshoreman. Manuel was also known as a funny, stern and stubborn person.

He is survived by his son, Manuel Maldonado of Wesley Chapel, FL; daughters, Leonor Rodriguez also of Wesley Chapel, FL, Damary Maldonado and her companion Rahman Mutawassim of New Windsor, NY and Jollice Maldonado of Ocala, FL; brother, Ruben "Roberto" Maldonado of Brooklyn, NY; 11 grandchildren; several great grandchildren as well as many nieces, nephews, cousins and godchildren. Manuel was predeceased by his ex-wife and friend Gladys E. R. Maldonado as well as several siblings.

Visitation will be held Sunday, October 14, 2012 from 12 p.m. until 2 p.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens Funeral Home, 5740 South Pine Ave, Ocala, FL 34480, followed by a graveside service and burial at 2 p.m. in the Forest Lawn Memory Gardens Cemetery. Arrangements under the care of Thomas A. Murray of the David T. Ferguson Funeral Home, 20 North St, Washingtonville, NY 10992, (845)496-9106.

For further info, directions or to leave a condolence message or fond memory of Manuel for the family please visit our website at:

[www.davidtfergusonfh.com](http://www.davidtfergusonfh.com).

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#### **McKINNON, MARY E.**

Crystal River, FL - Mary E. McKinnon passed away on October 8, 2012.

Funeral services will be held on October 13, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church, 2105 N Georgia Rd., Crystal River, FL. Funeral services presided over by Ronald Sutton, Pastor and Bishop Leonard Smith, Eulogist. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Services Inc., (352) 563-1394.

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#### **NARDELLA, GERALDINE, 70**

Ocala - Geraldine "Jerri" Nardella (nee Belzner) passed away on October 7th, 2012. She was beloved wife of the late Jack C. Nardella; devoted daughter of the late Helen and John Belzner; loving mother of Nicholas Nardella; dear sister of John Belzner and his wife Jane and Noreen Belzner Chauncey and her husband George. She is also survived by her sister in law, Sarah Duvall, her aunt Marie Biernatowski and numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews, cousins and friends.

Jerri was a resident of the On Top of the World community in Ocala.

Friends may call at the family owned Leonard J. Ruck, Inc. Funeral Home, 5305 Harford Road in Maryland on Friday, October 12, 2012 from 3 until 5 and 7 until 9 p.m. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at St. Dominic Church on Saturday, October 13, 2012 at 10 a.m. Interment is private.

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She was married to Alton Douglas Perryman. She was preceded in death by parents John W. Hall and Helen Mildred Nix; a sister, Helen Barbara; and a brother, John J. Hall.

Left to cherish her memory is her brother, John Allen Hall; daughters, Virginia "Ginny" (Marcus) Wright, Susan (Walter) Pressley, and Melanie (Anthony) Mullen; eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

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### **SMITH, FRANCES LOUISE, 91**

Bellevue - Frances Louise Smith, age 91, of Bellevue, passed away October 6, 2012, at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born on November 21, 1920, in Fulton, County, Indiana, a daughter to the late Esta and Edith Shriver.

In addition to her parents she was also preceded in death by her husband, Robert; two sons, Terry Allen Smoker and Dennis LeRoy Smoker; and a brother, Gene Shriver. Her family fondly remembers her love for cooking, sewing, reading and her cat, Tweety.

She leaves behind to cherish her memory, two daughters, Shelby Wogoman of Warsaw, IN, Phyllis (Emory) Smith of Ocala, FL; four sons, Ernest "Ernie" (Genelle) Smoker of Rochester, IN, Dick (Janice) Smoker of Lawrenceburg, IN, Eddie (Lottie) Smoker of Rochester, IN, Jimmy (Joanie) Smoker of Puyallup, WA; daughter-in-law, Joyce Smoker; 17 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and six great- great-grandchildren.

A celebration of life service was held October 11, 2012 with burial following in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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### **YOUNG, NANCY LINDA HANKS TARDY, 68**

Bellevue - Nancy Linda Hanks Tardy Young, 68, passed away at her home in Bellevue, Florida on Sunday, October 7, 2012.

She was born December 16, 1943, in Fitchburg, MA to Henry E. and Emma M. Hanks. She moved with her family to Miami, FL, where she attended North Miami Senior High School. While living in Miami Nancy met Gary Young, who would become her sweetheart for life.

Nancy professed her life to the Lord at a young age and continually shared her faith with others. Her favorite Bible verse was Psalm 23. She was retired from SmithKline Beecham. Her interests included crafts, sewing, crocheting, singing karaoke, socializing with her Tropicana Village family, Red Hat Club, and many years of traveling by motor home with her husband and some very special friends. Nancy's favorite pastime was visiting with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Nancy is survived by her loving husband of 50 years, Gary Dale Young; one son, Gary R. Young and wife Lynn of Callahan, FL; three daughters, Deborah Garlington and husband David of Fleming Island, FL, Sheryl Young of Tazewell, TN, Victoria Sedan and husband Karim of New Tazewell, TN; eleven grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; two sisters, Phyllis Darcangelo and Jean Hager of Fitchburg, MA; two brothers, Donald "Bucky" Hanks and John "Jack" Tardy of Ocala, FL; many wonderful nephews and nieces; mother-in-law/pal, Shirley Bryson; in-laws, Raymond and Jeanne Young; and a cat, MaeLing.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Henry E. Hanks and Emma M. Poulson Hanks Tardy;

sister, Marilyn Jordan; and brother, James "Jim" Tardy.

A Celebration of Life will be held Saturday, November 3rd, 2012 from 1 p.m. until 6 p.m. at the Tropicana Village Clubhouse in Belleview.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Nancy's honor to: Team Tropicana Village Relay For Life , c/o American Cancer Society , 2201 S.E. 30th Ave., Suite 301, Ocala, FL., 34471. Or Team Tropicana Village at:

[www.relayforlife.org/southmarionfl](http://www.relayforlife.org/southmarionfl)

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, October 13, 2012**

#### **AUTULLO, JOSEPH DANIEL, 87**

Tiffin, OH - Joseph Daniel Autullo, 87, passed into eternal life October 10, 2012 in Charleston, SC.

He was born March 19, 1925 in Tiffin, Ohio. He was the loving husband of Regina Ruth Autullo. He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, and one sister.

Joseph was a veteran of World War II and a recipient of the Purple Heart. He served as a tank crewman in the D-Day invasion of Normandy and also the Battle of the Bulge.

He married Regina Ruth Nigh September 4, 1981 in Tiffin, Ohio. He retired from the American Standard where he was employed as a technician.

Joseph lived in Ocala, Florida for 22 years where he was an avid golfer and a volunteer at Pine Oaks Golf Course. He was an active member of the VFW and in April, 2012 participated in the Veterans "honor Flight" trip to Washington D.C. He was also a member of the Knights of Columbus, Eagles and the Moose.

Joseph is survived by wife, Regina; brother, Mike Autullo (Ruth) of Tiffin; sister-in-law, Betty Autullo of Fremont and daughter, Kathleen. Also surviving are two sons-in-law, Terry Nigh (Sharon) of Pemberville, Ohio and Larry Nigh (Cynthia) of Charleston, SC; daughter-in-law, Vickie Miller of Tiffin, Ohio; nine grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Mary Catholic Church in Tiffin. Burial will follow in St. Mary Catholic Cemetery with military honors.

The family requests memorial donations be made to South Carolina Office of Veterans' Affairs, 1205 Pendleton Street, Suite 463, Columbia, South Carolina, 29201, phone (803) 734-0200.

Online condolences may be sent to her family via:

[www.McAlister-Smith.com](http://www.McAlister-Smith.com).

Arrangements by McAlister-Smith Funeral Home, Mount Pleasant Chapel, 1520 Rifle Range Rd., Mt. Pleasant, SC. (843) 884-3833.

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#### **DELL, KATHERINE MARY, 69**

Ocala - Katherine Mary Dell, 69, of Ocala, passed away on October 8, 2012.

Born in Lakehurst, New Jersey, she came to this area 13 years ago from Frederick, Maryland. She was a retired secretary for IBM and a member of the Church @ the Springs. Mrs. Dell was chairperson for the Ocala Christian Women's Club and the MRMC Auxiliary Staff. She also was administrative secretary for the Munroe Foundation.

She enjoyed gardening, decorating inside and outside her home, and the beach.

She is survived by her husband of 36 years, Charlie S. Dell; son, Ken A. Davis of Dallas, TX; daughter, Susan Blum of Anchorage, AK; sisters, Bernice Driver of Cary, NC and Mary Hickey of LaPorte, TX; granddaughter, Kayla Davis of Dallas, TX, and numerous nieces and nephews.

A Celebration of Katherine's Life will be held at the Church @ the Springs, 5424 S.E. 59th Ave, Ocala, on Friday, October 12th, 2012 at 6 p.m. Following the memorial, the family will receive friends and refreshments will be served at the MRMC ACC Building.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society or the Munroe Foundation.

A condolence message may be left at:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).

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### **DOLEZAL, JOHN "JACK", 86**

Ocala- John "Jack" Dolezal, 86, passed away surrounded by loved ones on October 7, 2012.

He was born in Cleveland, Ohio and moved to Florida in 1950 with his wife, Konney, who predeceased him in 1991. He is survived by his two daughters, Cassandra Grimes and Andrea Shonkwiler; and by his grandchildren and sweet great-grandchildren.

As a Marine he was awarded The Purple Heart for his injuries received during the battle of Iwo-Jima in World War II. A private memorial will be held at a later date.

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### **FUTCH, ANN FORTNER**

Ocala - Ann Fortner Futch, loving wife, mother, and friend, of Ocala and San Miguel de Allende, Mexico, passed away on October 8, 2012, at Sylvia's House in Ocala.

Born November 16, 1943 in Miami, Florida to Ed and Gladys Fortner, Ann moved to Ocala in 1959 and graduated from Ocala High School in 1961. She attended Florida State University, graduating in 1965 with a degree in Elementary Education. She was a member of Delta Gamma Sorority. Ann taught in the Marion County School System.

Ann loved the beauty of the world and all it had to offer. Ann was a licensed pilot, boat captain, and rode a motorcycle across the country. She and her family traveled the world and she was fascinated with nature, especially hummingbirds.

Survivors Include her husband and high school sweetheart of 53 years, R. S. "Butch" Futch, Jr., her children, R.S. "Chip" Futch, III, and his wife, Maria Esther, and their children, Michelle, Alex and Jaqueline, of Boca Grande, Florida; Caroline Elizabeth Futch of Tampa, Florida; and Jeremy Edward Futch, his wife Danielle, and their children, Brenna and Morgan, of Ocala, Florida. She is also survived by her mother, Gladys Dunn Fortner, her sister, Mary Jane Bohus and her husband Jerry, and their children, Christopher and Sarah, her sister-in-law Sandra Futch Conn and her children, Christa and Greg, her brother-in-law, R. William "'Bill' Futch and his wife Beth, and their children, Alexandra and Will, as well as many special and beloved cousins, extended family and close friends too numerous to count.

Memorial services will be held from 5 to 7 p.m. on Friday, October 12, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Chapel located at 910 East Silver Springs Boulevard, with Pastor Sue Hauptert-Johnson officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to Interfaith Emergency Services or Hospice of Marion County.

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**HARMON, DEBORAH K., 57**

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Deborah was a dedicated wife to her husband, mother to her children and loving grandmother to her four grandsons: Jarrod, Luke, Nathan and Ethan.

A beloved and dedicated friend committed to helping all. She will be missed by her community and members of her congregation, Beth Judah, Ephraim and Companions.

A memorial service/celebration of her life will be held, followed by a covered dish meal in the reception hall, on Sunday, October 14, 2012; 2-4 p.m. at Igelsia de Dios Pentecostal Church, 11764 S.E. Hwy. 301, Belleview, FL.

As per Debbie's wishes, in lieu of flowers, everyone is encouraged to make a monetary contribution toward purchasing a butterfly memorial plaque on the "tree of life" memorial wall at the hospice house in Deb's honor. Contributions will be collected Sunday after service.

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Ocala - Guy W. Hulsey, Jr., 83, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, October 11, 2012.

He was born in Dunnellon, FL on November 5, 1928. Guy attended Ocala High School and the University of Florida. He was a devout Christian and loved people. He was a deacon at Church of Hope.

He was married to Joan Ward Hulsey. His children are Marilyn Gendron of Tampa, FL; Alan Hulsey of Jacksonville, FL; Carol Bentley of Jacksonville, FL; Larry Hulsey of Lawrenceville, GA; Janet Johnson of Meigs, GA and Susan Perkins of Orlando, FL. He is also survived by ten grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife Lorene McKelvey Hulsey to whom he was married for 46 years.

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Guy was an avid Gator fan and followed them for years attending both out of town and home games. He loved family, fishing, playing bridge and golfing.

A funeral service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Sunday, October 14, 2012 at 2 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Church of Hope.

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**MALDONADO, MANUEL, 80**

Windsor, NY - Manuel Maldonado of New Windsor, NY originally of Ocala, Florida entered into rest October 8, 2012 at home with his family by his side.

He was born in Ciales, Puerto Rico on February 15, 1932 to Manuel and Juana (Caravallo) Maldonado. He was a loving father, grandfather, great grandfather and brother. Manuel was a Merchant Marine and Longshoreman. Manuel was also known as a funny, stern and stubborn person.

He is survived by his son, Manuel Maldonado of Wesley Chapel, FL; daughters, Leonor Rodriguez also of Wesley Chapel, FL, Damary Maldonado and her companion Rahman Mutawassim of New Windsor, NY and Jollice Maldonado of Ocala, FL; brother, Ruben

"Roberto" Maldonado of Brooklyn, NY; 11 grandchildren; several great grandchildren as well as many nieces, nephews, cousins and godchildren. Manuel was predeceased by his ex-wife and friend Gladys E. R. Maldonado as well as several siblings.

Visitation will be held Sunday, October 14, 2012 from 12 p.m. until 2 p.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens Funeral Home, 5740 South Pine Ave, Ocala, FL 34480, followed by a graveside service and burial at 2 p.m. in the Forest Lawn Memory Gardens Cemetery. Arrangements under the care of Thomas A. Murray of the David T. Ferguson Funeral Home, 20 North St, Washingtonville, NY 10992, (845)496-9106.

For further info, directions or to leave a condolence message or fond memory of Manuel for the family please visit our website at:

[www.davidtfergusonfh.com](http://www.davidtfergusonfh.com).

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### **McKINNON, MARY E.**

Crystal River, FL - Mary E. McKinnon passed away on October 8, 2012.

Funeral services will be held on October 13, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church, 2105 N Georgia Rd., Crystal River, FL. Funeral services presided over by Ronald Sutton, Pastor and Bishop Leonard Smith, Eulogist. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Services Inc., (352) 563-1394.

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### **SMITH, FRANCES LOUISE, 91**

Bellevue - Frances Louise Smith, age 91, of Bellevue, passed away October 6, 2012, at Ocala Regional Medical Center. She was born on November 21, 1920, in Fulton, County, Indiana, a daughter to the late Esta and Edith Shriver.

In addition to her parents she was also preceded in death by her husband, Robert; two sons, Terry Allen Smoker and Dennis LeRoy Smoker; and a brother, Gene Shriver. Her family fondly remembers her love for cooking, sewing, reading and her cat, Tweety.

She leaves behind to cherish her memory, two daughters, Shelby Wogoman of Warsaw, IN, Phyllis (Emory) Smith of Ocala, FL; four sons, Ernest "Ernie" (Genelle) Smoker of Rochester, IN, Dick (Janice) Smoker of Lawrenceburg, IN, Eddie (Lottie) Smoker of Rochester, IN, Jimmy (Joanie) Smoker of Puyallup, WA; daughter-in-law, Joyce Smoker; 17 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and six great- great-grandchildren.

A celebration of life service was held October 11, 2012 with burial following in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

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### **YANICHICK, DOROTHY, 90**

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Survivors include her daughter, Betty Johns, Hillsborough, NJ; son, Wayne (Debbie) Yanichick, Ocala; sister, Violet Swinsburg, Bath, PA; brother, James (Doris) Shearer, Ocala; grandchildren, Cindy (Mike) York and Garrett (Jenna) Douglas; great-grandchildren, Taylor York and Camden

Douglas; and special family member, Katelyn Wood.

Mrs. Yanichick was predeceased by her husband Joseph "Buck" Yanichick and grandson Damien DeMartz.

Graveside services are scheduled for 2 p.m. Saturday, October 13, 2012 at the Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, with George Douglas officiating.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations in the memory of Mrs. Yanichick to: Hospice of Marion County - P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Online condolences may be offered at: [www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com)

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#### **DASZCZYNSKI, HENRY A., 88**

Ocala - Henry A. Daszczyński, age 88, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Wednesday, October 3, 2012 at the Legacy House, Ocala, Florida.

Mr. Daszczyński was born in Brooklyn, New York, and served in the Army Air Corp during World War II. He was a retired letter carrier from Miami, Florida.

Henry is survived by his beloved wife of 66 years, Dorothy; daughter, Constance Daszczyński; son and daughter-in-law, Ronald and Sharon Daszczyński, all of Ocala, Florida.

A Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. on Friday, October 19, 2012 at St. Jude Catholic Community, Marion Oaks, FL. He will be interred in a niche at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida at a later date.

In lieu of flowers the family asks that any memorial donations be made to the Hospice of Marion County, 32331 Southwest 34th Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34474.

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#### **DAWSON, JANET THERESE, 71**

Ocala - Janet Therese "Jan" Dawson, 71, of Ocala passed away October 12, 2012 at her home after a courageous two and one half year battle with pancreatic cancer.

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Jan was an avid golfer with a single digit handicap. She won many local championships and in 1980 was heralded by the Star Banner as the "Tom Watson of local women's golf."

She is survived by her daughter, Ann Therese Hotaling of Ocala; granddaughter, Danielle Bierema of Gainesville, FL; sister, Ann Leifeld and her husband Bert of West Shokan, NY; nephew, B.J. Leifeld and his wife Lynn of West Shokan, NY.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Kenneth A. Hotaling and her second husband, Sherwin W. "Pappy" Dawson.

A Funeral Mass will be said at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church (4047 NE 21st Street, Ocala) on Wednesday (Oct. 17th) at 11AM.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

Arrangements by ROBERTS FUNERAL HOMES, Bruce Chapel East, Ocala, 732-9944.

A condolence message can be left at:

[www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com).



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A funeral service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Sunday, October 14, 2012 at 2 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Church of Hope.

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**MARPLE, ROBERT LOUIS, 82**

Ocala - Robert Louis Marple, 82, of Ocala, Florida passed away on October 7, 2012.

Bob was born in Painesville, Ohio on September 30, 1930, son of James David Marple Jr. and Gertrude Lee. Bob was a 1948 graduate of Thomas W. Harvey High School and a 1953 graduate of Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio.

He enlisted in the Army in 1953 and was initially trained as a Combat Engineer. Bob became Airborne Qualified in 1957 and recorded over 127 jumps. He was an early member of the Army Special Forces and had extensive training at the Army Special Warfare School. Bob served many years in Vietnam and Southeast Asia from the late 1950's and was honorably retired in June of

1975 after more than 22 years of service.

Bob's military awards include the Bronze Star Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, the Joint Service Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, the Army Occupation Medal (GE), National Defense Service Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster, Vietnam Service Medal RNVCN with Device, Good Conduct Medal, 4th Award, Master Parachutist Badge, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal (Laps), Army Commendation Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster, Combat Infantry Badge, Vietnamese Parachutist Badge.

He worked for the BDM Corporation as a civilian. Bob enjoyed traveling and cruising. He visited over 54 countries in his travels and was a Diamond level client of Royal Caribbean. He especially enjoyed the many friendships he made over the years.

He was preceded in death by his brothers, James L. Marple (Verna Marple-Callender) and William David Marple (Molly). He is survived by his nephew Richard L. Marple of San Antonio, Texas; his niece Kathleen M. Juniper of Garfield Heights, Ohio; his nephew Ken Marple of Painesville, Ohio; and his niece Carol DeLucia of Geneva, Ohio.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, October 19, 2012 at 11 a.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481, with full military honors given by Angela Santos Post #4781 Honor Guard. Private inurnment to follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

Condolences may be expressed at:

[www.Hiers-Baxley.com](http://www.Hiers-Baxley.com).

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### **PATTERSON, PAUL V., 92**

Bellevue - Paul V. Patterson, 92, of Bellevue passed away Wednesday, October 10, 2012 at the Tuscan Hospice House.

Paul was born in Dyerburg, Tennessee and moved to this area in 1981 from Camden, TN. Paul was a World War II Navy Veteran, and retired from General Motors. He is a member of Memorial Baptist Church in Ocala and the U.A.W.. Paul loved to fish and hunt and garden.

He is preceded in death by a son, Paul Douglas Patterson. Paul is survived by his wife, Lois Patterson of Bellevue; daughter, Glenda Joan Bowling of GA; sister, Joy Heflin of Missouri; four grandchildren; eleven great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

The family will be receiving friends on Monday, October 15th, 2012 at the Memorial Baptist Church, 3693 S.E. 95th Street, from 10 a.m.- 11 a.m. followed by a celebration of life service at 11 a.m. with Rev. Michael West conducting the service. Burial to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Donations can be made to Memorial Baptist Church Building fund in memory of Paul. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 352-622-4141.

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### **QUERRY, CHARLES E., 75**

Ocala - Charles E. Querry, 75, of Ocala passed away on October 12, 2012.

He was born in Berwick, Pennsylvania May 21st, 1937. He was the son of Chester Querry and Elizabeth Newcomer. He was a Navy veteran and worked as a machinist at the former Kawecki-Berylco Plant and the Barret Haentjens in Hazleton, Pennsylvania. He later owned an Exxon service station in Shepton, Pennsylvania. Before retiring he owned Antiques and Things in Orefield, Pennsylvania. He enjoyed working on classic cars and going to car shows.

He is survived by his companion, Nancy Knowles; daughter, Barbara of Makawao, Hawaii; and

son, David of Fleetwood, Pennsylvania.

Graveside services to be held Tuesday, October 16, 2012, at 1 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida.

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**SCHUNCK, BETTY J., 83**

Ocala - Betty J. Schunck, 83, passed away Wednesday, October 10, 2012 at her home. She was preceded in death by her husband, John E. Schunck. Mrs. Schunck moved to Ocala from Ft. Lauderdale in 1989.

She is survived by her sons, Wilbur Eaton, Rockledge, FL, Roger (Rose) Eaton, Coral Springs, FL, Ronald Eaton, Ocala, FL; eight grandchildren; fourteen great-grandchildren; brother, Richard (Julie) Jarrett, Desert Palm, CA; sister-in-law; Carolyn (Cleve) Hill, Mesa, AZ and her best friend, Louise Ravesies.

In lieu of flowers please make memorial contributions to the charity of your choice . Please visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com)

to read the entire obituary and share words of comfort with the family.

A private family memorial service will take place at a later time. She will be placed with her husband, John, at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home.

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**SUMMERS, JOHN "CHAMP", 66**

Ocala - John "Champ" Summers, 66, lost his battle with kidney cancer.

He was born John Junior Summers in Bremerton, WA; his father was a prize fighter in the Navy and dubbed him "Champ" because he looked like he had gone ten rounds with Joe Lewis.

Champ attended Nicholls State University in Thibodaux, LA before being sent to Vietnam where he spent two years. Upon returning, he entered and graduated from Southern Illinois University Edwardsville with a BS in Education. He is in the Hall of Fame there for baseball and basketball. After college he played baseball for the next twenty years of which ten years were in the Major Leagues with six teams. He signed with Oakland, Chicago Cubs, and the Cincinnati Reds where he was sent down to Triple A in Indianapolis and became MVP for one year and given a personalized box in the new ballpark. Then on to the Detroit Tigers which was his favorite time in baseball and with great fans (he was here the longest). He was then traded to the San Francisco Giants and finally to the San Diego Padres and participated in the World Series against Detroit and received a division ring. He often said he was going to take that with him.

Champ was the most colorful personality and to know him was to love him. He is survived by his wife Joy; his mother, Bette Summers; two stepdaughters, Pamela George and Leisa Mitchell; and grandchildren, Annabelle George and Emmeline George.

Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences:

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### **MARPLE, ROBERT LOUIS, 82**

Ocala - Robert Louis Marple, 82, of Ocala, Florida passed away on October 7, 2012.

Bob was born in Painesville, Ohio on September 30, 1930, son of James David Marple Jr. and Gertrude Lee. Bob was a 1948 graduate of Thomas W. Harvey High School and a 1953 graduate of Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio.

He enlisted in the Army in 1953 and was initially trained as a Combat Engineer. Bob became Airborne Qualified in 1957 and recorded over 127 jumps. He was an early member of the Army Special Forces and had extensive training at the Army Special Warfare School. Bob served many years in Vietnam and Southeast Asia from the late 1950's and was honorably retired in June of 1975 after more than 22 years of service.

Bob's military awards include the Bronze Star Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, the Joint Service Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, the Army Occupation Medal (GE), National Defense Service Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster, Vietnam Service Medal RNVCM with Device, Good Conduct Medal, 4th Award, Master Parachutist Badge, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal (Laps), Army Commendation Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster, Combat Infantry Badge, Vietnamese Parachutist Badge.

He worked for the BDM Corporation as a civilian. Bob enjoyed traveling and cruising. He visited over 54 countries in his travels and was a Diamond level client of Royal Caribbean. He especially enjoyed the many friendships he made over the years.

He was preceded in death by his brothers, James L. Marple (Verna Marple-Callender) and William David Marple (Molly). He is survived by his nephew Richard L. Marple of San Antonio, Texas; his niece Kathleen M. Juniper of Garfield Heights, Ohio; his nephew Ken Marple of Painesville, Ohio; and his niece Carol DeLucia of Geneva, Ohio.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, October 19, 2012 at 11 a.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481, with full military honors given by Angela Santos Post #4781 Honor Guard. Private inurnment to follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

Condolences may be expressed at:

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### **PATTERSON, PAUL V., 92**

Bellevue - Paul V. Patterson, 92, of Bellevue passed away Wednesday, October 10, 2012 at the Tuscany Hospice House.

Paul was born in Dyerburg, Tennessee and moved to this area in 1981 from Camden, TN. Paul was a World War II Navy Veteran, and retired from General Motors. He is a member of

Memorial Baptist Church in Ocala and the U.A.W.. Paul loved to fish and hunt and garden. He is preceded in death by a son, Paul Douglas Patterson. Paul is survived by his wife, Lois Patterson of Belleview; daughter, Glenda Joan Bowling of GA; sister, Joy Heflin of Missouri; four grandchildren; eleven great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren. The family will be receiving friends on Monday, October 15th, 2012 at the Memorial Baptist Church, 3693 S.E. 95th Street, from 10 a.m.- 11 a.m. followed by a celebration of life service at 11 a.m. with Rev. Michael West conducting the service. Burial to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Donations can be made to Memorial Baptist Church Building fund in memory of Paul. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 352-622-4141. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 14 to October 15, 2012

**QUERRY, CHARLES E., 75**

Ocala - Charles E. Querry, 75, of Ocala passed away on October 12, 2012. He was born in Berwick, Pennsylvania May 21st, 1937. He was the son of Chester Querry and Elizabeth Newcomer. He was a Navy veteran and worked as a machinist at the former Kawecki-Berylco Plant and the Barret Haentjens in Hazleton, Pennsylvania. He later owned an Exxon service station in Shepton, Pennsylvania. Before retiring he owned Antiques and Things in Orefield, Pennsylvania. He enjoyed working on classic cars and going to car shows. He is survived by his companion, Nancy Knowles; daughter, Barbara of Makawao, Hawaii; and son, David of Fleetwood, Pennsylvania. Graveside services to be held Tuesday, October 16, 2012, at 1 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 14 to October 15, 2012

**SCHUNCK, BETTY J., 83**

Ocala - Betty J. Schunck, 83, passed away Wednesday, October 10, 2012 at her home. She was preceded in death by her husband, John E. Schunck. Mrs. Schunck moved to Ocala from Ft. Lauderdale in 1989. She is survived by her sons, Wilbur Eaton, Rockledge, FL, Roger (Rose) Eaton, Coral Springs, FL, Ronald Eaton, Ocala, FL; eight grandchildren; fourteen great-grandchildren; brother, Richard (Julie) Jarrett, Desert Palm, CA; sister-in-law; Carolyn (Cleve) Hill, Mesa, AZ and her best friend, Louise Ravesies. In lieu of flowers please make memorial contributions to the charity of your choice . Please visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) to read the entire obituary and share words of comfort with the family. A private family memorial service will take place at a later time. She will be placed with her husband, John, at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 14 to October 15, 2012

**SUMMERS, JOHN "CHAMP", 66**

Ocala - John "Champ" Summers, 66, lost his battle with kidney cancer. He was born John Junior Summers in Bremerton, WA; his father was a prize fighter in the Navy and dubbed him "Champ" because he looked like he had gone ten rounds with Joe Lewis. Champ attended Nicholls State University in Thibodaux, LA before being sent to Vietnam where he spent two years. Upon returning, he entered and graduated from Southern Illinois University

Edwardsville with a BS in Education. He is in the Hall of Fame there for baseball and basketball. After college he played baseball for the next twenty years of which ten years were in the Major Leagues with six teams. He signed with Oakland, Chicago Cubs, and the Cincinnati Reds where he was sent down to Triple A in Indianapolis and became MVP for one year and given a personalized box in the new ballpark. Then on to the Detroit Tigers which was his favorite time in baseball and with great fans (he was here the longest). He was then traded to the San Francisco Giants and finally to the San Diego Padres and participated in the World Series against Detroit and received a division ring. He often said he was going to take that with him.

Champ was the most colorful personality and to know him was to love him. He is survived by his wife Joy; his mother, Bette Summers; two stepdaughters, Pamela George and Leisa Mitchell; and grandchildren, Annabelle George and Emmeline George.

Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences:

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, October 16, 2012**

#### **ALLEN, MARY STEWART, 97**

Ocala - Mary Stewart Allen, 97, of Ocala, FL passed away peacefully on Saturday, October 6, 2012.

She was born in Rochester, NY on March 13, 1915. She grew up on a farm in Pittsford, NY and graduated from the University of Rochester in 1935. She was married to the late Gordon W. Allen for sixty-two years until his passing in 2002. Mary and Gordon worked in the field of social work until they started to raise a family. They lived in New York State, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Maryland as Gordon continued his career and Mary took care of their children, John, Jean, and James. After their three children had grown, Mary returned to work as a social worker at Johns Hopkins Hospital and for the State of Maryland Human Services.

In 1978, Mary and Gordon retired and moved to Ocala, FL where they became very active in the arts community. Mary was a talented artist and was an active member of the Ocala Art Group and the Central Florida Symphony Orchestra Guild, now known as the Ocala Symphony Orchestra. She was also a charter member of the Unitarian-Universalist Fellowship of Marion County and the first editor of the Fellowship's newsletter that won a state award for her work.

A writer of humor and insight, Mary had numerous poems published in the Wall Street Journal and published two books of poems, *Women's Wear* and *79 And Holding* about the daily trials and tribulations of women.

Mary is survived by her daughter, Jean W. Hunter of Salem, OR; and sons John S. Allen of Waltham, MA, and James R. Allen of Ocala, FL; and three grandchildren, Jacob Allen, Josie Allen and Anna Hunter.

A memorial service will be held at the Unitarian-Universalist Fellowship of Marion County, 7280 SE 135th St, Summerfield, FL., 34491 on Sunday, November 4th, 2012 at 1:30 pm.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at:

[www.hiers-baxley.net](http://www.hiers-baxley.net).

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Ocala Symphony Orchestra, 820 SE Fort King St, Ocala, FL., 34471 in memory of Mary Stewart Allen.

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**BASS, SUSAN A., 69**

Ocala - Mrs. Susan A. Bass, 69, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Sunday, October 14, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House.

Susan was born in East Greenwich, RI on July 31, 1943, to parents, Wallace and Rita (Giroux) Spencer. After working for a couple years as a private secretary, she married the love of her life, William Bass. They lived in Lebanon, CT and then Windham, CT where she was a bookkeeper for the family business.

After retirement, she and William moved to Ocala and have been here since 1993. She was a beloved wife, mother, and friend and will be missed by those who survive her, including her husband, William A. Bass; two daughters, Diana and Tamara Bass, also of Ocala, FL; and sister, Joan Spencer-Anthes of Rhode Island.

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**DAWSON, JANET THERESE, 71**

Ocala - Janet Therese "Jan" Dawson, 71, of Ocala passed away October 12, 2012 at her home after a courageous two and one half year battle with pancreatic cancer.

Born in Mineola, Long Island, NY, she came to this area in 1967 from West Hurley, NY. She was a homemaker and a member and daily communicant at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church.

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### **THOMPSON, CECIL J., 97**

Ocala - Cecil J. Thompson, 97, of Ocala, passed away October 14, 2012.

He was born on May 30, 1915 in Waynesburg, KY, son to the late Monroe and Rose Anne (Payne) Thompson. He was a SGT with the 68th Field Artillery, United States Army during World War II.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife Lucille; two sons, Dennis and Leroy; eight brothers and sisters and one grandson.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Marchetta and James Palumbo of Ocala; a son and daughter-in-law, William and Theresa Thompson of Cuyahoga Falls, OH; a brother, Robert Foster and a sister Lilly Weaver both in Ocala; six grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

A visitation will be held at Forest Lawn Funeral Home from 10 a.m. until 11 a.m. on Thursday October 18, 2012 with the funeral to follow at 11 a.m. also at the funeral home. Burial will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell.

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### **COSTANTINO, VINCENT "TANK", 55**

Ocala - Vincent "Tank" Costantino, 55, passed away Sunday, October 14, 2012 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville.

Vince was an incredible person, after surviving cancer as a teenager he decided to live his life to its fullest capacity, and that he did. He was an accomplished deer hunter, master marksman, certified NRA pistol instructor and gun collector. Vince was a member of the Heart of Florida Chapter of Buckmasters. He enjoyed his Harley Davidson Road King and his 1969 Stingray Corvette.

Vince also belonged to the Northeast Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses in Ocala.

Vince was preceded in death by his parents, Corrado and Philomena Costantino.

He is survived by his loving wife of 26 years, Karen Costantino; sister and brother in law, Sabina and Richard Colombo and many other cherished family members.

He also leaves his most trusted friend and companion, his Terrier, Yama.

Please visit:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com)

to view the entire obituary and send condolences to the family. Memorial services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, October 20, 2012 in the chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida.

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### **GOSHORN, BOBBY GENE, 79**

Ocala - Bobby "Bob" Gene Goshorn, 79, died at home October 2, 2012. He was born in Shelby,

Iowa on December 24, 1932 to Robert and Georgia Goshorn. He retired from the U.S. Coast Guard in 1972 after 20 years of military service including two tours in Vietnam.

Bob is survived by his wife Janet of 31 years and three children, Michael, Sandra and David in Florida; also four children in Washington state, Dale, Roger, Carole and Susan; eleven grandchildren and two great grandchildren; two sisters, Patsy and Linda and one brother, William. He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers.

There will be a celebration of Bob's life with military honors at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on Friday, October 19, 2012 at 11:30 a.m.

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### **HAMES JR., WINTERS B.**

Bellevue -- Winters B. Hames, Jr., of Bellevue, FL and Moultonborough, NH, passed peacefully away on October 11, 2012, in Laconia, New Hampshire after a short illness.

He was the oldest of nine children of Winters B. Hames, Sr. and Mary Eleanor (Abshier) Hames, born on September 10, 1922, in Bellevue, Florida. He graduated from Ocala High School in 1940 and immediately enlisted in the Navy, where he spent the next 20 years. While in the Navy he served in the South Pacific during World War II as a hospital corpsman among some of the fiercest island fighting in the islands. He also spent three winters supporting the exploration of Antarctica. He retired with honors in 1960 at the Chelsea Naval Hospital in Boston and then graduated from the University of Rhode Island in 1963 and completed his Master's program at the University of South Carolina in 1985.

He joined the U.S. Public Health Service and served as the acting Director and Chief of Operations of the Nation's Hospital and Medical Facility (Hill-Burton) program in the mid 70's. In 1977, he joined a mortgage and investment banking firm in Boston that specialized in financing hospital and nursing home construction.

He retired for good in 1984 and spent his time in New Hampshire, Florida, Hawaii and traveling. He always considered Bellevue home and he always returned there. He took great pride in his 25 years of writing columns for the Voice of South Marion. He was an avid golfer, fisherman and loved the St. Louis Cardinals, which he came to love as a child with his father. He was a member of the Lion's Club, Masons, Shriners and a life time member of the South Marion Historical Society.

He was the husband of the late Eileen Doolan Hames, and the late Janet Herbert Hames. He was the brother of Milton, Donald, Violet Law, Dean (Inez), Gene (Phyllis), Mary Ann McIntyre, and Peek (Linda) Hames. He was predeceased by his brother Frank. He leaves three sons, Winters B. III (Carolyn), Ronald (Nancy), and John Hames, and a stepdaughter Debbie (Dennis) Lerra. He leaves grandchildren, Winters B. IV (Emily), Brendan (Kate), Seamus (Arleen), Sara, Max and Sean Hames. He also got to spend time with his three great-granddaughters and watch his oldest, Elizabeth Rose, catch her first fish at his 90th birthday party, in which he took a huge delight. His other great granddaughters are Ella Eileen and Quinn Catherine.

There will be a service at The Bellevue United Methodist Church on Saturday, the 20th of October, 2012. Visitation will begin at 3 p.m. and the funeral will start at 4 p.m. Immediately following the funeral, he will be buried with full military honors at the Bellevue Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent in his name to the Winnepesaukee Wellness Center, P.O. Box 184, Center Harbor, NH, 03226.

Online condolences may be sent at:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **HAMILTON, ERNA C.**

Ocala - Erna C. (Wenz) (Truell) Hamilton, Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, October 15, 2012 in Ocala.

She was born in Worcester, MA on January 15, 1917; daughter of the late William and Elsa (Nustedt) Wenz. She grew up in Shrewsbury, MA and graduated from Major Beal High School in Shrewsbury and Worcester State University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Education. She taught elementary school at Calvin Coolidge School in Shrewsbury for 41 years before retiring in 1979 to move to Pembroke, NH with her husband.

While living in Shrewsbury and teaching she also cashiered part time at Spag's for 14 years; operated a wholesale greenhouse business called Roserna Gardens and trained and showed a poodle in obedience classes at dog shows for 13 years, earning many awards. She also became a judge of Obedience Classes at dog shows. Erna became a member of Shrewsbury Dog Training Club and a Life Member of Tri-Town Kennel Club of Spencer.

While living in New Hampshire, she was a member of Merrimack Valley Retired Educators Association, Pembroke Womans Club, South Congregational Church of Concord, Pembroke Grange III, Community Players of Concord, Friends of City Auditorium and a member of it's Board of Trustees and Hospitality Committee. She was also a member of the Pembroke Historical Society and served on the Board of Trustees; Bow Garden Club member and past president and member of Shrewsbury Mass. Retired Educators Association. Erna also did volunteer work for the Association for the Blind, The Friendly Kitchen, many political presidential campaigns and Interfaith Caregivers Program.

In 2003, she and her husband Charles moved to Ocala, FL and while living in Florida she served on a communion team at Ocala West United Methodist Church. Charles passed away on February 18, 2011 and her first husband Ralph Truell passed many years prior. Erna is survived by many nieces and nephews including Judi Vaillancourt and her husband Gary of Sutton, MA; and Karla Lynch and her husband Paul of Bradenton, FL.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, October 19, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Ocala West United Methodist Church. She will be laid to rest next to her husband Charles at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL, 34478.

The family and friends of Erna wish to express a special love for the care and companionship given by Fay Holt. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL. Condolences may be expressed at:

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### **HARRISON, RUBY MARESH**

Ocala - Ruby Harrison departed this world on October 10, 2012.

Ruby was born October 26, 1916 and raised on a farm in South Dakota. She was from a loving family and had many wonderful memories growing up in rural South Dakota in the 20's and 30's with her brother, sister and many relatives.

In the 1930's she helped her sister teach school on the Lakota Indian reservation. During World War II Ruby helped the war effort by moving to Seattle to work for Boeing Aircraft and then

later worked for the government in Washington State in the push to build the first atomic bomb. By the end of the war Ruby was living in Norfolk, VA and made her home there and in Virginia Beach for the next 37 years while she worked for the Civil Service at the Naval Supply Center. During the war was when Ruby first met her future husband and love of her life Ellet Harrison. They did not reconnect and marry until Ruby retired many years later and she then moved with Ellet to the Eastern Shore of VA. Ruby loved her life there with Ellet as it was in farm country on the Chesapeake Bay.

In the 1980's, Ruby and Ellet relocated to Ocala, FL. where they also had a wonderful life. Ruby enjoyed her neighbors immensely and was like a grandmother to their children as they grew up. This was a highlight of her and her husband's life there. She was preceded in death by her husband Ellet Harrison in 2007.

Ruby lived a rich life of substance and character. Her wit and loving nature will be missed. Ruby, we love you and will miss you.

Ruby Harrison is survived by her two nephews, Larry Losey and family from Redmond, OR and Ted Maresh and family from Longmeadow, MA.

A service will be held on Saturday, October 20th, 2012 at 2 p.m. at the Fort King Presbyterian Church, Ocala, FL.

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#### **KINSEY, RICHARD RAYMOND "RAY", 79**

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He is survived by his best friend and mother of his children Joette Kinsey, son, Richard Kinsey Jr. of Ocala, Florida; daughter-in-law, Jamie Kinsey; daughter, Renae Kinsey and son-in-law, William Francis; sister, Billie Turner of West Palm Beach, Florida; and four grandchildren, Allison, Katie, Kyle, and Ashley Kinsey.

Ray was born in West Palm Beach, Florida on November 10, 1932. He was a graduate of Palm Beach High School. He proudly served his country in the Air Force and National Guard for ten years.

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#### **LaLONDE, PAMELA MATTOON, 48**

Dunnellon - Pamela Mattoon LaLonde, 48, of Dunnellon, FL passed away on Sunday, October 14, 2012.

She was born in Buffalo, NY on June 5, 1964 and was married to David John LaLonde for twenty-two years.

She is survived by her two children, Brandon Scott Mattoon, and Ciara Nicole LaLonde both of Dunnellon, FL; stepdaughter, Nicole Sue LaLonde of Oscoda, MI; sister, Donna Mattoon Jernigan of Ocala, FL; brother, Daniel William Mattoon of Dunnellon, FL; two nieces, Stevie E.

Johnson of Ocala and Joenell S. Clinger of Ocklawaha, FL; and two nephews, Michael P. Johnson of Ocala and Daniel L. Clinger of Ocala; four aunts, Diane St. Laurent, Marion Dietz, Betty Daniel and Hazel Liderhouse; and one uncle, Robert St. Laurent .

She was preceded in death by both of her parents, Clarence E. Mattoon, Sr. and Delores Schilling Mattoon. She was also preceded in death by her brother, Clarence E. Mattoon, Jr.

She graduated from Dunnellon High School in June 1982. She enjoyed being a full time stay at home mother, wife, sister, daughter, niece, aunt and granddaughter. She was perceived by family and friends as one that always gave of her love, kindness and caring ways to all; whether to children (Holly, Alyson, Victoria, Destiny and Brandon), older people, strangers off the street and to any of God's creatures. She's home now but will be greatly missed.

Visitation will be held from 5 until 8 p.m. on Thursday, October 18, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E Pennsylvania Ave, Dunnellon, FL 34432. The funeral Mass will be said at 10 a.m., Friday, October 19, 2012 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 7525 S. U.S. Highway 41, Dunnellon, FL, 34432. Burial will follow at 12 noon at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St, Ocala, FL, 34474.

Condolences may be left at:

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He attended Ascension Lutheran Church in Ocala, FL. He was preceded in death by his loving wife of 70 years, Ruth Ruysbroek and a daughter, Judith L. White. He is survived by his grandson, Tim (Donna) White of Hendersonville, TN; granddaughter, Cindy (Bob) Brady of Decatur, IL; great-grandchildren, Chapple and Hannah White, Jacqueline and Courtney Brady. He was a beloved husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. He loved his family and will be greatly missed.

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He was born on May 26, 1961 in Philadelphia, PA., a son to the late Delores Christine Doerr-Sauer and Grover Cleveland Shetzline. Michael was a mechanic with the City of Ocala before his retirement and enjoyed various tinkering projects.

He leaves behind his sons, Jaime McBride and Michael Shetzline, Jr.; two daughters, Mary McBride and Tammy Shetzline; his stepfather, Bernard Sauer; two brothers, Buddy Shetzline and Stacy of Bensalem, PA, Thomas Doerr and Joyce of Englewood, FL; his biological father, Joseph William Bueller, Jr.; stepmother, Betty Beeler; half sisters and brothers, Robin Beeler of Washington township, Joe Beeler, Washington township, Michael A Beeler Waterford, NJ,

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He was born on May 30, 1915 in Waynesburg, KY, son to the late Monroe and Rose Anne (Payne) Thompson. He was a SGT with the 68th Field Artillery, United States Army during World War II.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife Lucille; two sons, Dennis and Leroy; eight brothers and sisters and one grandson.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Marchetta and James Palumbo of Ocala; a son and daughter-in-law, William and Theresa Thompson of Cuyahoga Falls, OH; a brother, Robert Foster and a sister Lilly Weaver both in Ocala; six grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

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#### **BALDWIN, RICHARD MAX, 76**

Ocala - Richard Max Baldwin, 76, died on October 17, 2012 in Ocala, FL.

He was born on August 16, 1936 in Allegan, MI to Lyle Max and Gladys Spray Baldwin. He served the U.S. Navy for 20 years, was a heavy equipment operator, worked for the City of Ocala, Ellzey Plumbing, and was Pastor of Fort Douglas Baptist Church. He was a bass singer and musician for the Rejoicers, member of Lifetime Fitness, and 100 Pint Blood Donor.

He is survived by his wife, Vivian Morgan Baldwin of Ocala; daughters, Brenda (Clint) Barkley of Ocala and Karen Perez-Valle of Valrico, FL; son, David Max (Donna) Baldwin of Ocala; sisters, Barbara Martin and Rosalyn Piel; brothers, Richard Nichols and Jeff Baldwin; eight grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Services will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. on October



20, 2012 at 3 p.m., with visitation one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.

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**COSTANTINO, VINCENT "TANK", 55**

Ocala - Vincent "Tank" Costantino, 55, passed away Sunday, October 14, 2012 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville.

Vince was an incredible person, after surviving cancer as a teenager he decided to live his life to its fullest capacity, and that he did. He was an accomplished deer hunter, master marksman, certified NRA pistol instructor and gun collector. Vince was a member of the Heart of Florida Chapter of Buckmasters. He enjoyed his Harley Davidson Road King and his 1969 Stingray Corvette.

Vince also belonged to the Northeast Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses in Ocala.

Vince was preceded in death by his parents, Corrado and Philomena Costantino.

He is survived by his loving wife of 26 years, Karen Costantino; sister and brother in law, Sabina and Richard Colombo and many other cherished family members.

He also leaves his most trusted friend and companion, his Terrier, Yama.

Please visit:

[www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com)

to view the entire obituary and send condolences to the family. Memorial services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, October 20, 2012 in the chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida.

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**CRIBBS, PATRICIA M., 76**

Jacksonville - Patricia M. Cribbs, 76, formerly of Jacksonville, Florida passed away on Sunday, October 14th, 2012.

She will be missed by many family and friends. Born and raised in Jacksonville, she spent many of her years traveling around the world as a military wife. She was an avid GATOR fan and a crossword puzzle enthusiast. She was very devoted to family and loved spending time with her grandchildren.

She is survived by her sons, Chuck (Danette) Cribbs and Don (Ida) Cribbs; Brother, David (Rusty) Hogg. She is also survived by nine grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren. Graveside services will be held at Riverside Memorial Park, 7424 Normandy Blvd., Jacksonville, Florida on Friday, October 19th, 2012 at 1 p.m. Donations can be sent in her name to your local Salvation Army.

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**GOSHORN, BOBBY GENE, 79**

Ocala - Bobby "Bob" Gene Goshorn, 79, died at home October 2, 2012. He was born in Shelby, Iowa on December 24, 1932 to Robert and Georgia Goshorn. He retired from the U.S. Coast Guard in 1972 after 20 years of military service including two tours in Vietnam.

Bob is survived by his wife Janet of 31 years and three children, Michael, Sandra and David in Florida; also four children in Washington state, Dale, Roger, Carole and Susan; eleven grandchildren and two great grandchildren; two sisters, Patsy and Linda and one brother,

William. He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers.

There will be a celebration of Bob's life with military honors at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on Friday, October 19, 2012 at 11:30 a.m.

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### **HAMES JR., WINTERS B.**

Bellevue -- Winters B. Hames, Jr., of Bellevue, FL and Moultonborough, NH, passed peacefully away on October 11, 2012, in Laconia, New Hampshire after a short illness.

He was the oldest of nine children of Winters B. Hames, Sr. and Mary Eleanor (Abshier) Hames, born on September 10, 1922, in Bellevue, Florida. He graduated from Ocala High School in 1940 and immediately enlisted in the Navy, where he spent the next 20 years. While in the Navy he served in the South Pacific during World War II as a hospital corpsman among some of the fiercest island fighting in the islands. He also spent three winters supporting the exploration of Antarctica. He retired with honors in 1960 at the Chelsea Naval Hospital in Boston and then graduated from the University of Rhode Island in 1963 and completed his Master's program at the University of South Carolina in 1985.

He joined the U.S. Public Health Service and served as the acting Director and Chief of Operations of the Nation's Hospital and Medical Facility (Hill-Burton) program in the mid 70's. In 1977, he joined a mortgage and investment banking firm in Boston that specialized in financing hospital and nursing home construction.

He retired for good in 1984 and spent his time in New Hampshire, Florida, Hawaii and traveling. He always considered Bellevue home and he always returned there. He took great pride in his 25 years of writing columns for the Voice of South Marion. He was an avid golfer, fisherman and loved the St. Louis Cardinals, which he came to love as a child with his father. He was a member of the Lion's Club, Masons, Shriners and a life time member of the South Marion Historical Society.

He was the husband of the late Eileen Doolan Hames, and the late Janet Herbert Hames. He was the brother of Milton, Donald, Violet Law, Dean (Inez), Gene (Phyllis), Mary Ann McIntyre, and Peek (Linda) Hames. He was predeceased by his brother Frank. He leaves three sons, Winters B. III (Carolyn), Ronald (Nancy), and John Hames, and a stepdaughter Debbie (Dennis) Lerra. He leaves grandchildren, Winters B. IV (Emily), Brendan (Kate), Seamus (Arleen), Sara, Max and Sean Hames. He also got to spend time with his three great-granddaughters and watch his oldest, Elizabeth Rose, catch her first fish at his 90th birthday party, in which he took a huge delight. His other great granddaughters are Ella Eileen and Quinn Catherine.

There will be a service at The Bellevue United Methodist Church on Saturday, the 20th of October, 2012. Visitation will begin at 3 p.m. and the funeral will start at 4 p.m. Immediately following the funeral, he will be buried with full military honors at the Bellevue Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent in his name to the Winnepesaukee Wellness Center, P.O. Box 184, Center Harbor, NH, 03226.

Online condolences may be sent at:

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Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Bellevue.

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### **HAMILTON, ERNA C.**

Ocala - Erna C. (Wenz) (Truell) Hamilton, Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, October 15, 2012

in Ocala.

She was born in Worcester, MA on January 15, 1917; daughter of the late William and Elsa (Nustedt) Wenz. She grew up in Shrewsbury, MA and graduated from Major Beal High School in Shrewsbury and Worcester State University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Education. She taught elementary school at Calvin Coolidge School in Shrewsbury for 41 years before retiring in 1979 to move to Pembroke, NH with her husband.

While living in Shrewsbury and teaching she also cashiered part time at Spag's for 14 years; operated a wholesale greenhouse business called Roserna Gardens and trained and showed a poodle in obedience classes at dog shows for 13 years, earning many awards. She also became a judge of Obedience Classes at dog shows. Erna became a member of Shrewsbury Dog Training Club and a Life Member of Tri-Town Kennel Club of Spencer.

While living in New Hampshire, she was a member of Merrimack Valley Retired Educators Association, Pembroke Womans Club, South Congregational Church of Concord, Pembroke Grange III, Community Players of Concord, Friends of City Auditorium and a member of it's Board of Trustees and Hospitality Committee. She was also a member of the Pembroke Historical Society and served on the Board of Trustees; Bow Garden Club member and past president and member of Shrewsbury Mass. Retired Educators Association. Erna also did volunteer work for the Association for the Blind, The Friendly Kitchen, many political presidential campaigns and Interfaith Caregivers Program.

In 2003, she and her husband Charles moved to Ocala, FL and while living in Florida she served on a communion team at Ocala West United Methodist Church. Charles passed away on February 18, 2011 and her first husband Ralph Truell passed many years prior. Erna is survived by many nieces and nephews including Judi Vaillancourt and her husband Gary of Sutton, MA; and Karla Lynch and her husband Paul of Bradenton, FL.

A memorial service will be held on Friday, October 19, 2012 at 10 a.m. at Ocala West United Methodist Church. She will be laid to rest next to her husband Charles at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL, 34478.

The family and friends of Erna wish to express a special love for the care and companionship given by Fay Holt. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL. Condolences may be expressed at:

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### **HARRISON, RUBY MARESH**

Ocala - Ruby Harrison departed this world on October 10, 2012.

Ruby was born October 26, 1916 and raised on a farm in South Dakota. She was from a loving family and had many wonderful memories growing up in rural South Dakota in the 20's and 30's with her brother, sister and many relatives.

In the 1930's she helped her sister teach school on the Lakota Indian reservation. During World War II Ruby helped the war effort by moving to Seattle to work for Boeing Aircraft and then later worked for the government in Washington State in the push to build the first atomic bomb. By the end of the war Ruby was living in Norfolk, VA and made her home there and in Virginia Beach for the next 37 years while she worked for the Civil Service at the Naval Supply Center.

During the war was when Ruby first met her future husband and love of her life Ellet Harrison. They did not reconnect and marry until Ruby retired many years later and she then moved with

Ellet to the Eastern Shore of VA. Ruby loved her life there with Ellet as it was in farm country on the Chesapeake Bay.

In the 1980's, Ruby and Ellet relocated to Ocala, FL. where they also had a wonderful life. Ruby enjoyed her neighbors immensely and was like a grandmother to their children as they grew up. This was a highlight of her and her husband's life there. She was preceded in death by her husband Ellet Harrison in 2007.

Ruby lived a rich life of substance and character. Her wit and loving nature will be missed. Ruby, we love you and will miss you.

Ruby Harrison is survived by her two nephews, Larry Losey and family from Redmond, OR and Ted Maresh and family from Longmeadow, MA.

A service will be held on Saturday, October 20th, 2012 at 2 p.m. at the Fort King Presbyterian Church, Ocala, FL.

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### **JOHNSON, ALFRONIA M.**

Gainesville - Alfronia M. Johnson, 90, passed away Monday, October 15, 2012 at Shands Hospital.

She was born in Crystal River, FL. The majority of her life was spent in Ocala, FL. She served as Miss Paradise Park at Silver Springs, FL. She was a member of Light of The World Ministries, where she was mother of the church.

Mrs. Johnson was preceded in death by daughter Jewel J. Wilson, and son Oscar J. Johnson, Jr. Her memory will live on in the hearts of five daughters, Gloria J. Pasteur, Clermont, FL., Carrie J. Parker-Warren, Gainesville, FL., Tara J. Pasteur, Ft. Lauderdale, FL., Sylvia J. Cohen, Ocala, FL., Kim Smith-Harris, Ocala, FL; son Leonard Johnson, Deltona, FL.; 15 Grandchildren, 17 Great grandchildren, and eight great great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Johnson will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, October 20, 2012 at Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, 606 S.W. Broadway St., Ocala, Rev. Stanley Jacobs, Pastor, Rev. George McCray, Eulogist. Interment will follow at Lincoln Memorial Garden under the care of Chestnut Funeral Home 18 N.W. 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL. Visitation Friday from 2 - 7 p.m. at Sellers Funeral Home, 440 S.W. Broadway St., Ocala, FL. and on Saturday at the church one hour before the service. The cortege will form at the home of Mrs. Johnson, 647 N.W. 4th Place at 10:15 a.m.

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### **KNECHTEL, DENISE, 61**

Ocala - Denise (Suzie) B. Knechtel, 61, passed away on Tuesday, October 10, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala.

She was daughter of Horace and Beverly Brewer of The Blueberry Patch, Fort McCoy. She is survived by two brothers, Chuck Brewer of Wisconsin and Howard Brewer of California; two daughters Cindy Fife of Orlando and Stacey Bush of Ocala and two grandchildren John Bush and Katie Bush of Ocala.

She may have touched your lives through The Blueberry Patch in Ft. McCoy, and her work as a teacher at Ocala Springs Elementary and Ft. McCoy School. She attended Pine United Methodist Church, and played piano for Anthony United Methodist Church.

She spent her early adult years as a homemaker and a part-time farmer. Then became an active member of the county's educational system, enjoying every day she spent with her students, friends, and family. She was a wonderful mother, wife, and friend who will be missed by all who knew her. There will be a memorial service held on October 21st, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Pine United Methodist Church, 6925 Hwy 316, Citra, FL, 32113.

In honor and memory of her fight against cancer and in lieu of flowers, please support the "Tree of Life" designated for Denise Suzie Knechtel through Hospice of Marion County, Inc. 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Thank you for all your support and prayers during this time. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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### **LaLONDE, PAMELA MATTOON, 48**

Dunnellon - Pamela Mattoon LaLonde, 48, of Dunnellon, FL passed away on Sunday, October 14, 2012.

She was born in Buffalo, NY on June 5, 1964 and was married to David John LaLonde for twenty-two years.

She is survived by her two children, Brandon Scott Mattoon, and Ciara Nicole LaLonde both of Dunnellon, FL; stepdaughter, Nicole Sue LaLonde of Oscoda, MI; sister, Donna Mattoon Jernigan of Ocala, FL; brother, Daniel William Mattoon of Dunnellon, FL; two nieces, Stevie E. Johnson of Ocala and Joenell S. Clinger of Ocklawaha, FL; and two nephews, Michael P. Johnson of Ocala and Daniel L. Clinger of Ocala; four aunts, Diane St. Laurent, Marion Dietz, Betty Daniel and Hazel Liderhouse; and one uncle, Robert St. Laurent .

She was preceded in death by both of her parents, Clarence E. Mattoon, Sr. and Delores Schilling Mattoon. She was also preceded in death by her brother, Clarence E. Mattoon, Jr.

She graduated from Dunnellon High School in June 1982. She enjoyed being a full time stay at home mother, wife, sister, daughter, niece, aunt and granddaughter. She was perceived by family and friends as one that always gave of her love, kindness and caring ways to all; whether to children (Holly, Alyson, Victoria, Destiny and Brandon), older people, strangers off the street and to any of God's creatures. She's home now but will be greatly missed.

Visitation will be held from 5 until 8 p.m. on Thursday, October 18, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E Pennsylvania Ave, Dunnellon, FL 34432. The funeral Mass will be said at 10 a.m., Friday, October 19, 2012 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 7525 S. U.S. Highway 41, Dunnellon, FL, 34432. Burial will follow at 12 noon at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St, Ocala, FL, 34474.

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### **BALDWIN, RICHARD MAX, 76**

Ocala - Richard Max Baldwin, 76, died on October 17, 2012 in Ocala, FL.

He was born on August 16, 1936 in Allegan, MI to Lyle Max and Gladys Spray Baldwin. He served the U.S. Navy for 20 years, was a heavy equipment operator, worked for the City of Ocala, Ellzey Plumbing, and was Pastor of Fort Douglas Baptist Church. He was a bass singer and musician for the Rejoicers, member of Lifetime Fitness, and 100 Pint Blood Donor.

He is survived by his wife, Vivian Morgan Baldwin of Ocala; daughters, Brenda (Clint) Barkley

of Ocala and Karen Perez-Valle of Valrico, FL; son, David Max (Donna) Baldwin of Ocala; sisters, Barbara Martin and Rosalyn Piel; brothers, Richard Nichols and Jeff Baldwin; eight grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Services will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. on October 20, 2012 at 3 p.m., with visitation one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.

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**CRIBBS, PATRICIA M., 76**

Jacksonville - Patricia M. Cribbs, 76, formerly of Jacksonville, Florida passed away on Sunday, October 14th, 2012.

She will be missed by many family and friends. Born and raised in Jacksonville, she spent many of her years traveling around the world as a military wife. She was an avid GATOR fan and a crossword puzzle enthusiast. She was very devoted to family and loved spending time with her grandchildren.

She is survived by her sons, Chuck (Danette) Cribbs and Don (Ida) Cribbs; Brother, David (Rusty) Hogg. She is also survived by nine grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren. Graveside services will be held at Riverside Memorial Park, 7424 Normandy Blvd., Jacksonville, Florida on Friday, October 19th, 2012 at 1 p.m. Donations can be sent in her name to your local



Salvation Army.

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**JOHNSON, ALFRONIA M.**

Gainesville - Alfronia M. Johnson, 90, passed away Monday, October 15, 2012 at Shands Hospital.

She was born in Crystal River, FL. The majority of her life was spent in Ocala, FL. She served as Miss Paradise Park at Silver Springs, FL. She was a member of Light of The World Ministries, where she was mother of the church.

Mrs. Johnson was preceded in death by daughter Jewel J. Wilson, and son Oscar J. Johnson, Jr. Her memory will live on in the hearts of five daughters, Gloria J. Pasteur, Clermont, FL., Carrie J. Parker-Warren, Gainesville, FL., Tara J. Pasteur, Ft. Lauderdale, FL., Sylvia J. Cohen, Ocala, FL., Kim Smith-Harris, Ocala, FL; son Leonard Johnson, Deltona, FL.; 15 Grandchildren, 17 Great grandchildren, and eight great great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Johnson will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, October 20, 2012 at Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, 606 S.W. Broadway St., Ocala, Rev. Stanley Jacobs, Pastor, Rev. George McCray, Eulogist. Interment will follow at Lincoln Memorial Garden under the care of Chestnut Funeral Home 18 N.W. 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL. Visitation Friday from 2 - 7 p.m. at Sellers Funeral Home, 440 S.W. Broadway St., Ocala, FL. and on Saturday at the church one hour before the service. The cortege will form at the home of Mrs. Johnson, 647 N.W. 4th Place at 10:15 a.m.

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**KNECHTEL, DENISE, 61**

Ocala - Denise (Suzie) B. Knechtel, 61, passed away on Tuesday, October 10, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala.

She was daughter of Horace and Beverly Brewer of The Blueberry Patch, Fort McCoy. She is survived by two brothers, Chuck Brewer of Wisconsin and Howard Brewer of California; two daughters Cindy Fife of Orlando and Stacey Bush of Ocala and two grandchildren John Bush and Katie Bush of Ocala.

She may have touched your lives through The Blueberry Patch in Ft. McCoy, and her work as a teacher at Ocala Springs Elementary and Ft. McCoy School. She attended Pine United Methodist Church, and played piano for Anthony United Methodist Church.

She spent her early adult years as a homemaker and a part-time farmer. Then became an active member of the county's educational system, enjoying every day she spent with her students, friends, and family. She was a wonderful mother, wife, and friend who will be missed by all who knew her. There will be a memorial service held on October 21st, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Pine United Methodist Church, 6925 Hwy 316, Citra, FL, 32113.

In honor and memory of her fight against cancer and in lieu of flowers, please support the "Tree of Life" designated for Denise Suzie Knechtel through Hospice of Marion County, Inc. 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Thank you for all your support and prayers during this time. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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Richard and Margery, his wife of 56 years, lived in Miami and Ft. Myers, Florida prior to moving to Wilmington, NC to be near family.

Richard is survived by his wife Margery, daughter Susan Pleasants, son-in-law Greg and grandson Scott. He is also survived by his sister Judy Richardson (Joe) of Gainesville, Florida, nieces Sally and Jan and special nephew Scott.

A private memorial service will be held. In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made in Richard's memory to the Cornelia Nixon Davis Health Care Center, West Wing 1 Patio Fund, 1011 Porters Neck Rd., Wilmington, NC 28411.

The family extends a grateful thank you to the staffs of Davis Health Care Center and Champions Assisted Living and to special caregiver Barbara Fuller. Their love and kindness made the last years pleasant ones for Richard and his entire family.

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He will be missed by his wife, Dr. Carole Law Trachy; their children and his many friends and neighbors.

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She is survived by her loving husband, Joseph O. Tuohy; children, James (Rena) Tuohy of Williamsville, NY, Jean M. Tuohy of Chicago, IL, Irene Shea (Fred) Palmer of New Woodstock, NY, Kathleen (Eric) Peterson of Leawood, KS and Sarah (John) Teague of Centreville, VA. She is also survived by grandchildren, Robert Tuohy, Christine Tuohy Hallings, Patrick Baker, Fred Palmer IV, Elizabeth Palmer, Margaret Peterson, Eric (Pete) Peterson, Kate Peterson and Hannah Peterson; and sisters, Ann Mickalonis and Jane Pratuch.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Thomas F. O'Brien; brother, Henry George Kaiser; and son, Robert J. Tuohy.

Dottie was a communicant of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She lived at the On Top of the World community and was a former resident of Cazenovia, NY.

Dottie retired in March 2012 after many years as a successful real estate agent with Coldwell Banker Ellison Realty, receiving several awards over the course of her career.

A Funeral Mass will be said at 8:30 a.m. Monday, October 22nd, 2012 at Queen of Peace, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the American Heart Association

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She was born in Rochester, NY on March 13, 1915. She grew up on a farm in Pittsford, NY and graduated from the University of Rochester in 1935. She was married to the late Gordon W. Allen for sixty-two years until his passing in 2002. Mary and Gordon worked in the field of social work until they started to raise a family. They lived in New York State, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Maryland as Gordon continued his career and Mary took care of their children, John, Jean, and James. After their three children had grown, Mary returned to work as a social worker at Johns Hopkins Hospital and for the State of Maryland Human Services.

In 1978, Mary and Gordon retired and moved to Ocala, FL where they became very active in the arts community. Mary was a talented artist and was an active member of the Ocala Art Group and the Central Florida Symphony Orchestra Guild, now known as the Ocala Symphony Orchestra. She was also a charter member of the Unitarian-Universalist Fellowship of Marion County and the first editor of the Fellowship's newsletter that won a state award for her work.

A writer of humor and insight, Mary had numerous poems published in the Wall Street Journal and published two books of poems, *Women's Wear* and *79 And Holding* about the daily trials and tribulations of women.

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He is survived by his mother, Maria Angelidakis, Greece; his wife of 37 years, Maria Angelidakis; daughters, Irene and Tsambika "Meeka" Angelidakis; and son, Nickolas Angelidakis, all of Ocala; sister, Lisa (Jimmy) Tsolakakis; four grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be at 1 pm, Saturday, October 20, 2012 at the Panagia Vlahernon, Greek Orthodox Monastery, 12600 W Hwy 318, Orange Lake. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home.

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**BAKER, CAROL D., 76**

Ocklawaha - Carol D. Baker, 76, of Ocklawaha, FL entered into heaven on October 17, 2012.

She was born in Atlanta, GA March 21, 1936 and as a teenager she and her family moved to Florida. She has been a resident of Ocklawaha 58 years. She really enjoyed gardening and had many different types of plants and flowers in her yard. She loved music and especially enjoyed being a member of the Sweet Adeline's Quartet. She was a very active member of the Ocklawaha Baptist Church for 50 years and proud of her church family. She was always willing to open up and help those who were in need.

She is survived by her devoted and loving husband of 57 years, Charles E. Baker; son, Robby Baker of South Florida; grandson, Eric Baker of Ocala; two great-granddaughters, Angelic and Allisa of Ocala; her sisters, Marilyn (Harold) Mock of Ocala, Susan (Mike) Miranowicz of Keystone Heights, FL, Becky (Ron) Winterberg also of Keystone Heights and Jenny Allen of Jacksonville, FL; Brothers, Jeff (Beckie) Davis of Keystone Heights and Ricky (Lena) Davis of Middleburg.

A celebration of her life will be held at First Baptist Church of Ocklawaha on Sunday, October 21, 2012 at 2 p.m.

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She was preceded in death by her first husband, William Chestnut, Lexington, KY; and her second husband, Bernard Omer Bridenstine, Springport, MI. She is survived by her sons, Charles

Thomas Bridenstine (Patricia), Wesley Chapel, FL, John Martin Bridenstine (LeAnn), Dade City, FL; three nieces, Chloe Ann Adams, Indianapolis, IN, Priscilla Hartung, Frankfort, KY, Willa Betty Johnson, Crestwood, KY; one nephew, C.B. Spicer, Charlotte, NC; and four grandchildren, Robert Thomas Bridenstine, Tyler John Bridenstine, Sydney LeAnn Bridenstine and Isaac John Bridenstine.

The family will receive friends for viewing from 6-8 p.m. Monday, October 22, 2012 at the 301 Chapel of Hodges Family Funeral Home in Dade City. She will be interred at Springport Cemetery in Jackson, Michigan.

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She is survived by her daughter, Lynda Brewer of Ocala; grandson Job Hayes; three great-grandchildren, Savannah Hayes, Jacob Hayes, and Cameron Giordani; sister, Lucy Cook; brothers, Paul and Carmen LaMesa; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death

by her husband, Clarence William Frechette on March 29, 2012 and her son, Robert Rogers. A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Monday, October 22, 2012 from 5-6 p.m. with a prayer service at 5:30 p.m. Services will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church on Tuesday, October 23, 2012 at 11 a.m. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Those who wish may contribute to the Alzheimers and Dementia Alliance of Florida, P.O. Box 5967, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 20 to October 21, 2012

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She was born in Miami, FL on March 2, 1924. Betty was a homemaker and enjoyed sewing, arts and crafts, ceramics and traveling. She was a volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. Betty was a member of 1st Presbyterian Church of Ocala.

She is survived by a son Steven Charles Whittle of San Diego, CA; brother Clifford Pearce of North Carolina; grandson Christopher James (Emily) Whittle of North Carolina; and one grandchild. She was preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, Thomas Charles Whittle, a sister Jessie Lee and son Kenneth Thomas Whittle.

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**WRIGHT, DOAK ISAAC**

Anthony - Doak Isaac Wright departed this life and went to be with the Lord and many beloved friends and relatives on October 9, 2012. He would have had his 102nd birthday on Oct. 23rd.

Doak was born in Wilson County, Tennessee on Oct. 23, 1910. He worked at the DuPont plant in Old Hickory, TN, as a plumber at the Oak Ridge nuclear facility during World War II, then in

south Florida until retirement. He moved to Kissimmee with his daughter Mary; then at the age of 92 bought a house in Anthony where he enjoyed refurbishing his home, gardening and lawn maintenance for another five years. He continued to reside in Anthony with his daughter Anita until his death.

As devoted Christian, he was active in his church's ministries throughout his lifetime. His sense of humor, determined independence and Christian example will be missed by numerous friends and family.

Doak is survived by daughters, Anita (Herbert) Gossett and Mary (Gordon) Glenn; six grandchildren, Terri (Ed) Calabello, Randy (Kathy) Gossett, Sandra Gossett, Kathy (Keith) Plemmons, Mike Gossett and Richard (Debbie) Gossett; 12 great grandchildren, and one great, great grandchild. He is preceded in death by his beloved wife Sarah, second wife, Lorene, and grandchild, Cody Plemmons.

Funeral services and burial were held in Hollywood, FL on Saturday, October 13, 2012. Any memorial contributions would be appreciated by the Florida Baptist Childrens Home.

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He is survived by his son, Leonard O. (Sammy) Allen, Jr., Camby, Indiana; daughters, Cheryl (Jeff) Davies, St. Petersburg, Fl, Lynda (Richard) Kirkland, Canton, Georgia; five grandchildren; seven great grandchildren and brother, Roy Allen, West Virginia.

Please visit [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) to share words of condolence with the family.

Memorial services for Mr. Allen will be held at a later date. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, Florida.

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She was born in Atlanta, GA March 21, 1936 and as a teenager she and her family moved to Florida. She has been a resident of Ocklawaha 58 years. She really enjoyed gardening and had many different types of plants and flowers in her yard. She loved music and especially enjoyed being a member of the Sweet Adeline's Quartet. She was a very active member of the Ocklawaha Baptist Church for 50 years and proud of her church family. She was always willing to open up and help those who were in need.

She is survived by her devoted and loving husband of 57 years, Charles E. Baker; son, Robby Baker of South Florida; grandson, Eric Baker of Ocala; two great-granddaughters, Angelic and Allisa of Ocala; her sisters, Marilyn (Harold) Mock of Ocala, Susan (Mike) Miranowicz of Keystone Heights, FL, Becky (Ron) Winterberg also of Keystone Heights and Jenny Allen of Jacksonville, FL; Brothers, Jeff (Beckie) Davis of Keystone Heights and Ricky (Lena) Davis of Middleburg.

A celebration of her life will be held at First Baptist Church of Ocklawaha on Sunday, October 21, 2012 at 2 p.m.

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**BRIDENSTINE, WILMA IONE, 84**

Tampa - Wilma Ione Bridenstine, 84, of Tampa, FL passed away Wednesday, October 17, 2012 in Tampa.

She was born March 22, 1927 in Campton, KY to Robert Thomas and Agnes Lawless Tutt and retired from the Marion County Public School System after teaching for 23 years. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Belleview, FL where she was active with the Thrift Store at Belleview United Methodist Church. She was an avid contract bridge player and a member of the American Medical Technologists and the American Orchid Society where she was a judge.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, William Chestnut, Lexington, KY; and her second husband, Bernard Omer Bridenstine, Springport, MI. She is survived by her sons, Charles Thomas Bridenstine (Patricia), Wesley Chapel, FL, John Martin Bridenstine (LeAnn), Dade City, FL; three nieces, Chloe Ann Adams, Indianapolis, IN, Priscilla Hartung, Frankfort, KY, Willa Betty Johnson, Crestwood, KY; one nephew, C.B. Spicer, Charlotte, NC; and four grandchildren, Robert Thomas Bridenstine, Tyler John Bridenstine, Sydney LeAnn Bridenstine and Isaac John Bridenstine.

The family will receive friends for viewing from 6-8 p.m. Monday, October 22, 2012 at the 301 Chapel of Hodges Family Funeral Home in Dade City. She will be interred at Springport Cemetery in Jackson, Michigan.

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Dr. Fleigel is preceded in death by his father Sidney and mother Rachael, and survived by his wife Suzanne, his sister Risa, and his children Claire, Jeff, Holly (daughter-in-law), Margaret, and his grandson Zachary. He was a wonderful father and husband, as well as a kind and generous person, who was loved by many and will be missed by all.

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### **FRECHETTE, ERNESTINE ELIZABETH, 90**

Ocala - Ernestine Elizabeth Frechette, 90, died October 17, 2012 at Estelle's Hospice House.

She was born in Winsted, CT on March 11, 1922 to Antonio LaMesa and Carmelina Bazzano. She was an assembler in a typewriter production facility, nurse's aide, and caregiver in CT. Mrs. Frechette moved to Ocala in 1998 and was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. She loved to play bingo.

She is survived by her daughter, Lynda Brewer of Ocala; grandson Job Hayes; three great-grandchildren, Savannah Hayes, Jacob Hayes, and Cameron Giordani; sister, Lucy Cook; brothers, Paul and Carmen LaMesa; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Clarence William Frechette on March 29, 2012 and her son, Robert Rogers.

A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala on Monday, October 22, 2012 from 5-6 p.m. with a prayer service at 5:30 p.m. Services will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church on Tuesday, October 23, 2012 at 11 a.m. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Those who wish may contribute to the Alzheimers and Dementia Alliance of Florida, P.O. Box 5967, Ocala, FL 34478.

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There will be a celebration of life service for Nilda at a later date. Donations can be made to Hospice of Marion Co. in lieu of flowers in memory of Nilda.

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A native of Belmont, MA he moved to Bellevue in 2002 and took a job as a CadCam designer for Munns A/C in Wildwood. He was an avid fisherman and sports fan. As a young man he served in the Army National Guard. His sudden death shocked all who loved him.

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### **WHITTLE, BETTY JANE, 88**

Ocala - Betty Jane Whittle, 88, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, September 7, 2012.

She was born in Miami, FL on March 2, 1924. Betty was a homemaker and enjoyed sewing, arts and crafts, ceramics and traveling. She was a volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. Betty was a member of 1st Presbyterian Church of Ocala.

She is survived by a son Steven Charles Whittle of San Diego, CA; brother Clifford Pearce of North Carolina; grandson Christopher James (Emily) Whittle of North Carolina; and one grandchild. She was preceded in death by her husband of 54 years, Thomas Charles Whittle, a sister Jessie Lee and son Kenneth Thomas Whittle.

A memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Service, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Sunday, November 11, 2012 at 2 p.m. A committal service with military honors will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Tuesday, November 13, 2012 at 10:30 am.

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### **WRIGHT, DOAK ISAAC**

Anthony - Doak Isaac Wright departed this life and went to be with the Lord and many beloved friends and relatives on October 9, 2012. He would have had his 102nd birthday on Oct. 23rd.

Doak was born in Wilson County, Tennessee on Oct. 23, 1910. He worked at the DuPont plant in Old Hickory, TN, as a plumber at the Oak Ridge nuclear facility during World War II, then in south Florida until retirement. He moved to Kissimmee with his daughter Mary; then at the age of 92 bought a house in Anthony where he enjoyed refurbishing his home, gardening and lawn maintenance for another five years. He continued to reside in Anthony with his daughter Anita

until his death.

As devoted Christian, he was active in his church's ministries throughout his lifetime. His sense of humor, determined independence and Christian example will be missed by numerous friends and family.

Doak is survived by daughters, Anita (Herbert) Gossett and Mary (Gordon) Glenn; six grandchildren, Terri (Ed) Calabello, Randy (Kathy) Gossett, Sandra Gossett, Kathy (Keith) Plemmons, Mike Gossett and Richard (Debbie) Gossett; 12 great grandchildren, and one great, great grandchild. He is preceded in death by his beloved wife Sarah, second wife, Lorene, and grandchild, Cody Plemmons.

Funeral services and burial were held in Hollywood, FL on Saturday, October 13, 2012. Any memorial contributions would be appreciated by the Florida Baptist Childrens Home.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, October 22, 2012**

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Ocala - Leonard O. "Lenny" Allen, Sr., 76, died Wednesday, October 17, 2012 at his residence. Lenny had lived in Ocala since 1978. He owned his own bicycle shop here in Ocala and in several other places across the country. He was preceded in death by his great grandson, Ayden O. Allen; brothers, Wallie, George and Howard Allen.

He is survived by his son, Leonard O. (Sammy) Allen, Jr., Camby, Indiana; daughters, Cheryl (Jeff) Davies, St. Petersburg, Fl, Lynda (Richard) Kirkland, Canton, Georgia; five grandchildren; seven great grandchildren and brother, Roy Allen, West Virginia.

Please visit [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) to share words of condolence with the family.

Memorial services for Mr. Allen will be held at a later date. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, Florida.

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#### **ALLEN, MARY STEWART, 97**

Ocala - Mary Stewart Allen, 97, of Ocala, FL passed away peacefully on Saturday, October 6, 2012.

She was born in Rochester, NY on March 13, 1915. She grew up on a farm in Pittsford, NY and graduated from the University of Rochester in 1935. She was married to the late Gordon W. Allen for sixty-two years until his passing in 2002. Mary and Gordon worked in the field of social work until they started to raise a family. They lived in New York State, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Maryland as Gordon continued his career and Mary took care of their children, John, Jean, and James. After their three children had grown, Mary returned to work as a social worker at Johns Hopkins Hospital and for the State of Maryland Human Services.

In 1978, Mary and Gordon retired and moved to Ocala, FL where they became very active in the arts community. Mary was a talented artist and was an active member of the Ocala Art Group and the Central Florida Symphony Orchestra Guild, now known as the Ocala Symphony Orchestra. She was also a charter member of the Unitarian-Universalist Fellowship of Marion County and the first editor of the Fellowship's newsletter that won a state award for her work.

A writer of humor and insight, Mary had numerous poems published in the Wall Street Journal and published two books of poems, *Women's Wear* and *79 And Holding* about the daily trials and tribulations of women.

Mary is survived by her daughter, Jean W. Hunter of Salem, OR; and sons John S. Allen of Waltham, MA, and James R. Allen of Ocala, FL; and three grandchildren, Jacob Allen, Josie Allen and Anna Hunter.

A memorial service will be held at the Unitarian-Universalist Fellowship of Marion County, 7280 SE 135th St, Summerfield, FL., 34491 on Sunday, November 4th, 2012 at 1:30 pm.

Online condolences may be sent to the family at:

[www.hiers-baxley.net](http://www.hiers-baxley.net).

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Ocala Symphony Orchestra, 820 SE Fort King St, Ocala, FL., 34471 in memory of Mary Stewart Allen.

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### **LANKFORD, SR., GEORGE WILLIAM**

Silver Springs - George William "Pappy" Lankford, Sr. passed away on October 20, 2012.

Born in Kendrick on November 23, 1938, he was a life long resident of Marion County. He served in the U.S. Army. He owned and operated Lankford Plumbing and also worked for Aqua Pure Water Services of Silver Springs for many years.

He was preceded in death by his son, George W. "Beaver" Lankford, Jr.; he is survived by his loving wife of 51 years, Veda B. Lankford; daughters, Denise (Michael) L. Deen, Ft. McCoy; Tina (Tony) Oswald, Anthony; son, Daniel Lankford, brother, Doyle Pons, Dunedin; uncle, Junior Woods, Silver Springs; and seven grandchildren, "the lights of his life"; George "Ryan" Lankford, Chelsea Deen, Thomas "Cody" Deen, Chloe Deen, Lucas Moore, Alyssa Lankford, and Ethan Oswald.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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### **PRIEST, SALLY ANN**

Citra - Sally Ann Priest passed away peacefully at home on October 19, 2012. A native of Citra, she lived in Marion County most of her life.

She worked in the Reitz Union for the University of Florida and retired after 37+ years as a Fiscal Assistant.

She is survived by her husband of 41 years, William "Bill" Priest; sons, Billy Priest and Stan Priest; granddaughter, Autumn Priest; brother, John Russell Weaver, Citra; and sister, Eulene Weaver Brown, Citra.

Funeral service will be 11 a.m., Wednesday, October 24th, 2012 at Orange Lake Baptist Church, 19090 NW 53rd Terrace, Orange Lake, with Pastors James R. Kingsley and Fred C. Johns officiating. Visitation will begin at 10 a.m. until service time. Interment will follow in Citra Cemetery.

Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony.

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Mr. Cunningham was a veteran of World War II and Korea, serving with the U.S. Navy SeeBees and U.S. Army.

He was preceded in death by his wife Bernice in 2006.

He is survived by his daughters, Lois Heinzman of Ocala, FL, Carol Justice of Eustis, FL, and Janet Nowell of Stone Mountain, GA; his granddaughters, Sarah Curtis of Virginia and Barbara Precourt of Kansas; grandson, Rick Long of Florida; great granddaughters, Hannah and Rebecca; and great grandson, Kevin.

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### **KING, LILLIAN R. ROCKWELL, 96**

Ocala - Lillian R. Rockwell King, passed away October 19, 2012.

Lillian was born September 22, 1916. She was originally from Graton, Connecticut. Lillian married Robert H. King in 1942. She moved to Miami, FL in 1951. Lillian had one daughter Joan R. Cutts (Raymond); three grandchildren, Robert M. Miller, Andrea R. Cutts and Stephen L. Cutts; four great grandchildren, Keonta, Rhianna, Isaiah and Richelle. Lillian enjoyed teaching real estate for thirty two years and enjoyed playing bridge and spending time with family and friends. Lillian thoroughly believed a glass of wine every night promoted longevity. She will always be loved, remembered and greatly missed.

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### **LANKFORD, SR., GEORGE WILLIAM**

Silver Springs - George William "Pappy" Lankford, Sr. passed away on October 20, 2012.

Born in Kendrick on November 23, 1938, he was a life long resident of Marion County. He served in the U.S. Army. He owned and operated Lankford Plumbing and also worked for Aqua Pure Water Services of Silver Springs for many years.

He was preceded in death by his son, George W. "Beaver" Lankford, Jr.; he is survived by his loving wife of 51 years, Veda B. Lankford; daughters, Denise (Michael) L. Deen, Ft. McCoy; Tina (Tony) Oswald, Anthony; son, Daniel Lankford, brother, Doyle Pons, Dunedin; uncle, Junior Woods, Silver Springs; and seven grandchildren, "the lights of his life"; George "Ryan" Lankford, Chelsea Deen, Thomas "Cody" Deen, Chloe Deen, Lucas Moore, Alyssa Lankford,

and Ethan Oswald.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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**PRIEST, SALLY ANN**

Citra - Sally Ann Priest passed away peacefully at home on October 19, 2012. A native of Citra, she lived in Marion County most of her life.

She worked in the Reitz Union for the University of Florida and retired after 37+ years as a Fiscal Assistant.

She is survived by her husband of 41 years, William "Bill" Priest; sons, Billy Priest and Stan Priest; granddaughter, Autumn Priest; brother, John Russell Weaver, Citra; and sister, Eulene Weaver Brown, Citra.

Funeral service will be 11 a.m., Wednesday, October 24th, 2012 at Orange Lake Baptist Church, 19090 NW 53rd Terrace, Orange Lake, with Pastors James R. Kingsley and Fred C. Johns officiating. Visitation will begin at 10 a.m. until service time. Interment will follow in Citra Cemetery.

Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony.

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**SANDERS, LOWELL B., 72**

Loveland, CO - Lowell B. Sanders died May 15, 2012 in Loveland, CO. He was from Clewistown, FL.

He was a high school teacher in Pinellas County and a professor at Central Florida College for 35 years. He was an Elder in the LDS Church.

He was the father of Charlotte Sanders Leggio, grandfather of Brent Christopher Mathis and Kody Leggio, father-in-law of Sam Leggio, all of Lake Placid, FL, and a brother of Fred Sanders of Tampa, FL.

For more information, contact Richard Osburn at 720-425-9850.

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He left farming in KY in 1941 to work in manufacturing in Cleveland, OH and had a 44 year career at Reliance Electric Co., rising to the position of Plant Superintendent. He served in the U.S. Army for three years during World War II and was a veteran of the Battle of Okinawa.

In 1948 he married the former Margaret Hoban of Cleveland, OH who preceded him in death in 2006 after 58 years of marriage. In retirement, they lived for 22 years in On Top of the World, Ocala, FL.

He is survived by his son, John T. (Paula) Thompson, Orlando, FL; daughter Kathleen (Dale) Boehnlein, Medina, OH; six grandchildren, Lori, Jennifer (Tim), Daniel (Josephine), Paul, Matthew and Benjamin (Lauren); great grandsons Christopher, Alexander, Robert, and Jack.

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She leaves to cherish her memory her children, Shenaye and Marcus Faucette, mother, Mary Faucette, brothers, David and William Faucette, five grandchildren, stepmother Rose Faucette, and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends.

Viewing will be on Friday at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10 until 6. Funeral service will be on Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Pentecostal Full Gospel Worship Center, Bernard Tuggerson, pastor.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade."

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#### **FITZPATRICK, RICHARD SHAWN, 31**

Inverness - Richard Shawn Fitzpatrick, 31, Inverness, died at home on October 22, 2012 following an extended illness.

Shawn was born in Inverness, FL on February 13, 1981 to Richard "Spike" and Nancy Blake Fitzpatrick and had been a lifetime resident of Citrus County. He graduated from Citrus High School, the University of Florida, and attained his law degree from Stetson University. Shawn began to practice law in 2007 at the law offices of Fitzpatrick & Fitzpatrick, a firm founded by his grandfather, Charles B. Fitzpatrick and later owned by his late father, Richard "Spike" Fitzpatrick. He was an avid Gator fan, enjoyed sports, and dedicated his life to his family and profession. His affiliations include Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church, Citrus Memorial Advisory Board, Citrus County Fair Association, Hospice of Citrus County Board, Citrus County Bar Association, and Gator Booster Club.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Brittany A. Fitzpatrick; his mother, Nancy Blake Fitzpatrick; his grandmother, Dorothy Fitzpatrick; brother and sisters, Brian B.R. Fitzpatrick, Megan T. Fitzpatrick, Molly K. Fitzpatrick, and Katherine Fitzpatrick Stephenson and husband, Trent and their son, Carter of St. Petersburg; other family members include his uncles, Mike (Brenda) Fitzpatrick and Pat (Laura Lou) Fitzpatrick, many cousins, including Michael (Katie) Fitzpatrick and their son, Connor; dear family friends, Barbie, Brady, Cody, Austin, Garrett, and Carly Bogart. He was preceded in death by his father, Richard "Spike" Fitzpatrick on Mar 20, 2006, his uncles, Kevin and Timmy Fitzpatrick, paternal grandfather, Charles B. Fitzpatrick, and maternal grandparents Walter and Harriett Blake.

The Mass of Christian Burial will be offered on Saturday, October 27th, 2012 at 10 a.m. from Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church. Burial will follow in Oak Ridge Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Chas E Davis Funeral Home on Friday from 5 until 8 p.m.

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**FREYERMUTH, IVOR B., 98**

Ocala - Ivor B. Freyermuth, 98, passed away Tuesday, October 16, 2012.

Ivor was a native Floridian who was born June 4, 1914 in Ocala, FL. She is survived by her sister, Katie Fore of Ocala; niece, Karen Needham and her husband Winston of Ocala; nephew Merritt Fore and his wife Nancy of Ocala; granddaughter, Gena Flores and her husband Mike of Orlando and great-grandson, Evan Flores of Orlando.

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**HAGINS, MARY LOU FRANKLIN, 89**

Summerfield - Mrs. Mary Lou Franklin Hagins, 89, homemaker, transitioned from this life to her heavenly home on October 20, 2012 at Tuscan House, Summerfield, Florida.

Mrs. Hagins was educated at Mt. Pleasant School, Summerfield, Florida and she received her Bachelor of Ministry Degree from the Rainbow School of Ministry, Alachua, Florida, graduating January 25, 2003. She was a member of Faith, Hope and Charity, Alachua, Florida then Later moved her membership to Greater New Bethel Baptist Church Inc. Ocala, Florida.

She is survived by three sons, Roosevelt Hagins (Vicki Lynn) Bremerton, WA, Ruffus Hagins Jr, (Ann), Belleview, Florida, Adolphus Hagins (Contessa), Montgomery, AL; six daughters, Altamese Bosier (Ralph/Friend) Weirsdale, Florida, Mary Sherman (Robert), Tampa, Florida, Carolyn Hagins (Dwayne), Ocala, Florida, Rosetta Hagins, Ormond Beach, Florida, Sherron Tate (Bishop Pratt) Ocala, Florida, Valarie Tate, Cypress, TX; daughter-in-law, Barbara Hagins, Ocala, Florida; two sisters, Geneva Johnson, Sanford, Florida, Elizabeth Pickney, Alachua, Florida; 160 grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren and step grandchildren.

There will be a wake Thursday, October 25, 2012 at Greater New Bethel Baptist Church Inc., 612 Northwest 4th Place Ocala, Florida 34475 from 6 until 7:30 p.m. On Friday there will be viewing at Summers Funeral Home From 11 a.m. until 6 p.m.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Lou Franklin Hagins will be held on Saturday October 27, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Ramah Baptist Church, 10545 Southeast 58th Avenue Belleview, Florida, 34420 with the Reverend Melvin Cotton, presiding and Pastor Tanya Hanks, Eulogist. Interment will in Elizabeth Church Cemetery, Summerfield, Florida under the care of Summers Funeral Home Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida Viewing at the church on Saturday at 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy.

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### **MACK, GILBERT GLEN, 88**

Ocala - Gilbert Glen Mack, 88, owner of Mack's Sanitation Services, passed away on October 22, 2012.

He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Willie Mae Mack; son, Rev. Miguell (Patricia) Mack of Ocala; daughters, Michelle Mack of Gainesville, Brenda Lawrence of Hartford, Connecticut; three grandchildren; one great grand; brother, Voyce Mack Sr. of Washington D.C; sisters, Dorothy Mack and Joyce Barnes both of Philadelphia and a host of God children, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Funeral services for Mr. Gilbert Glen Mack will be held on Saturday, October 27, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Zion United Methodist Church. Rev. Michael Stephens, Pastor. Public visitation and wake service will be held on Friday from 6 until 7 p.m. at Zion United Methodist Church. Flowers may be sent to Snows Funeral Ministry, Ocala.

Service entrusted to O.B. Samuel Funeral Home, Williston, Florida.

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### **NELLER, BRETT TREVOR**

Ocala- Brett Trevor Neller, 45, passed away unexpectedly on Friday, October 19, 2012. He was born October 9, 1967 in St. Johns, Michigan. Brett was a life long resident of Ocala.

He is survived by the love of his life for 18 years, Kathryn (Kat) Hamilton, Ocala.; mother, Janice Thomas Makofski, Ocala; father, Gary Neller, Rockwell, Texas; grandfather, Bernard Neller, St. Johns, Michigan; sister, Brigitte Caruthers (Hob) Rardin, Ocala and their sons, Nicholas Rardin, Kylor and Zachary McQuaig; Kat's parents, Jane (Mom) and Joe (Dad) Richardson, Ocala, and Larry Hamilton, Michigan. He was preceded in death by his

grandmother, Allene Johnson, and his uncle, Earl Michael Thomas, both of Ocala.

Brett was a graduate of Forest High School. He was a dedicated and loyal employee of Coca-Cola for over 24 years. He was "Uncle Brett" to all the children he has known. He loved life with a passion and lived it to the fullest. Brett and Kat loved sports especially the Gators and the Miami Dolphins, riding their Harley and biking events, fishing, boating and camping with friends. He had a smile that no one could forget and was known as 'Brother' to many.

A Celebration of Brett's Life will be Saturday, October 27, 2012, from 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. at the Marion-Dunn Masonic Lodge, 1846 S.E. 36th Ave. in Ocala.

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### **SANDERS, LOWELL B., 72**

Loveland, CO - Lowell B. Sanders died May 15, 2012 in Loveland, CO. He was from Clewistown, FL.

He was a high school teacher in Pinellas County and a professor at Central Florida College for 35 years. He was an Elder in the LDS Church.

He was the father of Charlotte Sanders Leggio, grandfather of Brent Christopher Mathis and Kody Leggio, father-in-law of Sam Leggio, all of Lake Placid, FL, and a brother of Fred Sanders of Tampa, FL.

For more information, contact Richard Osburn at 720-425-9850.

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### **STAHURSKI, JOAN M., 66**

Ocala - Joan M. Stahurski. 66 . of Ocala, FL. passed away on October 16, 2012 after a long hard fought battle with cancer.

She was born in Scranton, PA. on November 11th to the late Bernard and Ruth Castles Stahurski. She was a graduate of Scranton Technical High School in 1963. She was employed by Bell Telephone of PA.

She is survived by twin sister Jane Stahurski, Ocala; an aunt Florence Hoffman of Bethlehem, PA., many cousins and her beloved cat, Muffi. She is predeceased by an aunt, Gertrude Creedon. The family would like to thank the nurses and staff of the Oakhurst Care & Rehabilitation Center for their exceptional care and kindness.

Memorial service will be held at the Roberts Funeral Home Bruce Chapel East, 2739 Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL. on October 27, 2012 at 2 p.m. Family will receive guests one hour prior.

Services will be conducted by Pastor Darryl Allen of the Druid Hills Methodist Church. Interment will be at a later date in Scranton, PA.

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Burial will be in the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida.

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**THOMPSON, JOHN COTTON, 89**

Orlando - John Cotton Thompson was born May 17, 1923 in Holy Cross, KY, the third child and first son of Benjamin Ballard Thompson and Mary Catherine (Cotton) Thompson. He died October 19, 2012 in Orlando, FL.

He left farming in KY in 1941 to work in manufacturing in Cleveland, OH and had a 44 year career at Reliance Electric Co., rising to the position of Plant Superintendent. He served in the U.S. Army for three years during World War II and was a veteran of the Battle of Okinawa.

In 1948 he married the former Margaret Hoban of Cleveland, OH who preceded him in death in 2006 after 58 years of marriage. In retirement, they lived for 22 years in On Top of the World, Ocala, FL.

He is survived by his son, John T. (Paula) Thompson, Orlando, FL; daughter Kathleen (Dale) Boehnlein, Medina, OH; six grandchildren, Lori, Jennifer (Tim), Daniel (Josephine), Paul, Matthew and Benjamin (Lauren); great grandsons Christopher, Alexander, Robert, and Jack.

A Memorial Mass will be held on Friday, January 11, 2013 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church with Father Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. The family requests, in lieu of flowers, that donations be made to the American Cancer Society .

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**FAUCETTE, GAYLE RENEE, 54**

Ocala - Gayle Renee Faucette, 54, passed away on October 18, 2012 in Ocala.

She leaves to cherish her memory her children, Shenaye and Marcus Faucette, mother, Mary Faucette, brothers, David and William Faucette, five grandchildren, stepmother Rose Faucette, and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends.

Viewing will be on Friday at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10 until 6. Funeral service will be on Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Pentecostal Full Gospel Worship Center, Bernard Tuggerson, pastor.

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Shawn was born in Inverness, FL on February 13, 1981 to Richard "Spike" and Nancy Blake Fitzpatrick and had been a lifetime resident of Citrus County. He graduated from Citrus High School, the University of Florida, and attained his law degree from Stetson University. Shawn began to practice law in 2007 at the law offices of Fitzpatrick & Fitzpatrick, a firm founded by his grandfather, Charles B. Fitzpatrick and later owned by his late father, Richard "Spike" Fitzpatrick. He was an avid Gator fan, enjoyed sports, and dedicated his life to his family and profession. His affiliations include Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church, Citrus Memorial Advisory Board, Citrus County Fair Association, Hospice of Citrus County Board, Citrus County Bar Association, and Gator Booster Club.

Left to cherish his memory are his wife, Brittany A. Fitzpatrick; his mother, Nancy Blake Fitzpatrick; his grandmother, Dorothy Fitzpatrick; brother and sisters, Brian B.R. Fitzpatrick, Megan T. Fitzpatrick, Molly K. Fitzpatrick, and Katherine Fitzpatrick Stephenson and husband, Trent and their son, Carter of St. Petersburg; other family members include his uncles, Mike (Brenda) Fitzpatrick and Pat (Laura Lou) Fitzpatrick, many cousins, including Michael (Katie) Fitzpatrick and their son, Connor; dear family friends, Barbie, Brady, Cody, Austin, Garrett, and Carly Bogart. He was preceded in death by his father, Richard "Spike" Fitzpatrick on Mar 20, 2006, his uncles, Kevin and Timmy Fitzpatrick, paternal grandfather, Charles B. Fitzpatrick, and maternal grandparents Walter and Harriett Blake.

The Mass of Christian Burial will be offered on Saturday, October 27th, 2012 at 10 a.m. from Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church. Burial will follow in Oak Ridge Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Chas E Davis Funeral Home on Friday from 5 until 8 p.m.

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### **FREYERMUTH, IVOR B., 98**

Ocala - Ivor B. Freyermuth, 98, passed away Tuesday, October 16, 2012.

Ivor was a native Floridian who was born June 4, 1914 in Ocala, FL. She is survived by her sister, Katie Fore of Ocala; niece, Karen Needham and her husband Winston of Ocala; nephew Merritt Fore and his wife Nancy of Ocala; granddaughter, Gena Flores and her husband Mike of Orlando and great-grandson, Evan Flores of Orlando.

Graveside services were conducted Monday, October 22, 2012 at Hillsboro Memorial Gardens in Brandon, FL. In Ivor's memory, the family requests donations may be made to: Palma Ceia Presbyterian Church, 3501 W. San Jose St., Tampa, FL 33629.

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### **HAGINS, MARY LOU FRANKLIN, 89**

Summerfield - Mrs. Mary Lou Franklin Hagins, 89, homemaker, transitioned from this life to her heavenly home on October 20, 2012 at Tuscany House, Summerfield, Florida.

Mrs. Hagins was educated at Mt. Pleasant School, Summerfield, Florida and she received her Bachelor of Ministry Degree from the Rainbow School of Ministry, Alachua, Florida, graduating January 25, 2003. She was a member of Faith, Hope and Charity, Alachua, Florida then Later moved her membership to Greater New Bethel Baptist Church Inc. Ocala, Florida.

She is survived by three sons, Roosevelt Hagins (Vicki Lynn) Bremerton, WA, Ruffus Hagins Jr, (Ann), Belleview, Florida, Adolphus Hagins (Contessa), Montgomery, AL; six daughters, Altamese Bosier (Ralph/Friend) Weirsdale, Florida, Mary Sherman (Robert), Tampa, Florida,

Carolyn Hagins (Dwayne), Ocala, Florida, Rosetta Hagins, Ormond Beach, Florida, Sherron Tate (Bishop Pratt) Ocala, Florida, Valarie Tate, Cypress, TX; daughter-in-law, Barbara Hagins, Ocala, Florida; two sisters, Geneva Johnson, Sanford, Florida, Elizabeth Pickney, Alachua, Florida; 160 grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren and step grandchildren.

There will be a wake Thursday, October 25, 2012 at Greater New Bethel Baptist Church Inc., 612 Northwest 4th Place Ocala, Florida 34475 from 6 until 7:30 p.m. On Friday there will be viewing at Summers Funeral Home From 11 a.m. until 6 p.m.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Lou Franklin Hagins will be held on Saturday October 27, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Ramah Baptist Church, 10545 Southeast 58th Avenue Belleview, Florida, 34420 with the Reverend Melvin Cotton, presiding and Pastor Tanya Hanks, Eulogist. Interment will in Elizabeth Church Cemetery, Summerfield, Florida under the care of Summers Funeral Home Inc., 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida Viewing at the church on Saturday at 10 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy.

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Ocala - Clayton E. Leist, Sr., 93, of Ocala, passed away October 22, 2012.

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He is survived by his son, Jack Leist and his wife, Evelyn of Denton, MD; two grand daughters, Deanna Aliano of Point Pleasant, NJ and Loretta Leist (Biber) and her husband Patrick of Ocean Springs, MS; two great grandsons, Jeremy Spitzberg and Eric Aliano both of Point Pleasant, NJ. He was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy R. Leist and son Clayton E. Leist II.

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### **MACK, GILBERT GLEN, 88**

Ocala - Gilbert Glen Mack, 88, owner of Mack's Sanitation Services, passed away on October 22, 2012.

He is survived by his wife of 59 years, Willie Mae Mack; son, Rev. Miguell (Patricia) Mack of Ocala; daughters, Michelle Mack of Gainesville, Brenda Lawrence of Hartford, Connecticut; three grandchildren; one great grand; brother, Voyce Mack Sr. of Washington D.C; sisters, Dorothy Mack and Joyce Barnes both of Philadelphia and a host of God children, nieces, nephews and cousins.

Funeral services for Mr. Gilbert Glen Mack will be held on Saturday, October 27, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Zion United Methodist Church. Rev. Michael Stephens, Pastor. Public visitation and wake service will be held on Friday from 6 until 7 p.m. at Zion United Methodist Church. Flowers may be sent to Snows Funeral Ministry, Ocala.

Service entrusted to O.B. Samuel Funeral Home, Williston, Florida.

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**NELLER, BRETT TREVOR**

Ocala- Brett Trevor Neller, 45, passed away unexpectedly on Friday, October 19, 2012. He was born October 9, 1967 in St. Johns, Michigan. Brett was a life long resident of Ocala.

He is survived by the love of his life for 18 years, Kathryn (Kat) Hamilton, Ocala.; mother, Janice Thomas Makofski, Ocala; father, Gary Neller, Rockwell, Texas; grandfather, Bernard Neller, St. Johns, Michigan; sister, Brigitte Caruthers (Hob) Rardin, Ocala and their sons, Nicholas Rardin, Kylor and Zachary McQuaig; Kat's parents, Jane (Mom) and Joe (Dad) Richardson, Ocala, and Larry Hamilton, Michigan. He was preceded in death by his grandmother, Allene Johnson, and his uncle, Earl Michael Thomas, both of Ocala.

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**BROWN, SHIRLEY MAE HORNBERGER, 86**

Ocala - Shirley Mae Hornberger Brown was born August 10, 1926 in Granite City, IL, one of five daughters of Harry Fritz Hornberger and Ellen Lily Wittenborn.

She married Harold Edward Brown, her husband for 66 years, who predeceased her.

She is survived by her daughter, Sandra Jo MacWilliam (James); one granddaughter, Ellen Jean Ault (Jason); one great granddaughter, Zoe Elizabeth Ault from Tampa, FL; two sisters, Betty Lou Williams who resides in Granite City, IL and Arlene Joyce Laub who resides in Lebanon, IL; and many nieces nephews and their families.

Shirley retired from Granite City School District where she was secretary to the superintendent. In 1986 she moved to Ocala, FL and is remembered for being devoted most of her adult life for service to others. She was affiliated with the Tri City Girl Scout Council, Troop Leader for 10 years for 20 girls from Nameoki Grade School through Granite City High graduation; training chairwoman for nine years, and two years as Director of Tri City area (Granite City, Madison, Venice, IL) of the River Bluff Council. Her son-in-law, James MacWilliam once told her that he was glad she was so active in scouting. Her daughter, Sandy followed in her footsteps with her own troop in New York. Since moving to Ocala to Oak Run, she and her husband started the

Travel Club developing and providing activities for the residents, as volunteers. They ran the Travel Club for 17 years where she served as Treasurer and Secretary. She was an active member of the Christian Life Assembly of God Church in Ocala. During Shirley's high school years she would like to be remembered as the Representative Girl, her best honor, third in her class scholastically, second attendant to the May Queen, President of the Girls Athletic Association, President of the Home Economics Club and President of Lynx Hi at the local YMCA.

She led a very active life and from the lives she touched throughout her lifetime, Shirley hopes she made each of them happy to have met her.

Memorial Services will be held at Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala, FL on Wednesday, October 31, 2012 at 10 a.m. with Pastor Tom Markham officiating. Committal will follow at Florida National Cemetery at 12 Noon.

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### **DIENHART, JOYCE, 92**

Ocala - Joyce R. Dienhart, 92, died Wednesday, October 24, 2012 at her home.

She had lived in Ocala for over 20 years. She was a beloved mother to her children and loving wife to her husband, Edward W. Dienhart who preceded her in death.

She is survived by her children, Linda Dienhart, Ocala and Robert (Roberta) Dienhart, Marysville, Ohio.

Mrs. Dienhart will be inurned next to her husband at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timber Ridge, Ocala, Florida.

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### **FISCHER II, ANTON, 93**

Maylene, AL - Anton Fischer, II, 93, of Ocala passed away peacefully on October 25, 2012 in Maylene, Alabama in the presence of his family and awoke in Heaven with God.

Born in Monostor, Yugoslavia, son of Anna Schauer and Anton Fischer. He immigrated to America in 1952 with his family. He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Elisabeth of Ocala, FL. His two sons, Anton Fischer, III and his wife (Alice) of Maylene, AL and Gunter Fischer and his wife (Judy) of Ocala, FL; a sister, Barbara Trautweine of Schlehdorf, Germany; his grandchildren, Tina D'Agostino (Lou) of Acworth, GA, Stephanie Fischer of Boulder, CO, Alexis Dempsey (Bobby) of Moody, AL, and Anton Fischer IV of Maylene, AL; and his great grandchildren, Claire and Alex D'Agostino of Acworth, GA, and Faith, Marissa, and Natalie Dempsey of Moody, AL. He was preceded in death by his parents, Anna Schauer Fischer and Anton Fischer; his brother, Frank Fischer of Nürtingen, Germany, and his sister, Anna Viscek of Hollywood, FL.

A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Home, 6241 SW SR# 200, Ocala, FL 34476, (352) 854-2266 on Monday October 29th, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. A Funeral Mass will take place at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW SR# 200 on Tuesday, October 30th, 2012 at 8:30 a.m., burial will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.

To leave condolences:

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**MILLARD, RHEA P., 91**

Franklin, NC - Rhea P. Millard of Tampa and Franklin, N.C., passed away Monday, October 8th, 2012 at the age of 91.

She was predeceased by her beloved husband of 67 years, Wayne Millard, and is survived by her daughters Renee (Russ) Bell, Jane Thompson, and Debbie Millard. She also leaves her grandchildren, Chris Bell, Kellie and Kristie Coppola, and Lee Bentley, her brother, Don Perkins, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services will be held on November 3rd, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Hyde Park Presbyterian Church in Tampa. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Macon County Public Library, 149 Siler Farm Road, Franklin, N.C. 28734, to purchase books in her memory. The family may be contacted at rbell@cfl.rr.com.

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**PRICE, RICHARD H., 70**

Ocklawaha - Richard H. Price, 70, of Ocklawaha, passed away October 23, 2012.

Born in Orlando, FL, he came to this area over 40 years ago. He was a retired property appraiser for Marion County, and was Baptist by faith. Richard enjoyed playing guitar and singing in the family country music band locally. He also enjoyed fishing and camping.

He is survived by his wife, Paula Price; children, Parrish Troy Price and Eleanor "Susie" Williams both of Ocklawaha; brother, Chester Price of Leesburg, FL; sisters, Jackie Curtis of Chino Valley, AZ and Glenda Brown of Ormond Beach, FL; four grandchildren, two great grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

A Memorial service will be held at Little Dove Baptist Church (12005 S.E. Maricamp Rd., Ocala) on Saturday, Nov. 3rd, 2012 at 1 p.m.

A condolence message may be left at:

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**TAYLOR, AMANDA LOURIN**

March 20, 1991- October 9, 2012

Tampa - Amanda Lourin Taylor, a beautiful, brilliant, talented young lady, went home to be with God on October 9th, 2012.

Amanda graduated from Vanguard High School, attended USF and resided in Tampa. She loved all animals, math, science and writing.

She is survived by her mother Anna and stepfather, Jim Carpenter; father, Donald Taylor; fiance' Rob Fuchs; sisters Tiffany Zorotrian (Tony), Dawn Levine, Jacki Taylor; brothers, Matthew Bare (Diane), Jim Carpenter Jr., Shawn Taylor (Yvette); numerous nieces and nephews and multitudes of loving friends.

We will miss her every day  
until we are together again.

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**WALKER, ANNIE FRANCES COLBERT, 94**

Ocala - Annie Frances Colbert Walker died Thursday October 25, 2012 in Ocala, Florida at her

residence.

She was born in Pembroke Pines, FL on June 28, 1918 to Julian Bartow Colbert and Estelle McKinney Colbert. After graduating from Hillsborough High School in 1936, she went on to Florida State College for Women graduating from there in 1940 with a four year degree. After graduating from college she taught 6th grade at Carrollwood Elementary for two years and then became a stewardess for National Airlines for one year. She then met and married John Howard Walker on March 10, 1945 in Tampa, FL.

Mrs. Walker lived in many places during her life, those being Fort Meade, FL, Tampa, FL, Cincinnati, OH and finally in Fernandina Beach, FL, where she was a member of St. Peter's Episcopal Church and the Fernandina Beach Garden Club, Women's Club and National Federation of Republican Women.

She enjoyed sewing, knitting, needlepoint and cross-stitch. She loved flowers and was a flower show judge in Cincinnati. She also loved antiques.

Mrs. Walker was preceded in death by her husband Jack Walker on October 29, 1996.

She is survived by her daughter Judy O' Farrell and husband Mike of Ocala; her brother Jack Colbert and wife Carry of Jacksonville, FL; grandsons Joe O' Farrell, III and wife Alicia and David O'Farrell and wife Allison of Ocala; great-grandchildren Michael O'Farrell, Maggie O'Farrell, Annie Parker O'Farrell and John O'Farrell of Ocala, FL; nephew Bart Colbert and niece Barbara Newell of Jacksonville, FL.

There will be a visitation on Tuesday, October 30, 2012 at 1:00PM with a Funeral at 2:00PM at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL 34471. A private ceremony will follow at Orange Hill Cemetery in Williston, FL.

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#### **BROWN, SHIRLEY MAE HORNBERGER, 86**

Ocala - Shirley Mae Hornberger Brown was born August 10, 1926 in Granite City, IL, one of five daughters of Harry Fritz Hornberger and Ellen Lily Wittenborn.

She married Harold Edward Brown, her husband for 66 years, who predeceased her.

She is survived by her daughter, Sandra Jo MacWilliam (James); one granddaughter, Ellen Jean Ault (Jason); one great granddaughter, Zoe Elizabeth Ault from Tampa, FL; two sisters, Betty Lou Williams who resides in Granite City, IL and Arlene Joyce Laub who resides in Lebanon, IL; and many nieces nephews and their families.

Shirley retired from Granite City School District where she was secretary to the superintendent. In 1986 she moved to Ocala, FL and is remembered for being devoted most of her adult life for service to others. She was affiliated with the Tri City Girl Scout Council, Troop Leader for 10 years for 20 girls from Nameoki Grade School through Granite City High graduation; training chairwoman for nine years, and two years as Director of Tri City area (Granite City, Madison, Venice, IL) of the River Bluff Council. Her son-in-law, James MacWilliam once told her that he was glad she was so active in scouting. Her daughter, Sandy followed in her footsteps with her

own troop in New York. Since moving to Ocala to Oak Run, she and her husband started the Travel Club developing and providing activities for the residents, as volunteers. They ran the Travel Club for 17 years where she served as Treasurer and Secretary. She was an active member of the Christian Life Assembly of God Church in Ocala. During Shirley's high school years she would like to be remembered as the Representative Girl, her best honor, third in her class scholastically, second attendant to the May Queen, President of the Girls Athletic Association, President of the Home Economics Club and President of Lynx Hi at the local YMCA.

She led a very active life and from the lives she touched throughout her lifetime, Shirley hopes she made each of them happy to have met her.

Memorial Services will be held at Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala, FL on Wednesday, October 31, 2012 at 10 a.m. with Pastor Tom Markham officiating. Committal will follow at Florida National Cemetery at 12 Noon.

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### **DIENHART, JOYCE, 92**

Ocala - Joyce R. Dienhart, 92, died Wednesday, October 24, 2012 at her home.

She had lived in Ocala for over 20 years. She was a beloved mother to her children and loving wife to her husband, Edward W. Dienhart who preceded her in death.

She is survived by her children, Linda Dienhart, Ocala and Robert (Roberta) Dienhart, Marysville, Ohio.

Mrs. Dienhart will be inurned next to her husband at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timber Ridge, Ocala, Florida.

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### **FISCHER II, ANTON, 93**

Maylene, AL - Anton Fischer, II, 93, of Ocala passed away peacefully on October 25, 2012 in Maylene, Alabama in the presence of his family and awoke in Heaven with God.

Born in Monostor, Yugoslavia, son of Anna Schauer and Anton Fischer. He immigrated to America in 1952 with his family. He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Elisabeth of Ocala, FL. His two sons, Anton Fischer, III and his wife (Alice) of Maylene, AL and Gunter Fischer and his wife (Judy) of Ocala, FL; a sister, Barbara Trautweine of Schlehdorf, Germany; his grandchildren, Tina D'Agostino (Lou) of Acworth, GA, Stephanie Fischer of Boulder, CO, Alexis Dempsey (Bobby) of Moody, AL, and Anton Fischer IV of Maylene, AL; and his great grandchildren, Claire and Alex D'Agostino of Acworth, GA, and Faith, Marissa, and Natalie Dempsey of Moody, AL. He was preceded in death by his parents, Anna Schauer Fischer and Anton Fischer; his brother, Frank Fischer of Nürtingen, Germany, and his sister, Anna Viscek of Hollywood, FL.

A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Home, 6241 SW SR# 200, Ocala, FL 34476, (352) 854-2266 on Monday October 29th, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. A Funeral Mass will take place at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW SR# 200 on Tuesday, October 30th, 2012 at 8:30 a.m., burial will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.

To leave condolences:

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**MILLARD, RHEA P., 91**

Franklin, NC - Rhea P. Millard of Tampa and Franklin, N.C., passed away Monday, October 8th, 2012 at the age of 91.

She was predeceased by her beloved husband of 67 years, Wayne Millard, and is survived by her daughters Renee (Russ) Bell, Jane Thompson, and Debbie Millard. She also leaves her grandchildren, Chris Bell, Kellie and Kristie Coppola, and Lee Bentley, her brother, Don Perkins, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services will be held on November 3rd, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Hyde Park Presbyterian Church in Tampa. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Macon County Public Library, 149 Siler Farm Road, Franklin, N.C. 28734, to purchase books in her memory. The family may be contacted at [rbell@cfl.rr.com](mailto:rbell@cfl.rr.com).

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**PRICE, RICHARD H., 70**

Ocklawaha - Richard H. Price, 70, of Ocklawaha, passed away October 23, 2012.

Born in Orlando, FL, he came to this area over 40 years ago. He was a retired property appraiser for Marion County, and was Baptist by faith. Richard enjoyed playing guitar and singing in the family country music band locally. He also enjoyed fishing and camping.

He is survived by his wife, Paula Price; children, Parrish Troy Price and Eleanor "Susie" Williams both of Ocklawaha; brother, Chester Price of Leesburg, FL; sisters, Jackie Curtis of Chino Valley, AZ and Glenda Brown of Ormond Beach, FL; four grandchildren, two great grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

A Memorial service will be held at Little Dove Baptist Church (12005 S.E. Maricamp Rd., Ocala) on Saturday, Nov. 3rd, 2012 at 1 p.m.

A condolence message may be left at:

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Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944.

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**QUATES, JAMES LEE, 87**

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He is survived by three brothers: Rev. Henry E. Quates, Richard Quates and Cecil Quates; three sisters: Ruth Benton, Mary Ann Beville and Patricia Denham; and one step-daughter: Victoria Haas.

There will be a memorial service at the First Baptist Church of Salt Springs, 24100 NE Hwy #314 in Salt Springs, FL on Wednesday October 31st at 10AM.

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**TAYLOR, AMANDA LOURIN**

March 20, 1991- October 9, 2012

Tampa - Amanda Lourin Taylor, a beautiful, brilliant, talented young lady, went home to be with God on October 9th, 2012.

Amanda graduated from Vanguard High School, attended USF and resided in Tampa. She loved all animals, math, science and writing.

She is survived by her mother Anna and stepfather, Jim Carpenter; father, Donald Taylor; fiance' Rob Fuchs; sisters Tiffany Zorotrian (Tony), Dawn Levine, Jacki Taylor; brothers, Matthew Bare (Diane), Jim Carpenter Jr., Shawn Taylor (Yvette); numerous nieces and nephews and multitudes of loving friends.

We will miss her every day until we are together again.

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### **WALKER, ANNIE FRANCES COLBERT, 94**

Ocala - Annie Frances Colbert Walker died Thursday October 25, 2012 in Ocala, Florida at her residence.

She was born in Pembroke Pines, FL on June 28, 1918 to Julian Bartow Colbert and Estelle McKinney Colbert. After graduating from Hillsborough High School in 1936, she went on to Florida State College for Women graduating from there in 1940 with a four year degree. After graduating from college she taught 6th grade at Carrolwood Elementary for two years and then became a stewardess for National Airlines for one year. She then met and married John Howard Walker on March 10, 1945 in Tampa, FL.

Mrs. Walker lived in many places during her life, those being Fort Meade, FL, Tampa, FL, Cincinnati, OH and finally in Fernandina Beach, FL, where she was a member of St. Peters Episcopal Church and the Fernandina Beach Garden Club, Women's Club and National Federation of Republican Women.

She enjoyed sewing, knitting, needlepoint and cross-stitch. She loved flowers and was a flower show judge in Cincinnati. She also loved antiques.

Mrs. Walker was preceded in death by her husband Jack Walker on October 29, 1996.

She is survived by her daughter Judy O' Farrell and husband Mike of Ocala; her brother Jack Colbert and wife Carry of Jacksonville, FL; grandsons Joe O' Farrell, III and wife Alicia and David O'Farrell and wife Allison of Ocala; great-grandchildren Michael O'Farrell, Maggie O'Farrell, Annie Parker O'Farrell and John O'Farrell of Ocala, FL; nephew Bart Colbert and niece Barbara Newell of Jacksonville, FL.

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Born in Duluth, Minnesota, he has lived in Marion County for 32 years. He was an Iron Worker in steel construction.

He is survived by his wife of 65 years, Helen Bastie; sons, Steven Bastie, Minnesota; Gary (Roberta) Bastie, St. Petersburg; Wesley (Debra) Bastie, Ocala; and grandson, Gabriel Bastie.

He was a veteran having served in the US Army and will be interred in Florida National Cemetery at a later date.

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Ocala - Joseph Bitsko, 86, died Monday, October 29, 2012.

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He is survived by two sons, John (Sharon Bernstein) Bitsko, Pittsburgh, PA; Jim (Becky) Bitsko, Atlanta, GA; daughter, Joyce (Tom) Monroe, Pittsburgh, PA; six grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; and several nieces and nephews.

Please visit [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) to share condolences with the family.

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### **GRAGG, ELWAYNE A., 65**

Ocala - Elwayne A. Gragg, 65 of Ocala entered into heaven on October 27, 2012.

He was a loving father and husband who will be missed by many. He loved to fish, camp and for several years enjoyed a bowling league at AMC East Lanes in Ocala. As a young man after leaving the Air Force he made Ocala his home. He worked for many years as a machinist for ABB Water Meters in Ocala.

He leaves behind his wife, Susan; daughters, Debbie (Mark) Bradshaw, Leslie (J.R.) Brickey, Michelle (Chris) Hart and six grandchildren.

Please make donations to American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 2680, North Canton, OH 44720. A memorial service will be set at a later date. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, TimberRidge.

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Jerry is survived by his loving wife of 66 years, Millie, of Ocala; daughters, Beverly Antolino and son-in-law Tony of Ocala and Susan Mourar of W. Deptford, NJ; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Jerry and his wife volunteered at Munroe Regional for 17 years and Jerry recently was awarded a Lifetime Achievement Award for 4,000 hours of service. He enjoyed spending time with family and friends. He will always be loved, remembered and greatly missed.

Graveside service will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, November 5, 2012 at the National Cemetery in Bushnell. Please visit:

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You may make a donation to a charity of your choice in memory of Jerry.

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Upon graduating from Jefferson Hospital School of Nursing in Roanoke, Virginia, she entered the U. S. Army Nursing Corps and proudly served with U.S. forces in post World War II Japan. After completion of her military career she was a surgical nurse at Munroe Memorial Hospital in Ocala, Florida.

After her marriage to O.D. "Buddy" Huff, Jr. in 1951, she moved to McIntosh, Florida. In addition to being a loving wife and mother, she enjoyed a highly successful venture operating the family-owned citrus shop on the "top-of-the-hill". Here she enjoyed telling her customers the history of the local citrus industry and the numerous things that made their fruit so unique. Her charm and enthusiasm made for an unforgettable visit enjoyed by many.

Upon her retirement from the citrus business, she returned to Ocala, Florida and enjoyed spending her summers in Blowing Rock, North Carolina where she was a member of the Blowing Rock Country Club.

Ollie was predeceased by her husband O. D. Huff, Jr.

She is survived by her daughter Ollie Diane Huff and family of Charlotte, NC, son, James Edward Huff and family of Vero Beach, Florida, and grandson, Justin Emerson Huff and family and great-granddaughter Isabelle Grace Huff of Palm Beach Gardens, Florida.

The family extends their heartfelt gratitude for the loving care that "Miss Ollie" received from the entire staff at Summit Place of Southpark.

A private graveside service will be held October 31, 2012, at the McIntosh Cemetery.

Arrangements are being handled by Harry & Bryant Company, Charlotte, North Carolina and Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, Florida.

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### **MALSTROM, MARVIN R., 85**

Red Lion, PA - Marvin R. Malstrom, 85, of Red Lion, PA and formerly, of Ocala, FL, passed away Tuesday, October 23, 2012, in Memorial Hospital, York, PA.

He was born April 30, 1927 in Detroit, MI, son of the late Ernest and Hilja (Koskela) Malstrom.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death on October 5, 2012 by his wife of 62 years,

Mary K. Malstrom and was also preceded in death by his sister Hilka Lynady. He was a World War II veteran in the U.S. Navy serving in the Asiatic Pacific. He was a member of Joy Lutheran Church in Ocala, FL. He was a carpenter by trade and a 60 year member of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of American. He is survived by sons, Glenn and his wife, Catherine Malstrom, of Red Lion, PA, Gregg Malstrom of New Orleans, LA; daughter, Gail Diane Scott of Greer, SC; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Services are private at the convenience of the family. Memorial contributions can be made to the American Heart Association . Arrangements Neill Funeral Home, Camp Hill, PA. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 30 to October 31, 2012

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### **TEUTON, HENRIETTA A., 87**

Ocala - Henrietta A. Teuton, 87, passed away October 22, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL. Henrietta was born in Moore Haven, FL to Henry E Randall and Stella De Golyer Randall on January 18th, 1925. Henrietta moved to Ocala in 1940 when she married Harmon M. (Butch) Teuton from Anthony, FL. She was a poet, a painter and always saw the world through the eyes of an artist. She was also known to many as Aunt Henri. Henrietta remains have been cremated and will be buried in a private service next to her husband in the Anthony Cemetery. The family will have a Celebration of Life gathering at Silver River State Park, 1425 NE 58th Ave, Ocala, FL, on November 4, 2012 from 10 am to 4 pm in the large pavilion. This event is open to family and friends. For more information call Shiann at 321-217-9083, Sue at 386-916-1761 or Linda 352-622-7957. Henrietta is preceded in death by her parents, Henry E. Randall and Stella De Golyer Holt; her husband Butch Teuton; her two brothers Carol and Frank Randall; and her son Sherman R. Teuton. Henrietta is survived by her stepmother, Francis Randall of Umatilla, FL; her sister, Mariellen (Mickey) Boles of Silver Springs, FL; brother, Eldon E. (Pete) Randall of Sebastian, FL; sister, Margaret (Marji) Randall Brown of Umatilla, FL; twin daughters, Glinda Sue Eskridge of Interlachen, FL and Linda Lue Mullins of Ocala, FL; son, Henry Teuton of Ocala, FL; and daughter, Shiann Piekarski of Apopka, FL. Henrietta also has 11 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren, 13 great-great grandchildren and more nieces and nephews than she could count.

The family wishes to extend their gratitude to the New Horizon Nursing Home in Ocala for their excellent care in the last years of her life.

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Ocala - Oneda Edwards Drake, 87, formerly of Valdosta, GA, and residing in Ocala, Florida, died on Saturday, October 27, 2012, at the Ocala Regional Medical Center following a period of declining health.

A graveside service is scheduled for 11 a.m. on Saturday, November 3, 2012, at Sunset Hill Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 9:30-10:30 a.m. at the Carson McLane Funeral Home in Valdosta, GA. Carson McLane is serving the Drake family. Condolences to the family may be conveyed online at

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Ocala - Ruth E. Henderson, 89, of Ocala, passed away on Sunday, October 21, 2012, in Ocala. She was born on July 27, 1923, in Fall River, Massachusetts, daughter of the late Herbert and Mary K. (Johnson) Edwards.

Ruth was a veteran of the United States Marine Corps. Her career was that of a laboratory technician and she was employed with the University of Pennsylvania in the New Bolton Veterinary School at Kennet Square, PA. During her career there she was involved with a cancer research project. In 1984, following retirement she moved to Fort Myers, FL, from West Chester, PA, and to Ocala in 1990.

She was also preceded in death by her son, Jay Matter. Ruth is survived by her beloved husband of 38 years, Clayton Henderson of Ocala, and four step-children.

Following cremation, Ruth will be laid to rest at the Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala. Condolences may be expressed to

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**KRAVITZ, STAN (CAREY LEE)**

Ocala - Stan (Carey Lee) Kravitz, 70, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, October 29, 2012 in Ocala, FL.

Born on October 23, 1942 in San Antonio, TX, son of the late Frank and Norma (Wong) Kravitz, he moved here from South Windsor, CT in 2006. He was a U.S. Army veteran and was a Machinist in the Aeronautical field. Stan loved all sports, especially baseball, football and golf. He is survived by his beloved wife of 25 years, Sandi of Ocala and his sisters Sandy Ewing and Kit Hartke, both of Kentucky.

The Funeral Service will be held on Thursday, November 1st at 9:00AM in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with full military honors. Condolences may be made to [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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**MALSTROM, MARVIN R., 85**

Red Lion, PA - Marvin R. Malstrom, 85, of Red Lion, PA and formerly, of Ocala, FL, passed away Tuesday, October 23, 2012, in Memorial Hospital, York, PA.

He was born April 30, 1927 in Detroit, MI, son of the late Ernest and Hilja (Koskela) Malstrom. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death on October 5, 2012 by his wife of 62 years, Mary K. Malstrom and was also preceded in death by his sister Hilka Lynady.

He was a World War II veteran in the U.S. Navy serving in the Asiatic Pacific.

He was a member of Joy Lutheran Church in Ocala, FL. He was a carpenter by trade and a 60 year member of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of American.

He is survived by sons, Glenn and his wife, Catherine Malstrom, of Red Lion, PA, Gregg Malstrom of New Orleans, LA; daughter, Gail Diane Scott of Greer, SC; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Services are private at the convenience of the family.

Memorial contributions can be made to the American Heart Association .

Arrangements Neill Funeral Home, Camp Hill, PA.

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### **PENN, FLORENCE HELEN DUVALL, 97**

Riverview, FL - Florence Helen Duvall Penn, 97, of Riverview, FL, formerly of Ocala, FL, died on October 13, 2012, after a brief illness.

Her sister, Marian Jeanette Laura, of Rockwood, MI; a stepson, Sheldon Penn, of Connecticut, and many nieces and nephews in Michigan and Florida survive her. She was preceded in death by her husband, Marcell Penn; parents, Cletus and Charlotte (Simon) Duvall; and brother, Raymond Duvall.

Florence was a member of the Queen of Peace Legion of Mary. In addition to being the Legion Treasurer, she conducted services for the women at the Marion County jail, the Lowell correction facility for women and the Marion County youth correction facility. She visited and conducted services with many people at TimberRidge Nursing Home, and Emeritus and Quiet Oaks assisted living facilities.

The funeral Mass will be at 8:30 a.m. on Friday, November 2, 2012, at Queen of Peace. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Queen of Peace Food Pantry. Arrangements were handled by Serenity Meadows Funeral Home, Riverview, FL.

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### **REILLY, ALICE, 86**

Ocala - Alice Reilly died Friday, October 26, 2012.

She moved to Ocala from New York in 1992. She worked for Chase Manhattan and Dime Savings Banks in New York. She was a loving wife, mother and doting grandmother. She loved cooking and singing in the choir at First Congregational Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Reilly.

She is survived by her sons, John Reilly, Ocala, Tony Reilly, New York; daughter, Gerilynn Walsh, Interlachen, Florida; grandchildren, T. J., Lynda and Ashley; three great grandchildren and three nieces.

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to share condolences with the family. Memorial contributions may be made to Legacy House, Hospice of Marion County.

Memorial services will be held at 1 p.m., Friday, November 2, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home with Rev. Dr. Blair Stewart officiating. Inurnment will follow at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service on Friday at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timber Ridge Chapel, 9695 S.W. 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481.

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### **ROSMARIN, DONALD, 82**

Bellevue - Donald (Don) Rosmarin, 82, was born in Hamilton, Ohio, on September 20, 1930. He moved to Hialeah, FL, in 1962, then to Bellevue in 1969. This October 9th he celebrated 58 years of marriage to Lois Ernst Rosmarin.

He is also survived by his five children: Sharon, Charles, Joseph, Jeffery, and Lora, 14 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

In Hialeah he was in Civil Air Patrol. He was active in his church at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Bellevue, where he served as lector, choir member and was active in CCD. In the 70's he was scoutmaster for Troop 570. He was a school bus driver for Marion County and worked at 10 - 4 CB Store and Microdyne Corp. He loved farming, raising animals, and hunting with his family.

A Mass of Christian burial will be held at 10 a.m. on Monday, November 5, 2012, at St. Theresa Catholic Church, 11528 SE Highway 301, Bellevue, with burial at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Visitation will be at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Bellevue from 4 - 6 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 4, 2012. Online condolences may be sent at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com).

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### **STOUT, HAZEL FRANCIS, 87**

Summerfield, FL - Hazel Francis (Haner) (Evans) Stout, 87, passed away early Saturday morning October 27, 2012, in the Hospice House in The Villages, Florida.

She was born November 27, 1924, the daughter of Ervin and Irene (Campbell) Haner of Patriot, Ohio.

Hazel began working at Albers Supermarket in 1953 in the dairy department. Over the years, Albers sold to Colonel Stores then to Food World, where Hazel worked as the front end manager and trainer until her retirement in 1985.

Hazel lived in Grove City, Ohio, for over forty years and was a member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Grove City until her retirement. She and Larry moved to Summerfield, Florida, in 1993 and became a member of the St. Paul Catholic Church in Leesburg, Florida. Hazel loved walking five miles every morning. She also enjoyed exercising, golf, tennis, bowling and swimming. Hazel enjoyed traveling and had the opportunity to see many countries and cruises to favorite vacation spots. Hazel, Larry and her little dog Tina traveled throughout the United States, enjoying the wonderful sites and historical cities.

Hazel is preceded in death by her first husband, Ralph B. Evans Jr.; her parents, Ervin and Irene Haner; brothers, Willard, Pearl, and Lawrence Haner; sisters, Florence Hoops and Ida (Halley) Deyo; grandson Anthony Calderone II; and son-in-law, David J. Holt.

Hazel is survived by her loving husband, Larry A. Stout of Delaware, Ohio; daughters, Sandra J. (Evans) Louis Calderone of Westerville, Ohio, and Patricia L. (Evans) Holt of Columbus, Ohio; brother, Benjamin (Merrie) Haner of Upper Arlington, Ohio; granddaughter, Linda R. (Andy)



Stahoviawk, of Columbus, Ohio; grandson, Michael D. Holt of Memphis, Tennessee; great-granddaughter, Erica J. Higgenbotham of Columbus, Ohio. Hazel is also survived by many loving nieces, nephews, sisters-in-law, and friends. We loved you more and will miss you. The family will receive friends on Thursday November 1, 2012 from 4 - 8 p. m. at the Snyder-Rodman Funeral Center, 1510 W. William St., Delaware, where rosary services will be held at 4:00 p.m. Mass of Christian burial will be held on Friday November 2 at 10 a.m. at St. Mary Catholic Church, 82 E. William St., Delaware, with Rev. Fr. James Black officiating. Burial will follow in St. Mary Cemetery, Delaware. The St. Mary Bereavement Committee will then host a reception in the Snyder-Rodman Community Room following the services at graveside. Flowers will be accepted or memorial contributions may be made in Hazel's name to the Alzheimer's Association , 1379 Dublin Road, Columbus, Ohio 43215 or to Cornerstone Hospice, 601 Casa Bella, The Villages, Florida 32162. The Snyder-Rodman Funeral Center is honored to serve the Stout family and memories may be shared and condolences expressed by visiting [www.snyderfuneralhomes.com](http://www.snyderfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 31 to November 1, 2012

**TEUTON, HENRIETTA A., 87**

Ocala - Henrietta A. Teuton, 87, passed away October 22, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL.

Henrietta was born in Moore Haven, FL to Henry E Randall and Stella De Golyer Randall on January 18th, 1925. Henrietta moved to Ocala in 1940 when she married Harmon M. (Butch) Teuton from Anthony, FL. She was a poet, a painter and always saw the world through the eyes of an artist. She was also known to many as Aunt Henri.

Henrietta remains have been cremated and will be buried in a private service next to her husband in the Anthony Cemetery. The family will have a Celebration of Life gathering at Silver River State Park, 1425 NE 58th Ave, Ocala, FL, on November 4, 2012 from 10 am to 4 pm in the large pavilion. This event is open to family and friends. For more information call Shiann at 321-217-9083, Sue at 386-916-1761 or Linda 352-622-7957.

Henrietta is preceded in death by her parents, Henry E. Randall and Stella De Golyer Holt; her husband Butch Teuton; her two brothers Carol and Frank Randall; and her son Sherman R. Teuton.

Henrietta is survived by her stepmother, Francis Randall of Umatilla, FL; her sister, Mariellen (Mickey) Boles of Silver Springs, FL; brother, Eldon E. (Pete) Randall of Sebastian, FL; sister, Margaret (Marji) Randall Brown of Umatilla, FL; twin daughters, Glinda Sue Eskridge of Interlachen, FL and Linda Lue Mullins of Ocala, FL; son, Henry Teuton of Ocala, FL; and daughter, Shiann Piekarski of Apopka, FL. Henrietta also has 11 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren, 13 great-great grandchildren and more nieces and nephews than she could count. The family wishes to extend their gratitude to the New Horizon Nursing Home in Ocala for their excellent care in the last years of her life.

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**BUTSCHER, JANET MARIE, 58**

Snellville, GA - Janet Marie Butscher, 58, died October 21, 2012 in Snellville, GA, after a six-year battle with multiple myeloma. Janet was born October 28, 1953, in Philadelphia, PA, the

fourth child of Dr. William and Ruth Butscher. She moved to Ocala with her family 56 years ago, where she resided for the majority of her life, spending her final year in Conyers, GA. Janet was a retired elementary school teacher, teaching special education and traditional classrooms in Marion County schools for 29 years. She will be remembered for her dedication to her pupils. She is survived by brothers, William(Butch) Butscher, La Verne, CA, James Butscher, Ocala, FL, and Thomas Butscher, Tallahassee, FL; sister, Ruthann Butscher, Douglasville, GA. Memorial services will be held Saturday, November 3, 2012, at 2 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to: Tools 4 Teaching, 1239 NW 4 St, Ocala, FL 34475 or American Cancer Society , PO Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 1 to November 2, 2012

**DAVAN JR., MATTHEW JOSEPH, 69**

Ocala - Matthew Joseph Davan, Jr., 69, passed away on Friday, October 26th, 2012 in Ocala. He was born in Woodside, New York on August 11th, 1943, son of the late Matthew Joseph and Katherine (Riordan) Davan. He was employed with NYNEX (formerly NY telephone) for 37 years. He was a member of Queen of Peace Church in Ocala where he served as a minister to the sick as well as sitting with the sick and disabled to allow family members to conduct necessary business away from home. He was faithful in Adoration, serving in the early morning hours. He was avid fisherman and very involved in several clubs at Oak Run to include the Shooting Club, the Anglers Club, Irish Club, New York Club, and Upstate New York Club. He is survived by his beloved wife, Lillian; his daughter, Theresa and her husband Michael; his son, Matthew III and his wife Michaela; his grandchildren Michael, Megan, Caitlin, Connor, Cristina and Matthew IV; and his siblings, Michael, John, Thomas, Mary, Joseph, Rita, Christopher, and Kathleen. A visitation will be held on Thursday, November 1st, 2012 from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. in the Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala FL 34481. The Mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala on Friday, November 2, 2012 at noon. Condolences may be expressed to [www.Hiers-Baxley.com](http://www.Hiers-Baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 1 to November 2, 2012

**DRAKE, ONEDA EDWARDS, 87**

Ocala - Oneda Edwards Drake, 87, formerly of Valdosta, GA, and residing in Ocala, Florida, died on Saturday, October 27, 2012, at the Ocala Regional Medical Center following a period of declining health. A graveside service is scheduled for 11 a.m. on Saturday, November 3, 2012, at Sunset Hill Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 9:30-10:30 a.m. at the Carson McLane Funeral Home in Valdosta, GA. Carson McLane is serving the Drake family. Condolences to the family may be conveyed online at [www.mclanecares.com](http://www.mclanecares.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 31 to November 1, 2012

**GASTON, FRANK, 57**

Ocala - Frank Gaston, 57, passed away on October 26, 2012 in Ocala. He leaves to cherish his memory his children, Sharon and Anthony Gaston; father, George Gaston Jr.; mother, Della Gaston; sisters, Carolyn Shavis, Karen Murray, Annie Davis, Janice Harvey, and Sharon Gaston (late); brothers, Willie Serchion, Billy Mitchell, and George W. Gaston; and a host of other relatives and friends. The viewing and funeral service was held on October 31, 2012 at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade."

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**HENDERSON, GORDON "SONNY," 80**

Jacksonville - Mr. Gordon "Sonny" Henderson, 80, passed away on Sunday, October 21, 2012, in Jacksonville, FL. He leaves to cherish his memories four daughters: Shirley Huff, Glenda Barrine, Tamara Henderson, Sharon Kitchen; six sons: Lacy Henderson, Nathaniel Henderson, Lorenzo Henderson, Edward Henderson, Gregory Henderson, Victor Henderson, all of Ocala, FL; 29 grandchildren, great -grands, a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Gordon Henderson will be held on Saturday, November 3, 2012, at 11 a.m. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks, Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, November 2, 2012, from 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A wake service will be held on Friday, November 2, 2012, from 6 - 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. Interment: Lincoln Gardens Cemetery. Family and friends are asked to meet at Cunningham Funeral Home, 434 NW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave, Ocala, FL at 10:15 a.m. on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. [www.cunninghamfhocala.com](http://www.cunninghamfhocala.com)

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**HENDERSON, RUTH E., 89**

Ocala - Ruth E. Henderson, 89, of Ocala, passed away on Sunday, October 21, 2012, in Ocala. She was born on July 27, 1923, in Fall River, Massachusetts, daughter of the late Herbert and Mary K. (Johnson) Edwards. Ruth was a veteran of the United States Marine Corps. Her career was that of a laboratory technician and she was employed with the University of Pennsylvania in the New Bolton Veterinary School at Kennet Square, PA. During her career there she was involved with a cancer research project. In 1984, following retirement she moved to Fort Myers, FL, from West Chester, PA, and to Ocala in 1990. She was also preceded in death by her son, Jay Matter. Ruth is survived by her beloved husband of 38 years, Clayton Henderson of Ocala, and four step-children. Following cremation, Ruth will be laid to rest at the Florida National Cemetery. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala. Condolences may be expressed to [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 31 to November 1, 2012

**KRAVITZ, STAN (CAREY LEE)**

Ocala - Stan (Carey Lee) Kravitz, 70, of Ocala, passed away on Monday, October 29, 2012 in Ocala, FL. Born on October 23, 1942 in San Antonio, TX, son of the late Frank and Norma (Wong) Kravitz, he moved here from South Windsor, CT in 2006. He was a U.S. Army veteran and was a Machinist in the Aeronautical field. Stan loved all sports, especially baseball, football and golf. He is survived by his beloved wife of 25 years, Sandi of Ocala and his sisters Sandy Ewing and Kit Hartke, both of Kentucky. The Funeral Service will be held on Thursday, November 1st at 9:00AM in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with full military honors. Condolences may be made to [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 31 to November 1, 2012

**MAYES, NANCY CARROLL, 76**

Ocala - Nancy Mayes passed away at home on October 28, 2012. Born in Charlotte, North Carolina, she moved to Ocala from Miami 20 years ago. She was a homemaker.

She is survived by her husband, John Mayes; sons, Charles (Julia) Gordon; Jamie (Shari) Daniels; Tony (Remy) Kunkel; Larry Henshaw, Jr.; daughter, Mary Kunkel; brothers, James Kerr, Jr., and Robert Kerr; eight stepbrothers and sisters, 11 grandchildren, and 16 great-grandchildren. Funeral Service will be 2 p.m., Friday, November 2nd, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, with Chaplain Wayne Hunter officiating. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 1 to November 2, 2012

**McINTOSH, DORETHA, 87**

Ocala - Doretha McIntosh, 87, passed away in Ocala on October 30, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory her children, Claretta Jones, Brenda Nelson, Jacqueline (Jacky) Parramore, LaMerrell Bennett and Leroy McIntosh; sister, Willie Mae Smith; stepsisters, Virginia Anglin and Leola Rolley; adopted sisters, Arabella Leeks and Ruby Williams, and a host of other relatives and friends. Visitation will be held on Friday at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10 am - 7 pm. Funeral service will be held on Saturday, November 3, 2012 at 10 am at the Progressive Union Baptist Church, Derrell Redding, Pastor and Izell James, Eulogist. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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**NIGRO, SR., ROBERT ANTHONY, 52**

Dunnellon - Robert Anthony Nigro, Sr. passed away on October 26, 2012. Born in Schenectady, NY, he moved to Dunnellon from Hollywood, FL, seven years ago after retiring from the City Of Miami Solid Waste Department. He is survived by his son Robert Nigro Jr., and daughter, Nicole Nigro both of Dunnellon; three grandsons, Christian; Jeremiah II; and Gabriel; father, Anthony Louis Nigro, Latrobe, PA; five brothers and five sisters; and many nieces and nephews. Memorial Service will be on Friday, November 2nd at 5 p.m. at Grand View Church, 12401 SW Hwy 484, Dunnellon.

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**PENN, FLORENCE HELEN DUVALL, 97**

Riverview, FL - Florence Helen Duvall Penn, 97, of Riverview, FL, formerly of Ocala, FL, died on October 13, 2012, after a brief illness. Her sister, Marian Jeanette Laura, of Rockwood, MI; a stepson, Sheldon Penn, of Connecticut, and many nieces and nephews in Michigan and Florida survive her. She was preceded in death by her husband, Marcell Penn; parents, Cletus and Charlotte (Simon) Duvall; and brother, Raymond Duvall. Florence was a member of the Queen of Peace Legion of Mary. In addition to being the Legion Treasurer, she conducted services for the women at the Marion County jail, the Lowell correction facility for women and the Marion County youth correction facility. She visited and conducted services with many people at TimberRidge Nursing Home, and Emeritus and Quiet Oaks assisted living facilities. The funeral Mass will be at 8:30 a.m. on Friday, November 2, 2012, at Queen of Peace. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Queen of Peace Food Pantry. Arrangements were handled by Serenity Meadows Funeral Home, Riverview, Fl. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 31 to November 1, 2012

**REILLY, ALICE, 86**

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1992. She worked for Chase Manhattan and Dime Savings Banks in New York. She was a loving wife, mother and doting grandmother. She loved cooking and singing in the choir at First Congregational Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Reilly. She is survived by her sons, John Reilly, Ocala, Tony Reilly, New York; daughter, Gerilynn Walsh, Interlachen, Florida; grandchildren, T. J., Lynda and Ashley; three great grandchildren and three nieces. Please visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) to share condolences with the family. Memorial contributions may be made to Legacy House, Hospice of Marion County. Memorial services will be held at 1 p.m., Friday, November 2, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home with Rev. Dr. Blair Stewart officiating. Inurnment will follow at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service on Friday at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timber Ridge Chapel, 9695 S.W. 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 31 to November 1, 2012

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### **STOKES, MARGAREE ELIZABETH, 91**

Tampa - Margaree Elizabeth Stokes, 91, passed away peacefully and pain free October 30, 2012. She was born February 3, 1921 in Batesburg, SC to the late Loreeta and Roland Howard and spent most of her life in Tampa and Dunnellon. Preceding her in death was her husband, Henry Lewis Stokes. Surviving are her daughter Charlotte (WL), sons Jim (Bobbie Ann) and Gene and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great grandchildren. She is also survived by two brothers, David Howard and Floyd Howard. During her lifetime, Margaree worked as a bookkeeper and church secretary/treasurer as well as a fulltime wife and mother. She also did volunteer work serving in many roles in her church and then later in life found ways to serve in other organizations. Margaree will be remembered as a woman who lived life her way taking her down many different roads. A graveside service for family will take place on Friday, November 2nd, 2012 at 12:30 p.m. at Garden of Memories in Tampa. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 1 to November 2, 2012

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Summerfield, FL - Hazel Francis (Haner) (Evans) Stout, 87, passed away early Saturday morning October 27, 2012, in the Hospice House in The Villages, Florida. She was born November 27, 1924, the daughter of Ervin and Irene (Campbell) Haner of Patriot, Ohio. Hazel

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, November 2, 2012**

#### **BUTSCHER, JANET MARIE, 58**

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Ocala - Frank Gaston, 57, passed away on October 26, 2012 in Ocala. He leaves to cherish his memory his children, Sharon and Anthony Gaston; father, George Gaston Jr.; mother, Della Gaston; sisters, Carolyn Shavis, Karen Murray, Annie Davis, Janice Harvey, and Sharon Gaston (late); brothers, Willie Serchion, Billy Mitchell, and George W. Gaston; and a host of other relatives and friends. The viewing and funeral service was held on October 31, 2012 at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade." Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 1 to November 2, 2012

**HENDERSON, GORDON "SONNY," 80**

Jacksonville - Mr. Gordon "Sonny" Henderson, 80, passed away on Sunday, October 21, 2012, in Jacksonville, FL. He leaves to cherish his memories four daughters: Shirley Huff, Glenda Barrine, Tamara Henderson, Sharon Kitchen; six sons: Lacy Henderson, Nathaniel Henderson, Lorenzo Henderson, Edward Henderson, Gregory Henderson, Victor Henderson, all of Ocala, FL; 29 grandchildren, great -grands, a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Gordon Henderson will be held on Saturday, November 3, 2012, at 11 a.m. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks, Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, November 2, 2012, from 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A wake service will be held on Friday, November 2, 2012, from 6 - 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. Interment: Lincoln Gardens Cemetery. Family and friends are asked to meet at Cunningham Funeral Home, 434 NW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave, Ocala, FL at 10:15 a.m. on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. [www.cunninghamfhocala.com](http://www.cunninghamfhocala.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 1 to November 2, 2012

**MAYES, NANCY CARROLL, 76**

Ocala - Nancy Mayes passed away at home on October 28, 2012. Born in Charlotte, North

Carolina, she moved to Ocala from Miami 20 years ago. She was a homemaker. She is survived by her husband, John Mayes; sons, Charles (Julia) Gordon; Jamie (Shari) Daniels; Tony (Remy) Kunkel; Larry Henshaw, Jr.; daughter, Mary Kunkel; brothers, James Kerr, Jr., and Robert Kerr; eight stepbrothers and sisters, 11 grandchildren, and 16 great-grandchildren. Funeral Service will be 2 p.m., Friday, November 2nd, 2012 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, with Chaplain Wayne Hunter officiating. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 1 to November 2, 2012

**McINTOSH, DORETHA, 87**

Ocala - Doretha McIntosh, 87, passed away in Ocala on October 30, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory her children, Claretta Jones, Brenda Nelson, Jacqueline (Jacky) Parramore, LaMerrell Bennett and Leroy McIntosh; sister, Willie Mae Smith; stepsisters, Virginia Anglin and Leola Rolley; adopted sisters, Arabella Leeks and Ruby Williams, and a host of other relatives and friends. Visitation will be held on Friday at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10 am - 7 pm. Funeral service will be held on Saturday, November 3, 2012 at 10 am at the Progressive Union Baptist Church, Derrell Redding, Pastor and Izell James, Eulogist. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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**NIGRO, SR., ROBERT ANTHONY, 52**

Dunnellon - Robert Anthony Nigro, Sr. passed away on October 26, 2012. Born in Schenectady, NY, he moved to Dunnellon from Hollywood, FL, seven years ago after retiring from the City Of Miami Solid Waste Department. He is survived by his son Robert Nigro Jr., and daughter, Nicole Nigro both of Dunnellon; three grandsons, Christian; Jeremiah II; and Gabriel; father, Anthony Louis Nigro, Latrobe, PA; five brothers and five sisters; and many nieces and nephews. Memorial Service will be on Friday, November 2nd at 5 p.m. at Grand View Church, 12401 SW Hwy 484, Dunnellon.

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**ROSMARIN, DONALD, 82**

Bellevue - Donald (Don) Rosmarin, 82, was born in Hamilton, Ohio, on September 20, 1930. He moved to Hialeah, FL, in 1962, then to Bellevue in 1969. This October 9th he celebrated 58 years of marriage to Lois Ernst Rosmarin. He is also survived by his five children: Sharon, Charles, Joseph, Jeffery, and Lora, 14 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. In Hialeah he was in Civil Air Patrol. He was active in his church at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Bellevue, where he served as lector, choir member and was active in CCD. In the 70's he was scoutmaster for Troop 570. He was a school bus driver for Marion County and worked at 10 - 4 CB Store and Microdyne Corp. He loved farming, raising animals, and hunting with his family. A Mass of christian burial will be held at 10 a.m. on Monday, November 5, 2012, at St. Theresa Catholic Church, 11528 SE Highway 301, Bellevue, with burial at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Visitation will be at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Bellevue from 4 - 6 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 4, 2012. Online condolences may be sent at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from October 31 to November 2, 2012

**STOKES, MARGAREE ELIZABETH, 91**



Tampa - Margaree Elizabeth Stokes, 91, passed away peacefully and pain free October 30, 2012. She was born February 3, 1921 in Batesburg, SC to the late Loreeta and Roland Howard and spent most of her life in Tampa and Dunnellon. Preceding her in death was her husband, Henry Lewis Stokes. Surviving are her daughter Charlotte (WL), sons Jim (Bobbie Ann) and Gene and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great grandchildren. She is also survived by two brothers, David Howard and Floyd Howard. During her lifetime, Margaree worked as a bookkeeper and church secretary/treasurer as well as a fulltime wife and mother. She also did volunteer work serving in many roles in her church and then later in life found ways to serve in other organizations. Margaree will be remembered as a woman who lived life her way taking her down many different roads. A graveside service for family will take place on Friday, November 2nd, 2012 at 12:30 p.m. at Garden of Memories in Tampa. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 1 to November 2, 2012

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, November 3, 2012**

#### **GUIDO, MATILDA "TILLIE" MOSCA, 96**

Longwood, FL - Matilda "Tillie" Basilio Mosca Guido, 96, of Ocala, FL, formerly of Rome, NY, passed away Wednesday, Oct. 31, 2012, in Longwood, FL. She was born in Rome, Italy, on January 28, 1916, daughter of the late Joseph and Mary Picciano Basilio. Tillie married Frank Mosca in 1934. He passed away in 1978. She later married Dominick A. Guido in January, 1982. Mrs. Guido was a member of Blessed Trinity Church in Florida and in Rome, NY, was a member of St. John the Baptist Church. She was an avid bowler in Rome and Florida. Surviving besides her husband, Dominick, Ocala, FL, are three sons and two daughters-in-law, Arthur Mosca, Rome; Michael and Shirley Mosca, FL; Robert and Debra Mosca, Clinton; two daughters, Maryanne Peck, Rome; Marie and her husband, Dave Helmick, Culpepper, VA; a step-son and his wife, David and Nancy Guido, PA; a step-daughter and her husband, Joan and James Perry, Longwood, FL. Also surviving are four brothers and two sisters-in-law, Armando Basilio, Canastota; Carmen and Josie Basilio, Rochester, NY; Paul and Jean Basilio, Canastota; Joseph Basilio, Canastota; a sister, Dolores Mussacchio, Texas; 15 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandchild, three step grandchildren, five step great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a daughter, Patricia Larder; a son, Frank Mosca; two grandsons, Jason Mosca and David Peck; a daughter-in-law, Elaine Mosca; a son-in-law, David Peck and sisters, Nellie Backus, Jessie DeSteffen, Lucy Cesarini and Anna Baxter. Funeral services will be held on Monday at 9:15 a.m. from the Nicholas J. Bush Funeral Home, Inc., 218 W. Court St., Rome, NY, and at St. John the Baptist Church at 10:00 a.m. for a Mass of Christian Burial with the Rev. Paul F. Angelicchio officiating. Burial will be in St. John the Baptist Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Sunday from 2-5 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Rome Catholic High School Jason Mosca Memorial Fund, 800 Cypress St., Rome, NY 13440. To offer online condolences, please go to [www.njbushfuneralhome.com](http://www.njbushfuneralhome.com)

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#### **STRICKLAND, HELEN L., 83**

Ocala- Helen passed away September 27th 2012. She was a lifelong resident of Florida, born in Hypoluxo, FL., on February 9, 1929. She was involved in the Ostomy Support Group of Ocala/Marion County for many years. She was preceded in death by her husband Newton L

Strickland, Sr., in August 2010. Survivors include her son, Lee Strickland, Belleview; daughter, Judy Davis, Ocala; grandchildren, Jessica Strickland, Belleview; Scott Davis, Ocala; Chad Davis (Jessica), Ocala; great-grandchildren, Taelor Davis, Ocala; Austin Davis, Summerfield and Amanda Davis, Michigan. A private celebration of her life will be held at a later date. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 3 to November 4, 2012

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, November 4, 2012**

#### **FINEOUT, DONALD CLARENCE, 74**

Dunnellon, FL - Donald "Don" Clarence Fineout, 74, passed away on October 18, 2012 at his home. Don was born August 17, 1938, to Beryl and Clarence Fineout in Sterling, NY. He lived in Mass. and N.H., then Fla. since 1981. He owned Nova, a wholesale florist. As a member of the Kiwanis Club of Dunnellon since 1983, he served as Fla. governor, lt. governor, Foundation trustee and president, Club president, and held ten district chairmanships. Don was predeceased by his wife, Ada, and is survived by three sons, Darryl C. Fineout of Oneonta, NY, David C. Fineout of Staunton, VA, and Jason Gagon (Tammy) of Exeter, NH; a sister, Dottie Fineout of Sydney, Australia and a brother, Gary Fineout of Tampa, FL; nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held November 5, 2012 at 1 p.m. at the First UM Church of Dunnellon. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the First UM Church of Dunnellon or to the FL Kiwanis Foundation. Published in Ocala Star-Banner on November 4, 2012

#### **GUIDO, MATILDA "TILLIE" MOSCA, 96**

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online condolences, please go to [www.njbushfuneralhome.com](http://www.njbushfuneralhome.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 3 to November 4, 2012

### **HUDSON, JOHN W., III**

Citra - John W. Hudson, III, age 69, of Citra, FL passed away on Wednesday, October 31, 2012. He was born and raised in New Jersey. At age 45 he moved to Punta Gorda, FL. He loved to spend time with his horses and could never get enough time fishing. He was a farrier for 35 years and moved to the Ocala area in 1997. He will be missed by many friends and family. In 1958-59 he was the National Champion in speed roller-skating. He was an avid snow skier and traveled to many locations years ago. He was a veteran of the Navy. He leaves behind his wife Karen L. Hudson of Citra, FL; niece Nancy Stutsman of New Jersey; and his nephew Mark Veinot of New Jersey. Published in Ocala Star-Banner on November 4, 2012

### **HUNTER, CECELIA W.**

Cecelia W. Hunter, (formerly Cecelia Middleton), 93, of Rainbow Springs, Dunnellon, FL, passed away on Monday, October 29, 2012 at MRMC in Ocala. She was born on January 21, 1919 in New York City. Cecelia grew up and lived in Greenwich, CT where she enjoyed horseback riding, and sailing at Indian Harbor Yacht Club. She married William H. Middleton in 1942. He served in the Second Infantry Division for three years in Europe where he served as a forward artillery officer. Cecelia is survived by her five children: Marily-Anne; William; John; Patricia; Elaine, plus seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. The family settled in Lake Forest, IL in 1960 where the children grew up. Cecelia was a member of The Church of the Holy Spirit in L.F., and was an avid golfer, gardener and sailor. At the age of 50 she took up riding again. In 1973, her first husband, William Middleton unexpectedly died. After a period of grieving, Tiny was blessed to find Thomas Hunter, Jr., a recent widower, while on a cruise. They found mutual interests, married, and had the most marvelous 14 years together. It was while married to Tom that Tiny renewed her interests in competitive horse showing. She competed nationally in Dressage and Hunter Classes and was a well-known equestrian at AHSA horseshows on the East Coast because of her age and accomplishments. In 1995, at the age of 74, she and her horse, "Tiny's Time", won the 1st Year Green Working Hunter Championship at the National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden in New York City, one of over 100 ribbons and trophies in her collection. Cecelia and Tom traveled extensively until his passing. Cecelia moved to Rainbow Springs in 2009 to enjoy the Florida weather. She was petite, (hence her nickname "Tiny") energetic, interested in everyone she met and enjoyed an active, wonderful, full life. A memorial service is scheduled for 5:00 pm Tuesday, November 6, 2012 at the Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon with visitation scheduled 4:00 to 5:00 pm. She will be inurned in the Family mausoleum at Rivers Bend Cemetery, Westerly, Rhode Island later this fall. Online condolences may be offered at [robertsofdunnellon.com](http://robertsofdunnellon.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner on November 4, 2012

### **MARINUCCI, ANTHONY, JR.**

Ocala - Anthony Marinucci, Jr., 51, died Wednesday, October 31, 2012. He was born in Highland, New York and moved to Ocala in 1989. He was an avid Washington Redskins Football Fan, he enjoyed riding his Harley-Davidson motorcycle, listening to music, fishing and playing guitar with his Dad, karaoke; most importantly, he cherished the time spent with his daughter, Maria Rosalie and his companion Noeline and his family and friends. Funeral services

are scheduled for 11:00 am Tuesday, November 6, 2012 at The Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon, FL with Dr. Alan Holden officiating. Burial will follow in the Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. Visitation will be from 10:00 to 11:00 am at the funeral home. Survivors include his daughter: Maria Rosalie Marinucci, Ocala; Parents: Anthony, Sr. and Rosalie Marinucci, Ocala; Sister: Debra (Sal) Marinucci, Highland, NY; Brother: Paul Marinucci, Ocala; Step-Brother: James (Shannon) Johnson, Dunnellon; Aunt and Uncle: Margaret and Ernie Schaffert, Ocala; and several aunts, uncles and many cousins from New York. Anthony was predeceased by his wife Patricia in 2008. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to the College Fund for Maria Rosalie Marinucci, 17400 SW 17th Circle, Ocala, FL 34473. Online condolences may be offered at robertsofdunnellon. Com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner on November 4, 2012

**O'NEAL, WILLIAM ROBINSON, 60**

Cumming, GA - William Robinson "Robin" O'Neal, 60, lost his battle with cancer October 26, 2012. He graduated in 1970 from Ocala High School. He leaves behind his children, Tisha O'Neal of CA.; Kathryn Ivanovic (Dan) and Adam O'Neal, all of Ocala; brother, Glenn Smith (Susan) of Ocala; sister, Mary Alice Brown (Dean) of Georgia; three nieces and one nephew; and his aunt, Lee Fisher Cristy of Charleston, SC. He will be greatly missed. The family will be announcing a Memorial Service at a later date. Published in Ocala Star-Banner on November 4, 2012

**SABO, JONATHAN, 44**

Ocala - Jonathan Sabo, of Ocala, passed away in his home on October 28, 2012, at the age of 44. Jonathan was kind and loving and will be greatly missed. He had many interests and was very talented in arts and technology. He loved music and nature. He is now sleeping until Jesus returns. Jonathan is survived by his parents, Joseph and Zlata Sabo of Ocala; grandmother, Nada Ciric of Slovenia; four uncles, two aunts, twelve cousins and seven second cousins. Memorial service celebrating Jonathan's life will be held on November 7, at 2 p.m. at the Belleview Seventh-day Adventist Church, 5051 S.E. 112 Street Road, Belleview. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Jonathan's name to Brain Research Foundation, 111 W. Washington St. Suite 1710, Chicago, Il 60602. Arrangements By Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala FL. 352-622-4141. Published in Ocala Star-Banner on November 4, 2012

**SEAVEY, GEORGE WILLIAM, 75**

Dunnellon - George William Seavey, age 75, of Dunnellon, FL passed away on Wednesday, October 31, 2012. He was born October 26, 1937 and was married to his beautiful devoted wife Alicia for 51 years. He is survived by his children, Wallie Seavey, of Tucson, AZ, Christina Seavey, of Dunnellon, FL and Lynda Jackson-Taylor (Andy), of Montgomery, AL, 12 grandchildren, Maya Pittman, Christopher Hancock, Sara Hancock, Mary Alice Hancock, Alesia Beavers, Andrew Taylor, Nolan Jackson, Shawn Goolsby, Alicia Ruth Jackson, Matthew Taylor, Melody Taylor and Sophia Taylor, and six great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, all of Maine. He graduated from Calais Memorial High School '55 and enlisted in the USAF at the age of 17, retiring after 33 year of honorable service. He then worked for the Dunnellon Post Office for 16 years. He was actively involved in St. John The Baptist Catholic Church. He was a lifetime member of the VFW, ELKS, American Legion and a forth degree Knights of Columbus. The funeral service will be held at 2pm on Monday, November 5th, 2012 at St. John The Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon, FL with Fr. Kevin Mac Gabhann

officiating the service. Repast to follow in church hall. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Home 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL 34432. Condolences may be left at: RobertsofDunnellon.com. Family suggests memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474. Published in Ocala Star-Banner on November 4, 2012

**SMITH, SHAREN C., 69**

Ocklawaha - Sharen C. Smith, 69 of Ocklawaha entered into heaven on October 25, 2012. Originally from the Ft. Lauderdale area as a young women in 1979 she moved to the Ocklawaha area along with her children. She made every moment on this earth count and everyone felt her presence wherever she was. She will be missed by many family and friends. She leaves behind her husband Robert A. Smith; daughters, Sheryl, Karen, Katherine; two grandkids, Sharlene and Charles. A celebration of her life will be held at 2:00 PM Saturday, November 10th, 2012 at her home in Ocklawaha. Published in Ocala Star-Banner on November 4, 2012

**STRICKLAND, HELEN L., 83**

Ocala- Helen passed away September 27th 2012. She was a lifelong resident of Florida, born in Hypoluxo, FL., on February 9, 1929. She was involved in the Ostomy Support Group of Ocala/Marion County for many years. She was preceded in death by her husband Newton L Strickland, Sr., in August 2010. Survivors include her son, Lee Strickland, Belleview; daughter, Judy Davis, Ocala; grandchildren, Jessica Strickland, Belleview; Scott Davis, Ocala; Chad Davis (Jessica), Ocala; great-grandchildren, Taelor Davis, Ocala; Austin Davis, Summerfield and Amanda Davis, Michigan. A private celebration of her life will be held at a later date. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 3 to November 4, 2012

**WALDRON, JAMES H., 55**

Orange Springs - Jimmy Waldron, age 55, passed away on October 26, 2012. Born in Plant City, he moved to Marion County in 1962 where he has lived most all his life. He worked in the logging industry operating heavy equipment. Preceded in death by his father, Dale "Papa Skeeter" Waldron, he is survived by his mother, Ollie Mae Waldron, Orange Springs; brothers: Mike (Gail) Waldron, Johnny (Clover) Waldron; sisters: Patty (Rick) Benner, and Cindy (George) Henry; nieces and nephews: Michael (Holly) Waldron, Tonya (William) Forrest, Kassi Waldron and Jason Wunner, Zachary Henry, Ricci Benner, Marlee Henry, Wyatt Benner, Brittany Waldron, and Crystal Waldron; six great-nieces and nephews: Easton Waldron, Jaycee Wunner, Paislee Waldron, Emalynn Forrest, Rylee Wunner, and Carter James Henry. Memorial service will be at his home in Orange Springs on November 10th at 2:00PM. Published in Ocala Star-Banner on November 4, 2012

**ZARCONE, PETER J., 84**

Ocklawaha - Peter J. Zarcone Sr., 84, of Ocklawaha, passed away on Wednesday, October 31, 2012, at Tuscany House, Summerfield. Peter was born in Danbury, CT, on December 26, 1927, and moved to the Ocala area with his family in 1997. He was a World War II veteran in the U.S. Navy and owned a Mom and Pop convenience store. He was a life member of VFW Post 4493, Candler, and American Legion Post 347, Lady Lake, FL. He leaves behind his wife of 62 years, Irma; three sons, Peter Jr. of Ocala, Christopher of Kalispell, Montana, David of Summerfield; three daughters, Nancy Greaves and Sandra Zarcone, both in Ocklawaha, and Delores "Lori"

Gutierrez of Loxahatchee, FL; 12 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. A Mass will be at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 6, 2012, at St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview. The family will greet everyone one hour prior. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Details and guestbook at [www. VeteransFuneralCare.com](http://www.VeteransFuneralCare.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner on November 4, 2012

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, November 5, 2012**

*(No obituaries were printed in the Star-Banner for November 5, 2012)*

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, November 6, 2012**

#### **BRYANT, HAZEL ELIZABETH, 78**

Ft. McCoy - Hazel Elizabeth Bryant, 78, of Ft. McCoy, born in White Mills, PA., March 5, 1934 died October 26, 2012, and survived by her loving husband of 39 years, Harvey G. Bryant. She was a homemaker who enjoyed going to garage sales and staying home with Harvey and Buster, her faithful dog. Survived by her three children, David Bolan (Sheila), Dennis (Michelle), and Debbie Lopez (Darryl); two brothers, Wayne and Rufus Smith; one sister Joan; with six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, financial donations will be appreciated. Services will be held Wednesday, November 7th, 2012 at 11 a.m., First Baptist Church, Ft. McCoy. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 6 to November 7, 2012

#### **HILLIARD, GAYLE PARRAMORE, 67**

Cherryville, NC - Gayle Bernadette Parramore Hilliard, 67, of Cherryville, NC died October 30, 2012 at Hospice at Wendover. Gayle was born March 18, 1945 in Ocala, FL., a daughter of the late George Benson and Hazel Eilene Flanagan Parramore. She was a retired night auditor at various Asheville area hotels. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a brother, Ned Parramore and a sister, Charlene Dino of Ocala.

Survivors include two sons, Ken Hilliard of Miami, FL. and Tim Hilliard of Cowpens, SC; one grandchild; six great grandchildren; a brother, Ben Parramore and wife Joann of Ocala, FL.; two sisters, Betty Hilliard and husband Wesley of Cherryville and Charlene Dino of Ocala, FL. A Memorial service was held Saturday, November 3, 2012 at Carpenter's Funeral Home with Pastor Arrowood officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Ocala, FL., at a later date. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Cleveland County, 951 Wendover Heights Dr., Shelby, NC 28150. Condolences may be made to: [www. carpentersfuneralhome.net](http://www.carpentersfuneralhome.net) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 6 to November 7, 2012

#### **WILKERSON, BILLY, 83**

Ocala - Billy Wilkerson, 83 ,of Ocala, FL. passed away suddenly on Saturday, November 3, 2012. Billy was born in Chiefland, FL., and was a lifelong resident of the Ocala area and a retired Electrician and worked for DNR- Roebuck and Gibson Electric. Billy was an U.S. Army veteran and of the Protestant Faith. He enjoyed fishing but most of all spending time with his grandsons. He is preceded in death by his wife Ursula Wilkerson. Billy is survived by his daughter, Mona Colvin and her husband Daniel of Micanopy, FL.; son, James Wilkerson of Hallandale, FL.; sister, Lottie Hanson of Ocala, FL.; two grandsons, Travis Melvin and Tyler Melvin both of Ocala, FL.; two nieces, Deborah William of Hawthorne, FL. and Lynn Moody of

Sparr, FL. The family will be having a gathering at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel on Thursday, November 8, 2012 from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. all are welcome to attend and share with the family. The funeral services celebrating Billy's life will begin at 10 a.m. with the burial to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. 352-622-4141. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 6 to November 7, 2012

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#### **DOVE SR., EDDIE, 69**

Weirsdale - Eddie Dove, Sr., of Weirsdale was born in Mc Bean, Georgia on March 27, 1943 to the late Gertrude Allen. He was called home to be with the Lord on November 1, 2012. Barbara and Eddie were married on February 16, 1994. He leaves to cherish his memory a loving and devoted wife, Barbara Jean Dove; six sons, Clifford (April) Anthony, of Tennessee, Eddie Dove, Jr., of Florida, Willie Dove Sr., of Nebraska, Steven Dove, of Florida, Boris Robinson (deceased), Christian Mack, of Florida, and Tristan Mack, of Florida; four daughters, Barbara Dove (Elvin Bo), of Florida, Victoria, of Florida, Heidi, of Florida, and Tamara, of Florida; twelve grandchildren, Kentorius, Elvin IV, Malik, Skye, Adarius, Isreal, Ivy, London, Willie, Savanna, Cody and Cory; two sisters, Helen Wimberly, Okeechobee, FL, Amelia Bailey, Orlando, FL, and Juanita Reeves (deceased); two brothers, Harley Futch, of North Carolina, and Henry Futch, Jr., of North Carolina, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts, uncles and sorrowing friends. Public viewing will be held from 6 - 8 p.m., Thursday, November 8, 2012, at New Hope AME Church, 14729 Southeast 73rd Avenue, Summerfield, FL. Homegoing Celebration will be held 10 a.m., Saturday, November 10, 2012 at Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, 2701 SE 73rd St, Ocala, FL. Final arrangements entrusted to Rocker-Cusack Mortuary, Leesburg, FL. (352)435-9326. [www.rockercusackmortuary.com](http://www.rockercusackmortuary.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 7 to November 8, 2012

#### **FLOOD, HELEN S., 86**

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on Friday, November 9, 2012 at 2 p.m. The procession will leave the parking lot of Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel, 9695 SW 110th St, Ocala for the cemetery at 1 p.m.. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the Salvation Army. Condolences may be given to . Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 7 to November 8, 2012

**HILLIARD, GAYLE PARRAMORE, 67**

Cherryville, NC - Gayle Bernadette Parramore Hilliard, 67, of Cherryville, NC died October 30, 2012 at Hospice at Wendover. Gayle was born March 18, 1945 in Ocala, FL., a daughter of the late George Benson and Hazel Eilene Flanagan Parramore. She was a retired night auditor at various Asheville area hotels. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a brother, Ned Parramore and a sister, Charlene Dino of Ocala.

Survivors include two sons, Ken Hilliard of Miami, FL. and Tim Hilliard of Cowpens, SC; one grandchild; six great grandchildren; a brother, Ben Parramore and wife Joann of Ocala, FL.; two sisters, Betty Hilliard and husband Wesley of Cherryville and Charlene Dino of Ocala, FL. A Memorial service was held Saturday, November 3, 2012 at Carpenter's Funeral Home with Pastor Arrowood officiating. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery, Ocala, FL., at a later date. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Cleveland County, 951 Wendover Heights Dr., Shelby, NC 28150. Condolences may be made to: [www.carpentersfuneralhome.net](http://www.carpentersfuneralhome.net) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 6 to November 7, 2012

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**WILKERSON, BILLY, 83**

Ocala - Billy Wilkerson, 83 ,of Ocala, FL. passed away suddenly on Saturday, November 3, 2012. Billy was born in Chiefland, FL., and was a lifelong resident of the Ocala area and a retired Electrician and worked for DNR- Roebuck and Gibson Electric. Billy was an U.S. Army veteran and of the Protestant Faith. He enjoyed fishing but most of all spending time with his grandsons. He is preceded in death by his wife Ursula Wilkerson. Billy is survived by his daughter, Mona Colvin and her husband Daniel of Micanopy, FL.; son, James Wilkerson of Hallandale, FL.; sister, Lottie Hanson of Ocala, FL.; two grandsons, Travis Melvin and Tyler Melvin both of Ocala, FL.; two nieces, Deborah William of Hawthorne, FL. and Lynn Moody of Sparr, FL. The family will be having a gathering at the Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel on Thursday, November 8, 2012 from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. all are welcome to attend and

share with the family. The funeral services celebrating Billy's life will begin at 10 a.m. with the burial to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. 352-622-4141. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 6 to November 7, 2012

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#### **CIARALDI, MARIE P., 92**

Worcester, Mass. - Marie P. (Fiorentino) Ciaraldi, 92, of Worcester, and formerly of Ocala, died Monday, November 5, 2012 at the Ichabod Washburn Hospice Residence in Worcester after a short illness. Her husband of 61 years, Henry A. Ciaraldi, died in 2006. She leaves two sons, Michael J. Ciaraldi of Worcester, with whom she lived, and Paul H. Ciaraldi of Toronto, Canada, and several nieces and nephews. Marie was born in Rochester, NY, daughter of Giuseppe and Angelina (Lenni) Ciaraldi. She lived in Rochester until her retirement to Ocala in 1976. She moved to Worcester in 2008. She was a graduate of Benjamin Franklin High School in Rochester. She worked for many years at the Credit Bureau of Rochester. Marie was always involved in her community. She was a longtime Cub Scout Den Mother. She regularly organized church and club activities. She taught classes at community and senior centers. In Worcester, she was pleased to attend many events on the WPI campus. Marie enjoyed many hobbies including cooking, painting, crafting and sewing. A memorial Mass will be held Friday, November 9, 2012 at Noon in Christ the King Church, 1052 Pleasant St., Worcester. Burial will be private. There are no calling hours. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Ichabod Washburn Hospice, 1183 Main St., Worcester, MA 01603. The Athy Memorial Home, 111 Lancaster St., Worcester, is directing arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

#### **DOURA, REV. DR. GEORGES, 62**

Ocala - Rev. Dr. Georges Doura, 62, of Ocala, passed away November 6, 2012. Born in Amayra, Lebanon, he came to this area in 1987 from Richmond Hill, NY. He was a retired medical massage therapist and counselor to many in need. He actively empowered the blind to be viable and mobile through technology and seeking job training opportunities. Through healing and counseling, he helped many with physical and psychological needs. He loved his family and friends who soon became family when they got to know him. He is survived by his wife of 41 years, Marie Louise; daughters, Nadia Hanze and her husband George of Sunnyside, NY and Gladys Fincher and her husband Michael of Chestnut Ridge, NY; son, Derek Van Buren of Montreal, Canada; brother, Richard Guggenheim of NYC, NY; grandchildren, Katrina, David, Daisie Mae, Maxine, Daniel, Amanda, Sabrina and Isis; nephews, Alan, Alex, Jonathan and Lazo; niece, Zoey. He was preceded in death by his brother, Alexander Doura. A Memorial service will be held at Christ Community Church, 37 Dogwood Rd., Ocala, 687-2009 on Saturday November 10th, 2012 at 11 a.m.. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

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**GRIGGS, VERONICA "JO" HART, 93**

Ocala - Jo, as she was known to her friends, went Home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, October 2nd, 2012. Originally from Georgia, Jo taught school, mostly in Florida for 38 years. Her memorial service will be at 10 a.m., November 10th, 2012, at the First Baptist Church. All of her many friends and acquaintances are invited to share in this celebration of this remarkable God-fearing woman and her joy at being with the Lord. Donations in memory of Jo can be made to the First Baptist Church of Ocala Building Fund, 2801 S. E. Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL 34471. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. Ocala, FL. 352-622-4141. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

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**MORROW, GURTRUE, 93**

Ocala - Gurtrue Morrow, 93, passed away Monday, November 5, 2012 at Palm Garden of Ocala. Mrs. Morrow moved to Ocala in 2004 from Arab, Alabama to be near family. She was a member of the Church of God, loved to cook, crochet and enjoyed spending time with her family. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jasper L. Morrow and her daughter, Betty Jo Kelley. She is survived by her granddaughters, Debbie (Sonny) Foster, Ocala, Marlene Larsen, Salt Springs, Florida, Kathy Kelley, Tallahassee, Florida; numerous great grandchildren and nieces and nephews. Please visit [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) to share words of comfort with the family. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th

Ave. Ocala, FL 34474. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m., Sunday, November 11, 2012 at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel with interment to follow in Arab Memorial Cemetery. The family will receive friends Saturday evening, November 10, 2012 from 5-7 p.m. at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel, Arab, Alabama. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

**MOSLEY, WILLIE JAMES**

Gainesville - Willie J. Mosley, 58, passed away Oct. 30, 2012 at his home. A native of Interlachen, FL. He moved to Gainesville, FL. from Ocala, FL 23 years ago. Willie was a U.S. Army Veteran, he was preceded in death by two siblings Alice P. Mosley, and Johnny Mosley. Precious memories will live on in the hearts of: A loving wife Delores Q. Mosley, Gainesville, FL, one son, Corey Mosley, Ft. Lauderdale, FL; four stepchildren, DeAnndra Johnson, Calvin Johnson, Daniel Davis, and Rodney Walker all of Gainesville, FL; two brothers Thomas Mosley, and Henry Mosley both of Ocala, FL.; three sisters Helen Sims, Atlanta, GA., Shirley Drayton, and Betty Mosley Goodwin both of Ocala, FL., one grandchild, and 13 step-grandchildren. Funeral Services for Mr. Mosley will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, Nov. 10, 2012 at Springhill Baptist Church Rev. Adrian S. Taylor, Pastor, Chap-lain Glenn Busby, officiating. Interment will follow in Ever-green Cemetery under the care of Chestnut Funeral Home 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation Fri-day, Chestnut Memorial Chapel 2:00-7:00 PM and on Saturday at the church one hour before the service. The cortege will form at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Mosley at 10:15 AM. "A Chestnut Service" Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

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**SWOVELAND, E. LEWIS (LOUIE), 76**

Ocala - Lewis Swoveland 76, died on November 5, 2012 in Ocala, FL with his loving family by his side at Sylvia Hospice House. He was born on March 7, 1936 in Mena, Arkansas to Mabel Swoveland. He moved to Colorado at the age of sixmonths. He was raised on a farm/ranch between Byers and Deer Trail, CO. Louie moved to Florida with the military in 1954, where he

met and married Nancy Faison in Ocala, FL in 1955. After finishing a tour of duty in the Air Force, they moved to Ocala and raised four children, one son and three daughters. He served in the U.S. Air Force, Owner-Operator of a Trucking Company, Member of VFW, Ocala Optimist Club, and was an Assistant Boy Scout Master. He had a love and talent for wood working. He made many beautiful things. Such as furniture, small chairs for each of his grandchildren, and turn-of-the-century toys. His greatest pride was for his Jesus signs. His other love was for fishing, and you could find him sitting at the lake all day. He often said that was the best place on earth to talk with God. He is survived by his wife of 57 years who was the love of his life, Nancy Swoveland, Ocala, FL; son, Dr. Jack Lewis Swoveland (Cheryl), Ocala, FL; daughters, Zona Gail Downes (Bill) of Ocala, FL; Cindy Kaye Foster (Scott); Ocala, FL; Mabell Loraine Stoklosa (Mark), Brunswick, GA; Grandchildren: Deanna (Billy) Cross, Ocala, FL; Cory (Brittany) Bainbridge, CA; Christopher Foster, Ocala, FL; Jeffrey Foster, Tampa, FL; Kathryn Stoklosa, Atlanta, GA; Mitchell Stoklosa, Brunswick, GA; Andrew Stoklosa, Brunswick, GA; Great Grandchildren: Kylynn and Joslynn Cross of Ocala, FL; Step Grandsons: Steve (Lorissa) Downes, Mike (Mary Ann) Downes, L, Tony (Sherry) Downes, and five step great-grandchildren. Also there are two young people who he held in his heart as his own, Dana Patton and Steven Patton; sister-in-law, Louise Ammons (Junior) who he loved as his sister; sister, Wanda Hodges (Larry), Byers, CO., numerous nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by son, Larry Earl Swoveland (1965) and sister, Ann Snyder; mother, Mabel Johnson Swoveland; and mother-in-law, Fannie Johnson. His life could be shared with a few words. His love for his wife, children, and his love for his Lord. Visitation will be held 5-7 p.m., Friday, November 9th, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services. The service will be held at 11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., on Saturday, November 10th, 2012 with Dr. Mike Patton officiating. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 10, 2012

**WARNER, MILDRED E. "MILLIE", 89**

Ocala - Mildred E. "Millie" Warner, 89, of Ocala, FL, went to Heaven on Wednesday, November 7, 2012. Born in Detroit, Michigan on July 17, 1923, daughter of the late Joseph and Martha (Kliensmith) Darga, she moved here in 1993 from New Hudson, MI. Millie was a homemaker and spent her life loving and caring for her family. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala for 19 years. She was also preceded in death by her daughter Judith Strickland. Millie is survived by her beloved husband of 67 years, Bob Warner of Marion Landing, children; Diane, Sue, Peggy, Gary, Colette and Carl; 18 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren; sister Tessie; and many nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Thursday, (Today) from 5:00PM to 7:00PM. The Funeral Mass will be on Friday, November 9, 2012 at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Hwy. 200, Ocala. Burial will be in Holy Sepulcher Cemetery, Southfield, MI. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

**WILLIAMSON, TROY D., 45**

Beverly Hills, FL - Troy D. Williamson, of Beverly Hills, FL, was born on November 17, 1966 in Ocala, FL to James R. and Elizabeth (Kintz) Williamson and went home to be with the Lord on November 3, 2012, at the young age of 45, in his home under the loving care of his family and close friends. Troy moved to Citrus County in 2005 after residing in Fort Myers, FL for

over 20 years. He is survived by his wife and high school sweetheart of 28 years, Dawn Williamson, of Beverly Hills, FL; and their son Nicolas Williamson of Beverly Hills, FL; his mother-in-law, Donna Greer of Hernando, FL; his father, James Williamson of Bell, FL; siblings, Ron Williamson of Bell, FL, Laurine Floyd of Bandera, TX, David Williamson, Kathy Landrum and Raymond Williamson all of North Fort Myers, FL; as well as, several nieces and nephews and great nieces and great nephew. Troy was a devoted husband and father who was well loved and respected by all that knew him. He has been in the construction industry for over 25 yrs. and was currently a Construction Superintendent for On Top of the World Communities in Ocala, FL and attended Gulf to Lake Church in Crystal River, FL. His family extends heartfelt thanks for the support, prayers, dedication and encouragement provided by his employer/co-workers, church, family and friends, as the blessings continue to pour out on his behalf. Viewing for family and friends will be from 6 until 8 p.m. on Friday, November 9th at the Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday at the Funeral Home. Feel free to share fond memories and stories. Private cremation will follow the services. In lieu of flowers the family is requesting donations for Katherine and Doug Robbins who worked diligently during Troy's final days as we witnessed some amazing results with some of the cancer. This couple has survived cancer and are dedicated to helping others. While they wouldn't accept any money for their services we believe Troy would have wanted us to bless them so they may continue helping others beat cancer. Brown Funeral Home and Crematory, Lecanto, FL. entrusted with arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

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##### **BAKER, JA'LIN RAHIEM ALLEN, 9**

Tampa, FL - Ja'Lin Rahiem Allen Baker, 9, passed away Saturday, November 3, 2012 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Tampa, FL. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, November 10, 2012 at St. James Baptist Church, Bushnell, FL., Bishop E Dion Blaine, Eulogist, Pastor Leon L. Thomas, officiating. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Services Inc., (352) 563-1394. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 9 to November 10, 2012

##### **CIARALDI, MARIE P., 92**

Worcester, Mass. - Marie P. (Fiorentino) Ciaraldi, 92, of Worcester, and formerly of Ocala, died Monday, November 5, 2012 at the Ichabod Washburn Hospice Residence in Worcester after a short illness. Her husband of 61 years, Henry A. Ciaraldi, died in 2006. She leaves two sons, Michael J. Ciaraldi of Worcester, with whom she lived, and Paul H. Ciaraldi of Toronto, Canada, and several nieces and nephews. Marie was born in Rochester, NY, daughter of Giuseppe and Angelina (Lenni) Ciaraldi. She lived in Rochester until her retirement to Ocala in 1976. She moved to Worcester in 2008. She was a graduate of Benjamin Franklin High School in Rochester. She worked for many years at the Credit Bureau of Rochester. Marie was always involved in her community. She was a longtime Cub Scout Den Mother. She regularly organized church and club activities. She taught classes at community and senior centers. In Worcester, she was pleased to attend many events on the WPI campus. Marie enjoyed many hobbies including cooking, painting, crafting and sewing. A memorial Mass will be held Friday, November 9, 2012 at Noon in Christ the King Church, 1052 Pleasant St., Worcester. Burial will be private.

There are no calling hours. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Ichabod Washburn Hospice, 1183 Main St., Worcester, MA 01603. The Athy Memorial Home, 111 Lancaster St., Worcester, is directing arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

**DOURA, REV. DR. GEORGES, 62**

Ocala - Rev. Dr. Georges Doura, 62, of Ocala, passed away November 6, 2012. Born in Amayra, Lebanon, he came to this area in 1987 from Richmond Hill, NY. He was a retired medical massage therapist and counselor to many in need. He actively empowered the blind to be viable and mobile through technology and seeking job training opportunities. Through healing and counseling, he helped many with physical and psychological needs. He loved his family and friends who soon became family when they got to know him. He is survived by his wife of 41 years, Marie Louise; daughters, Nadia Hanze and her husband George of Sunnyside, NY and Gladys Fincher and her husband Michael of Chestnut Ridge, NY; son, Derek Van Buren of Montreal, Canada; brother, Richard Guggenheim of NYC, NY; grandchildren, Katrina, David, Daisie Mae, Maxine, Daniel, Amanda, Sabrina and Isis; nephews, Alan, Alex, Jonathan and Lazo; niece, Zoey. He was preceded in death by his brother, Alexander Doura. A Memorial service will be held at Christ Community Church, 37 Dogwood Rd., Ocala, 687-2009 on Saturday November 10th, 2012 at 11 a.m.. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

**LEITHA M. (HOOK) EVANS**

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and burial will follow at the Citra Cemetery. Arrangements under the direction of Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 9 to November 10, 2012

**GRIGGS, VERONICA "JO" HART, 93**

Ocala - Jo, as she was known to her friends, went Home to be with the Lord on Tuesday, October 2nd, 2012. Originally from Georgia, Jo taught school, mostly in Florida for 38 years. Her memorial service will be at 10 a.m., November 10th, 2012, at the First Baptist Church. All of her many friends and acquaintances are invited to share in this celebration of this remarkable God-fearing woman and her joy at being with the Lord. Donations in memory of Jo can be made to the First Baptist Church of Ocala Building Fund, 2801 S. E. Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL 34471. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. Ocala, FL. 352-622-4141. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

**MORROW, GURTRUE, 93**

Ocala - Gurtrue Morrow, 93, passed away Monday, November 5, 2012 at Palm Garden of Ocala. Mrs. Morrow moved to Ocala in 2004 from Arab, Alabama to be near family. She was a member of the Church of God, loved to cook, crochet and enjoyed spending time with her family. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jasper L. Morrow and her daughter, Betty Jo Kelley. She is survived by her granddaughters, Debbie (Sonny) Foster, Ocala, Marlene Larsen, Salt Springs, Florida, Kathy Kelley, Tallahassee, Florida; numerous great grandchildren and nieces and nephews. Please visit [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) to share words of comfort with the family. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave. Ocala, FL 34474. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m., Sunday, November 11, 2012 at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel with interment to follow in Arab Memorial Cemetery. The family will receive friends Saturday evening, November 10, 2012 from 5-7 p.m. at Arab Heritage Memorial Chapel, Arab, Alabama. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

**MOSLEY, WILLIE JAMES**

Gainesville - Willie J. Mosley, 58, passed away Oct. 30, 2012 at his home. A native of Interlachen, FL. He moved to Gainesville, FL. from Ocala, FL 23 years ago. Willie was a U.S. Army Vet-eran, he was preceded in death by two siblings Alice P. Mosley, and Johnny Mosley. Precious memories will live on in the hearts of: A loving wife Delores Q. Mosley, Gainesville, FL, one son, Corey Mosley, Ft. Lauderdale, FL; four stepchildren, DeAnndra Johnson, Calvin Johnson, Daniel Davis, and Rodney Walker all of Gainesville, FL; two brothers Thomas Mosley, and Henry Mosley both of Ocala, FL.; three sisters Helen Sims, Atlanta, GA., Shirley Drayton, and Betty Mosley Goodwin both of Ocala, FL., one grandchild, and 13 step-grandchildren. Funeral Services for Mr. Mosley will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, Nov. 10, 2012 at Springhill Baptist Church Rev. Adrian S. Taylor, Pastor, Chap-lain Glenn Busby, officiating. Interment will follow in Ever-green Cemetery under the care of Chestnut Funeral Home 18 N.W. 8th Ave Gainesville, FL. Visitation Fri-day, Chestnut Memorial Chapel 2:00-7:00 PM and on Saturday at the church one hour before the service. The cortege will form at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Mosley at 10:15 AM. "A Chestnut Service" Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

**STROW, LINDA S., 56**

Ocala - Mrs. Linda S. Strow, 56, of Ocala, passed away peacefully Monday afternoon at Prestige Manor III in Belleview after a five year battle with Alzheimer's Disease. A native of Tampa, she moved to Ocala in 1974. Prior to her retirement, she had a 32 year career as a deputy with the Marion County Sheriff's Office. During that time she served as a crime scene technician, the school resource office at Belleview Middle School, and at her retirement she was the office manager for the Civil Division of the MCSO. For the last 25 months of her life she received the greatest of care from the loving staff at Prestige Manor III. She is survived by her husband of 36 years, Dennis J. Strow; her daughter, Tiffany Strow; son, Jonathan Strow; her sister, Kim Self, all of Ocala; sister, Mary (Mike) Hoadley, Simi Valley, CA, and her brother Don Self, Hooks, TX. She was preceded in death by her parents John and Hazel Self. Visitation for Mrs. Strow will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Thursday, November 8, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Friday, November 9, at the funeral home, with Pastor Joel Snellgrove officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478, or Friends of the Williston Police Department, Inc., 161 N. Main St., Williston, FL 32696. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 7 to November 10, 2012

**SULLIVAN, MARY L., 89**

Ocala - Mary L. Sullivan, 89, passed away November 6, 2012. She was born May 9th, 1923 in Elizabeth, New Jersey, and was a retired R.N. She leaves behind to cherish her memory, her son Jerry (Kay) in Beaver, WA; daughter, Cathy (Willy) in Westford, MA; two grandchildren, Tim Walsh and Jennifer Walsh; and two great-grandchildren, Austin and Dylan of Westford, MA and Merrnach, N.H.; and life partner, best friend and companion, John Krisch. She will be greatly missed but is now with our Lord in his loving care and is at peace. Funeral Mass will be held at 12 noon at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Tuesday, November 13th, 2012. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 9 to November 10, 2012

**SWOVELAND, E. LEWIS (LOUIE), 76**

Ocala - Lewis Swoveland 76, died on November 5, 2012 in Ocala, FL with his loving family by his side at Sylvia Hospice House. He was born on March 7, 1936 in Mena, Arkansas to Mabel Swoveland. He moved to Colorado at the age of sixmonths. He was raised on a farm/ranch between Byers and Deer Trail, CO. Louie moved to Florida with the military in 1954, where he met and married Nancy Faison in Ocala, FL in 1955. After finishing a tour of duty in the Air Force, they moved to Ocala and raised four children, one son and three daughters. He served in the U.S. Air Force, Owner-Operator of a Trucking Company, Member of VFW, Ocala Optimist Club, and was an Assistant Boy Scout Master. He had a love and talent for wood working. He made many beautiful things. Such as furniture, small chairs for each of his grandchildren, and turn-of-the-century toys. His greatest pride was for his Jesus signs. His other love was for fishing, and you could find him sitting at the lake all day. He often said that was the best place on earth to talk with God. He is survived by his wife of 57 years who was the love of his life, Nancy Swoveland, Ocala, FL; son, Dr. Jack Lewis Swoveland (Cheryl), Ocala, FL; daughters, Zona Gail Downes (Bill) of Ocala, FL; Cindy Kaye Foster (Scott); Ocala, FL; Mabell Loraine Stoklosa (Mark), Brunswick, GA; Grandchildren: Deanna (Billy) Cross, Ocala, FL; Cory (Brittany) Bainbridge, CA; Christopher Foster, Ocala, FL; Jeffrey Foster, Tampa, FL; Kathryn Stoklosa, Atlanta, GA; Mitchell Stoklosa, Brunswick, GA; Andrew Stoklosa, Brunswick, GA;

Great Grandchildren: Kylynn and Joslynn Cross of Ocala, FL; Step Grandsons: Steve (Lorissa) Downes, Mike (Mary Ann) Downes, L, Tony (Sherry) Downes, and five step great-grandchildren. Also there are two young people who he held in his heart as his own, Dana Patton and Steven Patton; sister-in-law, Louise Ammons (Junior) who he loved as his sister; sister, Wanda Hodges (Larry), Byers, CO., numerous nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by son, Larry Earl Swoveland (1965) and sister, Ann Snyder; mother, Mabel Johnson Swoveland; and mother-in-law, Fannie Johnson. His life could be shared with a few words. His love for his wife, children, and his love for his Lord. Visitation will be held 5-7 p.m., Friday, November 9th, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services. The service will be held at 11 a.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., on Saturday, November 10th, 2012 with Dr. Mike Patton officiating. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 10, 2012

**WARNER, MILDRED E. "MILLIE", 89**

Ocala - Mildred E. "Millie" Warner, 89, of Ocala, FL, went to Heaven on Wednesday, November 7, 2012. Born in Detroit, Michigan on July 17, 1923, daughter of the late Joseph and Martha (Kliensmith) Darga, she moved here in 1993 from New Hudson, MI. Millie was a homemaker and spent her life loving and caring for her family. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala for 19 years. She was also preceded in death by her daughter Judith Strickland. Millie is survived by her beloved husband of 67 years, Bob Warner of Marion Landing, children; Diane, Sue, Peggy, Gary, Colette and Carl; 18 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren; sister Tessie; and many nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Thursday, (Today) from 5:00PM to 7:00PM. The Funeral Mass will be on Friday, November 9, 2012 at 8:30AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Hwy. 200, Ocala. Burial will be in Holy Sepulcher Cemetery, Southfield, MI. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

**WILLIAMSON, TROY D., 45**

Beverly Hills, FL - Troy D. Williamson, of Beverly Hills, FL, was born on November 17, 1966 in Ocala, FL to James R. and Elizabeth (Kintz) Williamson and went home to be with the Lord on November 3, 2012, at the young age of 45, in his home under the loving care of his family and close friends. Troy moved to Citrus County in 2005 after residing in Fort Myers, FL for over 20 years. He is survived by his wife and high school sweetheart of 28 years, Dawn Williamson, of Beverly Hills, FL; and their son Nicolas Williamson of Beverly Hills, FL; his mother-in-law, Donna Greer of Hernando, FL; his father, James Williamson of Bell, FL; siblings, Ron Williamson of Bell, FL, Laurine Floyd of Bandera, TX, David Williamson, Kathy Landrum and Raymond Williamson all of North Fort Myers, FL; as well as, several nieces and nephews and great nieces and great nephew. Troy was a devoted husband and father who was well loved and respected by all that knew him. He has been in the construction industry for over 25 yrs. and was currently a Construction Superintendent for On Top of the World Communities in Ocala, FL and attended Gulf to Lake Church in Crystal River, FL. His family extends heartfelt thanks for the support, prayers, dedication and encouragement provided by his employer/co-workers, church, family and friends, as the blessings continue to pour out on his behalf. Viewing for family and friends will be from 6 until 8 p.m. on Friday, November 9th at the Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m.

on Saturday at the Funeral Home. Feel free to share fond memories and stories. Private cremation will follow the services. In lieu of flowers the family is requesting donations for Katherine and Doug Robbins who worked diligently during Troy's final days as we witnessed some amazing results with some of the cancer. This couple has survived cancer and are dedicated to helping others. While they wouldn't accept any money for their services we believe Troy would have wanted us to bless them so they may continue helping others beat cancer. Brown Funeral Home and Crematory, Lecanto, FL. entrusted with arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 8 to November 9, 2012

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#### **MAHONEY, JAMES ANTHONY, 90**

Ocala - Mr. James Anthony Mahoney, 90, passed away in Ocala, FL on November 8, 2012. He was a retired price analyst for the Federal Government. He was a World War II veteran and retired from the U.S. Air Force Reserve as a Lieutenant Colonel. James was a member of the American Legion and VFW both in Marion County, the National Association of Active and Retired Federal Employees, Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala, St John's University Alumni Association and the O'Mahony Society. James had been elected to public offices in Minnesota and Ohio. He moved to this area in 1993 from Tallahassee, FL. He is survived by his five children, Terrence A. Mahoney of Quincy, FL; Mark A. Mahoney of Tallahassee, FL; Patrick A. Mahoney of Ocala, FL; Kathleen A. Mahoney-Norris and David Norris of Prattville, AL; and Coleen A. Mahoney of Ocala, FL. One brother, John Mahoney of Bloomington, MN; four grandchildren, Zoe-Lena Mahoney, Lacey K. DeSouza, Logan M. DeSouza and Anthony B. Mahoney. Funeral services will be private. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 11 to November 12, 2012

#### **McCUNE, ROBERT J.**

Deland - Robert J. McCune of Deland, FL died October 30, 2012. He was the beloved husband of Shirley (Wilson); father of Robert J. (Jessica), Leroy W., MD (Anne), Richard W. (Barbara) and John F. (Holly) McCune and Shirley A. Wilson; grandfather of David, Mary Beth, Christopher, Mark, Christine, Carolyn, Allison, Colt, Molly, Ryder and Sarah; great-grandfather of Hannah and James; and brother of Patricia (late Chuck) Spiller. All services private. Memorials to Hospice Buffalo Inc. or to Storehouse Mission Support at [storehousemission.org](http://storehousemission.org). Arrangements by F.E. BROWN SONS FUNERAL HOME INC., Orchard Park, NY. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 11 to November 12, 2012

#### **MORRISSEY, MARIE DUSTIN, 90**

Largo, FL - Marie Dustin Morrissey, 90, of Largo, FL and Ocala, FL, died on Monday, November 5, 2012 in Largo. Born in Staten Island, NY on April 3, 1922, daughter of the late Guy and Grace Olive (Dustin) Roberts, she moved to Ocala from Fairfield, CT in 1989. She was

a homemaker. Marie was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Raymond Morrissey; daughter, Karen Ann Netopski; and her brothers, Gerald Roberts of Winter Haven, FL and Donald Roberts of Anniston, AL. She is survived by her children, Linda Hendricks (Donald) of Largo, FL, Susan Troidle (Thomas) of Chesterfield, VA, Charles Morrissey, Jr. of Norwalk, CT, nine grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

A Memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, November 16th, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Her urn will later be placed alongside her husband at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Condolences may be made to: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 11 to November 12, 2012

### **OSTROWSKI, EMILY "MILLIE", 92**

Ocala - Emily "Millie" Ostrowski, 92, of Ocala went on to be with her Lord on Thursday, November 8, 2012. She was a homemaker who spent her life caring for her family. Millie was a member at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She leaves behind her beloved husband of 46 years, Dick and her niece and nephew, Mary Ann and Bob Murphy of Kentucky. The visitation will be held at the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Monday, November 12th, 2012 from 3 p.m. until 5 p.m. The Mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Hwy 200, Ocala on Tuesday, November 13th, 2012 at 8:30 a.m.. Burial will follow at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Condolences may be made to: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 11 to November 12, 2012

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**MAHONEY, JAMES ANTHONY, 90**



Ocala - Mr. James Anthony Mahoney, 90, passed away in Ocala, FL on November 8, 2012. He was a retired price analyst for the Federal Government. He was a World War II veteran and retired from the U.S. Air Force Reserve as a Lieutenant Colonel. James was a member of the American Legion and VFW both in Marion County, the National Association of Active and Retired Federal Employees, Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala, St John's University Alumni Association and the O'Mahony Society. James had been elected to public offices in Minnesota and Ohio. He moved to this area in 1993 from Tallahassee, FL. He is survived by his five children, Terrence A. Mahoney of Quincy, FL; Mark A. Mahoney of Tallahassee, FL; Patrick A. Mahoney of Ocala, FL; Kathleen A. Mahoney-Norris and David Norris of Prattville, AL; and Coleen A. Mahoney of Ocala, FL. One brother, John Mahoney of Bloomington, MN; four grandchildren, Zoe-Lena Mahoney, Lacey K. DeSouza, Logan M. DeSouza and Anthony B. Mahoney. Funeral services will be private. Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel West (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 11 to November 12, 2012

**McCUNE, ROBERT J.**

Deland - Robert J. McCune of Deland, FL died October 30, 2012. He was the beloved husband of Shirley (Wilson); father of Robert J. (Jessica), Leroy W., MD (Anne), Richard W. (Barbara) and John F. (Holly) McCune and Shirley A. Wilson; grandfather of David, Mary Beth, Christopher, Mark, Christine, Carolyn, Allison, Colt, Molly, Ryder and Sarah; great-grandfather of Hannah and James; and brother of Patricia (late Chuck) Spiller. All services private. Memorials to Hospice Buffalo Inc. or to Storehouse Mission Support at [storehousemission.org](http://storehousemission.org). Arrangements by F.E. BROWN SONS FUNERAL HOME INC., Orchard Park, NY. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 11 to November 12, 2012

**MORRISSEY, MARIE DUSTIN, 90**

Largo, FL - Marie Dustin Morrissey, 90, of Largo, FL and Ocala, FL, died on Monday, November 5, 2012 in Largo. Born in Staten Island, NY on April 3, 1922, daughter of the late Guy and Grace Olive (Dustin) Roberts, she moved to Ocala from Fairfield, CT in 1989. She was a homemaker. Marie was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Raymond Morrissey; daughter, Karen Ann Netopski; and her brothers, Gerald Roberts of Winter Haven, FL and Donald Roberts of Anniston, AL. She is survived by her children, Linda Hendricks (Donald) of Largo, FL, Susan Troidle (Thomas) of Chesterfield, VA, Charles Morrissey, Jr. of Norwalk, CT, nine grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

A Memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, November 16th, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Her urn will later be placed alongside her husband at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Condolences may be made to: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 11 to November 12, 2012

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Mt. Dora, FL - Mary Ann Blake, 93, of Mt. Dora, FL passed away November 11, 2012. She was born in Richmond, VA in April 1919 to James Melvin and Mary Josephine O'Grady. She was a resident of Tampa, FL for much of her youth, and was a graduate of Plant High School. Mary Ann is predeceased by her husband, James Aloysius, "Chick" Blake. Mary Ann and Chick married in 1940 in Tampa. They moved to Ocala where they reared six children. They were married for 57 years. Mary Ann moved to Mt. Dora, living independently, while maintaining her own home there, until September 2012. Mary Ann is survived by her six children, Mary Ann Graham (Harry); James A. Blake, Jr. (Judy Anne); Timothy M. Blake (Gay); Kathleen B. Dunn (Wally); Nancy B. Grundy (Mike); and Elizabeth B. Maroney. She is also survived by twelve grandchildren and ten great grandchildren. The family would like to thank Mary Ann's neighbors and friends for their support and encouragement. Mary Ann Blake is an example of the "Greatest Generation" of Americans. Graveside services will be held on Friday, November 16, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Ocala, FL. Arrangements are by Allen J. Harden Funeral Home, 1800 N. Donnelly Street, Mount Dora, FL 32757. Phone: 352-383-8178. [www.allenjharden.com](http://www.allenjharden.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 14 to November 15, 2012

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#### **DONALDSON, WALTER EUGENE, 88**

Ocala - Walter Eugene Donaldson, 88, of Ocala, FL, passed away at home with his family at his side on Monday, November 12, 2012. He was a Navy veteran of World War II, serving as an anti-aircraft gunner aboard the USS LSC (L) 3-116. In addition, he performed duties as aerial gunner on SBD-5 dive bombers assigned to USS Lexington and USS Saratoga battle groups. He

participated in every major naval battle in the Pacific theater. Walter went on to become the Master Printer for the Washington Post retiring after 28 years. He is predeceased by his loving wife of 57 years, Mary Lou Donaldson in July of 1998 and his daughter, Virginia Lee Gibson in February 2010. Walter is survived by his son, Walter Donaldson Jr. (wife Carole) of Birmingham, AL; two daughters, Lou Ann Rock of Ocala, FL; and Mary Ellen Wolf (husband Steven) of Fairfax Station, VA; six grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren. There will be a graveside service on Friday, November 16, at 11:30 a.m. at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL., with full military honors. Arrangements by Roberts Downtown Chapel, (352)622-4141, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala FL., 34471. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 14 to November 15, 2012

### **MacKAY, DAVID ROBERT**

Gainesville - David Robert MacKay, 33, of Gainesville, passed away on November 9, 2012. Mr. MacKay was born in Charleston, South Carolina on March 11, 1979 to George and Johanna MacKay. He was a devoted husband, father, and son. He married his best friend, Jessica, on May 17, 2003. David was an LPN at Park Meadows Nursing Home and was very dedicated to his patients. He was an avid Gator fan. He is survived by his wife, Jessica N. MacKay of Gainesville; two sons, Alexander David MacKay and Matthew Robert MacKay, both of Gainesville; his mother, Susie Erickson of Maize, KS and father George "Al" MacKay of Gainesville; maternal grand-parents, Al and Libby Erickson of Wichita, KS and paternal grandparents, George and Eloise MacKay of Maitland, FL. A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Friday, November 16, 2012 at 6:00 PM in the chapel of WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN, 404 North Main Street, with Rev. Ron Smith officiating. Family will receive friends one hour prior to the service beginning at 5:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, donations are requested to be made to an education fund for David's children, Alexander and Matthew. Please mail to: David L. MacKay, Atty. P.O. Box 206, Ocala, FL 34478. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN (352) 376-7556 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 14 to November 15, 2012

### **McCLURE, JAMES A., 64**

Dunnellon - Mr. James A McClure (Tony), 64, passed away on Saturday, November 10th, 2012. He was born in Mayfield, KY on November 28, 1947 to Jeanne Austin of Dunnellon, FL and the late Jimmy McClure of Mayfield, KY. Tony served as a Navy Corpsman in Vietnam where he was awarded the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart for his sacrifice and bravery. In 1971, he was awarded outstanding veteran of the year by the Disabled American Veterans. He then graduated from Murray State University in 1974. Throughout his lifetime he became an administrator with the Boy Scouts, a state fire marshal, a member of the Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America program, a Kentucky Colonel and a mayor of Yankeetown, FL. He founded Dunnellon Wine and Spirits in his later life and retired in 2009. He was an accomplished chef and lover of horse racing and travel. He is survived by his mother Jeanne Austin; his brothers Ronnie (Sarita) McClure of Paducah, KY and Scott (Deanna) McClure of Mayfield, KY; son, Allan McClure of Floral City, FL; nieces Lindsey (Steve) Jones and Lexi McClure; nephews Derek (Charity) McClure, Tyler (Kacie) McClure, Wes Jones, Tristan McClure and Drew McClure; grandniece Kirsten McClure; and grandnephew Mason Jones. A memorial service will be held today at 11 a.m. at the family home in Dunnellon. A later service will be held in Noble Park in Paducah, KY

and his ashes will be placed in the Barrow family cemetery in the Land Between the Lakes, KY. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 14 to November 15, 2012

**MOSER, ARDYTH L., 97**

Ocala - Ardyth L. Moser, 97, entered into heaven on November 8th, 2012. She was born in Russell City, Pennsylvania on September 28, 1915. She successfully owned and operated her own business for several years. Well traveled, she moved to California, and being socially active she honorably served as the "Grand Matron" of the Eastern Star in addition to serving as "Host Mistress" of the Daughters of the Nile. Moving to Florida, she was a charter member of Ocala West United Methodist Church where she actively sang in choir for many years. Mrs. Moser was a talented artist painting and displaying numerous independent works, she enjoyed bowling and singing with the Oak Run Troubadours' of Ocala. She was preceded in death in 1997 by her husband, Charles L. Moser, Captain of the Butler Pennsylvania Fire Department. She is survived by her daughter, Delores Paffrath; stepdaughter, Shirley Nelson; brother, Basil Cunningham of Kane, Pennsylvania; granddaughter, Ariel Lisiecki; grandson, Aaron Lisiecki and great granddaughter, Lyric Dabrowski. Visitation will be held on Thursday November 15, 2012 at Ocala West United Methodist Church, 9330 SW 105th Street Ocala, FL 34481 from 10 to 11 a.m. with a service to follow and burial at 2 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery. A reception will be held from 12 to 1 p.m. following the church service. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Ocala West United Methodist Church building fund. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 14 to November 15, 2012

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**ANDERSON, JR., ROBERT "BOB" HENRY, 95**

Cary, NC - Robert (Bob) Henry Anderson, Jr. died peacefully on November 12, 2012, at Windsor Point Retirement Community in Fuquay-Varina, NC, at the blessed age of 95. An exceptional individual with a sharp intellect and an eye for details, he had an incredible work ethic that demonstrated his deep love for God, family and country. Born in Orange, Massachusetts on June 22, 1917, to Robert Henry Anderson, Sr. and Fannie Jeffries Anderson, he always cherished his place of birth. Throughout his lifetime, he lived in Maryland, Florida and North Carolina, but he rarely missed his annual summer pilgrimage back to Orange where he and his beloved wife, Corky, maintained a family vacation home on Lake Mattawa. Bob graduated from the University of Alabama in 1940, with an undying allegiance to the Crimson Tide, and in 1942, earned a Master's Degree in Public Speaking. While teaching in Cold Spring, AL, he met and married Cortez Johnson Anderson. This past March, they celebrated their 71st wedding anniversary. After completing officer training at Harvard University in 1942, he served in the United States Navy in the Pacific arena aboard the William Ward Burrows. As a part of the generation of men and women who sacrificed so much for our freedom during World War II, he

spent two years overseas and was reunited with Corky late in 1945. Following WWII, he taught public speaking at the University of Maryland. In 1947, he began his 30 years of service as a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and in 1957, opened an FBI Resident Agency in Ocala, FL, serving as its Senior Resident Agent until his retirement in 1977. As a committed member of the First United Methodist Church (FUMC) and the Kiwanis Club of Ocala, his contributions to the community were significant. In the early 1970's, he directed the Marion County (FL) Kingdom of the Son Crusade, a multi-community, Christian outreach event that touched the lives of many residents. For his strong faith, extraordinary speaking skills, and persuasive personality, he was honored with the God and Country Award. He is survived by his son, Bob III (Sara) of Cary, NC, and daughter, Carol Anderson Crawford (Bob) of Olney, MD; grandchildren Carolyn Anderson Farrell (Rich) of Boston, MA, Mark Anderson (Lisa) of Wilmington, NC, Lauren Crawford Holbrook (Chris) of Cheboygan, MI, Ashley Crawford Elliott (Jason) of Colonial Heights, VA; great-grandchildren Faith (9), Luke (6) and Evelyn Mae (4) Farrell, Crawford (6) and Hugh (23 months) Anderson, Miriam Holbrook (1), Madison (3) and Jackson (1) Elliott. A memorial service will be held at First United Methodist Church in Cary, Saturday, November 17th, 2012 at 11 a.m. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, November 20, 2012 at Witty's Funeral Home, 158 South Main Street, Orange, MA at 11 a.m, with the Rev. Julia Daley of the Orange United Methodist Church officiating. Interment will follow in South Cemetery, Orange. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to FUMC-Cary (NC) or Orange United Methodist Church, 104 South Main Street, Orange, MA 01364. Witty's Funeral Home, 158 South Main Street, Orange, is directing the arrangements. You may offer your sympathy or find directions online at: [www.wittyfuneralhome.com](http://www.wittyfuneralhome.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

### **BLAKE, MARY ANN "MAMA BLAKE", 93**

Mt. Dora, FL - Mary Ann Blake, 93, of Mt. Dora, FL passed away November 11, 2012. She was born in Richmond, VA in April 1919 to James Melvin and Mary Josephine O'Grady. She was a resident of Tampa, FL for much of her youth, and was a graduate of Plant High School. Mary Ann is predeceased by her husband, James Aloysius, "Chick" Blake. Mary Ann and Chick married in 1940 in Tampa. They moved to Ocala where they reared six children. They were married for 57 years. Mary Ann moved to Mt. Dora, living independently, while maintaining her own home there, until September 2012. Mary Ann is survived by her six children, Mary Ann Graham (Harry); James A. Blake, Jr. (Judy Anne); Timothy M. Blake (Gay); Kathleen B. Dunn (Wally); Nancy B. Grundy (Mike); and Elizabeth B. Maroney. She is also survived by twelve grandchildren and ten great grandchildren. The family would like to thank Mary Ann's neighbors and friends for their support and encouragement. Mary Ann Blake is an example of the "Greatest Generation" of Americans. Graveside services will be held on Friday, November 16, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Ocala, FL. Arrangements are by Allen J. Harden Funeral Home, 1800 N. Donnelly Street, Mount Dora, FL 32757. Phone: 352-383-8178. [www.allenjharden.com](http://www.allenjharden.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 14 to November 15, 2012

### **BUTLER, BEATRICE, 89**

Orange Lake - Beatrice Diana Polk Butler, 89, died Monday, November 12, 2012. She was preceded in death by her husband, Wilbur Claudius Butler. She is survived by three children, James Butler, Lake Peekskill, NY, Willie C. (Shirley) Butler, Orange Lake, FL and Sarah Jean

(James) Marsh, Chiefland, FL; four grandchildren and several great grandchildren. Graveside funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, November 17, 2012 at Millwood Cemetery in Reddick, Florida. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. To share condolences with the family. Please visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

**DONALDSON, WALTER EUGENE, 88**

Ocala - Walter Eugene Donaldson, 88, of Ocala, FL, passed away at home with his family at his side on Monday, November 12, 2012. He was a Navy veteran of World War II, serving as an anti-aircraft gunner aboard the USS LSC (L) 3-116. In addition, he performed duties as aerial gunner on SBD-5 dive bombers assigned to USS Lexington and USS Saratoga battle groups. He participated in every major naval battle in the Pacific theater. Walter went on to become the Master Printer for the Washington Post retiring after 28 years. He is predeceased by his loving wife of 57 years, Mary Lou Donaldson in July of 1998 and his daughter, Virginia Lee Gibson in February 2010. Walter is survived by his son, Walter Donaldson Jr. (wife Carole) of Birmingham, AL; two daughters, Lou Ann Rock of Ocala, FL; and Mary Ellen Wolf (husband Steven) of Fairfax Station, VA; six grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren. There will be a graveside service on Friday, November 16, at 11:30 a.m. at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL., with full military honors. Arrangements by Roberts Downtown Chapel, (352)622-4141, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala FL., 34471. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 14 to November 15, 2012

**FINCHER, VALERIE M., 56**

Ocala - Valerie M. Fincher, 56, died suddenly Tuesday, November 13, 2012. She was preceded in death by her sister, Bobby J. Moody. She is survived by her husband, Darrell Fincher; daughter, Tasha Rene' Fincher; mother, Maxine Prine Ferguson, all of Ocala and brother, Fenton A. Moody. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, November 16, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home. Interment will follow at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. The family will receive friends from 5 - 7 p.m., Thursday, November 15, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

**GORE, BERNARD "BUDDY" DOUGLAS, 84**

Ocala - Mr. Gore's funeral services will be held on Friday, November 16, 2012, at 1 p.m., at Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church. Reverend Dr. Lorenzo Edwards, presiding. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Thursday from 9 until 5 pm. A wake service will be held on Thursday evening at Sellers Funeral Home from 6 until 7 pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Gore's residence (1961 SW 5th St, Ocala, FL) on Friday at 12:15 pm to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Gore, who was preceded in death by his sister, Ann Ophelia Gore Reese; his beloved wife, Clara Gore; daughters, Bernadette (Pernell) Roberts, Tamara (Kenneth) Tucker, both of Ocala, FL, Kimberly Gore (Lamonda Howze), Tampa, FL, Karen (Michael) Plummer, Sanford, FL; brother, Marshall (Leslie) Young, Ocala, FL; sister, Shirley Conway, Austin, Texas; eight grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; two sister-in-laws; one brother-in-law; adopted daughter Demetria "Sugar" Taylor; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and devoted caregivers, Lisa Austin and



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**JOHNSON, RICHARD "DICK" RANDOLPH, 78**

Ocala - Richard "Dick" Randolph Johnson, 78, passed away, Friday, November 9, 2012. Mr. Johnson had lived in Ocala for over 22 years, moving here from Winter Haven, Florida. He retired after 30 years in the ornamental horticulture industry. He was an active member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala; a member of Masonic Marion-Dunn Lodge No. 19; Scottish Rite, Ocala Shrine Club and Ocala Elk Lodge No. 286. Mr. Johnson served his country in the U.S. Navy as a Petty Officer. He had a positive outlook on life and a smile on his face. He was always surrounded by friends and enjoyed the activities of the Ocala Palms Singles Group. He loved golf and taught his children and wife to play. He was preceded in death by his wife, Shirley Johnson and later his best friend and partner, Helen Price. He is survived by his daughter and son-in-law, Melinda and Rob deViere, Lake Mary, Florida; son and daughter-in-law, Randy Johnson and Dalena Tran, Springfield, Virginia; two granddaughters, Ashley and Michelle deViere, Lake Mary, Florida; two sisters, Helen Sigmon, Inez Edwards, both of Virginia; several nieces and nephews; Stacey and Bob Poncelow and their children, Cassie and Nick. Please visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) to share condolences with the family. Memorial contributions may be made to the Shriners Hospital for Children. Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, November 17, 2012 at First United Methodist Church of Ocala with Dr. John Few officiating. A reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

**MacKAY, DAVID ROBERT**

Gainesville - David Robert MacKay, 33, of Gainesville, passed away on November 9, 2012. Mr. MacKay was born in Charleston, South Carolina on March 11, 1979 to George and Johanna MacKay. He was a devoted husband, father, and son. He married his best friend, Jessica, on May 17, 2003. David was an LPN at Park Meadows Nursing Home and was very dedicated to his patients. He was an avid Gator fan. He is survived by his wife, Jessica N. MacKay of Gainesville; two sons, Alexander David MacKay and Matthew Robert MacKay, both of Gainesville; his mother, Susie Erickson of Maize, KS and father George "Al" MacKay of Gainesville; maternal grand-parents, Al and Libby Erickson of Wichita, KS and paternal grandparents, George and Eloise MacKay of Maitland, FL. A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Friday, November 16, 2012 at 6:00 PM in the chapel of WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN, 404 North Main Street, with Rev. Ron Smith officiating. Family will receive friends one hour prior to the service beginning at 5:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, donations are requested to be made to an education fund for David's children, Alexander and Matthew. Please mail to: David L. MacKay, Atty. P.O. Box 206, Ocala, FL 34478. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN (352) 376-7556 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 14 to November 15, 2012

**McCLURE, JAMES A., 64**

Dunnellon - Mr. James A McClure (Tony), 64, passed away on Saturday, November 10th, 2012. He was born in Mayfield, KY on November 28, 1947 to Jeanne Austin of Dunnellon, FL and the

late Jimmy McClure of Mayfield, KY. Tony served as a Navy Corpsman in Vietnam where he was awarded the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart for his sacrifice and bravery. In 1971, he was awarded outstanding veteran of the year by the Disabled American Veterans. He then graduated from Murray State University in 1974. Throughout his lifetime he became an administrator with the Boy Scouts, a state fire marshal, a member of the Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America program, a Kentucky Colonel and a mayor of Yankeetown, FL. He founded Dunnellon Wine and Spirits in his later life and retired in 2009. He was an accomplished chef and lover of horse racing and travel. He is survived by his mother Jeanne Austin; his brothers Ronnie (Sarita) McClure of Paducah, KY and Scott (Deanna) McClure of Mayfield, KY; son, Allan McClure of Floral City, FL; nieces Lindsey (Steve) Jones and Lexi McClure; nephews Derek (Charity) McClure, Tyler (Kacie) McClure, Wes Jones, Tristan McClure and Drew McClure; grandniece Kirsten McClure; and grandnephew Mason Jones. A memorial service will be held today at 11 a.m. at the family home in Dunnellon. A later service will be held in Noble Park in Paducah, KY and his ashes will be placed in the Barrow family cemetery in the Land Between the Lakes, KY. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 14 to November 15, 2012

### **MOSER, ARDYTH L., 97**

Ocala - Ardyth L. Moser, 97, entered into heaven on November 8th, 2012. She was born in Russell City, Pennsylvania on September 28, 1915. She successfully owned and operated her own business for several years. Well traveled, she moved to California, and being socially active she honorably served as the "Grand Matron" of the Eastern Star in addition to serving as "Host Mistress" of the Daughters of the Nile. Moving to Florida, she was a charter member of Ocala West United Methodist Church where she actively sang in choir for many years. Mrs. Moser was a talented artist painting and displaying numerous independent works, she enjoyed bowling and singing with the Oak Run Troubadours' of Ocala. She was preceded in death in 1997 by her husband, Charles L. Moser, Captain of the Butler Pennsylvania Fire Department. She is survived by her daughter, Delores Paffrath; stepdaughter, Shirley Nelson; brother, Basil Cunningham of Kane, Pennsylvania; granddaughter, Ariel Lisiecki; grandson, Aaron Lisiecki and great granddaughter, Lyric Dabrowski. Visitation will be held on Thursday November 15, 2012 at Ocala West United Methodist Church, 9330 SW 105th Street Ocala, FL 34481 from 10 to 11 a.m. with a service to follow and burial at 2 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery. A reception will be held from 12 to 1 p.m. following the church service. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the Ocala West United Methodist Church building fund. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 14 to November 15, 2012

### **STARKS, EDDIE**

Crystal River - Eddie Starks passed away on November 9, 2012. A wake will be held on Friday, November 16, 2012 from 5-6:30 p.m. at St. John Missionary Baptist Church, 14549 8th St, Dade City, FL. Funeral services will be on Saturday, November 17, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the church. Rev. Harold Thomas, pastor & eulogist, Elder Leon Thomas officiating. Interment will be at Indian Pond Cemetery. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs., Inc. (352) 562-1394. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

### **STOCK, EVELENA**

Crystal River - Evelena Stock passed away on November 6, 2012. Funeral services will be held

on Saturday, November 17, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Freedom Ministries, 1348 Old Apopka RD, Apopka, FL. Pastor Freddie Filmore, Elder, Leon Thomas, officiating, Rev. Terrance Stafford, eulogist. Interment will be at Florida Memorial Park Cemetery. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs, Inc. (352) 563-1394 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

**WALKER, SHANNON JONES**

Ocala - Shannon Jones Walker, age 74 of Ocala, passed away on Tuesday, November 13, 2012 in E.T. York Hospice Care Center. She was born June 4, 1938 in Augusta, Georgia to Charles Vernon and Margie Delores Munns Jones. For a number of years she was the secretary at City of Ocala Public Works. She loved Bingo and crafts. She is survived by her partner, Ben Vollert of Ocala, FL; children, Hugh L. Walker, Jr. of Oklahoma City, OK, Kathleen W. Dandridge of Gainesville, FL and Keith Edward Walker of Pensacola, FL; brother, Dennis B. Wells and 6 grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held Friday, November 16, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. in the Haven Hospice Chapel, 4200 NW 90th Blvd. Gainesville, with Chaplain Loyal Frisbie-Knudsen officiating. Arrangements are under the care of WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN, 404 North Main Street. For those who wish, memorials may be made to Haven Hospice, 4200 NW 90th Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32606. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN (352) 376-7556 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

**WILLMOTT, ROBERT L., 76**

Ocala - Robert L. Willmott, 76, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, November 12, 2012 in Ocala. He was born in Greenpoint, NY on October 28, 1936. He was a proud veteran of the U.S. Navy. Until his retirement he was a Traffic Sales Manager with C.P. Railroad. Bob was of the Catholic faith. He was an avid golfer and loved playing cards. Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by his son, Bobby Willmott and his grandson, Robert Willmott. Bob is survived by his beloved wife of 51 years, Rita Willmott of Ocala; children, Mary Borkenhagen and her husband Scott of Colorado, Darlene Stevely and her husband Rob of Ocala and Cindy Willmott of New York; grandchildren, Elizabeth, Patrick, Robert, Robert and Melissa; sister, Judy Broughton and her husband George of The Villages; brother, Peter Willmott and his wife Janice of New York. The Funeral Service will be held on Saturday, November 17, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala at 1 p.m. Condolences may be expressed at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

**ZAPPULLA, ANNA M., 90**

Ocala - Anna M. Zappulla, 90, entered into heaven on November 14th, 2012. She was loved by many and will be missed by family and friends. She was born in Newark, New Jersey and in 1958 she moved to Florida. She was an avid member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church for 20 years. She loved all types of Big Band music from Frank Sinatra to Dean Martin. She was proud of her work with Sun Air Electronics and as an employee there she helped to assemble radios for the Navy Aircrafts. She was extremely proud of her family and always boasted about her cooking. She is survived by her son, Joseph (Jaimie) Zappulla; daughters, Donna (Michael) Zappulla-Bell, Rosanna Zappulla-Gunn; brother, Rosairo Raffa and seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Angelo Zappulla and her

three sisters. Visitation will be held Friday November 16th, 2012 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 East Silver Springs Blvd., with a Funeral Mass to be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church at 11 a.m. on Saturday, November 17, 2012 and burial to follow at Highland Memorial Park. [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, November 16, 2012**

#### **ANDERSON, JR., ROBERT "BOB" HENRY, 95**

Cary, NC - Robert (Bob) Henry Anderson, Jr. died peacefully on November 12, 2012, at Windsor Point Retirement Community in Fuquay-Varina, NC, at the blessed age of 95. An exceptional individual with a sharp intellect and an eye for details, he had an incredible work ethic that demonstrated his deep love for God, family and country. Born in Orange, Massachusetts on June 22, 1917, to Robert Henry Anderson, Sr. and Fannie Jeffries Anderson, he always cherished his place of birth. Throughout his lifetime, he lived in Maryland, Florida and North Carolina, but he rarely missed his annual summer pilgrimage back to Orange where he and his beloved wife, Corky, maintained a family vacation home on Lake Mattawa. Bob graduated from the University of Alabama in 1940, with an undying allegiance to the Crimson Tide, and in 1942, earned a Master's Degree in Public Speaking. While teaching in Cold Spring, AL, he met and married Cortez Johnson Anderson. This past March, they celebrated their 71st wedding anniversary. After completing officer training at Harvard University in 1942, he served in the United States Navy in the Pacific arena aboard the William Ward Burrows. As a part of the generation of men and women who sacrificed so much for our freedom during World War II, he spent two years overseas and was reunited with Corky late in 1945. Following WWII, he taught public speaking at the University of Maryland. In 1947, he began his 30 years of service as a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and in 1957, opened an FBI Resident Agency in Ocala, FL, serving as its Senior Resident Agent until his retirement in 1977. As a committed member of the First United Methodist Church (FUMC) and the Kiwanis Club of Ocala, his contributions to the community were significant. In the early 1970's, he directed the Marion County (FL) Kingdom of the Son Crusade, a multi-community, Christian outreach event that touched the lives of many residents. For his strong faith, extraordinary speaking skills, and persuasive personality, he was honored with the God and Country Award. He is survived by his son, Bob III (Sara) of Cary, NC, and daughter, Carol Anderson Crawford (Bob) of Olney, MD; grandchildren Carolyn Anderson Farrell (Rich) of Boston, MA, Mark Anderson (Lisa) of Wilmington, NC, Lauren Crawford Holbrook (Chris) of Cheboygan, MI, Ashley Crawford Elliott (Jason) of Colonial Heights, VA; great-grandchildren Faith (9), Luke (6) and Evelyn Mae (4) Farrell, Crawford (6) and Hugh (23 months) Anderson, Miriam Holbrook (1), Madison (3) and Jackson (1) Elliott. A memorial service will be held at First United Methodist Church in Cary, Saturday, November 17th, 2012 at 11 a.m. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, November 20, 2012 at Witty's Funeral Home, 158 South Main Street, Orange, MA at 11 a.m, with the Rev. Julia Daley of the Orange United Methodist Church officiating. Interment will follow in South Cemetery, Orange. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to FUMC-Cary (NC) or Orange United Methodist Church, 104 South Main Street, Orange, MA 01364. Witty's Funeral Home, 158 South Main Street, Orange, is directing the arrangements. You may offer your sympathy or find directions online at: [www.wittyfuneralhome.com](http://www.wittyfuneralhome.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

**BELLO, NICHOLAS MICHAEL, 89**

Dunnellon - Nicholas Michael Bello passed away early Tuesday morning November 13, 2012 at his home with his loving family by his side. Born in Amsterdam, NY, on July 25th 1923. He resided in Dunnellon nine years with his wife Phyllis. Originally from Hauppauge, L.I., New York. He retired to PA for 14 years. A U.S. veteran, he served as Sergeant in the U.S. Army Air Corps during World War II. A business entrepreneur, he retired as an Electronic Communications Engineer with Motorola and GE. The son of Mary Del Buono and Dominic Bello, he is survived by his wife of 65 years, Phyllis Bello; five children, Pamela (John) Lawler, Mark (Fay Thatcher), Paul (Mary Ann) Bello, Tina Newman and Todd (Diane) Bello; thirteen grandchildren and six great-grandchildren; brothers, Anthony, Joseph, and Dominic Bello; and sister, Virginia MacDowell. Inurnment will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Donations may be made to: [woundedwarriorproject.org](http://woundedwarriorproject.org). P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675, in memory of Nicholas M. Bello. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 16 to November 17, 2012

**BORYSEWICZ, STANLEY A., 67**

Pompano Beach, FL - Stanley A. 'Butch' Borysewicz, 67, died suddenly on November 11, 2012, at his home in Pompano Beach, FL. He was predeceased by his parents, Agnes and Stanley Borysewicz of Ocala, FL. He is survived by his daughter, Amy Borysewicz of New Britain, CT; his partner, Maggie Moya of Pompano Beach, FL; sisters, Marge Skapczynski of Ocala, Pat Brown of St. Peters, MO, and Fran Kaye of Shelton, CT.; and several nieces and nephews and their families. Butch served with the Army in Vietnam in the late 60's. He was an avid golfer and loved his family, football, banking, accounting and computers. Services will be held in Pompano Beach Friday, November 16th, 2012 at St Henry's RC Church. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 16 to November 17, 2012

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**FELDER, PAUL ALVIN, 74**

Belleview - Paul Alvin Felder, 74, of Belleview died November 12, 2012 at the Tuscany Hospice House. He was born on June 8, 1938 in Orangeburg, SC a son to the late Earnest and Gladys (Antley) Felder. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by two sisters, Faye Felder Hare and Patricia Felder Braughton. Paul served in the Strategic Air Command. He was co-owner of Ocala Pump and Tank, Inc., a member of the Belleview Seventh-day Adventist Church, and a resident of Marion County since 1968. He is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Marjorie Ann Wells Felder; sons Steven J Felder, Glen A Felder; daughters, Sherry D. Felder Burluson, Sonya W. Felder Neilson, Zina A. Felder Izquierdo; brothers, Earnest P. Felder,

Jr., Charles W. Felder; sister, Dorothy Felder Dempsey; ten grandchildren and four great grandchildren. A Memorial Service has been scheduled for Saturday November 17, 2012 at 4:30 p.m. at the Belleview Seventh-day Adventist Church, officiated by Pastor Rick Pleasants. In lieu of flowers the family has requested donations to Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 16 to November 17, 2012

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**GODWIN, CLARENCE, 59**

Ocala - Clarence Godwin, 59, died on Saturday, November 10, 2012. He was a native of Marion County, Florida. He was a retired trucker and machinist. He was an active member and Elder with his church, R&R Ministries. Survivors include his wife, Rosemary Godwin; daughters, Dakedra and Rahlelia Godwin; and son, W.C. McGriff, Ocala, FL.; nine grandchildren; four sisters and four brothers. Funeral Services will be held on November 17, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Restoration Ministries of Reconciliation Ocala, FL. Funeral arrangements by Brown Memorial Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 16 to November 17, 2012

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United Methodist Church of Ocala; a member of Masonic Marion-Dunn Lodge No. 19; Scottish Rite, Ocala Shrine Club and Ocala Elk Lodge No. 286. Mr. Johnson served his country in the U.S. Navy as a Petty Officer. He had a positive outlook on life and a smile on his face. He was always surrounded by friends and enjoyed the activities of the Ocala Palms Singles Group. He loved golf and taught his children and wife to play. He was preceded in death by his wife, Shirley Johnson and later his best friend and partner, Helen Price. He is survived by his daughter and son-in-law, Melinda and Rob deViere, Lake Mary, Florida; son and daughter-in-law, Randy Johnson and Dalena Tran, Springfield, Virginia; two granddaughters, Ashley and Michelle deViere, Lake Mary, Florida; two sisters, Helen Sigmon, Inez Edwards, both of Virginia; several nieces and nephews; Stacey and Bob Poncelow and their children, Cassie and Nick. Please visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) to share condolences with the family. Memorial contributions may be made to the Shriners Hospital for Children. Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, November 17, 2012 at First United Methodist Church of Ocala with Dr. John Few officiating. A reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

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### **STARKS, EDDIE**

Crystal River - Eddie Starks passed away on November 9, 2012. A wake will be held on Friday, November 16, 2012 from 5-6:30 p.m. at St. John Missionary Baptist Church, 14549 8th St, Dade City, FL. Funeral services will be on Saturday, November 17, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the church. Rev. Harold Thomas, pastor & eulogist, Elder Leon Thomas officiating. Interment will be at Indian Pond Cemetery. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs., Inc. (352) 562-1394. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

### **STOCK, EVELENA**

Crystal River - Evelena Stock passed away on November 6, 2012. Funeral services will be held

on Saturday, November 17, 2012 at 1 p.m. at Freedom Ministries, 1348 Old Apopka RD, Apopka, FL. Pastor Freddie Filmore, Elder, Leon Thomas, officiating, Rev. Terrance Stafford, eulogist. Interment will be at Florida Memorial Park Cemetery. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs, Inc. (352) 563-1394 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

**WALKER, SHANNON JONES**

Ocala - Shannon Jones Walker, age 74 of Ocala, passed away on Tuesday, November 13, 2012 in E.T. York Hospice Care Center. She was born June 4, 1938 in Augusta, Georgia to Charles Vernon and Margie Delores Munns Jones. For a number of years she was the secretary at City of Ocala Public Works. She loved Bingo and crafts. She is survived by her partner, Ben Vollert of Ocala, FL; children, Hugh L. Walker, Jr. of Oklahoma City, OK, Kathleen W. Dandridge of Gainesville, FL and Keith Edward Walker of Pensacola, FL; brother, Dennis B. Wells and 6 grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held Friday, November 16, 2012 at 3:00 p.m. in the Haven Hospice Chapel, 4200 NW 90th Blvd. Gainesville, with Chaplain Loyal Frisbie-Knudsen officiating. Arrangements are under the care of WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN, 404 North Main Street. For those who wish, memorials may be made to Haven Hospice, 4200 NW 90th Blvd. Gainesville, FL 32606. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN (352) 376-7556 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

**WILLMOTT, ROBERT L., 76**

Ocala - Robert L. Willmott, 76, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, November 12, 2012 in Ocala. He was born in Greenpoint, NY on October 28, 1936. He was a proud veteran of the U.S. Navy. Until his retirement he was a Traffic Sales Manager with C.P. Railroad. Bob was of the Catholic faith. He was an avid golfer and loved playing cards. Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by his son, Bobby Willmott and his grandson, Robert Willmott. Bob is survived by his beloved wife of 51 years, Rita Willmott of Ocala; children, Mary Borkenhagen and her husband Scott of Colorado, Darlene Stevely and her husband Rob of Ocala and Cindy Willmott of New York; grandchildren, Elizabeth, Patrick, Robert, Robert and Melissa; sister, Judy Broughton and her husband George of The Villages; brother, Peter Willmott and his wife Janice of New York. The Funeral Service will be held on Saturday, November 17, 2012 in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala at 1 p.m.. Condolences may be expressed at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

**ZAPPULLA, ANNA M., 90**

Ocala - Anna M. Zappulla, 90, entered into heaven on November 14th, 2012. She was loved by many and will be missed by family and friends. She was born in Newark, New Jersey and in 1958 she moved to Florida. She was an avid member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church for 20 years. She loved all types of Big Band music from Frank Sinatra to Dean Martin. She was proud of her work with Sun Air Electronics and as an employee there she helped to assemble radios for the Navy Aircrafts. She was extremely proud of her family and always boasted about her cooking. She is survived by her son, Joseph (Jaimie) Zappulla; daughters, Donna (Michael) Zappulla-Bell, Rosanna Zappulla-Gunn; brother, Rosairo Raffa and seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Angelo Zappulla and her



three sisters. Visitation will be held Friday November 16th, 2012 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 East Silver Springs Blvd., with a Funeral Mass to be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church at 11 a.m. on Saturday, November 17, 2012 and burial to follow at Highland Memorial Park. [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 15 to November 16, 2012

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, November 17, 2012**

#### **BADERTSCHER, JR., PAUL G., 89**

Summerfield - Paul G. Badertscher, Jr., 89 of Summerfield entered into eternal rest Wednesday, November 14, 2012. Born in Neptune, OH he resided in Detroit, MI for many years before coming to Summerfield in 1988. He was retired executive chauffeur for General Motors Corp. He was an Army veteran of World War II and served in the Pacific Theatre of Operations. He was of the Baptist faith and enjoyed listening to religious hymns. Paul was a beloved family man who cherished his wife and family. He was a stay at home man who found his greatest joy being with his family. He was sadly predeceased by his beloved wife Gladys (Palenkas) Badertscher who passed in 2007. He leaves his loving children, Gail Platt and special friend and caregiver Raymond Desautels of Summerfield; Douglas P. Badertscher and wife Jamie of Sarasota, FL; Denise Hack and husband John of White Lake, MI; Dennis Badertscher and wife Cyndi of Melbourne, FL; his siblings, Jeannette Cornell of St. Petersburg, FL; Kay Holliday of Las Vegas, Nevada and Robert Badertscher of Fort Worth, TX; seven grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. A Celebration of Paul's Life will be held on Saturday, November 17, 2012 at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, The Villages at 10 a.m. Relatives and friends may visit with the family prior to the service from 9 - 10 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Hospice of Marion County P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. For expressions of sympathy visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 17 to November 18, 2012

#### **BELLO, NICHOLAS MICHAEL, 89**

Dunnellon - Nicholas Michael Bello passed away early Tuesday morning November 13, 2012 at his home with his loving family by his side. Born in Amsterdam, NY, on July 25th 1923. He resided in Dunnellon nine years with his wife Phyllis. Originally from Hauppauge, L.I., New York. He retired to PA for 14 years. A U.S. veteran, he served as Sergeant in the U.S. Army Air Corps during World War II. A business entrepreneur, he retired as an Electronic Communications Engineer with Motorola and GE. The son of Mary Del Buono and Dominic Bello, he is survived by his wife of 65 years, Phyllis Bello; five children, Pamela (John) Lawler, Mark (Fay Thatcher), Paul (Mary Ann) Bello, Tina Newman and Todd (Diane) Bello; thirteen grandchildren and six great-grandchildren; brothers, Anthony, Joseph, and Dominic Bello; and sister, Virginia MacDowell. Inurnment will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Donations may be made to: [woundedwarriorproject.org](http://woundedwarriorproject.org) P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675, in memory of Nicholas M. Bello. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 16 to November 17, 2012

#### **BORYSEWICZ, STANLEY A., 67**

Pompano Beach, FL - Stanley A. 'Butch' Borysewicz, 67, died suddenly on November 11, 2012, at his home in Pompano Beach, FL. He was predeceased by his parents, Agnes and Stanley

Borysewicz of Ocala, FL. He is survived by his daughter, Amy Borysewicz of New Britain, CT; his partner, Maggie Moya of Pompano Beach, FL; sisters, Marge Skapczynski of Ocala, Pat Brown of St. Peters, MO, and Fran Kaye of Shelton, CT.; and several nieces and nephews and their families. Butch served with the Army in Vietnam in the late 60's. He was an avid golfer and loved his family, football, banking, accounting and computers. Services will be held in Pompano Beach Friday, November 16th, 2012 at St Henry's RC Church. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 16 to November 17, 2012

**FELDER, PAUL ALVIN, 74**

Bellevue - Paul Alvin Felder, 74, of Bellevue died November 12, 2012 at the Tuscany Hospice House. He was born on June 8, 1938 in Orangeburg, SC a son to the late Earnest and Gladys (Antley) Felder. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by two sisters, Faye Felder Hare and Patricia Felder Braughton. Paul served in the Strategic Air Command. He was co-owner of Ocala Pump and Tank, Inc., a member of the Bellevue Seventh-day Adventist Church, and a resident of Marion County since 1968. He is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Marjorie Ann Wells Felder; sons Steven J Felder, Glen A Felder; daughters, Sherry D. Felder Burlison, Sonya W. Felder Neilson, Zina A. Felder Izquierdo; brothers, Earnest P. Felder, Jr., Charles W. Felder; sister, Dorothy Felder Dempsey; ten grandchildren and four great grandchildren. A Memorial Service has been scheduled for Saturday November 17, 2012 at 4:30 p.m. at the Bellevue Seventh-day Adventist Church, officiated by Pastor Rick Pleasants. In lieu of flowers the family has requested donations to Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 16 to November 17, 2012

**GODWIN, CLARENCE, 59**

Ocala - Clarence Godwin, 59, died on Saturday, November 10, 2012. He was a native of Marion County, Florida. He was a retired trucker and machinist. He was an active member and Elder with his church, R&R Ministries. Survivors include his wife, Rosemary Godwin; daughters, Dakedra and Rahlelia Godwin; and son, W.C. McGriff, Ocala, FL.; nine grandchildren; four sisters and four brothers. Funeral Services will be held on November 17, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Restoration Ministries of Reconciliation Ocala, FL. Funeral arrangements by Brown Memorial Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 16 to November 17, 2012

**HOSEY, DOROTHY MAE "KRIS", 77**

Ocala - Dorothy Mae Hosey "Kris", 77, of Ocala, entered the Kingdom of Heaven on November 12, 2012. She was born on November 19, 1934, in Calhoun County, WV to Scott and Bina Bennett Hosey. As a young woman, she moved to Cleveland, OH, where she worked for and retired from General Electric. She is survived by her dearest friend, Joan and her loving four-legged "children" MacTavish, Sidney and Bella. She was the dearest sister to her brother, Lorrin and her late siblings, Harry, Virginia, Gail, Omar, Paul, Eula Richards and Ona Elder. She was the beloved sister-in-law to Jenny and Mae and a loving aunt and friend to many. She was a member and Eucharistic Minister at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church where her Final Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, November 20th, 2012 at 11 a.m. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944. A condolence message may be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 17 to November 19, 2012

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**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, November 18, 2012****ADAIR, DOROTHY**

Ocala - Dorothy Adair, 81, made her transition on November 14, 2012. She was born on August 13, 1931 in Philadelphia, PA. She was a multifaceted artist working in many mediums including painting, sculpting, pen and ink, and calligraphy. She also was a writer and an accomplished keyboard musician. She was an active church member all her life. Her loving acceptance of everyone she met was a great personal strength cherished by her family and friends. On February 14, 1949 she married John Adair, and they remained together for 63 years. They moved to Ocala, Florida in 2003. John survives. Other survivors include her children; David Adair, Kathy Ravegum and Susan Lupold, seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. A family memorial service will be held at a later date in Pennsylvania. Memorial donations may be made in her memory to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

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### **BALL, KATHY CRENSHAW**

Ocala - Kathy Crenshaw Ball, 71, entered into heaven Saturday November 17, 2012. Kathy was a lifelong resident of Ocala graduating from Ocala High School in 1959. She was a talented soprano, performing in duets and trios with her sisters in her early years. Her creative talents were for arranging flowers for weddings, painting and decorating her home. She loved her doll collection. She loved children and babies; a true favorite of the children in her family. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ray O. Ball, Sr.; stepson, Ray Ball Jr. and her sister, Betsy Hersey. She leaves to cherish her memory her daughter, Kelli (Tony) Stelogeannis; stepdaughter, Kathryn (Phillip) Head, both of Ocala; eight grandchildren; several great grandchildren; sister, Sandra (Ted) Taylor, Fellowship, Florida; brother-in-law, Elbert Hersey, Starke, Florida and five nieces and nephews. Please visit [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) to share words of comfort with the family. Funeral services will be held 11 AM Wednesday, November 21, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home with Rev. John Outlaw officiating. Interment will follow in Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. The family will receive friends from 5 - 7 PM Tuesday, November 20, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

### **CARON, REGINA & JOSEPH**

Regina Caron, 92 and Joseph Caron, 91

Ocala - Both widowed, Regina and Joe met in the spring of 1981 on a golfing blind date in Ocala, and married that fall. Together they lived in Marion Oaks, Ocala, and Dunnellon. They spent the last few years of their lives in an assisted living facility in Orlando, where they were lovingly looked after by their niece, Barbara Aboushahba. The Carons enjoyed golfing several times a week well into their 80s, and looked forward to annual vacations at their timeshares in Sanibel Island, Branson, MO and Tenn. They also cruised to Alaska, the Panama Canal, and the Caribbean, and visited family and friends on extended auto trips to Ohio, Pennsylvania, Connecticut and Quebec. Jeannie and Joe welcomed many guests to their home over their years together, and were known for their faithful adherence to serving light hors d'oeuvres and highballs for the 5 o'clock cocktail hour. Regina was born in Pennsylvania to Carl and Genevieve Daley Cairns, the second of four children. She lived for many years in Erie, PA, where she was a buyer and department head for Halle Bros. Department Store. In February 1980, not long after they retired to Ocala, her husband of nearly 40 years, Edward Nowak, died. They had no children. Regina enjoyed bridge, crafts, and reading, in addition to golf. Besides her sister, Mary Jayne Williams, "Aunt Jeannie" is survived by numerous nieces and nephews. She died in December, 2011 at the age of 92 of Alzheimer's. Joseph Ernest Caron was born in Bedford, Quebec to Ernest and Bertha Sequin Caron. He immigrated to the United States as a young man and spent his career as a needle division foreman at the Torrington Company in Torrington, Conn. He was married for over 30 years to Julie Krulicki, until her death in 1977.

They also had no children. One of Joe's hobbies was woodworking, which he used to woo Jeannie by offering to fix a chair for her the first time they met. Gardening and winemaking were other interests, but all took a back seat to golf. Of his many brothers and sisters, Joe is survived by his brother Jean Guy Caron, and sisters Madaline Caldwell, Lucie Cheney and Claire Legeaurl, as well as several nieces and nephews. Joe died October 20 of Alzheimer's just a two weeks after going out on his last weekly lunch date with his niece, Barbara. Friends are invited to join the extended families of Regina and Joe Caron for a funeral mass and memorial service Tuesday, November 20. Mass will be at their church Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW Highway 200, Ocala at 8:30 a.m. The memorial service will be at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE Third Street in Ocala, at 10 a.m., in the Celebration of Life room. Memorial donations may be made in their names to the Alzheimer's Association at alz.org. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

**CLAUSS, HARRY J. "HANK", 73**

Orange Park - Harry J. "Hank" Clauss, 73, formerly of Ocala, went to heaven Thursday, November 15, 2012. He lived in Ocala most of his life and belonged to the Knights of Columbus, Elks Club and Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He owned several businesses in the area. He is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Lorraine Clauss; daughters, Stacy (Jon) Wylie, Bostwick, Florida, Shanon Todd, Ocala; son, Chance Clauss, Jacksonville, Florida; six grandchildren, Amanda, Ryan, Ashlee, Amber, Christian and Cole; one great grandchild, James and cousin, Ronnie Ann Martin, Ocala. Funeral services will be held at 2:45 p.m., Tuesday, November 20, 2012 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Mausoleum Chapel with Father Pat Sheedy and Jack Kennedy officiating. Entombment will follow. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

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**JAMES, JESSE J., 61**

April 17, 1951 - October 26, 2012

Fairmount, GA - Jesse James, 61, of Fairmount GA, passed away after losing his battle with cancer. He was a former resident of Fairfield and Marion County, attending Reddick Elementary and North Marion High School. He was born in Miami, FL, the son of Edith Louise Greenway James and Dwight James. Jesse was a person with a zeal for his independence from his youth

onward. He had his own way of living, thinking, and was a rebel at heart. Due to this, it was often the case he would get into some kind of mischief. He was often at odds with his teachers, family, employers and the long arm of the Law. There were more than a few heartaches with his parents. Everyone reading this who knew Jesse has their own memories and stories; he left many of them. Jesse had a good hearty laugh, great smile and could make friends wherever he lived. Jesse had a number of skills and abilities which he enjoyed. He was a good mechanic, enjoyed working on his cars, trucks and other vehicles. He was good at plumbing, carpentry, electrical and could repair many things if he had the proper tools. He enjoyed having a garden and giving away what he grew. He lived for a time in Utah repairing old Military equipment and putting together a water bottling operation. Jesse was always the adventurous soul and willing to try new things. In his travels out West and up towards Alaska, he even tried his hand at gold mining. Jesse made a profession of his Faith in Christ before his passing which is of great comfort to all who loved him. Survivors include his loving faithful mother, Louise James-Stewart and stepfather Dale Stewart; brother, Frank of Kent, WA; sisters, Marsha Cooper, Linda McGovern, and Ginger Munroe of Fairfield, FL; many nieces, nephews, great-nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held for family and friends at Fairfield Presbyterian Church Saturday, November 24th, 2012 at 2 p.m. The church is located on CR 225, 1.5 miles SW of the Irvine exit off I-75. Rev. Bruce Seaman is the pastor. Online condolences may be expressed at: [www.maxbrannonandsons.com](http://www.maxbrannonandsons.com). In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial contributions be sent to Omega Health Care (Hospice), 27 Maple Ridge Dr., Suite A, Cartersville, GA 30121, or Fairfield Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 834, Fairfield, FL., 32634. Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Matthew 11:28 Rest in peace, Jesse James, Rest in peace. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

### **KUNZE, ELDON CLARKE, 90**

Ocala - Eldon Clarke Kunze, 90, of Ocala, died on Thursday, November 8, 2012. Eldon was born in Paterson, NJ in 1922 and lived in Belleville, NJ until he left for college. He graduated from the University of Alabama and immediately served in the European Theater during World War II as a member of the U.S. Army Corp. rising to the rank of Captain. He had a lifetime of experience during the war including the Battle of the Bulge and the Trials at Nuremberg. Eldon received the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart. Upon his return from the war, Eldon married his hometown sweetheart, Doris Davis, in 1946 and lived in Packanack Lake of Wayne, NJ. He worked at New Jersey Bell for 37 years; retiring as a Community Relations Manager. He was an active member of many service organizations, including terms as president of a Kiwanis Club, Lions Club, and Chamber of Commerce. Eldon and Doris retired in 1983 and lived in Hilton Head, SC and Seven Lakes, NC before moving to Ocala, FL in 1995. Eldon enjoyed playing golf, but still found his greatest joy in his community service to others. He always said his greatest highlight in his retirement years was his association and membership in the Kingdom of the Sun (KOS) Chapter of MOAA (Military Officers Association of America) where he served on the Board of Directors and as President. Eldon also established their "Stuff the Bus" program to supply school supplies to those in need. Eldon is predeceased by his father, Arthur Kunze and his beloved mother Bertha Clarke Kunze. He is survived by his wife of 66 years, Doris Davis Kunze and their three children, Dr. Richard S. Kunze, Dr. Kenneth C. Kunze, and Diane Kunze Vaglio. He is also survived by seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He will be remembered for living his life with integrity, honesty, service to God and those in need, and his compassion and love of his family. Memorial services will be held at the Timber Ridge

Chapel of Hiers- Baxley Funeral Sevices, 9695 SW 110th St, Ocala, on Saturday, November 24, 2012 at 11:30 AM. The family has requested donations to the American Red Cross to assist the victims of Superstorm Sandy. Condolences may be given at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

**LENOX, BARBARA JEAN, 84**

Ocala - Barbara Jean Lenox passed away November 9, 2012. Born July 13th, 1928 in Columbus, OH. She moved to Ocala, FL from Macon, GA in 2003. She married her husband Jack on February 1, 1953 and lived in various locations in the states and overseas throughout his military career. They located in Rockledge, FL after his retirement where she served as a pink lady for 20 years at the local hospital in charge of the baby first photo program. She also made handcrafted ladies handbags that were the center of attention whenever she carried one. She is survived by two children, Michelle Bornstein of The Villages, FL and Douglas of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; three grandchildren; Justin and Trevor Walker; and one sister Elizabeth Hirsch. She was predeceased by sister, Miriam Bishop. Burial will be at the National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

**LESCH, ELAINE PATRICIA**

Ocala - Elaine Patricia Lesch, born on April 12, 1923 in Chicago, Illinois, to George and Lillian Johnson, went to heaven on November 14, 2012. Elaine was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother. She married Donald Lesch on March 2, 1946, when he returned from Germany after WWII. She is survived by her husband, Donald Lesch; sister, Lillian (Greg) Lesch, Queen Creek, AZ; daughters, Donna (Wayne) Serviss, Ocala; Suzanne Nelsen, Jeffersonton, VA; granddaughters, Victoria Roberts, Brita Jarrett, Miriam Awan; grandsons, Brett & Bryan Serviss, and Rex E. Nelsen; great grandchildren, Annabell, Lydia, Keenan and Dillon Serviss; Noah and Maya Jarrett; Kevan and Malek Awan. She was a life member of Disabled American Veterans and past president of Ladies Auxiliary, American Legion, Hanau, Germany. Visitation will be 4:00-7:00 pm, Monday, November 19, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony. Funeral Mass will be 10:00 am, Tuesday, November 20, at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church Chapel with Father Pat Sheedy officiating. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

**POLK, VIVIAN SUELLEN "SUSIE", 71**

Ocala - Vivian Suellen "Susie" Polk, 71, went home to be with her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ on November 16, 2012. She was born to Paul Joseph Griffin, Sr., and Letha Byrd Tipton, on April 5, 1941, in Smoaks, SC. She grew up in Palatka, FL where she lived until moving to Ocala, FL in 1963. She was a member of Highlands Baptist Church in Ocala and served her church working with young children, teaching them that Jesus loves them. "Susie" is survived by her husband of 52 years, Jimmy R. Polk of Ocala; daughter, Lee Dukes (Mark) of Kissimmee; son, Barry Polk (Anne) of Chesapeake, VA; six grandchildren; sister, Margaret Anne Musso (Lou) of Newport, WA; brother, Paul J. Griffin Jr. (Charlene) of Melbourne, FL; and other relatives and friends. Her parents predeceased her. A memorial service to be conducted by Pastor Jeff Priest will be held November 20, 2012, at 4 p.m. at Highlands Baptist Church. The Family request that in lieu of flowers, a contribution be made to Highlands Baptist Learning Center, 3530 SE Fort King Street, Ocala, FL 34470 or Hospice of Marion County, P. O. Box 4960, Ocala, FL, 34478.

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**SWANK, EDWIN "GENE", 83**

Ocala - Edwin "Gene" Swank, 83, of Ocala, Florida formerly of Elvaston, Illinois passed away November 11, 2012 at his home. Gene was born to Francis and Freda (Gunning) Swank in Rock Creek, Illinois. He graduated from Colusa High School in 1947. He married Alma Murphy in 1948. On December 14, 1975, he married Ann Knueppel Dobbels. He worked for Swank Fertilizer, with this father and brother, before becoming owner of Swank Farm Service in West Point, Illinois. He loved trucking and later became an over-the-road driver for Freuhauf before moving to Florida in 1975 where he was Supervisor for American Engineering. After retiring he worked part time delivering pharmaceuticals to hospitals and stores and then for Hospice. Gene is survived by his wife, Ann Swank, of Ocala; his children Jimme (Ginger) Swank of Hamilton, Donne "Harry" (Donna Grim) Swank of Carthage, Kein Wade (Wendy) of Hamilton and Susan Weed of Tampa, Florida; three stepsons, Kip Dobbels of West Palm Beach, Florida, Gilbert (Tina) Dobbels of Lincoln, Illinois and Ronnie (Sandy) Dobbels of Alpha, Illinois; six grandchildren and five great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Wayne Swank. Memorial service celebrating Gene's life will be held at Church of Hope, 3233 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, on Sunday, November 25, 2012 at 4 p.m. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Marion County Animal Center, 5701 SE 66th Street, Ocala, Florida 34480, Attn: Wendy Hillyard or Hospice of Marion County. Graveside services will be held at a later date in Cambridge, Illinois. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel. Ocala, FL. 352-622-4141. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

**YEARY, SARA ANN, 81**

Ocala - Sara Ann Yeary, 81 passed away in Ocala, FL on November 15, 2012. She is predeceased by her husband of 49 years, Carl, and the day she passed was their 63rd wedding anniversary. She is survived by her sons Craig, Terry and Steven; grandchildren Kristofer, Matthew, Chad and Jason; and great-grandchildren Caleb, Abigail, Jonah and Leilana. She was a loving mother, grandmother and great grandmother and was loved by all as well. A Spring beach memorial service will be planned. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you make a donation to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

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**ADAIR, DOROTHY**

Ocala - Dorothy Adair, 81, made her transition on November 14, 2012. She was born on August 13, 1931 in Philadelphia, PA. She was a multifaceted artist working in many mediums including painting, sculpting, pen and ink, and calligraphy. She also was a writer and an accomplished keyboard musician. She was an active church member all her life. Her loving acceptance of everyone she met was a great personal strength cherished by her family and friends. On February 14, 1949 she married John Adair, and they remained together for 63 years. They moved to Ocala, Florida in 2003. John survives. Other survivors include her children; David Adair, Kathy Ravegum and Susan Lupold, seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. A family memorial service will be held at a later date in Pennsylvania. Memorial donations may be made



in her memory to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

### **BALL, KATHY CRENSHAW**

Ocala - Kathy Crenshaw Ball, 71, entered into heaven Saturday November 17, 2012. Kathy was a lifelong resident of Ocala graduating from Ocala High School in 1959. She was a talented soprano, performing in duets and trios with her sisters in her early years. Her creative talents were for arranging flowers for weddings, painting and decorating her home. She loved her doll collection. She loved children and babies; a true favorite of the children in her family. She was preceded in death by her husband, Ray O. Ball, Sr.; stepson, Ray Ball Jr. and her sister, Betsy Hersey. She leaves to cherish her memory her daughter, Kelli (Tony) Stelogeannis; stepdaughter, Kathryn (Phillip) Head, both of Ocala; eight grandchildren; several great grandchildren; sister, Sandra (Ted) Taylor, Fellowship, Florida; brother-in-law, Elbert Hersey, Starke, Florida and five nieces and nephews. Please visit [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) to share words of comfort with the family. Funeral services will be held 11 AM Wednesday, November 21, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home with Rev. John Outlaw officiating. Interment will follow in Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. The family will receive friends from 5 - 7 PM Tuesday, November 20, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

### **CARON, REGINA & JOSEPH**

Regina Caron, 92 and Joseph Caron, 91

Ocala - Both widowed, Regina and Joe met in the spring of 1981 on a golfing blind date in Ocala, and married that fall. Together they lived in Marion Oaks, Ocala, and Dunnellon. They spent the last few years of their lives in an assisted living facility in Orlando, where they were lovingly looked after by their niece, Barbara Aboushahba. The Carons enjoyed golfing several times a week well into their 80s, and looked forward to annual vacations at their timeshares in Sanibel Island, Branson, MO and Tenn. They also cruised to Alaska, the Panama Canal, and the Caribbean, and visited family and friends on extended auto trips to Ohio, Pennsylvania, Connecticut and Quebec. Jeannie and Joe welcomed many guests to their home over their years together, and were known for their faithful adherence to serving light hors d'oeuvres and highballs for the 5 o'clock cocktail hour. Regina was born in Pennsylvania to Carl and Genevieve Daley Cairns, the second of four children. She lived for many years in Erie, PA, where she was a buyer and department head for Halle Bros. Department Store. In February 1980, not long after they retired to Ocala, her husband of nearly 40 years, Edward Nowak, died. They had no children. Regina enjoyed bridge, crafts, and reading, in addition to golf. Besides her sister, Mary Jayne Williams, "Aunt Jeannie" is survived by numerous nieces and nephews. She died in December, 2011 at the age of 92 of Alzheimer's. Joseph Ernest Caron was born in Bedford, Quebec to Ernest and Bertha Sequin Caron. He immigrated to the United States as a young man and spent his career as a needle division foreman at the Torrington Company in Torrington, Conn. He was married for over 30 years to Julie Krulicki, until her death in 1977. They also had no children. One of Joe's hobbies was woodworking, which he used to woo Jeannie by offering to fix a chair for her the first time they met. Gardening and winemaking were other interests, but all took a back seat to golf. Of his many brothers and sisters, Joe is survived by his brother Jean Guy Caron, and sisters Madaline Caldwell, Lucie Cheney and Claire

Legeaur, as well as several nieces and nephews. Joe died October 20 of Alzheimer's just a two weeks after going out on his last weekly lunch date with his niece, Barbara. Friends are invited to join the extended families of Regina and Joe Caron for a funeral mass and memorial service Tuesday, November 20. Mass will be at their church Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW Highway 200, Ocala at 8:30 a.m. The memorial service will be at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE Third Street in Ocala, at 10 a.m., in the Celebration of Life room. Memorial donations may be made in their names to the Alzheimer's Association at alz.org. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

**CLAUSS, HARRY J. "HANK", 73**

Orange Park - Harry J. "Hank" Clauss, 73, formerly of Ocala, went to heaven Thursday, November 15, 2012. He lived in Ocala most of his life and belonged to the Knights of Columbus, Elks Club and Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He owned several businesses in the area. He is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Lorraine Clauss; daughters, Stacy (Jon) Wylie, Bostwick, Florida, Shanon Todd, Ocala; son, Chance Clauss, Jacksonville, Florida; six grandchildren, Amanda, Ryan, Ashlee, Amber, Christian and Cole; one great grandchild, James and cousin, Ronnie Ann Martin, Ocala. Funeral services will be held at 2:45 p.m., Tuesday, November 20, 2012 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Mausoleum Chapel with Father Pat Sheedy and Jack Kennedy officiating. Entombment will follow. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

**HOSEY, DOROTHY MAE "KRIS", 77**

Ocala - Dorothy Mae Hosey "Kris", 77, of Ocala, entered the Kingdom of Heaven on November 12, 2012. She was born on November 19, 1934, in Calhoun County, WV to Scott and Bina Bennett Hosey. As a young woman, she moved to Cleveland, OH, where she worked for and retired from General Electric. She is survived by her dearest friend, Joan and her loving four-legged "children" MacTavish, Sidney and Bella. She was the dearest sister to her brother, Lorrin and her late siblings, Harry, Virginia, Gail, Omar, Paul, Eula Richards and Ona Elder. She was the beloved sister-in-law to Jenny and Mae and a loving aunt and friend to many. She was a member and Eucharistic Minister at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church where her Final Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, November 20th, 2012 at 11 a.m. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 32177-9944. A condolence message may be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 17 to November 19, 2012

**JAMES, JESSE J., 61**

April 17, 1951 - October 26, 2012

Fairmount, GA - Jesse James, 61, of Fairmount GA, passed away after losing his battle with cancer. He was a former resident of Fairfield and Marion County, attending Reddick Elementary and North Marion High School. He was born in Miami, FL, the son of Edith Louise Greenway James and Dwight James. Jesse was a person with a zeal for his independence from his youth onward. He had his own way of living, thinking, and was a rebel at heart. Due to this, it was often the case he would get into some kind of mischief. He was often at odds with his teachers, family, employers and the long arm of the Law. There were more than a few heartaches with his parents. Everyone reading this who knew Jesse has their own memories and stories; he left many

of them. Jesse had a good hearty laugh, great smile and could make friends wherever he lived. Jesse had a number of skills and abilities which he enjoyed. He was a good mechanic, enjoyed working on his cars, trucks and other vehicles. He was good at plumbing, carpentry, electrical and could repair many things if he had the proper tools. He enjoyed having a garden and giving away what he grew. He lived for a time in Utah repairing old Military equipment and putting together a water bottling operation. Jesse was always the adventurous soul and willing to try new things. In his travels out West and up towards Alaska, he even tried his hand at gold mining. Jesse made a profession of his Faith in Christ before his passing which is of great comfort to all who loved him. Survivors include his loving faithful mother, Louise James-Stewart and stepfather Dale Stewart; brother, Frank of Kent, WA; sisters, Marsha Cooper, Linda McGovern, and Ginger Munroe of Fairfield, FL; many nieces, nephews, great-nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held for family and friends at Fairfield Presbyterian Church Saturday, November 24th, 2012 at 2 p.m. The church is located on CR 225, 1.5 miles SW of the Irvine exit off I-75. Rev. Bruce Seaman is the pastor. Online condolences may be expressed at: [www.maxbrannonandsons.com](http://www.maxbrannonandsons.com). In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that memorial contributions be sent to Omega Health Care (Hospice), 27 Maple Ridge Dr., Suite A, Cartersville, GA 30121, or Fairfield Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 834, Fairfield, FL., 32634. Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Matthew 11:28 Rest in peace, Jesse James, Rest in peace. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

#### **KUNZE, ELDON CLARKE, 90**

Ocala - Eldon Clarke Kunze, 90, of Ocala, died on Thursday, November 8, 2012. Eldon was born in Paterson, NJ in 1922 and lived in Belleville, NJ until he left for college. He graduated from the University of Alabama and immediately served in the European Theater during World War II as a member of the U.S. Army Corp. rising to the rank of Captain. He had a lifetime of experience during the war including the Battle of the Bulge and the Trials at Nuremberg. Eldon received the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart. Upon his return from the war, Eldon married his hometown sweetheart, Doris Davis, in 1946 and lived in Packanack Lake of Wayne, NJ. He worked at New Jersey Bell for 37 years; retiring as a Community Relations Manager. He was an active member of many service organizations, including terms as president of a Kiwanis Club, Lions Club, and Chamber of Commerce. Eldon and Doris retired in 1983 and lived in Hilton Head, SC and Seven Lakes, NC before moving to Ocala, FL in 1995. Eldon enjoyed playing golf, but still found his greatest joy in his community service to others. He always said his greatest highlight in his retirement years was his association and membership in the Kingdom of the Sun (KOS) Chapter of MOAA (Military Officers Association of America) where he served on the Board of Directors and as President. Eldon also established their "Stuff the Bus" program to supply school supplies to those in need. Eldon is predeceased by his father, Arthur Kunze and his beloved mother Bertha Clarke Kunze. He is survived by his wife of 66 years, Doris Davis Kunze and their three children, Dr. Richard S. Kunze, Dr. Kenneth C. Kunze, and Diane Kunze Vaglio. He is also survived by seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He will be remembered for living his life with integrity, honesty, service to God and those in need, and his compassion and love of his family. Memorial services will be held at the Timber Ridge Chapel of Hiers- Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St, Ocala, on Saturday, November 24, 2012 at 11:30 AM. The family has requested donations to the American Red Cross to assist the victims of Superstorm Sandy. Condolences may be given at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 18 to November 19, 2012

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**CESARO, JENNIE, 87**

Ormond Beach - Jennie Cesaro, 87, of Ormond Beach, passed away November 17, 2012. She was born on July 9, 1925 in Brooklyn, NY a daughter to the late Salvatore and Rosaria (Curcio) Perinelli. In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by a daughter Deborah McMahan and a son Gary Cesaro. Survivors include a daughter Denise Narolis of Belleview, FL, two sons, Joe Cesaro of South Plainfield, NJ, Thomas Cesaro of Port Orange, Fl, twelve

grandchildren including a special granddaughter Dawn Mari Harris who took special care of her grandmother, and a grandson, Thomas Azenara who will miss her very much, and ten great grandchildren. A graveside service has been scheduled for November 20, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Condolences can be left at: [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 20 to November 21, 2012

**ESTOCK, GENEVA, 71**

Bullard, TX - A memorial service for Geneva Estock, 71, of Bullard and formerly of Ocala, will be held on Wednesday, November 21, 2012, at 10a.m. at Stewart Family Funeral Home with Rev. Jeff Campbell officiating. Mrs. Estock passed away Sunday, November 18, 2012 after a brief illness in Bullard, Texas and is now in heaven with loved ones. She was born August 18, 1941 in Danville, Illinois to Paul E. and Lucille Schumacker Pouilliard. She married Jerry L. Estock on September 26, 1958 and three children were born to this union. She moved to Bullard, Texas in 2005 but lived in Salt Springs and Fort McCoy and has many friends there. Geneva enjoyed the time she spent living in Florida, particularly fishing Salt Springs run with her husband and friends. She enjoyed going to garage sales every Friday with her good friend, Gaye. She had two cats, Callie and Little Bit that she loved dearly. Geneva was the greatest mother, grandmother and mother-in-law anyone could have. Words cannot describe how she will be missed. In addition to her parents, Mrs. Estock was preceded in death by her daughter, Paula Estock and stepmother, Thelma Pouilliard. She is survived by her loving family including daughter, Jerri Lynn Mackey and husband John of Bullard; son, John Allen Estock of Danville, Illinois; grandchildren, Sheila Darling of South Whitley, Indiana, Jessie Estock of Ocala, Florida and Laura Mackey of Bullard; four great-grandchildren and very special friend, Mrs. Iris Barrett of Fort McCoy that she loved so much. Visitation is scheduled from 9:30 to 10:00 AM on Wednesday, November 21, 2012 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway, in Tyler. The family would like to offer a special thank you to Dr. Joseph Martins, Pastor Jeff Campbell and to the many friends who sent cards and get well wishes these last two months. If desired, memorials may be made to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, 1311 Mamaroneck Avenue, Suite 310, White Plains, NY 10605. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 20 to November 21, 2012

**HETZLER, LOREN R., 76**

Ocala - Loren R. Hetzler, 76, of Ocala passed away October 16, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born on June 14, 1936 in Decatur, IL a son to the late Ernst and Gertrude Hetzler. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his wife Shirley, a daughter Debbie Goss, and a brother Donald. He was a sports fan of the Fighting Illini football, the Cubs, and Nascar. Survivors include a daughter Donna Hetzler, of Ocala, two sons, Duane and Skylar Hetzler both of Ocala, a brother, Harold Hetzler of Leesburg; four grandchildren and ten great grandchildren. A graveside inurnment was held November 10, 2012 at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 20 to November 21, 2012

**McFARLANE, JUNE DELORES, 86**

Ocala - June Delores McFarlane, age 86, of Ocala, FL, passed away November 3, 2012. Born June Delores Nichols on July 24, 1926 in Pennsylvania, she attended the University of Pittsburg and several other schools on the west coast, ultimately leading to her career as a cytotechnologist. Originally married to Hayes Benjamin Carpenter, she and "Ben" had two

boys, Norman and Kurt. In 1990, Ben died, which led to her relocation in Florida and her second marriage to Kenneth McFarlane, Sr. June is survived by her son Norman, daughter-in-law Linda, grandson Christian and great-granddaughter Caitlin as well as her husband Ken, his son Ken Jr., daughter-in-law Debbie and their children and grandchildren. Per June's request, there will be no funeral or memorial service. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 20 to November 21, 2012

**MURRAY, RACHAEL A., 41**

Ocala - Rachael Ann Murray (Steadward) age 41 of Ocala, FL (formerly of Wales, MA) lost her courageous battle with cancer on October 7, 2012. Rachael worked as a sales associate for J.C. Penny of Sturbridge, MA from 1992 to 1998 at which time she transferred to J.C. Penny of Ocala, FL where she worked as an office specialist for a total of 20 years. Rachael was a kind and thoughtful woman and was also independent, strong and courageous through life's toughest times. Rachael is survived and missed by her mother Patricia A. Dombek; her step-father Mark A. Dombek both of Wales, MA (Mark later lost his life to esophageal cancer on Nov 5, 2012) sister Lori Snow, niece Kristy Snow and nephews DJ and Michael Snow of Warren MA. She is also survived and missed by her step-brother Mark Anthony Dombek of Sturbridge, MA and her companion Michael Westgate of Ocala, FL. She will also be missed by many cherished friends as well as her beloved cat "Bear." Services will be held at the Hilton of Ocala, 3600 SW 36th Ave Ocala, FL on November 26, 2012 at 6PM. Memorial donations can be made to the Humane Society at [www.humanesociety.org/donate](http://www.humanesociety.org/donate) or mail to The HSUS, Dept MEMIT9, 2100 L St NW. Washington, DC 20037. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 20 to November 21, 2012

**READ, MARIE, 83**

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#### **BALL, KATHY CRENSHAW**

Ocala - Kathy Crenshaw Ball, 71, entered into heaven Saturday November 17, 2012. Funeral services will be held 11 AM Wednesday, November 21, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home with Rev. John Outlaw officiating. Interment will follow in Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. The family will receive friends from 5 - 7 PM this evening at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 20 to November 21, 2012

#### **CESARO, JENNIE, 87**

Ormond Beach - Jennie Cesaro, 87, of Ormond Beach, passed away November 17, 2012. She was born on July 9, 1925 in Brooklyn, NY a daughter to the late Salvatore and Rosaria (Curcio) Perinelli. In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by a daughter Deborah McMahan and a son Gary Cesaro. Survivors include a daughter Denise Napolis of Belleview,



FL, two sons, Joe Cesaro of South Plainfield, NJ, Thomas Cesaro of Port Orange, FL, twelve grandchildren including a special granddaughter Dawn Mari Harris who took special care of her grandmother, and a grandson, Thomas Azenara who will miss her very much, and ten great grandchildren. A graveside service has been scheduled for November 20, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Condolences can be left at: [www.forestlawnocala.com](http://www.forestlawnocala.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 20 to November 21, 2012

**ESTOCK, GENEVA, 71**

Bullard, TX - A memorial service for Geneva Estock, 71, of Bullard and formerly of Ocala, will be held on Wednesday, November 21, 2012, at 10a.m. at Stewart Family Funeral Home with Rev. Jeff Campbell officiating. Mrs. Estock passed away Sunday, November 18, 2012 after a brief illness in Bullard, Texas and is now in heaven with loved ones. She was born August 18, 1941 in Danville, Illinois to Paul E. and Lucille Schumacker Pouilliard. She married Jerry L. Estock on September 26, 1958 and three children were born to this union. She moved to Bullard, Texas in 2005 but lived in Salt Springs and Fort McCoy and has many friends there. Geneva enjoyed the time she spent living in Florida, particularly fishing Salt Springs run with her husband and friends. She enjoyed going to garage sales every Friday with her good friend, Gaye. She had two cats, Callie and Little Bit that she loved dearly. Geneva was the greatest mother, grandmother and mother-in-law anyone could have. Words cannot describe how she will be missed.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Estock was preceded in death by her daughter, Paula Estock and stepmother, Thelma Pouilliard. She is survived by her loving family including daughter, Jerri Lynn Mackey and husband John of Bullard; son, John Allen Estock of Danville, Illinois; grandchildren, Sheila Darling of South Whitley, Indiana, Jessie Estock of Ocala, Florida and Laura Mackey of Bullard; four great-grandchildren and very special friend, Mrs. Iris Barrett of Fort McCoy that she loved so much. Visitation is scheduled from 9:30 to 10:00 AM on Wednesday, November 21, 2012 at Stewart Family Funeral Home, 7525 Old Jacksonville Highway, in Tyler. The family would like to offer a special thank you to Dr. Joseph Martins, Pastor Jeff Campbell and to the many friends who sent cards and get well wishes these last two months. If desired, memorials may be made to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, 1311 Mamaroneck Avenue, Suite 310, White Plains, NY 10605. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 20 to November 21, 2012

**HETZLER, LOREN R., 76**

Ocala - Loren R. Hetzler, 76, of Ocala passed away October 16, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was born on June 14, 1936 in Decatur, IL a son to the late Ernst and Gertrude Hetzler. In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by his wife Shirley, a daughter Debbie Goss, and a brother Donald. He was a sports fan of the Fighting Illini football, the Cubs, and Nascar. Survivors include a daughter Donna Hetzler, of Ocala, two sons, Duane and Skylar Hetzler both of Ocala, a brother, Harold Hetzler of Leesburg; four grandchildren and ten great grandchildren. A graveside inurnment was held November 10, 2012 at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 20 to November 21, 2012

**McFARLANE, JUNE DELORES, 86**

Ocala - June Delores McFarlane, age 86, of Ocala, FL, passed away November 3, 2012. Born June Delores Nichols on July 24, 1926 in Pennsylvania, she attended the University of Pittsburg

and several other schools on the west coast, ultimately leading to her career as a cytotechnologist. Originally married to Hayes Benjamin Carpenter, she and "Ben" had two boys, Norman and Kurt. In 1990, Ben died, which led to her relocation in Florida and her second marriage to Kenneth McFarlane, Sr. June is survived by her son Norman, daughter-in-law Linda, grandson Christian and great-granddaughter Caitlin as well as her husband Ken, his son Ken Jr., daughter-in-law Debbie and their children and grandchildren. Per June's request, there will be no funeral or memorial service. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 20 to November 21, 2012

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#### **CARROLL, JOSEPH J., 71**

Ocala - Joseph J. Carroll, 71, passed away suddenly on Sunday, November 18, 2012. Born on October 24, 1941, in Shenandoah, Pennsylvania, he was the son of the late Joseph and Agnes (Lubamersky) Carroll. At age 12, he pitched a perfect no-hit, no-run game in Little League playoffs. He was a 20 year veteran of the U.S. Air Force, serving on Air Force One and traveled extensively to the countries of Okinawa, Japan and Iceland. He worked at Ocala Regional Medical Center in supply for 16 years. He is survived by his wife, Barbara Carroll; daughter, Samantha Carroll; son, Joseph Carroll; and his sister, Joan Carroll. He will be tremendously missed. A viewing will be held on Sunday, November 25, 2012 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Robert's Funeral Home, 606 S.W. 2nd Avenue, Ocala, Florida. His funeral will be Monday, November 26, 2012 at 9 a.m. at Robert's Funeral Home. Interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery with full Military Honors. Condolences may be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

#### **COLEMAN, JAMES "BULLDOG" ROGER, 64**

Ocala - James "Bulldog" Roger Coleman, 64, of Ocala, died November 17th, 2012 of cancer. He was born November 16, 1948 in Gainesville, attended Gainesville High, and graduated from Trenton High School. He served our country as a Sergeant in the Marine Corps in Vietnam. He has been training and working with race horses in Ocala for the past several years. He was predeceased by parents, Norris L. and Nell W. Coleman and Mona B. Coleman of Gainesville and special Uncle and Aunt James O. and Louse Coleman of Trenton. Jimmy leaves to remember him, his siblings Thelma Beck (Phil) of Valdosta, GA, Barbara Nixon of Alachua, Randal Coleman (Betsy) of Gainesville and William Coleman (Deborah) of Earleton and cousin Lucy C. Lacy (Rod) of Trenton and nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts, uncles and many loyal friends. Memorial service and internment will take place Friday December 7th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Evergreen Cemetery, Gainesville, 401 S.E. 21st Ave., off Waldo Rd., turn East onto S.E. 4th St. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion Co., 3231 S.W. 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Condolences can be entered online at [Ocala.com](http://Ocala.com) under 'Obituaries'. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

#### **FISHER, LORETTA M., 95**

Ocala - Loretta M. Fisher, 95, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, November 20, 2012. She moved here from Beavercreek, Ohio in 2011. She was a veteran of the U.S. Marine Corp. Loretta is survived by her children John Kustron, Jr. (Donna) of Ridgedale, MO and Sharon Johnson of "On Top Of The World"; grandchildren Rob, Jennifer, John, III, Keith, Tim and David; 11 great-grandchildren. Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Condolences may be given at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**FLOYD, ARLEAN 59**

Ocala - Arlean Floyd, 59, passed away in Ocala on November 15, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, her children, Allen, Erica, Shenna, Carl and Eric Floyd, and Alanna Crim; siblings, Ann Long, Wilbert Mark, Hubert Davis, Walter Floyd and Tommy Mack; 19 grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends. Visitation will be on Friday, November 23, 2012 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at the Holy Band Healing and Deliverance Center. Funeral service will be held on Saturday at the same location at 3 pm. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade." Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**KALEY, MARGARET, 82**

Ocala - Margaret Kaley, 82, of Ocala, died Wednesday, November 14, 2012. She was born November 23, 1929 in Walkerville, MI and married Donald Kaley in Muskegon, MI on June 30, 1951. She was preceded in death by her husband, Donald. Margaret was a devout Catholic Christian whose faith in her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ was evident to all she met. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. The following Bible verse best describes Margaret, "Be joyful always, pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus." 1 Thess. 5:16-17. She let God's light shine through her to everyone she met and especially enjoyed spending time with her family. Survivors include, sons, Michael (Gayle) Kaley of Huber Heights, OH, Matthew (Cheryl) Kaley of Whitehall, MI, Martin (Pamela) Kaley of Ocala, FL; daughters Geralyn (Donald) McCulloch, Murfreesboro, TN, Mary Jo (Mark) Androski of Citrus Springs, FL and Angela (Bruce) Emory of Douglasville, GA; brother Lloyd Moon of Hesperia, MI; 21 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be made to Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at 8:30 AM on Friday, November 23 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Please sign the guestbook at: [www.VeteransFuneralCare.com](http://www.VeteransFuneralCare.com). Veterans Funeral Care 1-800-467-7850 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**MILLER, LAVINIA GRACE**

Ocala - At the young age of 60, Lavinia Grace Miller went home to be with our Lord on November 15, 2012 after a long hard life battling RA and other illnesses. Lavinia was born in Ohio and came to Florida as a teenager and worked hard at the Ocala StarBanner for several years before an injury left her unable to work. She is survived by her daughter, Tonya (Mike) Harper; three sons, John Miller, Daniel Miller and Robert Cormier; six grandchildren and ten siblings. She was preceded in death by her seventh granddaughter as well as her parents, four siblings and two husbands. Lavinia had a big heart and would help anybody if she could and "save the world". She will be missed by many. Memorial services will be held at a later date. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**MITCHELL, MARY DAVIS, 91**

Ocala - Mrs. Mary Davis Mitchell, 91, homemaker, transitioned from this life to her heavenly home on November 13, 2012 at Avante of Ocala. Mrs. Mitchell was born in Dunnellon, Florida. She was educated in the Marion County School System. She is survived by her daughters, Penelope Follins and Mary A. Piner both of Anthony, Florida; sons, Randolph Mitchell (Sabine), Brandon, Florida and Leroy Mitchell Jr, of Tampa, Florida; 12 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; one great-great grandchild; nieces, Clara and Evelyn Nichols, both of Ocala,

Florida and a host of cousins and friends. On Friday, there will be viewing at Summers Funeral Home From 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., with funeral services For Mrs. Mary Davis Mitchell, 91, will be held on Saturday, November 24, 2012 at 12 p.m. at New Hope Baptist Church 2240 Northeast 86th Lane Anthony, Florida 32617 with the Reverend Michael Baker, Pastor and the Reverend Regina Womack, Eulogist under the care of Summers Funeral Home Inc. 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida. Viewing at the Church on Saturday 11 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy. 'A Summers Funeral Service Makes the Difference. Our Family Serving your Family.' Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

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**OWENS, BEATRICE, 63**

Brooksville - Beatrice Owens passed away on November 19, 2012. Funeral service will be 11 a.m. Saturday, November 24, 2012 at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, 236 County Line RD, Hudson, FL. Rev. David Swackard, eulogist, Elder Leon Thomas, officiating. New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home is entrusted with arrangements. (352) 563-1394. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**SIPE, BONNIE KAY, 72**

Salt Springs - Bonnie Kay (Bates) Sipe, 72, of Salt Springs, FL passed away Monday, November 19, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. Born in Muskegon, MI, she was the daughter of the late Arthur and Leota (MacLake) Bates. Bonnie was a retired social worker for the Marion County School Board. She was most proud of being a Navy wife to her husband of 54 years and found great love and enjoyment in being a wife and mother. She moved to Florida from Muskegon, MI in 1960. She leaves her loving husband of 54 years, Ronald Sipe; her children, Scott Sipe of Augusta, ME, Charles Sipe of Ocala and Lisa Sipe of Ocala; a brother, Sherman Bates of Whitehall, MI; a sister, Sherry Tobin of Celina, OH; five grandchildren and four great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at the New Beginnings Church of God, 23960 NE Hwy 314, Salt Springs, FL on Friday, November 23, 2012 at 7 p.m. Burial will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell at a later date. For online condolences visit:

www.hiers-baxley.com Arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**TUGGERSON SR., APOSTLE BERNARD**

Silver Springs - Apostle Bernard Tuggerson Sr. passed away at his home in Silver Springs, Florida on Thursday evening, November 15, 2012. He was born on December 15, 1951 in Marion County, Florida. He was the son of the late Bernice and Jimmie Tuggerson. Apostle Tuggerson was educated in the Marion County School System. He and his wife, Pastor Lillie Tuggerson were the first Afro-American couple in the Southern region to be a Chevron dealer. In that business and in his vocation as a master automotive technician, he was and a man of high integrity and honesty. Apostle Tuggerson gave his life to the Lord in 1976, at which time he completely submitted himself to the divine will of God. Apostle Tuggerson has always had a desire to see souls won to Christ. He became pastor of Pentecostal Full Gospel Church (PFGC) on Northwest Fourth Street until 2002, when he purchased 18 acres of land on North Highway 441 and built a sanctuary. During his ministry, churches were established in Pierson and Crescent City, Florida. Apostle Tuggerson also has been instrumental in helping to establish churches in Georgia and other parts of Florida as well. Because of Apostle Tuggerson's steadfastness in ministry, he was beneficial in building relationships with Ocala's City Officials. He also was a member of the Pastor's Alliance in nearby towns. He is survived by his wife, Pastor Lillie Tuggerson; a son and daughter-in-law, Bernard, Jr. and Pinkie Tuggerson; son, Al Selser; and a daughter and son-in-law, Katrina and Anthony Alexander and one mother-in-law, Olevy Snow. Apostle Tuggerson also leaves behind eight brothers and 18 sisters. The Apostolic Celebration of Life Home Going Services of our dear Apostle will be as follows: The Local & Regional Home Going Celebration is Friday, November 23, 2012 at 7 p.m. at Pentecostal Full Gospel Worship Center,(PFGC), 5015 N Hwy 441, Ocala, FL., 352-622-8960. The National Home Going Celebration is Saturday, November 24th at 10 a.m. at Living Waters Worship Center, 3801 N. US Hwy 441, Ocala, FL. Arrangements are entrusted to Sellers Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 440 SW Broadway Street, Ocala, FL. 352-789-0086. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**WHITAKER, EARL R., 70**

Jakin, GA - Earl R. Whitaker, 70, formerly of Ft. McCoy, FL, passed away August 27, 2012. Earl was best known for his restoration of vehicles during the 1970's and 1980's. Preceded in death by his father, Sidney B. Whitaker Jr. and sons, Dwayne and Ronnie Whitaker, Earl is survived by his mother, Mary Whitaker; daughter, Vikki Whitaker-Wolfe; and son, Brian Whitaker-Ragle; four brothers: Randall Whitaker, Ronald Whitaker, Holden Whitaker, and Sidney Whitaker; three sisters: Marilyn Anderson, Debra Whitaker, and Gloria Miller; five grandchildren: Ryan Eldridge, Matthew Whitaker, Dawn Whitaker, Daniel Whitaker, and Enzo Whitaker-Ragle; and two great-grandsons, Matthew Whitaker, Jr. and James Whitaker. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**WHITE-COLEMAN, MALISSA, 47**

Miami - Malissa White-Coleman, 47 passed away on November 16, 2012 in Miami, Florida. She leaves to cherish her memory her husband, Abe John Coleman Jr.; her sons, Dwayne Maurice White Jr. and Abe John Coleman III of Miami, Florida; her mother, Georgia Ann Porter of Ocala, FL; sisters, Linda (Raymond Sr.) Gibson and Kim Crawford of Miami, FL.; a brother

Louis (Brenda) Crawford Jr. of Lamar, Colorado and a host of other relatives and friends. Homegoing services for Malissa White-Coleman will be held on Saturday, November 24, 2012 11 a.m. at House of God Keith Dominion Elder Harold Franklin, Pastor, Rev. Hubert Naylor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, Nov. 23, 2012 6-8 pm at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade" Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**WILLIS, RAMONA, 83**

Weirsdale - Ramona Willis, 83, of Weirsdale passed away at The Villages Regional Hospital on Monday, November 19, 2012. A native of Cleveland, OK, she moved to this area from South Florida 36 years ago. Mrs. Willis was a devoted homemaker who adored her family and loved NASCAR. She is survived by her daughter Carolyn (Dallas) Penzo of Alpharetta, GA; son Gerald (Dorothy) Willis of East Lake Weir; daughters Charlotte (Kenny) Smallwood, and Debbie (Jerry) Silcox of Weirsdale; sons Tim (Lynn) Willis of LaBelle, FL; Jimmy Willis of Weirsdale; brother Terry McDaniel, FL grandchildren Crystal Casas, Craig Silcox, and Grady Willis; and great grandchildren Ethan and Caleb Casas. A graveside service will be held at 2 pm on Friday, November 23, 2012 at Greenwood Cemetery, Weirsdale. Online condolences may be left at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, November 23, 2012**

**CARROLL, JOSEPH J., 71**

Ocala - Joseph J. Carroll, 71, passed away suddenly on Sunday, November 18, 2012. Born on October 24, 1941, in Shenandoah, Pennsylvania, he was the son of the late Joseph and Agnes (Lubamersky) Carroll. At age 12, he pitched a perfect no-hit, no-run game in Little League playoffs. He was a 20 year veteran of the U.S. Air Force, serving on Air Force One and traveled extensively to the countries of Okinawa, Japan and Iceland. He worked at Ocala Regional Medical Center in supply for 16 years. He is survived by his wife, Barbara Carroll; daughter, Samantha Carroll; son, Joseph Carroll; and his sister, Joan Carroll. He will be tremendously missed. A viewing will be held on Sunday, November 25, 2012 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Robert's Funeral Home, 606 S.W. 2nd Avenue, Ocala, Florida. His funeral will be Monday, November 26, 2012 at 9 a.m. at Robert's Funeral Home. Interment to follow at Florida National Cemetery with full Military Honors. Condolences may be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**COLEMAN, JAMES "BULLDOG" ROGER, 64**

Ocala - James "Bulldog" Roger Coleman, 64, of Ocala, died November 17th, 2012 of cancer. He was born November 16, 1948 in Gainesville, attended Gainesville High, and graduated from Trenton High School. He served our country as a Sergeant in the Marine Corps in Vietnam. He has been training and working with race horses in Ocala for the past several years. He was predeceased by parents, Norris L. and Nell W. Coleman and Mona B. Coleman of Gainesville and special Uncle and Aunt James O. and Louse Coleman of Trenton. Jimmy leaves to remember him, his siblings Thelma Beck (Phil) of Valdosta, GA, Barbara Nixon of Alachua, Randal Coleman (Betsy) of Gainesville and William Coleman (Deborah) of Earleton and cousin



Lucy C. Lacy (Rod) of Trenton and nieces, nephews, cousins, aunts, uncles and many loyal friends. Memorial service and internment will take place Friday December 7th, 2012 at 11 a.m. at Evergreen Cemetery, Gainesville, 401 S.E. 21st Ave., off Waldo Rd., turn East onto S.E. 4th St. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion Co., 3231 S.W. 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Condolences can be entered online at Ocala.com under 'Obituaries'. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**FISHER, LORETTA M., 95**

Ocala - Loretta M. Fisher, 95, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, November 20, 2012. She moved here from Beavercreek, Ohio in 2011. She was a veteran of the U.S. Marine Corp. Loretta is survived by her children John Kustron, Jr. (Donna) of Ridgedale, MO and Sharon Johnson of "On Top Of The World"; grandchildren Rob, Jennifer, John, III, Keith, Tim and David; 11 great-grandchildren. Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala. Condolences may be given at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**FLOYD, ARLEAN 59**

Ocala - Arlean Floyd, 59, passed away in Ocala on November 15, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, her children, Allen, Erica, Shenna, Carl and Eric Floyd, and Alanna Crim; siblings, Ann Long, Wilbert Mark, Hubert Davis, Walter Floyd and Tommy Mack; 19 grandchildren; and a host of other relatives and friends. Visitation will be on Friday, November 23, 2012 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at the Holy Band Healing and Deliverance Center. Funeral service will be held on Saturday at the same location at 3 pm. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade." Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**KALEY, MARGARET, 82**

Ocala - Margaret Kaley, 82, of Ocala, died Wednesday, November 14, 2012. She was born November 23, 1929 in Walkerville, MI and married Donald Kaley in Muskegon, MI on June 30, 1951. She was preceded in death by her husband, Donald. Margaret was a devout Catholic Christian whose faith in her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ was evident to all she met. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. The following Bible verse best describes Margaret, "Be joyful always, pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus." 1 Thess. 5:16-17. She let God's light shine through her to everyone she met and especially enjoyed spending time with her family. Survivors include, sons, Michael (Gayle) Kaley of Huber Heights, OH, Matthew (Cheryl) Kaley of Whitehall, MI, Martin (Pamela) Kaley of Ocala, FL; daughters Geralyn (Donald) McCulloch, Murfreesboro, TN, Mary Jo (Mark) Androski of Citrus Springs, FL and Angela (Bruce) Emory of Douglasville, GA; brother Lloyd Moon of Hesperia, MI; 21 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be made to Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at 8:30 AM on Friday, November 23 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Please sign the guestbook at: [www.VeteransFuneralCare.com](http://www.VeteransFuneralCare.com). Veterans Funeral Care 1-800-467-7850 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**MILLER, LAVINIA GRACE**

Ocala - At the young age of 60, Lavinia Grace Miller went home to be with our Lord on

November 15, 2012 after a long hard life battling RA and other illnesses. Lavinia was born in Ohio and came to Florida as a teenager and worked hard at the Ocala StarBanner for several years before an injury left her unable to work. She is survived by her daughter, Tonya (Mike) Harper; three sons, John Miller, Daniel Miller and Robert Cormier; six grandchildren and ten siblings. She was preceded in death by her seventh granddaughter as well as her parents, four siblings and two husbands. Lavinia had a big heart and would help anybody if she could and "save the world". She will be missed by many. Memorial services will be held at a later date. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**MITCHELL, MARY DAVIS, 91**

Ocala - Mrs. Mary Davis Mitchell, 91, homemaker, transitioned from this life to her heavenly home on November 13, 2012 at Avante of Ocala. Mrs. Mitchell was born in Dunnellon, Florida. She was educated in the Marion County School System. She is survived by her daughters, Penelope Follins and Mary A. Piner both of Anthony, Florida; sons, Randolph Mitchell (Sabine), Brandon, Florida and Leroy Mitchell Jr, of Tampa, Florida; 12 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; one great-great grandchild; nieces, Clara and Evelyn Nichols, both of Ocala, Florida and a host of cousins and friends. On Friday, there will be viewing at Summers Funeral Home From 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., with funeral services For Mrs. Mary Davis Mitchell, 91, will be held on Saturday, November 24, 2012 at 12 p.m. atNew Hope Baptist Church 2240 Northeast 86th Lane Anthony, Florida 32617 with the Reverend Michael Baker, Pastor and the Reverend Regina Womack, Eulogist under the care of Summers Funeral Home Inc. 2238 Northwest 10th Street Ocala, Florida. Viewing at the Church on Saturday 11 a.m. until time of service. No viewing after the Eulogy. 'A Summers Funeral Service Makes the Difference. Our Family Serving your Family.' Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**MORRISON, FREDERICK E., 89**

Ocala - Mr. Frederick E. Morrison, 89, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, November 20, 2012, at Legacy Hospice House. A native of North Carolina, he moved to Marion County in 1954, coming here from Hamlet, NC. Fred enlisted in the US Navy at the beginning of WWII and served six years on a destroyer escort. He retired as a mechanic for the CSX Railroad System, and was an avid fisherman. He belonged to several organizations, including the Marion Dunn Lodge #19, F & AM; Ocala Scottish Rite Bodies; VFW Post #4209, and the Morocco Shrine Temple in Jacksonville. Survivors include his sons Joseph E. Morrison, Ocala; William A. Morrison, Denton, TX; David P. Morrison, Ocala; daughter Betty Ann Weisberg, Port Charlotte, FL; sister Frances Rice; brothers C. Earl Morrison and Harold L. Morrison; seven grandchildren and one great-granddaughter. He was preceded in death by his wife Louise and daughter Nancy Marie. Services for Mr. Morrison will be held at 11 AM Saturday, November 24, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Doug Green officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 AM until service time. Interment will follow with Masonic Graveside Rites at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 21 to November 24, 2012

**OWENS, BEATRICE, 63**

Brooksville - Beatrice Owens passed away on November 19, 2012. Funeral service will be 11 a.m. Saturday, November 24, 2012 at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, 236 County Line

RD, Hudson, FL. Rev. David Swackard, eulogist, Elder Leon Thomas, officiating. New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home is entrusted with arrangements. (352) 563-1394. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**RAMSEY, KEVIN WAYNE, 35**

Ocala - Kevin Wayne Ramsey, 35, of Ocala, passed away November 4, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, with his family and close friends by his side. He was born in Mobile, Alabama October 23, 1977 to Cynthia Ball. Kevin was a professional painter with Dependable Painting for 17 years. He attended Dunnellon High School where he later on completed his GED. Kevin was always full of smiles, and had the gift of laughter. He will live on through the many lives he touched. He is survived by his loving mother Cynthia Ball of Ocala; two sons, Timothy Ramsey (9) and Zachary Ramsey (6) of Ocala; a sister Dondi Delicate of Citrus Springs; a nephew Nicholas Delicate (8), and two nieces Cyanna Delicate (6) and Brittanya Delicate (17 months) all of Citrus Springs. A celebration of life will be held at 3 pm, Saturday, November 24, 2012 at Abundant Life Fellowship at 10345 Southwest 27th Avenue Ocala, FL 34476. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 23 to November 24, 2012

**SHAW, RONALD D., 54**

Ocala - Ronald Shaw of Ocala, Florida passed on and moved to his heavenly home on November 16, 2012. He was the firstborn son of Dean and Betty Shaw, had served in the United States Navy and was the owner and operator of Yankee Clipper Lawn Service. He was preceded in death by his mother, Betty Johns Shaw. He is survived by his wife, Georgena, father, Dean Shaw, two brothers: Steve (Anita) Shaw and Kevin Shaw, and three sisters: Deborah Mockerman, Kendra (Andy) Poppell and Patricia (Michael) Ott, all of Ocala. He comes from a large family of nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends who will miss him. Final arrangements are incomplete. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to his wife, Georgena for medical expenses. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 23 to November 24, 2012

**SIPE, BONNIE KAY, 72**

Salt Springs - Bonnie Kay (Bates) Sipe, 72, of Salt Springs, FL passed away Monday, November 19, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala. Born in Muskegon, MI., she was the daughter of the late Arthur and Leota (MacLake) Bates. Bonnie was a retired social worker for the Marion County School Board. She was most proud of being a Navy wife to her husband of 54 years and found great love and enjoyment in being a wife and mother. She moved to Florida from Muskegon, MI in 1960. She leaves her loving husband of 54 years, Ronald Sipe; her children, Scott Sipe of Augusta, ME, Charles Sipe of Ocala and Lisa Sipe of Ocala; a brother, Sherman Bates of Whitehall, MI; a sister, Sherry Tobin of Celina, OH; five grandchildren and four great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at the New Beginnings Church of God, 23960 NE Hwy 314, Salt Springs, FL on Friday, November 23, 2012 at 7 p.m. Burial will be in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell at a later date. For online condolences visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**TUGGERSON SR., APOSTLE BERNARD**

Silver Springs - Apostle Bernard Tuggerson Sr. passed away at his home in Silver Springs,

Florida on Thursday evening, November 15, 2012. He was born on December 15, 1951 in Marion County, Florida. He was the son of the late Bernice and Jimmie Tuggerson. Apostle Tuggerson was educated in the Marion County School System. He and his wife, Pastor Lillie Tuggerson were the first Afro-American couple in the Southern region to be a Chevron dealer. In that business and in his vocation as a master automotive technician, he was and a man of high integrity and honesty. Apostle Tuggerson gave his life to the Lord in 1976, at which time he completely submitted himself to the divine will of God. Apostle Tuggerson has always had a desire to see souls won to Christ. He became pastor of Pentecostal Full Gospel Church (PFGC) on Northwest Fourth Street until 2002, when he purchased 18 acres of land on North Highway 441 and built a sanctuary. During his ministry, churches were established in Pierson and Crescent City, Florida. Apostle Tuggerson also has been instrumental in helping to establish churches in Georgia and other parts of Florida as well. Because of Apostle Tuggerson's steadfastness in ministry, he was beneficial in building relationships with Ocala's City Officials. He also was a member of the Pastor's Alliance in nearby towns. He is survived by his wife, Pastor Lillie Tuggerson; a son and daughter-in-law, Bernard, Jr. and Pinkie Tuggerson; son, Al Selser; and a daughter and son-in-law, Katrina and Anthony Alexander and one mother-in-law, Olevy Snow. Apostle Tuggerson also leaves behind eight brothers and 18 sisters. The Apostolic Celebration of Life Home Going Services of our dear Apostle will be as follows: The Local & Regional Home Going Celebration is Friday, November 23, 2012 at 7 p.m. at Pentecostal Full Gospel Worship Center,(PFGC), 5015 N Hwy 441, Ocala, FL., 352-622-8960. The National Home Going Celebration is Saturday, November 24th at 10 a.m. at Living Waters Worship Center, 3801 N. US Hwy 441, Ocala, FL. Arrangements are entrusted to Sellers Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 440 SW Broadway Street, Ocala, FL. 352-789-0086. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**WHITAKER, EARL R., 70**

Jakin, GA - Earl R. Whitaker, 70, formerly of Ft. McCoy, FL, passed away August 27, 2012. Earl was best known for his restoration of vehicles during the 1970's and 1980's. Preceded in death by his father, Sidney B. Whitaker Jr. and sons, Dwayne and Ronnie Whitaker, Earl is survived by his mother, Mary Whitaker; daughter, Vikki Whitaker-Wolfe; and son, Brian Whitaker-Ragle; four brothers: Randall Whitaker, Ronald Whitaker, Holden Whitaker, and Sidney Whitaker; three sisters: Marilyn Anderson, Debra Whitaker, and Gloria Miller; five grandchildren: Ryan Eldridge, Matthew Whitaker, Dawn Whitaker, Daniel Whitaker, and Enzo Whitaker-Ragle; and two great-grandsons, Matthew Whitaker, Jr. and James Whitaker. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 22 to November 23, 2012

**WHITE-COLEMAN, MALISSA, 47**

Miami - Malissa White-Coleman, 47 passed away on November 16, 2012 in Miami, Florida. She leaves to cherish her memory her husband, Abe John Coleman Jr.; her sons, Dwayne Maurice White Jr. and Abe John Coleman III of Miami, Florida; her mother, Georgia Ann Porter of Ocala, FL; sisters, Linda (Raymond Sr.) Gibson and Kim Crawford of Miami, FL.; a brother Louis (Brenda) Crawford Jr. of Lamar, Colorado and a host of other relatives and friends. Homegoing services for Malissa White-Coleman will be held on Saturday, November 24, 2012 11 a.m. at House of God Keith Dominion Elder Harold Franklin, Pastor, Rev. Hubert Naylor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, Nov. 23, 2012 6-8 pm at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral ministry. "Providing a memory that will

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**WILLIS, RAMONA, 83**

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**BROWN, SR., WILLIE LEE, 46**

Ocala - Mr. Willie Lee Brown, Sr. was a member of Progressive Union Missionary Baptist Church, Zuber, Florida. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, November 24, 2012, 11:00 a.m. at Progressive Union Missionary Baptist Church. Reverend Brian McIntosh, Sr. will conduct the words of comfort. Reverend Derrell D. Redding, presiding. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Brown's residence at 10:15 a.m. on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. Viewing will be following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Brown, who was presided in death by his brother Charlie J. Brown, are a devoted wife, Angela Edge Brown, son, Willie L. Brown, Jr., stepdaughters: Brittney and Tiffany Pertee, a loving mother, Thelma L. Brown, two grandchildren: Jayceon Williams and Amiya Young, three brothers: Otis Brown, Charles Brown, William (Stacey) Brown, two sisters: Sarah Brown, and Charlene (Chinao) Fletcher, in-laws: Willis and Clarethia Edge, Theodore and Karen Edge and Melissa Edge. "A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION." [www.sellersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sellersfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 24 to November 25, 2012

**CARPENTER, MERLE CASEY JEFFERSON, 89**

Ocala - Merle Casey Jefferson Carpenter, 89, passed away on Wednesday, November 21, 2012 in Ocala, FL. She was born in Elma, WA on May 7, 1923 and came to Ocala in 1946. Mrs. Carpenter was a Legal Assistant and Judicial Assistant in Marion County for 45 years. Prior to coming to Ocala she was raised in Livingston and Point Pleasant, New Jersey. She graduated from Point Pleasant High School, class of 1942. She also attended the Women's College of Rutgers University in New Jersey. Mrs. Carpenter was an Honorary member of Marion County Legal Support Association. During WWII she was a United Service Organization (USO) member and entertainer, serving at Fort Hancock and Fort Dix, NJ. She also worked at American Transformer Co. in Newark, NJ as a procurer of transformer materials for overseas communication equipment. During the war she served as a Civilian Air Raid Warden on the graveyard shift in the residential areas of East Orange, NJ. She also was a model at the New York and Miami Gibson Modeling Agency. She married and moved to Ocala in 1946. Mrs.

Carpenter was a member of Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala, FL, the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) and for many years was a member of the Pioneer Garden Club, Ocala Women's Club, Marion Co. Legal Secretaries Assn., Florida Judicial Assistants Assn., and a 1950 charter member of the First Ocala Coin and Stamp Club. Mrs. Carpenter was predeceased in 1977 by her husband of 31 years, Rudolph L. Carpenter, a Marion Co. cattleman and farmer. Her survivors include her sons, Barry L. Carpenter of Marshall, VA, Steven C. Carpenter of Madison, FL and Ronald R. Carpenter of Ocala, FL; daughter, Anna Southwell Boyd of Vail, CO; eleven grandchildren and 27 great grandchildren. A funeral service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Tuesday, November 27, 2012 at 11 am. Burial will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Flowers are welcome or memorial donations may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project online at: [www.woundedwarriorproject.org](http://www.woundedwarriorproject.org) or by mail at P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, Kansas 66675. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 24 to November 25, 2012

**CARTER, GERTRUDE SHIRLEY COY, 75**

Ocala - Gertrude was called home on Friday, November 16, 2012. Gertrude leaves to cherish her precious memory, a loving husband of 48 years, Pertie Charles Carter, Sr.; daughters, Synethia Coy, Gwendolyn Taylor, and Torria Faison, Linda Broxie (Frank), Victoria Anthony (Michael) and Evette Harris (Ennis); sons, Pertie C. Carter, Jr. and Gregory Carter (Leila); sisters, Dorothy Hope, Margaret Jackson, and Betty Bryant (Columbus); Mae Louise Poole; Lillie Marie Luckey (Ivory), and Ruby "Linda" Coy; brothers, Robert J. Coy, Lee Otis Coy, Darnell Coy and Emanuel H. Coy; 15 grandchildren, one aunt, Edith Coy Mack; sister and brother-in-laws, Thelma Collins (Herman), Lorraine King, and Cristina Carter and Mose Carter; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. The service will be held at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church at 11 a.m. today with Rev. Edward Bland, Eulogist. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 24 to November 25, 2012

**DONAHUE, JOHN WILLIAM, 77**

Ocala - John William Donahue passed away at home on November 19, 2012. Born in Philadelphia, PA, on October 16, 1935. He moved to Ocala from Salt Lake City in 1971 after graduating from Saint Joseph's University in Philadelphia. A veteran in the U.S. Army National Guard, he worked in advertising sales and was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He was preceded in death by his parents, John and Loretta Donahue, and his brother William Donahue. He is survived by his wife, Deanna Donahue; son, Kevin Donahue, Clearwater; daughters, Donna Wallace and Katie Wilkes (Brandon), both of Watkinsville, GA; and three grandchildren; Zachary Wallace, Grady and Clara Kay Wilkes. He is also survived by nieces, nephews and cousins. Visitation will be from 6:30 to 8 p.m., Sunday, November 25, 2012 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Funeral Mass at 11 a.m., Monday, November 26, 2012, Father Roy officiating. Arrangements made by Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 24 to November 25, 2012

**GERMAN, RANDY J., 52**

Ocala - Randy J. German, "The Germanator", 52, of Ocala, passed away November 21, 2012 at Moffitt Cancer Center. Born in Detroit, Michigan he came to this area six years ago from his native, Detroit. Randy worked for Sysco of Central Florida. He was a Catholic by faith, member

of the Masonic Temple of Brighton, MI and enjoyed golfing with his friends and spending time with his family and friends, enjoying life. He is survived by his wife of 25 years, Lisa German; children, Julie German and her fiancé, Umberto Scherma of West Palm Beach, Morgan Sophia German of Ocala; parents, Donald and Nadine German of Novi, MI; sisters, Jodi (Terry) Gibson of Tampa, FL, Dana (Jacques) Ford of Ocala; brother, Don (Diane) German of Ocala; mother and father-in-law, Donna and Papa Jack Vandekerckhove of Livonia, MI and many nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944 on Friday, November 23rd, 2012 from 6 until 8 p.m.. A Funeral Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th St., Ocala on Saturday, November 24th, 2012 at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society, Benjamin Mendick Hope Lodge 12810 Magnolia Dr. Tampa, FL 33612-9451. A condolence message may be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 24 to November 25, 2012

### **MORRISON, FREDERICK E., 89**

Ocala - Mr. Frederick E. Morrison, 89, of Ocala, passed away Tuesday, November 20, 2012, at Legacy Hospice House. A native of North Carolina, he moved to Marion County in 1954, coming here from Hamlet, NC. Fred enlisted in the US Navy at the beginning of WWII and served six years on a destroyer escort. He retired as a mechanic for the CSX Railroad System, and was an avid fisherman. He belonged to several organizations, including the Marion Dunn Lodge #19, F & AM; Ocala Scottish Rite Bodies; VFW Post #4209, and the Morocco Shrine Temple in Jacksonville. Survivors include his sons Joseph E. Morrison, Ocala; William A. Morrison, Denton, TX; David P. Morrison, Ocala; daughter Betty Ann Weisberg, Port Charlotte, FL; sister Frances Rice; brothers C. Earl Morrison and Harold L. Morrison; seven grandchildren and one great-granddaughter. He was preceded in death by his wife Louise and daughter Nancy Marie. Services for Mr. Morrison will be held at 11 AM Saturday, November 24, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Rev. Doug Green officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 AM until service time. Interment will follow with Masonic Graveside Rites at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 21 to November 24, 2012

### **PLATT, GEORGE R., 63**

Ocala - George R. Platt passed away November 20, 2012, at home of a heart attack. He leaves behind his wife, Judy, of 44 years whom he met in 1965 at the age of 16 and told her he was going to marry her one day. He was owner of BG's Pack-N-Ship & More in Ocala. He moved here 30 years ago from south Florida. At that time he owned a Justice Brothers route. Later he ran a Lance route. He had a love for Nascar, yard sales and flea markets. He leaves behind his be-loved children, Scott and Jan Platt and Jamie and Joey Stuck of Ocala; Crysti and Justin Fried and Corey Platt of Belleview; six grandchildren that brought him so much joy, Cameron, Brandon, Caleb, Braeden, Dawson and "pretty girl" Paityn; sisters, Linda (Ron) Ayers, Ocala; Dorothy (Duane) Brown, Summerfield; Lorraine (Pete) Emery, Kissimmee; Sharon (Kevin) Riley, Henderson, NV; brothers, Kenny (Alice) Platt, Covington, LA; Richard "Skip" (Laura) Platt, Belleview; and plenty of nieces and nephews. Memorial service will be held at 3 p.m., November 25th, 2012 at The Garden Worship Center, 7655 SE 126th Place, Belleview. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 24 to November 25, 2012

**RAMSEY, KEVIN WAYNE, 35**

Ocala - Kevin Wayne Ramsey, 35, of Ocala, passed away November 4, 2012 at Ocala Regional Medical Center, with his family and close friends by his side. He was born in Mobile, Alabama October 23, 1977 to Cynthia Ball. Kevin was a professional painter with Dependable Painting for 17 years. He attended Dunnellon High School where he later on completed his GED. Kevin was always full of smiles, and had the gift of laughter. He will live on through the many lives he touched. He is survived by his loving mother Cynthia Ball of Ocala; two sons, Timothy Ramsey (9) and Zachary Ramsey (6) of Ocala; a sister Dondi Delicate of Citrus Springs; a nephew Nicholas Delicate (8), and two nieces Cyanna Delicate (6) and Brittanya Delicate (17 months) all of Citrus Springs. A celebration of life will be held at 3 pm, Saturday, November 24, 2012 at Abundant Life Fellowship at 10345 Southwest 27th Avenue Ocala, FL 34476. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 23 to November 24, 2012

**SHAW, RONALD D., 54**

Ocala - Ronald Shaw of Ocala, Florida passed on and moved to his heavenly home on November 16, 2012. He was the firstborn son of Dean and Betty Shaw, had served in the United States Navy and was the owner and operator of Yankee Clipper Lawn Service. He was preceded in death by his mother, Betty Johns Shaw. He is survived by his wife, Georgena, father, Dean Shaw, two brothers: Steve (Anita) Shaw and Kevin Shaw, and three sisters: Deborah Mockerman, Kendra (Andy) Poppell and Patricia (Michael) Ott, all of Ocala. He comes from a large family of nieces, nephews, cousins and many friends who will miss him. Final arrangements are incomplete. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to his wife, Georgena for medical expenses. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 23 to November 24, 2012

**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, November 25, 2012****BROWN, SR., WILLIE LEE, 46**

Ocala - Mr. Willie Lee Brown, Sr. was a member of Progressive Union Missionary Baptist Church, Zuber, Florida. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, November 24, 2012, 11:00 a.m. at Progressive Union Missionary Baptist Church. Reverend Brian McIntosh, Sr. will conduct the words of comfort. Reverend Derrell D. Redding, presiding. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Brown's residence at 10:15 a.m. on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. Viewing will be following the eulogy. Survivors to cherish the memories of Mr. Brown, who was presided in death by his brother Charlie J. Brown, are a devoted wife, Angela Edge Brown, son, Willie L. Brown, Jr., stepdaughters: Brittney and Tiffany Pertee, a loving mother, Thelma L. Brown, two grandchildren: Jayceon Williams and Amiya Young, three brothers: Otis Brown, Charles Brown, William (Stacey) Brown, two sisters: Sarah Brown, and Charlene (Chinao) Fletcher, in-laws: Willis and Claretha Edge, Theodore and Karen Edge and Melissa Edge. "A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION." [www.sellersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sellersfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 24 to November 25, 2012

**CARPENTER, MERLE CASEY JEFFERSON, 89**

Ocala - Merle Casey Jefferson Carpenter, 89, passed away on Wednesday, November 21, 2012



in Ocala, FL. She was born in Elma, WA on May 7, 1923 and came to Ocala in 1946. Mrs. Carpenter was a Legal Assistant and Judicial Assistant in Marion County for 45 years. Prior to coming to Ocala she was raised in Livingston and Point Pleasant, New Jersey. She graduated from Point Pleasant High School, class of 1942. She also attended the Women's College of Rutgers University in New Jersey. Mrs. Carpenter was an Honorary member of Marion County Legal Support Association. During WWII she was a United Service Organization (USO) member and entertainer, serving at Fort Hancock and Fort Dix, NJ. She also worked at American Transformer Co. in Newark, NJ as a procurer of transformer materials for overseas communication equipment. During the war she served as a Civilian Air Raid Warden on the graveyard shift in the residential areas of East Orange, NJ. She also was a model at the New York and Miami Gibson Modeling Agency. She married and moved to Ocala in 1946. Mrs. Carpenter was a member of Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala, FL, the Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) and for many years was a member of the Pioneer Garden Club, Ocala Women's Club, Marion Co. Legal Secretaries Assn., Florida Judicial Assistants Assn., and a 1950 charter member of the First Ocala Coin and Stamp Club. Mrs. Carpenter was predeceased in 1977 by her husband of 31 years, Rudolph L. Carpenter, a Marion Co. cattleman and farmer. Her survivors include her sons, Barry L. Carpenter of Marshall, VA, Steven C. Carpenter of Madison, FL and Ronald R. Carpenter of Ocala, FL; daughter, Anna Southwell Boyd of Vail, CO; eleven grandchildren and 27 great grandchildren. A funeral service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Tuesday, November 27, 2012 at 11 am. Burial will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Flowers are welcome or memorial donations may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project online at: [www.woundedwarriorproject.org](http://www.woundedwarriorproject.org) or by mail at P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, Kansas 66675. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 24 to November 25, 2012

#### **CARTER, GERTRUDE SHIRLEY COY, 75**

Ocala - Gertrude was called home on Friday, November 16, 2012. Gertrude leaves to cherish her precious memory, a loving husband of 48 years, Pertie Charles Carter, Sr.; daughters, Synethia Coy, Gwendolyn Taylor, and Torria Faison, Linda Broxie (Frank), Victoria Anthony (Michael) and Evette Harris (Ennis); sons, Pertie C. Carter, Jr. and Gregory Carter (Leila); sisters, Dorothy Hope, Margaret Jackson, and Betty Bryant (Columbus); Mae Louise Poole; Lillie Marie Luckey (Ivory), and Ruby "Linda" Coy; brothers, Robert J. Coy, Lee Otis Coy, Darnell Coy and Emanuel H. Coy; 15 grandchildren, one aunt, Edith Coy Mack; sister and brother-in-laws, Thelma Collins (Herman), Lorraine King, and Cristina Carter and Mose Carter; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. The service will be held at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church at 11 a.m. today with Rev. Edward Bland, Eulogist. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 24 to November 25, 2012

#### **DAIL, EVA ARLEEN, 70**

Ocala - Eva Arleen Dail, 70, of Ocala entered into heaven on November 20, 2012. Born in Indianapolis, Indiana she moved to Florida in 1969. She was very involved as a manager at the Blvd. Texaco Gas Station for many years. She was very much a cat lover, humanitarian, very involved in home and interior improvement and she loved spending time with her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her father, Charles W. Haskell London and stepfather, Carroll L. Cook. She is survived by her mother, Virginia V. Cook of Celina, TN; children, Lynn (Frank) Hall of TN, Lisha Dail of FL, Teresa(Carl) Harrison

of CA, Jonathan Dail of FL, David (Carol) Dail of TN and Jamie (Mike) Kos of CA; thirteen grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren; sisters, Deborah (Walter) Webb of TN, Barbara, Penny, Dottie and two brothers, Charles and Larry. A viewing will be held on Monday, November 26, 2012 from 12 to 2 p.m. at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. with a graveside service to follow at Highland Memorial Park. [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com)  
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**DONAHUE, JOHN WILLIAM, 77**

Ocala - John William Donahue passed away at home on November 19, 2012. Born in Philadelphia, PA, on October 16, 1935. He moved to Ocala from Salt Lake City in 1971 after graduating from Saint Joseph's University in Philadelphia. A veteran in the U.S. Army National Guard, he worked in advertising sales and was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He was preceded in death by his parents, John and Loretta Donahue, and his brother William Donahue. He is survived by his wife, Deanna Donahue; son, Kevin Donahue, Clearwater; daughters, Donna Wallace and Katie Wilkes (Brandon), both of Watkinsville, GA; and three grandchildren; Zachary Wallace, Grady and Clara Kay Wilkes. He is also survived by nieces, nephews and cousins. Visitation will be from 6:30 to 8 p.m., Sunday, November 25, 2012 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Funeral Mass at 11 a.m., Monday, November 26, 2012, Father Roy officiating. Arrangements made by Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 24 to November 25, 2012

**GERMAN, RANDY J., 52**

Ocala - Randy J. German, "The Germanator", 52, of Ocala, passed away November 21, 2012 at Moffitt Cancer Center. Born in Detroit, Michigan he came to this area six years ago from his native, Detroit. Randy worked for Sysco of Central Florida. He was a Catholic by faith, member of the Masonic Temple of Brighton, MI and enjoyed golfing with his friends and spending time with his family and friends, enjoying life. He is survived by his wife of 25 years, Lisa German; children, Julie German and her fiancé, Umberto Scherma of West Palm Beach, Morgan Sophia German of Ocala; parents, Donald and Nadine German of Novi, MI; sisters, Jodi (Terry) Gibson of Tampa, FL, Dana (Jacques) Ford of Ocala; brother, Don (Diane) German of Ocala; mother and father-in-law, Donna and Papa Jack Vandekerckhove of Livonia, MI and many nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944 on Friday, November 23rd, 2012 from 6 until 8 p.m.. A Funeral Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th St., Ocala on Saturday, November 24th, 2012 at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society, Benjamin Mendick Hope Lodge 12810 Magnolia Dr. Tampa, FL 33612-9451. A condolence message may be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 24 to November 25, 2012

**HORTON, WILLIAM H.**

Ocala - William H. Horton, age 87, of Ocala, FL passed away on November 22, 2012. He was born in Babylon, NY and lived in Merrick, NY before moving to Oak Run in Ocala, FL. He was a WWII US Army Veteran in the South Pacific and also retired from Grumman Aerospace and worked on the Apollo space program. He is a member of the Long Island American Legion

and VFW as well as the Art Students League of NY. He is the father of William T. Horton of E. Stroudsburg, PA and Kathleen Clement of Wantagh, NY. A memorial service will be held Monday, November 27, 2012 at 11:00 AM at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon, FL with Rev. Kenneth Blyth presiding. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 25 to November 26, 2012

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Belleview - Terence Charles Bishop, 70, of Belleview, Florida passed away after an arduous battle with cancer on Tuesday, November 13, 2012 at Kindred Care Hospital/Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, Florida. Born in Dover-Foxcroft, Maine to Fred and June Bishop, he lived half of his life in Maine, Wisconsin and New Jersey and was a resident of Belleview, Florida for 35 years. Terence was a professional truck driver for over 40 years. He had a wonderful sense of humor and enjoyed a good practical joke. He had a great compassion and love of animals and rescued many a stray and unwanted pet. He was a lifelong fan of the Green Bay Packers, enjoyed Country music, going dancing, shooting pool, playing horse shoes, going to a good cookout, traveling and playing the computer game 'Qbeez'. Terence was an extremely loving husband to his wife and best friend of 40 years, Vivian Kay Bishop whom he had known since their teens. Terence was the proud father of five children; three daughters, Crystal Bishop of Ocala, Florida, Elena Jones and her husband William Edgar Jones of Ocala, Florida, Julie Ann Bishop of Milwaukee, Wisconsin; and two sons, David Bishop of Wautoma, Wisconsin, Terence Bishop, Jr., of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Terence had nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He is also survived by two beloved sisters, Alice Dean of Melbourne, Florida and Susan Breystpaak of McHenry, Illinois, as well as nieces, nephews and friends. There will be a Chapel Service at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd, Belleview, Florida at 2 pm on Saturday December 1, 2012. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in Terence's name to Marion County Human Society, P.O. Box 1542, Ocala, FL 34478 or American Cancer Society /Lung Cancer, 2201 SE 30th Ave, Suite 301, Ocala FL 34471. Sentiments may be left online at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 27 to November 28, 2012

#### **BUFORD NORMAN LEE RUNNING BUCK, 80**

Orange Springs, Yamasse Seminole Indian Territory - Norman Lee Running Buck Buford, 80, the Principal Chief of the Yamasse Seminole Nation, died Friday, November 16, 2012, at home. Born in Lake Harbor, FL, he was a veteran of the Korean War. He moved here 50+ years ago. Buck retired as a captain with the Ocala Fire Department, was co-owner of Betty's Antique and Upholstery Shop and helped build the Seminole Indian Village at Ross Allen's Silver Springs. Preceded in death by father, Willie Mack Buford, mother, Nancy Case Buford, stepmother, Ruby Buford; three brothers; two sisters, one grandchild and wife, Betty Little Dove Buford. Survivors include wife, Dalphine White Fawn Buford, Florida; Blood Brother Jo Dan Osceola, Florida; sisters: Elizabeth Belcher and Martha Justine Burgess, Florida; daughters: Sandy Turtle Dove Porter, Utah, Debbie Flaming Star Delong, Florida; sons: Norman Lone Buck Buford, Utah, Allen Little Buck Buford, Florida, Leonard Big Buck Bartoe, Ohio, Donald Running Deer Bartoe and David White Wolf Trzeciak, Florida; 25 grandchildren; 19 great-grand children and 388 heartbroken, tribal members. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 27 to November 28, 2012

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**McDONALD, WILLIAM ALEXANDER, 23**

Ocala - Alex McDonald, 23, tragically passed away in Ocala on Thanksgiving Day, November 22, 2012. He was born on October 14, 1989, at MRMC. He attended Grace Episcopal School from K-4 through 8th grade, and graduated from Forest High School in 2008. Alex was attending his senior year at FSU, and the university has approved him to receive a posthumous Bachelor of Arts degree from the Business College in Hospitality Management. He was the president of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon (SAE) Fraternity, and he received the Gentleman of the Year Award by his brothers for the last two years. Alex played football from the age of 8 through 12th grade at the YMCA, Boys & Girls Club, MCYFL and Forest. In his senior year, he was elected to the All County Second Team Offensive Line. Alex is survived by his father and mother, William H. (Skipper) McDonald III, and Dianne Harvey McDonald; sister, Allison Lynn McDonald; Katie O'Fallon, his fraternity sweetheart and girlfriend; grandparents: Jeannette and

Jake Casler of Anthony, and Marvin and Barbra Harvey of Rochester, Vt.; uncles: Ray and David Harvey and aunts: Jackie, Cheryl and Patty Harvey of Vermont, and uncles: David and Richard McDonald and aunts: Linda, Jenny and Mary Ann McDonald of Florida; and cousins: Claude, Lindsey, Lauren and Gracie McDonald, Steven McGuffin, and Jeffrey Lokatys. Services will be at the First Presbyterian Church, 511 SE 3rd St., Ocala, on Saturday, December 1, 2012, at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers, you may make donations to his Brothers: SAE, 606 W. Call St. , Tallahassee, FL. 32304. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 28 to November 30, 2012

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**MURPHY, HAZEL K., 92**

East Granby, CT - Hazel K. Murphy, 92, of East Granby, beloved wife of the late Frank E. Murphy passed away Wednesday, November 21, 2012. Born in Brooklyn, NY daughter of the late Peter and Emma Jane (Walker) Kuck, she lived in the Baltimore, MD area before retiring to Ocala, FL and moved to East Granby five years ago to be close to her family. Hazel was an avid reader and she loved to do crossword puzzles and play bridge. She enjoyed her volunteer work with seniors in Florida and was very independent all her life. She is survived by a son, Thomas Murphy of Hillard, OH; a daughter, Linda A. Murphy-Nicotera of East Granby; four grandchildren, April B. Nicotera, Sean D. Murphy, Amber M. Murphy and Vanessa R. Murphy; a sister-in-law, Edna Davis; and numerous nieces and nephews. Hazel was predeceased by a son, Edward F. Murphy, III; and her brothers and sisters. Hazel's family will receive friends Friday, November 30, 2012 from 6-8 PM at Hayes-Huling & Carmon Funeral Home, 364 Salmon Brook St., Granby. Funeral services will be held Saturday, December 1, 2012 at 3:30 PM at Hayes-Huling & Carmon Funeral Home. Burial will be in Baltimore National Cemetery, Baltimore, MD at the convenience of her family. To leave online condolences please visit: [www.carmonfuneralhome.com](http://www.carmonfuneralhome.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 28 to November 29, 2012

**ROESSER, NILES HENRY, 95**

Ocala - Niles Henry Roesser, 95, of Ocala passed away on Saturday, November 10, 2012 at MRMC in Ocala. Niles was born in North Collins, NY and was a former partner in the Ivan

Nagle Lumber Company. Niles was a charter member of the Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church and a life member of the Fortune Masonic Lodge #788 F&FM in North Collins, NY. He was a volunteer fireman in Eden, NY for many years. Niles is preceded in death by his wife of 64 years, Thelma (Nagle), and his sister, Grace Riefler. He is survived by his sister-in-law, Joyce Markham of Ocala, FL, his nieces Claudia Markham-Ahl (Bryan) of Ocala, FL, and Cathy Markham Hebb (Jim) of Parsons, WV, and several great nieces and nephews. There will be a memorial service celebrating Nile's life at the Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church on Sat., December 1st at 11 a.m., all are welcome to attend. A luncheon will be served immediately following the service. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL., 352-622-4141. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 28 to November 29, 2012

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**MURPHY, HAZEL K., 92**

East Granby, CT - Hazel K. Murphy, 92, of East Granby, beloved wife of the late Frank E. Murphy passed away Wednesday, November 21, 2012. Born in Brooklyn, NY daughter of the late Peter and Emma Jane (Walker) Kuck, she lived in the Baltimore, MD area before retiring to Ocala, FL and moved to East Granby five years ago to be close to her family. Hazel was an avid reader and she loved to do crossword puzzles and play bridge. She enjoyed her volunteer work with seniors in Florida and was very independent all her life. She is survived by a son, Thomas Murphy of Hillard, OH; a daughter, Linda A. Murphy-Nicotera of East Granby; four grandchildren, April B. Nicotera, Sean D. Murphy, Amber M. Murphy and Vanessa R. Murphy; a sister-in-law, Edna Davis; and numerous nieces and nephews. Hazel was predeceased by a son, Edward F. Murphy, III; and her brothers and sisters. Hazel's family will receive friends Friday, November 30, 2012 from 6-8 PM at Hayes-Huling & Carmon Funeral Home, 364 Salmon Brook St., Granby. Funeral services will be held Saturday, December 1, 2012 at 3:30 PM at Hayes-Huling & Carmon Funeral Home. Burial will be in Baltimore National Cemetery, Baltimore, MD

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**ROESSER, NILES HENRY, 95**

Ocala - Niles Henry Roesser, 95, of Ocala passed away on Saturday, November 10, 2012 at MRMC in Ocala. Niles was born in North Collins, NY and was a former partner in the Ivan Nagle Lumber Company. Niles was a charter member of the Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church and a life member of the Fortune Masonic Lodge #788 F&FM in North Collins, NY. He was a volunteer fireman in Eden, NY for many years. Niles is preceded in death by his wife of 64 years, Thelma (Nagle), and his sister, Grace Riefler. He is survived by his sister-in-law, Joyce Markham of Ocala, FL, his nieces Claudia Markham-Ahl (Bryan) of Ocala, FL, and Cathy Markham Hebb (Jim) of Parsons, WV, and several great nieces and nephews. There will be a memorial service celebrating Nile's life at the Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church on Sat., December 1st at 11 a.m., all are welcome to attend. A luncheon will be served immediately following the service. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala, FL., 352-622-4141. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 28 to November 29, 2012

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during World War II, and he attended Woodside Baptist Church in Ocala. His survivors include his wife, Judith, of Ocala; sons, Dr. Robert Yancey, Gainesville, and James Yancey, Bluffton, SC; stepson Craig Stewart, Ocala; sister Ann Boursfeld, Washington, DC; and six grandchildren, Mark, Mitchell, Suzanna, Robert, Andrew, and Eric. Memorial services will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, December 1, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Pastor Dwight Stevenson officiating. Those who wish may make memorial contributions to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, 7077 Bonneval Road, Suite 610, Jacksonville, FL 32216. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 29 to November 30, 2012

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Ocala - Dolores D. "Lolo" Pendleton, 94, of Ocala, passed away November 27, 2012 at her home. She was born on November 16, 1918 in Santiago de Cuba, Cuba, a daughter to the late Abelardo Diaz Ulloa and Francisa Espino Garcia Ulloa. In addition to her parents she was also preceded in death by her husband Robert Alexander Pendleton and a sister Nelly Diaz. She was of the Catholic faith and loved her many friends and gardening. She will be dearly missed by sons Robert M. Pendleton of Ocala, Alen Pendleton of Jacksonville; daughter Ana Maria

Pendleton Underwood of Ocala; grandchildren David A. Pendleton, Catherine Marie Welsh and numerous other grand, great and great great grandchildren. A visitation has been scheduled for Saturday December 1, 2012 from 5 pm until 7 pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The family has requested that in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Forest Lawn Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements for Mrs. Pendleton. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 30 to December 1, 2012

**REEVES, MARTHA NELLICLIFF GADSDEN, 93**

Ocala - Martha Nellicliff Gadsden Reeves, age 93, of Ocala passed away November 28, 2012. She was born on March 8, 1919 in Capitola, Florida, a daughter to the late Everett and Parry Nellicliff. In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by her first husband Amos Van Gadsden and her second husband Emmett Reeves. She was a faithful member of the 8th Street Church of God and was a Licensed Practical Nurse for over 30 years. She leaves behind to cherish her memories two loving sons, Amos (Shay) Gadsden, Daniel (Joyce) Gadsden; four grandchildren; six great grandchildren and numerous nieces, nephews and friends. The visitation has been scheduled for Friday, November 30, 2012 from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Saturday, December 1, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the 8th Street Church of God. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 30 to December 1, 2012

**REXIN, ERNEST "ERNIE" A., 81**

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**RIESDORPH, JOYCE RILES**

Ocala -Joyce Riles Riesdorff, long-time resident of Ocala, passed away Monday, November 26, 2012. She was born on January 26, 1932, in New Orleans, LA. Joyce was predeceased by her parents, Raymond and Helen Riles; brothers, Raymond and Harold Riles; and sister, Doris Riles Johns. She is survived by her sister, Margaret Riles White, and beloved brother-in-law, John

White of Brooksville; sons, Rick of Ocala, and Bobby (Susan) of Tampa; granddaughter Laura Youngerman (Danny) of Jackson, Missouri; granddaughter Rachel Teeling (Nick) of Tampa; grandson Matthew Riesdorff of Tampa; great-grandchildren, Brandon and Ashlee Youngerman of Jackson, MO, and Trenton, Sydney, and Garrett Teeling of Tampa. Joyce worked over 30 years with the Marion County School Board as a teacher's aide at Eighth Street Elementary. Those years spent with children, as well as the lifelong friendships she forged with several coworkers, were among her favorite memories, all the way up to the day of her passing. Joyce was a founding member of St. Patrick's Episcopal Church. She lived her life always serving others, taking nothing in return, and her family always came first. Joyce made the world's greatest pound cakes and took great joy in giving away hundreds over the years. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Patrick's Episcopal Church or The American Heart Association. Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m., Saturday, December 1, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home with Father Michael F. Messina, Jr. officiating. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. The family will receive friends from 2 p.m. until time of service at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 S.E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida. To share condolences with the family, please visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 30 to December 1, 2012

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Ocala - Rosemary Stermer, 86, passed away Sunday, November 25, 2012 at Estelle's House Hospice. Prior to moving to Ocala, Rosemary lived most of her life in Southern California where she worked as a nurse and a nursing manager, retiring in 1983. Rosemary moved to Ocala in 2004. She was a talented painter, specializing in oil and china painting and loved to read. She made many friends and actively participated in her church and in a weekly luncheon group. Her family was her passion and she was always ready to support and encourage her sons and grandchildren in all their endeavors. She will be greatly missed. She is survived by her sons, Robert (Ann) Stermer, Ocala, William (Jane) Stermer, Anaheim, California; grandchildren, Katherine Stevens, Lauren Holdaway, Daniel Stermer, Stephanie Stermer, Theresa Stermer, Christopher Stermer, Kimberly Stermer; one great grandchild, Sebastian Stermer; one sister, Mary Thielges, La Crescenta, California and several nieces and nephews. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Memorial services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, December 1, 2012 at Living Hope Community Church, 2111 36th Ave., Ocala, Florida with Dr. Gerald Simmons officiating. The family will receive friends following the service at the church. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 29 to November 30, 2012

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Ft. McCoy - Frances H. Thompson, 79, of Ft. McCoy entered into heaven on November 28, 2012. Born and raised in Illinois she moved to Ft. McCoy in 1998. She loved Country and Gospel music which she would listen to each and every day. As a military wife she also did a lot of traveling all throughout the United States and Puerto Rico. She was very active in Ft. McCoy United Methodist Church at the thrift store. She worked for many years and retired as a CNA after 30 years. She enjoyed quilting, gardening and most of all being with family. She also owned and operated Thompson and Sons Christmas tree farm and was very active in the DAV. She is preceded in death by her husband of 58 years, Thomas G. Thompson Sr.; three sons, Thomas Jr., Jeffrey, Plemon; and a granddaughter, Dorothy Cook. She is survived by her



daughter, Deborah (Garry) Thompson; daughter-in-laws, Donna and Mitzi Thompson along with 11 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren. She also had three wonderful caregivers, Kimberly, Michael and Russell; and her companion of the past four years her dog, Bruno. A memorial service will be held at Ft. McCoy United Methodist Church at 2 pm on Sunday, December 2, 2012 with burial to be held at Florida National Cemetery at a later date. In lieu of flowers, please give live plants or donate to the Ft. McCoy United Methodist Church building fund. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 30 to December 1, 2012

**YANCEY, ROBERT W., 90**

Ocala - Mr. Robert W. (Bob White) Yancey, 90, of Ocala, died Friday, November 23, 2012, at the Legacy Hospice House. Born in Manassas, VA, he moved to Marion County when he was one year old. He was a graduate of the University of Florida, and was a chemical engineer for 20 plus years for the DuPont Corporation. He was the first blueberry grower in Marion County, and owned and operated Yancey's Blueberry Farm from 1960-1990. He served as President of the Florida Blueberry Growers Association, and was a member of the Michigan Blueberry Growers Association. In addition to being a Gator fan, he was an avid golfer, and for many years attended the Masters Golf Tournament in Augusta, GA. He proudly served his country in the US Navy during World War II, and he attended Woodside Baptist Church in Ocala. His survivors include his wife, Judith, of Ocala; sons, Dr. Robert Yancey, Gainesville, and James Yancey, Bluffton, SC; stepson Craig Stewart, Ocala; sister Ann Boursfeld, Washington, DC; and six grandchildren, Mark, Mitchell, Suzanna, Robert, Andrew, and Eric. Memorial services will be held at 1 p.m. Saturday, December 1, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, with Pastor Dwight Stevenson officiating. Those who wish may make memorial contributions to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, 7077 Bonneval Road, Suite 610, Jacksonville, FL 32216. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 29 to November 30, 2012

**BENWAY, FRANCES "FRAN", 86**

Massena, NY - Frances "Fran" Grace Spellman Leroux Benway, beloved sister, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, passed on to God's Eternal Kingdom on November, 25th, 2012 at Massena Memorial Hospital, Massena, NY, after fighting the good fight against cancer. Fran was born in Marblehead MA, on November 18, 1926 to Francis and Iva Spellman and lived most of her life in Salem and Danvers MA, but in later years lived in Silver Springs FL, Niagara and Cornwell, Canada. During WWII, Fran worked in a factory that produced materials for the war effort. During that time she was awarded a Presidential Citation, signed by Franklin D. Roosevelt, commending her for a suggestion she submitted which resulted in increasing the production efficiency of the item(s) she was working on. In later years she became a Licensed Practical Nurse and worked for many years as the night nurse in the Intensive Care Unit at Salem Hospital in Salem, MA. She received many accolades and praise for her work there. She was preceded in death by her husbands, Robert P. Leroux and Arthur Benway, her son, Ronald Leroux, her father, Francis J. Spellman, mother, Iva H. Lewis Spellman LaBonte, her brothers, James and William Spellman, of California, her sister, Elizabeth Spellman Picariello of Swampscott, MA. She is survived by three sons, their spouses, and grandchildren, Col. Robert P. Leroux, Retired USAF, and wife Sue of Alabama, Rev. Donald F. Leroux, Retired MSgt, USAF and wife Mary of North Dakota, Jay Leroux and wife Pam of Delaware, adopted sons Glenn MacDonald and

Wayne Robbilee, three sisters, and their spouses, Margaret Spellman and Robert Goodwin, Mary Spellman and David Schaejbe of Salem, MA and Dorothy Spellman and Kenneth MacAskill of Marblehead, MA, and one brother, Richard Spellman of ME, and numerous nieces, and nephews, 10 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren and her companion, Leo Beaubien, of Cornwall, Canada. A memorial service will be held in the Eustis and Cornell Funeral Home, 142 Elm Street, Marblehead on Wednesday, December 5 at 1PM. Interment to follow in Waterside Cemetery, Marblehead. Relatives and friends respectfully invited. The Family request that donations be made to your local food bank in lieu of flowers. Please visit the online guestbook for Frances at: [www.eustisandcornellfuneralhome.com](http://www.eustisandcornellfuneralhome.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 1 to December 2, 2012

**BRADY, OTIS THOMAS, 70**

Winter Park - Otis Thomas Braddy, 70, passed away on November 24, 2012 in Winter Park. He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife Joyce Pierson-Braddy; children, Bale Braddy Gregory Jones and Javion Washington; and a host of relatives and friends. Visitation will be held at Snow's Funeral Ministry on Friday, November 30, 2012 from 6:30 - 8 p.m. Funeral service will be held at the Mt. Olive Cemetery in Summerfield at 11:30 a.m. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade." Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 30 to December 1, 2012

**GARNER, FRANK, 91**

Ocala - Frank Garner died Nov 21, 2012. He was 91. Born in Newark, he lived in Kearny before moving to Florida in 1994. Arrangements were by the Armitage and Wiggins Funeral, 596 Belgrove Drive, Kearny, NJ. Mass was last Thursday at 9:30 a.m. in St. Stephens Church. Entombment was at Holy Cross Cemetery in North Arlington, NJ. Frank was a retired postal worker, a WWII Airforce Veteran and an avid Devils Fan. Wife of the late Regina he is survived by his son Robert and his wife Barbara and his grandson Michael. In lieu of flowers, kindly consider a donation to your local Hospice Care. To leave online condolence, please visit: [www.armitagewiggins.com](http://www.armitagewiggins.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 1 to December 2, 2012

**GRIESHABER, KENNY, 57**

Ocala - Kenny Grieshaber, 57, passed away Thursday, November 29, 2012 at North Florida Regional Medical Center. Kenny had lived in Ocala for 10 years moving from Fultonville, New York. He was a hard worker and loved his family. He was preceded in death by his parents, William and Frances Grieshaber. He is survived by his wife of 36 years, Judy Grieshaber; daughter, Jillian Grieshaber, Frederick, Maryland, son, Jason (Cindy) Grieshaber, Lakeland, Florida; two granddaughters, Jacquelyn and Morgan Grieshaber; brothers, William (Phyllis) Grieshaber, Coral Springs, Florida, Richard (Denise) Grieshaber, Ft. Worth, Texas; very special aunt and uncle, Jimmy and Judy Grieshaber, Vero Beach,

Florida and several nieces, nephews and cousins. Funeral service will be held at 1:00 PM, Tuesday, December 4, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. The family will receive friends from 5:00 PM until 8:00 PM Monday, December 3, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 1 to December 2, 2012

**LABRECQUE, LUVIA M., 85**

Ocala - Luvia M. (Cook) Labrecque, 85, wife of the late H. Normand Labrecque, daughter of the late Harland and Luvia Cook, of Bellingham, Massachusetts, died peacefully at her home in Ocala in the company of friends and family, on Sunday, November 18, 2012. She leaves three daughters, Jo-Ann Fortin and her husband Ronald, of S. Attleboro, MA; Brenda Waskiewicz, of Blackstone, MA; and Debra Gagnon and her husband Paul, of Saunderstown, RI; and one son, Normand Labrecque and his wife Kathryn, of Enfield, NH. She also leaves nine grandchildren and three great grandchildren. She is also survived by two sisters, Leila Newell of Temecula, CA and Lucille Sampson and her husband Gary, of Coventry, RI and one brother, Derryl Cook of California. Luvia was a member of the Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, Ocala, FL and a founding member of the Ocala Refund and Coupon Club. She was also a familiar face for 20 years as a flea market vendor, known as "Cookie's Crafts", known for her signature 'scrubbies' and other hand-crafted items. She loved crafts, reading, word searches and writing poetry, which she had published. She was a loving mother and a faithful loving wife. Services will be private and held at the convenience of the family. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 1 to December 2, 2012

**McDONALD, WILLIAM ALEXANDER, 23**

Ocala - Alex McDonald, 23, tragically passed away in Ocala on Thanksgiving Day, November 22, 2012. He was born on October 14, 1989, at MRMC. He attended Grace Episcopal School from K-4 through 8th grade, and graduated from Forest High School in 2008. Alex was attending his senior year at FSU, and the university has approved him to receive a posthumous Bachelor of Arts degree from the Business College in Hospitality Management. He was the president of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon (SAE) Fraternity, and he received the Gentleman of the Year Award by his brothers for the last two years. Alex played football from the age of 8 through 12th grade at the YMCA, Boys & Girls Club, MCVFL and Forest. In his senior year, he was elected to the All County Second Team Offensive Line. Alex is survived by his father and mother, William H. (Skipper) McDonald III, and Dianne Harvey McDonald; sister, Allison Lynn McDonald; Katie O'Fallon, his fraternity sweetheart and girlfriend; grandparents: Jeannette and Jake Casler of Anthony, and Marvin and Barbra Harvey of Rochester, Vt.; uncles: Ray and David Harvey and aunts: Jackie, Cheryl and Patty Harvey of Vermont, and uncles: David and Richard McDonald and aunts: Linda, Jenny and Mary Ann McDonald of Florida; and cousins: Claude, Lindsey, Lauren and Gracie McDonald, Steven McGuffin, and Jeffrey Lokatys. Services will be at the First Presbyterian Church, 511 SE 3rd St., Ocala, on Saturday, December 1, 2012, at 1 p.m. In lieu of flowers, you may make donations to his Brothers: SAE, 606 W. Call St., Tallahassee, FL. 32304. Arrangements

are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 28 to December 1, 2012

**PENDLETON, DOLORES D. "LOLO", 94**

Ocala - Dolores D. "Lolo" Pendleton, 94, of Ocala, passed away November 27, 2012 at her home. She was born on November 16, 1918 in Santiago de Cuba, Cuba, a daughter to the late Abelardo Diaz Ulloa and Francisa Espino Garcia Ulloa. In addition to her parents she was also preceded in death by her husband Robert Alexander Pendleton and a sister Nelly Diaz. She was of the Catholic faith and loved her many friends and gardening. She will be dearly missed by sons Robert M. Pendleton of Ocala, Alen Pendleton of Jacksonville; daughter Ana Maria Pendleton Underwood of Ocala; grandchildren David A. Pendleton, Catherine Marie Welsh and numerous other grand, great and great great grandchildren. A visitation has been scheduled for Saturday December 1, 2012 from 5 pm until 7 pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. The family has requested that in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Forest Lawn Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements for Mrs. Pendleton. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 30 to December 1, 2012

**REEVES, MARTHA NELLICLIFF GADSDEN, 93**

Ocala - Martha Nellicliff Gadsden Reeves, age 93, of Ocala passed away November 28, 2012. She was born on March 8, 1919 in Capitola, Florida, a daughter to the late Everett and Parry Nellicliff. In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by her first husband Amos Van Gadsden and her second husband Emmett Reeves. She was a faithful member of the 8th Street Church of God and was a Licensed Practical Nurse for over 30 years. She leaves behind to cherish her memories two loving sons, Amos (Shay) Gadsden, Daniel (Joyce) Gadsden; four grandchildren; six great grandchildren and numerous nieces, nephews and friends. The visitation has been scheduled for Friday, November 30, 2012 from 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Saturday, December 1, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the 8th Street Church of God. Burial will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 30 to December 1, 2012

**REXIN, ERNEST "ERNIE" A., 81**

Ocala - Ernest "Ernie" A. Rexin, 81, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, November 27, 2012. He was born in Brooklyn, NY on July 24, 1931 to Ernest and Henrietta Rexin. He was raised in the Yorkville section of Manhattan. Ernie was a U.S. Navy and U.S. Army veteran of the Korean Conflict. Following his military service, he became a licensed Second Mate in the U.S. Merchant Marine where he sailed as a Second Mate and earned a Chief mate endorsement. During his sailing days, he visited 64 different islands and countries making lifelong acquaintances everywhere he went. Between his sailing commitments, he put his

talents to further use as a Marine Surveyor and a Port Captain supervising the loading and discharge of containerized and bulk cargo at the Howland Hook Marine Terminal on Staten Island, NY and at other major ports along the east coast. He was also instrumental in introducing modern cargo handling operation in Mexico, Brazil and El Salvador. Ernie was an extremely loving husband to his wife and best friend of 38 years, Florence Rexin, whom he met at the Howland Hook Container Terminal. He is survived by his wife Florence and by two nieces, Margie Rosa of Johnstown, NY and Diane Sargeant of Boliver, OH. Ernie's favorite saying was Ego Sum Pauper Nihil Habeo Cor Meum Dabo which in Latin means, "I am poor, I have nothing, I give my heart." A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Sunday, December 2, 2012 from 2 pm until 3 pm. A funeral service will also be held at the funeral home on Sunday at 3 pm. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 30 to December 1, 2012

### **RIESDORPH, JOYCE RILES**

Ocala -Joyce Riles Riesdorff, long-time resident of Ocala, passed away Monday, November 26, 2012. She was born on January 26, 1932, in New Orleans, LA. Joyce was predeceased by her parents, Raymond and Helen Riles; brothers, Raymond and Harold Riles; and sister, Doris Riles Johns. She is survived by her sister, Margaret Riles White, and beloved brother-in-law, John White of Brooksville; sons, Rick of Ocala, and Bobby (Susan) of Tampa; granddaughter Laura Youngerman (Danny) of Jackson, Missouri; granddaughter Rachel Teeling (Nick) of Tampa; grandson Matthew Riesdorff of Tampa; great-grandchildren, Brandon and Ashlee Youngerman of Jackson, MO, and Trenton, Sydney, and Garrett Teeling of Tampa. Joyce worked over 30 years with the Marion County School Board as a teacher's aide at Eighth Street Elementary. Those years spent with children, as well as the lifelong friendships she forged with several coworkers, were among her favorite memories, all the way up to the day of her passing. Joyce was a founding member of St. Patrick's Episcopal Church. She lived her life always serving others, taking nothing in return, and her family always came first. Joyce made the world's greatest pound cakes and took great joy in giving away hundreds over the years. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Patricks Episcopal Church or The American Heart Association . Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m., Saturday, December 1, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home with Father Michael F. Messina, Jr. officiating. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. The family will receive friends from 2 p.m. until time of service at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 S.E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida. To share condolences with the family, please visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from November 30 to December 1, 2012

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, December 2, 2012**

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invited. The Family request that donations be made to your local food bank in lieu of flowers. Please visit the online guestbook for Frances at: [www.eustisandcornellfuneralhome.com](http://www.eustisandcornellfuneralhome.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 1 to December 2, 2012

**DARLEY, ROBERT L.**

Ocala - Robert "Bob" L. Darley, age 69, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, November 30, 2012. He was born in Ocala, FL on April 24, 1943. Bob lived most of his life in Ocala. He served in the Florida National Guard, 48th Armored Division, "The Hurricanes". He retired from Sprint after 29 years of service. He was a member and Deacon of First Baptist Church of Ocala. His hobby was fishing. Bob loved to tinker in his garage. Friends recall Bob as having a great sense of humor. He is survived by his wife of 49 years Linda Darley of Ocala, FL; son Michael (Annie) Darley of Ocala, FL; Eric Darley of Ocala, FL; 2 brothers Wesley and Ray Darley both of Ocala, FL; sister Lola Fay Sparkman of Ocala, FL; mother Bertha Darley Sharp of Ocala, FL; and 2 grandchildren Zachary and Benjamin Darley both of Ocala, FL. A memorial service will be held at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL on Wednesday, December 5, 2012 at 11am. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Christ's Starfish Foundation online at [www.christstarfish.org](http://www.christstarfish.org) or by mail at 11750 Coastal Lane, Jacksonville, FL 32258. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 2 to December 3, 2012

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**GOLDSTINE, RUTH CAROLYN, 90**

Ocala - Ruth Carolyn Goldstine, 90, of OTOW, died November 21, 2012. She was born on March 25, 1922 in Chicago, IL. Ruth is predeceased by her parents Arthur and Mina Goldstine and brother James Goldstine. Ruth served in the Navy (1943-1946). She was a teacher, counselor, and administrator with the Miami-Dade school system for 30 years. She was a member of Alpha Epsilon Phi Fraternity. She lived within the OTOW communities for 23 years. Her retirement was spent with volunteer work throughout the community, especially with Hospice of Marion County very close to her heart. For 17 years, she lead the

fundraiser Hoofin' It for Hospice for OTOW. In lieu of flowers, we ask that you make a donation to Hospice of Marion County's Legacy House (3231 SW 34th Ave. Ocala, FL 34474). Her memorial service will be held at the Queen of Peace Church on SR 200 with Father P.J. O'Doherty at 8:30 a.m. on Friday, December 7, 2012. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 2 to December 3, 2012

**GRIESHABER, KENNY, 57**

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**JOLIN, ROBERT WILLIAM, 83**

Ocklawaha - Robert William Jolin, 83, died at his residence Sunday, November 4, 2012. He was born in Worcester, Massachusetts and moved to this area 10 years ago. He was Episcopalian by faith and worked in construction doing paving and excavation. Mr. Jolin is survived by his companion, Elizabeth Vizard and wonderful friends in Florida; sons, John Jolin and Dana Jolin; daughters, Veronica Ruffo and Venus Jolin; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at 7 pm, Tuesday, December 4, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview with Fr. Stephen Dass officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Online condolences may be sent at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 2 to December 3, 2012

**LABRECQUE, LUVIA M., 85**

Ocala - Luvia M. (Cook) Labrecque, 85, wife of the late H. Normand Labrecque, daughter of the late Harland and Luvia Cook, of Bellingham, Massachusetts, died peacefully at her home in Ocala in the company of friends and family, on Sunday, November 18, 2012. She leaves three daughters, Jo-Ann Fortin and her husband Ronald, of S. Attleboro, MA; Brenda Waskiewicz, of Blackstone, MA; and Debra Gagnon and her husband Paul, of Saunderstown, RI; and one son, Normand Labrecque and his wife Kathryn, of Enfield, NH. She also leaves



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**LEWIS, JOHN F., 57**

Summerfield - John Franklin Lewis, 57, went to be with the Lord on Sunday, Nov. 25, 2012, at his home. He was born April 2, 1955, in Rapid City, SD, where he grew up with his family in the Christian faith. He was the fourth of five children born to Charles Eugene and Eva May (Kruse) Lewis. He later moved to Florida where he resided since 1986. John loved tinkering on many different things. He was known for his amazing wood working skills, which he often used to build one-of-a-kind toys for his grandchildren. He also had a love of cars and mechanics, which he passed down to his son. He enjoyed working on his 1969 El Camino, and loved riding his Harley. He is survived by his daughter, Katie (Gary) Brossaline, Joelton, TN; his son, Andrew (Britney) Lewis, Rapid City, SD; two grandchildren, Grace and Faith Brossaline; his former wife, Janet Lewis, Rapid City, SD; his mother, Eva May Lewis, Papillion, NE; brother, Michael (Elaine) Lewis, Rapid City, SD; and sister, Tammie (Dan) Clevenger, Papillion, NE; as well as many other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Charles Eugene Lewis; and two brothers, Patrick and Larry Lewis. A time of gathering will be at 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 9th, at his residence, 9210 SE 155th Place, Summerfield, FL 34491. Memorial donations may be sent to his residence. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 2 to December 3, 2012

**MINTZ, STEPHEN J.**

Ocala - Stephen J. Mintz, age 65, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on November 30, 2012. He was born in Poughkeepsie, NY on October 24, 1947 and was married to Deborah Mintz for 31 years. He is survived by his children, Jamie Parrish, James Mintz and Trevor Mintz, and grandchildren, Ben, Emily, Kaitlynn and Danielle. Stephen is the brother of Pat, Laurie and Mary Mintz and Uncle to Kalie and Christian Foster. He is preceded in death by his parents Adolph and Gertrude Mintz. He worked as a Service Technician at IBM for 25 years and then as Field Service Engineer for 10 Years, in his "retirement". He enjoyed movies, sports, traveling and playing tennis. Visitation will be held from 10:00am to 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, December 5th at Roberts Funeral home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon, Florida 34432. Burial will be at 2:00 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery. Condolences may be left at [www.robertsofdunnellon.com](http://www.robertsofdunnellon.com) Family requests memorial donations be made to the American Cancer Society in lieu of flowers. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 2 to December 3, 2012

**O'BRIEN, DENNIS E., 64**

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#### **DARLEY, ROBERT L.**

Ocala - Robert "Bob" L. Darley, age 69, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, November 30, 2012. He was born in Ocala, FL on April 24, 1943. Bob lived most of his life in Ocala. He served in the Florida National Guard, 48th Armored Division, "The Hurricanes". He retired from Sprint after 29 years of service. He was a member and Deacon of First Baptist Church of Ocala. His hobby was fishing. Bob loved to tinker in his garage. Friends recall Bob as having a great sense of humor. He is survived by his wife of 49 years Linda Darley of Ocala, FL; son Michael (Annie) Darley of Ocala, FL; Eric Darley of Ocala, FL; 2 brothers Wesley and Ray Darley both of Ocala, FL; sister Lola Fay Sparkman of Ocala, FL; mother Bertha Darley Sharp of Ocala, FL; and 2 grandchildren Zachary and Benjamin Darley both of Ocala, FL. A memorial service will be held at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL on Wednesday, December 5, 2012 at 11am. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Christ's Starfish Foundation online at [www.christstarfish.org](http://www.christstarfish.org) or by mail at 11750 Coastal Lane, Jacksonville, FL 32258. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 2 to December 3, 2012

#### **GOLDSTINE, RUTH CAROLYN, 90**

Ocala - Ruth Carolyn Goldstine, 90, of OTOW, died November 21, 2012. She was born on March 25, 1922 in Chicago, IL. Ruth is predeceased by her parents Arthur and Mina Goldstine and brother James Goldstine. Ruth served in the Navy (1943-1946). She was a teacher, counselor, and administrator with the Miami-Dade school system for 30 years. She was a member of Alpha Epsilon Phi Fraternity. She lived within the OTOW communities for 23 years. Her retirement was spent with volunteer work throughout the community, especially with Hospice of Marion County very close to her heart. For 17 years, she lead the fundraiser Hoofin' It for Hospice for OTOW. In lieu of flowers, we ask that you make a donation to Hospice of Marion County's Legacy House (3231 SW 34th Ave. Ocala, FL 34474). Her memorial service will be held at the Queen of Peace Church on SR 200 with Father P.J. O'Doherty at 8:30 a.m. on Friday, December 7, 2012. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 2 to December 3, 2012

#### **JOLIN, ROBERT WILLIAM, 83**

Ocklawaha - Robert William Jolin, 83, died at his residence Sunday, November 4, 2012. He was born in Worcester, Massachusetts and moved to this area 10 years ago. He was Episcopalian by faith and worked in construction doing paving and excavation. Mr. Jolin is survived by his

companion, Elizabeth Vizard and wonderful friends in Florida; sons, John Jolin and Dana Jolin; daughters, Veronica Ruffo and Venus Jolin; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at 7 pm, Tuesday, December 4, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview with Fr. Stephen Dass officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Online condolences may be sent at [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 2 to December 3, 2012

**LEWIS, JOHN F., 57**

Summerfield - John Franklin Lewis, 57, went to be with the Lord on Sunday, Nov. 25, 2012, at his home. He was born April 2, 1955, in Rapid City, SD, where he grew up with his family in the Christian faith. He was the fourth of five children born to Charles Eugene and Eva May (Kruse) Lewis. He later moved to Florida where he resided since 1986. John loved tinkering on many different things. He was known for his amazing wood working skills, which he often used to build one-of-a-kind toys for his grandchildren. He also had a love of cars and mechanics, which he passed down to his son. He enjoyed working on his 1969 El Camino, and loved riding his Harley. He is survived by his daughter, Katie (Gary) Brossaline, Joelton, TN; his son, Andrew (Britney) Lewis, Rapid City, SD; two grandchildren, Grace and Faith Brossaline; his former wife, Janet Lewis, Rapid City, SD; his mother, Eva May Lewis, Papillion, NE; brother, Michael (Elaine) Lewis, Rapid City, SD; and sister, Tammie (Dan) Clevenger, Papillion, NE; as well as many other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his father, Charles Eugene Lewis; and two brothers, Patrick and Larry Lewis. A time of gathering will be at 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 9th, at his residence, 9210 SE 155th Place, Summerfield, FL 34491. Memorial donations may be sent to his residence. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 2 to December 3, 2012

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#### **BOERSMA, VICTORIA, 67**

Ocala - Victoria "Vicki" Boersma, 67, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, November 30, 2012. She was born in Huntington, Long Island, NY on May 7, 1945. Vicki spent most of her life in Huntington, NY and Stroudsburg, PA until moving to Florida 12 years ago. Vicki had a passion for helping others and during her life she dedicated 25 years as a nurse in both hospitals and nursing homes until her retirement. Vicki loved spending time with her family. She loved the performing arts, helping others, arts and crafts, shopping and crocheting. Vicki has always had a passion for animals and loved her dog Micah. She was an active member of the Cherry Wood community. She also was a member of the Song Birds choral group and Color Guard to support our military troops. She was raised Roman Catholic, participated in many religious events with the Episcopal Church. Her legacy is the open desire to always help others. Survivors include her ex husband Henry Boersma of Ocala, FL; son Paul Boersma of Ocala, FL; son Mark Boersma of Chicago, IL; brother Vince Ambrosia of Denver, CO; brother Tommy Ambrosia of Stroudsburg, PA; three grandchildren Quinton, Jada and Alexis. A funeral service will take place at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, December 6, 2012 at 7 pm. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Thursday from 5 pm until the time of the service at 7pm. Burial will take place at St Charles Resurrection Cemetery in Farmingdale, NY. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

#### **CINTRON, ANNA KIRSHER, 88**

Ocala - Anna Kirsher Cintron, 88, of Ocala, FL passed away on November 29, 2012 at Life Care Center in Ocala, FL. Anna was born in Jersey City and worked as a Foreman at the General Pencil Factory in Jersey City. Anna is predeceased by her beloved husband, Heriberto Cintron and son Fredrick Kirsher. She is survived by her niece, Pamela Mahedy of Branchville, NJ; daughter-in-law Roslyn; grandchildren, Erick and Jenanine; great grandchildren, Taylor, Hunter, and Jordyn; older brother Thomas Hunt; twin sister Mary Famular and stepson Oscar Cintron. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, December 5, 2012, from 2-4, 7-9 pm at the Goble Funeral Home, 22 Main St., Sparta, NJ 07871. A funeral mass will be held Thursday at 10 a.m. at St. Thomas of Aquin Church, 53 Kennedy Ave.,

Ogdensburg, NJ. Burial will follow at Holy Cross Cemetery, N. Arlington, NJ. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**GRIGGS, THOMAS THURMAN, 91**

Ocala - Thomas Thurman Griggs, 91, went to be with the Lord on November 30th 2012. He spent his final days surrounded by family and friends. Preceding him in death was his wife of 54 years, Helen Jane Griggs. Thomas is survived by his children, Joan (Bill) Steele and Larry (Priscilla) Griggs; grandchildren, Richard (Kelly) Beatty and Christina Griggs; and brother, Lester Griggs. Thomas was born and raised in Moss Bluff, FL. After serving our country in the U.S. Armed Forces during World War II, he and Helen made Ocala, FL their home. Thomas worked for Swift and Company his entire adult life. He was a devoted University of Florida Gator but above all he was a good and faithful servant of the Lord. Thomas was a faithful husband, dedicated father, beloved grandfather, brother, uncle and friend. He was dearly loved by his family and friends and will be greatly missed. He was a man of God, with total dedication to his Father in Heaven, and was an inspiration to all who knew him. He was a member of Central Church of Christ for over 70 years. A memorial service will be held at Central Church of Christ, 4200 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, December 6, 2012 at 5:30 p.m.. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Central Church of Christ building fund in memory of Thomas Thurman Griggs. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**HUNTER, CHARLES R., 95**

Ocala - Mr. Charles R. Hunter, 95, of Ocala, FL, went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, December 1, 2012. Charles was born in Philadelphia, PA on April 24, 1917 to parents, Harry and Elizabeth (Weber) Hunter. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He retired as a welder for Brays Welding. Charles loved bowling and bowled up to age 95. Survivors include his daughter, Jean Crawford of Morriston, FL; granddaughter, Ivy DeVita and husband, Nick, of Crystal River, FL; grandson, Shawn Stephens and wife, Lisa, of Old Town, FL; great grandchildren, Nick DeVita Jr, DeAna DeVita, and Cody Stephens; and sister, Margaret Germeroth. Charles was a member of Berean Baptist Church where services will take place on Wednesday, December 5th at 10 a.m.. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**MIRANDA SR. WILLIAM G., 82**

Ocala - William G. Miranda, Sr. 82, of Pineville, NC, formerly of Ocala, FL joined his beloved wife Antoinette in Heaven on Friday, November 30, 2012 in Pineville, North Carolina. Mr. Miranda, Sr. was born in Larchmont, NY on July 3, 1930 and was the son to the late Antonio and Amelia (Orsini) Miranda. He was a retired manager with various food and beverage companies. William was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala, FL. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy. He was a master gardener with Marion County and donated thousands of volunteer hours; even receiving an award from President Bush for his volunteerism. William was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 57 years, Antoinette D. Miranda on October 16, 2011. He is survived by his children, William G. Miranda, Jr. and his wife Maria of Hamden CT and Julie Ann Stoughton and her husband Robert of Charlotte, NC; four loving grandchildren Nick, Lindsey, Michael and Eva; and his sister Mary Fratianni,

of Floral Park, NY. Bill was a kind and gentle man, quick to lend a helping hand. Donations may be made to St Jude's Children's Hospital or the Alzheimer's Association . Visitation will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Wednesday, December 5th, 2012 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.. Mass will be held at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, December 6th at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Burial with full military honors will follow at the Florida National Cemetery. Condolences may be expressed at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**PRUITT, MARCIA LOUISE**

Died Dec 1, 2012 at her sister's home. She was born to the late Jack and Jessie Pruitt and lived in Ocala all her life. She is survived by her sister, Susan McLeod and brothers, Gordon Pruitt and Cecil A. Pruitt. Sister, Christine Pinar, predeceased. Nieces Cynthia Desguin, Kayla Pinar, and Kelsey Yanez. Nephews, Cecil M Pruitt, P. Heath Pruitt and grand nephew Jordan Desguin. Many special uncles, aunts, cousins and children she has taken care of through the years. Visitation was held at Roberts Funeral Home, Downtown on Dec 3, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. Funeral service on Dec 4 at 10 am. Burial in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner on December 4, 2012

**ROBERTSON, ARLENE, 80**

Summerfield - Arlene Robertson, 80, wife of the late James D. Robertson, passed away on November 28, 2012. Born in Olean, NY, she was a homemaker and retired from Hollywood Memorial Hospital, Hollywood, FL, before moving to Summerfield. She is survived by her sister, Naomi Sullivan, Amherst, NY; daughters, Darlene (Gerald) Robertson; Donna (Kim) Furce; Diane (Todd) Remington; Denise (Luby) Chambul; and sons, James Robertson, Jay Robertson and John Robertson; and Grandmother of Joe (Amanda) Furce; Dawn Ayala, Kelly Robertson, Desiree Remington, Danielle Remington, Delaney Chambul; and a Great Grandmother of Dahrie and Deslyn Furce and Peyton Ayala. Arlene also has numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and nephews. There will be a Celebration of Her Life on December 15, 2012, at 3 p.m. at 13785 SE 25th Avenue, Summerfield, FL. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL., 352-620-2006. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**SANCHEZ, RAMON E., 75**

Ocala - Ramon E. Sanchez, 75, passed away November 30, 2012 in Ocala, FL. He was born on October 27, 1937 in Fajardo, Puerto Rico to the late Eduardo Sanchez and the late Aurora Ramos. In addition to his parents he was also preceded in death by a sister Irene Sanchez. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and he belonged to St. Jude Catholic Church. He leaves behind to cherish his memories his loving wife of 50 years, Francis; two sons Eduardo (Kimberly) Sanchez of Chapel Hill, NC, Ramon Sanchez of Puerto Rico; a sister, Luisa Sanchez of Puerto Rico; four grandchildren and one great grandchild. A visitation has been scheduled for Wednesday, December 5, 2012 from 5 pm-7 pm at St. Jude Catholic Church. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Thursday at 10 am also at the church with burial to follow in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Forest Lawn Funeral Home



is in charge of the arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**SHERBLOM, ROBERT IRVING, 82**

Ocala/Princeton, MA - Robert Irving Sherblom, 82, formerly of Worcester and Princeton, MA, died November 3, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, after being stricken ill at home. He was born and raised in Worcester, MA, the son of Arthur and Edna (Lane) Sherblom and was a graduate of Doherty Memorial High School in Worcester. He was predeceased by his daughter, Barbara Jean Sherblom who resided in Sterling, MA and his siblings, George Sherblom, Alice Dupras and Arthur Sherblom, Jr. all of Worcester, MA and Julia Wilkinson of Wayland, NY. Robert is survived by and will be lovingly missed by his wife, Maria Pauline (Yankus) Sherblom. They would have celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary on November 10th. In addition, he leaves behind his children who adored him, Carol Sherblom of Hubbardston, MA, Robert P. Sherblom and his wife Lynn of Palm Coast and Christine Beer and her husband Allen of Leicester, MA; and a stepson, Ken Banis of Holbrook, MA. Besides his immediate family, he will be greatly missed by his grandchildren, Kim Richardson of Hubbardston, MA, Rachele Pojednic and her husband John of Cambridgeport, MA, Leia Sherblom of Australia, Mae Sherblom of Raeford, NC, Joshua Beer and Tiffany Beer both of Leicester, MA. He was an IC ETM for the U.S. Navy serving aboard the USS Kerstin in the South Pacific during Korean War. He also served as Master of Arms and was wounded in the service while on duty. Professionally, Robert was a compositor for the Worcester Telegram and Gazette for 25 years. He owned and operated his own printing and related business until he moved to Ocala. Upon his retirement he became captain of security at Ocala Regional Medical Center and the Marion Community Hospital. He retired from this position in 2008. Socially, he was a past member and president of the Summit Improvement Society in Worcester and a 49 year member of the Harold N. Keith American Legion Post 204 in West Boylston. He was a Master Mason for 34 years and was a member of the Boylston Lodge A.F. & A.M. in West Boylston and the Valley of Springfield Scottish Rite Bodies. He was a dedicated Red Sox fan and even tried out for the team as a younger man. He also enjoyed football, nature walks, the ocean, but mostly, he especially loved gathering with his family. Affectionately known by all, Robert was a devoted husband, father, grandfather and friend. He will be remembered for his charming humor and his unconditional love of his family. Relatives and friends are invited to attend calling hours from 5 to 7 p.m. on Friday, December 7, 2012 in the Miles Funeral Home, 1158 Main Street, Holden, MA. A memorial service for Robert will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, December 8th, in the funeral home followed by a committal service at Worcester County Memorial Park in Paxton, MA. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Legacy Hospice House, 9505 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. To share a memory or offer an online condolence, visit: [www.milesfuneralhome.com](http://www.milesfuneralhome.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

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**BENNETT, PAMELA SUE, 54**

Ocala - Pamela Sue Bennett, 54, of Ocala, passed away December 3, 2012 at her home after a long battle with cancer. She came to this area 34 years ago from her native, Champaign, Illinois.

Pam was a member of Trinity Baptist Church of Ocala and was a member of their choir. She was a leader in the human resources industry and was a human resources manager for a cardiovascular practice in Gainesville, FL. Pam had also been an active member of the Ocala Business Community and enjoyed hiking, cooking and fine wine. Pam will be remembered most by her optimistic attitude and her beautiful smile. She is survived by her mother, Jean Bennett of Silver Springs; brother, Wayne Bennett of Champaign, IL, a nephew, niece, uncle and several cousins all in Illinois. Per Pam's wishes, no funeral services will be held. Friends who wish can make a memorial donation to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944. A condolence message may be left at: [www. robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 5 to December 6, 2012

### **BIANCULLI, PATRICIA, 80**

Ocala - Patricia Bianculli, age 80, passed away Sunday, December 2, 2012 at her home. Pat, formerly of East Northport, New York, was predeceased by her loving husband, Richard Bianculli. Beloved mother of eight children, Charles (Mary), John (Robin), Mary Burns (Thomas), Richard (Debra), Patricia Ammirato (Phillip), Elizabeth Steiner (Bradley), Michael (Melissa), Thomas (Cary); loving grandmother of twenty-eight grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. Funeral services in New York are visitation from 2 - 5 p.m. and 7 - 9 p.m., Thursday, December 6, 2012 at Brueggeman Funeral Home, 522 Larkfield Rd, East Northport, Long Island, New York 11731. Mass of Resurrection will be held at 9:45 a.m. Friday, December 7, 2012 at St. Anthony of Padua Roman Catholic Church, 1025 5th Avenue., East Northport, New York, 11731. Interment will follow at St. Charles Roman Catholic Cemetery, Farmingdale, New York. Local services include a Mass of Resurrection to be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, December 5, 2012 at Blessed Trinity Roman Catholic Church with Father Patrick J. Sheedy officiating. The family will receive friends from 6 - 8 PM Tuesday, December 4, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

### **BOERSMA, VICTORIA, 67**

Ocala - Victoria "Vicki" Boersma, 67, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, November 30, 2012. She was born in Huntington, Long Island, NY on May 7, 1945. Vicki spent most of her life in Huntington, NY and Stroudsburg, PA until moving to Florida 12 years ago. Vicki had a passion for helping others and during her life she dedicated 25 years as a nurse in both hospitals and nursing homes until her retirement. Vicki loved spending time with her family. She loved the performing arts, helping others, arts and crafts, shopping and crocheting. Vicki has always had a passion for animals and loved her dog Micah. She was an active member of the Cherry Wood community. She also was a member of the Song Birds choral group and Color Guard to support our military troops. She was raised Roman Catholic, participated in many religious events with the Episcopal Church. Her legacy is the open desire to always help others. Survivors include her ex husband Henry Boersma of Ocala, FL; son Paul Boersma of Ocala, FL; son Mark Boersma of Chicago, IL; brother Vince Ambrosia of Denver, CO; brother Tommy Ambrosia of Stroudsburg, PA; three grandchildren Quinton, Jada and Alexis. A funeral service will take place at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, December 6, 2012 at 7 pm. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Thursday from 5 pm until the time of the service at 7pm. Burial will take place at St Charles Resurrection

Cemetery in Farmingdale, NY. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**BRYDON, LYDIA OMER, 87**

Gibson - Lydia Omer Brydon passed away on December 1, 2012. Preceded in death by her loving husband of 51 years, Philip Brydon Jr., and daughter, Phyllis Yvonne. She is survived by her daughters, Joy Whited, Sandra Rickman (John), Debra Lee (Ronnie), Denise Davis, and Susan Richie (Wayne); 11 grandchildren, 13 great-grandchildren; brother, Norman Watson (Dot) and sister, Shirley Grasmick (Gene). She retired from Marion County School Board where she worked as a teacher aide for many years. She enjoyed spending time with family, collecting teddy bears and porcelain dolls, fishing, reading and doing word puzzles. Memorial Service will be held on Thursday, December 6, 2012 at St. Marks United Methodist Church, 1839 NE 8th Rd, Ocala, at 11:00 am. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the American Cancer Society or American Heart Association. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 5 to December 6, 2012

**CINTRON, ANNA KIRSHER, 88**

Ocala - Anna Kirsher Cintron, 88, of Ocala, FL passed away on November 29, 2012 at Life Care Center in Ocala, FL. Anna was born in Jersey City and worked as a Foreman at the General Pencil Factory in Jersey City. Anna is predeceased by her beloved husband, Heriberto Cintron and son Fredrick Kirsher. She is survived by her niece, Pamela Mahedy of Branchville, NJ; daughter-in-law Roslyn; grandchildren, Erick and Jenanine; great grandchildren, Taylor, Hunter, and Jordyn; older brother Thomas Hunt; twin sister Mary Famular and stepson Oscar Cintron. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, December 5, 2012, from 2-4, 7-9 pm at the Goble Funeral Home, 22 Main St., Sparta, NJ 07871. A funeral mass will be held Thursday at 10 a.m. at St. Thomas of Aquin Church, 53 Kennedy Ave., Ogdensburg, NJ. Burial will follow at Holy Cross Cemetery, N. Arlington, NJ. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**GOTSHALL, EDNA MARGARET**

Belleview - Edna Margaret (Wurster) Gotschall of Belleview, Florida died Saturday November 17, 2012 at Timberridge Nursing Home in Ocala, Florida. She was born November 29, 1924 in Savanna, Illinois the youngest daughter of Emma (Randecker) and Charles Wurster. Edna married George Gotschall on September 4, 1948 in Chicago, Illinois. George died August 27, 2011. She is survived by her daughter Sharon (Jim) Mills of Savanna, Illinois; son, Stan (Kathy) Gotschall of Phoenix, Arizona and son Steven (Peggy) Gotschall of Ocala, Florida; six grandchildren, Brian (Angela) Mills, Andrea (Terry) Feller, Megan (Kyle) Johnson, Eric Gotschall, Rachel (Justin) Hanley, Brad Gotschall; four great-grandchildren, Emilia and Isaac Feller, Logan Mills and Audrey Johnson. She is preceded in death by her parents; sister, Thelma Getz; brother Glenn Wurster; and husband George. A memorial service will be held Friday, December 7th, 2012 at St. John's Lutheran Church, Summerfield, Florida. Arrangements completed by Roberts Funeral Home, Ocala, Florida (352) 854-2266. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 5 to December 6, 2012

**GRIGGS, THOMAS THURMAN, 91**

Ocala - Thomas Thurman Griggs, 91, went to be with the Lord on November 30th 2012. He

spent his final days surrounded by family and friends. Preceding him in death was his wife of 54 years, Helen Jane Griggs. Thomas is survived by his children, Joan (Bill) Steele and Larry (Priscilla) Griggs; grandchildren, Richard (Kelly) Beatty and Christina Griggs; and brother, Lester Griggs. Thomas was born and raised in Moss Bluff, FL. After serving our country in the U.S. Armed Forces during World War II, he and Helen made Ocala, FL their home. Thomas worked for Swift and Company his entire adult life. He was a devoted University of Florida Gator but above all he was a good and faithful servant of the Lord. Thomas was a faithful husband, dedicated father, beloved grandfather, brother, uncle and friend. He was dearly loved by his family and friends and will be greatly missed. He was a man of God, with total dedication to his Father in Heaven, and was an inspiration to all who knew him. He was a member of Central Church of Christ for over 70 years. A memorial service will be held at Central Church of Christ, 4200 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Thursday, December 6, 2012 at 5:30 p.m.. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Central Church of Christ building fund in memory of Thomas Thurman Griggs. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**HUNTER, CHARLES R., 95**

Ocala - Mr. Charles R. Hunter, 95, of Ocala, FL, went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, December 1, 2012. Charles was born in Philadelphia, PA on April 24, 1917 to parents, Harry and Elizabeth (Weber) Hunter. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He retired as a welder for Brays Welding. Charles loved bowling and bowled up to age 95. Survivors include his daughter, Jean Crawford of Morriston, FL; granddaughter, Ivy DeVita and husband, Nick, of Crystal River, FL; grandson, Shawn Stephens and wife, Lisa, of Old Town, FL; great grandchildren, Nick DeVita Jr, DeAna DeVita, and Cody Stephens; and sister, Margaret Germeroth. Charles was a member of Berean Baptist Church where services will take place on Wednesday, December 5th at 10 a.m.. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**JOHNSON, ELIZABETH A. "BETTY", 81**

Jacksonville Beach - Elizabeth A. "Betty" Johnson, devoted wife, mother, and grandmother, 81, of Jacksonville Beach, Florida, died peacefully on November 29, 2012 of natural causes. Elizabeth was born in Ocala, FL on March 22, 1931. She lived her adult life in Jacksonville, FL. She is survived by two sons and two daughters-in-law, Emery and Jean Clance (Ponte Vedra Beach) and Dr. Keith and Jan Clance (Greensboro, NC). She is also survived by four grandchildren Allison Clance Volpe (Garland, TX), Kenneth Clance (Ponte Vedra Beach, FL) and Ryan and Lauren Clance (Greensboro, NC). She was predeceased by her parents Florrie and Hugh Montgomery (Ocala, FL) and her husband Wilbur C. Johnson (Jacksonville). Visitation was held Sunday, December 2 from 1-2 pm with the service following at 2 pm at Hardage Giddens Funeral Home, 1701 Beach Blvd., Jacksonville Beach. Interment followed at Arlington Memorial Park, 6821 Lone Star Rd., Jacksonville. In lieu of flowers, please send gifts to Community Hospice of Northeast Florida, 4266 Sunbeam Rd., Jacksonville, FL 32257, 904-268-5200. Arrangements by Hardage-Giddens Funeral Home, Jacksonville Beach, 904-249-2374. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 5 to December 6, 2012

**KILLELEA, JOHN P., 78**

Ocala - John P. Killelea, 78, of Ocala, entered into Heaven on Sunday, November 25, 2012. John spent most of his life in New York until he moved down to Ocala, FL in 1993. He always spoke highly of his service in the Marine Corps and of his 30 years in service as a New York City Fire Fighter. He loved spending time with family and friends and will be missed by many. He is survived by his loving wife of 55 years, Jane; three sons, Steven, Thomas, John and five grandchildren. Services will be held at Florida National Cemetery on Wednesday, December 5, 2012 at 12:30 pm.. Memorial contributions may be given to The Legacy Hospice House, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481. Condolences may be made at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 5 to December 6, 2012

**MIRANDA SR. WILLIAM G., 82**

Ocala - William G. Miranda, Sr. 82, of Pineville, NC, formerly of Ocala, FL joined his beloved wife Antoinette in Heaven on Friday, November 30, 2012 in Pineville, North Carolina. Mr. Miranda, Sr. was born in Larchmont, NY on July 3, 1930 and was the son to the late Antonio and Amelia (Orsini) Miranda. He was a retired manager with various food and beverage companies. William was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala, FL. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy. He was a master gardener with Marion County and donated thousands of volunteer hours; even receiving an award from President Bush for his volunteerism. William was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 57 years, Antoinette D. Miranda on October 16, 2011. He is survived by his children, William G. Miranda, Jr. and his wife Maria of Hamden CT and Julie Ann Stoughton and her husband Robert of Charlotte, NC; four loving grandchildren Nick, Lindsey, Michael and Eva; and his sister Mary Fratianni, of Floral Park, NY. Bill was a kind and gentle man, quick to lend a helping hand. Donations may be made to St Jude's Children's Hospital or the Alzheimer's Association . Visitation will be held in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala on Wednesday, December 5th, 2012 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.. Mass will be held at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, December 6th at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Burial with full military honors will follow at the Florida National Cemetery. Condolences may be expressed at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**ROBERTSON, ARLENE, 80**

Summerfield - Arlene Robertson, 80, wife of the late James D. Robertson, passed away on November 28, 2012. Born in Olean, NY, she was a homemaker and retired from Hollywood Memorial Hospital, Hollywood, FL, before moving to Summerfield. She is survived by her sister, Naomi Sullivan, Amherst, NY; daughters, Darlene (Gerald) Robertson; Donna (Kim) Furce; Diane (Todd) Remington; Denise (Luby) Chambul; and sons, James Robertson, Jay Robertson and John Robertson; and Grandmother of Joe (Amanda) Furce; Dawn Ayala, Kelly Robertson, Desiree Remington, Danielle Remington, Delaney Chambul; and a Great Grandmother of Dahrie and Deslyn Furce and Peyton Ayala. Arlene also has numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and nephews. There will be a Celebration of Her Life on December 15, 2012, at 3 p.m. at 13785 SE 25th Avenue, Summerfield, FL. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL., 352-620-2006. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34474. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**ROSS, MARY LOUISE FERRELL**

Ocala - Mary Louise Ferrell Ross passed away November 27, 2012 at Sylvia House. She was born in Kent, Ohio January 22, 1938, grew up in Oakland, California and attended Berkley University as well as Holy Name College. Mary moved to Ocala from Belle Glade, Florida in 1981. She is survived by her husband of thirty-five years, Grady Ross; son, Mark A. Farrington of California; stepson, Steven E. Ross in West Palm Beach Florida and stepdaughter Jeanna L. Ross of Mt Juliet, TN; mother, Theresa Levine; brother, Eugene Levine in Georgia; and sisters, Jeanette Cammarota from California and Linda Kuny from Switzerland; three granddaughters and two grandsons. Mary was past president of the Ocala Women's Club; HOPS; Beta Sigma Phi Sorority; past commodore of Lake Weir Yacht Club; president of the Book Club; aux-KWVA (Korean War Veterans Assn.), and attended Church of the Springs. Other accomplishments include: Belle Glade, FL assistant procurement agent, homemaker; attended Oakland Jr. College; U.S. Subs Reg Headquarters Support Center, Asst. Procurement Agent; Bill J Bailey, Inc. RE Saleswoman; Delta Phi Delta; president of PTA; Glades General Hospital Auxiliary; Pink Ladies Auxiliary; BSA Den Mother; Jaycettes; BPW Club; VP, Rec. Sec; Belle Glade Jr. Women's Club; Chairwoman Community Impr, Fine Arts, Publication; Mu BSP, Soc Community Chairman; Art league; honors: Nobless Oblige Award, Sisters of the Holy Names, 1st Place, Poetry Award, St Francis De Sales; Piano Recital Awards, Covenant of the Holy Names; 1st Place Winner, Ceramics, Oil Painting, Dist GFWC; 1st Place Winner in Needlework, Belle Glade Jr. Womens' Club; 3rd Place Winner Ceramics, Florida GFWC. A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m., December 9th, 2012 at First Christian Church 1908 S.E. Fort King, Ocala, Florida. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the preferred charity of the donor. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 5 to December 6, 2012

**SANCHEZ, RAMON E., 75**

Ocala - Ramon E. Sanchez, 75, passed away November 30, 2012 in Ocala, FL. He was born on October 27, 1937 in Fajardo, Puerto Rico to the late Eduardo Sanchez and the late Aurora Ramos. In addition to his parents he was also preceded in death by a sister Irene Sanchez. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army and he belonged to St. Jude Catholic Church. He leaves behind to cherish his memories his loving wife of 50 years, Francis; two sons Eduardo (Kimberly) Sanchez of Chapel Hill, NC, Ramon Sanchez of Puerto Rico; a sister, Luisa Sanchez of Puerto Rico; four grandchildren and one great grandchild. A visitation has been scheduled for Wednesday, December 5, 2012 from 5 pm-7 pm at St. Jude Catholic Church. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Thursday at 10 am also at the church with burial to follow in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Forest Lawn Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

**SHERBLOM, ROBERT IRVING, 82**

Ocala/Princeton, MA - Robert Irving Sherblom, 82, formerly of Worcester and Princeton, MA, died November 3, 2012 at Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, after being stricken ill at home. He was born and raised in Worcester, MA, the son of Arthur and Edna (Lane) Sherblom and was a graduate of Doherty Memorial High School in Worcester. He was predeceased by his daughter, Barbara Jean Sherblom who resided in Sterling, MA and his siblings, George Sherblom, Alice Dupras and Arthur Sherblom, Jr. all of Worcester, MA and Julia Wilkinson of Wayland, NY. Robert is survived by and will be lovingly missed by his wife, Maria Pauline (Yankus)

Sherblom. They would have celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary on November 10th. In addition, he leaves behind his children who adored him, Carol Sherblom of Hubbardston, MA, Robert P. Sherblom and his wife Lynn of Palm Coast and Christine Beer and her husband Allen of Leicester, MA; and a stepson, Ken Banis of Holbrook, MA. Besides his immediate family, he will be greatly missed by his grandchildren, Kim Richardson of Hubbardston, MA, Rachele Pojednic and her husband John of Cambridgeport, MA, Leia Sherblom of Australia, Mae Sherblom of Raeford, NC, Joshua Beer and Tiffany Beer both of Leicester, MA. He was an IC ETM for the U.S. Navy serving aboard the USS Kerstin in the South Pacific during Korean War. He also served as Master of Arms and was wounded in the service while on duty. Professionally, Robert was a compositor for the Worcester Telegram and Gazette for 25 years. He owned and operated his own printing and related business until he moved to Ocala. Upon his retirement he became captain of security at Ocala Regional Medical Center and the Marion Community Hospital. He retired from this position in 2008. Socially, he was a past member and president of the Summit Improvement Society in Worcester and a 49 year member of the Harold N. Keith American Legion Post 204 in West Boylston. He was a Master Mason for 34 years and was a member of the Boylston Lodge A.F. & A.M. in West Boylston and the Valley of Springfield Scottish Rite Bodies. He was a dedicated Red Sox fan and even tried out for the team as a younger man. He also enjoyed football, nature walks, the ocean, but mostly, he especially loved gathering with his family. Affectionately known by all, Robert was a devoted husband, father, grandfather and friend. He will be remembered for his charming humor and his unconditional love of his family. Relatives and friends are invited to attend calling hours from 5 to 7 p.m. on Friday, December 7, 2012 in the Miles Funeral Home, 1158 Main Street, Holden, MA. A memorial service for Robert will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, December 8th, in the funeral home followed by a committal service at Worcester County Memorial Park in Paxton, MA. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Legacy Hospice House, 9505 S.W. 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. To share a memory or offer an online condolence, visit: [www.milesfuneralhome.com](http://www.milesfuneralhome.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 4 to December 5, 2012

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, December 6, 2012**

#### **BELLOMY, SHERRY M., 57**

Ocala - Sherry M. Bellomy 57, of Ocala, Florida passed away on Monday, December 3, 2012 at MRMC. Sherry was born in Kokomo, Indiana. She is survived by two daughters, Elenor Hamilton and husband Walker of Hernando, FL, Shellie Miller and husband Danny of Palm Bay, FL; her parents, Erwin and Norma Essig; three brothers, Tony Anderson, Kevin and Todd Essig; one sister, Kathy Williams; grandchildren, Taylor Anderson, Sarah Hamilton (Mamaw's angel), Adriel Wilson (Mamaw's little man), Shyheim, Ja'nya, and Ayanna Miller. She is also predeceased by her father, Lowell Anderson. A celebration of her life will be held on Saturday December 8, 2012 from 12 - 4 p.m. at Carney Island, Ocklawaha, Lake Weir Pavilion. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the American Heart Association in Sherry's name. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 6 to December 7, 2012

#### **BENNETT, PAMELA SUE, 54**

Ocala - Pamela Sue Bennett, 54, of Ocala, passed away December 3, 2012 at her home after a long battle with cancer. She came to this area 34 years ago from her native, Champaign, Illinois.

Pam was a member of Trinity Baptist Church of Ocala and was a member of their choir. She was a leader in the human resources industry and was a human resources manager for a cardiovascular practice in Gainesville, FL. Pam had also been an active member of the Ocala Business Community and enjoyed hiking, cooking and fine wine. Pam will be remembered most by her optimistic attitude and her beautiful smile. She is survived by her mother, Jean Bennett of Silver Springs; brother, Wayne Bennett of Champaign, IL, a nephew, niece, uncle and several cousins all in Illinois. Per Pam's wishes, no funeral services will be held. Friends who wish can make a memorial donation to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944. A condolence message may be left at: [www. robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 5 to December 6, 2012

**BROWN, RANDOLPH, 67**

Ocala - Funeral services will be held on Saturday, December 8, 2012, 2 p.m., Progressive Union Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, Florida. Minister Eddie General will conduct the words of comfort. Reverend Derrell Redding, Presiding. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m.. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ruben Evans (2256 N.W. 1st Avenue, Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 1:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction." [www. sellersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sellersfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 6 to December 7, 2012

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**ENGLISH, EDNA CLARK, 76**

Ocala - Edna Clark English passed away in Ocala, FL on December 3, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory her husband of 55 years, Earl English; her daughters, Lena Hopkins Smith and Joyce Jenkins; her sister, Mary Clark; and host of grandchildren and great grandchildren. The funeral service will be held on Saturday, December 8th, 2012 at 2 p.m. at the New Chapel Missionary Baptist Church in Ocala. "A Summers funeral service makes the difference, our family serving your family." Visit our website at: [www.summersfh.com](http://www.summersfh.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 6 to December 7, 2012

**GOTSHALL, EDNA MARGARET**



Belleview - Edna Margaret (Wurster) Gotschall of Belleview, Florida died Saturday November 17, 2012 at Timberridge Nursing Home in Ocala, Florida. She was born November 29, 1924 in Savanna, Illinois the youngest daughter of Emma (Randecker) and Charles Wurster. Edna married George Gotschall on September 4, 1948 in Chicago, Illinois. George died August 27, 2011. She is survived by her daughter Sharon (Jim) Mills of Savanna, Illinois; son, Stan (Kathy) Gotschall of Phoenix, Arizona and son Steven (Peggy) Gotschall of Ocala, Florida; six grandchildren, Brian (Angela) Mills, Andrea (Terry) Feller, Megan (Kyle) Johnson, Eric Gotschall, Rachel (Justin) Hanley, Brad Gotschall; four great-grandchildren, Emilia and Isaac Feller, Logan Mills and Audrey Johnson. She is preceded in death by her parents; sister, Thelma Getz; brother Glenn Wurster; and husband George. A memorial service will be held Friday, December 7th, 2012 at St. John's Lutheran Church, Summerfield, Florida. Arrangements completed by Roberts Funeral Home, Ocala, Florida (352) 854-2266. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 5 to December 6, 2012

**GREEN JR., ALFONZA (AJ), 19**

Ocala - Alfonza Green Jr., 19, passed away on November 28 in Jacksonville. He leaves to cherish his memory, his mother, Sakeetra Bracey; father, Alfonza (Tanjala) Green Sr.; siblings, Devontea Bracey, Damontavious Green, Ja'Tavius Green; sister, Mariah Green; stepsisters, Jer'Nyia Flowers, Je'Bria Lane and Jer'Brecia Lane, grandmother, Kathryn Bracey; and a host of sorrowing relatives and friends. Wake will be held on December 6, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. at the Watula First Missionary Baptist Church. Funeral service will be held on December 8, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the House of God. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade." Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 6 to December 7, 2012

**JOHNSON, ELIZABETH A. "BETTY", 81**

Jacksonville Beach - Elizabeth A. "Betty" Johnson, devoted wife, mother, and grandmother, 81, of Jacksonville Beach, Florida, died peacefully on November 29, 2012 of natural causes. Elizabeth was born in Ocala, FL on March 22, 1931. She lived her adult life in Jacksonville, FL. She is survived by two sons and two daughters-in-law, Emery and Jean Clance (Ponte Vedra Beach) and Dr. Keith and Jan Clance (Greensboro, NC). She is also survived by four grandchildren Allison Clance Volpe (Garland, TX), Kenneth Clance (Ponte Vedra Beach, FL) and Ryan and Lauren Clance (Greensboro, NC). She was predeceased by her parents Florrie and Hugh Montgomery (Ocala, FL) and her husband Wilbur C. Johnson (Jacksonville). Visitation was held Sunday, December 2 from 1-2 pm with the service following at 2 pm at Hardage Giddens Funeral Home, 1701 Beach Blvd., Jacksonville Beach. Interment followed at Arlington Memorial Park, 6821 Lone Star Rd., Jacksonville. In lieu of flowers, please send gifts to Community Hospice of Northeast Florida, 4266 Sunbeam Rd., Jacksonville, FL 32257, 904-268-5200. Arrangements by Hardage-Giddens Funeral Home, Jacksonville Beach, 904-249-2374. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 5 to December 6, 2012

**KILLELEA, JOHN P., 78**

Ocala - John P. Killelea, 78, of Ocala, entered into Heaven on Sunday, November 25, 2012. John spent most of his life in New York until he moved down to Ocala, FL in 1993. He always spoke highly of his service in the Marine Corps and of his 30 years in service as a New York City Fire Fighter. He loved spending time with family and friends and will be missed by many.

He is survived by his loving wife of 55 years, Jane; three sons, Steven, Thomas, John and five grandchildren. Services will be held at Florida National Cemetery on Wednesday, December 5, 2012 at 12:30 pm.. Memorial contributions may be given to The Legacy Hospice House, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481. Condolences may be made at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley TimberRidge Chapel. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 5 to December 6, 2012

**MITCHELL JR., GEORGE VINCENT, 72**

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brother, son, husband, father and a great friend. Memorial contributions may be made to The American Heart Association . He leaves to cherish his memory his loving wife of three years, Meera Patel; son, Zane Patel; parents, Chandravadan and Nila Patel; sister, Binisha Patel; nephew, Aahan, all of Ocala, and a host of friends across the world. Funeral services and visitation will begin at 12 noon, Friday, December 7, 2012 in the chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida 34470. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 6 to December 7, 2012

**ROSS, MARY LOUISE FERRELL**

Ocala - Mary Louise Ferrell Ross passed away November 27, 2012 at Sylvia House. She was born in Kent, Ohio January 22, 1938, grew up in Oakland, California and attended Berkley University as well as Holy Name College. Mary moved to Ocala from Belle Glade, Florida in 1981. She is survived by her husband of thirty-five years, Grady Ross; son, Mark A. Farrington of California; stepson, Steven E. Ross in West Palm Beach Florida and stepdaughter Jeanna L. Ross of Mt Juliet, TN; mother, Theresa Levine; brother, Eugene Levine in Georgia; and sisters, Jeanette Cammarota from California and Linda Kuny from Switzerland; three granddaughters and two grandsons. Mary was past president of the Ocala Women's Club; HOPS; Beta Sigma Phi Sorority; past commodore of Lake Weir Yacht Club; president of the Book Club; aux-KWVA (Korean War Veterans Assn.), and attended Church of the Springs. Other accomplishments include: Belle Glade, FL assistant procurement agent, homemaker; attended Oakland Jr. College; U.S. Subs Reg Headquarters Support Center, Asst. Procurement Agent; Bill J Bailey, Inc. RE Saleswoman; Delta Phi Delta; president of PTA; Glades General Hospital Auxiliary; Pink Ladies Auxiliary; BSA Den Mother; Jaycettes; BPW Club; VP, Rec. Sec; Belle Glade Jr. Women's Club; Chairwoman Community Impr, Fine Arts, Publication; Mu BSP, Soc Community Chairman; Art league; honors: Nobless Oblige Award, Sisters of the Holy Names, 1st Place, Poetry Award, St Francis De Sales; Piano Recital Awards, Covenant of the Holy Names; 1st Place Winner, Ceramics, Oil Painting, Dist GFWC; 1st Place Winner in Needlework, Belle Glade Jr. Womens' Club; 3rd Place Winner Ceramics, Florida GFWC. A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m., December 9th, 2012 at First Christian Church 1908 S.E. Fort King, Ocala, Florida. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the preferred charity of the donor. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 5 to December 6, 2012

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Ocala - Sherry M. Bellomy 57, of Ocala, Florida passed away on Monday, December 3, 2012 at MRMC. Sherry was born in Kokomo, Indiana. She is survived by two daughters, Elenor Hamilton and husband Walker of Hernando, FL, Shellie Miller and husband Danny of Palm Bay, FL; her parents, Erwin and Norma Essig; three brothers, Tony Anderson, Kevin and Todd Essig; one sister, Kathy Williams; grandchildren, Taylor Anderson, Sarah Hamilton (Mamaw's angel), Adriel Wilson (Mamaw's little man), Shyheim, Ja'nya, and Ayanna Miller. She is also predeceased by her father, Lowell Anderson. A celebration of her life will be held on Saturday December 8, 2012 from 12 - 4 p.m. at Carney Island, Ocklawaha, Lake Weir Pavilion. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the American Heart Association in Sherry's name. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 6 to December 7, 2012

**BROWN, RANDOLPH, 67**

Ocala - Funeral services will be held on Saturday, December 8, 2012, 2 p.m., Progressive Union Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, Florida. Minister Eddie General will conduct the words of comfort. Reverend Derrell Redding, Presiding. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m.. Family and friends are asked to meet at the residence of Ruben Evans (2256 N.W. 1st Avenue, Ocala, FL) on Saturday at 1:15 p.m. to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. "A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction." [www. sellersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sellersfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 6 to December 7, 2012

**ENGLISH, EDNA CLARK, 76**

Ocala - Edna Clark English passed away in Ocala, FL on December 3, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory her husband of 55 years, Earl English; her daughters, Lena Hopkins Smith and Joyce Jenkins; her sister, Mary Clark; and host of grandchildren and great grandchildren. The funeral service will be held on Saturday, December 8th, 2012 at 2 p.m. at the New Chapel Missionary Baptist Church in Ocala. "A Summers funeral service makes the difference, our family serving your family." Visit our website at: [www.summersfh.com](http://www.summersfh.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 6 to December 7, 2012

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**GREEN JR., ALFONZA (AJ), 19**

Ocala - Alfonza Green Jr., 19, passed away on November 28 in Jacksonville. He leaves to cherish his memory, his mother, Sakeetra Bracey; father, Alfonza (Tanjala) Green Sr.; siblings, Devontea Bracey, Damontavious Green, Ja'Tavius Green; sister, Mariah Green; stepsisters, Jer'Nyia Flowers, Je'Bria Lane and Jer'Brecia Lane, grandmother, Kathryn Bracey; and a host of sorrowing relatives and friends. Wake will be held on December 6, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. at the Watula First Missionary Baptist Church. Funeral service will be held on December 8, 2012 at 11 a.m. at the House of God. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade." Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 6 to December 7, 2012

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Summerfield - Joyce C. Fieldhouse of Summerfield, Florida, went home to her Lord and Savior on December 5, 2012. She was born on March 17, 1944, in Paterson, New Jersey, to Louise and John Cambra who was killed in World War II. She married Jim Fieldhouse on January 16, 1965. She moved to Summerfield in 1989 from Sheboygan, Wisconsin. Joyce was a member of First Baptist Church, Ocala. She retired in 2005 after 35 years as a legal assistant. She was an extremely talented lady in ceramics, oil painting, scrapbooking, and piano. She enjoyed cruises, playing golf and volunteering at Georgia State Golf Courses along with doing jigsaw puzzles and online games. Joyce is survived by her husband James; son, Scott of Missoula, MT; sister Jan Marino (Greg); brother, Jerry Broadhurst; sisters-in-law, Ann Fieldhouse, Kate Hendrikse (Randy); brothers-in-law George (Josephine) and Ron Fieldhouse. She was predeceased by her parents, Stewart and Louise Broadhurst; twin brother and sister; and her in-laws, James and Alice Fieldhouse. A celebration of Joyce's life will take place at First Baptist Church, Ocala, on December 12, 2012 at 11:00 a.m.. Please make any donations to Hospice of Marion County in her name. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 8 to December 9, 2012

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#### **BAKER, CHARLES, 75**

Ocklawaha - Charles Baker, 75, of Ocklawaha, passed away at Oakhurst Rehabilitation and Nursing Center in Ocala on December 6, 2012. Mr. Baker was a longtime resident of Ocklawaha. He was a retired master carpenter in the construction business. An avid outdoorsman, Mr. Baker particularly enjoyed hunting and fishing. He is survived by his son Robby Baker of South Florida; grandson Eric Baker of Ocala; and two great granddaughters, Angelic and Allisa, both of Ocala. He is preceded in death by his devoted wife of 57 years, Carol. A graveside service will be held at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, December 11, 2012 at Ocklawaha Community Cemetery, which he cared after for many, many years. Pastor Ernie Weiss will officiate the services. Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Online condolences may be left at: [www.Hiers-Baxley.com](http://www.Hiers-Baxley.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 9 to December 10, 2012

#### **BROWN, ROGER, 56**

Ft. McCoy - Roger (BrownEagle) Brown, 56 of Fort McCoy, Florida entered into eternal rest Thursday, November 29, 2012 at home in Fort McCoy, Florida. Roger was born in Hollywood, FL, October 24, 1956. Roger is survived by his wife, Julie K. (Cochran) Brown, daughter, Laura (John) Doward, Gainesville, FL, and grandson Riley Doward. Parents, Robert and Nell Brown, of Ocklawaha; sister, Sherry Candelaria, Hallandale, FL.; brother Ronald "Reb" (Linda) Brown, Philadelphia, PA. Roger is also survived by three aunts and three uncles, several nieces and nephews and many cousins. Roger was a born again Christian, attending Forest Assembly of God Church, with his parents during his later years. He was a graduate of Cooper City High School in Davie, FL, and graduated with honors from CFCC in Ocala, FL as a computer technician. He loved fishing, softball, gospel music, family and friends, and especially loved spending time with his one-year old grandson, Riley. A celebration of Roger's life will be held on Saturday, December 15, 2012 at Forest Assembly of God located at 17530 East Highway 40 Silver Springs, FL, 34488 at 11 a.m. by Pastor Bob Lloyd. Roger was an inspiration to everyone that met him and he will be greatly missed. "When I come to the end of the road, and the sun has set on me, I want no rights in a gloom-filled room, Why cry for a soul set free. Miss me, a little but, not too long! And not with your heads bowed low, Remember the love that we once shared. Miss me, but let me go! For this is a journey we all must take, and each must go alone. It's all in the Masters plan, A step on the road to home. When you are lonely and sick at heart. Go to the friends we know. And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds. Miss me, but let me go!" Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 9 to December 10, 2012

#### **FIELDHOUSE, JOYCE C., 68**

Summerfield - Joyce C. Fieldhouse of Summerfield, Florida, went home to her Lord and Savior on December 5, 2012. She was born on March 17, 1944, in Paterson, New Jersey, to Louise and John Cambra who was killed in World War II. She married Jim Fieldhouse on January 16, 1965.

She moved to Summerfield in 1989 from Sheboygan, Wisconsin. Joyce was a member of First Baptist Church, Ocala. She retired in 2005 after 35 years as a legal assistant. She was an extremely talented lady in ceramics, oil painting, scrapbooking, and piano. She enjoyed cruises, playing golf and volunteering at Georgia State Golf Courses along with doing jigsaw puzzles and online games. Joyce is survived by her husband James; son, Scott of Missoula, MT; sister Jan Marino (Greg); brother, Jerry Broadhurst; sisters-in-law, Ann Fieldhouse, Kate Hendrikse (Randy); brothers-in-law George (Josephine) and Ron Fieldhouse. She was predeceased by her parents, Stewart and Louise Broadhurst; twin brother and sister; and her in-laws, James and Alice Fieldhouse. A celebration of Joyce's life will take place at First Baptist Church, Ocala, on December 12, 2012 at 11:00 a.m.. Please make any donations to Hospice of Marion County in her name. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 8 to December 9, 2012

#### **GORIN, MILTON 87**

Ocala - Mr. Milton Gorin, 87, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, December 6, 2012. Milton was born in Brooklyn, NY to parents, Barnett and Esther (Slavin) Gorin. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps during World War II. He was a carpenter, a shootist, a brave soul, and a good guy. He is survived by his two sons, Richard Gorin of Ocala, FL and Edward Gorin of Totowa, NJ. He will be returning to Elmont, New York for burial in Beth David Cemetery. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 8 to December 9, 2012

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**FISSLER, JOAN B., 82**

Ocala - Joan B. Fiessler, 82, of Ocala, passed away December 9, 2012. Born in Queens, NY, she came to this area in 1981 from Bronx, NY. She was a retired Supervisor for New York Telephone and an active member of Ascension Lutheran Church where she served on the Congregation Council, numerous committees and sang in Church choir. She also was an actress with the Ocala Civic Theater having appeared in 52 main stage productions and the Parkview Players. Mrs. Fiessler was also a member of the American Sewing Guild. She is survived by her husband of 17 years, Archie; sons, Rev. Peter A. Rustico (Barbara) of Middletown, NY and Jay S. Krosche (Lucille) of Middletown, NY; four stepchildren; grandchildren, David, Timothy, Gregory and Daniel Rustico and Amanda and Jamie Krosche. A Funeral Service will be held at Ascension Lutheran, 5730 SE 28th St., Ocala on Friday, December 14th, 2012 at 11 a.m.. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Ascension Lutheran Church Memorial Fund. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944. A condolence message can be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 11 to December 12, 2012

**MUNDEN, HOOVER CARLTON, 83**

Williston - Hoover Carlton Munden, 83 of Williston, FL passed away on December 9, 2012. He was born on January 2, 1929 in Morriston, FL to Isacc and Lizzie Munden. He has lived in Morriston all of his life. He was very active in the Williston Church of God where he served as an usher for many years. He worked for the State of Florida for five years, worked five months as a civilian worker for the United States Government, was a heavy equipment operator for Whitehurst Construction for 15 years and the University of Florida for 19 years and retired on March 1, 1995. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, gardening, watching college football and was an avid Gator fan. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Marlene Munden; son Daniel Rhett Munden (Theresa); daughters Nancy Cook (Cecil), Darlene Ecker, Shirley Ulmer (Gary), Debra Pettry (Johnny); brother Ben Munden; sisters Macy Adams, Wilma Johnson (Bill); nine grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild. Visitation for Mr. Munden will be held on Thursday, December 13, 2012 at 10 a.m. at the Williston Church of God with services at 11 a.m. with Reverend Wes Smith and Brother Keith Langford to officiate. Interment is to follow at Orange Hill Cemetery. In lieu of flowers the family asks that donation be made to the Williston Church of God. Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Williston. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 11 to December 12, 2012

**PATTERSON, SR., -ERNEST LEON "KAYO"**

Williston - He was born in Lulu, Florida on June 17, 1927, to Lonney Bryan Patterson Lovelace and George M. Patterson and went home to be with his "Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ" on Saturday, December 8, 2012. He remained and passed away in his home of 60 years after a

lengthy illness with his son, Ernest, being his fulltime caregiver and friend. Earlier in his life he served in the United States Army, he worked at the Shell plant in Archer, worked for Whitehurst Road Construction, was an old time cowboy riding the range out on Payne's Prairie, mechanic for Brasington Cadillac, Gainesville, ran the J.P. Ranch, Chiefland, Gainesville and Ocala Livestock markets, and all this while keeping up with his own 130 acre farm in the sand hills of Levy County. He was a past member of Concord Baptist Church and current member of Archer Baptist Church, being a deacon in the past of both and loving to sing the wonderful gospel songs. He loved his Lord, his wife, Loretta, which he lost to an extended illness last year, and his family. He was preceded in death by his father, George M. Patterson; mother Lonney Bryan Patterson Lovelace; and his grandparents that helped raise him, Elizabeth Alvenia Bryan Cason and step-grandfather James Lafayette. Cason. He is survived by his son Ernest Leon Patterson, Jr. (Trina) and their children Lane and Bailey; daughter, Rose Marea Rao (Krishna) and their children Ryan, Michael and Kristina. He was an only child, but grew up with his Aunt, Jimmie Cason Sapp as a very close sister and step-brother Charlie Lovelace (Leona). Visitation was held on Monday, December 10, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Knauff Funeral Home. Services were held at the funeral home at 4 p.m. on Monday, December 10th with Reverend Dr. Ray Scott and Doctor James Jackson officiating. Burial followed at Orange Hill Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Archer Baptist Church, Attn: Bereavement Committee, P.O. Box 248 Archer, FL 32618. Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Williston. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 11 to December 12, 2012

#### **STRICKLAND, SHIRLEY I., 84**

Ocala - Mrs. Shirley I. Strickland, 84, of Ocala, FL passed away at Sylvia's Hospice House on Sunday, December 9, 2012. She was born on January 12, 1928 in Rochester, NY to parents, Howard and Madeline (Schicker) Johnson. She was a member of the Queen of Peace Catholic Church as well as the Freedom Quilters, the American Sewing Guild, and the Florida Sewing Society. She was preceded in death by her son, David Strickland. She will be greatly missed by those who survive her, including her husband of 65 years, Harley Strickland Jr. of Ocala; daughter Marcia Williams and husband, Ed, of Ocala; son, Gary Strickland and Darlene, of Elizabeth City, NC; sisters, Arline Clark of Jacksonville, FL and Marilyn Burnett of Naples, NY; five grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m., including a prayer service at 6:30 p.m., on Thursday, December 13th, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200. Mass will be at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Friday, December 14th a 8:30 a.m. followed by interment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County in Shirley's honor. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 11 to December 12, 2012

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#### **ARRICALE, MARIE A., 91**

Ocala - Marie A. Arricale, 91, of Ocala passed away December 7, 2012. She was preceded in death by her husband of 63 years Anthony and son-in-law Skip Kalb. She leaves behind to cherish her memory, two daughters, Anita Noble (Steve), Marie Kalb; four grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Visitation was held Monday December 10, 2012 at St. Theresa's

Catholic Church with a Mass of Christian following at the church. Burial is in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Forest Lawn Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 11 to December 12, 2012

**FIELD, JOHN M., 87**

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**FISSLER, JOAN B., 82**

Ocala - Joan B. Fiessler, 82, of Ocala, passed away December 9, 2012. Born in Queens, NY, she came to this area in 1981 from Bronx, NY. She was a retired Supervisor for New York Telephone and an active member of Ascension Lutheran Church where she served on the Congregation Council, numerous committees and sang in Church choir. She also was an actress with the Ocala Civic Theater having appeared in 52 main stage productions and the Parkview Players. Mrs. Fiessler was also a member of the American Sewing Guild. She is survived by her husband of 17 years, Archie; sons, Rev. Peter A. Rustico (Barbara) of Middletown, NY and Jay S. Krosche (Lucille) of Middletown, NY; four stepchildren; grandchildren, David, Timothy, Gregory and Daniel Rustico and Amanda and Jamie Krosche. A Funeral Service will be held at Ascension Lutheran, 5730 SE 28th St., Ocala on Friday, December 14th, 2012 at 11 a.m.. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Ascension Lutheran Church Memorial Fund. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944. A condolence message can be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 11 to December 12, 2012

**MAAS, SYLVIA**

Ocala - Sylvia (Mihalich) Maas born July 10th, 1929, of Oak Run Country Club and formerly of St. Clair Shores, MI, passed away peacefully at Hospice in Ocala, FL on December 6, 2012 after a courageous battle with heart disease. She will be greatly missed by her loving husband of 64 years, Robert W. Maas along with daughter, Peggy Herwick (Los Angeles, CA) and son, Robert Maas (Atlanta, GA). We will miss her dearly and are thankful for her love and guidance and promise to carry that on. Sylvia was preceded in death by her parents, Dr. Stephen and Mary Mihalich of MI along with her brother Thomas Mihalich, grandson Andrew Maas and nephew Stephen K. Mihalich. Sylvia also leaves behind her loving brother, Dr. Stephen (Nina) Mihalich of Bingham Farms, MI and nieces Carrie and Amy. Her request of a private cremation and no memorial service will be respected. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 12 to December 13, 2012

**MUNDEN, HOOVER CARLTON, 83**

Williston - Hoover Carlton Munden, 83 of Williston, FL passed away on December 9, 2012. He was born on January 2, 1929 in Morriston, FL to Isacc and Lizzie Munden. He has lived in Morriston all of his life. He was very active in the Williston Church of God where he served as an usher for many years. He worked for the State of Florida for five years, worked five months as a civilian worker for the United States Government, was a heavy equipment operator for Whitehurst Construction for 15 years and the University of Florida for 19 years and retired on March 1, 1995. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, gardening, watching college football and was an avid Gator fan. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Marlene Munden; son Daniel Rhett Munden (Theresa); daughters Nancy Cook (Cecil), Darlene Ecker, Shirley Ulmer (Gary), Debra Pettry (Johnny); brother Ben Munden; sisters Macy Adams, Wilma Johnson (Bill); nine grandchildren, eight great grandchildren and one great-great grandchild. Visitation for Mr. Munden will be held on Thursday, December 13, 2012 at 10 a.m. at the Williston Church of God with services at 11 a.m. with Reverend Wes Smith and Brother Keith Langford to officiate. Interment is to follow at Orange Hill Cemetery. In lieu of flowers the family asks that donation be made to the Williston Church of God. Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Williston. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 11 to December 12, 2012

**PATTERSON, SR., ERNEST LEON "KAYO"**

Williston - He was born in Lulu, Florida on June 17, 1927, to Lonney Bryan Patterson Lovelace and George M. Patterson and went home to be with his "Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ" on Saturday, December 8, 2012. He remained and passed away in his home of 60 years after a lengthy illness with his son, Ernest, being his fulltime caregiver and friend. Earlier in his life he served in the United States Army, he worked at the Shell plant in Archer, worked for Whitehurst Road Construction, was an old time cowboy riding the range out on Payne's Prairie, mechanic for Brasington Cadillac, Gainesville, ran the J.P. Ranch, Chiefland, Gainesville and Ocala Livestock markets, and all this while keeping up with his own 130 acre farm in the sand hills of Levy County. He was a past member of Concord Baptist Church and current member of Archer Baptist Church, being a deacon in the past of both and loving to sing the wonderful gospel songs. He loved his Lord, his wife, Loretta, which he lost to an extended illness last year, and his family. He was preceded in death by his father, George M. Patterson; mother Lonney Bryan Patterson Lovelace; and his grandparents that helped raise him, Elizabeth Alvenia Bryan Cason and step-grandfather James Lafayette. Cason. He is survived by his son Ernest Leon Patterson, Jr. (Trina) and their children Lane and Bailey; daughter, Rose Marea Rao (Krishna) and their children Ryan, Michael and Kristina. He was an only child, but grew up with his Aunt, Jimmie Cason Sapp as a very close sister and step-brother Charlie Lovelace (Leona). Visitation was held on Monday, December 10, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Knauff Funeral Home. Services were held at the funeral home at 4 p.m. on Monday, December 10th with Reverend Dr. Ray Scott and Doctor James Jackson officiating. Burial followed at Orange Hill Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Archer Baptist Church, Attn: Bereavement Committee, P.O. Box 248 Archer, FL 32618. Arrangements are under the care of Knauff Funeral Home-Williston. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 11 to December 12, 2012

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family on December 7, 2012. Fred, formerly of Riverside, CT was born on July 18, 1927 to the late Demetrio and Serafina (Ambrogio) Pellicano and was predeceased by his brother Joseph. He attended Greenwich schools, and went on to serve in the Armed Services during World War II from 1945-1947. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus for over 50 years. Fred retired from Pitney Bowes prior to moving from Riverside to sunny Ocala. While living in Ocala, he devoted much of his time volunteering and working on community events. Survivors include his loving wife of 62 years Pia (Urso) Pellicano; loving father to Diane (Tom) Balogh; Nancy Pellicano (Joseph) Lopes; Lisa (John) Niemiec; Karen Pellicano (Adam) Brill and Steven (Karen) Pellicano. Caring grandfather to Amy, Jason, Justin, Gina, Heather, Michael, Raymond, Jessica, Rachel, Roger and Pia. Great-grandfather to MacKenzie, Liana, and Callie. A prayer service will take place on Thursday December 13, 2012 from 10:30 a.m. until noon at Castiglione Funeral Home, 134 Hamilton Avenue, Greenwich, CT 06830. Burial will take place immediately after at St. Mary's Cemetery, North St., Greenwich, CT. In lieu of flowers, donation can be made in Fred's name to: The Salvation Army. ([www.salvationarmyusa.org](http://www.salvationarmyusa.org)) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 12 to December 13, 2012

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**SHAW, RUTH ANNIE, 88**

Ocala, FL - Ruth Annie Shaw, 88, died peacefully at home on December 7, 2012. She is survived by her loving husband of 65 years, Richard; four wonderful children, Carol, Donna, Richard and Barbara; many grandchildren, great grandchildren and two sisters, Elsie and Dorothy. Ruth was an amazing, loving, and inspirational woman and will be forever missed. Services will be held on December 17, 2012 at Ocala West United Methodist Church at 3:30 pm. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in Ruth's name to the Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 12 to December 13, 2012

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Elizabeth City, NC; sisters, Arline Clark of Jacksonville, FL and Marilyn Burnett of Naples, NY; five grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. The family will receive friends from 5 to 7 p.m., including a prayer service at 6:30 p.m., on Thursday, December 13th, 2012 at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200. Mass will be at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Friday, December 14th a 8:30 a.m. followed by interment at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorial contributions to Hospice of Marion County in Shirley's honor. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. 352-854-2266 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 11 to December 12, 2012

**WINKLE, GLADYS W., 94**

Ocala - Gladys W. Winkle, 94, Ocala, died Sunday, December 9, 2012, at home after a lengthy illness. Born in Rome, Georgia on July 21, 1918, to George Grady Watson and Flonnie Ford Watson, she graduated from Rome High School in 1935. She married Harlin Wilson Winkle on January 5, 1941, in Rome. They were married fifty-two years, until his death on January 15, 1993. She retired from Sears, Roebuck and Company in 1985, having worked for the company in Rome and Ocala since prior to World War II, except for a leave of absence while her children were small. She served as personnel manager to staff a new Sears store opening in Rome in 1956, a position then traditionally reserved for men. She trained many men for management positions for which she was ineligible because she was a woman. In the late 1950's she was the first woman in appliance sales in the Rome Sears store. In 1959 she transferred to Ocala and remained with the Ocala Sears store until her retirement, heading the auditing staff before moving into appliance sales and kitchen design, again, the first woman to fill that position in the Ocala store. After retirement she and Harlin enjoyed many years of gardening and travels in their motor home across the United States, summering in New England, and always enjoying camping on Florida's beaches. She served many years as a patient services volunteer for Munroe Regional Medical Center and more years as a volunteer in the office of the Munroe Regional Development Foundation. She also volunteered countless hours helping others with tax return and health insurance issues. She was active in the Women's Circle at First United Methodist Church of Ocala and the Pioneer Garden Club and was an avid bridge player. Her greatest pride and joy were her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren, who have benefited beyond measure from her loving, generous heart. When interviewed in 1991 on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary, she and Harlin counted among the most special times of their marriage the births of their daughters and his safe return home from service aboard the USS Robert K. Huntington in the Pacific front during World War II. Survivors include three daughters, Emily W. Black, Gainesville, Janet W. Behnke, Ocala, and Kathy W. Mowbray, Crystal River; six grandchildren, Rhonda Black, Gainesville, Ally Holloway, St. Augustine, Tessa Mowbray, Leesburg, Virginia, Chris Pyne, Knoxville, Tennessee, and Megan Mowbray and Sarah McKeever, Ocala; two step-granddaughters, Kathryn M. Carlson, Ft. Collins, Colorado, and Margaret M. Anderson, Palmyra, Virginia; one great grandson, Max Pyne, Knoxville, Tennessee; two step-great grandsons, Duncan Carlson and Finlay Carlson, Ft. Collins, Colorado, and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her brother G.B. Watson and sister Betty Peartree, both of Rome, and two siblings who died in early childhood, Elbert Watson and Louise Watson. A memorial service will be held Friday, December 14, 2012, at 11 o'clock in the morning at the First United Methodist Church of Ocala, 1126 E. Silver Springs Boulevard, the Reverend Allen Johnson and Dr. John Few officiating. Visitation will be from 5 to 7 o'clock

in the evening, Thursday, December 13, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 E. Silver Springs, Boulevard, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Myelodysplastic Syndroms Foundation, Inc. ([mds-foundation.org](http://mds-foundation.org)) or Hospice of Marion County, Inc. ([hospiceofmarion.org](http://hospiceofmarion.org)). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 12 to December 13, 2012

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#### **ARCHIE, MAE OLA, 81**

Ocala- Mae Ola Archie, 81 transitioned on Thursday, December 6, 2012 at 7:30 p.m.. She is survived by three sons, Bobby (Thelma) Archie, Joseph (Joni) Cogdell, Randolph Jackson; four daughters, Jeanette Graham, Rosalind Archie, Florence Jacobs, Estella (Morris) Frazier, all of Ocala, FL; 31 grandchildren; 70 great grandchildren; five great-great grandchildren, special friend Major Joe Taylor Ocala, FL, Hattie B. Thomas, GA. Visitation will be held Friday, December 14, 2012 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home, followed by a wake service at New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church 6 p.m.- 8 p.m. Celebration of Life Service will be held on Saturday, December 15, 2012, at 11 a.m., New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Stanley M. Jacobs, Sr., Eulogist. "A Summers Funeral Service Makes The Difference, Our Family Serving Yours" Visit our website at: [www.summersfh.com](http://www.summersfh.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

#### **BATTS-PYE, RELIA, 91**

Evinston, FL - Funeral services will be held on Saturday, December 15, 2012, noon at Mt. Olive AME Church, Evinston. Reverend Bruce Batts will conduct the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m.. Viewing will be at the church an hour prior to services. There will be no viewing following the eulogy. Family and friends are asked to meet at Mt. Olive AME Church on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. Survivors to cherish the memories of Ms. Pye, who was preceded in death by husband James Pye; daughter, Louise Pye, Micanopy; two grand children, Detria Baker, Oveida and Jermaine Goggins of Ocala; eight grandchildren and one great grandchild. " A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction." [www.sellersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sellersfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

#### **BOULANGE, COLLEEN ANNE, 57**

Ocala - Mrs. Colleen Anne Boulange, 57, of Ocala, FL passed away at Ocala Regional Medical Center on Sunday, December 9, 2012. She was born in Syracuse, NY on February 19, 1955 to parents, John and Rita (Farrel) Fitzgerald. Colleen moved to Ocala seven years ago from Tonawanda, NY and was a bookkeeper at Classic Mile horse training facility. She was preceded in death by her brother, Daniel Fitzgerald as well as her parents. She will be greatly missed by those who survive her, including her husband of 22 years, Darryl Boulange; sons, Brian Golding and wife, Amy and Kevin Golding and wife, Kristin; sisters, Terri Ward and husband Alan and Maureen Smith and husband, Gary; and grandchildren, Evan and Dylan Golding. There will be a celebration of Colleen's life at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, at 10 a.m. on Saturday, December 15th, 2012. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

**CHAPPELL, BERNICE**

Ocala - Bernice LeRachel Blunt Chappell, child-care provider, was born to the late Homer Blunt and Martha Coleman Blunt on September 7, 1917. Her husband, Joseph Chappell and brothers, Homer Jr., Hugh, Walter and Monroe preceded her in death. Bernice was a loving mother to Leslie ( Margaret), the former Barbara Newkirk, and Kenneth Rucker. Left to cherish her memory are her children; nine grands, Kaali and Tiffany Chappelle, Leonard and Yaphet Taylor, Rodney (Crystal), Ronald and Robin Newkirk, Keith Clem, and Brenda Johnson; nine great-grands; four great-great-grands; Shanta Matthews, Goddaughter; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. A Celebration of Bernice's Life will be held at 2 p.m., Sunday, December 16, 2012 at her church, Bethlehem Missionary Baptist 8750 West Hwy 326, Ocala. FL Rev. Jason Sims, Pastor. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

**CHARROUX, TERRY, 66**

Ocala - Terry Charroux, 66, of Ocala, passed away December 10, 2012. She came to this area in 1993 from her native, New Bedford, MA. She was a retired assistant manager for Big Lots and a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. Mrs. Charroux was a member of the Moose Club Chapter #459, Eagles Post #4251, Prestige 55, VFW Post #4209 and the Silver Springs Shores Community Center. She is survived by her husband Carl; brothers, Robert J. Motta of New Bedford, MA and James J. Motta of Deland, FL; four stepgrandchildren; three nephews; two nieces and a grandnephew and grandniece. A Memorial Service will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944 on Saturday, December 15th, 2012 at 1 p.m.. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Kidney Association. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

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**KING, KERRY MARIE, 51**

Ocala - Kerry Marie King, 51, of Ocala, Florida passed away December 8, 2012 at Tuscany Place, Summerfield, Florida. She was laid to rest after a tough battle with cancer. She was born on June 23, 1961 in Waukegan, Illinois. She graduated from Forest High School in 1979. Kerry was preceded in death by her father, Richard Allen Green. She is survived by her husband of 29 years, Chuck King; her three children, CJ, Hunter, and Haylie. She also is survived by her mother, Leanne Green of Ocala, her sisters, Kelly Proctor, Ocala, Holly Kingsley, Oviedo, FL and a brother, Kurt Green, Ocala, and numerous nieces and nephews. Kerry and her husband



Chuck owned and operated Wayne's Cleaners for many years, along with her in-laws Wayne and Patsy King from Ocala. She was a wonderful caring person, loving mom, wife, sister, friend and will be forever missed by those who ever knew her. Services will be announced at a later date. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

**KINISER-MOBLEY, CLAUDEEN, 68**

Ocala, Florida - Funeral services will be held on Saturday, December 15, 2012, 10 a.m., New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala. Reverend Lucious Taylor will conduct the words of comfort. A wake service will be held at Sellers Funeral Home on Thursday at 6 p.m.. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m.. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Mobley's residence, 7101 N.W. 21st Street, Ocala) on Saturday at 9:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. There will be no viewing following the eulogy. " A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction." [www. sellersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sellersfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

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**SHANNON, NELIDA M., 100**

Ocala - Nelida M. Shannon, 100, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, December 11, 2012. She was born in Puerto Rico on January 29, 1912. Mrs. Shannon was a retired school teacher at Anthony Elementary School in Anthony, FL. She also worked as a translator for the Norris Cattle Co. in Sparr, FL. She was a member of Anthony First Baptist Church. She is survived by a daughter Margaret Siedlecki of East Northport, NY; two grandchildren and two great grandchildren. A funeral service will take place at First Baptist Church of Anthony on Friday, December 14, 2012 at 11 a.m.. A visitation will also take place at the church on Friday from 10 a.m. until the time of the service at 11 a.m.. Burial will take place at Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Anthony First Baptist Church, PO Box 267, Anthony, FL 32617. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

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**WINKLE, GLADYS W., 94**

Ocala - Gladys W. Winkle, 94, Ocala, died Sunday, December 9, 2012, at home after a lengthy illness. Born in Rome, Georgia on July 21, 1918, to George Grady Watson and Flonnie Ford Watson, she graduated from Rome High School in 1935. She married Harlin Wilson Winkle on January 5, 1941, in Rome. They were married fifty-two years, until his death on January 15, 1993. She retired from Sears, Roebuck and Company in 1985, having worked for the company in Rome and Ocala since prior to World War II, except for a leave of absence while her children were small. She served as personnel manager to staff a new Sears store opening in Rome in 1956, a position then traditionally reserved for men. She trained many men for management positions for which she was ineligible because she was a woman. In the late 1950's she was the first woman in appliance sales in the Rome Sears store. In 1959 she transferred to Ocala and

remained with the Ocala Sears store until her retirement, heading the auditing staff before moving into appliance sales and kitchen design, again, the first woman to fill that position in the Ocala store. After retirement she and Harlin enjoyed many years of gardening and travels in their motor home across the United States, summering in New England, and always enjoying camping on Florida's beaches. She served many years as a patient services volunteer for Munroe Regional Medical Center and more years as a volunteer in the office of the Munroe Regional Development Foundation. She also volunteered countless hours helping others with tax return and health insurance issues. She was active in the Women's Circle at First United Methodist Church of Ocala and the Pioneer Garden Club and was an avid bridge player. Her greatest pride and joy were her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren, who have benefited beyond measure from her loving, generous heart. When interviewed in 1991 on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary, she and Harlin counted among the most special times of their marriage the births of their daughters and his safe return home from service aboard the USS Robert K. Huntington in the Pacific front during World War II. Survivors include three daughters, Emily W. Black, Gainesville, Janet W. Behnke, Ocala, and Kathy W. Mowbray, Crystal River; six grandchildren, Rhonda Black, Gainesville, Ally Holloway, St. Augustine, Tessa Mowbray, Leesburg, Virginia, Chris Pyne, Knoxville, Tennessee, and Megan Mowbray and Sarah McKeever, Ocala; two step-granddaughters, Kathryn M. Carlson, Ft. Collins, Colorado, and Margaret M. Anderson, Palmyra, Virginia; one great grandson, Max Pyne, Knoxville, Tennessee; two step-great grandsons, Duncan Carlson and Finlay Carlson, Ft. Collins, Colorado, and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her brother G.B. Watson and sister Betty Peartree, both of Rome, and two siblings who died in early childhood, Elbert Watson and Louise Watson. A memorial service will be held Friday, December 14, 2012, at 11 o'clock in the morning at the First United Methodist Church of Ocala, 1126 E. Silver Springs Boulevard, the Reverend Allen Johnson and Dr. John Few officiating. Visitation will be from 5 to 7 o'clock in the evening, Thursday, December 13, 2012, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 E. Silver Springs, Boulevard, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Myleodysplastic Syndroms Foundation, Inc. ([mds-foundation.org](http://mds-foundation.org)) or Hospice of Marion County, Inc. ([hospiceofmarion.org](http://hospiceofmarion.org)). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 12 to December 13, 2012

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#### **ARCHIE, MAE OLA, 81**

Ocala- Mae Ola Archie, 81 transitioned on Thursday, December 6, 2012 at 7:30 p.m.. She is survived by three sons, Bobby (Thelma) Archie, Joseph (Joni) Cogdell, Randolph Jackson; four daughters, Jeanette Graham, Rosalind Archie, Florence Jacobs, Estella (Morris) Frazier, all of Ocala, FL; 31 grandchildren; 70 great grandchildren; five great-great grandchildren, special friend Major Joe Taylor Ocala, FL, Hattie B. Thomas, GA. Visitation will be held Friday, December 14, 2012 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home, followed by a wake service at New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church 6 p.m.- 8 p.m. Celebration of Life Service will be held on Saturday, December 15, 2012, at 11 a.m., New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Stanley M. Jacobs, Sr., Eulogist. "A Summers Funeral Service Makes The Difference, Our Family Serving Yours" Visit our website at: [www.summersfh.com](http://www.summersfh.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

**BARTELL, DANELLE P., 85**

Reddick - Danelle P. Bartell passed away at Legacy House on December 12, 2012. Born in Kendrick, she lived in Marion County all her life. A graduate of the University of Florida and Stetson University, she retired as a Middle School Special Education School Teacher. She was a member of Reddick United Methodist Church. She is survived by sons, Brian (Julie) Bartell, Ocala; Alan (Pat) Bartell, Reddick; Roger Bartell, Cedar Key; Guy Bartell, Franklin, NC; sisters, Evelyn Short, Ocala; Eunice McDonald, Sun City; seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Memorial service will be 1 p.m., Saturday, December 15th, 2012 at Reddick United Methodist Church with Rev. Russell Clark officiating. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 14 to December 15, 2012

**BATTS-PYE, RELIA, 91**

Evinston, FL - Funeral services will be held on Saturday, December 15, 2012, noon at Mt. Olive AME Church, Evinston. Reverend Bruce Batts will conduct the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m.. Viewing will be at the church an hour prior to services. There will be no viewing following the eulogy. Family and friends are asked to meet at Mt. Olive AME Church on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. Survivors to cherish the memories of Ms. Pye, who was preceded in death by husband James Pye; daughter, Louise Pye, Micanopy; two grand children, Detria Baker, Oveida and Jermaine Goggins of Ocala; eight grandchildren and one great grandchild. " A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction." [www. sellersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sellersfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

**BOULANGE, COLLEEN ANNE, 57**

Ocala - Mrs. Colleen Anne Boulange, 57, of Ocala, FL passed away at Ocala Regional Medical Center on Sunday, December 9, 2012. She was born in Syracuse, NY on February 19, 1955 to parents, John and Rita (Farrel) Fitzgerald. Colleen moved to Ocala seven years ago from Tonawanda, NY and was a bookkeeper at Classic Mile horse training facility. She was preceded in death by her brother, Daniel Fitzgerald as well as her parents. She will be greatly missed by those who survive her, including her husband of 22 years, Darryl Boulange; sons, Brian Golding and wife, Amy and Kevin Golding and wife, Kristin; sisters, Terri Ward and husband Alan and Maureen Smith and husband, Gary; and grandchildren, Evan and Dylan Golding. There will be a celebration of Colleen's life at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW SR 200, at 10 a.m. on Saturday, December 15th, 2012. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

**CHAPPELL, BERNICE**

Ocala - Bernice LeRachel Blunt Chappell, child-care provider, was born to the late Homer Blunt and Martha Coleman Blunt on September 7, 1917. Her husband, Joseph Chappell and brothers, Homer Jr., Hugh, Walter and Monroe preceded her in death. Bernice was a loving mother to Leslie ( Margaret), the former Barbara Newkirk, and Kenneth Rucker. Left to cherish her memory are her children; nine grands, Kaali and Tiffany Chappelle, Leonard and Yaphet Taylor, Rodney (Crystal), Ronald and Robin Newkirk, Keith Clem, and Brenda Johnson; nine great-grands; four great-great-grands; Shanta Matthews, Goddaughter; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. A Celebration of Bernice's Life will be held at 2 p.m., Sunday, December 16, 2012 at her church, Bethlehem Missionary Baptist 8750 West Hwy 326, Ocala. FL Rev.

Jason Sims, Pastor. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

**CHARROUX, TERRY, 66**

Ocala - Terry Charroux, 66, of Ocala, passed away December 10, 2012. She came to this area in 1993 from her native, New Bedford, MA. She was a retired assistant manager for Big Lots and a member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. Mrs. Charroux was a member of the Moose Club Chapter #459, Eagles Post #4251, Prestige 55, VFW Post #4209 and the Silver Springs Shores Community Center. She is survived by her husband Carl; brothers, Robert J. Motta of New Bedford, MA and James J. Motta of Deland, FL; four stepgrandchildren; three nephews; two nieces and a grandnephew and grandniece. A Memorial Service will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944 on Saturday, December 15th, 2012 at 1 p.m.. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County or the American Kidney Association. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

**JORDAN, JOYCE ROSE, 75**

Silver Springs - Joyce Rose Jordan fell asleep in death on December 8, 2012. Born in Olive Hill, Kentucky, she moved to Marion County in 1968 from Ohio. She worked as a seamstress. Preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Jordan; brother, William Cooper; sister, Coleen Jordan; she is survived by sons, Terry Jordan, Robert Jordan; daughters, Annette Metzger, Linda Jordan; brothers, Johnny Cooper and Joseph Cooper; sister, Alice Reeder; ten grandchildren, Terry Jr., Christopher, Lacy, Sarah, Shawna, Ashley, Whitney, Jesse, Melissa, James; six great-grandchildren, Arie, Shane, Kaylee, Giada, Ethan and David. She has many more family members who will miss her love and hospitality. Funeral Service will be at 3 p.m., Saturday, December 15, 2012, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Road, Anthony, with Bro. Connie Curtis officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment to follow in Waldena Cemetery, Lynne, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 14 to December 15, 2012

**KING, KERRY MARIE, 51**

Ocala - Kerry Marie King, 51, of Ocala, Florida passed away December 8, 2012 at Tuscany Place, Summerfield, Florida. She was laid to rest after a tough battle with cancer. She was born on June 23, 1961 in Waukegan, Illinois. She graduated from Forest High School in 1979. Kerry was preceded in death by her father, Richard Allen Green. She is survived by her husband of 29 years, Chuck King; her three children, CJ, Hunter, and Haylie. She also is survived by her mother, Leanne Green of Ocala, her sisters, Kelly Proctor, Ocala, Holly Kingsley, Oviedo, FL and a brother, Kurt Green, Ocala, and numerous nieces and nephews. Kerry and her husband Chuck owned and operated Wayne's Cleaners for many years, along with her in-laws Wayne and Patsy King from Ocala. She was a wonderful caring person, loving mom, wife, sister, friend and will be forever missed by those who ever knew her. Services will be announced at a later date. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

**KINISER-MOBLEY, CLAUDEEN, 68**

Ocala, Florida - Funeral services will be held on Saturday, December 15, 2012, 10 a.m., New Jerusalem Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala. Reverend Lucious Taylor will conduct the words of comfort. A wake service will be held at Sellers Funeral Home on Thursday at 6 p.m..

Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9 a.m. until 7 p.m.. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Mobley's residence, 7101 N.W. 21st Street, Ocala) on Saturday at 9:15 a.m. to form the funeral cortege. There will be no viewing following the eulogy. " A Sellers Service Defines Quality & Satisfaction." [www. sellersfuneralhomes.com](http://www.sellersfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

**KUBIK, DOROTHY MARY, 82**

Ocala- Dorothy Mary Kubik died Wednesday, December 12, 2012 at home after a lengthy illness. Born in Manhattan, NYC, March 28, 1930 to David Jolin and Irene Ellsworth. Julius Kubik and Dorothy Jolin wed on October 25, 1958 in Sacred Heart Church. They moved to the Bronx, where they raised three daughters, Carole, Debra and Linda. Upon retiring from the N.Y. Times, Julius and Dorothy moved to Ocala, FL in 1995. Dorothy is survived by her husband Julius, and daughters, Carole and Debra. Dorothy is at peace with Linda who passed this year. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 14 to December 15, 2012

**LUOMA, ARNE R., 79**

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**SHANNON, NELIDA M., 100**

Ocala - Nelida M. Shannon, 100, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, December 11, 2012. She was born in Puerto Rico on January 29, 1912. Mrs. Shannon was a retired school teacher at Anthony Elementary School in Anthony, FL. She also worked as a translator for the Norris Cattle Co. in Sparr, FL. She was a member of Anthony First Baptist Church. She is survived by a daughter Margaret Siedlecki of East Northport, NY; two grandchildren and two great grandchildren. A funeral service will take place at First Baptist Church of Anthony on Friday, December 14, 2012 at 11 a.m.. A visitation will also take place at the church on Friday from 10 a.m. until the time of the service at 11 a.m.. Burial will take place at Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Anthony First Baptist Church, PO Box 267, Anthony, FL 32617. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 13 to December 14, 2012

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**SEFERNICK, JAMES J., 84**

Alpena, MI- James J. Sefernicks, 84, of Alpena, formerly of Spruce, passed away Sunday, December 9, 2012 at Tendercare Alpena. He was born May 14, 1928 to Louis and Philomena (Siefker) Sefernicks in Flint, MI, where he was raised. Jim was a fire fighter with the Flint Township Fire Department, retiring in 1978 as the Assistant Fire Chief. He was also an EMT in Flint Township, and worked toward the start of ambulance service in the area. In 1978 he moved to Spruce, MI, and on August 10, 1979, he married Lynn (Yerian) Muzzy. Jim was a member of the South Shore Hubbard Lake Fire Department and the Hubbard Lake Baptist Church. Jim spent 12 years repairing fire trucks throughout the State of Michigan. They spent winters in Silver Springs Florida, where Jim was an active member of the Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church. Jim was a master of all trades, who would tackle any job, and could fix anything. Jim's pride and joy was a 1931 Model A Fire Truck that he restored and was proud to display in parades. Jim is survived by his wife, Lynn; one son, Jim (Kellie) Sefernicks of Spruce; two daughters, Tammy Sefernicks of Oscoda and Maryjane Sefernicks-Cox of Mayville; four stepchildren, Vicki (Stan) Gadd of Corunna; Myla Sue (Roger) Bodary of Bangladesh; Beth (Joe) Rzepecki of Byron; and Rick (Norma) Muzzy of Corunna, 16 grandchildren, two great grandchildren, two sisters, one brother. He is preceded in death by one daughter, Linda Sefernicks; three sons, Johnny; Larry; and David Sefernicks, his first wife, Maryjane Bea Sefernicks, three brothers, and two sisters. A memorial service will be announced at a later date. Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln, MI. Memorial donations suggested to the South Shore Hubbard Lake Fire Department or to the Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church Care and Share. Published in



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#### **DENNIS, MARY FAE**

Ocala - Mary Fae Dennis, 89, died peacefully at home in Ocala, FL on December 12, 2012. She is survived by a son and daughter-in-law, William C. and Kay Finley Dennis of Ocala, FL, a daughter Susan Dennis Skipper of Lubbock, TX; and eight grandchildren Tony, John, Jessica, Will, Tucker, Acelyn, Dustin, and Amanda, as well as, her 5 great grandchildren, Austin, Gwynne, Grace, Piper, and Sydney. Born on May 8, 1923 in Electra, Texas to Jesse and Alma Tucker. The family settled in Gordon, TX where she and her brother, Thurman Tucker, were raised and where she graduated from Gordon High School in May 1940. She attended Texas State College for Women in Denton, TX, and subsequently John Tarleton College in Stephenville, TX where she studied Home Economics. Mary Fae met the man who would become her husband of 53 years, William C. Dennis (Bill), at a dance at the Baker Hotel in Mineral Wells in 1941 and they were married on November 30th 1942. Shortly after marrying, they moved to a military base in Ft Lauderdale, FL and from 1942 to 1946 her husband served at several posts in the United States and later in the Pacific Theatre (Philippines). With her husband overseas, Mary Fae and her young son moved to Lubbock, TX to be closer to family and she went to work for her father-in-law in his newspaper business. Her husband was separated from the service with the rank of Captain in 1946 and the family decided to settle in Lubbock where he entered the printing business as a partner in Dennis Bros. printing. They went on to raise their two children there and Mary Fae was active in many civic, church and charity organizations including the PTA, the Lubbock Women's Club, and the Garden Club. She was also a long-standing member of the First Baptist Church where she loved to listen to the choir and also taught Sunday school. She was an accomplished homemaker, a great cook and a talented seamstress. Her passions included gardening, reading, and traveling. She loved the ocean and the beach. She enjoyed many wonderful trips with her husband, children and grandchildren to places such as Argentina, El Salvador, Brazil, Jamaica, Bahamas and the Dominican Republic and they will always treasure those wonderful memories. Mary Fae moved to Ocala, FL in 2007 to live with her son and daughter-in-law. She will be remembered as a loving wife, mother, grandmother and friend and she will forever be missed. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, Florida. [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 16 to December 17, 2012

#### **ERRICKSON, ERIC ANDREW**

11/12/1936 - 12/12/12

St. Cloud, MN - Memorial services celebrating the life of Eric Andrew Errickson, age 76 of St. Cloud will be from 3-4 PM Wednesday, December 19th 2012 at the Miller Carlin Funeral Home. There will be a gathering time before the service from 2:30-3PM and a celebration of life visitation held from 4-7PM following the service. Chaplain Steve Kampa from Quiet Oaks Hospice will officiate. Eric passed peacefully in his sleep Wednesday evening at Quiet Oaks Hospice. Arrangements are being made with the Miller-Carlin Funeral Home in St. Cloud. Eric was born November 12th, 1936 to Arthur and Dorothy (Mayden) Errickson in Independence, Kansas. He grew up in Kansas but later moved to Minnesota in 1963. He received his undergraduate degree at Baker University in Baldwin, Kansas, his Masters Degree in Psychology

from Pittsburg State University in Kansas, and eventually attained his PhD from the University of North Carolina Chapel Hill In Therapeutic Recreation. Eric worked at the Hastings State Hospital as the Director of Rehabilitation, and then worked as the Program Director for the Faribault Hospital. Later he worked as a Research Associate in the Department of Psychiatry at the University of Minnesota. After his time with the U of M he then took a job as the Director of the Behavior Analysis Program at the Cambridge State Hospital before serving his time in private practice and eventually retiring to Florida in 1997. Eric was an avid sports fan with a great affinity for golf. He participated in many golf tournaments where he even played internationally. He also had a knack for playing cards where he was well known for his blackjack skill and most recently duplicate bridge. Eric may be best known for his lifelong musical gifts. He was a talented blues and folk singer/songwriter who performed regularly and recorded multiple albums. Eric is survived by his loving wife Vivian Errickson, Ocala, FL; his children Kurt (Cathlyn Garrett), St. Paul; Heidi (Jon) Errickson-Grahek, Centerville; Art (Kate) Errickson, St. Paul; and his grandchildren Claudia Errickson, Iris Errickson, William Grahek, and Devin Grahek; and his sister Sonja (Jerry) Franklin, Kansas City, KS. He is preceded in death by his parents Dorothy and Arthur Errickson. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 16 to December 17, 2012

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**FORST, ELSIE M., 100**

Ocala - Elsie M. Forst, 100, of Ocala, FL, died on Sunday, December 2, 2012. She was born in Port Jefferson Station, NY on August 16, 1912, daughter to the late Hugo and Marie (Wagner) Kreitzberg. She was a member of Joy Lutheran Church of Ocala. Elsie is survived by her nieces and nephews, Joan Luongo of Ocala, FL, Stephen Waski of Wading River, NY, Judy Baker of Tennessee and Robert Heeren of Kentucky. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL., 34481. Condolences may be expressed at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 16 to December 17, 2012

**FOSTER, BRUCE R.**

Micanopy - Bruce R. Foster is a former resident of Watertown, NY and a veteran of 30 years military service. He has traveled to 44 countries and all 50 states. He began his military career in

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### **SEFERNICK, JAMES J., 84**

Alpena, MI- James J. Sefernack, 84, of Alpena, formerly of Spruce, passed away Sunday,

December 9, 2012 at Tendercare Alpena. He was born May 14, 1928 to Louis and Philomena (Siefker) Sefernack in Flint, MI, where he was raised. Jim was a fire fighter with the Flint Township Fire Department, retiring in 1978 as the Assistant Fire Chief. He was also an EMT in Flint Township, and worked toward the start of ambulance service in the area. In 1978 he moved to Spruce, MI, and on August 10, 1979, he married Lynn (Yerian) Muzzy. Jim was a member of the South Shore Hubbard Lake Fire Department and the Hubbard Lake Baptist Church. Jim spent 12 years repairing fire trucks throughout the State of Michigan. They spent winters in Silver Springs Florida, where Jim was an active member of the Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church. Jim was a master of all trades, who would tackle any job, and could fix anything. Jim's pride and joy was a 1931 Model A Fire Truck that he restored and was proud to display in parades. Jim is survived by his wife, Lynn; one son, Jim (Kellie) Sefernack of Spruce; two daughters, Tammy Sefernack of Oscoda and Maryjane Sefernack-Cox of Mayville; four stepchildren, Vicki (Stan) Gadd of Corunna; Myla Sue (Roger) Bodary of Bangladesh; Beth (Joe) Rzepecki of Byron; and Rick (Norma) Muzzy of Corunna, 16 grandchildren, two great grandchildren, two sisters, one brother. He is preceded in death by one daughter, Linda Sefernack; three sons, Johnny; Larry; and David Sefernack, his first wife, Maryjane Bea Sefernack, three brothers, and two sisters. A memorial service will be announced at a later date. Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln, MI. Memorial donations suggested to the South Shore Hubbard Lake Fire Department or to the Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church Care and Share. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 15 to December 16, 2012

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#### **TARMAN, LAWRENCE E. "LARRY", 81**

Ocala - Lawrence E. "Larry" Tarman, 81, of Ocala, FL lost his battle with lung cancer at home on Wednesday, December 12, 2012 surrounded by his wife Pat and his son Larry. Born on September 11, 1931 in Chicago, Illinois, son to the late Edgar and Vera (Swickrath) Tarman, Larry grew up on the south side of Chicago as the youngest of four boys and was raised by his mother after his father died when he was nine years old. A proud graduate of De LaSalle High School, Larry married his wife Pat when he was 19 years old. Together they had four children and in 1966 they moved to Downers Grove, where they lived until 1971. It was then that the entrepreneurial spirit took hold as Pat and Larry decided to invest all their life savings in their

first of four restaurants, Dunkin Donuts in Arlington Heights. They went on to own Italian Patio in Chicago, Pans and Irons in Northbrook Court and the Silo Restaurant in Lake Bluff with their daughter Sandy and her husband Larry Pike. Pat and Larry retired to Ocala, FL in 1998 where they developed two passions: making friends and golf. Larry's game reached a pinnacle when he recorded a hole-in-one in 1999 and subsequently when he won the Linkside Championship in 2004. However, what Larry will be remembered for the most was his deep love of Notre Dame football. Loyal flying the ND flag on game days, he bravely faced slings and arrows when they lost, but always reveled in a great Notre Dame victory. Larry and Pat frequently looked forward to their annual visits back to Chicago, always finding time for pizza at Vito and Nicks and a visit to Portillo's for Italian Beef. Words which exemplify Larry's life are: generous, mischievous, loyal friend, wonderful family man, avid Notre Dame Football fan, Chicagoan, inspirational, a rock. Larry is survived by his beloved wife of 61 years, Patricia Tarman of Ocala; daughters Sandy Pike (Larry) and Karen Santore (Bill) as well as sons Larry Tarman (Wendy) , all of Chicago, and Dave Tarman (Leslie) of Dallas; grandchildren Sean, Kaden, Brian, Ryan, Hunter and Lauren and his brother Paul of St. Louis. A visitation will be held on Monday, December 17th, 2012 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala followed by a memorial service at 5 p.m.. The Mass will be held at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, December 18th at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County. Condolences may be expressed at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 16 to December 17, 2012

**YOWELL, RENEE NUNNALLY, 91**

Ocala - Renee Nunnally Yowell, 91, is now safely home with the Lord. She passed away, surrounded by her family, on Friday, December 14th, 2012. She was born Doreen Patricia Corbett, August 16th, 1921 in Winnipeg, Manitoba and raised in Edmonton, Alberta Canada. She loved spending her summers in her beloved Banff, Alberta with her cousins and her mother's family. Her grandfather, William McCardell, was one of the three discoverers of the Hot Sulphur Springs which spawned the creation of this beautiful resort that she also called home. Renee will be best remembered as a pioneer and trail blazer for horsewomen in a male dominated Thoroughbred Horse Industry. She developed three beautiful horse farms in Ocala, owning and operating them herself. Renee was recognized as an outstanding breeder of Thoroughbreds. Her well-bred stock regularly brought top prices at the prestigious sales in Ocala, Kentucky, Hialeah, and Saratoga Springs, NY. Renee was married to Dr. Earl W. Proctor of Tallahassee, FL and together they had four children, Earl (Kip) Proctor, Patricia Camp (Gene), Brian Proctor (Ginger) and Valerie Gardner (Richard). She is survived by them, as well as five grandchildren, Kevin Camp (Kimber), Trey Gardner (Lesley), Kristen Clifford (Todd), Chad Gardner (Kristin), and Corbett Proctor. Renee was also Meemaw to nine great grandchildren, Kayla, Callen, and Colbie Camp; Camp and Ainsley Clifford; Grayson and Jake Gardner; and Hudson and Leyton Gardner. Renee grew up in the tradition of the Anglican Church, but was led to be baptized the day after her 80th birthday at First Baptist Church and remained a member there. Renee lived an extraordinary and amazing life up to the very end. As one dear friend said of her, "Her beauty, strength, wit, sense of humor, and her determination to defy the law of averages, was unmatched." She was well loved and will be missed by many. Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Tuesday, December 18, 2012, at Christ the King Anglican Church, 3801 N. US Hwy 441, Ocala, with The Rev. Donald J. Curran, Jr. and Rev. Steve Petit officiating. Interment will follow

in Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd St., under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 16 to December 17, 2012

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, December 17, 2012**

#### **AKOURY, JR, MICHAEL THOMAS**

Ocala - Michael Thomas Akoury, Jr., 76 of Ocala, Florida passed at his home December 1, 2012. Born in Bennington, Vermont November 29, 1936. A graduate of St. Mary's Academy, Hoosick Falls, NY, Mike attended Malvern Preparatory School, Malvern, Pa. and Villanova University, Villanova, Pa. Raised at the family home, the State Line, in North Bennington, Vt, he worked with his parents in their restaurant. On the sale of the restaurant Mike followed in the footsteps of his father entering standardbred racing as a trainer/driver in the Northeast. Relocating with his family to Jacksonville, Mike became an in demand farrier for all breeds in the Jacksonville/Ocala area. At the age of 50, Mike began a new career with his bloodstock agency, Iron Horse Agency, which he established at his Dramein Farm in Ocala. In a normal transition he then began training thoroughbreds under his J & T Racing Stable colors campaigning his charges at numerous race tracks. Along with training, Mike was very active in the Westport High School Future Farmers of America. He was a recipient of a citation from the National FFA in appreciation for the encouragement, cooperation and assistance he gave to the organization. Mike's friendship, caring and warmth, along with his infectious smile will be remembered and missed by all. He is survived by Susan M. King, his companion of many years, their son Robert Earl King of Ocala; sons Anthony Michael Akoury, Robert James Akoury; daughter Brenda Akoury Poliquin, Jacksonville; their mother Helen Brooks Akoury, Ocala; step daughter Alyssa King Murphy, Pensacola; sisters Marie Akoury Monahan, Longport, NJ and Margaret Akoury Lynch, Essex, MA; grandchildren Sean Singleton, Anthony Thomas Akoury, Jacksonville; great grandchild Thomas Richard Akoury; nieces, nephews, grand-nieces and grand-nephews. A celebration of life will be held on Saturday, January 5th at the Ocala Breeders Sales Company Auditorium, 1701 SW 60th Avenue, Ocala from 2-5pm. In lieu of flowers, donations in his memory may be made to the Westport High School Future Farmers of America, 3733 SW 80th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34481. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 17 to December 18, 201

#### **DENNIS, MARY FAE**

Ocala - Mary Fae Dennis, 89, died peacefully at home in Ocala, FL on December 12, 2012. She is survived by a son and daughter-in-law, William C. and Kay Finley Dennis of Ocala, FL, a daughter Susan Dennis Skipper of Lubbock, TX; and eight grandchildren Tony, John, Jessica, Will, Tucker, Acelyn, Dustin, and Amanda, as well as, her 5 great grandchildren, Austin, Gwynne, Grace, Piper, and Sydney. Born on May 8, 1923 in Electra, Texas to Jesse and Alma Tucker. The family settled in Gordon, TX where she and her brother, Thurman Tucker, were raised and where she graduated from Gordon High School in May 1940. She attended Texas State College for Women in Denton, TX, and subsequently John Tarleton College in Stephenville, TX where she studied Home Economics. Mary Fae met the man who would become her husband of 53 years, William C. Dennis (Bill), at a dance at the Baker Hotel in Mineral Wells in 1941 and they were married on November 30th 1942. Shortly after marrying, they moved to a military base in Ft Lauderdale, FL and from 1942 to 1946 her husband served at several posts in the United States and later in the Pacific

Theatre (Philippines). With her husband overseas, Mary Fae and her young son moved to Lubbock, TX to be closer to family and she went to work for her father-in-law in his newspaper business. Her husband was separated from the service with the rank of Captain in 1946 and the family decided to settle in Lubbock where he entered the printing business as a partner in Dennis Bros. printing. They went on to raise their two children there and Mary Fae was active in many civic, church and charity organizations including the PTA, the Lubbock Women's Club, and the Garden Club. She was also a long-standing member of the First Baptist Church where she loved to listen to the choir and also taught Sunday school. She was an accomplished homemaker, a great cook and a talented seamstress. Her passions included gardening, reading, and traveling. She loved the ocean and the beach. She enjoyed many wonderful trips with her husband, children and grandchildren to places such as Argentina, El Salvador, Brazil, Jamaica, Bahamas and the Dominican Republic and they will always treasure those wonderful memories. Mary Fae moved to Ocala, FL in 2007 to live with her son and daughter-in-law. She will be remembered as a loving wife, mother, grandmother and friend and she will forever be missed. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, Florida. [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 16 to December 17, 2012

**ERRICKSON, ERIC ANDREW**

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St. Cloud, MN - Memorial services celebrating the life of Eric Andrew Errickson, age 76 of St. Cloud will be from 3-4 PM Wednesday, December 19th 2012 at the Miller Carlin Funeral Home. There will be a gathering time before the service from 2:30-3PM and a celebration of life visitation held from 4-7PM following the service. Chaplain Steve Kampa from Quiet Oaks Hospice will officiate. Eric passed peacefully in his sleep Wednesday evening at Quiet Oaks Hospice. Arrangements are being made with the Miller-Carlin Funeral Home in St. Cloud. Eric was born November 12th, 1936 to Arthur and Dorothy (Mayden) Errickson in Independence, Kansas. He grew up in Kansas but later moved to Minnesota in 1963. He received his undergraduate degree at Baker University in Baldwin, Kansas, his Masters Degree in Psychology from Pittsburg State University in Kansas, and eventually attained his PhD from the University of North Carolina Chapel Hill In Therapeutic Recreation. Eric worked at the Hastings State Hospital as the Director of Rehabilitation, and then worked as the Program Director for the Faribault Hospital. Later he worked as a Research Associate in the Department of Psychiatry at the University of Minnesota. After his time with the U of M he then took a job as the Director of the Behavior Analysis Program at the Cambridge State Hospital before serving his time in private practice and eventually retiring to Florida in 1997. Eric was an avid sports fan with a great affinity for golf. He participated in many golf tournaments where he even played internationally. He also had a knack for playing cards where he was well known for his blackjack skill and most recently duplicate bridge. Eric may be best known for his lifelong musical gifts. He was a talented blues and folk singer/songwriter who performed regularly and recorded multiple albums. Eric is survived by his loving wife Vivian Errickson, Ocala, FL; his children Kurt (Cathlyn Garrett), St. Paul; Heidi (Jon) Errickson-Grahek, Centerville; Art (Kate) Errickson, St. Paul; and his grandchildren Claudia Errickson, Iris Errickson, William Grahek, and Devin Grahek; and his sister Sonja (Jerry) Franklin, Kansas City, KS. He is preceded in death by his parents



Dorothy and Arthur Errickson. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 16 to December 17, 2012

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Ocala - Beverly Jane Ramage Shirley, age 76, passed away December 15, 2012, after a long illness. Beverly was born November 27, 1936, in Stuart, FL, to Roudell and Minnie Mae (Cheshire) Ramage. She spent her childhood in East Palatka and San Mateo, FL and graduated from Palatka High School. She attended Stetson University. Beverly spent her working life at United Telephone in Ocala, retiring in 2002 after 37 years service. She is survived by her husband, Clifford C. Shirley; sons, Jeffrey (Mary) Shirley; Chris (Katherine) Shirley; and Robby Shirley, all of Ocala; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Also surviving is one sister, Nancy (Arlie) Garrett, of San Mateo; a half-sister, Claudia (Jay) Bowman, of Beardstown, Illinois; and a half-brother, Turner (Deborah) Ramage, of Palatka.

Beverly was an active person her entire life. She enjoyed being with her family and friends. She loved sports, singing, country music, and 50's oldies music. A graveside service will be held at 3:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 19, 2012, at San Mateo Cemetery, San Mateo, near Palatka. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 17 to December 18, 2012

**TARMAN, LAWRENCE E. "LARRY", 81**

Ocala - Lawrence E. "Larry" Tarman, 81, of Ocala, FL lost his battle with lung cancer at home on Wednesday, December 12, 2012 surrounded by his wife Pat and his son Larry. Born on September 11, 1931 in Chicago, Illinois, son to the late Edgar and Vera (Swickrath) Tarman, Larry grew up on the south side of Chicago as the youngest of four boys and was raised by his mother after his father died when he was nine years old. A proud graduate of De LaSalle High School, Larry married his wife Pat when he was 19 years old. Together they had four children and in 1966 they moved to Downers Grove, where they lived until 1971. It was then that the entrepreneurial spirit took hold as Pat and Larry decided to invest all their life savings in their first of four restaurants, Dunkin Donuts in Arlington Heights. They went on to own Italian Patio in Chicago, Pans and Irons in Northbrook Court and the Silo Restaurant in Lake Bluff with their daughter Sandy and her husband Larry Pike. Pat and Larry retired to Ocala, FL in 1998 where they developed two passions: making friends and golf. Larry's game reached a pinnacle when he recorded a hole-in-one in 1999 and subsequently when he won the Linkside Championship in 2004. However, what Larry will be remembered for the most was his deep love of Notre Dame football. Loyally flying the ND flag on game days, he bravely faced slings and arrows when they lost, but always reveled in a great Notre Dame victory. Larry and Pat frequently looked forward to their annual visits back to Chicago, always finding time for pizza at Vito and Nicks and a visit to Portillo's for Italian Beef. Words which exemplify Larry's life are: generous, mischievous, loyal friend, wonderful family man, avid Notre Dame Football fan, Chicagoan, inspirational, a rock. Larry is survived by his beloved wife of 61 years, Patricia Tarman of Ocala; daughters Sandy Pike (Larry) and Karen Santore (Bill) as well as sons Larry Tarman (Wendy) , all of Chicago, and Dave Tarman (Leslie) of Dallas; grandchildren Sean, Kaden, Brian, Ryan, Hunter and Lauren and his brother Paul of St. Louis. A visitation will be held on Monday, December 17th, 2012 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St., Ocala followed by a memorial service at 5 p.m.. The Mass will be held at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, December 18th at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County. Condolences may be expressed at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 16 to December 17, 2012

**YOWELL, RENEE NUNNALLY, 91**

Ocala - Renee Nunnally Yowell, 91, is now safely home with the Lord. She passed away, surrounded by her family, on Friday, December 14th, 2012. She was born Doreen Patricia Corbett, August 16th, 1921 in Winnipeg, Manitoba and raised in Edmonton, Alberta Canada. She loved spending her summers in her beloved Banff, Alberta with her cousins and her mother's family. Her grandfather, William McCardell, was one of the three discoverers of the Hot Sulphur Springs which spawned the creation of this beautiful resort that she also called home. Renee will be best remembered as a pioneer and trail blazer for horsewomen in a male dominated Thoroughbred Horse Industry. She developed three beautiful horse

farms in Ocala, owning and operating them herself. Renee was recognized as an outstanding breeder of Thoroughbreds. Her well-bred stock regularly brought top prices at the prestigious sales in Ocala, Kentucky, Hialeah, and Saratoga Springs, NY. Renee was married to Dr. Earl W. Proctor of Tallahassee, FL and together they had four children, Earl (Kip) Proctor, Patricia Camp (Gene), Brian Proctor (Ginger) and Valerie Gardner (Richard). She is survived by them, as well as five grandchildren, Kevin Camp (Kimber), Trey Gardner (Lesley), Kristen Clifford (Todd), Chad Gardner (Kristin), and Corbett Proctor. Renee was also Meemaw to nine great grandchildren, Kayla, Callen, and Colbie Camp; Camp and Ainsley Clifford; Grayson and Jake Gardner; and Hudson and Leyton Gardner. Renee grew up in the tradition of the Anglican Church, but was led to be baptized the day after her 80th birthday at First Baptist Church and remained a member there. Renee lived an extraordinary and amazing life up to the very end. As one dear friend said of her, "Her beauty, strength, wit, sense of humor, and her determination to defy the law of averages, was unmatched." She was well loved and will be missed by many. Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m. Tuesday, December 18, 2012, at Christ the King Anglican Church, 3801 N. US Hwy 441, Ocala, with The Rev. Donald J. Curran, Jr. and Rev. Steve Petit officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd St., under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 16 to December 17, 2012

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, December 18, 2012**

##### **AKOURY, JR, MICHAEL THOMAS**

Ocala - Michael Thomas Akoury, Jr., 76 of Ocala, Florida passed at his home December 1, 2012. Born in Bennington, Vermont November 29, 1936. A graduate of St. Mary's Academy, Hoosick Falls, NY, Mike attended Malvern Preparatory School, Malvern, Pa. and Villanova University, Villanova, Pa. Raised at the family home, the State Line, in North Bennington, Vt, he worked with his parents in their restaurant. On the sale of the restaurant Mike followed in the footsteps of his father entering standardbred racing as a trainer/driver in the Northeast. Relocating with his family to Jacksonville, Mike became an in demand farrier for all breeds in the Jacksonville/Ocala area. At the age of 50, Mike began a new career with his bloodstock agency, Iron Horse Agency, which he established at his Dramein Farm in Ocala. In a normal transition he then began training thoroughbreds under his J & T Racing Stable colors campaigning his charges at numerous race tracks. Along with training, Mike was very active in the Westport High School Future Farmers of America. He was a recipient of a citation from the National FFA in appreciation for the encouragement, cooperation and assistance he gave to the organization. Mike's friendship, caring and warmth, along with his infectious smile will be remembered and missed by all. He is survived by Susan M. King, his companion of many years, their son Robert Earl King of Ocala; sons Anthony Michael Akoury, Robert James Akoury; daughter Brenda Akoury Poliquin, Jacksonville; their mother Helen Brooks Akoury, Ocala; step daughter Alyssa King Murphy, Pensacola; sisters Marie Akoury Monahan, Longport, NJ and Margaret Akoury Lynch, Essex, MA; grandchildren Sean Singleton, Anthony Thomas Akoury, Jacksonville; great grandchild Thomas Richard Akoury; nieces, nephews, grand-nieces and grand-nephews. A celebration of life will be held on Saturday, January 5th at the Ocala Breeders Sales Company Auditorium, 1701 SW 60th Avenue, Ocala from 2-5pm. In lieu of flowers, donations in his memory may be made to the Westport High School Future Farmers of America, 3733 SW 80th Avenue, Ocala,

Florida 34481. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 17 to December 18, 2012

**CHRISTIANSSEN, IRENE EVELYN, 89**

Ocala - Irene Evelyn Fraser Christiansen, 89, passed away December 16, 2012. She was born July 3, 1923 in Lancaster, New Hampshire and was the beloved wife of Paul Christiansen. Irene's interests included reading and traveling and for several years she was a bookkeeper and internal auditor at Markem Machine in Keene, N.H. Survivors include many nieces and nephews. Services will be held at a later date at the Episcopal Church of the Advent in Dunnellon. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the church in Irene's memory. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 18 to December 19, 2012

**DOERFLEIN, MICHAEL THOMAS, M.D.**

Ocala - Dr. Michael Thomas Doerflein, M.D., died peacefully, December 14, 2012, surrounded by his family at home. He is the son of the late Fred and Veronica Doerflein. Survived by his sons, Ryan Michael and Skyler Grey; his beloved wife, Linda Struve-Doerflein, and brother, Fred C. Doerflein. Dr. Doerflein was born in Newark, New Jersey on March 14, 1948. He received a Bachelor of Science from New York University with Summa Cum Laude Honors in Mathematics and Science in 1973. He went on to earn his medical degree at University of Miami School of Medicine in 1978 as a member of the Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society. He completed his internship in Internal Medicine at Jackson Memorial Hospital. In 1982, Dr. Doerflein became the Director of Emergency Medicine at Wuesthoff Hospital, where he met his wife, Linda Struve-Doerflein. Dr. Doerflein moved to Marion County in 1994 working as a Board Certified Emergency Physician at Munroe Regional Medical Center. In 1997, Dr. Doerflein and his wife started one of the first Hospitalist Groups in Marion County, Hospital Care Providers, where he continued to practice as a hospitalist physician. He was much loved by his patients and colleagues. He spent his early years exploring South America by boat. Dr. Doerflein had an enthusiasm for unconventional collections such as fine art, antiques and oddities. He enjoyed exploring mathematics and sciences through his readings. He spent his later years investing in stocks and global markets. Dr. Doerflein had a strong passion to provide direction and comfort for his family. Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m., Thursday, December 20, 2012, at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th St., Ocala, with Father Pat Sheedy officiating. Services are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Service, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. The family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478, or The Munroe Foundation, P.O. Box 4349, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 18 to December 21, 2012

**MULKEY, ROBERT LLOYD, 79**

Citra - Robert Lloyd Mulkey passed away on December 13, 2012. Born in Ocala, FL he moved back to Marion County from Alabama after retiring his career in the U.S. Army as a Sgt. First Class. He is survived by son, Harold Lee Mulkey, Clanton, AL; daughters, Vickie Denise DeShazo, Dothan, AL; Tina June Mulkey, Manitowoc, WI; and Betsey Annette Braswell, Citra, FL; 11 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Memorial Service will be at Simmons Baptist Church, 7039 East County Rd. 318, on Thursday December 20, 2012 at 11 a.m. with Pastor Jim Waldron officiating. Flowers may be sent to Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd. Anthony, FL 32617. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 18 to December 19, 2012

**RICHARDS, JAMES EDWARD "ED", 85**

Summerfield, Florida- James Edward "Ed" Richards, 85, passed away December 16, 2012. Mr. Richards was born August 1, 1927 in Fort Meade, Florida to James and Louise (Womack) Richards. Ed proudly served his country as a merchant marine and was a veteran of the U.S. Army. He graduated from the University of Florida with a Master's Degree in Agriculture. Mr. Richards went on to work for the USDA and then was the Director for the Hillsborough County Extension Service. Upon retirement in 1986, Ed and his wife Myra moved to Summerfield from Brandon, Florida. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Summerfield where he served as treasurer for 13 years and also served as a deacon. He was well known in the community for hosting an annual "syrup sop" carrying on an old family tradition. His hobbies included fishing, hunting, growing a garden, and working on his farm. He also loved animals. He is most proud of his family who survives him, wife of 58 years, Myra; three children, son, Keith E. Richards, Summerfield, FL; daughter, Cindy Glaze, Weeki Wachee, FL; son, Jimmy Richards, Leesburg, FL; three sisters, Martha Crowder, Lakeland, FL; Becky Eagerton, Port Charlotte, FL; Leah Richards, Fort Meade, FL; four grandchildren, and one great grandchild. Funeral services for Mr. Richards will be held Wednesday, December 19, 2012 at 11 a.m. at First Baptist Church of Summerfield, with visitation one hour prior. Interment will be in Crum Cemetery immediately following. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Family Life Center at First Baptist Church of Summerfield. Arrangements are entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. Sentiments may be left online at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 18 to December 19, 2012

**SEDDON, RICHARD GEORGE, 78**

Ocala - Richard "Rick" George Seddon, 78, Master Chief Petty Officer, Retired, passed away December 15, 2012. He was born in Brooklyn, NY, on March 25, 1934, and was preceded in death by his mother, Veronica Blakitis, and father, Richard G. Seddon. He joined the Navy in 1951, during which time he served in Korea and Vietnam and retired as a Master Chief Avionics Technician and was transferred from active duty to the Fleet Reserve of the United States Navy in 1974. Following his Navy career he taught electronics at Central Florida Community College retiring in 1996. He was a lifetime member of the VFW 8255 Middleburg, FL, and also a lifetime member of the Ocala Elks Lodge No. 286 and a long standing member of the Ocala Moose Lodge and Disabled Veterans. He is survived by his beloved wife, Gloria Sue Dean Seddon; daughter, Robyn Lynn (Michael) Dietzenbach, Evergreen, CO; granddaughter, Mikayla Lynn Dietzenbach and grandson, Hunter Austin Dietzenbach. Also, his beloved pets, ACE and Tasha. Close friends and family will gather at the Seddon residence on Thursday, December 20, 2012 at 2 p.m. to celebrate his life. At a later date he will return to the sea. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 18 to December 19, 2012

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#### **EASTMAN, HELEN E., 95**

Silver Springs - Helen E. Eastman, 95, of Silver Springs, passed away December 17, 2012. Born



in Columbus Grove, OH, she came to this area in 1981 from Hialeah, FL. She was a homemaker and United Methodist by faith. She is survived by her daughter, Sharon E. Eastman of Summerfield, FL; granddaughter, Heather Marie Hanna; great grandsons, Aidan, Dylan and Raidan Russell Hanna and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband of 68 years, George Russell Eastman, three sisters and one brother. A graveside service will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St., Ocala on Friday, December 21st, 2012 at 10:30 a.m.. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944. A condolence message may be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 19 to December 20, 2012

**GARZA, ANGELITA HERRERA, 81**

Ocala - Angelita Herrera Garza, 81, of Ocala passed away December 17, 2012. Born in Beeville, TX she came to this area in 1970 from Mathis, TX. She was a homemaker and a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Mrs. Garza enjoyed spending time with her family especially her grandchildren, listening to music, dancing, crocheting, camping and fishing. She is survived by her children, Tina Garza-Ramirez (Jose Salazar) of Ocala, John Garza (Linda) Roswell, GA, Inez Garza (Angie) of Colgate, WI and Tammy Garza (Ibrahim Salman) of Ocala; brothers, Remigrio Herrera of Mathis, TX, Jose Herrera of Homestead, FL and Juan Herrera of Tampa, FL; sister, Rosalinda DelBosque of Mathis, TX; grandchildren, Roberto and Ryan Ramirez of Ocala, Daniel and Gabriela Garza of Roswell, GA, Cody and Cory Smith and Yousef and Layla Salman of Ocala, one great granddaughter, Nevaeh Ramirez of Ocala and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband of 47 years, Ernesto V. Garza. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944 on Wednesday, December 19th, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. with a Rosary Service at 6:15 p.m.. A Funeral Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th St. Ocala on Thursday, December 20th, 2012 at 10 a.m.. A condolence message can be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 19 to December 20, 2012

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**PECORARO, VITO ANGELO, 59**

Ocala - Vito Angelo Pecoraro, 59, of Ocala, FL formerly of Clifton passed away on December 6, 2012. Before retiring Vito was a lieutenant for the Bergen County Sheriffs Dept. He was a member of the Abate Motorcycle Club, Forest Chapter. Predeceased by his parents, Helen and

Carlo Pecoraro, Sr.; beloved husband of Kathryn (nee Walsh); devoted father of Vito, Jr. of Hawthorne, Carlo of Garfield, Kathryn, Vincent and Stephanie all of Ocala; cherished brother of Janet Toro, Salvatore and Carlo Pecoraro and the late Frances Yakoubian; dear brother-in-law of Everett, Richard and William Walsh. The family will be receiving friends on Wednesday, December 19th, 2012 from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. with the service starting at 1 p.m. at our Roberts Bruce East Chapel, 2739 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala. The interment will be held at Good Shepherd Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral home Bruce East Chapel. 352-732-9944 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 19 to December 20, 2012

**RAY, LARRY W., 73**

Ocala - Larry W. Ray, 73, of Ocala, passed away Sunday, December 16, 2012. He was born August 4, 1939 in Syracuse, IN. He moved here in 1971 from Elkhart, IN. Mr. Ray was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force and a retired service technician after fifteen years with Sprint. He was a member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala and enjoyed reading, carpentry, and gardening. He is survived by his wife Janice Ray of Ocala, son Michael Deas of Ocala, daughter Wendy (Nick) Thelen of Belleview, three brothers Chuck (Donna) Ray of Ocala, Bill (Sally) Ray of Holly Ridge, NC, Dennis Ray of Ocala, and three grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m., Thursday, December 20th, 2012, at First United Methodist Church of Ocala in the Family Life Center. Rev. Sue Hauptert-Johnson will be officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to First United Methodist Disaster Relief Team or Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 19 to December 20, 2012

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#### **BOYLE, SARAH, 86**

Ocala - Sarah Boyle, 86, passed away on Tuesday, December 11, 2012 in Ocala, FL. She leaves to cherish her memories, five children: Dorothy Williams, George Boyle (Mildred), Ida Collins, Willie Frank Boyle (Judy), Elnora Thomas (Jimmie), all of Ocala, FL; 27 grandchildren, a host of great-grands, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral Services for Ms. Boyle will be held on Saturday, December 22, 2012, At 11:00 A.M. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Dr. T. L. Brooks Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, December 21, 2012 from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A Wake Service will be held on Friday, December 21, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. Interment: Lincoln Gardens Cemetery. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Collins residence (1017 N.W. 11th Street, Ocala, FL) at 10:15 a.m. on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. [www.cunninghamfhocala.com](http://www.cunninghamfhocala.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 20 to December 21, 2012

#### **CHIRDON, SALLY ANN McLEAN, 89**

Ocala - Sally Ann McLean Chirdon, age 89, passed away peacefully at home in Ocala on December 17, 2012 surrounded by loving family. She was born in Scotland County, NC, the first daughter of Aura and Henry McLean. She graduated salutatorian of Reddick High School. She retired from the telephone company after 35 years of service. She enjoyed retirement, traveling and visiting family all over the U.S. as well as traveling to Scotland to explore family ancestry. She was an avid reader. Sally was predeceased by brothers Jim and Bill McLean, and son Clayton (Buddy) Chirdon. She leaves behind daughters, Susan Clark and Jaynette Whitt, both of Ocala, and son Henry (JoAnne) Chirdon of Pembroke Pines, FL; sisters, Mary Poole of Greensboro, NC and Lula McRae, of Maxton, NC. She was exceptionally nurturing to grandchildren Lisa Blackburn, Doug Brown, Jamey Brown and Sallie Chirdon, and her precious great-grandchildren, Cutler and Aura Blackburn. A memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd. on Saturday, December 22nd at 2 PM with Dr. Raymond Guterman officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the family church: First Presbyterian Church, 511 S.E. 3rd Street, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 20 to December 23, 2012

**DOERFLEIN, MICHAEL THOMAS, M.D.**

Ocala - Dr. Michael Thomas Doerflein, M.D., died peacefully, December 14, 2012, surrounded by his family at home. He is the son of the late Fred and Veronica Doerflein. Survived by his sons, Ryan Michael and Skyler Grey; his beloved wife, Linda Struve-Doerflein, and brother, Fred C. Doerflein. Dr. Doerflein was born in Newark, New Jersey on March 14, 1948. He received a Bachelor of Science from New York University with Summa Cum Laude Honors in Mathematics and Science in 1973. He went on to earn his medical degree at University of Miami School of Medicine in 1978 as a member of the Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society. He completed his internship in Internal Medicine at Jackson Memorial Hospital. In 1982, Dr. Doerflein became the Director of Emergency Medicine at Wuesthoff Hospital, where he met his wife, Linda Struve-Doerflein. Dr. Doerflein moved to Marion County in 1994 working as a Board Certified Emergency Physician at Munroe Regional Medical Center. In 1997, Dr. Doerflein and his wife started one of the first Hospitalist Groups in Marion County, Hospital Care Providers, where he continued to practice as a hospitalist physician. He was much loved by his patients and colleagues. He spent his early years exploring South America by boat. Dr. Doerflein had an enthusiasm for unconventional collections such as fine art, antiques and oddities. He enjoyed exploring mathematics and sciences through his readings. He spent his later years investing in stocks and global markets. Dr. Doerflein had a strong passion to provide direction and comfort for his family. Funeral services will be held at 3 p.m., Thursday, December 20, 2012, at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th St., Ocala, with Father Pat Sheedy officiating. Services are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Service, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. The family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478, or The Munroe Foundation, P.O. Box 4349, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 18 to December 21, 2012

**EASTMAN, HELEN E., 95**

Silver Springs - Helen E. Eastman, 95, of Silver Springs, passed away December 17, 2012. Born in Columbus Grove, OH, she came to this area in 1981 from Hialeah, FL. She was a homemaker and United Methodist by faith. She is survived by her daughter, Sharon E. Eastman of Summerfield, FL; granddaughter, Heather Marie Hanna; great grandsons, Aidan, Dylan and Raidan Russell Hanna and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband of 68 years, George Russell Eastman, three sisters and one brother. A graveside service will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St., Ocala on Friday, December 21st, 2012 at 10:30 a.m.. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, 732-9944. A condolence message may be left at: [www. robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 19 to December 20, 2012

**GAINES, JR., NATHANIEL, 82**

Williston - Nathaniel Gaines, Jr., 82, passed away on December 10, 2012 at Williston Rehab & Nursing Care Center in Williston, Florida. Born December 17, 1929, he was the son of Ollie James and Nathaniel Gaines, Sr. He worked as a horse groomer for 30 years. He also did field work. He was married to Martha Lee Gaines (deceased). He is survived by children, Nathaniel Gaines (Freda) of Gainesville, FL, Lillie Kelly (Patrick) of Atlanta, GA,

Robert Gaines (Barbara) and Ralph Gaines, both of Williston, FL, brothers, Herman Gaines of Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Jean Gaines of Ocala, FL, William Gaines of Winter Haven, FL, Otis Gaines of Marietta, GA, sisters, Mae Francis Burton of Blitchton, FL, Sarrah Gaines of Ocala, FL, nine grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, and a host of nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, December 22, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 14485 West Highway 326, Blitchton, Florida 32668 with Reverend Otis Williams, Pastor, Rev. Willie Kingcade, presiding and his brother Rev. Herman Gaines, Eulogist. Interment will be in Pine Grove Cemetery, Blitchton, FL. Arrangements are under the care of Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th St., Ocala, FL 34475. Visitation will be held Friday at Summers Funeral Home from 11:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. and at the church on Saturday at 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. No viewing after the eulogy. "A Summers Funeral Service Makes the Difference. Our Family Serving Your Family." Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 20 to December 21, 2012

**GARZA, ANGELITA HERRERA, 81**

Ocala - Angelita Herrera Garza, 81, of Ocala passed away December 17, 2012. Born in Beeville, TX she came to this area in 1970 from Mathis, TX. She was a homemaker and a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Mrs. Garza enjoyed spending time with her family especially her grandchildren, listening to music, dancing, crocheting, camping and fishing. She is survived by her children, Tina Garza-Ramirez (Jose Salazar) of Ocala, John Garza (Linda) Roswell, GA, Inez Garza (Angie) of Colgate, WI and Tammy Garza (Ibrahim Salman) of Ocala; brothers, Remigrio Herrera of Mathis, TX, Jose Herrera of Homestead, FL and Juan Herrera of Tampa, FL; sister, Rosalinda DelBosque of Mathis, TX; grandchildren, Roberto and Ryan Ramirez of Ocala, Daniel and Gabriela Garza of Roswell, GA, Cody and Cory Smith and Yousef and Layla Salman of Ocala, one great granddaughter, Nevaeh Ramirez of Ocala and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband of 47 years, Ernesto V. Garza. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 32609 on Wednesday, December 19th, 2012 from 6-8 p.m. with a Rosary Service at 6:15 p.m.. A Funeral Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th St. Ocala on Thursday, December 20th, 2012 at 10 a.m.. A condolence message can be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 19 to December 20, 2012

**GRABOWSKI, LYDIA A., 83**

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**GREEN, DAISY, 74**

Ocala - Daisy Green, 74, passed away in Ocala on December 12, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, husband Luke Green Sr., children, Riley Green (deceased), Willie Green, Gloria Green, Luke Green Jr., Michael Green, Tyrone Green, Tracy Green, and Samuel Green, siblings, Mae Brooks, Clyde Burgess, George Burgess, Isaac Burgess, and Ether Stewart, and a host of grandchildren and other sorrowing relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday at 11 a.m. at the Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade." Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 20 to December 21, 2012

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### **HAINES, PATRICIA, 70**

Ocala - Patricia Haines, 70, Ocala, passed away on December 18, 2012. Visitation will be held 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. on Friday, December 21, 2012 at Holy Band of Inspiration Church, 1019 NW 10th St., Ocala, FL. Funeral services will be on Saturday, December 22, 2012 at 11:00 a.m. at Holy Band of Inspiration Church, 1019 NW 10th St., Ocala, FL. Interment will be at St. Mary's Cemetery, Silver Springs, FL. Rev. William Hawkins, eulogist, and Rev. Leon L. Thomas, Sr., officiating. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs., Inc., 352/563-1394. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 20 to December 21, 2012

### **LAMB, EUGENIE, 75**

Ocala - Eugenie Lamb, 75, passed away in Ocala on December 10, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, her daughter, Janice Wright, sons, Darien and Earnest Lamb, sisters, Bonnie Coleman and Mattie Jefferson, five granddaughters, three grandsons, and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Visitation will be held on Friday from 10am to 6pm at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Funeral service will be held 11am on Saturday at Mt. Moriah Baptist Church,

Rev. Lorenzo S. Edwards, pastor. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade." Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 20 to December 21, 2012

**PECORARO, VITO ANGELO, 59**

Ocala - Vito Angelo Pecoraro, 59, of Ocala, FL formerly of Clifton passed away on December 6, 2012. Before retiring Vito was a lieutenant for the Bergen County Sheriffs Dept. He was a member of the Abate Motorcycle Club, Forest Chapter. Predeceased by his parents, Helen and Carlo Pecoraro, Sr.; beloved husband of Kathryn (nee Walsh); devoted father of Vito, Jr. of Hawthorne, Carlo of Garfield, Kathryn, Vincent and Stephanie all of Ocala; cherished brother of Janet Toro, Salvatore and Carlo Pecoraro and the late Frances Yakoubian; dear brother-in-law of Everett, Richard and William Walsh. The family will be receiving friends on Wednesday, December 19th, 2012 from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. with the service starting at 1 p.m. at our Roberts Bruce East Chapel, 2739 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala. The interment will be held at Good Shepherd Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral home Bruce East Chapel. 352-732-9944 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 19 to December 20, 2012

**RAY, LARRY W., 73**

Ocala - Larry W. Ray, 73, of Ocala, passed away Sunday, December 16, 2012. He was born August 4, 1939 in Syracuse, IN. He moved here in 1971 from Elkhart, IN. Mr. Ray was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force and a retired service technician after fifteen years with Sprint. He was a member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala and enjoyed reading, carpentry, and gardening. He is survived by his wife Janice Ray of Ocala, son Michael Deas of Ocala, daughter Wendy (Nick) Thelen of Belleview, three brothers Chuck (Donna) Ray of Ocala, Bill (Sally) Ray of Holly Ridge, NC, Dennis Ray of Ocala, and three grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m., Thursday, December 20th, 2012, at First United Methodist Church of Ocala in the Family Life Center. Rev. Sue Hauptert-Johnson will be officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to First United Methodist Disaster Relief Team or Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 19 to December 20, 2012

**SEARS SR., FRANK 94**

Ocala - Frank Sears Sr., 94 a retired self-employed auto mechanic died peacefully on December 18 at Sylvia's House Ocala. He was a Army Veteran of World War II, and was a proud member of the Red Ball Express. He was an avid hunter and fisherman. Member of Brady-Owens VFW. He leaves to cherish his memory his devoted, beloved wife Sallie, sons; Frank Jr., Rashid; daughters Frenchie Laverne and Debra, fifteen grandchildren; fifteen great-grands; two sisters, Ezella Cartier and Ruth Davis; three brothers, Joseph, David, and Eddie Sears; one brother-in-law; ten nieces, 12 nephews , one cousin and a host of sorrowing friends. Funeral Services for 33rd Degree Brother Frank Sears will be held at 11am on Friday, December 21, 2012 at St. Mary's MBC, Silver Springs, Fl - Reverend Kenneth Brown, pastor. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Public visitation 9-11 am on Friday until hour of service at St. Mary's. Professional Services entrusted to J. Hadley Funeral Home, 2030 North Temple Avenue, Starke, Florida 32091. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 20 to December 21, 2012

**TAYLOR, JAMES DOUGLAS, 78**

Reddick - On December 17, 2012, our Heavenly Father summoned to eternal life James Douglas Taylor. He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife Elois Taylor of Reddick, son, Jerry Taylor of Morgan Town, Maryland, brother, William Taylor of Columbus, Ohio, sisters, Agnes Wheeler of Rochester, New York and Virginia Armstrong of Stockton, CA. Funeral services for James Douglas Taylor will be held on Saturday, December 22nd at 11:00 a.m. at United Missionary Baptist Church, Reddick, Florida, Rev. H.J. Boone pastor. Viewing will be held one hour prior to service. Please meet at 15945 N.W. Gainesville Road to form the cortege. Service entrusted to O.B. Samuel Funeral Home, Williston Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 20 to December 21, 2012

**TAYLOR, TARONDA, 30**

Ocala - Taronda Taylor, 30, passed away in Ocala on December 12, 2012. She leaves to cherish her memory, her son, Tyquandre Taylor, mother, Juana Taylor, brother, Morrio Chandler and Christopher Taylor, grandmother, Arizola Wheeler, god-mother, Rudene Tucker, and a host of friends and relatives. Visitation will be held on Friday from 10am to 6pm at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Funeral services will be held on Saturday at 3pm at the New Chapel Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Isaiah James, pastor. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade." Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 20 to December 21, 2012

**Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, December 21, 2012**

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**BROWN, LLOYD, 62**

Ocala- Lloyd Brown (62) of Ocala, Florida passed away at his home on December 17, 2012. Born in Miami, Florida on March 9, 1950 to Sylvester Brown (deceased) and Gladys Stroud (deceased). Lloyd graduated from Lake Weir High School. Survivors include 3 children: Michael, Lloyd, and Takenya Brown; 2 Sisters: Caroll Brown and Doshann Williams; 3 Brothers William (Fannie) and Howard Brown and Ira (Chris) Phillips; 1 Aunt Virginia Isham A devoted Fiancee Kaye Jackson; 6 Grandchildren; and a host of sorrowing nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday December 22, 2012 at Brown Memorial Funeral Home at 100 p.m. 706 SW Martin Luther King Drive Ocala, Florida 34474 under the direction of Brown Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Service, LLC. Published in



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Reddick - On December 17, 2012, our Heavenly Father summoned to eternal life James Douglas

Taylor. He leaves to cherish his memory, his wife Elois Taylor of Reddick, son, Jerry Taylor of Morgan Town, Maryland, brother, William Taylor of Columbus, Ohio, sisters, Agnes Wheeler of Rochester, New York and Virginia Armstrong of Stockton, CA. Funeral services for James Douglas Taylor will be held on Saturday, December 22nd at 11:00 a.m. at United Missionary Baptist Church, Reddick, Florida, Rev. H.J. Boone pastor. Viewing will be held one hour prior to service. Please meet at 15945 N.W. Gainesville Road to form the cortege. Service entrusted to O.B. Samuel Funeral Home, Williston Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 20 to December 21, 2012

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Ocklawaha - Frances Louise Brian passed away on December 19, 2012 at 12:45 pm. She is preceded in death by her parents, Howard and Edith Pilkington and her son, Bill. She is survived by daughter Mandy (David) of Phoenix, AZ; sons, Jerry, of Eureka, IL, Brian of Ocklawaha, FL, Mark (Cheryl) of Chillicothe, IL. She is also survived by many grandchildren and great grandchildren; two sisters and one brother, Gary (Bobby) Pilkington, of Ocklawaha, FL. In lieu of flowers, please make donation to your local Hospice charity. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 23 to December 24, 2012

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Ocala - Lydia E. Breul, 92, of Ocala, passed away December 18, 2012. She came to this area in 1993 from her native, Milwaukee, WI. She was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church and is survived by her son, Gary W. Breul of Bradenton, FL; daughter, Joyce L. Spantikow of Milwaukee, WI; brother, William Schmeling of WI; grandchildren, Jason and Kristi Spantikow and four great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, George B. Breul. Graveside Services will be held in Milwaukee, WI. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 23 to December 24, 2012

#### **BRIAN, FRANCES LOUISE, 68**

Ocklawaha - Frances Louise Brian passed away on December 19, 2012 at 12:45 pm. She is preceded in death by her parents, Howard and Edith Pilkington and her son, Bill. She is survived by daughter Mandy (David) of Phoenix, AZ; sons, Jerry, of Eureka, IL, Brian of Ocklawaha, FL, Mark (Cheryl) of Chillicothe, IL. She is also survived by many grandchildren and great grandchildren; two sisters and one brother, Gary (Bobby) Pilkington, of Ocklawaha, FL. In lieu of flowers, please make donation to your local Hospice charity. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 23 to December 24, 2012

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#### **GALE, JOHN R.**

Ocala - John R. Gale passed away on Saturday, December 15, 2012 in Ocala, Florida. He was a devoted father to his children and a loving husband. He was born on February 9, 1927 and grew up in Oklawaha, Florida. He attended Summerfield School, graduated from Weirsdale High in 1944 and attended the University of Florida. He joined the U.S. Marines in 1944 as a private and

retired after 27 years as Lieutenant Colonel. He served in Korea, Vietnam and China. He was proud to have commanded a marine infantry unit in the DMZ in Korea in 1953. After retiring he worked at the Marion County Courthouse and later for C.A. Reed Co. in Williamsport, PA. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church and the Friendly Fellowship Class. He was also a member of the Military Officers Association of America. He is survived by his wife, Frances, his children Ric (Kathy), Barbara (Don Kasel), Robert, Tina (Jeff Vaudrin), Mark (Carrie), and Greg, as well as 11 grandchildren, and his sister, Bonnie Branson. He was preceded in death by his parents and his son Jeffrey. There will be a burial service with military funeral honors on 12/28/12 at 12:30 PM at the Florida National Cemetery: 6502 SW 102nd Ave, Bushnell, FL 33513. The memorial service will be held at 2 PM on Saturday, 12/29/12 at the First United Methodist Church: 1126 E. Silver Spring Blvd, Ocala FL 34470. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the United Methodist Children's Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 23 to December 24, 2012

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**TOWNSEND, THOMAS RANDOLPH "RANDY", 94**

Martin – Thomas Randolph "Randy" Townsend, 94, passed away peacefully in his sleep at home Thursday, December 20, 2012. The son of Elias and Katherine Townsend, he was born at home in Martin, Florida. He moved at an early age to Ocala where the family lived most of their lives. He was a member of First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. He worked at the Ocala Post Office for over 30 years. He was preceded in death by his parents and eight siblings. He is survived by his loving wife of 62 years, Rena Frances; four daughters, Linda Townsend, Jennifer (Danny) Odom, Martha Fritch, Julie (Mark) Sawallis; eleven grandchildren; five great grandchildren and many cousins, nieces and nephews. Memorial donations may be made to Interfaith

Ministries of Ocala. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday, De-cember 23, 2012 in the chapel of the funeral home. The family will receive friends from 12 Noon until service time at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Spring Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 25 to December 26, 2012

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**CHAZAL, LOUIS LEGRIEL, 85**

Morehead City, NC - Louis Legriél Chazal, 85, died Monday, December 10, 2012, at Carteret General Hospital in Morehead City. According to his wishes, a graveside service for family will be held at Greenwood Cemetery, 1400 NE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL, 34470 on Saturday, December 29, 2012 at 12:00 Noon with Father Patrick Sheedy officiating; followed by a reception hosted by his son and daughter for family and friends at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church Community Center at 1:00 PM. Mr. Chazal was born on June 12, 1927, in Ocala, FL, to John Philip Chazal, Sr. and Dorothy Otis Brooks. In addition to his parents, his brother, John P. Chazal, Jr., preceded him in death. He lived most of his life in Ocala, attending Trinity Academy and Ocala High School. After brief service in the Coast Guard he studied at the University of Florida and graduated with a Bachelor's degree in Industrial Engineering in 1950. The following year he and his brother John started Hurricane Batteries, where he continued to work until his retirement in 2011. He was a devoted Catholic and life-long member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, where he served as President of the Parish Council, head of the youth group, and lector. He was very athletic and a big sports fan. In his youth he participated in baseball, basketball, football, and track and field. In later years he was active in tennis, golf and softball. He was a particularly avid fan of Florida Gator athletics, attending many Florida Relays track and field meets over the years and holding season football tickets for over forty years. He is survived by his wife, Barbara B. Chazal of Morehead City, NC; daughter, Anne Cole Chazal of Richmond, VA; son, John Philip Chazal, III and wife, Dr. Nicole M. D'Andrea of Morehead City, NC; sisters, Betty B. Chazal of Ocala, Dorrie Platte of Augusta, GA; brother, Peter A. Chazal and wife, Mae of Ocala; grandchildren, Yvonne, Natalie and Vanessa Chazal of Morehead City, NC. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 2418 Blue Ridge Road, Suite 206, Raleigh, NC 27607 or Carteret General Hospital Foundation, P.O. Drawer 1619, Morehead City, NC 28557. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida 34470. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 28, 2012



**GALLO, CAROL, 68**

Ocala - Carol Gallo, 68, passed away on Monday, December 24, 2012. Carol was born in Auburn, NY on July 15, 1944. She was raised in Skaneateles, NY. Carol also lived in Syracuse and Memphis before moving to Ocala seven years ago. Her hobbies included cooking and sewing. She was of the Methodist faith. She is survived by a daughter Tammy Gallo of Texas; brother, Douglas Clark of New York; sister Anna Stone of Ocala; mother, Emma Clark of Ocala; three grandchildren and five great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her father, Royce Clark; son, Anthony Gallo and brother, Richard Clark. Carol will be dearly missed by her family and friends. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to your local hospice. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 28, 2012

**GIBSON, SANDRA DIANE, 63**

Ocala - Sandra Diane "Sandy" Gibson, 63, of Ocala, Florida died on Sunday, December 23, 2012 with her family by her side after a courageous battle against cancer. Sandy was born in New York City, NY on September 14, 1949 and spent most of her early years in Brooklyn. As a graduate of Queensboro Community College and Dominican College with a BS in Nursing, she instilled the value of education in her children. Sandy touched the lives and cared for patients and their families throughout her forty year career as a Registered Nurse. She spent the majority of her nursing career at Westchester County Medical Center in Valhalla, NY. She was very proud that she had the opportunity to influence the lives of future nurses as an instructor at Central Florida Community College. Sandy's kindness, positive energy and motivational spirit will continue to live on through all who've ever gotten the pleasure to have met her. Sandy was preceded in death by her father Anselmo Henry and her brother Kelvin Henry. She is survived by her mother Aileen Henry; sister, Lynette Baker; husband, Floyd; son Adi; daughter, Ayana; granddaughter, Julianna and a host of family and friends. A visitation will be held on Saturday, December 29th, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL 34481. A memorial service, "Celebration of Life" will follow at 2 p.m. at the Summer Glen Grand Hall in Ocala. Condolences may be given at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 28, 2012

**HART, WILLIE JAMES, 85**

Ocala - Willie James Hart, 85, passed away on December 20, 2012 at Oakhurst Care and Rehabilitation. He leaves to cherish his memories, two brothers, Elder Mark H. Hart Jr., John L. Hart Sr.; a special sister-in-law, Fannie Slykes Hart; special cousins, James T. Jones, Mildred and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral Services for Willie James Hart will be held on Saturday, December 29, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel of Faith, Elder Mark H. Hart Jr., Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, December 28, 2012 from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A Wake Service will be held on Thursday, December 27, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home; Interment at Tucker Hill Cemetery. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Hart Residence (2105 S.W. 7th Place Ocala, FL) at 10:15 a.m. on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. [www. Cunninghamfhocala.com](http://www.Cunninghamfhocala.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 28, 2012

**JAMES, RUBY, 89**

Ocala - Ruby James, 89 of Ocala entered into heaven on December 23, 2012. Born in Livingston, West Virginia she was one of seven children. She moved from Hazy, West Virginia to Ocala in 1953. She loved working in the garden, watching sports, mainly the Florida Gators, and she enjoyed talking on the phone with her friends. She worked as a waitress for many years at different locations however, in the mid-1980's due to health reasons, she retired from the Holiday Inn at Silver Springs. She is predeceased by her parents; her five sisters and one brother and one great grandchild. She is survived by her husband of 52 years, Ralph W. James; sons, Gene Javins and wife Mary who Ruby considered her "daughter" of Boyce, LA and William (MaryAnn) Javins of North Port, FL; seven grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren, two great great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. A visitation will be held on Saturday, December 29, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd from 1-2 p.m. with a service to follow. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Northside Missionary Baptist Church or The Alzheimer's Association . Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 29, 2012

**RINGLER, JEAN MCCULLOCH, 93**

Dunnellon - Jean McCulloch Ringler, 93, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away unexpectedly on December 22, 2012, after a brief illness. Jean was born November 19, 1919, in Point Pleasant, West Virginia, the fourth of eight children born to Charles E. and Marguerite F. McCulloch. In 1945, while working for the U.S. Embassy in Paris, France, she met her future husband, Gerald Arthur "Jerry" Ringler, a pilot in the U.S. Army Air Corps. After the war, she and Jerry were married in Reno, Nevada, in 1946. Together, Jean and Jerry owner and operated several Coast to Coast hardware stores in California and Washington state. In 1979, they purchased property on the Withlacoochee River in Dunnellon, moving there permanently in 1983. Jean began a second career in real estate in Dunnellon, which she enjoyed well into her eighties. Eventually, six of the McCulloch sisters would live on adjacent properties, creating what was fondly referred to as the "McCulloch Compound." Jean was pre-deceased by her husband, Jerry. She is survived by her adoring daughters Peggy Berglund and Candace Ringler (husband Joel Hurd) of Portland, OR; grandson Erik Berglund of Portland, OR; granddaughter Bryn Berglund of Los Angeles, CA; sisters Nancy Meyer, Polly Tanzi and Betty Koehler of Dunnellon; and many nieces and nephews. Jean was a beautiful and gracious woman with a kind and loving heart. She was loved by all who knew her. Family will receive friends at a memorial visitation at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon on Saturday, December 29, from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Immediately following the visitation, a graveside service will be held at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. All are welcome. Memorial contributions may be made in Jean's name to Hospice of Citrus County of the Nature Coast or Annie W. Johnson Senior Services Center. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL 34432. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 28, 2012

**SILLS, SALLIE ALEXANDER, 97**

Ocala - Mrs. Sallie Alexander Sills, passed away in Ocala, FL on December 21, 2012. She was born in Ocala on February 17, 1915. She was a retired teacher who taught for 42 years in Quincy, and Ocala, Florida. She wrote poetry. Her poetry, "The Mist" was chosen to be presented at the Seventh Annual Poetry Convention in 2001. She is preceded in death by her husband, Mell Sills; parents, Joe and Marie Jefferson Alexander; sisters, Rosa Lee Alexander

and Leola Barbara Roberts. Sallie is survived by one niece, Dr. Barbara J. Brooks, Ocala and a host of grand, great and great-great nieces and nephews. Memorial services will take place December 29, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home, 434 NW Martin Luther King Ave., Ocala, FL (352) 368-2198. In lieu of flowers and food, please make a donation to the R.A.M.A.L Educational and Social Services, Inc. Scholarship Fund in the memory of Sallie A. Sills at Wells Fargo Bank. Arrangements by Cunningham Funeral Home, 434 NW Martin Luther King Ave, Ocala, 34475 FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 28, 2012

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Silver Springs - Maxwell Adkison, 82, passed away Sunday, December 23, 2012 at his home. Mr. Adkison had lived in the area since 1958. He worked for over 40 years in road construction retiring from Cragg Construction Company. He liked to fish and enjoyed the wildlife in the forest where he lived for the past 41 years. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Clarabell Adkison; daughter, Sandra (Everett) White, Oregon; sons, Maxwell Adkison, Jr., Land of Lakes, Robert Adkison, Silver Springs, Ronald (Connie) Adkison, Illinois; nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; sisters, Ora Mae Wallace, Daisy Lee Wallace, Elaine Woods; brother, Leon Adkison, all of Enterprise, Alabama and numerous nieces and nephews. Graveside funeral services will be held at 1:00 PM Monday, December 31, 2012 at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends from 6 - 8 PM Sunday, December 30, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

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**DAYMON, HILDON, 73**

Ocala - Hildon Daymon, 73, passed away on December 25 in Ocala. He leaves to cherish his memory his sister, Mary Cox; sister-in-laws, Marjorie Daymon and Gloria Daymon; brother-in-law, Willie Guy; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Funeral service will be on Saturday at the Church of God by Faith at 11 am. Visitation will be on Friday at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10am to 6 pm. Arrangements have been entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry. "Providing a memory that will never fade." Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

**EDWARDS, JAMES, 94**

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**FIOCCHI, PHYLLIS, 80**

Ocala - Phyllis (Felicita) Fiocchi, passed away at her home after a brief illness on December 23, 2012. A native of Vineland, NJ, born December 31, 1931 and resident of Ocala, FL for the last 16 years. She was a devoted wife to her beloved husband Dino for 62 years. Together they shared their loving relationship as a team couple through Marriage and Engagement Encounter touching many. Phyllis is preceded in death by her daughter, Susan and sister, Lydia Pedroni. She is survived by her sister, Gloria Wescott, her brother, James Rossetto and daughter, Debra with Joseph Daley of Vineland, NJ. She will remain a positive influence and inspiration to her three grandchildren, Quincy (Amy), Ivy, and Dino (Linda) Dan and her six precious great grandchildren, Mary Betts, Kaleb, Madison, Lauren, Justin and Ryan Dan. Funeral services will be held at Sacred Heart Church in Vineland, NJ. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to American Diabetes Association at; [donations.diabetes.org](http://donations.diabetes.org) Hospice of Marion County or the Florida Center for the Blind. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

**GALLO, CAROL, 68**

Ocala - Carol Gallo, 68, passed away on Monday, December 24, 2012. Carol was born in Auburn, NY on July 15, 1944. She was raised in Skaneateles, NY. Carol also lived in Syracuse and Memphis before moving to Ocala seven years ago. Her hobbies included cooking and sewing. She was of the Methodist faith. She is survived by a daughter Tammy Gallo of Texas; brother, Douglas Clark of New York; sister Anna Stone of Ocala; mother, Emma Clark of Ocala; three grandchildren and five great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her father, Royce Clark; son, Anthony Gallo and brother, Richard Clark. Carol will be dearly missed by her family and friends. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to your local hospice. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 28, 2012

**GIBSON, SANDRA DIANE, 63**

Ocala - Sandra Diane "Sandy" Gibson, 63, of Ocala, Florida died on Sunday, December 23, 2012 with her family by her side after a courageous battle against cancer. Sandy was born in New York City, NY on September 14, 1949 and spent most of her early years in Brooklyn. As a graduate of Queensboro Community College and Dominican College with a BS in Nursing, she instilled the value of education in her children. Sandy touched the lives and cared for patients and their families throughout her forty year career as a Registered Nurse. She spent the majority of her nursing career at Westchester County Medical Center in Valhalla, NY. She was very proud that she had the opportunity to influence the lives of future nurses as an instructor at Central Florida Community College. Sandy's kindness, positive energy and motivational spirit will continue to live on through all who've ever gotten the pleasure to have met her. Sandy was preceded in death by her father Anselmo Henry and her brother Kelvin Henry. She is survived by her mother Aileen Henry; sister, Lynette Baker; husband, Floyd; son Adi; daughter, Ayana; granddaughter, Julianna and a host of family and friends. A visitation will be held on Saturday, December 29th, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the TimberRidge Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th St. Ocala, FL 34481. A memorial service, "Celebration of Life" will follow at 2 p.m. at the Summer Glen Grand Hall in Ocala. Condolences may be given at: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 28, 2012

**GRIGGS, CARLTON HOOVER, 84**

Ocklawaha - Carlton Hoover Griggs, 84, of Ocklawaha, passed away Wednesday, December 26, 2012. Carl's family was one of the 1st five pioneering families of Marion County in 1828. Born in Moss Bluff, Florida, he was a lifelong resident of Central Florida. He was a Carpet Contractor, was a member of the VFW, Woodmen of the World and was a former volunteer firefighter for Eustis and Marion County. Carl served his country in the Marine Corp. He is survived by his two sons, Bob Griggs, Houston, TX, Phillip Griggs, Ocklawaha, FL; three daughters, Kay Wolf, Inverness, FL, Sherry Kniffin, Sorrento, FL, Wendy Germeroth, Crystal River, FL; sister, Julia Mae Raeborn, Ocala, FL; 16 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Viewing will be held at Harden/Pauli Funeral Home, Eustis, on Saturday, December 29, 2012 from 3-5 p.m. A memorial service will be held at Moss Bluff Cemetery on Saturday, January 5, 2013 at 1 p.m. Online Guestbook available at: [www.hardenpauli.com](http://www.hardenpauli.com) Arrangements by Harden/Pauli Funeral Home, Eustis. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

**HART, WILLIE JAMES, 85**

Ocala - Willie James Hart, 85, passed away on December 20, 2012 at Oakhurst Care and Rehabilitation. He leaves to cherish his memories, two brothers, Elder Mark H. Hart Jr., John L. Hart Sr.; a special sister-in-law, Fannie Slykes Hart; special cousins, James T. Jones, Mildred and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral Services for Willie James Hart will be held on Saturday, December 29, 2012, at 11 a.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home Chapel of Faith, Elder Mark H. Hart Jr., Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, December 28, 2012 from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A Wake Service will be held on Thursday, December 27, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home; Interment at Tucker Hill Cemetery. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Hart Residence (2105 S.W. 7th Place Ocala, FL) at 10:15 a.m. on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. [www. Cunninghamfhocala.com](http://www.Cunninghamfhocala.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 28, 2012

### **JAMES, RUBY, 89**

Ocala - Ruby James, 89 of Ocala entered into heaven on December 23, 2012. Born in Livingston, West Virginia she was one of seven children. She moved from Hazy, West Virginia to Ocala in 1953. She loved working in the garden, watching sports, mainly the Florida Gators, and she enjoyed talking on the phone with her friends. She worked as a waitress for many years at different locations however, in the mid-1980's due to health reasons, she retired from the Holiday Inn at Silver Springs. She is predeceased by her parents; her five sisters and one brother and one great grandchild. She is survived by her husband of 52 years, Ralph W. James; sons, Gene Javins and wife Mary who Ruby considered her "daughter" of Boyce, LA and William (MaryAnn) Javins of North Port, FL; seven grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren, two great great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. A visitation will be held on Saturday, December 29, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd from 1-2 p.m. with a service to follow. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Northside Missionary Baptist Church or The Alzheimer's Association . Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 29, 2012

### **JONES, HELEN WINGO, 95**

Ocala - Helen Wingo Jones, 95, passed away on Monday, December 24, 2012 at Legacy House. Mrs. Jones was a retired teacher who taught for 43 years in Ocala, Florida. She leaves to cherish her memories two sons, Leroy E. Jones (Wilhelmina), James Curley (Patsy); daughters, Yvonne Simms, Joyce Jones (Cecil); five sisters, Elfreda W. Thomas, Marie Wingo Weeks, Gertrude Wingo Willis, Dollie Mae Wingo Malone, Betty Wingo Smalls; four brothers, Richard Wingo, Lamar Wingo, Leroy Wingo, William Wingo; a special niece, Jacquelyn Haywood, God children, Robert, Shirley Green, Vincent Simms, ten grandchildren; great grand's; a host of Nieces, Nephews, Cousins and Sorrowing Friends... Services will be held on Saturday, December 29, 2012, at 2 p.m.. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church Rev. Edward Bland Pastor, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, December 28, 2012, from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home. A Wake Service will be held on Friday, December 28, 2012 from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home; Interment at Lincoln Gardens Cemetery. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Rev. Leroy Jones Residence, 3710 SW 24th Street, Ocala, FL, at 1:15 p.m. on Saturday to form the Funeral Cortege. [www.Cunninghamfhocala.com](http://www.Cunninghamfhocala.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

**KEELEY, BERNARD MATHEW, 84**

Ocala - Bernard Mathew Keeley, 84, passed away December 14, 2012 in Ocala, FL. He retired from Hormel Foods, Austin, MN. Born in Faribault, MN, he moved to Ocala, FL in 1994 from MN. He was a member of Joy Lutheran Church, Ocala, FL. He was an Army Veteran. He loved to play cards, travel and being with friends and family. Survivors are his wife, Irene Keeley, Ocala, FL; sons, Dan Keeley (Denise) and Bill Keeley (Amy) both of MN; stepson John Dunbar, Ocala, FL; granddaughters, Skyler Rose Dunbar, Jacksonville, FL, Jill Keeley, Sarah Keeley, Jessica Keeley, and Tracy Brice, all of MN; and four great-grandsons. A Memorial Service will be held at Joy Lutheran Church on Sunday, December 30, 2012 at 2 p.m., 7045 SW 83rd Place, Ocala, FL. Pastor Ed Holloway officiating. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

**MATTHEWS, JACQUELYN "JACKIE" OGDEN**

Ocala - Jacquelyn "Jackie" Ogden Matthews was born to the late Otis and Margaret Ogden in Miami, Florida on October 14, 1940. She attended the Dade County Public Schools and graduated from Miami-Edison High School. She moved to Ocala in August of 1977. In 1980 she became employed as a Certification Specialist for the Marion County School System until 1997 when she retired. Jackie loved to travel and she had the opportunity to visit many exciting places such as Tahiti, Europe, and Jamaica; however, her favorite place was Hawaii. She had a great sense of humor and could make you smile anytime. She also had a mischievous spirit and when you saw her blue eyes begin to twinkle, you could rest assured she was about to do something that would leave you wondering. In addition to traveling her hobbies included doll collecting, football, country music and a love for animals. She entered into heaven on December 24, 2012. She was preceded in death by her parents and son, Donald R. Matthews, JR. She leaves to cherish her memory, her daughter, Jan (Al) Mills; grandchildren, Michael Marzella, Corey Parker, and Kaitlyn Mills; brother, Tommy (Karen) Ogden; niece, Tammy Ogden; nephew, Timothy Ogden; cousins, other family members and sorrowing friends. Visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. on Saturday, December, 29, 2012 from 5 to 7 PM. The service will be Sunday, December, 30th at 1:00 PM at the funeral home with Interment to follow at Highland Memorial Park. [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

**RINGLER, JEAN MCCULLOCH, 93**

Dunnellon - Jean McCulloch Ringler, 93, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away unexpectedly on December 22, 2012, after a brief illness. Jean was born November 19, 1919, in Point Pleasant, West Virginia, the fourth of eight children born to Charles E. and Marguerite F. McCulloch. In 1945, while working for the U.S. Embassy in Paris, France, she met her future husband, Gerald Arthur "Jerry" Ringler, a pilot in the U.S. Army Air Corps. After the war, she and Jerry were married in Reno, Nevada, in 1946. Together, Jean and Jerry owner and operated several Coast to Coast hardware stores in California and Washington state. In 1979, they purchased property on the Withlacoochee River in Dunnellon, moving there permanently in 1983. Jean began a second career in real estate in Dunnellon, which she enjoyed well into her eighties. Eventually, six of the McCulloch sisters would live on adjacent properties, creating what was fondly referred to as the "McCulloch Compound." Jean was pre-deceased by her husband, Jerry. She is survived by her adoring daughters Peggy Berglund and Candace Ringler (husband Joel Hurd) of Portland, OR; grandson Erik Berglund of Portland, OR; granddaughter Bryn Berglund of Los Angeles, CA;

sisters Nancy Meyer, Polly Tanzi and Betty Koehler of Dunnellon; and many nieces and nephews. Jean was a beautiful and gracious woman with a kind and loving heart. She was loved by all who knew her. Family will receive friends at a memorial visitation at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon on Saturday, December 29, from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Immediately following the visitation, a graveside service will be held at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. All are welcome. Memorial contributions may be made in Jean's name to Hospice of Citrus County of the Nature Coast or Annie W. Johnson Senior Services Center. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL 34432. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 28, 2012

#### **SAYWARD, RUSSELL, 95**

Ocala - Russell Sayward, 95, of Ocala passed away on Tuesday, December 25, 2012 at Palm Garden Nursing Home, Ocala. He was born on August 14, 1917 in Willsboro, NY. Russell was a World War II Veteran of the U.S. Army. Along with his wife, they had owned and operated a convenience store/gas station in Schroon Lake, NY for many years before retiring. He enjoyed woodworking, gardening, ice cream and cookies. Russell is survived by his loving wife of 67 years, Martha; daughter, Linda (Jim) Armstrong of Valparaiso, IN; grandchildren, Jason (Deb) Armstrong of Valparaiso, IN and Kristi (Steve) Kacmarik of Chicago, IL; and 4 great grandchildren, Jared, Mikaela, Logan, and Aiden Armstrong; brother, Steven Sayward; and two sisters, Gladys Cushing and Betty Lou Squier. Funeral Service will be held on Saturday, December 29th at 11:00 a.m. at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW Hwy 200. Burial will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Visitation will be Saturday from 10 a.m. until the time of service. In lieu of flowers, please take a loved one or friend for ice cream. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

#### **SILLS, SALLIE ALEXANDER, 97**

Ocala - Mrs. Sallie Alexander Sills, passed away in Ocala, FL on December 21, 2012. She was born in Ocala on February 17, 1915. She was a retired teacher who taught for 42 years in Quincy, and Ocala, Florida. She wrote poetry. Her poetry, "The Mist" was chosen to be presented at the Seventh Annual Poetry Convention in 2001. She is preceded in death by her husband, Mell Sills; parents, Joe and Marie Jefferson Alexander; sisters, Rosa Lee Alexander and Leola Barbara Roberts. Sallie is survived by one niece, Dr. Barbara J. Brooks, Ocala and a host of grand, great and great-great nieces and nephews. Memorial services will take place December 29, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Cunningham Funeral Home, 434 NW Martin Luther King Ave., Ocala, FL (352) 368-2198. In lieu of flowers and food, please make a donation to the R.A.M.A.L Educational and Social Services, Inc. Scholarship Fund in the memory of Sallie A. Sills at Wells Fargo Bank. Arrangements by Cunningham Funeral Home, 434 NW Martin Luther King Ave, Ocala, 34475 FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 27 to December 28, 2012

#### **TEUTON, BRUCE, 77**

Summerfield - Bruce Teuton, of Summerfield, 77, passed away peacefully at home on Friday, December 21st, 2012 after a long illness. Bruce enjoyed Florida Gator football, hunting and reading. He is survived by his wife of 26 years, Ruth Ann Teuton; two daughters, Monica Peden, and Cheryl Teuton both of West Palm Beach; two sisters, Lorraine Corbin of Fort McCoy, and Frances Evans of Daytona Beach; two brothers, Phil Teuton and Edward Teuton both of Ocala; two grandchildren and three great grandchildren; and three stepchildren. He is



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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, December 29, 2012**

#### **ADKISON, MAXWELL, 82**

Silver Springs - Maxwell Adkison, 82, passed away Sunday, December 23, 2012 at his home. Mr. Adkison had lived in the area since 1958. He worked for over 40 years in road construction retiring from Cragg Construction Company. He liked to fish and enjoyed the wildlife in the forest where he lived for the past 41 years. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Clarabell Adkison; daughter, Sandra (Everett) White, Oregon; sons, Maxwell Adkison, Jr., Land of Lakes, Robert Adkison, Silver Springs, Ronald (Connie) Adkison, Illinois; nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; sisters, Ora Mae Wallace, Daisy Lee Wallace, Elaine Woods; brother, Leon Adkison, all of Enterprise, Alabama and numerous nieces and nephews. Graveside funeral services will be held at 1:00 PM Monday, December 31, 2012 at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends from 6 - 8 PM Sunday, December 30, 2012 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

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#### **FIDLER, JUSTIN, 26**

Bellevue - Justin Fidler, 26, of Bellevue went to be with the Lord on the eve of Christs birth.

He was born on November 14, 1986 in Ocala, FL and was the light and love of his families life, especially his grandparents, Ronald and Linda Fidler who raised him, he was his grandpa's best buddy and brought much joy and fulfillment to their lives. He loved to be in the water when he was able, and enjoyed his beach trips and walks outside. He leaves behind to cherish his memories in addition to his maternal grandparents, his mother and stepfather Debbie and Michael English of Belleview, paternal step grandparents Jerry and Paulette English of Lubbock, TX, brother Matthew English and sister Kaitlyn English both of Belleview and an uncle, Ronald E. Fidler also in Belleview. The family has suggested donations to Hospice of Marion County in lieu of flowers. A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Saturday December 29, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 29 to December 30, 2012

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### **GERMEROOTH, MARGARET WEBER**

Ocala - Margaret "Marge" Weber Germeroth passed away peacefully at Legacy House in Ocala on December 24, 2012 surrounded by loved ones. Marge was born in Philadelphia, PA on February 21, 1932. She was preceded in death by her parents, Harry and Elizabeth Hunter; husband, Albert C. Germeroth; brothers, John W. Hunter, Charles R. Hunter; and sons, Charles L. Garvin, Jr. and John A. Germeroth. She is survived by her son, Harry L. Garvin, Feasterville, Pennsylvania; daughter, Penny Lumpkin, Ocala; granddaughter, Kelly (Ted) Tochterman; grandson, Hunter Germeroth; great-granddaughter, Presley Tochterman; nieces Jean Crawford, Ivy (Nick) DeVita, DeAna DeVita; and nephews Shawn (Lisa) Stephens, Nick DeVita, Jr. and Cody Stephens. Marge was a waitress for many years in the Philadelphia area. She helped her husband run a full service garage and was the owner of a motel in Forksville, Pennsylvania before moving to Ocala in 1989. More recently she worked part-time in the office of Dunnellon Elementary School. Her passion was her family. She loved animals and was always surrounded by them. She enjoyed bowling and made many friends through bowling. At her request, no services will be held. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in her name to the Humane Society of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 29 to December 30, 2012

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**MATTHEWS, JACQUELYN "JACKIE" OGDEN**

Ocala - Jacquelyn "Jackie" Ogden Matthews was born to the late Otis and Margaret Ogden in Miami, Florida on October 14, 1940. She attended the Dade County Public Schools and graduated from Miami-Edison High School. She moved to Ocala in August of 1977. In 1980 she became employed as a Certification Specialist for the Marion County School System until 1997 when she retired. Jackie loved to travel and she had the opportunity to visit many exciting places such as Tahiti, Europe, and Jamaica; however, her favorite place was Hawaii. She had a great sense of humor and could make you smile anytime. She also had a mischievous spirit and when you saw her blue eyes begin to twinkle, you could rest assured she was about to do something that would leave you wondering. In addition to traveling her hobbies included doll collecting, football, country music and a love for animals. She entered into heaven on December 24, 2012. She was preceded in death by her parents and son, Donald R. Matthews, JR. She leaves to cherish her memory, her daughter, Jan (Al) Mills; grandchildren, Michael Marzella, Corey Parker, and Kaitlyn Mills; brother, Tommy (Karen) Ogden; niece, Tammy Ogden; nephew, Timothy Ogden; cousins, other family members and sorrowing friends. Visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. on Saturday, December, 29, 2012 from 5 to 7 PM. The service will be Sunday, December, 30th at 1:00 PM at the funeral home with Interment to follow at Highland Memorial Park. [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

**SAYWARD, RUSSELL, 95**

Ocala - Russell Sayward, 95, of Ocala passed away on Tuesday, December 25, 2012 at Palm Garden Nursing Home, Ocala. He was born on August 14, 1917 in Willsboro, NY. Russell was a World War II Veteran of the U.S. Army. Along with his wife, they had owned and operated a convenience store/gas station in Schroon Lake, NY for many years before retiring. He enjoyed woodworking, gardening, ice cream and cookies. Russell is survived by his loving wife of 67 years, Martha; daughter, Linda (Jim) Armstrong of Valparaiso, IN; grandchildren, Jason (Deb) Armstrong of Valparaiso, IN and Kristi (Steve) Kacmarik of Chicago, IL; and 4 great grandchildren, Jared, Mikaela, Logan, and Aiden Armstrong; brother, Steven Sayward; and two sisters, Gladys Cushing and Betty Lou Squier. Funeral Service will be held on Saturday, December 29th at 11:00 a.m. at Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW Hwy 200. Burial will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Visitation will be Saturday from 10 a.m. until the time of service. In lieu of flowers, please take a loved one or friend for ice

cream. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

**TEUTON, BRUCE, 77**

Summerfield - Bruce Teuton, of Summerfield, 77, passed away peacefully at home on Friday, December 21st, 2012 after a long illness. Bruce enjoyed Florida Gator football, hunting and reading. He is survived by his wife of 26 years, Ruth Ann Teuton; two daughters, Monica Peden, and Cheryl Teuton both of West Palm Beach; two sisters, Lorraine Corbin of Fort McCoy, and Frances Evans of Daytona Beach; two brothers, Phil Teuton and Edward Teuton both of Ocala; two grandchildren and three great grandchildren; and three stepchildren. He is preceded in death by his mother, Hattie Teuton; father, Eugene Teuton; four brothers, Jimmy Teuton, Ray Teuton, Roy Teuton and Wayne Teuton all of Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 28 to December 29, 2012

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**BRASINGTON, MARGARET HENDRIX, 72**

Ashford, AL -Margaret Hendrix Brasington, 72, of Ashford, Alabama and formerly of the Peachtree Community in Murphy, NC passed away Sunday, December 23, 2012. Margaret was a native of Cherokee County, NC and was the daughter of the late Glenn Dewey Hendrix and Julia Ann Sudderth. She taught elementary school in Eden, NC for ten years before moving to Ocala, FL where she taught at Hillcrest Elementary and Ocala Springs Elementary from where she retired in 2004 after 30 years. Margaret was an avid reader, loved flowers, played the piano and especially loved spending time with her family. She was a former member of the Eastern Star and the Marion Education Association. Margaret was a founding member of the Trinity Baptist Church in Ocala, FL. Margaret and her husband moved to Ashford, AL to be closer to their son and his family. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her brother, Charles Hendrix and two sisters, Caroline Brasington and Doris Ann Hendrix. She is survived by her husband John Brasington; one son, Charles Brasington and wife Ashley; three grandchildren, Glen, Brady and Fletcher and many extended family members. Funeral Services were held December 27, 2012 at the Peachtree Memorial Baptist Church. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Peachtree Memorial Baptist Church Cemetery Fund, c/o Jim Hendrix, 3195 Old Hendrix Road, Murphy, NC 28906. You may send tributes to the Brasington family at: [www.townson-rose.com](http://www.townson-rose.com) Townson-Rose Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**BRIGADA, CARL P., 86**

Ocala - Dr. Carl P. Brigada, of Marion Oaks, died Saturday, December 22, 2012. He was born on February 24, 1926 in Springfield, MA to Joseph and Irma Brigada. Dr. Brigada graduated from the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery in 1952. He served as a commissioned officer in the U.S. Army Dental Corps and attained the rank of 1st Lieutenant. He practiced general dentistry in Springfield, MA for 35 years. He moved to RI and practiced there until retirement. After retiring and moving to FL, he served as Chairman of the Marion Oaks MSTU for General Services and was a 4th Degree member of the Knights of Columbus Council 8012 in Belleview. He was also a Minister of the Eucharist at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. He is survived by his beloved wife Irene of 62 years and their five children; Nancy Coulombe and husband Ray of CT, Donna Ferrigno and husband Pat of CT, Carl Brigada Jr. of NH, Dr. Thomas Brigada and wife Henriette of RI, and Cynthia Carson and husband Michael of MD. He was blessed with eight grandchildren: Amanda, Brian, Steven, David, Lindsey, Laura, Audra, Mike, and two great grandchildren, Brady and Kasen. Two sisters, Rose Fontaine, and Janet Springs survive him. A memorial service will be held January 3, 2013 at 8:30 a.m. at Queen of Peace Catholic Church 6455 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala, FL 34476. In lieu of flowers, donations in his name can be sent to Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Burial service will be private. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**COTA, MARC WRIGHT, 57**

Ocala - Marc Wright Cota, 57, died unexpectedly December 26, 2012. Marc was born May 8, 1955 in San Diego, California and received his early education in Illinois, New York, Pennsylvania and Connecticut. He graduated from Bryant College in Cranston, RI. His lifetime career was spent in various areas of the food service industry. Marc was predeceased by his mother, Nancy Cota, and is survived by his father, Ronald, and stepmother, Jean, in Sarasota; his brother, David Cota, in Pinellas Park; several nieces and nephews and a dear friend, Lalla Rook Tompkins in Micanopy. Memorial services will be private. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**DOERFLER, ANITA P., 86**

Ocala - Anita P. Doerfler, 86, of Ocala, passed away December 7, 2012. Born in Pittsburgh, PA, she came to Florida with her husband 28 years ago from Ohio. She was a retired bookkeeper, a member of First Christian Church, Ocala and enjoyed playing cards and golf. She is survived by her sons, Frederick of Indianapolis, IN, Donald and his wife Karen of Ocala and Jeff and his wife Michelle of Ohio; grandchildren, Matthew and Emmanuel Doerfler. She was preceded in death by her husband, Fred A. Doerfler. A Memorial Service will be held at First Christian Church, Ocala, 1908 SE Fort King St., Ocala, on Saturday, January 5th, 2013 at 1 p.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. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944. A condolence message may be left at: [www.robertsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.robertsfuneralhomes.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**FIDLER, JUSTIN, 26**

Belleview - Justin Fidler, 26, of Belleview went to be with the Lord on the eve of Christ's birth.

He was born on November 14, 1986 in Ocala, FL and was the light and love of his families life, especially his grandparents, Ronald and Linda Fidler who raised him, he was his grandpa's best buddy and brought much joy and fulfillment to their lives. He loved to be in the water when he was able, and enjoyed his beach trips and walks outside. He leaves behind to cherish his memories in addition to his maternal grandparents, his mother and stepfather Debbie and Michael English of Belleview, paternal step grandparents Jerry and Paulette English of Lubbock, TX, brother Matthew English and sister Kaitlyn English both of Belleview and an uncle, Ronald E. Fidler also in Belleview. The family has suggested donations to Hospice of Marion County in lieu of flowers. A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Saturday December 29, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 29 to December 30, 2012

### **GERMEROOTH, MARGARET WEBER**

Ocala - Margaret "Marge" Weber Germeroth passed away peacefully at Legacy House in Ocala on December 24, 2012 surrounded by loved ones. Marge was born in Philadelphia, PA on February 21, 1932. She was preceded in death by her parents, Harry and Elizabeth Hunter; husband, Albert C. Germeroth; brothers, John W. Hunter, Charles R. Hunter; and sons, Charles L. Garvin, Jr. and John A. Germeroth. She is survived by her son, Harry L. Garvin, Feasterville, Pennsylvania; daughter, Penny Lumpkin, Ocala; granddaughter, Kelly (Ted) Tochterman; grandson, Hunter Germeroth; great-granddaughter, Presley Tochterman; nieces Jean Crawford, Ivy (Nick) DeVita, DeAna DeVita; and nephews Shawn (Lisa) Stephens, Nick DeVita, Jr. and Cody Stephens. Marge was a waitress for many years in the Philadelphia area. She helped her husband run a full service garage and was the owner of a motel in Forksville, Pennsylvania before moving to Ocala in 1989. More recently she worked part-time in the office of Dunnellon Elementary School. Her passion was her family. She loved animals and was always surrounded by them. She enjoyed bowling and made many friends through bowling. At her request, no services will be held. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in her name to the Humane Society of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 29 to December 30, 2012

### **HEIN, MARGARET REST, 83**

Ocala and Miami-Dade County - Margaret Rest Hein died peacefully on December 25, 2012 surrounded by the love of her family. Margaret was born on February 13, 1929 in Chicago, IL, the second child of Dora L. and Oscar W. Rest, MD, who preceded her in death. She is survived by her brother, Walter G. Rest (Charlotte), Hewitt, TX. Growing up in Chicago, the family enjoyed annual summer trips to the Rest family farm and a host of relatives in Gladbrook, IA. After being graduated from James H. Bowen High School, Chicago, in 1947, Margaret attended Iowa State University, Ames, IA, graduating in 1951 with a BS degree from the School of Home Economics, majoring in Human Growth and Development. She was a member of Phi Upsilon Omicron, National Honor Society in Family and Consumer Sciences and Alpha Gamma Delta sorority. After graduation, she married John E. Lynn, DVM. The couple lived in Albany, WI for many years, having four children, Robert G. "Bob" Lynn (Cindy), Charlotte, NC, Thomas F. "Tom" Lynn (Sherri), Kirkland, WA, Rebecca J. "Becky" Lynn Quaranta (Kenneth), Apollo Beach, FL and Donald W. "Don," Lynn, Port St. Lucie, FL. She taught kindergarten at Monticello, WI elementary school after earning state certification in Early Childhood Education at U of WI. The family moved to south Miami-Dade County in 1965 where Margaret joined the

county school system. She taught kindergarten, high school Family and Consumer Science and pioneered a program in Daily Living Skills for mentally and physically challenged junior high students. She remained in this program until she retired, after 29 years in teaching. In 1967, Margaret married William A. "Bill" Hein, who survives her. Together they raised their combined families, the Hein children, William A. "Billy" Jr., Kathryn "Kathy" Hein Edwards and Elizabeth "Beth" along with the Lynn children, and all survive. In 1970, Margaret's mother moved to Florida to live with the family for twenty years. Margaret and Bill retired to Ocala in 1989. They enjoyed life in Meadow Wood Farms before moving to On Top of the World in 2006. Margaret was a past-president of Ocala P.E.O. Chapter CT, treasuring the love and fellowship of P.E.O. sisters and many dear friends. Margaret loved family first of all and became a loving "Grammy" to her grandchildren, Reinhold "Reiny" and Michelle Asbeck, Jennifer and Drs. Jessica and Kimberly Lynn, and her step-grandchildren, Anthony, Mikaely and Angela Quaranta, Michelle Antogiovanni and Chandler Edwards all of whom survive her. Also surviving Margaret are her cherished nieces and nephews, their husbands, wives and children. Internment will be at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be made to the P.E.O. Scholar Award, P.E.O. Executive Office, 3700 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, IA 50312-2899. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

#### **JOHNSON, MARY ANNIE MAE, 86**

Ocala - Mary Annie Mae Johnson, Born Dec. 18, 1926, Passed away Dec. 26, 2012 Mother - The true definition of mother would be a modest start to fully document what our mother meant to us. Volumes later we begin realize what a wonderful thoughtful, caring, loving human being she was. Born in Leonardtown, Md and raised on a farm in rural southern Maryland with four brothers and four sisters. Mary lived the old ways of life. After World War II Mary met a young aviation Sailor who was stationed at NAS Patuxent River Station base in southern Maryland. William John Johnson was from Jamaica Bay, New York. They married April 19, 1947. They had four children: William, Robert, Daniel and Ann Marie. The family lived in Alexandria and Springfield, Va., where Mary was the wife of a US Air Force Chief Master Sergeant who was the Crew Chief for Air Force One under President Eisenhower. Her life as military wife was a job she loved and honored. In 1977, they moved back to Hollywood, Md. On the Patuxent River, they stayed there many years until the weather was too unpleasant for them and relocated to Ocala, Florida. They had planned to re-settle in Florida and after lots of searching - they found a nice retirement home in On Top of the World in Ocala, Florida. They moved down in 1999 and our father died suddenly on August 15, 1999. They were married for 52 years and were soul mates here and now in heaven. Mary Johnson survived 13 long years after Dad passed away. She was tired of the spiritual and bodily pains of separation. We know they are together in the loving embrace of God and ever after. Mary Annie Mae Johnson is preceded in death by her husband, CMS William John Johnson U.S. Air Force retired. She is survived by three sons, a daughter, six grandchildren (Darby, Kelley, Bobby, Daniel, Sara and Matthew), and one great grandchild, Darrin. "Our shining light on this earth has surrendered to the brighter light from God above". Private funeral and burial per family at Roberts Bruce Chapel West, December 30, 2012. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

#### **KIRCH, HELEN MARTHA, 96**

Ocala - Helen Martha Kirch, 96, passed away Tuesday, December 25, 2012. She loved life, debating politics, was a great cook and baker, loved her family, reading and was loyal to friends



and family. She was a hard worker, retiring from Comerica Bank in Detroit, then moving to Ocala in 1984 which she thoroughly enjoyed. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Kirch; daughter, Karen Nickels and son, Michael Kirch. She is survived by daughter and son-in-law, Diane and Tony Piccirilli; son-in-law, Edward Nickels; granddaughters, Diane (Jim) Samson, Cyndi (Bill) Prevost, Nancy (Mauro) Frataracangeli, Christina (Robert) Singleton; great-grandchildren, Jacob Prevost, Katelynn, Adam and Noah Singleton and brother, Al Soke. Memorial donations may be made to American Cancer Society or Life Care Center of Ocala. Memorial service and entombment for Mrs. Kirch will be private. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida. To make condolences to the family, please visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**KOMAR, THEODORE, 87**

Menomonee Falls, WI - Theodore Komar, 87, of Menomonee Falls, WI, formerly of Palatine, IL and Belleview, FL. died December 24, 2012 surrounded by family in Menomonee Falls, WI. He was born March 10, 1925 in the Ukraine. Survivors include his daughter, Anne (Steve) Rohrer; grandchildren, Kristen O'Brien, Mark (Shannon) O'Brien, Jennifer Rohrer, Katie Rohrer; great-grandchildren, Caiden and Riley O'Brien. He was preceded in death by his wife, Maria, and daughter, Dorothy Steeber. Visitation will be held Thursday, January 3, 2013 at the Funeral Home from 4:00 to until time of prayer vigil at 7:00 pm. Funeral Mass will be held on Friday, January 4, 10:00 am at St. Michael's Ukrainian Catholic Church, 1025 S. 11th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53204. Rev. Vasyl Savchyn will officiate. Interment will be in St. Nicholas Ukrainian Cemetery, Chicago, IL. In lieu of flowers, memorials will be appreciated to St. Michael's Ukrainian Catholic Church, 1025 S. 11th St., Milwaukee, WI 53204. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**MATHEWS, IRENE DELORES, 87**

Ocala - Irene Delores Mathews, homemaker, 87, passed away December 23rd, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank Mathews and by her great grandson, Brent Matthew Pursell, Jr. She is survived by five children, Bill Mathews (Ardelle) Schenectady, NY; Frank Mathews, Celebration, FL; Cheri Tabor (Kelly) , Ocala, FL; Tami Knieriemen (Karl) Summerfield, FL; Dori Barrineau (Louis) , Ocala, FL; eight grandchildren and three great-grand children. She is also survived by her sisters, Shirley Ewing, Ocala, FL and Barbara Birdsall, Albany, NY and leaves behind many nieces and nephews. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**PACHES, HELEN AGNES, 100 1/2**

Ocala - Born in Chicago, IL on June 27, 1912, Helen Agnes Paches passed away peacefully at her long-time home in Ocala, FL on December 27, 2012. Helen was committed to her faith, family and friends and was an inspired artist later in her life. She was preceded in death by her husband of 71 years, George; parents Hans and Regina Huberts; brother Hans; and sisters Hermina and Florence. She leaves behind: her sister, Henrietta Banwart; her daughter Diane (Ken) Wendeln; two grandchildren Jeffery (Lynn) Wendeln and Lauren (Brian) Flanagan and three great-grandchildren, Tyler, Ella and Avery. Her Memorial Mass will be held at 10 a.m., Wednesday, January 2, 2013 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Patrick Sheedy officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family would prefer donations to Blessed Trinity or Saint

Marks Greek Orthodox Church. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**SHOCKLEY HICKEY, LILLIE M., 70**

Ocala - Lillie M. Shockley Hickey, 70, passed away on December 16, 2012 with family by her side after a courageous battle against cancer. She was born in Cleveland, TN, moved to Florida in 1979 and to Ocala in 1985. She retired from J.C. Penny's and worked for Sullivan Buick-Pontiac. She was adamant FSU fan. She is survived by sons, Stephan Murray, Richard Murray, Joseph Conn and Jack (April) Shockley, all of Ocala; sisters, Nellie Finley, Ocala and Geneva Freeman, TN; eleven grandchildren, four great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by brother, H.J. Hill and husbands Jack Shockley Sr. and Donald Hickey. A memorial service will take place on January 5, 2013 at 11:00 A.M. at 12775 SE 5th Ave, Ocala, FL 34488 In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society . Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

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**WEBB, LINDA COUNTS, 97**

Albany - Linda Counts Webb, 97, of Albany, GA died Saturday, December, 29, 2012 at Lee County Health and Rehabilitation Center. Mrs. Webb was a homemaker, an Albany resident since 1994 and was of the Baptist faith. Survivors include her daughter, Jeanelle Bell and her husband Lester, of Albany, GA, two sons, W.C. Webb and his wife Faye of Lake Blackshear, GA and Richard Webb of Tallahassee, FL, six grandsons, Kem Bell, Brett Bell, Drew Webb, Evan Webb, William Webb, and Reid Webb, three great-grandsons and one great granddaughter. Memorial services will be held Monday, December, 31, 2012 at 3:00 P. M at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens Cemetery in Ocala, FL. Reverend Ronnie Walker will officiate. Those desiring, may make donations to Albany Humane Society 1705 Oakridge Dr, Albany, GA, 31707 or to Albany Community Hospice 2332 Lake Park Dr, Albany, GA, 31721. To sign our online registry or to send condolences to the family, you may visit Mathews' website at [www.mathewsfuneralhome.com](http://www.mathewsfuneralhome.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**WELLS, GLORIA THELMA, 80**

Salt Springs - Gloria Thelma Wells, 80, went to meet the Lord Monday, December 24, 2012. She was a loving person, always laughing, never took life too seriously. She loved traveling all

over the country with her husband during his time in the Army and working in nuclear power plants. Gloria loved to do all types of crafts. She had lived in Salt Springs over 40 years. She was preceded in death by her husband Claude Wells; parents; John H. and Mildred E. Holley; brothers, John M. and Henry E. Holley and sisters, Virginia M. Bensley and Anna L. Shearer. She is survived by her sisters, Mary (Joe) Shearer, Ocala; Mildred A. Lewis, Belleview and numerous nieces and nephews. Graveside funeral services will be held at Orange Springs Cemetery, Orange Springs, Florida at 1:00 PM Wednesday, January 2, 2013 with Rev. Doug Green officiating. The family will receive friends from 12:00 Noon until time of service at the cemetery on Wednesday. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

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**HEIN, MARGARET REST, 83**

Ocala and Miami-Dade County - Margaret Rest Hein died peacefully on December 25, 2012 surrounded by the love of her family. Margaret was born on February 13, 1929 in Chicago, IL, the second child of Dora L. and Oscar W. Rest, MD, who preceded her in death. She is survived by her brother, Walter G. Rest (Charlotte), Hewitt, TX. Growing up in Chicago, the family enjoyed annual summer trips to the Rest family farm and a host of relatives in Gladbrook, IA. After being graduated from James H. Bowen High School, Chicago, in 1947, Margaret attended Iowa State University, Ames, IA, graduating in 1951 with a BS degree from the School of Home Economics, majoring in Human Growth and Development. She was a member of Phi Upsilon Omicron, National Honor Society in Family and Consumer Sciences and Alpha Gamma Delta sorority. After graduation, she married John E. Lynn, DVM. The couple lived in Albany, WI for many years, having four children, Robert G. "Bob" Lynn (Cindy), Charlotte, NC, Thomas F. "Tom" Lynn (Sherri), Kirkland, WA, Rebecca J. "Becky" Lynn Quaranta (Kenneth), Apollo Beach, FL and Donald W. "Don," Lynn, Port St. Lucie, FL. She taught kindergarten at Monticello, WI elementary school after earning state certification in Early Childhood Education

at U of WI. The family moved to south Miami-Dade County in 1965 where Margaret joined the county school system. She taught kindergarten, high school Family and Consumer Science and pioneered a program in Daily Living Skills for mentally and physically challenged junior high students. She remained in this program until she retired, after 29 years in teaching. In 1967, Margaret married William A. "Bill" Hein, who survives her. Together they raised their combined families, the Hein children, William A. "Billy" Jr., Kathryn "Kathy" Hein Edwards and Elizabeth "Beth" along with the Lynn children, and all survive. In 1970, Margaret's mother moved to Florida to live with the family for twenty years. Margaret and Bill retired to Ocala in 1989. They enjoyed life in Meadow Wood Farms before moving to On Top of the World in 2006. Margaret was a past-president of Ocala P.E.O. Chapter CT, treasuring the love and fellowship of P.E.O. sisters and many dear friends. Margaret loved family first of all and became a loving "Grammy" to her grandchildren, Reinhold "Reiny" and Michelle Asbeck, Jennifer and Drs. Jessica and Kimberly Lynn, and her step-grandchildren, Anthony, Mikaely and Angela Quaranta, Michelle Antogiovanni and Chandler Edwards all of whom survive her. Also surviving Margaret are her cherished nieces and nephews, their husbands, wives and children. Internment will be at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be made to the P.E.O. Scholar Award, P.E.O. Executive Office, 3700 Grand Avenue, Des Moines, IA 50312-2899. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

#### **JOHNSON, MARY ANNIE MAE, 86**

Ocala - Mary Annie Mae Johnson, Born Dec. 18, 1926, Passed away Dec. 26, 2012 Mother - The true definition of mother would be a modest start to fully document what our mother meant to us. Volumes later we begin realize what a wonderful thoughtful, caring, loving human being she was. Born in Leonardtown, Md and raised on a farm in rural southern Maryland with four brothers and four sisters. Mary lived the old ways of life. After World War II Mary met a young aviation Sailor who was stationed at NAS Patuxent River Station base in southern Maryland. William John Johnson was from Jamaica Bay, New York. They married April 19, 1947. They had four children: William, Robert, Daniel and Ann Marie. The family lived in Alexandria and Springfield, Va., where Mary was the wife of a US Air Force Chief Master Sergeant who was the Crew Chief for Air Force One under President Eisenhower. Her life as military wife was a job she loved and honored. In 1977, they moved back to Hollywood, Md. On the Patuxent River, they stayed there many years until the weather was too unpleasant for them and relocated to Ocala, Florida. They had planned to re-settle in Florida and after lots of searching - they found a nice retirement home in On Top of the World in Ocala, Florida. They moved down in 1999 and our father died suddenly on August 15, 1999. They were married for 52 years and were soul mates here and now in heaven. Mary Johnson survived 13 long years after Dad passed away. She was tired of the spiritual and bodily pains of separation. We know they are together in the loving embrace of God and ever after. Mary Annie Mae Johnson is preceded in death by her husband, CMS William John Johnson U.S. Air Force retired. She is survived by three sons, a daughter, six grandchildren (Darby, Kelley, Bobby, Daniel, Sara and Matthew), and one great grandchild, Darrin. "Our shining light on this earth has surrendered to the brighter light from God above". Private funeral and burial per family at Roberts Bruce Chapel West, December 30, 2012. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

#### **KIRCH, HELEN MARTHA, 96**

Ocala - Helen Martha Kirch, 96, passed away Tuesday, December 25, 2012. She loved life,

debating politics, was a great cook and baker, loved her family, reading and was loyal to friends and family. She was a hard worker, retiring from Comerica Bank in Detroit, then moving to Ocala in 1984 which she thoroughly enjoyed. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Kirch; daughter, Karen Nickels and son, Michael Kirch. She is survived by daughter and son-in-law, Diane and Tony Piccirilli; son-in-law, Edward Nickels; granddaughters, Diane (Jim) Samson, Cyndi (Bill) Prevost, Nancy (Mauro) Frataracangeli, Christina (Robert) Singleton; great-grandchildren, Jacob Prevost, Katelynn, Adam and Noah Singleton and brother, Al Soke. Memorial donations may be made to American Cancer Society or Life Care Center of Ocala. Memorial service and entombment for Mrs. Kirch will be private. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida. To make condolences to the family, please visit: [www.hiers-baxley.com](http://www.hiers-baxley.com). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**KOMAR, THEODORE, 87**

Menomonee Falls, WI - Theodore Komar, 87, of Menomonee Falls, WI, formerly of Palatine, IL and Belleview, FL, died December 24, 2012 surrounded by family in Menomonee Falls, WI. He was born March 10, 1925 in the Ukraine. Survivors include his daughter, Anne (Steve) Rohrer; grandchildren, Kristen O'Brien, Mark (Shannon) O'Brien, Jennifer Rohrer, Katie Rohrer; great-grandchildren, Caiden and Riley O'Brien. He was preceded in death by his wife, Maria, and daughter, Dorothy Steeber. Visitation will be held Thursday, January 3, 2013 at the Funeral Home from 4:00 to until time of prayer vigil at 7:00 pm. Funeral Mass will be held on Friday, January 4, 10:00 am at St. Michael's Ukrainian Catholic Church, 1025 S. 11th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53204. Rev. Vasyl Savchyn will officiate. Interment will be in St. Nicholas Ukrainian Cemetery, Chicago, IL. In lieu of flowers, memorials will be appreciated to St. Michael's Ukrainian Catholic Church, 1025 S. 11th St., Milwaukee, WI 53204. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**MATHEWS, IRENE DELORES, 87**

Ocala - Irene Delores Mathews, homemaker, 87, passed away December 23rd, 2012 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She was preceded in death by her husband, Frank Mathews and by her great grandson, Brent Matthew Pursell, Jr. She is survived by five children, Bill Mathews (Ardelle) Schenectady, NY; Frank Mathews, Celebration, FL; Cheri Tabor (Kelly) , Ocala, FL; Tami Knieriemen (Karl) Summerfield, FL; Dori Barrineau (Louis) , Ocala, FL; eight grandchildren and three great-grand children. She is also survived by her sisters, Shirley Ewing, Ocala, FL and Barbara Birdsall, Albany, NY and leaves behind many nieces and nephews. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**PACHES, HELEN AGNES, 100 1/2**

Ocala - Born in Chicago, IL on June 27, 1912, Helen Agnes Paches passed away peacefully at her long-time home in Ocala, FL on December 27, 2012. Helen was committed to her faith, family and friends and was an inspired artist later in her life. She was preceded in death by her husband of 71 years, George; parents Hans and Regina Huberts; brother Hans; and sisters Hermina and Florence. She leaves behind: her sister, Henrietta Banwart; her daughter Diane (Ken) Wendeln; two grandchildren Jeffery (Lynn) Wendeln and Lauren (Brian) Flanagan and three great-grandchildren, Tyler, Ella and Avery. Her Memorial Mass will be held at 10 a.m., Wednesday, January 2, 2013 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Patrick Sheedy

officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family would prefer donations to Blessed Trinity or Saint Marks Greek Orthodox Church. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**SHOCKLEY HICKEY, LILLIE M., 70**

Ocala - Lillie M. Shockley Hickey, 70, passed away on December 16, 2012 with family by her side after a courageous battle against cancer. She was born in Cleveland, TN, moved to Florida in 1979 and to Ocala in 1985. She retired from J.C. Penny's and worked for Sullivan Buick-Pontiac. She was adamant FSU fan. She is survived by sons, Stephan Murray, Richard Murray, Joseph Conn and Jack (April) Shockley, all of Ocala; sisters, Nellie Finley, Ocala and Geneva Freeman, TN; eleven grandchildren, four great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by brother, H.J. Hill and husbands Jack Shockley Sr. and Donald Hickey. A memorial service will take place on January 5, 2013 at 11:00 A.M. at 12775 SE 5th Ave, Ocala, FL 34488. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society . Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012

**WEBB, LINDA KAIL COUNTS, 97**

Albany, GA - Linda Kail Counts Webb, 97, of Albany, GA, formerly of Ocala, FL, died peacefully on Saturday, December 29, 2012 in Leesburg, GA. Mrs. Webb was born in Tuscumbie, AL and moved to Ocala in the 30's where she resided until 1994 when she moved to Albany. A homemaker, Mrs. Webb was artistically and socially inclined. She played piano, painted, and was a member of several social organizations including the Ocala Garden Club, the Women's Club, a book club, and several bridge clubs. She was an excellent cook and often cooked and cared for several families including her own. Mrs. Webb counted family among her greatest blessings. She was preceded in death by her husband, Wilmont C. "Monty" Webb, in 1973, as well as four sisters and a brother. She is survived by three children, Joanelle Bell and husband, Lester, of Albany, GA, Richard Webb of Quincy, FL, and W.C. Webb and wife, Faye, of Albany, GA; six grandsons, and six great-grandchildren. Memorial services will be held Monday, December 31, 2012 at 3:00 PM at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens in Ocala. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Albany Humane Society, PO Box 3151, Albany, GA 31706, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital , 501 St. Jude Place Memphis, TN 38105, or the charity of your choice . To sign our online registry or to send condolences to the family, you may visit Mathews' website at: [www.mathewsfuneralhome.com](http://www.mathewsfuneralhome.com) Mathews Funeral Home 229-435-5657 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30, 2012 to January 2, 2013

**WELLS, GLORIA THELMA, 80**

Salt Springs - Gloria Thelma Wells, 80, went to meet the Lord Monday, December 24, 2012. She was a loving person, always laughing, never took life too seriously. She loved traveling all over the country with her husband during his time in the Army and working in nuclear power plants. Gloria loved to do all types of crafts. She had lived in Salt Springs over 40 years. She was preceded in death by her husband Claude Wells; parents; John H. and Mildred E. Holley; brothers, John M. and Henry E. Holley and sisters, Virginia M. Bensley and Anna L. Shearer. She is survived by her sisters, Mary (Joe) Shearer, Ocala; Mildred A. Lewis, Belleview and numerous nieces and nephews. Graveside funeral services will be held at Orange Springs Cemetery, Orange Springs, Florida at 1:00 PM Wednesday, January 2, 2013 with Rev. Doug

Green officiating. The family will receive friends from 12:00 Noon until time of service at the cemetery on Wednesday. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from December 30 to December 31, 2012.