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### CORLEY, ROBERT L.

Ocala – Robert L. Corley, 86, passed away December 20, 2015 in Summerfield surrounded by family under the care of Hospice. Born October 15, 1929 in Atlanta, GA, to John W. Corley and Sarah Mayo. He was a telephone repairman for Southern Bell Telephone Company for 35 years. After retirement he and his son started building homes. He enjoyed playing golf during his spare time. He is survived by his beloved wife of 67 years, Martha Corley; son, Robert Corley (Vicki), OR; daughter, Pam Barnes (Jay), Ocala; brother, John Corley, CA; and three grandchildren, Michelle Corley, Michael Corley and Lindsay Barnes; two great-grandchildren, Camilla Corley and Asher Corley. He was a loving husband, father, and brother who will be truly missed by all that knew him. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, December 30, 2015 at 1:00 p.m. at Barnes Cemetery with pastor Elwood Baker officiating. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala FL 34478. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL.

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### DENNISON, SR., CURTIS S., 61

Citra - Curtis S. Dennison, Sr., 61, passed away December 24, 2015. Life Celebration for Mr. Dennison will be held on Saturday, January 2, 2016, 1pm at Church of God by Faith in Righteous and True Holiness, 16655 NE Jacksonville Road, Citra, Florida, Rev. Ruby Graddic, Pastor. Reverend Artis Jackson will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Thursday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Dennison's residence (2150 NE 170th Street, Citra, Florida) at 12:15pm on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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### **DINKINS, KENNETH D., 77**

Ocala - Kenneth D. Dinkins, 77, passed away December 28, 2015. Mr. Dinkins leaves to cherish his memories son, Keron Dinkins of Jackson Heights, NY; daughter, Kim Dinkins of Charlotte, NC; sister, Rubye Croskey of Ocala, FL; brother, George McCants of Ocala, FL; aunt, Christine Jinlock, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. A memorial service for Mr. Dinkins will be held on Wednesday, January 6, 2016, 11am at New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, 606 SW Broadway Street, Reverend Stanley Jacobs, Pastor. Family and friends are asked to meet at the New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church at 10:30am to form the funeral cortege. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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### GONDER, CULA, 91

Ocala - Cula Gonder, 91, passed away on December 27, 2015. She leaves to cherish her memories daughter; Carolyn Houston, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral

service will be held Saturday, January 2, 2015 at 11:00am at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Bruce Chatmon, Pastor. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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### LORD, BETTY M., 82

Ocala - Betty M. Lord, 82, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Monday, December 28, 2015 in Ocala. She was born on September 22, 1933 to William and Cora Lempea in Astoria, OR. She was a resident of Trenton, FL before moving to Ocala four years ago. Betty retired from the Gilchrist County School System after working as a Teacher's Aide for 17 years and was a member of Central Church of Christ in Ocala. She is preceded in death by her parents and her husband, William Robert Lord, Sr. She is survived by her daughters, Cynthia Slaughter of Gainesville and Pamela Lord of Ocala; her sons, Chuck (Rebecca) Lord of Trenton and William R. Lord, Jr. of Sarasota; her sisters, Beverly (Jon) Moberg of Salem, OR, Billieann (Evor) Kumpula of Albany, OR and her brothers, Barry Lempea of Astoria, OR, Bruce Lempea of Gaston, OR and Brian (Joanne) Lempea of Cornelius, OR. She is also survived by her grandchildren, Bradley Slaughter and Andrea Baumann and her great-grandchildren, Ben and Daisy Slaughter and Peyton and Cameron Baumann. The family will receive friends on Friday, January 1, 2016 from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM at the funeral home. Funeral Services for Mrs. Lord will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, January 2, 2016 at Trenton Church of Christ with Mr. Everett Heaton officiating. Please visit Mrs. Lord's memorial page at www.watsonfhtrenton.com Arrangements under the care of Watson Funeral Home 426 W. Wade St., Trenton, FL 32693. (352)463-8888

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# MCKINNEY, RICHARD, 56

Ocala - Richard McKinney, 56, of Ocala, passed away on Tuesday, December 29, 2015. Richard was born in Ocala and lived here all his life. He was an electrician with the City of Ocala for 25 years prior to his retirement in 2005. He was an active member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Richard was a family man first, and also enjoyed golf, gator sports, and had a true servant's heart. Richard was predeceased by his wife, Janine in 2006. He is survived by parents, Donald and Mary McKinney; mother in law, Judy Kriser; children, Tiffany and Brandon Hall, Amanda and Kevin McCoy, Donald and Becca McKinney, and Maggie and Brian Mohler, eight grandchildren (and one on the way). Funeral services will be 9:30 am, Saturday, January 2, 2016, at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in Ocala. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers memorials can be made to Florida Cancer Specialist's Foundation at www.foundation.flcancer.com.Arrangements being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Dec. 31, 2015 to Jan. 1, 2016

## SMITH, SR., WILLIE JAMES, 63

Ocala - Willie James Smith, Sr., 63, passed away on December 19, 2015. He leaves to cherish his memories daughters, Melissa Smith, Shekeita Perry, Taneika Grimes, Katrice

Smith, Desma Smith, and Greta Smith; sons, Willie J. Smith Jr., Joseph Smith, Curtis Smith, Lester Smith, Alcarlos Smith, and Dalvin Smith; 26 grandchildren; 10 great grandchildren; sisters, Gloria Smith and Sandra McCullough, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral service will be held Saturday, January 2, 2015 at 11:00am at Welcome Stranger Missionary Baptist Church. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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### No Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 2, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 3, 2016**

## HARRELL, LINDA TITTSWORTH, 72

Ocala - Linda Tittsworth Harrell, aged 72, died December 29, 2015 after a brief final illness complicating 27 years of slowly progressive disability due to multiple sclerosis. Always a leader, she was voted most outstanding in her high school class in Kingsport, TN. She was president of the School of Nursing student body at Vanderbilt University and was an officer in the Chancellor's Student Leadership Council. After a few years of teaching in the Vanderbilt Nursing School and floor nursing in the University of Kentucky Medical Center, she retired from nursing to raise her three sons. She considered her involvement with them in church, school, sports and scouting to be her greatest achievement and was recognized for those activities when her family was voted 'Family of the Year' by the Ocala Junior Woman's Club in 1984. She was an active member of her church and despite the disabilities caused by her M.S. she continued to be involved and volunteer at various times with Hospice of Marion County, Meals on Wheels, Reading Pals and many other local charities. She was recognized by all whose lives she touched for her ability to know and feel their needs and willingness to offer of herself on their behalf. She is survived by her husband of 50 years, Henry Harrell, Jr., M.D.; three sons and their wives, Trey and Susan (Nashville), Greg and Stephanie (Ocala), and David and Emily (Alpharetta, GA); six grandchildren; sister, Doris Begley (Bradenton); sisters-in-love, Elaine McConnaughhay (Tallahassee), Martha Chumbler (Tallahassee) and Susan Robinson (Tallahassee); brother-in-law, Frank Harrell (New Albany, IN); as well as many close friends and family. She was preceded in death by her mother, Gladys Switzer; step father, Bob Switzer and brother, Jim Tittsworth. A memorial service will be held at 2 PM, January 9, 2016 at the First United Methodist Church, Ocala. In lieu of flowers please join us in supporting the Linda Harrell Memorial Scholarship Endowment for Nursing at the College of Central Florida with donations to the CF Foundation, Inc. at 3001 SW College Rd., Ocala, FL 34474. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 2 to Jan. 3, 2016

### MONROE, CHASE DALTON, 17

Fort McCoy - Chase Dalton Monroe, 17, passed away at home on December 27, 2015. Chase was born on September 16, 1998, to Kevin Daniel Monroe and Amy Lynn Strodl with a life purpose of enriching the lives of those around him. Born and raised in Ocala, Florida a southern gentleman at his best. Chase was an avid gamer and the undefeated Madden Champ, as well as a devout Philadelphia Eagles fan (no one is sure how). Chase never wanted anything more than to make those around him smile and to ensure they were happy. A bright light in the lives of those around him he will be sorely missed every second of every day. Though he will be missed by his parents, Kevin (Jennifer) Monroe, Amy (Chance) Gravitz; brothers, Kolton, Kyler, Jacob, Jordan, and Braedon; and sister, Katie, we all know that his Nonnie called him home to her (and we know better than to argue with her). A prankster at heart we know our reunion with Chase will be one of laughter and love. We will miss you buddy, Fly, Eagles Fly! Funeral Service will be 11:00 a.m., Saturday, January 2, 2015, at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with a visitation one hour prior.

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## OWENS, JOHN R., 86

Ocala - John R. Owens, previously of Boone, NC, passed away on November 26, 2015 from natural causes. He is survived by his wife, Edith Owens; daughter, Sandra Owens Miller and her husband, Donny Miller of Bonne, NC; three grandchildren, Jennifer Miller and spouse, Bo Margrave; Jonathan Miller and Stacey Miller; three great-grandchildren: Aedan, Jamie and Mia Gargrave. He is also survived by a sister-in Law, Linda Ward and numerous cousins and close friends. He is predeceased by an infant son, his mother and father, Robert Luther and Lillian Mae Owens; one sister, Ina Owens and brother-in-law, James (Jim) B. Ward. A memorial Service will be at First Baptist of Ocala on January 6, 2016 at 11am. Interim will be at Bushnell National Memorial Cemetery. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 2 to Jan. 3, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 4, 2016**

## **BLANCHARD, JACK ALTON, 85**

Ocala - Jack Alton Blanchard, 85, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Wednesday, December 23, 2015 under the special care of Legacy Hospice House. He was born August 31, 1930 to the late Ralph and Mattie (nee; Watters) Blanchard in Lansing Michigan. He was Senior Underwriter for 45 years at Michigan Millers Insurance Co. Jack was a member of Michigan National Guard from 1948-1957. He was a member of the Moose Lodge in Lansing, MI, and a member of the OMI Club in Oak Run. He preceded in death by his brother, Robert Blanchard and sister, Sally Blanchard Kinnison. Jack is survived by his wife of 31 years, Della Blanchard; son, Steven (Marsha) Blanchard; daughter, Julie Blanchard of Lancing, MI; also surviving Della's Children, sons, Ray Moldenhauer of Schenectady, NY and Kent (Mary) Moldenhauer of Columbus, GA; daughter, Janda Moldenhauer of Tampa, FL; Memorial Gifts may be made to Hospice of Marion County Legacy House. Interment will be a Deepdale Cemetery, Lancing MI. Memorial Service will be celebrated for Jack in Oak Run in January 2016. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funeral Home and Cremation.

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### **BOYLAN, ELEANOR, 86**

Ocala - Mrs. Eleanor Boylan, 86, passed away in Ocala, FL on December 29, 2015. She was born in Avoca, PA on September, 14, 1929. She was once a telephone operator for AT&T Telephone Company. She was an Eucharistic Minister at Queen of Peace Catholic

Church in Ocala. Eleanor moved to this area in 1974 from Long Island, NY. Eleanor is predeceased by a sister, Joyce McIntyre and a brother, Paul Clifford JR. She was a devoted wife and mother. Eleanor is survived by her loving husband, Thomas of 66 years; one son, Thomas Boylan Jr. of Brentwood, NY; two daughters, Ellen Bruzzone and husband, Richard of Tucson, AZ and Sharon DeGennaro of Montville, NJ; one sister, Carole Ann Mehalenko of Parsippany, NJ; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel 6241 SW SR 200 in Ocala, FL (352) 854-2266 on Monday January 4th from 4-6 PM with a prayer service at 4PM. A funeral Mass will take place at Queen of Peace Catholic Church 6455 SW SR 200 Tuesday January 5th at 8:30 AM. The burial will follow at Florida National Cemetery. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 3 to Jan. 4, 2016

### DUGAN, FLOYD D., 81

Ocala - Floyd D. Dugan, 81, of Ocala passed away December 29, 2015. Born in Green, KS, he came to this area 36 years ago from Topeka, KS. He was a US Army Veteran of the Korean War, retired salesman and Methodist by faith. More than anything he loved his family but he also enjoyed fishing, Gator Football and was a plant enthusiast. He is survived by his wife, Teresa; sons, Michael, Patrick and Darby (Tammy) Dugan all of Ocala; brother, Jerry Dugan of Kansas; sisters, Evelyn Grooms and Mildred Switzer both of Kansas; grandchildren, John, Katelynn, Tyler, Leanna Dugan and great grandson, Declan Dugan. A Celebration of Floyd's Life will be held privately. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to a charity of your choice. A condolence message may be left at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, Ocala.

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## GAGNE, RICHARD M., 60

Ocklawaha - Richard M. Gagne, 60, passed away unexpectedly, Tuesday, December 15, 2015 at his home. Richard and his wife of 40 years, Angela have lived in Ocklawaha for 30 years. Richard had worked at Townley Manufacturing for over 25 years. Richard liked to work, hunted and fished a lot in his younger years and enjoyed his large family. He will be deeply missed. He was preceded in death by his grandson, Michael Gagne, Jr. He is survived by his wife, Angela; two sons, Ricky and Mike (Michelle), both of Ocklawaha; seven grandchildren, Richard, Jr., Kristin, Hailey, MaKayla, Mandy, Margo, Matthew. The family will receive friends Monday, January 4, 2016 from 6 - 8 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview. hiers-baxley.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 3 to Jan. 4, 2016

## HARMON, TERESA ANN DELVIN, 65

Ocala - For everything, we want to Thank our Mom. Thank you for all your sacrifices, for all your continual love... Thank you for all the little things that went unnoticed, and the things that made our lives easier. How many times we did not understand your actions, and later they were so clear... Thank you for always being there with some kind of HELP, ADVICE, COMFORT. You never let us down! We will do the same with our children and our family, this is how we can honor your life.. We love you so much and miss you even more... Teresa Ann Devlin Harmon. 1950-2015. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 3 to Jan. 4, 2016

### **JACOB, CATHERINE DOLORES, 93**

Micanopy - Catherine Dolores Jacob passed away on January 1, 2016. Born March 10, 1922, in Roosevelt, NY to Katherine Dahl and Anthony Marino, she shared her father's love of Florida, relocating here in 1969. A veteran of World War II, she was a First Lieutenant in the US Army, serving as a nurse in the Philippines and New Guinea. She was a RN for over 50 years and a founding member of the coronary intensive care unit at Malcom Randall VA Hospital. She is preceded by her husband, Elmer Jacob and son, Thomas. She is survived by her son, Jonathan Marino Jacob and daughter-in-law, Faith Ann Jacob, Micanopy; daughter, Mary Jane Jacob and son-in-law, Russell L. Lewis, Jr., Chicago; and two grandchildren, Joseph Jonathan Jacob of Triple J. Motors, Ocala and Clayton Lewis, Bethany, PA. Funeral Service will be at 2:00 pm, Tuesday, January 5 at Shiloh United Methodist Church, 11020 NW Hwy 320, Micanopy 32667 with Father Julien of St. Patrick's Church officiating. Reception to follow. Interment in Shiloh Cemetery. Donations in her memory may be made to St. Patrick's Catholic Church, 500 NE 16th Ave., Gainesville 32601..

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### MCDONALD, NANCY LYNN

Nancy Lynn McDonald, 58 of Ocala passed away on December 25, 2015. Nancy was born in Ft. Lauderdale and is survived by her husband, David McDonald, daughters, Sarah Villella and Emily McDonald, son-in-law, Bobby Villella, grandchildren, Olivia and Grant Villella, sister, Laura Waldrup, niece, Katie Green, nephew, Kenneth Waldrup and her mother, Lois Yates. She was deeply loved and will be greatly missed.

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### CASTAGNASSO, DONALD HARRY, 91

Fort McCoy - Donald Harry Castagnasso, 91, of Ft. McCoy, FL passed away on December 24, 2015 under the care of Hospice of Marion County. He was born September 5, 1924 in Sonoma, CA to the late Harry Anthony and Irene Wilma Castagnasso. He moved to Ft. McCoy in 1986 from Charlotte, MI where he farmed and raised Clydesdales. He served honorably in the Army Air Corp 306th Bomb Group, flying in a B-17 during WW2. His first love was of his family, followed by his dedication to breeding and showing Clydesdale horses. He was an international judge for all the draft breeds. He also drove and worked with the Budweiser Clydesdales for many years. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Milton Castagnasso and son, Dennis Castagnasso. He is survived by his loving wife, Billie Castagnasso; daughters, Simone Goyeneche, and Carrie (Lawrence) Hudson; sons, Barry Castagnasso, Michael (Shelley) Castagnasso, Anthony (Maureen) Castagnasso; and step son, Terry Hartwell; several grandchildren and great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, donations to Hospice of Marion County will be appreciated. A Memorial Service/Celebration of Life will be conducted

Tuesday, January 5, 2016 at 2:00pm at Baldwin Brothers, 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funeral Home and Cremation 352 236 5884

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### CLARK, BENJAMIN NATHAN, 83

Ocala - Benjamin Nathan Clark, 83, of Ocala, Florida passed away January 1, 2016 at Legacy House Ocala, Florida. He was born on November 26, 1932 in Caribou, Maine. While living in Ocala he was a committed pastor of many churches in the area. He was a loving husband and father and enjoyed his horses and dogs. He is survived by his wife Kay Clark of Ocala; four daughters; a son; 14 grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his son, Ben Clark III of Williston. A funeral ceremony will be held at 10:30 am on Wednesday, January 6, 2016 at First United Methodist Church, 1126 E Silver Springs. A visitation will be held one hour prior to the ceremony. A committal will follow the ceremony at St. John's Cemetery in Cotton Plant. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Ft. McCoy Methodist Church, 14741 NE 116th Ct, Fort Mc Coy, FL 32134. Online condolences may be left at www.hiers-baxley.com

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## HARRELL, LINDA TITTSWORTH, 72

Ocala - Linda Tittsworth Harrell, aged 72, died December 29, 2015 after a brief final illness complicating 27 years of slowly progressive disability due to multiple sclerosis. Always a leader, she was voted most outstanding in her high school class in Kingsport, TN. She was president of the School of Nursing student body at Vanderbilt University and was an officer in the Chancellor's Student Leadership Council. After a few years of teaching in the Vanderbilt Nursing School and floor nursing in the University of Kentucky Medical Center, she retired from nursing to raise her three sons. She considered her involvement with them in church, school, sports and scouting to be her greatest achievement and was recognized for those activities when her family was voted 'Family of the Year' by the Ocala Junior Woman's Club in 1984. She was an active member of her church and despite the disabilities caused by her M.S. she continued to be involved and volunteer at various times with Hospice of Marion County, Meals on Wheels, Reading Pals and many other local charities. She was recognized by all whose lives she touched for her ability to know and feel their needs and willingness to offer of herself on their behalf. She is survived by her husband of 50 years, Henry Harrell, Jr., M.D.; three sons and their wives, Trey and Susan (Nashville), Greg and Stephanie (Ocala), and David and Emily (Alpharetta, GA); six grandchildren; sister, Doris Begley (Bradenton); sisters-in-love, Elaine McConnaughhay (Tallahassee), Martha Chumbler (Tallahassee) and Susan Robinson (Tallahassee); brother-in-law, Frank Harrell (New Albany, IN); as well as many close friends and family. She was preceded in death by her mother, Gladys Switzer; step father, Bob Switzer and brother, Jim Tittsworth. A memorial service will be held at 2 PM, January 9, 2016 at the First United Methodist Church, Ocala. In lieu of flowers please join us in supporting the Linda Harrell Memorial Scholarship Endowment for Nursing at the College of Central Florida with donations to the CF Foundation, Inc. at 3001 SW College Rd., Ocala, FL 34474.

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### DANEILS, ANTOINE, 59

Ocala - Antoine Daniels, 59, was born December 10, 1956 in Detroit, MI to Leroy and Shirley Daniels. He was educated in the Wayne County Public School System, graduating from Philip Murray-Wright High School in 1976. He enlisted in the U.S. Army for 16 years, attended College in Central Texas and graduated with an Associates of Science Degree. He was a Patrolman and Corrections Officer in Georgia and various Florida Corrections and Juvenile Centers. Prior to his illness he was employed by Target as a Sales Associate. He was Baptist but attended Pentecostal Full Gospel Worship Center, and Progressive Union Baptist Church. Survivors include his loving and devoted wife, Glenda; daughters, Sheree (Demetrius), Tonya Monique; sons, Freddy and Christopher; grandchild, Shaunell; stepchildren, Nekisha, Keith, Jairus Fletcher; sister, Darlene Taylor; aunts, Annie, Mary, Charlotte, Sandra; uncles, Calvin, James, Charlie and a host of neices, nephews, cousins and friends. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, January 6, 2016 at 11:00am at Pentecostal Full Gospel Worship Center, 5105 N US HWY 441, Ocala, FL. Interment will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements are entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home & Cremation Svcs., Inc. 352/563-1394

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### FERGUSON, BRUCE DAVID, 54

Bruce David Ferguson of Inverness, FL passed away on December 29, 2015. Bruce was born in Ocala and raised in Salt Springs, FL. He loved fishing, hunting, and his family. He is survived by his father and step mom, Sonny and Darian Ferguson; mother, Linda Grubbs; daughter and son in law, Danielle and John Becker; son and daughter in law, Adam and Nicole Ferguson; daughter, Jessica Ferguson; grandsons, Austin and Jacob Becker; brothers and sister in laws, Glen and Lisa Ferguson, Roger and Dora Ferguson; brother, Clinton Grubbs; nephews, Justin and Kyle Ferguson and many other aunts, uncles and cousins. He is deeply loved and will be missed greatly. Memorial services will be held at First Baptist Church of Salt Springs, FL on Saturday, January 9, 2016 at 11:00 am. In lieu of flowers please send contributions to First Baptist Church of Salt Springs, 24100 NE CR 314, Salt Springs, FL 32134.

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### OWENS, JOHN R., 86

Ocala - John R. Owens, previously of Boone, NC, passed away on November 26, 2015 from natural causes. He is survived by his wife, Edith Owens; daughter, Sandra Owens Miller and her husband, Donny Miller of Boone, NC; three grandchildren, Jennifer Miller and spouse, Bo Gargrave; Jonathan Miller and Stacey Miller; three great-grandchildren: Aedan, Jamie and Mia Gargrave. He is also survived by a sister-in-law, Linda Ward and numerous cousins and close friends. He is predeceased by an infant son, his mother and father, Robert Luther and Lillian Mae Owens; one sister, Ina Owens and brother-in-law, James (Jim) B. Ward. A memorial Service will be at First Baptist of Ocala on January 6, 2016 at 11am. Interim will be at Bushnell National Memorial Cemetery. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 2 to Jan. 6, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 7, 2016**

### FLOYD, CHARLES ANDREW, 76

Ocala - Charles Andrew Floyd, 76, died on January 2, 2016 after a brief illness. Charlie was born in Miami and moved to Ocala in 1988. He and wife Pat owned Pine Crest Realty. Charlie is survived by his three children, Linda, Melanie and Jimmy and four grandchildren. There will be a grave side ceremony in Tallahassee at Culleys Meadowood Funeral Home at 3 PM Saturday, January 9, 2016. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 6 to Jan. 7, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 8, 2016**

## BAKER, SR., JOSEPHUS N., 74

Ocala - Jospehus N. Baker, Sr., 74, passed away December 31, 2015. Mr. Baker leaves to cherish his memories, his children, Josephus N. Baker, Jr., Sheri Thomson(Marcus), Ardena Baker-Gerson(Ronald), Lewis Baker(Anishta), Leon Baker(Candi); 13 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren, and a host of aunts, uncles nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Mr. Baker was preceded in death by son, Willie Krueger. Life Celebration for Mr. Baker will be held on Sunday, January 10, 2016, 3pm at Benevolent Church of God, 15490 NW US HWY 441, Rev. Sinclair Rivers, Pastor. Bishop Isaiah Johnson, Sr. will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 5pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Benevolent Church of God, Reddick, Florida at 2:30pm to form the funeral services. No viewing following the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 7 to Jan. 8, 2016

### **BIRDSEY, MAGDA, 85**

Ocala - Magda Birdsey, 85, of Ocala, FL died on January 3, 2016 at Munroe Regional Hospital. Services will be at 11AM on Friday, January 8, 2016 at Grace Presbyterian Church, 2255 SE 38th St., Ocala, with visitation one hour prior. View details at www.VeteransFuneralCare.com

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### CHEEK, LOIS ANN, 75

Ocala - Lois Ann Cheek, 75, passed away in Ocala, FL on January 2, 2016. She was born in Mount Holly, NJ on September 2, 1940. She was a retired Nurse. Lois moved to this area in 1988 from Hackensack, NJ. She was dedicated to her family and friends and helped them whenever they need it. She is survived by her two sons, Victor Cheek and wife, Terry; Aaron Cheek and wife, Susan of Ocala, FL; one daughter, Michelle Cheek-Jefferson and husband, Rick of Virginia Beach, VA; one sister, Sophronia Minney Wade of Lawnside, NJ; 11 grandchildren: Anthony, Imani, Torel, Kevin, Lauren, Jordan, Jacob, Ashley, Raven, Taylor and Christian; four great-grandsons Miles, Aniyah, Joell and Mavis. A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel 6241 SW SR 200 Ocala, FL (352) 854-2266 on Saturday, January 9, 2016 from 12-2PM with a funeral service to follow at 2PM. Burial will be later in New Jersey. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com. In lieu of flowers the family requests cash donations.

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## COE, VILETTA G., 69

Ocala - Viletta G. Coe, 69, passed away December 30, 2015. Life Celebration for Ms. Coe will be held on Saturday, January 9, 2016, 2pm at Pentecostal Full Gospel Worship Center, 5105 N US HWY 441, Ocala, Florida 34475. Apostle Lillie Tuggerson will be conducting the words of comfort. A wake service will be held on Thursday at Sellers Funeral Home at 6pm. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 5pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Coe's residence (1329 SW 5th Street, Ocala, Florida) at 1:15pm to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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## EANES, CAROL B., 72

Summerfield - Carol B. Eanes, daughter of Anthony and Martha Beduch, died of complications from an extended illness on December 30, 2015, at her home in Summerfield, Florida at the age of 72. She was born in Gallitzin, PA on January 9, 1943. She was married to Fred L. Eanes of North Carolina and worked for Greensboro News and Record as a Mailroom Supervisor for a number of years. Upon her husband's death in 1993, she moved to Davie, Florida to be close to her family where she was employed at the Sun Sentinel in Ft. Lauderdale until she retired. She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Anthony and Kelly Eanes of Summerfield, FL; two brothers, Gerald Beduch and wife, Patricia of The Villages, FL and Anthony Beduch and wife, Martha of Summerfield, FL; one sister, Patricia (Beduch) Harrington and husband, Charles of Sunrise, FL; sister-in-law, Jayne (Peruzzi) Beduch of Summerfield, FL; granddaughter, Alanna (Eanes) Stith and husband, Ryan of Gainesville, FL; and two great-grandchildren, Karsyn and Christian. She is preceded in death by her husband, Fred L. Eanes and her brother, John Beduch. There will be a private memorial service in Greensboro, NC at Westminster Gardens where she will be buried next to her late husband, Fred Eanes. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 7 to Jan. 8, 2016

## EVANS, SR., MELVIN H., 76

Ocala - Melvin H. Evans, Sr., 76, passed away December 29, 2015. Life Celebration for Mr. Evans will be held on Saturday, January 9, 2016, 11am at Gospel Temple Church of God in Christ, 705 NW 13th Avenue, Ocala, Florida. Elder Ken Neymour will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 5pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Evans' residence (9627 SW 45th Avenue, Ocala, Florida) at 10:15am to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY &

SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 7 to Jan. 8, 2016

#### **FERGUSON, EILEEN BRONNER, 80**

Ocala - Eileen Mary Bronner Ferguson has been called by Heaven's Gardener, the Lord who guided her hands to plant plants, grow flowers and pull weeds, and guided her heart to care for her mother, husband and son, and to cherish her time with her grandchildren. Born April 3, 1935, Eileen died on New Year's Day at Munroe Regional Medical Center with her family at her bedside. She was raised in Lake Helen, Florida from the time she was a baby, and attended elementary school there. She and her mother, Theresa Agnes Polster Bronner, moved to DeLand where Eileen graduated from DeLand High School. She received her B.A. degree in Sociology from Stetson University, in 1956 and worked as a Social Worker for the Florida Department of Public Welfare in Sanford, and later in DeLand. She met the love of her life, Paul W. Ferguson, at Stetson and they married on November 2, 1957. Ferguson was a reporter-photographer for the Daytona Beach News Journal while a student at Stetson, and later the Courthouse Reporter for the DeLand Sun News. When he took a job as Marion County Bureau Chief for the Orlando Sentinel in November, 1958, the Fergusons moved to Ocala. Eileen decided not to return to the Welfare Department in Ocala, and worked in the City Clerk's office for the City Of Ocala, until 1962 as the birth of their son neared. She returned to City Hall on an emergency basis several times until 1967 when she founded the family business, Day by Day Inc., which published a television and current affairs magazine, Day by Day in Ocala. This led to the establishment of a commercial printing firm, doing business as Ferguson Printing, which she ran until they retired after 45 years in business. Family, flowers and animals found Eileen Ferguson always busy. She started growing plants as a toddler at her mother's side, a trait she taught their son, Paul W. Ferguson Jr., who also loved spending time working with her in the yard. Eileen often said she could find the Spirit of God in every petal of every bloom of every plant she grew and in every weed she pulled, something she loved doing, exceeded only by growing plants and flowers. She was a member of Daylily Circle of Pioneer Garden Club of Ocala for more than 45 years, and won numerous local regional and state awards displaying her horticultural entries in flower shows. While horticulture was her love, she worked hard at learning the artistic design techniques, and was a nationally accredited Flower Show Judge until her illness forced her to withdraw from active participation. Eileen served six terms as President of Pioneer Garden Club - a record - plus many years in other club offices. She was a member of District Five Flower Show Judges Council, a member of the Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, and the National Garden Clubs. She served as a member and chairman of the Board of Directors of Grace Episcopal Day School, and directed the expansion of the school from grades K-6 to the eighth grade. She and her family were members of Grace until 2008 when they joined with others to establish Christ the King Anglican Church. Her love for animals - especially the strays who showed up at their home - led her to support anyone who also loved animals, and she was a member of the Board of Directors of the Marion County Humane Society and served as Secretary. She was stricken with breast cancer in July, 1983 when the disease attacked three members of the Ferguson family not related by blood within 12 months. She was cancer free for more than 27 years when the disease returned to again attack Eileen in February, 2010, and the

last six years were spent killing the disease, only to have it return. She fought the disease so hard because she wanted to see her beloved grandchildren, Christina Eileen and Spencer William Ferguson graduate from college. Her last appearance in public was to be recognized with her husband at Christ the King on Nov. 1, 2015 to bless their 58th wedding anniversary. Eileen was predeceased by her mother, Theresa Polster Bronner of Ocala, and her father, Robert J. Bronner of Middletown, NY. She is survived by her loving and devoted husband, Paul W. Ferguson Sr., their son, Paul W. Ferguson Jr., her beloved grandchildren, Christina Eileen Ferguson, and Spencer William Ferguson, and a cousin, Trudy Carrozza of Staten Island, NY. A celebration of the life of Eileen Mary Bronner Ferguson will be at 11 a.m., Saturday, January 9, 2016, at Christ The King Anglican Church, 3801 N. US Highway 441, Ocala, FL with the Rev. Donald J. Curran officiating. In appreciation of her love of animals and plants and flowers, contributions may be made to the Marion County Humane Society, or to Christ The King Building Fund, Landscaping Project, 3850 W. Anthony Road, Ocala, FL 34475. A private burial service will be held at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services is in charge of arrangements.

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#### **GLADNEY, LUCILLE GRAHAM**

Shiloh - Lucille Graham Gladney, of Shiloh, passed away on Friday, January 1, 2016. She will always be remembered by those who shared her many talents and passions. Lucille was a strong, and independent woman who preserved through many hardships yet stayed the course. She worked for many years on the family farm with her husband prior to his passing before joining Marion County Schools for over 30 years at Reddick and North Marion Middle as a manager and worker. Lucille obtained an AA and an AS degree from Sante Fe College in Food Service. She was active in the National, State and Marion County School Food Service Association where among other offices, she lobbied the legislature for funding supporting school nutrition and improved training and benefits for employees. Lucille was a longtime member of Shiloh United Methodist Church, the Florida Cattlewomen's Association, Business Professional Women's group and the Dancing Doll's Red Hat Society. She served her community by assisting the FFA, Boy Scouts, 4-H program, Youth Conservation Camp. Most of all, Lucille loved traveling, spending time with her family and ballroom dancing. She was survived by her children, Hal (Darlene) Gladney of Shiloh, Judy (Jim) Whitesell of Cayce, SC and son-in-law, Don Smith of Tallahassee; grandchildren, Jimi (Julie) Whitesell, Jaime (Jim) Snelling, John (Jessica) Gladney, Jenna Whitesell (Dan), Joshua (Kristy) Gladney; and great grandchildren, John, Jackson, Baxter, Shyla, Conor, Ethan and Isabelle. She was blessed with many special friends as well. She was predeceased by her husband, Harvey; daughter, Gail; infant twin daughters; and grandson, Bryan. The family will receive friends at Countryside Funeral Home in Anthony on Friday, January 8, 2016 from 6-8pm. The funeral service will be held at Shiloh United Methodist Church on Saturday, January 9, 2016 at 11:00 AM. Interment will be at the Wacahoota United Methodist Church cemetery immediately following the service. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 7 to Jan. 8, 2016

### HARVEY, MARY ROBINSON, 53

Ocala - Mrs. Mary Robinson Harvey, age 53, passed away on December 31, 2015 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. She leaves to cherish her memory: caring & loving husband, Timothy L. Harvey; children, Delliah Barner (Willie), Samson Robinson (Debra), Jerome Robinson, Renicka McGriff (Roosevelt), Kimothy Modican (Delta), Karla Harvey (Jerome), and Karmen Harvey (Wendell); 23 grandchildren and great grandchildren; a special & loving sister, Aretha Chappell; brothers, Jimmy Sumners, Nathaniel Robinson, Jr., Jerome Robinson (Betty); sister, Gloria Smith; brothers, Leroy Howard, Jr., Ronald Howard. Funeral services for Mrs. Mary R. Harvey will be held 1:00 PM, Saturday, January 09, 2016 at Holy Band Healing and Deliverance Center, Ocala, FL. Mrs. Robinson will lie in repose for public visitation at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home from 4PM - 7PM. 'Providing Unparalleled Service and Compassion'. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 7 to Jan. 8, 2016

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### KUKLA, RAYMOND E., 91

Ocala - Raymond E. Kukla, born November 17, 1924 in Bay City, MI; died January 3, 2016 in Ocala, FL. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church where he served as a Knight of Columbus. He was a WWII veteran, who proudly served our country and saw combat action in Europe, which is where he met his lovely Polish wife in Germany. Ray was also a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars. He is survived by his beloved wife, Eugenia of Ocala; daughter, Elizabeth Alcorn of Ocala; sons, Richard Kukla of Clinton Township, MI, and James Kukla of Commerce, MI; grandchildren, Liane Matson of East Lansing, MI, Benjamin Alcorn of Jacksonville, FL, Lt. Commander Steven Kukla of Anacortes, WA, and Matthew Alcorn of Denver, CO; great grandchild, Isla Matson of East Lansing, MI; brother, Gerald Kukla of Saginaw, MI; and several nieces and nephews in Bay City, MI. Visitation will be Sunday, January 10, 2016 4:00 - 6:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Funeral mass will be held Monday, January 11, 2016 8:30 AM. Entombment will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 8 to Jan. 9, 2016

## LE FORT, JOSEPH S., 95

Ocala - Joseph S. Le Fort, born October 18, 1920 in Cheticamp, Nova Scotia; died January 5, 2016 in Ocala, FL. He proudly served our country in WW II in the US Navy. He worked with Eastern Airlines as an airline painter/machinist. After retiring he worked as a Ranger at the Pembroke Lakes Golf Club. Sam was a past resident of South Florida for 64 years. He was married to the love of his life, the late Marjorie for 49 years. He is survived by his daughters, Susan Steinle and Betty Finnk; grandchildren, Cassandra (Joey) Watters, Eric (Jennifer) Steinle, and Jacqueline (Chris) Easley; great-grandchildren Sam, Sarah, Jacob Easley, Jolie Watters, and Sierra Steinle; brother, John Le Fort; sister, Nora Peters. Preceded in death by brothers, George and Dennis Le Fort; sisters, Hilda Crowley, Lucy Caruso, Gena Le Fort. Sam is remembered for his love of family, books, and being a master model ship builder. Memorial service will be Friday, January 8, 2016 11:30 AM at West Ocala United Methodist Church. Arrangements

entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 8 to Jan. 9, 2016

## NEVERS, BEVERLY W., 88

Ft. McCoy- Beverly W. Nevers, 88, died January 6, 2016. She was preceded in death by her husband, (Bob) Robert G. Nevers. She is survived by her daughters, Priscilla Rodgers of Ft. McCoy and Helen Micham of Oxford, Alabama; three grandsons; six great grandchildren, and one great great grandchild. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Hospice of Marion County, Fund Development Dept., 3231 SW 34th Ave. Ocala, FL 34474.

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## STEVENS, KAREN JANE, 69

Dunnellon - Karen Jane Stevens (Hanff) passed away peacefully on Sunday, December 20, 2015 at her home under Hospice care following a 12 year battle with cancer. Karen was born in Greenport, NY to the late Charles and Janet Hanff on November 17, 1946. She lived her early years in the small hamlet of Islip, NY attending local schools. After graduating from Islip High School, Karen attended the State University of New York at Potsdam. Karen met Vince Stevens in Miami, and they were married there in 1986, and moved to the Philippines. Karen loved to travel, visiting several Asian countries while living in the Philippines. She also enjoyed cruises to Alaska, the Mediterranean, and the Caribbean, and travel throughout Europe. Karen moved to Rainbow Springs after retirement in 1997. Grandkids took up the majority of her time for several years following retirement and continued to be an important part of her life. She was very adept at crafts, and in her free time enjoyed sewing and making greeting cards. Karen is survived by her husband of 30 years Vince Stevens; brother, Charles R. Hanff of Poulsbo, WA; sons, Richard Talford and Robert Talford of Naples, FL; step-sons, Mark Stevens of Arlington VA, and Douglas Stevens of Tampa FL, 16 Grandchildren and three great grandchildren. A short memorial service for Karen will be conducted at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon on January 20, 2016 at 10:00 A.M. Those wishing to honor Karen's memory may make a donation to The American Cancer Society, or to Hospice of Marion County.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 11, 2016**

# **BATHURST, VIVIAN LOUISE, 87**

Ocala - Vivian Louise Bathurst, 87, of Ocala, passed away on January 6, 2016. She was a member of Druid Hills United Methodist Church, enjoyed baking and gardening and was very active in the church. Predeceased by her husband, Thomas; son, Brian and baby daughter, Larretta Jean. Vivian is survived by two daughters, Linda (Mark) Zimmerman and Belinda (James) Hager; grandchildren, Kenneth (Amanda) Kinsey, Jr, Thomas (Zaina) Kinsey; Andrew (Donna) Kinsey and Kayleigh Hager; great-grandchildren, Troy,

Allison, Corbin, Brooklyn and Cameron Kinsey and one sister, Shirley Stout. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, January 16, 2016 at Druid Hills United Methodist Church, 1712 SE Lake Weir Ave, Ocala. Visitation will be from 1p-2p and Funeral service at 2pm. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. Arrangements by Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala.

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## FILER, STEFANIE J., 51

Ocala - Stefanie J. Filer, 51, of Ocala, FL passed away on January 4, 2016. She was predeceased by her father, Jesse Parker. She is survived by her husband, Michael Tidwell; two sons, Brandon Tidwell and Derek Filer; stepdaughter, Ashley Cortez and her mother, Roseline Parker. A Celebration of Life will be held at GracePointe Baptist Church, 6185 SE 140th Street, Summerfield FL on Saturday, January 16, 2016 from 10am to 1pm.

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## GEE, JANETTE LOUISE, 63

Ocala - Janette Louise Gee, 63, of Ocala, FL, went to be with her savior in the early morning hours of January 1, 2016 in her home with Richard, her husband of 35 years at her side. Jan was born June 6, 1952 in Berwyn, IL, to parents Eugene and Agnes Cummiskey of Wheaton, IL. Both parents preceded her in death. Spending her formative years in Wheaton, IL. Mrs. Gee was a 1970 graduate of Wheaton Central High School. While still in high school she began working for Ameritech Regional Phone Company and spent the next 30 years rising through the ranks. She was an operations manager at the time of her retirement. Jan married Richard Gee in August of 1980, in the mountains of Colorado. Shortly after their retirements they relocated to Ocala, FL where they lived a full and joyous life together. In addition to Richard, Jan is survived by a brother, Thomas Cummiskey (Sally) of Rochester, IL; a sister, Barbara Snyder (Brad) of Fredericksburg, VA; a sister, Amy Adams (William III) of Pleasant Prairie, WI; stepson, Richard Gee III of Albuquerque, NM; stepson, Jon Gee (Becky) of Dekalb, IL; stepdaughter, Diane Taylor (Tim) of Union, MI; grandson, Adam Gee of Bartlett, IL, and several nieces, nephews, and cousins. Jan was beloved by everyone who knew her because of her warmth, her energy, her outgoing nature and the joy exuding from her strong Christian faith. Jan lived an active life enjoying her gym membership, walking her beloved dog, Destiny, golf with friends, trips to the beach, and bike rides around Oak Run. A committed Christian, Jan faithfully attended and served at Living Waters Wesleyan Church in SW Ocala. She often blessed her church family with her beautiful voice. The only way Jan didn't like you was because she hadn't met you yet, she had such an endearing smile. A service celebrating Jan's life is scheduled for Sunday, January 17, 2016 at the Palm Grove Club in Oak Run. Officiating will be her pastors, Rev. Dale Travis, Jr., Rev. Dale Travis, Sr. and her brother-in-law, Rev. Brad Snyder. A visitation will be from 1:00-2:30 pm. Followed by the service at 2:30 pm. Memorials in Jan's name can be made to Living Waters Wesleyan church 11120 SW hwy 484 Dunnellon, FL 34432.

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#### **GREER, BILLIE ANN BAKER, 84**

Ocala - Billie Ann Baker Greer passed away January 6, 2016 at Hospice of Marion County, FL. She was 84. Born in Charlotte, NC, she was the daughter of Jesse and Mary Baker. Her father, Jesse Baker served in World War I and was a detective of Charlotte Mecklenburg County Police Department for over 30 years. Her mother Mary (Bennett) Baker was originally from Ash, NC. She moved to Charlotte in the early twenties and was a graduate of Queens College. She worked as a secretary at various businesses and retired from Fox Film Exchange. Billie Ann came to Ocala, FL in 1972. She worked as a dietician at Marion County Community Hospital for several years. Her survivors are her daughter, Sarah (Brian) Hunt of St. Augustine, FL; sons, Robert Michael Greer of Ocala, James Bradley Greer of Ocala; grandchildren are Mary LeAnn Barker of Port Orange, FL, Catherine Brooke Hunt of St. Augustine, FL and Kayden Andrew Greer of Ocala, FL. A family service will be held at Ocean Island Beach, NC at a later date. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 10 to Jan. 11, 2016

### **INGLE, RICHARD ALLEN, 50**

Anthony - Richard Allen Ingle, 50, passed away January 7, 2016. Born January 23, 1965 in New Castle, IN, to Gamford Ingle and Eva Bell Ingle. He moved here in 1980 from Monticello, KY and worked as a Tower Foreman for Mastec Technologies. Richard was an avid horse trail rider and enjoyed traveling to Missouri on a yearly basis and riding the Cross Country Trail Ride. He is survived by his fiance, Tammy Hogan; former wife, Deborah Ingle; son, Cody Ingle, of Ocala, FL; daughter, Jodi Ingle, of St. Petersburg, FL; step daughters, Lori Jackson, and Wendy Garcia both of Ocala; sisters, Ellen Powell, IN, Sue Reynolds, IN, Barbara Dubose, of Ocala; and one grandson, Brennan Boyer. Funeral Service will be 3:00 p.m., Monday, January 11, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with a visitation one hour prior.

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### MAWHINEY, DR. ROBERT BRUCE, 87

Dr. Robert Bruce Mawhiney, Doctor of Chiropractic, was born on June 1, 1928 in Milwaukee, WI. He was born to 'Eternal Life' on December 31, 2015 at Haven Hospice in Gainesville, FL. He is survived by his wife, Phyllis M. (Martin); daughter, Beth of Springville, UT; stepchildren, Richard Franklin of Milwaukee, WI, Rhonda Hodges of Frederick, MD, Randall Franklin of Anchorage, Alaska; daughter-in-law, Cathy Mawhiney of Delafield, WI. He is also survived by eleven grandchildren; three greatgrandchildren; two nieces, Chivaun & Shannon of CA; one sister, Nancy of West Plains, MO. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Florence (Pope); two sons, Patrick and Dean, and one brother, Richard Mawhinney of Santa Barbara, CA He was a Logan College graduate and specialized in Family Practice and Scoliosis reduction in Waukesha, WI. He served as a 'Continuing Education Faculty member' of ten Colleges, visiting professor at Canadian Memorial College, Toronto, Canada. He was published in scientific and clinical journals, published 13 books, served as a 'pilot doctor' on Mercy Missions to the Indian Reservations in Northern WI. He and his wife Phyllis did missionary work in Nicaragua. He also held many positions in church. He lectured in England, France, & Israel, served as Founder & Chairman of Roberts Publishing Co., and served as a member of the Board of Trustees of Parker College of Chiropractic. Since

moving to Florida in 1999, he has served as President of the Board for the Florida Center for the Blind in Ocala, volunteered at the Ocala Hospice, and served in several area's at 'The Village of Gainesville'. His patients were his friends and to them he was known as 'Dr. Bob'. He will be missed by many friends & neighbors.

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### MELITO, ORLANDO JOHN, 68

Ocala - Orlando John Melito, 68, of Ocala, went to be with the Lord on Thursday, January 7, 2015 in Ocala. He was born to the late Alfred John and Gina Marie Melito on March 7, 1947 in Berwick, PA. He served honorably in the U.S Navy and continued service as a quality inspector in nuclear power plants. Orlando is survived by his wife, Deborah Melito; his daughters, Christie Renaker and Angela Melito; his son, Joseph Melito; his three grandchildren, Joy, Charity, and Nathan Renaker; his brother, Alfred Melito; and his sister, Rosina Emkey. Orlando was a dedicated husband and father. He was a hard worker, compassionate, family oriented, supportive, honorable, kind-hearted, punctual, responsible, trustworthy, tough, steadfast, and unwavering. He spoke very little, but he loved deeply. He enjoyed spending time with his family, watching westerns and NCIS, eating his mom's and his wife's homemade Italian food, and playing golf. He spent the majority of his life in Berwick, PA surrounded by his friends and family before moving to Ocala, FL where he lived until his passing. He touched so many lives along the way and will be truly missed. Funeral Service will be conducted on Wednesday, January 13, 2016 at 12:00 Noon at Christ the King Church, 3801 North US Highway 441, Ocala, FL 34475, 352 351 9727. The burial will be private at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Thursday, January 14, 2015. Baldwin Brothers Funeral Home and Cremation is in charge of arrangements, 352 236 5884. If anyone would like to send condolences or a donation, please send them to Deborah Melito at 901 NE 17th Terrace, Ocala. FL 34470.

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### STAFFORD, LUCINDA 'CINDY,' 66

Ocala - Lucinda 'Cindy' Stafford, 66, of Ocala passed away unexpectedly on Saturday, January 2, 2016 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Cindy was a native of Moline, Illinois and moved to this area in the late 1960's. She was a member of First United Methodist Church. Survivors include her beloved husband of 37 years, David Stafford; son, Andrew Stafford; daughter, Amanda Stafford; step-sons, Gregory Stafford (Shari) and Jeffrey Stafford (Tami); sister, Cheryl Frost (John); step-brother, Herbert Black (Tina); and eight grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her father, Richard Holloway and mother, Irma Holloway-Roppel. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, January 16th, 2016 at 11:00 AM located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala. Inurnment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the St. Jude's Children's Hospital. Online condolences may be sent at hiers-baxley.com.

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### **TRUESDALE, DOROTHY, 90**

Ocala - Dorothy Truesdale died peacefully on January 3rd, 2016 at Harbor Chase

Villages Crossing under the care of Cornerstone Hospice, the Harbor Chase nursing staff, and her very loving and attentive family. Dorothy (Dot) was born in Winchester, Massachusetts on May 9th, 1925 the daughter of Helen Hanson Saxby and Orvis Houghton Saxby, a prominent attorney in Massachusetts. Dot was raised in Stoneham where she met and married the love of her life Richard 'Dick' Truesdale. They were virtually inseparable for their 66 years of marriage. Dot was a health care practitioner all her life while raising two children Dr. Richard Jr. (spouse Cecilia) and Barbara Truesdale Richard (spouse David). She was a Boston trained Medical technologist who worked for several years at Melrose Wakefield Hospital and then for many years she was the 'right hand woman' for a busy family practitioner in Wakefield. At age 45, Dot went back to school earning an associate degree then her Bachelor's degree in nursing and closed out her 40 year medical career as a nurse. Her greatest career joy seemed to come from the impact she had on her patients' lives as a visiting nurse. Dot and Dick first retired to Virginia then moved to Ocala after her son joined Gastroenterology Associates of Ocala. Dot and Dick loved to travel, camp, and square dance. They both volunteered for several years at Marion Community Hospital (now ORMC) and Interfaith of Ocala. Besides her parents, Dorothy was predeceased by her younger brother, Orvis Jr. Her brother, Stan, is living in Maine. Dorothy has five grandchildren, Dr. Matthew Truesdale of San Francisco, Elizabeth Truesdale Eiland of Ocala, Adam Truesdale of Ocklawaha, Kristen Richard and Alicia Richard of Gainesville, Georgia and two great grandchildren; Walton Eiland and Carter Eiland of Ocala. She stated many times: 'I've had a wonderful life'. A graveside service will be celebrated on January 13th, 2016 Highland Memorial Park Ocala at 1:30 PM. In lieu of flowers donations can be made in Dorothy's name to Cornerstone Hospice 2445 Lane Park Rd Tavares, Florida 32778. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 10 to Jan. 11, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 12, 2016**

### **ROGAN, VINCENT THOMAS, 74**

Summerfield - Vincent Thomas Rogan, age 74, of Summerfield, FL passed away on Monday, December 21, 2015 while in the care of Brandley Hospice House in Summerfield. He was born in the Highbridge section of the Bronx, NY on July 15, 1941. Vinnie served in the US Army from 1961-1963 stationed in Germany European Theater, Seventh Army. He was honorably discharged in 1967. He moved to Congers, NY and lived there for over 35 years. He worked for S. J. O'Brien from 1963 to 1976; he then worked for Ingersoll Rand/ARO for 25 years as a district manager of sales for the east coast. He was also a member of Congers Volunteer Ambulance Corp. and the Knights of Columbus. He moved to FL in 2005 where he met his current wife. He is preceded in death by his parents, John and Margaret; four brothers, John, James, Peter and Joseph and his wife of 38 years, Rose Rogan. He leaves behind his wife, Lesley Rogan of Summerfield, FL and her family; his daughter, Kimberly Steiner of Castle Rock, CO and her husband, Christopher and three granddaughters, Geraldine, Colleen, Kathryn and one grandson, CJ; many relatives, his lifelong friend, John McDougall of Summerfield and his faithful kitty, Lucky Boy. Vinnie will always be remembered for his big caring heart,

he was always helping someone in some way, whether it be fixing things or helping someone who was sick. This is proven by his dedication to Brother's Keeper soup kitchen where he has volunteered for years. Vinnie had a great sense of humor and was a very generous man and will be missed terribly. A Memorial Mass will be said at Blessed Trinity Church Ocala, FL on January 16, 2016 at 12:00pm with a bereavement reception immediately following. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478 Attn: Philanthropy Development or Brother's Keeper Soup Kitchen 435 NW 2nd Street Ocala, FL 34475. Another Memorial Mass will be said at a later date at Saint Paul's Church Congers, NY after which he will be interred in his plot at Gethsemane Cemetery.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 13, 2016**

### MARTIN, JOSEPH C.

Ocala - Joseph C. Martin of Ocala, FL passed away Sunday, January 3, 2016 at his home in Pine Run. He retired from Emergency One. He was a Korean Veteran. In those four and half years, he earned many honors: Honorable Discharge, Purple Heart, Bronze Star Medal/Cluster, Presidential Unit Citation Medal, Good Conduct Medal, Korean Service Medal with five bronze service stars, Expert Marksman Carbine Medal, and Korean Combat Service Commemorative Medal. Joe is survived by his wife of 62 years, Noella (Dolly); son, Brian who resides in Yuma, AZ. Funeral Mass will be held at 8:30am, January 14, 2016 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, SW State Rd. 200, Ocala, FL with Pastor Patrick J. O'Doherty officiating. A full veteran's burial will follow at Forest Lawn Funeral Home and Memorial Gardens, 5740 S Pine Ave, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 12 to Jan. 13, 2016

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### **BIELARSKI, DR. ROBERT VINCENT, 86**

Ocala - Robert Vincent Bielarski, Ph.D., 86, died on November 29, 2015 at Legacy House in Ocala, Florida due to complications from a recent illness. Born August 2, 1929, in Linden, NJ, he was the son of the late Philip and Helen (Pinkerous) Bielarski. He graduated from Linden High School, and continued his education at St. Bonaventure University (New York), Louisiana State University, Centenary College of Louisiana, and Rutgers University in New Jersey. Robert V. 'Bob' Bielarski joined the US Army where he served as a Lieutenant in the Korean War, and later attained the rank of Major in the US Army Reserves. In 1959, he earned his PhD. in Entomology and Plant Pathology from Rutgers University. After owning a pest control business in Woodbridge, NJ, he taught geology at Rider College in Trenton, NJ. He later became the chairman of the math and science department at Frederick Community College in Frederick, MD. From the late 1970s, he worked for the Department of the Navy where he traveled extensively, and finished his career with the EPA in 1997. At that time he moved to Ocala, FL, where he became an active member of the Oak Run Community and a volunteer funeral escort with the Marion County Sheriff's Office for 10 years. Bob is survived by his loving and devoted wife of over 50 years, Mary T. (Burke) Bielarski of Ocala, and three sons, Philip

of Williamsport, MD, Robert of Camp Hill, PA, and Steven of New York, NY, along with three grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his sister, Madeline A. Hanisch. In lieu of flowers, the memorial donations may be made in Bob's name to Hospice of Marion County. A celebration of life ceremony will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel 6241 SW SR 200 Ocala, FL on January 16, 2016 at 11AM. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com.

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## **CANCRO, GOLDIE PACIONE, 94**

Citrus County - Goldie Pacione Cancro, age 94, of Citrus County, FL, passed away January 10, 2016 at Cedar Creek Assisted Living in Crystal River. Born on January 28, 1921 in Ofena, Italy to Domenico and Marietta (Moscardelli) Pacione. She moved to Citrus County two years ago to live near her daughters. Prior to Citrus County, Goldie lived in Ocala, Fort Lauderdale, the Bronx, NY and Bergenfield, NJ. Goldie was a parishioner of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. Goldie's passion for food included working as a caterer and waitress. We often heard of her saying, 'Hurry up whatever you're doing', 'Do you really need it' and 'How much does that cost'. In addition to her parents, Goldie was preceded in death by her husband, William Cancro in 2004. Survived by two daughters, Jeanette Cancro and Linda Newman; son-in-law Jerry Newman; two sisters, Ida Pacione Bajakian and Gloria Pacione Shaw; her godson, Mark Bajakian and niece and nephews, Debbie Bajakian, Billy Bajakian, Keith Shaw and Christopher Shaw. Visitation will be held on Thursday, January 14, 2016 from 2 to 4 pm and 6 to 8 pm and funeral services will be held at 10 am on Friday, January 15, 2016 at the Brown Funeral Home in Lecanto officiated by Father Ralph Barile, godson. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Brown Funeral Home and Crematory, Lecanto, Florida

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## HICKEN, ANITA R., 95

Ocala - Anita R. Hicken, age 95 of Hendersonville, TN passed away on December 27, 2015. She was born and raised in Youngstown, Ohio, and later moved to Florida and middle Tennessee. She was preceded in death by her parents, Bert and Annetta Millikin; husband, John Hicken and their son, Jay. She is survived by her daughter, Darrene (Cliff) Ernst; grandsons, Steve (Kelli) Ernst, J.R. (Carol) Ernst, granddaughter, Stacey (Jon) Davis; six great grandchildren, and companion of many years, Burt Butker. She loved to ride horses, even into her eighties, and in later years owned several thoroughbreds. A private service will be held in Youngstown, Ohio. Memorial contributions can be made to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

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## **ANDERSON, REVEREND MICHAEL, 61**

Ocklawaha - The Reverend Michael Anderson died peacefully at his home on January 8, 2016 in Ocklawaha, Florida at the age of 61. Mike is survived by his wife of 28 years Susie; his daughters, Paige Anderson Kelly (Randoll), Bethany Anderson (Andrew

Runyon), and Rebecca Ronie (Cameron), and his two granddaughters, Avery Anderson Kelly and Lydia Anderson; his mother, Ann Anderson; sister, Donna Anderson and many loving nieces. Mike worked many wonderful years as a Branch Manager at Goodman Distribution, Inc. Mike was involved in his church as a Deacon and lead the Men's Bible Study at Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala. His Memorial Service will be held at Grace Episcopal Church on Saturday, January 16, 2016 at 2:00 P.M. with a reception to follow. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Grace Episcopal Church Rector's Discretionary Fund.

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## DAVENPORT, SGT. MAJOR EMORY LEE (RET), 79

Ocala - Sgt. Major (Ret) Emory Lee Davenport, 79, passed away on January 6, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories wife, Gloria Davenport; children, Gloretta Davenport, Aquana Mobley, Derek Covington, and Anthony Covington, four grandchildren; siblings, Frances Brinkley, Grover Pierson, Delores Glover, Robert Pierson, Mary Jones, Pauline Davenport, Delphine James, Belinda Davenport, Jeanne Davenport, and Bruce Davenport, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, January 16, 2016 at 11:00am at Ramah Missionary Baptist Church. Visitation will be Friday, January 15, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10am-5pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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## DIXON, ALFONSO CLYDE, 60

Ocala - Alfonso C. Dixon was born April 18, 1955 in Miami, FL., to Catherine Dixon and the late Russell Dixon. Alfonso passed away January 8, 2016. He was preceded in death by his brother, Bobby Dixon. He leaves to cherish his memories his mother, Catherine Dixon; sister, Elizabeth 'Jermaine' Dixon; two aunts, Ella Mae Harris (Andrew) of Miami, FL, Mary Ann Miller (Ralph) of Reddick, FL; cousins, Vanessa Morris, Macon and Greg Harris and many more sorrowing family and friends. Funeral service for Alfonso Dixon will be held on Saturday, January 16, 2016 at 11:00 am at The New Cunningham Funeral Home's Chapel of Faith. Visitation will be held on Friday, January 15, 2016 from 10:00 am - 5:00 pm at The New Cunningham Funeral Home. Family and friends are asked to meet at the home of Catherine and Elizabeth Dixon at 12510 NE 36th Avenue, Anthony FL 32617 on Saturday, January 16, 2016 at 10:00 am. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 14 to Jan. 15, 2016

## GARIANO, JOHN P. (RECON), 73

Ocala - John P. (Recon) Gariano, of Ocala passed away on Friday, January 8, 2015 at age 73. He was born July 18, 1942 in Bronx, New York. He enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps in 1962 where his specialty was 0331 Machine Gunner. He was sent to Viet Nam before the war was at its peak in 1963. After his service he worked and retired from Napa Auto Parts. Utmost, he was a family man and an honored husband. He always placed the needs of his family before his own and, instilled strong family values in his daughters and granddaughters. He was an active member of the Patriot Guard Riders and several Military Support groups. His passion was being a beacon of support for families of

Veterans, Servicemen and women, firefighters and law enforcement. He displayed a high form of patriotism for his country. Survivors are wife, Carol; two daughters, Nicole (Greg) and Christy, and his sister, Rosemarie Arduino (Frank and Lisa) Harrison, New York; brother, Anthony Gariano (Anthony Jr.) of San Diego California and three grandchildren, Isabella, Kayla and Emma. Online Condolences may be made on John Gariano's Facebook page. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, January 14, 2016 at 2pm at the Baldwin Brothers funeral home with Chaplin Ernie Tucker officiating. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 14 to Jan. 15, 2016

### **GOLDEN, KENNETH LEE, 73**

Ocala -Kenneth Lee Golden, age 73, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, January 12, 2016, after a brief illness. He was born in Clewiston, FL on August 30, 1942 and raised in Hialeah, FL., where he met and married Joan, his beloved wife of 51 years. They moved to Ocala in 1971, where they raised three children. Kenny enjoyed racquetball, was an avid NASCAR fan and also a Washington Redskins and U of Miami fan. Kenny was a year 2000 graduate of the Florida State School of Massage. He was prior President of the North Central Florida Chapter of Florida State Massage Therapy Association (FSMTA). He was a past member of the North Central Florida Sports Massage Therapy Team providing massage at local sporting events, and previously was recognized as Sports Massage Therapist of the Year by FSMTA. He was the owner of K L Golden Massage LLC, as well as employed at Swinson Chiropractic. He is survived by his wife, Joan; daughters, Sheri Terrell (David) and Beth Billings (Robby); brothers, Ronald and Eugene; sisters, Eunice, Sharon, Diane and Yvonne; grandchildren, Shea, Miranda, Zack, Trey, Aubrey, and Justin; great grandchildren, Addison, Ethan, Carsen, Weston and Gracelyn. He was preceded in death by son, Kenneth Wayne Golden. A visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Friday, January 15, 2015 from 6-8pm. A funeral service will also be held at the funeral home on Saturday, January 16, 2016 at 2pm. Burial will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL.

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### JOHNSON, LINDA J.

Ocala - Linda J. Johnson of Ocala, FL (formerly of Durham, CT) passed away unexpectedly on January 8, 2016 surrounded by loved ones consisting of family, friends and coworkers. Linda is survived by her husband, Harold Johnson of Ocala, Florida; her daughters, Dawn Driscoll of Middletown, Connecticut, Debi O'Driscoll of Ocala, Florida and Diana Bennett of Middletown, Connecticut; her stepdaughter, Laura Jean Longley and her husband, Donald of Middlefield, Connecticut; her grandchildren, Timothy, Aaron, Bryant, Melinda, Alissa, Dylan, Anthony, Shane and Olivia; her greatgrandchildren, Grayson and Tyler; her heartthrob, Scot Haney of WFSB 3 Connecticut and her fur babies and grand fur babies. Linda was a former member of the Durham Ladies Auxiliary in CT and current employee at Target in Ocala. Linda was a hard worker and gave what she had to help others she had an affectionate smile and contagious laugh that captivated all who met her. Linda will be remembered fondly and missed beyond measure. A memorial service will be held at a later date. The family asks that in lieu of flowers, donations be made in Linda's memory to the Humane Society of Marion County-701 NE 14th Rd. Ocala, FL 34475. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 14 to Jan. 15, 2016

#### KAUTZ, ROBERT C., 86

Ocala - Mr. Robert 'Bob' Kautz, 86, went on to be with the Lord on January 10, 2016. He was born in Chicago, Illinois on June 1, 1929. He moved to Ocala in 1985 from Illinois. Robert is predeceased by his parents, Richard and Henrietta Kautz; brothers, Richard and Wilbert Kautz; sister, Virginia Kuhn, and his wife, Doralea A. Kautz. He is survived by his loving companion, Caryle Thoms; daughters, Susanne (Thomas) Cartwright of Indiana and Linda (Michael) Houghton of Illinois; four grandchildren, Cori (Brandon), Amy, David and Mary, and two great-grandchildren, Aubrey and Emily. Bob was a member of the Countryside Presbyterian Church in Ocala. He was a wonderful loving husband, father, brother, grandfather and friend. Arrangements are in the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266.

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#### NEWHART, OTTO, 81

Dunnellon - Otto Newhart, 81, of Dunnellon, Florida, went to be with the Lord on Monday, January 11, 2016. Otto was born May 14, 1934 in Terre Haute, Indiana to George and Lucille Newhart. He moved to Florida in 1944 where he spent most of his life in the West Palm Beach area and then in Dunnellon. Otto graduated from Palm Beach High School in 1951 and went on to serve in the United States Navy from 1952 to 1956 aboard the USS Dixie and the USS Gurke. In 1958, he started working at General Plumbing, Inc. and later became the sole owner of the company until his retirement in 1997. Otto is survived by his wife of 30 years, Shirley Rowlett. Shirley and Otto married in West Palm Beach on June 22, 1985. Otto and Shirley were members of the Episcopal Church of the Advent in Dunnellon and also spent many years as members of the Holy Spirit Episcopal Church in West Palm Beach. Otto is also survived by his five daughters, Lucille Shelling (Dennis-husband) of Palm Beach Gardens, FL, Kimberly LaMendola of Lake Worth, FL, Marlavna Koemm of West Palm Beach, FL, Kathy Duff of Palm Springs, FL, Karen Newhart of Manchester, TN. Otto is the proud Grandpa of 16 Grandchildren, and 16 Great-Grandchildren. Also survived by sister-in-law, Patricia Newhart of West Palm Beach, FL; sister-in-law, Sharon Prevatt (Wayne-husband) of Okeechobee, FL; brother-in-law, Danny Rowlett of Ocala, FL; loving friends Charlie and Pat Bigbie of Keystone Heights, FL, Jud and Joyce Moote of The Villages, FL, and Norman and Polly Fulton of Dunnellon, FL. Preceded in death by his parents George and Lucille Newhart; his brother, Robert 'Bob' L. Newhart; his daughter, Melinda Lee and his son, Otto Phillip Newhart IV. Visitation will be held on Friday, January 15, 2016 from 4:00-8:00 PM at the Quattlebaum Funeral Home, 6411 Parker Avenue, West Palm Beach, FL, 33405. A Funeral Service will be held Saturday, January 16, 2016 at 2:00 PM at Quattlebaum Funeral Home with Interment to follow in Hillcrest Memorial Park, West Palm Beach. In lieu of Flowers, donations should be made to: Legacy House Hospice of Marion County, 9505 SW 110 Street, Ocala, FL 34481, Holy Spirit Episcopal Church, 1003 Allendale Road, West Palm Beach, FL 33405; Episcopal Church of the Advent, 11251 SW Highway 484, Dunnellon, FL 34432

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BROOKER, DOROTHY H., 61 Summerfield - Dorothy Brooker died on January 8, 2016. She was born on October 30, 1954 in Jamaica, New York to Edward and Kathleen Babey. She was the second child of ten children. She married Russell Brooker Sr. on April 25, 1971 in Cobleskill NY. She is survived by her three sons; seven grandkids and eight sisters. Dorothy was preceded in death by her husband, Russell Brooker Sr. and her brother, Edward Babey. The family is having a celebration of life this Saturday, January 16, 2016.

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### KNIGHT, BUFFY MACK

Ocala - Buffy Mack Knight, beloved daughter, mother, sister, and wife, died January 11, 2016 in Ocala, FL, where she lived with her husband, Richard Knight and a family of adored animals. She was born in Charlotte, NC, the first child of Barbara and John Mack. Growing up in Myrtle Beach, she was a member of First United Methodist Church, attended Coastal Academy, and graduated from Myrtle Beach HS in 1985. She was on state championship tennis teams at both schools and won a tennis scholarship to Coastal Carolina University, graduating in 1990. Like her mother, she became a school teacher in Horry County and later in Deland, FL. Though she enjoyed playing tennis and was well coached by her father, John Mack, she claimed horses as her great passion. With husband Richard Knight, whom she married June 29, 2013, she shared that love and they spent much time riding together with their two Paint Horses, Ray and Kody. Buffy was especially happy to take Ray to competitions and together they won numerous awards. In addition to her husband Richard, she is survived by a son, Joseph (Jake) Andrew Kurey, a senior at the U of F; mother and stepfather, Barbara and Donnie Nance of Murrells Inlet, SC; father and stepmother, John and Tamara Mack of Myrtle Beach; sister and brother in law, Christian and Ronny West; nephew, Becker West and niece, Rivers West, all of Myrtle Beach; stepdaughter, Taylor Knight of Ocala; stepbrother, Clay Nance of Myrtle Beach; stepbrother and wife, Justin and Christy Gore and their children, Emma Gore and Griffin Gore, and numerous aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. She is also survived by her two devoted canine friends, Ringo and Bonham and horses, Ray and Kody. A celebration of Buffy's life will be held at Trinity Church in Myrtle Beach on Saturday, January 16, 2016. A memorial service will be held in Ocala at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services on Tuesday, January 19, 2016 at 3:00 pm. Family will receive friends at 2:30pm. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the local Marion County Humane Society. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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### CAMARGO, PEDRO PABLO, 80

Summerfield - Pedro Pablo Camargo, 80, of Summerfield, FL died on Sunday, January 10, 2016 due to an unfortunate automobile accident. Born June 30, 1935 in Bogota, Colombia, he was the son of the late Crisostomo and Blanca Camargo. Pedro was a warm hearted caring man that always put a smile on those around him. He was full of life and an adventurer that traveled to the United States from Colombia, S.A. in 1956 to seek new opportunities. He lived in New York where he married and began his family. He was an opportunist that moved to Ocala and started his own automotive business and became a pillar of the community. He played soccer well into his sixties and enjoyed dancing, being the life of the party and most of all being with family and friends. Pedro is survived by his loving wife of 51 years, Carmenza Camargo; three sons, Paul, Lenny and Steven; daughters-in-law, Mary and Pam; grandchildren, Christina, Mario, Abbie, Briana, Andre, Aidan, Gloria and Jacob; siblings, Leonor, Alfonso, Emma, Elisa, Rosa, Martha and Francisco and his affectionate dog, Muffy. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala 622-4141) on Thursday, January 21, 2016 from 4-8PM. Funeral Mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church (5 SE 17th St., Ocala) on Friday, January 22, 2016 at 2:30 PM. In lieu of flowers donations can be made towards Blessed Trinity Sister Parish Uganda (soccer) or Blessed Trinity Brothers Keeper, 352-629-8092, ext. 3201 or 3218; or mail@blessedtrinity.org, A condolence message may be left at: robertsfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 17 to Jan. 18, 2016

### DERR, SR., JOHN LEROY, 79

Ocala - John LeRoy Derr, Sr., passed away at Estelle's House on January 12, 2016. Born January 19, 1936, in Catawissa, PA, to Fred and Elsie Derr, he moved to Ocala in 1964 from Savannah, GA. A veteran of the US Air Force, he was a Drapery Installer. Preceded in death by his wife, Jean Warnock Derr; brother, Fred Derr; and sister, Anna Mae Derr Seltzer. John is survived by his son, John L. (Jean) Derr, Jr., Citra; daughter, Jackie (Danny) Gomillion, Ocala; brothers, Larry Derr, Satellite Beach; Donald Derr, Enola, PA; grandchildren, John Lycan, Danielle Skinner, Lily Derr; great-granchildren, Savannah Smith, Hailey Smith, Alyssa Skinner and Kyndal Lycan. Memorial service will be 1:00 pm., Sunday, January 17, 2016, at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, with Rev. Samuel Clements officiating. Interment with honors will follow in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County designated to 'Butterfly for John Derr' PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL.

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## GALLO, LOUIS R., 81

Dunnellon - Louis R. Gallo, 81, passed away on January 14, 2016. Lou was born on December 17, 1934 in Brooklyn, NY to Luigi and Margaret Gallo. He is survived by his wife, Loretta of 57 years; his daughters, Cynthia Callan (William) of Springfield, IL, Theresa Blackadar (Albert) of Searsport, ME, Marie Hall (Steven) of Coventry, CT; sister, Arlene Malaspina (Raymond) of Freehold, NJ. He had seven grandchildren, Laura, Jason, Benjamin, Austin, Victoria, Samuel and Claire, and two great-grandchildren, Emma and Wyatt. Lou worked as a butcher in New York, Connecticut, New Jersey and Delaware before retiring to Florida in 1993. A parishioner of St. John the Baptist Parish, Lou was active in liturgical ministry as an altar server, an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, and Mass of the Resurrection. Lou started the 'Sausage Makers' as a fundraiser for the parish. He was avidly involved in genealogy of his family, enjoyed travel, playing cards with friends, and walking his dog Katie. Funeral Mass will held on Monday, January 18, 2016 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon, Florida at 10:30 a.m. There will be visitation in the chapel prior to the start of Mass beginning at 10:00 am. Arrangements under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon.

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## **GREEN, JAMES HENRY, 90**

Ocala - James Henry Green, 90, passed away at Hospice Legacy House, January 12, 2016. Born September 3, 1925 in Pierre, South Dakota, to Ward O. Green and Alice Crumbaker, he moved here in 1982 from Maryland. He was a WWII Veteran of the United States Navy and a Program Estimator for the VA. After retirement he worked for Marion County Zoning department for seven years. He is survived by his beloved wife of 68 years, Rita M. Wagner Green; son James 'Jimbo' (Sue) Green, of Ocala; daughters, Norma 'Tootsie' Gustavson, of Ocala, Nancy Crews, of Ocala; grandchildren, Brian, Sean, Aaron, Jessica, TJ, Brett; step-grandchildren, Brian and Bobby Stanton; great-grandchildren, Katie, Parker, Keagan, Nolan and former daughter in law, Marcy Green. Graveside service will be 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, January 20, 2016 at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell FL with Military Honors. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County Legacy House in memory of James Green. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL.

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## LEWIS, BETTY MACKEY, 86

Ocala - Betty Mackey Lewis, age 86, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, January 14, 2016. She was born in Island Grove, FL on March 11, 1929. Betty was raised in Citra. She was a 1946 graduate of Anthony High School. She met and married O. R. Lewis in Citra before moving to Ocala in 1956 where they raised their family. Betty was a loving mother to her four sons. She enjoyed gardening, reading and bowling. She is survived by sons, Richard O. Lewis (Judy) of Gainesville, FL, Robert E. Lewis of Ocala, FL, Edward L. Lewis (Beth) of Ocala, FL and Mark A. Lewis (Lori) of Clearwater, FL; sisters, Carolyn Counts of Ocala, FL and Marjorie Colson of Crystal River, FL; eight grandchildren Scott Lewis, Nancy Lewis, Jeffrey Lewis, Martha ( Aaron ) Massie, Kellie (Robbie ) Cambias, Rebecca ( Chris ) Pregony, Amber Lewis and Logan Lewis; and seven great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband of over 53 years, O. R. Lewis and a daughter, Nancy Elizabeth Lewis. A visitation will take place at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Sunday, January 17, 2016 from 3-5pm. A funeral service will also take place at the funeral home on Monday, January 18, 2016 at 10am. Burial will take place at Citra Cemetery, Citra, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Although Betty will be greatly missed by her family and friends, it is comforting to know that she is now home with the Lord. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 17 to Jan. 18, 2016

### **ORPHAL, VIRGINA HELEN, 98**

Ocala - Helen Virginia Orphal died peacefully in her sleep late in the evening of January 6, 2016, wrapped in the arms of her Lord with her daughter by her side She had just celebrated her 98th birthday and 99th Christmas with her family. She went to join John, her husband of 76 years, who preceded her by less than a year. Helen is survived by her son, Dennis Orphal of Pleasanton, CA, and her daughter Linda Brown (Denny) of Ft. Myers, FL. She is also survived by four grandchildren, Jeffrey Brown, Kathy Brown, Jonathan Orphal and David Orphal; six great grandchildren, Kaylee and Christopher Brown, Kaitlin, Christopher, Logan and Tristan Orphal; and one great-great grandson, Parker Orphal. Helen and John were high school sweethearts and graduated from high school in Wapakoneta, Ohio, the same school as the astronaut Neil Armstrong. Helen was an outstanding student and placed first in the state of Ohio in a state-wide shorthand and typing contest. After their marriage, John played professional baseball for about ten years and Helen would often relocate each summer to whatever town hosted John's minor league team living in such places as Seattle, WA and Columbia, S.C. where their son was born. Helen enjoyed the adventures and socialization with the wives of the other ball players. She had fond memories of those early years of marriage. In the off season, they lived in Dayton, OH and they both worked for the National Cash Register Company (now NCR). After retiring from baseball, they moved to St. Marys, OH, where they both worked for Goodyear; Helen as secretary to a Senior Manager at the facility. Both her children grew up in St. Mary's, graduated from high school, and went on to obtain college and nursing degrees. In 1976, Helen and John retired to Florida, living nearly 40 years in Ocala, and finally for the last year moved to Ft. Myers, where they were close to their daughter and son-in-law. Helen nearly always had a full time job as an executive secretary in addition to being a wife, raising two kids, and keeping a household. Thinking back, her son and daughter recall that every summer, she would can fruit for the winter. And with all that, we can not recall her ever saying 'I'm tired.' She lived a fine, happy and full life. She was the rock, the anchor of her family and will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her. 'God saw you getting tired and a cure was not to be. He put his arms around you and whispered, come to Me With tearful eyes we watched you and saw you pass away and although we love you dearly we could not make you stay. A golden heart stopped beating, hard hands at rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us He only takes the best.' Per her wishes memorials in her name can be made to St. Marks United Methodist Church, 1839 NE 8th Road, Ocala, Florida 34470. View our online guest book at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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### PRIEBE, DEVLIN BRADLEY, 55

Ocala - Devlin Bradley Priebe passed away January 12, 2016, at Sylvia's House. Born December 8, 1960, to Larry and Adelia Lavon Priebe in Crawfordsville, Indiana, he moved to Ocala from Indiana 11 years ago. A veteran in the US Navy, he worked as a Maintenance Technician for Ocala Regional Hospital. Preceded in death by his father, Larry Priebe, and infant son, Mikey. He is survived by his wife, Carrie Priebe; mother,

Adelia Lavon Priebe; step-son, Jonathan; daughter in law, Calista and grandchildren Layla, Joseph, Jade and Autumn; and brother, Bryan Priebe; sister in law, Lori and nephews, Ben and Nathan. Memorial service will be 10:00 a.m., Thursday, January 21, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home with Rev. Bill Freal officiating. Interment with military honors will follow in Highland Memorial Veterans Park. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 17 to Jan. 18, 2016

### **SNYDER, RALPH CHARLES, 79**

Ocala - Ralph Charles Snyder, 79, passed away January 14, 2016. Born September 19, 1936 in Martinsburg, W. VA to Charles Walper Snyder and Needa Foltz. He has been a long time member of Trinity Baptist Church and was an avid fisherman. Ralph was a veteran of the United States Air Force and owned and operated a tool business. He is survived by his beloved wife of 59 years, Ann Snyder; son Stephen C. Snyder of Ocala; three sisters, three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Interment will be private in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL.

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#### WIMBERLY, SHELIA J., 80

Ocala - Sheila J. Wimberly, 80, of Ocala passed away January 14, 2016. Born in St. Andrews, Jamaica she came to this area 14 years ago from Miami. She was Catholic by faith and was a retired professor for the University of Alabama She was also a director for the United Way for 25 years and lived and traveled all over the world. She is survived by her husband of 19 years, Owen D. Henderson III; children, Karen Smith of FL, Owen D. Henderson IV of NV, David S. Henderson of FL, Sarah Henderson of HI, Ruth Cody of AZ and Nirda DeRose of IL; one sister; four brothers; seven grandchildren and six great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Randolph Wimberly and sons, Travis and Keith Wimberly. A Celebration of Sheila's Life will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce Chapel East (2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala 732-9944) on Monday, January 18, 2016 at 2PM. A condolence message may be left at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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#### **KELLY, EILEEN T., 81**

Ocala - Eileen T. Kelly, age 81, of Ocala, FL, passed away Saturday, January 16, 2016 at the West Marion Hospital. Born on June 13, 1934 in NY, NY to Louis and Margaret (Fee) Havranek. Eileen moved to Ocala 10 years ago from Fair Lawn, NJ. She was a retired Theater Secretary and a member of the Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Eileen was a former member of the Queen of Peace Choir in Ocala and the Church Theater Group in Malverne, NY. Survived by her husband, Philip J. Kelly of Ocala, FL; one daughter, Bronwyn Chartier of Port Orange, FL; two brothers, Thomas (Susan) Havranek and Louis 'Buddy' (Helen) Havranek; two grandchildren, Elizabeth and Caitlyn Chartier.

Visitation will be from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, January 19, 2016 at the Brown Funeral Home in Lecanto, FL. Mass will be offered at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, January 20, 2016 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Brown Funeral Home and Crematory Lecanto, FL Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 19 to Jan. 20, 2016

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### FEDAK, ALEXANDRA M., 89

Ocala - Alexandra M. Fedak, 'Sandy' 89, of Ocala, Florida passed away January 15, 2016. Sandy was born December 25, 1926 in Ukraine and moved from Buffalo, NY to Ocala in 1989. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband of 65 years, Harry M. Fedak whom she has gone to join along with the Lord. She will sadly be missed by family and friends. There will be a Mass held on Friday, January 22, 2016, 8:30am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW SR 200, in Ocala. Following the Mass, Sandy will be laid to rest at Florida National Cemetery next to Harry. Thanks to the Bridge of Ocala, and Hospice of Marion County for their loving care. Arrangements by Roberts of Ocala, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL, 34471.

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## HICKMAN, BERL CRAIG, 84

Ocala - Berl Craig Hickman, age 84, of Ocala passed away on Sunday, January 17, 2016. He was born on May 30, 1931 in Memphis, TN, the youngest of 11 children. Berl served in the US Army during the Korean Conflict. During his life Berl worked in the Telephone Line Communications Industry and in his retirement years he enjoyed doing tractor work on horse farms in the Ocala area. He enjoyed traveling and serving as an usher at College Road Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife of 30 years, Dorothy G. Hickman; his children, John Hickman of Belleview, Debbie Crocker (Paul) of Arkansas, Mitch Hickman (Vickie) of Tennessee; grandchildren, Misty Hickman (Josh), Thomas Hickman (Erin), April Veazey (Brad), Berl Craig Chapman, Candice Hull (Jim), Natalie Hickman, Marlene Hickman and four great grandchildren; stepchildren, Darlene Pogue (Wayne), Henry Petit, Robin Barkley (Richard); stepgrandchildren, Jeffrey Alexander (Stephanie), Diana Alexander, Richard Barkley (Tori), Gregory Barkley (April), Tawnie Goberville (Gary), Henry Petit III (Jennifer), Nancy Petit; and 21 great grandchildren. A funeral service will be held at College Road Baptist Church, 5010 SW College Rd, Ocala, FL 34474 on Saturday, January 23, 2016 at 2pm. The family will receive friends at the church from 1pm until the time of service at 2pm. Burial will take place at Fellowship Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the College Road Baptist Church Building Fund.

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### HOFF, JOHN E., 77

Ocala - John E. Hoff, age 77, of Ocala went peacefully to be with our Lord on January 6, 2016. He was surrounded by his loving family after being treated for brain cancer. John made his home in FL 35 years ago from Woburn, MA. He attended Northeastern University. He was a Past Chevalier of DeMolay, and served in the US Coast Guard. He

had years of residential construction, was a realtor for Big Sun Realty and loved camping and golfing. He will be missed by his loving wife, Deborah A. Hoff; his wonderful son, John E. Hoff, Jr.; his granddaughter, Avery Leighanne Hoff; brothers, Art and Robert Hoff; many nieces, nephews, and in-laws. The family will have a memorial service at the Pine Run Clubhouse II on Sunday, January 24, 2016 at 11am. In lieu of flowers please make a contribution to Hospice of Marion County, located at 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL 34474.

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### **KEMP, MICHAEL CLIFFORD**

Michael Clifford Kemp passed away quietly at Legacy Hospice house in Ocala, FL on January 15, 2016. He had a long career in eye care, specializing in contact lens fittings and troubleshooting a variety of spectacle and contact lens issues. His eye care career began in 1964 in Chattanooga TN, working in blind services and vocational rehabilitation. He worked as a consultant at a variety of teaching facilities, including Emory, Washington University, Ole Miss, and the University of TN Medical Center, as well as working in ophthalmology practices in the southeast. In 1994, Mike joined Eye Associates of Tallahassee where he was affectionately known as 'Dr. Mike' by many of his patients. He retired in 2013 to Ocala. He was known by his friends as an avid sportsman, enjoying hunting, fishing, scuba diving and flying. He is survived by his loving wife, Fredda; four children, Cliff Kemp (Patti), Katherine Wattwood (Tony), Chris Kemp (Amy), and Lacey Lewis, as well as four granddaughters, and two stepchildren, Travis Brown and Kendall Brown. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to The National Parkinson's Foundation. Service on Saturday, January 23, 2016 at 1:00 p.m. At Ocala First United Methodist Church.

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### MODLIN, LULA, 98

Ocala - Lula Modlin went to be with her Lord and Savior on January 16, 2016. She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert B. Modlin; her parents, Burrell T. and Lula E. Boatwright; her sister, Eleanor Covar; her brothers, Thomas Boatwright, Lawrence Boatwright and Faust Boatwright. She was born in Ridge Spring, SC on January 12, 1918. She graduated from high school in Edgefield, SC and then went into the nursing program at Highlands Hospital in Asheville, NC where she became a registered nurse. On August 2, 1939 she married Bruce Modlin and they moved to Baltimore, MD where Mr. Modlin worked for the Glen L Martin Aircraft Company. After World War II ended they moved to Ocala. In 1957, she began work as an RN at Monroe Memorial Hospital where she worked in the surgical ward and later was in charge of the pediatric ward. In 1987, she became Dr. West Bitzer's nurse in his practice of treating the ear, nose and throat. She retired in 1983 when Dr. Bitzer ended his practice because of failing health. Mrs. Modlin accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior while attending Ridge Spring Baptist Church and was baptized there. Upon her death, she was a member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church in Ocala. She had many friends over the years and always had a caring heart for others. She is survived by her daughter, Mary M. Neikirk of Leesburg, FL, and her son, Robert E. Modlin of Burleson, TX. She is also survived by four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. A visitation will be held on Friday, January 22, 2016 from 10-11 AM with a funeral service at 11 AM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. Online condolences may be sent at hiers-baxley.com.

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### PETERSON, EDWARD E., 73

Ocala - Edward E. Peterson, 73, of Ocala, passed away on Sunday, January 17, 2016. Edward was born in Queens, NY (Flushing), to Werner and Mary Peterson. He moved to Ocala in 1993 from Long Island, NY. Edward retired from the NYPD after 20 years and was a deputy sheriff with MCSO for 15 years. He also served in the US Navy and was a Viet Nam veteran. He loved horticulture, agriculture and agronomy. Some of his favorite things to grow were Puerto Rican sweet peppers, crynum Lillie's and angel trumpets. He was a member of Meadowbrook Church and involved with their men's fellowship. He loved his family, was a humorous, kind, and compassionate man, and was always eager to show his loyalty and dedication to his country. Survivors include his wife, Vidalina Peterson of Ocala; daughters, Lorna Schwarz of Long Island, NY, Tania Morrow of Ocala; sons, Donal Peterson of Long Island, and Edward A. Peterson of Ocala, and five grandchildren. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171.

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### D'AGOSTINO, JR., ANTONIO 'TONY,' 94

Ocala - Antonio ('Tony') D'Agostino, Jr. died January 9, 2016 at the age of 94. He was predeceased by his beloved wife, Marie. They were married for 51 years. He is survived by his devoted daughters - Jennifer Goff and Linda Fletcher; his son-in-law, Philip Glotzer; his grandsons, Matthew (Jennifer) Goff, John (Nancy) Goff and his two greatgrandsons - Elliott and Miles Goff. Tony is also survived by his long-time companion, Lois June Finn. Tony and Marie built their life together and raised their family in Harrison, New York. Both were active participants within the Harrison community. In retirement, Tony and Marie moved to Ocala, Florida where he was a member of the Kingsland Property Owners Association, a member of the West Marion County Moose Association and also a member of the Legionaries Chapter #81. Tony was a proud member of the International Union of Operating Engineers - Local 137 - for over 60 years. A self-taught musician, Tony enjoyed sharing his music with family and friends. In addition to his musical talents, in retirement, he became proficient with woodworking. Tony will be remembered as a tireless friend and counselor to many. He was an inspiration to those who knew and loved him. The Family suggests donations in Tony's memory may be made to Legacy House, Hospice of Marion County, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, Florida 34481.

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### HOWARD, LEROY, 86

Ocala - Leroy Howard was born November 10, 1930 in Webster Florida to the late Isabella Riedding Howard and Wiley Howard. Leroy passed away on January 14, 2016 at

Ocala Regional Medical Center. Leroy leaves to cherish his memories special friend, Ester Brown; children, Leroy Howard Jr. (Mary), Gloria Smith, Ronald Howard Sr., Sabrina Jackson, Mary Harvey; brother, Raymond Howard Sr., 16 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and sorrowing friends. Funeral service for Leroy Howard will be held on Saturday, January 23, 2016 at 12:00 pm at New St. John Baptist Church. Visitation will be held on Friday, January 22, 2016 from 10:00am to 5:00pm at The New Cunningham Funeral Home. Wake service will be held on Friday, January 22, 2016 from 6:00pm to 7:00pm at The New Cunningham Funeral Home. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Johnson/Smith house at 1837 NW 2nd Street, Ocala, FL 34475 on Saturday January 23, 2016 at 11:15am. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 21 to Jan. 22, 2016

### **HUTCHINSON, TERRY LEE, 50**

Ocala - Mr. Hutchinson, 50, transitioned from this life to be with God on January 13, 2016 from Estelle's Hospice House. He is survived by, Ovieda Hutchinson, wife; daughter, Kimberly Honor (Elexious Bowen); grandchildren, Caldren and Calveon Redmon, Ky'maisa and Anthony Perry, Jr.; brother, Raymond Hutchinson {Dorothy}; sisters, Alzliner Landers (Allan), Faylene Hutchinson-Davis (Pastor Charles Davis), Neshera Smith (James). Wake service will be held Thursday, 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. at New Life Center Church of God In Christ, 17397 NE 23rd Terrace, Citra, FL. Visitation, Friday at Brown's Chapel. Service will be Saturday 11:00 Pentecostal Full Gospel Church, 5101N. US Hwy. 441, Ocala, FL), Apostle T. Tuggerson, Pastor. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 23, 2016 at 11:00 am at Pentecostal Full Gospel Church, 5105 N. US HWY 441. Family is asked to meet at church 10:30 on Saturday. Interment will follow at New Hope Cemetery, Citra, FL. Arrangements by Brown Memorial Funeral Home, 706 SW MLK, Jr. Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471, (352) 840-0611. 'Honoring the Life of Your Loved One.'

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### NICHOLS, CLARA MAE, 68

Ocala - Clara Mae Nichols, passed away January 16, 2016. Ms. Nichols leaves to cherish her precious memories, daughter, April Nichols; sister, Evelyn Nichols both of Ocala, Florida, and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Life Celebration for Ms. Nichols will be held on Saturday, January 23, 2016, 1pm at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, 2240 NE 86th Lane, Anthony, Florida, Rev. Michael Baker, Pastor. Rev. Lucious Taylor will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 1:30pm to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, Anthony, Florida at 12:30pm to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 21 to Jan. 22, 2016

### **ROBINSON, BETTY JEAN, 69**

Ocala - Betty Jean Robinson, 69, passed away on January 17, 2016 She leaves to cherish her memories children, Adayla Noble-Pender, Marlena Graham, and Alescia Bell-Rountree, siblings; Benjamin Poole Jr., Selena Alexander, and Glendor Baker; grandchildren, Mariel Charles, Verntienisha Smith, Daija Robinson, and Saibian Pender, a host of great grandchildren and other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, January 23, 2016 at 10:00am at Liberty Chapel Baptist Church, Rev. Charles Perry, Pastor. Visitation will be Friday, January 22, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10am-5pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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### **THOMAS, JULIA DAWSON GUINYARD, 75**

Ocala - Deaconess Julia Dawson Guinyard Thomas, 75, retired educator and seamstress/tailor went home to be with the Lord on January 17, 2016. She leaves to continue her legacy husband, Robert M. Thomas, Sr.; children, Dr. Janice L. Guinyard, Mbonya A. Myers, and LTC Joel S. Guinyard, I (Vanessa); God children, Wallace and Wandea Clark; sisters, Sadie Reese and Georgia Ruth Paulk (Leonard); God sister, Lula Whitaker; six grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; many beloved nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends. Julia's home going celebration will be held on Saturday, January 23, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. at Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, Ocala, FL, Rev. Dr. Lorenzo Edwards, Sr., Pastor. Visitation will be Friday, January 22, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Instead of flowers, please donate to the Julia Guinyard Thomas Legacy Scholarship Fund, for info, call 352.622.5533. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry ('Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade').

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## HENDERSHOT, PATRICIA 'PAT,' 64

Umatilla - Patricia 'Pat' Hendershot, age 64 of Umatilla, Florida, passed away on Tuesday, January 19, 2016. She was recently preceded in death by her husband, Freddy. Pat is survived by her daughter, Susan M. Griner-Hendershot; grandsons, Austin and Logan Griner; parents, Emma and William Hollingsworth; sister, Rose Lindsey and brother, Regie Hollingsworth. Visitation will be held Saturday, January 23, 2016 at 12:30 PM, at the First Baptist Church of Weirsdale, where Pat was a member. Funeral Services will be at 1:00 PM at the church, with burial to follow the funeral service at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, Florida.

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## **STEWART, SCOTT JERRY, 76**

Ocala - Scott Jerry Stewart passed away at Hospice Legacy House, Ocala, FL on January 5, 2016, after a courageous battle with idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis. He was born March 7, 1939 in Santa Monica, Ca. He served in the U.S. Army, and after graduat-ing from the University of Montana, where he was a member of the swim/diving team, he worked as a research microbiologist at Rocky Mtn. Lab, National Institute of Health, in Hamilton, Mt. He loved his work. Scott and his wife enjoyed many years traveling extensively after his retirement and settled in Stone Creek, Ocala, in 2012. He was an avid hunter and angler, enjoyed reading, woodworking, national and international travel, and learning. He liked

to help people and was well known for his gift of gab. He loved teaching his grandchildren all sorts of things. Scott is survived by his wife of 53 years, Patricia; a son Rick (Beverly) and grandchildren, Allen and Sarah, of South Carolina, a brother Bert of Arizona, a sister June Leathers of Oregon, and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his parents, Oka and Julia Stewart, and a brother, Boyd. At Scott's request, there will be no services. Memorials can be sent to the charity of the donor's choice.

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### WEISENFLUH, MERLYN A., 94

Ocala - Merlyn A. Weisenfluh, 94, of Ocala passed away on Wednesday, January 20, 2016, at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was a US Navy veteran where he proudly served in WWII and The Korean War. Survivors include his wife of 71 years, Anne Weisenfluh; son, Larry Weisenfluh (Sharon); daughters, Carol Workman (Edward) and Jo Anne Overall; six grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. A visitation will be held Sunday, January 24, 2016, from 2-3 PM with a funeral service to follow at 3 PM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. A graveside service will take place on Tuesday, January 26, 2016, at 12 PM, located at Highland Memorial Park in Ocala. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 24, 2016**

### CAIN, ALBERT E., 81

Dunnellon - Albert E. Cain, age 81, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away January 19, 2016 at the Legacy House in Ocala, FL. Born on April 1, 1934 in Moundsville, WV to Joseph and Rebecca (Hill) Cain. Albert moved to Dunnellon 16 years ago from Pinellas County. He was a retired Pipe Fitter and a Marine Corp Veteran. Albert was a member of the Benevolent and Protective Order of the Elks Lodge # 1224 of St. Pete., FL; American Legion; DAV #158 of Crystal River, FL; Local Union #123 of Tampa, FL and he was an Episcopalian. Survived by his wife, Beverly Cain of Dunnellon, FL; five children, Joseph Cain of Pinellas Park, FL, Roger Cain of Rogersville, TN, David Cain of Lutz, FL, Mark Cain of Coconut Creek, FL and Marian Cain of Tampa, FL; one sister, Betty Ruth Boso, Tiltonsville, OH; ten grandchildren; three great grandchildren. Visitation will be held on Sunday, January 24, 2016 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Brown Funeral Home in Lecanto, FL where funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. Burial will be at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on Monday at 1 P.M. In lieu of flowers, family requests that memorial donations be made to the Marion County Hospice Legacy House in Ocala, FL. Brown Funeral Home and Crematory Lecanto, Florida

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 25, 2016**

## CORLEY, MARTHA SUE, 84

Ocala - Martha Sue Corley, 84, passed away January 20, 2016 at the Brandley Hospice

House in Summerfield, FL surrounded by her family. Born August 24, 1931 in Dothan, AL, to Samuel Coy Brown and Ella Muriel Hinson. She was a supervisor for Southern Bell Telephone Company. She is preceded in death by her beloved husband of 67 years, Robert Corley. She is survived by her son, Robert Corley (Vicki) of Bend, OR; daughter, Pamela Barnes (Jay) of Ocala; brother, Samuel Coy Brown Jr. of Merritt Island, FL; three grandchildren, Michelle Corley, Michael Corley, Lindsay Barnes, and two great-grandchildren, Camilla Corley and Asher Corley. Funeral Services will be 1:00 p.m., Monday, January 25, 2016 at Barnes Cemetery with Pastor Elwood Baker officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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### DALLAS, DAVID F., 87

Ocala - David F. Dallas, age 87, of Ocala, FL formerly of Warwick, Rhode Island and a Warwick City Councilman entered into eternal peace on January 16, 2016 at the Hospice Legacy House in Ocala, Florida. He was married for 63 years to the late Mary (Mason) Dallas. He was the father of the late David F. Dallas Jr. Born in Whitmire, SC he leaves a daughter, Deborah A. Molnar and her husband, Stephen of Johnston, RI. Mr. Dallas was the owner of Hoxsie Liquors on Airport Road for 28 years, after selling the store he worked for the City of Warwick. Mr. Dallas served in the Navy during the Korean War. A service with Navy honors will be held on Tuesday, January 26, 2016 at 11:00AM at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Arrangements are in the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, Ocala, Florida. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting gifts to be made in his memory to the Hospice of Marion County, Inc., Post Office Box 4860 Ocala, Florida 34478-4860.

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### **HEFFREN, DARLENE SCHNARR, 86**

Ocklawaha - Darlene Schnarr Heffren, age 86, of Ocklawaha, FL, passed away Thursday, January 21, 2016, at Estelle's Hospice House, Ocala, FL. She was born March 13, 1929 in Roseville, IL, daughter of the late Gustave and Bertha Brown Schnarr. Mrs. Heffren retired from teaching in 1989 after 31 years. She was a life member of the NEA. She was a trustee, Sunday school teacher and youth director of Ocklawaha United Methodist Church. She was an organizer of Girl Scouts of America for Lake Weir and she volunteered at Interfaith of Ocala, FL. She also volunteered at the Marion County court house. Darlene and her husband, Richard, owned Lake Weir Trailer Park from the early '70s until 1986. Surviving are two daughters, Rebecca Chauncy of Belleview and Michele Williams of Ocklawaha, FL; son, Gregory Goforth of Columbia, IL; sister, Patricia McCloskey of IA and brother, Harold Schnarr of IL; 10 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Richard P. Heffren; four sisters, Gerri Hilton, Gen Belville, Creta Harper, and Betty Wilson; two brothers, Berton Schnarr and Gus Schnarr. Contributions in memory of Mrs. Heffren may be made to Interfaith Emergency Services online at www.iesmarion.org or by mail to P. O. Box 992, Ocala, FL 34478. Friends will be received at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Rd. Belleview, FL, on Monday, January 25, 2016, from 10:00 to 11:00 AM. Services will be held at 11:00 am

with Rev. Ken Vickery presiding. Inurnment will be held at a later date. Online condolences may be sent at www.Hiers-Baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 24 to Jan. 25, 2016

## **IMBESI, CARMELO ANTHONY, 89**

Carmelo 'Carl' Anthony Imbesi, 89, of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, January 21, 2016. Carl was born in the Bronx, NY to Salvatore and Carmela Imbesi. He moved to Ocala with his lovely wife Julie from the Bronx, NY in 2003. Carl lived a full life. After his service in the US Navy he worked with his father Salvatore at 'Sal's Barber Shop' in the Bronx and later opened his own shop. His true calling came when he became a Manager in the Waldorf Astoria in NYC. He loved people and everyone who knew him, loved him. His stories of his years in the Waldorf Astoria were endless. Carl later retired from OTB, NYC. He was a great husband, amazing father and devoted grandfather who never missed a school or sports event. Carl also had a passion for gardening and cooking. Friends and family around him made him happy and he made everyone around him happy, never asking for anything other than their presence. Carl along with Julie also enjoyed starring as extras in three movies. Carl is survived by his wife of 64 years, Julia Imbesi, his children, Linda (Salvatore) Castello, Debra (Tony) Napolitano, Richard Imbesi, Caryn (Michael) Lutz, his grandchildren, Michael Castello, Gina Castello, Samantha Lutz, Christopher Napolitano, Jennifer Lutz, Heather Napolitano and Kimberly Lutz, as well as his 2 great grandchildren, Sky and Kaya. Visitation will be Monday, January 25th, 1pm to 3pm and 5pm to 7pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home in Ocala. Funeral services will be on Tuesday, January 26th at 1:00pm at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Entombment will follow at Highland Memorial Park in Ocala. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services located at 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352) 629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiersbaxlev.com.

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## **LEHNER, BEATRICE BUSAN, 98**

Ocala - Beatrice Busan Lehner died January 17, 2016. She passed away in her sleep at home with her stepdaughter, Nadine, after recently celebrating with family members her 98th birthday. Beatrice was born December 29, 1917 in Czechoslovakia, but immigrated to the USA and became a naturalized citizen in 1945. She was the loving wife of John Bernard Lehner, who passed away at 100 on February 9, 2008. Beginning in 1974 Beatrice and John had split their residence between Long Island, New York and Ocala, Florida until 2006 when they became fulltime residents of Ocala. Beatrice is survived by her stepdaughter, Nadine (Ocala, FL) and three stepsons, John (Ocala, FL), William (Manassas, VA) and Gerard (Woodstock, NY), seven grandchildren and five greatgrandchildren. Beatrice was a parish member of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church. A formal memorial service will be held at the family grave in Holy Rude Cemetery, Westbury, NY.

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# LOEBIG, NANCY SUE, 66

Summerfield - Nancy Sue Loebig, age 66, of Summerfield, FL passed away on Friday,

January 15, 2016 under the care of The Lodge Rehab Center, Ocala, FL. Nancy was the wife of Jim Loebig for 47 years. Born in Miani, FL she was a daughter of Leon and Willie Dotson. Nancy worked with her husband, Jim at their Red Sunset Horse Farm, Summerfield, FL. She loved her horses and her dogs. She also enjoyed photography. Nancy will be deeply missed by her husband, Jim; daughter, Kim Buford of Summerfield, FL and son, Patrick Loebig of Belleview, FL. She is the grandmother of Cassie Buford and Aubrey and Brady Loebig.

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### LOGAN, JEAN E., 82

Ocala - Jean E. Logan, 82, of Ocala, FL, passed away surrounded by her loving family. Jean was born August 1, 1933 in Amboy, IL to the late William J. and Minnie (Kusie) Eller. She is also predeceased by her brother, William Jr., and sister, Betty. Jean moved to Ocala in 1986 from Dixon, IL. She was a good painter, and enjoyed giving family members her paintings. Jean also enjoyed crafts, and loved spending time with her family. She never had a negative thing to say about anyone, and will be dearly missed. She is survived by her devoted husband of 60 years, William Jack Logan of Ocala; two sons; William 'Jack' (Athena) Logan Jr. of Englewood, FL; and David Earl (Deb) Logan, of New Orleans, LA; sister, Marion Auganbaugh, of Byron, IL; eight grandchildren; two great grandchildren. There will be a memorial service held at a later date. Arrangements by Roberts of Ocala, 606 SW 2nd AV, Ocala, Fl, 34471.

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## MORRIS, REV. ALFRED JOHN, 90

Dunnellon- Rev. Alfred John Morris, age 90 peacefully passed away in his home to be with his Lord and Savior on Wednesday morning January 20th, 2016. Alfred was born in Pawtucket, R.I. April 7th, 1925 to Charles and Charlotte Morris. He proudly served his country in WW II as a US Naval Sailor. He graduated from Barrington College, attended Baptist Seminary and served as a pastor in R.I., and CA. Alfred went on to study at Gordon Divinity Theological Seminary, and the Episcopal Church Divinity School of the Pacific. He was an Ordained Episcopal Priest, served as an associate rector of St. Paul's Church, CA., Vicar of Trinity Church, Pawtucket, R.I. and Rector of Good Shepherd Church, Shelton, CT. for 18 years. Alfred retired in 1988. He is survived by his loving wife, Dorothy, of 59 years; three sons, Stephen, Alfred Jr., and Leslie Morris; four grandchildren Richard, Andrew, Monica, and Malynda. A Memorial Service will be held at Holy Faith Episcopal Church, located at 19924 W. Blue Cove Drive, Dunnellon, FL. 34432 on Saturday, January 30th, 2016 at 2pm. Expressions of sympathy can be at www.robertsofdunnellon.com. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Holy Faith Episcopal Church memorial fund, or Hospice of Marion County.

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#### MUEHLBAUER, EILEEN ROSE, 88

Ocala - Eileen Rose Muehlbauer, of Waukesha, WI and Ocala, FL, died on Thursday, January 21, 2016 in Waukesha at the age of 88. She was born in Spearville, Kansas on May 7, 1927 the daughter of Charles and Helen (nee Fox) Berend. On September 16, 1946 she married John Muehlbauer; he preceded her in death in 2002. Following their

retirement in 1978 they moved Florida. After moving to Florida, Eileen enjoyed golfing and belonged to several golf leagues. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala, FL. She will be sadly missed by her children, Michael (Sharon) Muehlbauer, Nancy (John) Ritter, David (Pamela) Muehlbauer, Roger (Debby) Muehlbauer and close friend, Bill Cashman. She was the dear grandmother of 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. She is further survived by her sisters and a brother along with many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. Visitation will be held on Thursday, January 28, 2016 from 10:30 a.m. until the time of the 11:30 a.m. funeral Mass at St. Mary Catholic Church, 225 S. Hartwell Avenue, Waukesha, WI 53186. Father Howard Haase will preside. Burial will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens in Ocala, FL. Memorials are appreciated to the charity of the donor's choice. Randle-Dable-Brisk Funeral Home, Crematory and Preplanning Services is honored to serve the family. For further information, please call the funeral home at 262-547-4035 or visit our website at www.randledable.com for directions or to leave the family an online tribute message.

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#### **ROBERTS, TAMMY L., 69**

Ocala - Tammy L. Roberts, born July 7, 1946 in Ocala, FL, died Monday, January 18, 2016 at Legacy Hospice House after a brief illness. She was preceded in death by husband, Clarence Eugene Roberts; grandson Tyler Dane Roberts; mother, Beatrice Durden and father, Earl Durden. She is survived by sons, Danny Durden, Kenneth Roberts and Clinton Roberts. Graveside services will be held on Monday, January 25, 2016, at 1pm, Highland Memorial Park Cemetery, in Ocala, FL. Arrangements made in care of Roberts Funeral Home, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL 34471. 352-622-4141.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 27, 2016**

#### ASHMEAD, BETTY, 86

Dunnellon - Mrs. Betty Ashmead, 86, of Dunnellon, passed away Saturday, January 23, 2016, following a brief illness. A native of Winchester, VA, Mrs. Ashmead moved to Dunnellon in 1996, coming here from Clearwater, FL. Her survivors include her daughter, Sherri Woodstuff (John); daughter, Karen Frye; sons, Freddy Ashmead IV and Jeffrey Ashmead, seven grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. Mrs. Ashmead's son, Greg Hankins, died in 1969 while serving in the US Marine Corps in Viet Nam. She is also preceded in death by her husband, Frederick Ashmead III. Mrs. Ashmead was an active member of First United Methodist Church in Dunnellon, where she was known as the 'Badge Cop.' Her personal ministry was to get everyone to wear name badges to better enable folks to know one another's name. To honor her memory, in lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to First United Methodist Church to further her 'Badge Ministry.' Funeral services will be held at 6 PM Thursday, January 28, 2016, at First United Methodist Church in Dunnellon. The family will receive friends from 5-6

PM. Interment will take place on Friday at Memorial Park Cemetery in St. Petersburg. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 26 to Jan. 27, 2016

### DAVIS, WILLIAM G., 80

Dunnellon - William G. Davis, born October 15, 1935 in Frostburg, MD; died January 23, 2016 in Ocala, FL. Bill was a member of Episcopal Church of the Advent, Dunnellon, FL. He never met a stranger, and touched so many lives. He adored his children and grandchildren; additionally he was the greatest father, grandfather, and husband. Regardless, he always had a smile on his face. Mr. Davis was a star athlete at Beall High School, Frostburg, from which he graduated, Class of 1953. He went on to Washington College, Chestertown, MD, also from which he graduated and entered the US Marine Corps as a second lieutenant. He was a military career man, serving two tours in Vietnam having earned the Bronze Star. Bill traveled all over the world and in 1968 the 2nd Marines were called to the Dominican Republic where he was pictured in Life Magazine. After his prestigious 27 year career, William retired in 1986 as a Colonel. He was very proud of being a US Marine and was never without a USMC baseball hat and shirt... Semper Fi! Following his retirement, Bill busied himself in restaurant management, and working/traveling all over the USA with FireArms Training Simulator (FATS). He is survived by his beloved wife, Ellen 'Snookie' Davis, Dunnellon; children, Patti (John) Femi, Chantilly, VA, Billi (Amy) Davis, Palisade, CO, Chris (Shannon) Davis, Stockbridge, GA, Eva (Jim) Wilson, Ridgeley, WV, Heather (Jeff) Lewis, Ocala, FL; brother, Gerard 'Jerry' (Mildred) Davis; grandchildren, Ashley and Tyler Femi, Amelia, Flannery, and Keino Davis, Brandon Fox, Parker Radatz, Katlin and Kaley Wilson, Avery and Kendall Lewis; step-children, Gail (Robert) Kreiger, and Craig (Debra) Stevenson, all of Olympia, WA; step-grandchildren, Samual Kreiger, Lauren Johnson, Rachal Rusk, Rebecca and Erik Stevenson; great-step-grandchildren, Dylan, Annabell and Madyline Johnson, Virginia Kreiger. Bill was preceded in death by his parents, Gerard and Virginia Davis. Celebration of life will be Friday, January 29, 2016 11:00 AM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES - Timber Ridge, and the family will receive friends one hour prior. Inurnment with military honors will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. The family recommends memorials be sent to Hospice of Marion County. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 26 to Jan. 27, 2016

## JENNINGS BAUMGARTNER, TAMMY LEE, 41

Fort McCoy - Tammy Lee Jennings Baumgartner, 41, passed away January 22, 2016. Born April 26, 1974 in Fort Gordon, GA to Larry S. Jennings and Karen Harms Jennings. She was a homemaker. She is survived by her husband, Brian Baumgartner; parents, Larry and Karen Jennings; children, Brandi Lee Tomlinson, Devan S. Bodie and Summer Lynn Bodie; sister, Kim Jennings; grandchildren, Arabella Marie Bodie and Christopher Tomlinson Jr. Memorial Service will be 5:30 p.m., Wednesday, January 27, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with Pastor Bob King officiating. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 26 to Jan. 27, 2016

## JOSEPHSON, PAULA RONNIE, 69

Ocala - On January 23, 2016 Paula Ronnie Josephson passed away peacefully at Marion

County Hospice in Ocala, Florida. Paula was 69 years old. Paula was preceded in death by her mother, Bernice Koset and her father, Frederick Edward Josephson. She is survived by her step mother, Roseanne Josephson; brothers, Robert Josephson, John Josephson and Jay Josephson; sisters, Donna Koba and Susan Barge along with 12 nieces and nephews and 10 great-grand nieces and nephews. Services will take place as follows: Saturday, January 30, 2016, Souls Harbor First Pentecostal Church, 12650 S.E. County Highway 484, Belleview, FL 34420. Viewing at 9:00 a.m., with the service to follow at 10:00 a.m., Monday, February 1, 2016, Caballero Rivero Southern Memorial Funeral Home, 15011 West Dixie Highway, North Miami, FL 33181. Viewing at 12:30 p.m., with service at 1:30 p.m., and internment to follow at Southern Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to The Marion County Hospice or to the Marion County Humane Society.

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### MENEZES, JOSEPH R.

Ocala - Joseph R. Menezes from Ocala, Florida was self-employed as a contractor builder in Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Florida and Maine. He was the son of Jose E. and Evangelina Andrade Menezes who lived in Somerset, MA. He was a WWII veteran serving in the Army. He fought the London Blitzkreig, downing U2's and Buzzy Bombs. He also served in The Landing of Normandy, the Battle of the Bulge and in six major battles. He was happily married to the late Evelyn Souza Menezes. His sister, Alma, preceded him in death. He is survived by his brother, Herbert of MA and his younger sister, Valentina of PA and several nieces and nephews. His adopted children, Joalice and Thomas Hagle were his caregivers and lived with him since June 9, 2015, taking care of him. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Friday, January 29, 2016 from 2 - 3 PM with a prayer service immediately following at 3PM. His cremated remains will be buried at a later date at St. Patrick Cemetery in Somerset, MA. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, Florida. hiers-baxley.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 27 to Jan. 28, 2016

#### MUNN, DR. RUFUS HENRY, 75

Ocala - Dr. Rufus Henry Munn, husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, brother, counselor, professor, executive, pilot, farmer, golfer, fisherman, dancer are but a few of the ways to describe Dr. Rufus Henry Munn. Born February 2, 1940, in Gainesville, FL, Mr. Munn was 75 years old when he passed on January 16, 2016 at his beloved Fairfield farm with family and friends at his bedside after a two-year battle with Parkinson's and a stroke. Dr. Munn is survived by his wife, Dr. Mary Ann Ferguson; his two sons, Henry Klein Munn (Melanie) of Seagrove, NC and Aaron Duane Munn (Hope) of Lugoff, SC and his two daughters, Sonia Sherrell 'Sam' Starkey of Dunnellon, FL and Selena Christine Munn of Bowling Green, KY. He is also survived by a sister, Lessie Rimes (John) of Worthington Springs, FL and his brother, Robert Eugene Munn of Hawthorne, FL. There are 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his infant daughter, Selena C., Alachua, FL; his mother, Atha Elvalee (Bass), Trenton, FL; his father, Henry Lee Munn, Hague, FL; and his brother, CPO Lewis Bronzell Munn, Hague, FL. Rufus Munn was determined to continue his education throughout his life. After graduation from Santa Fe High School, Alachua, he attended the University of

Florida, and he later earned an MBA from Rollins College, Winter Park, in the first executive MBA class while working for United Telephone of Florida. He retired from Sprint as Director of its data centers after 35 years where he directed data centers and data center mergers for the former United Telephone of Florida in Ocala, Fort Myers, Winter Park and with later acquisitions by Sprint, Overland Park, Kansas. Mr. Munn was a former president of Silver Springs Rotary Club and a member of the Ocala Elks Lodge. After retirement Mr. Munn earned an MA in psychological counseling from the University of Alabama and a PhD in educational counseling from Mississippi State University, Starkville, MS in 2000. Following his work in private counseling in Mississippi he retired a second time to his farm in Florida where he raised Angus cattle and quarter horses. He was a member of Reddick United Methodist Church and a memorial service will be held there at 2 p.m. on Saturday January 30, 2016. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions to Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 26 to Jan. 27, 2016

### TAYLOR, PAUL MYRTINS, 82

Belleview - Paul Myrtins Taylor, 82, of Belleview, FL, Passed January, 25, 2016. Paul was born August 12, 1933 in Red Level, AL, to Oscar and Ruby Taylor. He is survived by his loving wife of 42 years, Kathleen Sheets Taylor; one son; four daughters; seven adopted children; 14 grandchildren, and a plethora of nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements are entrusted to Baldwin Brothers- The Villages.

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#### **MENEZES, JOSEPH R.**

Ocala - Joseph R. Menezes from Ocala, Florida was self-employed as a contractor builder in Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Florida and Maine. He was the son of Jose E. and Evangelina Andrade Menezes who lived in Somerset, MA. He was a WWII veteran serving in the Army. He fought the London Blitzkreig, downing U2's and Buzzy Bombs. He also served in The Landing of Normandy, the Battle of the Bulge and in six major battles. He was happily married to the late Evelyn Souza Menezes. His sister, Alma, preceded him in death. He is survived by his brother, Herbert of MA and his younger sister, Valentina of PA and several nieces and nephews. His adopted children, Joalice and Thomas Hagle were his caregivers and lived with him since June 9, 2015, taking care of him. The family will receive friends at the funeral home Friday, January 29, 2016 from 2 - 3 PM with a prayer service immediately following at 3PM. His cremated remains will be buried at a later date at St. Patrick Cemetery in Somerset, MA. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, Florida. hiers-baxley.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 27 to Jan. 28, 2016

#### **POWELL, FREDA, 74**

Dunnellon - Freda Powell, 74 years old, passed away on January 21, 2016 at her home in Dunnellon, FL. Freda was born in KY on July 25,1941. She was proceeded in death by her husband, Wade Powell; daughter, Rhonda Sue; son, Anthony Powell; son, Ronald

Powell; granddaughter Tiffany Powell; and great grandson Cory Shipley. She leaves behind five children, Gilbert Powell, Christine Anderson, Theresa Gomes, Stella Graham, and Paul Powell, as well as 17 Grandchildren, and 18 Great Grand children. She was a loving Mother and Grandmother and the foundation to the family, she will be dearly missed by all who had the chance to know her.

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### **RHODENBAUGH, JO NELL, 65**

Ocala - Jo Nell Rhodenbaugh, 65, of Moline, IL, formerly of Ocala, FL, died Tuesday, January 26, 2016, at Amber Ridge Assisted Living, Moline, IL. A Celebration of Life will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, February 13, 2016, at Kirk, Huggins & Esterdahl Funeral Home, Ltd., 1301 4th Street, Orion, IL. Memorials may be made to First Lutheran Church in Sherrard, IL. Memories may be shared online by visiting esterdahl.com.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 29, 2016**

#### BRILEY, GEORGE T., 92

Ocala - George T. Briley, age 92, of Ocala, passed away on January 19, 2016, at home surrounded by his loving family. He was born on October 30, 1923, in Jackson, MS to Ben and Lexie Seale Briley. George moved to Ocala in 2009. He was a blind retired business owner in the State Capitol building of MS for 35 years of service. George was a member of The First United Methodist Church of Ocala and enjoyed the Open Door Sunday school class. George was a kind man of distinction who was respected for his keen intellect and independence. He inspired those around him. His yearbook describes him: 'a small spark kindles a mighty flame.' Survivors include family members, W.E. and Peggy Spear, Bill and Ginny Spear, Scott and Tina Interdonato, Alex and Christina Sanchez, Heather and John Somers, Will Spear, and Scott Michael Interdonato, all of Ocala, and Wallace Cox and wife, Molly, of Philadelphia, MS. Dr. John Few and Dr. Don Jones officiated at the funeral service January 22, 2016.

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#### CLARK, BEATRICE 'BEA,' 80

Ocala - Beatrice 'Bea' Clark, 80, passed away January 21, 2016. Ms. Beatrice 'Bea' Clark was born July 9, 1935 in Newberry, FL. Ms. Clark leaves to cherish her memories, son, Bruce L. Clark (Debbie), Tampa, FL, and daughter, Carol E. Clark- Duley, Winter Haven, FL; sister, Mae F. Barr (Willie), Ocala, FL; grandchildren, Vashawn L. Clark, Bradenton, FL and Gregory Clark (Tonya) Tampa, FL; four great grandchildren, Alexia, Eric, Lily and Haley and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and a lifelong friend, La Verne K. Cogdell and many comforting friends Life Celebration for Ms. Clark will be held on Saturday, January 30, 2016, 11am at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 728 NW 6th Avenue, Ocala, Florida. Reverend Bruce Chatman, Sr. will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Clark's residence (2501 SW 10th Street, APT#209, Ocala, Florida) at 10:15am to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following

the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 28 to Jan. 29, 2016

### JACOBS, AZALEE ROBERTS, 91

Ocala - Azalee Roberts Jacobs was educated in the Marion and Hillsborough County Public School System. She retired from Sun Bank Trust Department as a private direct care worker. Azalee was a member of the New Zion Missionary Baptist Church for 57 years. She leaves to cherish he memory, four sons, Orion (Vanessa) Davis, Odell (Ann) Terrell, Herman Terrell and Derwin (Vicky) Terrell; eight daughters, Florine Robinson, Joann Brigham, Annie Monts, Jeanette Terrell, Marilyn Woods, Cassandra Dyous, Kimberly Terrell and Tracy Dukes; twenty-five grandchildren; forty-five great grandchildren; seven great great grandchildren. Public viewing will be held at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL on Friday, January 29, 2016 from 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Funeral services will be on Saturday, January 30, 2016 at 2:30 p.m. at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church, 728 NW 6th Avenue, Ocala, FL - Reverend Bruce Chatman, Sr., Pastor.Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 - 'A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family'. Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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#### **JEFFERSON, BISHOP FRANK, 85**

Ocala - Bishop Frank Jefferson, 85, founder and Bishop at The Church of The Most High God Christian Church Inc., Transitioned from this life to one with his Heavenly Father, on January 21, 2016. He is survived by a devoted wife, Mary Frances Jefferson; daughters, Betti (Miller) Gadson, Adriane Tindal, Lakay (Willie) Jones and Latoya Boger; sons, Gregory (Kerilyn) Boger and Jeffery Jefferson; step-sisters Sarah Boyd, Etta Sloan, Mildred Banks and Dorothy Crution; step-brother, Walter Taylor; aunt, Cleo Jefferson; mother-in-law, Laura Moore; sister-in-laws, Vivian (Don) Flowers, Milynda Mercer, Brenda Ismail, Jacqueline (Augustus) Chandler and Gwenevere Kelly; brotherin-laws, Nathaniel (Cheryl) Moore and Craig (Karla) Moore; a special cousin, Vernesa Lyn Jefferson; 10 grandchildren; great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. A wake service will be held on Thursday, January 28, 2016 from 6:00-8:00 p. m., Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, January 30, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. both services at the Church of the Most High God in Belleview. Interment will be on Monday February 1, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Services rendered by Brown Memorial Funeral Home. 'Honoring the Life of Your Loved One.'

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#### **JONES, CELESTINE, 84**

Ocala - Celestine Jones, 84, passed away January 20, 2016. Mrs. Jones leaves to cherish her memories, loving husband of 65 years, Odell Jones; sons, Alfred(Priscilla)Jones, Alonzo Jones, Calvin Jones, Marvell Jones; daughter, Debra Jones-Hendrix; devoted and loving granddaughter/caregiver, Marquita Jones, Brothers, Hilbert Cobarris, Edward (Carolyn) Whipple, and a host of great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and

sorrowing friends. Life Celebration for Mrs. Jones will be held on Saturday, January 30, 2016, 1pm at Bethlehem Baptist Church, 8750 W Hwy 326, Ocala, Florida. Reverend Jason Sims will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Jones' residence (7463 W Hwy 326, Ocala, Florida) at 12:15pm to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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#### **MEILE, ELSIE LENORE, 94**

Ocala - Elsie Lenore Meile, entered Gods Kingdom January 25, 2016 at the age of 94. Loving daughter to Louis and Louise Fiala. Brothers, Louis (Pauline) and Reverend John Fiala; Sisters, Mollie (Patrick) Pesata and Marie (Ben) Chaykowski. Beloved wife to predeceased John Bogdan, Albert Kara and John Meile. Loving mother to John Bogdan (Shirley), Lawrence Bogdan (Cheryl) and Mary L. Bogdan Holahan (Mark). Stepmother to the late Bruce Meile (Karen). Dear grandmother to Peter (Jaclyn) Bogdan, Crystal, Michael, Eric and Laura Bogdan, Jennifer and Jared Holahan and Howard John Meile. Dear great grandmother to Alexis V. Bogdan. Dear cousin to the late Eline (William) Kleiss. Loving aunt and friend to many. She worked as a RN in hospitals for the American Red Cross and in Industry. Decorated WWII 1st Lieutenant in the ANC, she worked at the Front Lines and earned several awards including a Purple Heart. Devoted Catholic, active member of Christ the King, Citra, she worked the Thrift Shop and Share Program. She lived a life filled with faith, strength, bravery, love, devotion and giving. Devoted wife, wonderful nurturing mother, educator and true friend. She will be missed terribly but will leave our hearts and minds full of her teachings and love. Services to be held at Christ the King Catholic Church 14045 N. US Hwy 301, Citra, FL 32113. Viewing will begin at 9:30AM, Rosary Service at 10AM and the Funeral Mass at 11AM followed by Military Honors. In lieu of flowers memorial donations can be made to the American Heart Assoc. 5455 N. High St. Columbus, OH 43214 or Christ the King. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141.

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## HUGHES, MARILYN RUTH

Ocala - On Friday, January 22, 2016, Our Heavenly Father, decided it was time for Marilyn Ruth Hughes, an educator of 52 years, 31 of them in Marion County at Stanton Weirsdale Elementary, to retire from her earthly home. Our earthly angel was loved and will certainly be missed! She will live forever in our hearts. She leaves to cherish her memories: daughter, Shauna Adams, Portland, Oregon; son, Christopher Hughes, LA, California; grand daughter, Maya Elizabeth Adams-Dirks, Portland, Oregon; grandson, Ian Thomas Adams-Dirk, Portland, Oregon; grandsons, Cameron Hughes and Christopher Hughes, Jr., LA, California; sister, Jacquline Cherry, Macon, GA ; sister, Brenda Blackmon, Rockledge, FL; sister, Masie McBride Greenleaf, Ocala, FL. Funeral Service will be held on Saturday, January 30, 2016, 1:00 p.m. at Mt. Moriah AME, 1295

E. Huey St. Wildwood, Fl 34785 No public visitation or viewing. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 28 to Jan. 30, 2016

### **ROARK, JOHN LEE, 70**

Ocala - John Lee Roark, 70, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Monday, January 25, 2016. John was born in Richmond, IN to Walter and Marie Roark and moved to Ocala in 1983. He was a HVAC tech and teacher at CTAE and Lowell Women's Prison. John was a US Army veteran. He enjoyed fishing, boating, dancing, his children and granddaughters. John's favorite 'sport' was playing the lottery. John is survived by his wife of 47 years, Janet Sue Roark; daughters, Mischelle (Jeff) Bain, and Jennifer (Jamie) Burton; granddaughters, Gaby and Zoe; seven sisters, and one brother. A memorial service will be held on Friday, January 29, 2016 at 5:00 pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# SCHACHLE, VIRGINA (DRUDING)

Virginia Schachle, born in Gettysburg, PA on April 3, 1949. She moved to Pensacola, FL as a child. She was raised on a farm with 11 siblings. She was married to Joe Flowers for over 40 years. They had five children. She is survived by her five children, 14 grandchildren, and four great grandchildren. She worked all over the country as a construction supervisor. More recently she graduated from Fortis University with a 3.98 average. It was the second highest grade point average in the class with a degree in Medical Office Administration. She loved people, animals, and the great outdoors. She took the USCG Captain course and along with three men out of 28 passed on the first try. A few years ago she met and married Captain Vince Druding of Awareness Adventures. She loved cruising the river with people. Three years ago, she was diagnosed with ovarian cancer. She fought it with surgery and chemo with the help of Shands UF Hospital. She lost the battle Sunday, January 24, 2016. There will be a memorial cruise on Silver River planned at a later date.

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## WEAKLEY, FANNIE M.

Ocala - Fannie M. Weakley, 84, passed away peacefully at home, January 18, 2016. Born January 12, 1932 in Chipley, FL to Jesse Griffin and Missouri Godwin Griffin. Fannie worked as a fruit packer in the citrus industry, enjoyed teaching Sunday School and was a member of the Widow's ministry. A mighty woman of God and prayer warrior, she has been a long time member of Living Water's Worship Center. Her and her late husband Ernest Weakley drove the Bethany Temple Church of God ministry bus in Tarpon Springs for many years. She is preceded in death by her beloved husband of 54 years, Ernest Weakley. She is survived by her daughters, Angeline Reaves (Steve) of Ocala, Erin Cambero (Victor) of Charlotte, NC; grandchildren, Corine Sterling, Kendra Grimes, Aaron Reaves, Brendan Carroll Hernandez, Nelissa Cambero, Jocelyn Cambero; great-grandchildren, Julian Grimes, Eugene Grimes, Leondra Grimes, Sylvester Franklin III, Damien Sterling and Cora Sterling. Memorial Service will be 11:00 a.m., Saturday,

January 30, 2016 at Living Water's Worship Center, Ocala, FL with Pastor John Childers officiating. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 29 to Jan. 30, 2016

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, January 31, 2016**

# ANDERSON, HENRY W., 68

Ocala - Henry W. Anderson, long time Ocala resident, passed away January 27, 2016 at the age of 68 at West Marion Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Alice (Terry) Anderson; his children Nicole Burdick, Brenda Tribley, Brian Anderson, Andrea Bass; his grandchildren, Amber Tribley, Crystal Angel, Samantha Burdick, Breanna, Andrew, Skylor and Mea Anderson, Julian, Bella, Jasper Bass; great grandson, Aaron Maturen; brother, Milton Anderson. Preceded in death by his grandson, Brandon Anderson, 2014. There will be no funeral services.

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# MAXEY, CARMELITA VERA DAVIS, 77

Ocala - Carmelita Maxey 'Mamalita' born September 20, 1938 in Ocala, FL to Elijah and Elizabeth Inez Davis life expired on January 18, 2016. Left to mourn her 102 year old father, Elijah Davis; daughters, Sandra Mobley, Donnie Marquez, Carmen Williams; God daughter, Priscilla Honor; grandchildren, J. Kymberly Cloud, Hermese Davis, Enjoli Ford, Nicholas Ford, Sherona Thomas, Reginalle Gill, Reginald Williams Jr, Ericia Crews, Santana Mobley, Katrina Williams, Stephanie Mobley, Andre Mobley, Dan Joseph Williams, Jonathan Williams, Marissa Mobley; siblings, Elijah C. Davis, Adelle Clayton, Roland Davis, Gwendolyn Davis, Gracelyn Honor, Zelderstine Jackson, Meltonia Goodman, Sheron Madison, Delphenia Hyche, Junie Pate, Hermese Harrell. Wake Service Saturday, January 30, 2016 4:00-6:00 at Brown's Chapel. Visitation Saturday, January 30, 2016, 11:00 at Brown's Chapel. Services Sunday, January 31, 2016, 3:00 at House of God. Arrangements by Brown Memorial Funeral Home, 706 SW MLK Jr. Avenue, Ocala, FL.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 1, 2016**

# DAUGHERTY, CYNTHIA KAY WELLS, 68

Ocala - Cynthia Kay Wells Daugherty, 68 of Ocala, FL lost her battle with cancer on January 19, 2016 at home surrounded by her family. Cindy was an avid card and bingo player. She loved her family and Gator football. Cindy was born in Marion County and lived there her entire life. She was preceded in death by her husband, Tracy; son, Richie, and brothers, Bobby and C.H. Wells. She is survived by son, Randy (Michelle) Daugherty; grandchildren, Lauren, Kaitlyn, Adam, and Michael; sisters, Lucy (Ken) Weaver, Joyce (Tink) Cox, LaVerne McTaggart, Bernie (Dave) Wright, Brothers F.L. Wells, Yandle Wells, Ronnie (Sandy) Wells, Paul (Chris) Wells, Roger (Miriam) Wells, numerous nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews. Services will be held graveside at Orange Springs Cemetery on February 13, 2016 at 11:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Kindred Hospice Children's Bereavement Camp 1320

SE 25th Loop Ste 101, Ocala, FL 34471. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 31 to Feb. 1, 2016

#### **DECORE, DOMENICA F., 94**

Ocala - Domenica F. DeCore, 94, formally of Ocala, FL, passed away January 28, 2016 at Cape Canaveral Hospital, Cocoa Beach, FL. She was born May 3, 1921 in New York and had been a resident of Merritt Island for three years, coming from Oak Run in Ocala where she lived for 26 years. Mrs. DeCore was an active member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala. She leaves her memories to be cherished by her daughter, Paula (Richard) DiPatri; son, John (Barbara) DeCore; grandchildren, Richard (Kirsten) DiPatri, Darren (Rebecca) DiPatri, Robert (Alison) DiPatri, Tina Wentworth, Michael DeCore and eight great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband, Salvatore DeCore and her son, Robert DeCore. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held 8:30 am, Tuesday, February 2, 2016 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. A private burial will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. Anyone wishing to send the family condolences or share a story is asked to visit Mrs. DeCore's tribute page at www.davisseawinds.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 31 to Feb. 1, 2016

### GALLOWAY, RITA

Ocala - Rita C. Galloway, of Forestburgh, NY, formerly of Ocala, FL, entered into rest on Saturday, October 17, 2015. She was born in Carbondale, PA on October 21, 1925, to the late Patrick and Sadie Keough Connell. She was predeceased by her husband, Clarence C. Galloway; Grandson, Christopher Galloway; as well as two sisters and one brother. Rita was a loving mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister and aunt. She was a retired Bus Driver for 20 years with the Monticello School District. Rita is survived by her son, Patrick (Karen) Galloway, Liberty, NY, daughter; Diane (Edward) Miller, Forestburgh, NY, four grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held on Wednesday, February 3, 2016 at 8:30 a.m., at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Belleview, Florida. Rita's cremains will be interred with her late husband at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

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#### LEARY, NORA, 89

Ocala - Nora Leary, age 89, of Ocala, Florida, formerly of Brockton and West Bridgewater, MA died Monday, January 25, 2016, at the Legacy Hospice Home in Ocala, Florida. She was born and educated in County Cork, Ireland, daughter of the late Con and Julia Lynch. She was the wife of the late Bernard Leary, and she is survived by two sons; Shawn and his wife Denise of Ocala, Florida, Joseph and his wife April of Lakeville, MA, five grandchildren, Joe, Samantha, Tracy, Jamie and Stephen. A sister; Mary Murphy and husband Michael of Brockton, a sister Sheila O'Sullivan, brothers; Alley and Jerh Lynch of Ireland and Tim and Rose Lynch of P.E.I., Canada and the late Shawn and Connie Lynch of Ireland. She had many nieces and nephews in the US and Ireland including her God children Maura, Barry, Diane, and Sheila. Before her retirement, Nora had been employed by New England Telephone Co. She was a member of the Telephone Pioneers and Ireland's Own. She was a communicant of St. Ann's Church in West Bridgewater, MA. Nora loved to listen to Irish music and entertain with friends and family. Visiting hours will be held at the Conley Funeral Home, 138 Belmont Street, Rte 123, Brockton, MA on Friday from 9 to 10:30 a.m. The funeral mass will be held at St. Ann's Church in West Bridgewater at 11:00 a.m., followed by burial at Pine Hill Cemetery in West Bridgewater. For directions and on-line condolences, please visit www.conleyfuneralhome.com or on Facebook at Conley Funeral and Cremation. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 31 to Feb. 1, 2016

### PIROZZI, LILLIAN, 84

Ocala - Lillian Pirozzi, 84, born on March 19, 1931, formerly of Ocala, FL and Elmwood Park, N.J. passed away Saturday, January 23, 2016. Lillian was a homemaker and proud mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. She was a resident of Village on the Isle in Venice. Pre-deceased by her husband of 60 years Mario. She is survived by sons, Dennis (Donna) of Nokomis, FL, and Larry of Huguenot, N.Y.; grandchildren, Darren (Reenie) of Lexington, KY., Derek (Mallory) of Venice, FL., Ryan of Ridgewood, N.J. and greatgranddaughter Annabelle of Venice, FL. A memorial mass will be held at 10:30 A.M. on Friday, March 18, 2016 at Epiphany Cathedral in Venice. Lillian will be missed dearly by her family and friends. Farley Funeral Home in Venice is in charge of arrangements. To send condolences please visit www.farleyfuneralhome.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Jan. 31 to Feb. 1, 2016

#### WEYER, VERA G., 94

Ocala - Vera G. Weyer, of Ocala, Florida, passed away January 27, 2016 at the age of 94. She was born August 26, 1921 to the late Arthur and Martha (Brockel) Ellery in Cincinnati, Ohio. Vera moved to Ocala from Miami in 1981 with her husband of 75 years, Joseph, and they were long time members of College Road Baptist Church. She enjoyed painting, coloring, and crossword puzzles. Vera was predeceased by her daughter, Martie Laine in 1995 and husband, Joseph in 2015. She is survived by two sisters, Sarah Harsch, of Destin, FL, Evelyn (Paul) Toms, of Forest City, NC; granddaughter, Mistie (Kevin) Townsend, of Ocala, FL; two grandsons, Steve (Ann) La Rue of Belleview, FL, Joe (Leonor) La Rue, of Ft. Myers; two great grandsons, Brandon Townsend, of Ocala, Chris La Rue of St. Augustine, FL; and one great granddaughter, Aimeé La Rue, of Ocala. There will be a Celebration of Life, Saturday, February 6, 2016, 2pm at College Road Baptist Church, 5010 SW College Rd, Ocala, 34474. Pastor John Downing will be officiating. Arrangements by Roberts of Downtown Ocala; 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL, 34471

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 3, 2016**

#### FURSE, JR., WILLIAM J., 83

Dunnellon - William (Bill) J. Furse Jr. passed away on Monday, January 25, 2016 at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala. A Graveside Memorial Service will be held at 3:00 pm on Friday, February 5, 2016 at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. A Memorial visitation for family and friends will be held a Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon between 12:00 pm and 3:00 pm prior to the service. Bill was born in Luray, SC to the late William Furse, Sr. and Virginia Rouse. He is survived by his wife, Marilyn; son, Ken; granddaughter, Ashlee; and great grandson, Jaxxon Furse. Bill was a 28 year veteran of the Air Force, retiring at the rank of Sergeant Major in the Air Force intelligence service. He served in both the Korean and Vietnam wars with distinction. Bill was awarded over ten medals for his military service including the bronze star, gallantry cross, meritorious service and Air Force commendation medals. He was one of the founding NCO's of the U.S. Strategic Air Command. Bill was an active member of the Masons, with his home lodge in Inglis, FL. He achieved 32nd KCCH, was a past district deputy grand master, and was chairman of many committees supporting charity work. He was known by his friends for his warm heart and giving manner - always ready to help those in need. During his military career he was the Air Force hand ball champion. After retirement in Florida, he became a tournament bass fisherman. He was always ready to take people fishing. Bill will be missed by all who knew him. Expressions of sympathy can be made online at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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#### **HOFSTATTER, JUNE, 91**

Ocala - June E. Hofstatter, 91, entered into eternal peace on Friday, January 29, 2016, at Estelle's House, Hospice of Marion County. June was born on January 27, 1925, the daughter of the late Arthur and Mattie Eichenberg in Cleveland, Ohio. She graduated from Brush High School and attended Baldwin-Wallace University. June was a loving wife, mother, neighbor and friend. She will be missed. June married the love of her life, Frank F. Hofstatter, on August 22, 1945. After the birth of their third child, Frank and June made their home in Bryan, Ohio. In addition to being a homemaker and raising three children, June was an executive and business-woman, establishing and co-owning an advertising agency. June Hofstatter lived life with such joy, those that knew her loved her and those meeting her loved her company. Her life force was strong through 70 years of marriage to her devoted husband Frank. They enjoyed laughter and a very active lifestyle, deciding to make Ocala their adopted home in retirement. June is survived by her husband, Frank; daughters, Caren Lacy of Colorado Springs, CO and Linda Yeager of Jacksonville, FL; son, Bob Hofstatter and his wife, Sandy of LaMarque, TX; brother-inlaw, Alfred Hofstatter and his wife, Nancy of California; and a number of other relatives and friends. June will be laid to rest, joining her parents, at Sylvan Abbey in Clearwater, FL. The family is asking that you remember June in thoughts and prayers. Thank you for the outpouring of love, in lieu of flowers a donation to the Hospice of Marion County would be appreciated.

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#### STEEN, M. BETH, 87

Ocala - M. Beth Steen, 87, Ocala, passed away January 26, 2016, surrounded by loved ones including husband, at daughter & son-in-law's home in Hampton, VA. Beth resided in Ocala for past 45 years. Born January 10, 1929 in Kansas City, MO to Jack & Thelma Bacus with one sister & five brothers. Married to AJ Steen in 1948, resided in MI, then to FL in 1970. Survived by: AJ, husband of 68 years; daughter, Kim Dunaway (Craig) VA; son, Gary Steen (Janet), Jacksonville; grandchildren, Paula Steen (Stephanie), and Greg

Steen; great grandchildren, Nick & Micah, and Courtney, Danielle, & Amanda, & added family Heather, Kirsten, Samantha, & Ben. Beth worked in insurance & banking, then retired after 20 yrs. from Ocala Star Banner as Executive Secretary to Publisher & Silver Garland Coordinator. Beth enjoyed family, holidays & celebrations, art crafts & painting, sewing, piano, singing & dancing. Beth danced with 'Bonnie's Belles'. She loved being outdoors, working in yard, & going on Ocala outings & to events with AJ. Beth was an amazing person, wife, mother, and friend-her life content & her heart always full of love & care. She is very much loved and missed. Always our guardian angel...Dancing in heaven. Private service Tuesday, February 2, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home. More info on Beth on website. Internment at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 2 to Feb. 3, 2016

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#### MARSHALL, SUSAN ANN, 63

Summerfield - Susan Ann Marshall, 63, formally of Concord, NH passed away unexpectedly January 26, 2016 at her home in Summerfield, FL. Susan was born in Lancaster, NH on July 15, 1952. She loved laughing with family and friends and was known as a second mother to those around her. Susan is preceded in death by her father, Alfred E. Haney; mother, Jacqueline Grondin Haney; sister, Mary Haney Heath and a brother, Anthony Haney. She is survived by her daughter, Rayna Marshall of Summerfield, FL; brothers, Alfred Haney of Spokane, WA, and George Haney of Manchester, NH; grandson, Mark Wooley Jr.; nieces, Shelly Poisson, Bridgette Brown, Kristina Fortucci and her nephews, Brian Heath and William Haney; aunt Rita Grondin and cousins Moe Patterson and Pat Wojczyk. All are welcome to her Celebration of Life that will be held at the Stephan residence, 5 Pine Course Way, Ocala, Florida on February 21, 2016 from 3 to 5 PM. A burial will be held in New Hampshire on June 3, 2016. Contact Rayna Marshall for any additional information. The Family would like to thank everyone for the prayers, thoughts, kind words and generosity at this difficult time. May you all be blessed abundantly.

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#### RYERSON, ROBERT (BOB) KANE, 87

Ocala - Robert (Bob) Kane Ryerson, 87, of Ocala, passed away peacefully on January 30, 2016 at The Legacy House after a brief illness. Bob was born January 22, 1929 in Orange NJ. He graduated from Chatham High, NJ, in 1946, where he was on the soccer team; and then from Moravian College & Theological Seminary in Bethlehem, PA. Bob then enlisted in the Army to serve his country in Korea. Upon returning he married the love of his life, Marge Nordstrom; they happily enjoyed 63+ years together. Bob had a 32 year career with Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. He was a huge Gator fan, and also enjoyed many years of tennis and poker with friends, and exploring with his wife through travel. His primary focus was his family. Bob is survived by his wife Marge, as well as their four children, Jeffrey (Kim) of Wildwood, Kenneth of St Petersburg, Joanne Gossard (Ross) of Ocala and Susie Tinsley (Bill) of Elizabethtown, KY. He is also survived by his four grandchildren, Nikki Cramer (Evan), Nate Kruse (Rebecca), Devon Ryerson and Marlaina Hancock (Cody) as well as two great grandchildren and his sister,

Barbara Hancock in Loveland, CO. There will be a Celebration of Life on Friday, February 5, 2016 at 2:00pm at The Legacy House in Ocala. In lieu of flowers, a donation to Hospice of Marion County would be appreciated. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala

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### **SMITH, BERNICE, 82**

Ocala - Mrs. Bernice Smith, 82, passed away in Ocala, FL on February 1, 2016. She was born in New Bedford, MA on January 1, 1934. Bernice was a veteran of the US Air Force. She moved to this area in 1999 from Virginia Beach, VA. She is predeceased by two brothers, Nomand Sasseville and Ben Sasseville both of New Bedford. Bernice is survived by her loving husband, Charles, of 59 years; four daughters, Catherine Callahan and Rick; Donna Huett and Vince; Sandra Horneff and Jeff all of Virginia Beach, VA; Patricia Taylor and Richard of Bovingdon, Eng. She has one brother, Roland Sasseville of Greensboro, NC and one sister, Loretta Hudon of New Bedford, MA; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 3 to Feb. 4, 2016

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## BAIN, DANNY RAY, 68

Dunnellon - Danny Ray Bain, 68, of Dunnellon, FL passed away January 23, 2016. He was born on June 3, 1947 to Paul Junior and Mary L. Bain in Talladega, AL. A contractor for most of his life, Danny served his country under the direction of the US Army. He moved to the area in 1997 from Miami, FL and was a member of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon, FL. Danny was also a member of the VFW in Opa-Locka FL, loved fishing, playing golf, football and NASCAR. Along with his parents, Danny was predeceased by his sister, Barbara Bain-Sheppard and his nephew, Cody Carlton. He is survived by his loving wife, Rose M. Bain; son, Wayne (Ta Tanieshi Dené) R. Smith; siblings, Leon Wayne (Cinda) Bain, Paula Tarrant, Nora Cullom, and Judy (Robert) Bain-Dorris; grandson, Brandon Hines as well as many nieces and nephews, great nieces and nephews and great-great nieces and nephews. Visitation will take place from 9AM-10AM Saturday, February 6, 2016 at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon, FL with a Mass of the Resurrection beginning at 10:30AM. Immediately following the mass, the family invites friends to a luncheon at the church and asks attendees to bring a favorite covered dish to share. Burial will take place at 11AM, Tuesday, February 9, 2016 at the Jacksonville National Cemetery in Jacksonville, FL with full military honors. In lieu of flowers, family requests that memorial donations be made to St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Dunnellon, FL or to the Make A Wish Foundation in Danny's name. Brown Funeral Home and Crematory Lecanto, Florida Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 4 to Feb. 5, 2016

#### COOK, BETTY JEAN, 75

Ocala - Betty Jean Cook was born on October 24, 1940 to Mable Woods Cook and Henry Franklin Cook, Sr. She passed away on January 28, 2016. She was educated in the

Marion County Public Schools in Ocala, Florida. Always a dedicated and committed employee she worked as a custodian for the Marion County Public Schools and retired after 50 years with The Pattillo family. Betty and The Pattillo's shared a close and special bond that lasted a lifetime. She was not just an employee she was family. She was a member of Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church where she enjoyed worshipping and singing praises of the Lord. She leaves behind siblings, Henry Cook, Jr., Eric L. Cook, Vincent K. Cook, Sr. and Bridget Cook Ford (Orlando), Glenn L. Cook and Walter J. Cook; her cousin, Joyce Davis, and a host of nieces and nephews including a very close niece. Latrice Cook Andrews. She also leaves behind her caregiver, Jerome Johnson and her special 'family,' Mary Alice Pattillo, Pat Pattillo (Donna), Redondo Beach, CA, Margaret Williams (Wayne), Lithia, FL, Nancy Barron (Dale), Ocala, FL, Anne Kail (Tom), Jacksonville, FL and Jim Pattillo (Amy) Birmingham, AL. Memorial Services for Betty Jean Cook will be held Saturday, February 6, 2016 11AM at Greater Hopewell Baptist Church, Ocala, Florida.

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### DAVIS, JR, MALCOLM DOSTER, 84

Ocala - Malcolm Doster Davis, Jr. 'M.D./Buddy', 84, passed away on Tuesday, February 2, 2016. He is survived by son, Jonathan O. Davis (Coleen); daughter, Lydia Toms (Wayne); grandfather of Christopher, Malcolm IV, Jonathan Jr., Danielle, Adam, Geoffrey, and Dylan; six great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his son, Malcolm Davis III; parents, Malcolm D. Davis and Mamie Adams Davis; four brothers and a sister. A visitation will be held on Friday, February 5, 2016 from 10 AM-12 PM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. A funeral service will follow at 12 PM. Interment will be at Fellowship Baptist Cemetery. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 4 to Feb. 5, 2016

## GATES, CORENE, 53

Ocala - Corene Gates, 53, passed away on February 1, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories children, Robert Gates, Sherwin Gates, and Brandell Gates; four grandchildren; mother, Delorise Murphy; siblings, Patricia Murphy, Barbara Murphy, Tammie Murphy, Becky Montgomery, Janice Murphy, James Murphy Jr., and Terry Murphy, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral service will be held Saturday, February 6, 2016 at 11:00am at Union Baptist Church, Rev. Eric Cummings, Pastor. Viewing will be Friday, February 5, 2016 from 6pm-7pm at Union Baptist Church. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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## KINSLER, LESTER LEE, 79

Ocala - Deacon Lester Lee Kinsler, age 79, transition this life to be with heavenly father on January 30, 2016 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He was a graduate of Howard Academy (Class of 1954) and received an AA Degree in Law Enforcement & Corrections Technology (CFCC). Deacon Kinsler served in the United State Navy and Retired as a Chief Petty Officer (CPO) of 20 Years. He is a member of Queen Victory Masonic Lodge (#SO). He leaves to cherish his precious memories: A devoted wife of 56 years, Willie Jean Kinsler, Ocala, FL; three sons, Romeo (Rosalind) Kinsler, Orlando, FL, Lembia Kinsler, Lithonia, GA, Keith (Felecia) Kinsler, Stone Mountain, GA; daughter, Juliet (Brite) Donkor, Ft. Worth, TX.; eight grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; sister-in-law, Catheryn Kinsler; a host of Godchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Deacon Lester L. Kinsler will be held 11:00 AM, Saturday, February 6, 2016 at New St. John MBC, Dr. Tommy L, Brooks, Pastor, Rev. Richard Howard, Sr. Eulogist. Interment will follow in Bethlehem Cemetery with military honors. Visitation will be held at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral on Friday from 3:00PM until 7:00 PM. Professional services are entrusted to J. Hadley Funeral Home and Hadley-Brown & Paulk. (352) 620 -0573 or (352) 351-0210. 'Providing Unparalleled Service and Compassion'

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## MCDONELL, KRISTA, 32

Dunnellon - Krista Renee McDonell (Salinas), 32, of Dunnellon, joined the Lord's angels on Monday, February 1, 2016, at home. She was born October 17, 1983, in Tampa, Florida, the daughter of Yolanda Chance and Thomas Salinas, Jr. Krista attended Dunnellon High School in Dunnellon, Florida. On November 15, 2008 she was united in marriage to Charles 'Chuck' McDonell in Dunnellon. She was previously employed as a receptionist at Rainbow River Animal Hospital in Dunnellon. In her spare time she enjoyed animals, gardening, cooking, and spending time with her husband and daughter on the boat. She is survived by her husband, Charles 'Chuck' McDonell of Dunnellon; daughter, Charlee 'Barbie' Claire McDonell of Dunnellon; mother, Yolanda Chance of Dunnellon; father, Thomas Salinas, Jr. of Germany; stepmother, Sylvia Salinas of Germany; two grandmothers, Tommy Beal of Tampa and Cleo Salinas of Jacksonville; four sisters, Jennifer Murch of Ocala, Jocelyn Salinas of Germany, Erika Salinas of Germany, and Maria Salinas of Ponte Vedra; a niece and nephew. She was preceded in death by grandfathers, Charles William McDonell, Juan Beal, and Tomas Carlos Salinas; great grandmother Annie Lou Horne Memorial services will be held Saturday, February 6 at 1:00 p.m. at First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon with Pastor Eddie Fulford officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Suntrust bank FBO daugher Charlee Claire McDonell college fund.

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#### **NEWMONES, TERETHA, 74**

Ocala - Teretha Newmones, 74, passed away on January 30, 2016. Funeral service will be held Saturday, February 6, 2016 at 2:00pm at House of God Keith Dominion Church. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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## SMITH-GADSDEN, JOYCE JUNE, 91

Ocala - Joyce June Smith-Gadsden of Ocala passed away on January 22, 2016. She was born September 24, 1924 in Marathon, NY to her parents, Herman Vernon Smith and Cecelia Nochomson Smith. In addition to their beautiful daughter, Joyce, they also had three sons, Adelbert, Francis and Keith who preceded her in death. Joyce was an honor student and an award winning pianist and trumpeter and guitarist. She later became an accomplished artist. Her paintings were popular at shows around the country. God blessed her with many talents. In 1973, she moved to Ocala and became a legal secretary for an Attorney. Surviving Joyce are Daniel E. Gadsden, her beloved husband of 15 years; a loving daughter, Chris Shaw-Dilley and her husband, David; grandson, Dusty Shaw and his wife, Shelly of Lady Lake; great grandchildren, Connor James Shaw and Grace Elizabeth Shaw and sister-in-law, Ruth Smith of Greensboro, NC and her husband's son, daughter, grandchildren and great grandchildren. Her final resting place will be Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell.

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# **STRICKER, ANGELA ALICE, 47**

Ocala - Angela Alice Stricker passed away on December 20, 2015. She was born on March 28, 1968 in Wilkes-Barre, PA. She was preceded in death by her brother, Robert J. Souder, Jr. She is survived by her mother, Norma R. Rider; stepfather, Alvin L. Rider; fiancée, John Perri; children, Rodney L. Miller, Robert L. Miller, Angela K. Stricker, Anna Jean Perri; three sisters, Tammi. T. Stricker, Ocala, FL; Shelia Stricker, Crystal River, FL, Bobbie Joe Souder, Buffalo, NY; sons, three nieces; three nephews; five great nieces and five great nephews. A memorial service at the Agape Baptist Church, 6200 NW 50th Ave, followed by a get together at Mr. and Mrs. Alvin and Norma's house at 5001 NW 57th Ave, Ocala. FL.

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## FANN, LORI JANE

Ocala - Lori passed away on February 2, 2016 in Ocala, FL. She leaves behind her beloved husband of 44 years, James 'Jim' Fann; sons, Walt and Ken Bonner, and Mike Rice; as well as daughter, Gayle Murrell; and sister, Ellie Kurkian. She worked for 22 years as an administrative assistant for the US Department of Defense in various locations following her moves with her husband in the US Air Force. Prior to her stroke in 2003, she worked as a reporter for the Neighbors Section in the Ocala Star Banner for several years. She spearheaded a group of volunteers from surrounding communities who were called, 'Friends of Hospice,' who helped with various events that she organized to raise more than \$13 thousand dollars for Hospice of Marion County. She was also a very active member in her community of Spruce Creek Preserve serving on several committees. Her talents will be sorely missed. There will be visitation Monday, February 8, 2016 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge, followed by graveside service at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Family recommends in lieu of flowers, please send donations to Hospice of Marion County. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 7, 2016**

BARTLETT, MARY M., 83

Ocala - Mary M. Bartlett, of Ocala, FL, passed away in Dade City, FL on Thursday, February 4, 2016. Mary was born in Castlewood, South Dakota on June 5, 1932 to parents, Lloyd & Nellie Sikkink. After graduation from high school, she attended Sioux Falls College. Following college she worked as an elementary school teacher, then Boeing in Wichita, Kansas, where she met her husband, Jim. The majority of their life together was spent in Miami raising their five children. There, Mary worked as a school photographer at Wilson School Pictures but her greatest joy was raising her children and sharing her contagious laughter. She is survived by her five loving children and six grandchildren. A lakeside celebration of Mary's life will be held Saturday, February 6, 2016 at 3p.m., 34421 Tranquiview Lane, Dade City, FL. Private services will take place at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on Monday, February 8, 2016. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made in Mary's name to the Parkinson's Association, www.parkinson.org or The Alzheimer's Association, www.alz.org. Arrangements made under care of Hodges Funeral Home, Dade City, Florida.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 8, 2016**

## **BLACK, VERAH PAULINE, 101**

Ocala- Verah Pauline Black of Ocala died on January 4, 2016 at the age of 101. Born in Fayetteville, Arkansas in 1914, she grew up in Dallas Texas. She met her husband, Robert Black during World War II and was married in Savannah, Georgia. Verah, known to her friends as Sunnie, had a long and varied life which included such occupations as employment agency owner, freelance writer, duplicate bridge life time master and director of duplicate games in West St. Louis County. She also sold real estate in the St. Louis area and in Ocala. Most who knew her would say her nickname, Sunnie, was an apt description. She always smiled at those she would encounter and possessed an optimistic outlook on life. She is survived by her son, Richard. She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert, and her daughter, Martha Dell, who succumbed to Leukemia at the age of 6.

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#### **CANTARA, JACQUELINE, 84**

Ocala - Jacqueline (Jackie) Cantara, age 84, longtime resident of Ocala, FL., Formerly of Town of Townawanda & Dexter, NY, passed away peacefully on January 21, 2016. She was born February 3, 1931 to the late Joseph & Loretta Monette in Niagara Falls, NY. She cherished her family and friends. She was predeceased by her brother, Jerry Monette of N. Tonawanda, NY; daughter, Linda Thrush and husband, Tom Thrush of Henderson, NV and grandson, Ryan Cantara of Buffalo, NY. She is survived by her husband of 63 years, David Cantara; son, Michael Cantara and wife, Marlene of Elma, NY; daughter, Jacqueline Provost and fiancée, Bob Ortega of Ocala, FL; granddaughter, Kristen Yard of Williamsville, NY; grandsons, Tom Thrush and wife, Kathy of San Jose, CA, Eric Thrush of Buffalo, NY, Sean Provost of Gilroy, CA and Steven Provost of Ocala, FL; great granddaughter Alexa Yard of Williamsville, NY. A funeral mass will be held on February 11, 2016 at 9 am at St. Jude Catholic Church, 443 Marion Oaks Drive, Ocala, FL 34473 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 7 to Feb. 8, 2016

#### ENTINGER, JANE NELSON 'NELL,' 75

Ocala - Jane Nelson 'Nell' Entinger, 75, went home to Heaven on January 22, 2016 with her family by her side. Nell was born on September 27, 1940. She grew up in Beaver, PA and earned a Bachelor's degree in Physical Education from Pennsylvania State University. Her greatest loves were her family and travel. She was always willing to help anyone in need. She is survived by her husband of 53 years, James 'Jim' Entinger; two children, Jill Entinger of Suwanee, GA and Doug Entinger of Atlanta, GA; daughter-in-law, Nicole Entinger; two grandchildren, Nick Entinger (9) and Danielle Entinger (7). She is also survived by two sisters, Sue Casper and Kay (Bob) Baltzer. She also leaves behind numerous loving relatives and friends. A Memorial Service will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church Ocala, Fl on February 13, 2016 at 10:00am. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 7 to Feb. 8, 2016

#### GIBSON, DAVID WYLIE, 71

Dr. David Wylie Gibson, age 71, of Evinston, FL passed away on Sunday, January 31, 2016 in Gainesville, FL after a long battle with ALS. Dave was born in Youngstown, OH on October 5, 1944 to H. Donald and Josephine Wallace Gibson. He grew up in New Bedford, PA and was a longtime resident of Gainesville, Florida, having moved to Gainesville in 1974 from West Palm Beach, and residing in nearby Evinston, FL since 1980. He is survived by his loving wife of 42 years, Betty Fitch Gibson, daughter Amy (Ryan) Lovelady, son Evin Gibson, son William (Katherine Sayler) Gibson, grandson Landon Lovelady, and brothers Bruce (Ligia) and Robert (Johanna) Gibson and many wonderful cousins, nieces and nephews. David was an avid musician, academician and active member of McIntosh UMC and Evinston UMC. He began his academic career at the University of Cincinnati where he received a BS in Civil Engineering, and continued learning through earning a MS in Civil Engineering from the University of Miami and a PhD in Civil Engineering from the University of Alabama. He taught at Palm Beach Junior College and joined the University of Florida faculty in 1974, where he was integral to the establishment of the Geomatics program and provided significant contributions nationally to that field. He remained at UF as a member of the faculty for 40 years where he retired in 2008 as a Professor Emeritus in Geomatics, but continued his love for teaching until 2014, and was able to fulfill a lifelong dream of performing research as a visiting research scholar in 2012 at Ecole Superieure des Geometres et Topographes (ESGT) in Le Mans, France. His spirit and zest for life carried him through all of his endeavors even until the end. He had the 'Gibson' eyes and a beautiful smile. A celebration of life service will be held at 10:30 AM Saturday, February 13, 2016 at the Evinston United Methodist Church (8505 SE 182 Ave., Micanopy). The family requests that, in lieu of flowers, please contribute to Evinston UMC (PO Box 344, Evinston, FL 32633) or McIntosh UMC (PO Box 689, McIntosh, FL 32664). Arrangements are in the care of MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 S. Main Street Gainesville, FL 32601. (352) 376-5361.

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#### MARKS, HELENE LaFORCE (b.July 27,1924 -- d. Febraury 4,2016)

Helene LaForce Marks, born July 27, 1924, died peacefully on February 4, 2016 in Legacy House in Ocala. Helene was born in the French province of Quebec, Canada and grew up in Waterbury, Connecticut. During her last years in grade school and into her high school years, part of her education was a variety of techniques of sewing and needlecrafts that would serve her in the years ahead. She married Joseph Marks on March 29, 1946. Joe decided to make the Navy his career. This meant that Helene and Joe would move numerous times over the years. They did so while growing a family of 5 children: Susan, Preston, Michele, Peter and Martha. It was during these years that the skills she had learned as a young girl would serve her and her family well. Helene knit socks for her husband and sewed clothing for her children and grandchildren. In her mid-years she became part owner of Fabric Towne while living in Winter Park, FL, a store which focused on bridal material and costume material often bought by Disney World seamstresses. Helene and Joe came to Dunnellon to retire 30 years ago and found their last years there to be as peaceful as they hoped they would be. During that time they both were very involved in church and outreach ministries at St John the Baptist Catholic Church. Helene was preceded in death by her husband Joe and her youngest daughter, Martha. She will always be remembered by her children as a creative, talented, generous giver of her time, talents and LOVE! A Funeral Mass will be held at 10 AM Tuesday, February 9, 2016, at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Dunnellon. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens in Ocala. The family will receive friends from 3-5 PM on Monday, February 8, at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you give a donation in Helene's name to Legacy House/ 9505 SW 110th Street/Ocala, FL 34481. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 7 to Feb. 8, 2016

#### NEISLER, RUBY ELIZABETH, 88

Ocala - Ruby Elizabeth Neisler, 88, of Ocala, Florida, passed away February 3, 2016. She was born April 12, 1927 in Jacksonville, Florida to the late Eugene C. and Margaret A. (Johnson) Hernandez. She was a member of the Christian faith. Ruby is predeceased by her husband, Edgar C. Neisler, and brother, Eugene C. Hernandez; son, Richard Francis O'Neill; and is survived by her son, Marcus M. Pope, of Ocala; daughter, Sharon Ann (Kenneth) Tillis, of Ocala; 2 brothers; John C. Hernandez and Theodore Hernandez, 4 granddaughters, 4 great grandchildren. There will be a celebration of life, February 10, 2016, 2pm at Avante', 2021 SW 1st Ave, Ocala. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: robertsfuneralhomes.com

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#### **OUELLON, LUCIEN A., 70**

Ocala - Lucien A. Ouellon, 70, passed away peacefully at home, January 31, 2016. Born January 20, 1946 in Quebec, Canada to Roland Ouellon and Jeanne Fortier Ouellon, he moved here in 1986 from Sarnia, Ontario, Canada. He was a Master Craftsman in woodworking, and was known for his ability to produce custom projects. His talent is reflected in the construction of St. George Anglican Church in Ocala, Florida. He is survived by his beloved wife, Ilona Thompson-Ouellon; daughter, Brooke Wilkerson

(Greg); sons, Luc Ouellon, Jr. (Tatianna), Brendan Ouellon; brothers, Conrad Ouellon, Jean-Claude Ouellon, Jean-Eudes Ouellon; sisters, Pauline Ouellon, Leyley Ouellon, Rolande Munger; and grandchildren, Alexandrea Ouellon, Zander Ouellon, and Colton Ouellon. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated by the Rt. Rev. Arthur Rushlow at St. George Anglican Cathedral, 5646 SE 28th Street, Ocala, FL 34480 on Saturday, February 13, 2016 at 11:00 am. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Hospice of Marion County, or the Charity of your choice.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 9, 2016**

#### **BEDENBAUGH, TAMARA LYNNE (HARMON)**

Tamara Lynne (Harmon) Bedenbaugh, born June 1, 1958, in Camden, New Jersey, died Monday, Jan. 25, at the age of 57. She worked at Ellison Reality. She is survived by her husband Kirk Bedenbaugh, her daughter Allison, and three grandchildren, Christina, Brian, and Gabriel. She is also loved and will be greatly missed by her mother Marilyn Darnell and step-father Robert Darnell, her sister Sharon Harmon, and her three brothers Glenn Harmon and wife Cheryl, Mark Harmon and wife Marina, and Eric Harmon, and numerous nieces and nephews, and great-nieces and great-nephews. She is also survived by Pamela Kobett, a cousin who was like a sister. Also, a step-sister Dawn and husband Ed Zimmerman, two step-brothers, Robert Darnell Jr. and wife Bibi, and Brian Darnell. Tami loved to read - loved a good romance story. She had an eye for colors and patterns and enjoyed decorating. She could look at a room and see the possibilities. Tami collected elephants - with trunks up for good luck, of course. Tami had a strong faith. She loved the Lord and believed in His promises. Tami was special and was taken from us much too soon.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 10, 2016**

#### **BRISTOW, BASIL O.**

June 10, 1930 - January 25, 2016 Ocala - Born in London, Eng-land, Basil immigrated to the United States in 1947. He and his mother and father were sponsored by his sister, Ruby Murray, who was a WWII war bride. Basil served in the American army from October 1948 - May 1952, with the 2nd armored cavalry regiment in Augsburg and Nuremberg, Germany and became a U.S. citizen in May 1952. He graduated Albany (New York) business college in 1954. Until she died in 2003, he was devoted to his wife, Evelyn, for 42 years. Basil found love again and married Carol Van Wagner in 2007. He was so proud to be an American and so loved his fellow man, that Basil spent his life serving others. He became a Rotarian in 1974, and served as president of the Southampton, New York Rotary Club 1978-1979. He was a member of the Ocala Rotary Club until 2011. He was a Paul Harris fellow. Basil retired after selling his gift shop in Southampton in 1987 and moved to Ocala in 1991. From 1991 until 1994 he helped build houses - and was a volunteer member of the speakers bureau - for Habitat for Humanity of greater Ocala. From 1994 until 2000 he served on the board of interfaith emergency services. He served as chairman of regents for the Ocala/Marion leadership partners

program from 1999 to 2000 and continued with that group as regent/secretary until 2003. He was a member of the Friends of the Ocala public Library and served as president from 1999 to 2000, plus, he was a volunteer in the library bookshop for three years. He was a tutor for 'project read' for three years teaching adults to read. He was a member of the board of the Ocala/Marion Chamber of Commerce for the year 2001 representing the senior population. He has also helped paint the scenery for the Ocala Civic Theatre. From 2000 he served with the agency allocations committee of the United Way until 2011. He also served on the board of directors for the Fifth Circuit Public Guardian Corporation. He was a volunteer with MRMC where he was a member of the com-passionate care team so that no one dies alone - he did the voice over narration for hospital computer training skill films. He was a member of 11th hour visiting team for Marion County Hospice. He was a member of the board of the Ocala symphony orchestra for three years. The white house recently awarded Basil the president's silver volunteer service award for contributing over 4,000 hours of service to others. Since his retirement he tried his hand at writing. He has written 18 short stories (three of which have won awards). His article on 'America, the Land of Opportunities' was published in the forum section of the December 7, 1997 edition of the Ocala Star-Banner. He has also written a book of prayer and seven novels. Basil was a very spiritual person who touched many lives through his kindness, caring and love for others. He had strong beliefs and pioneered for peace and inner strength by listening to a higher being. Always calm and compassionate he was truly an example of God's love for all. He sent an inspirational email message to people around the world three times a week. Basil was truly a wonderful man and will be sadly missed by all who knew him. In lieu of flowers it is requested that you give to your favorite charity. There will be a memorial to celebrate basil's life on February 27, 2016 at the Bella Cucina in Oak Run golf and country club at noon.

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#### LINK, MERRIS CARROLL, 83

Ocala - On February 6, 2016, after a 10 year battle with Alzheimer's, Merris Carroll Link, of Greeneville, TN, passed away peacefully in her home and has found rest in the presence of our Lord. She was born in St. Petersburg, FL in 1932. After retirement, she and her husband moved to Greeneville, TN, from Ocala, FL, with the rest of her family in the year 2000. Her loving husband, Harold 'Buddy' Link, who has cared for her throughout her extended illness, survives Carroll. His devotion for 'his kitten' is an example of a true love story. Surviving children: Sandy (Don) Ricker of Greeneville, TN, Bobby (Sandra) Link of Charleston, SC, Debi (Michael) Welch of Knoxville, TN; grandchildren: Kristi (Brent) Wick of Chattanooga, TN, Stephen (Shanna) Carlton of Greeneville, TN, Andrea (Scott) Roule of Charleston, SC, Garrett (Julie) Link of Greeneville, TN, Rebecca (Scott) Castleberry of Knoxville, TN; great grandchildren: Jack, Miller, Cooper, and Tucker Wick; Taylor, Hunter, Kallie, and Cole Carlton; Isla Roule, along with much loved nieces and nephews; sister-in-laws: Iris Link, and Gloria Link of Ocala, FL. She was preceded in death by her father, Roy Earl Lealman; mother, Merris Carroll Lealman; brother, Roy Lealman Jr, and brother-in-law, Charles Link. Known for her smile, and loved by everyone, Carroll was fiercely proud of her family. She enjoyed lifelong friendships and had a servant's heart. While living in Ocala, Carroll, (along with Buddy), were actively involved in First Untied Methodist Church and charitable organizations. She enjoyed teaching Sunday School, delivering 'Meals on Wheels' and served on numerous church committees. She was even sent to Orlando to train as a Stephen's Ministry caregiver. She also volunteered at Ocala Municipal Golf Course for many years. Carroll was an active member in the Junior Women's Club, Supper Club, and Bridge Club. In her younger years Carroll enjoyed tennis, golf, bowling, water skiing, roller skating and horse-back riding. As a married couple, Buddy and Carroll conducted estate sales, attended professional golf events, played couples golf, and looked for 'treasures' at garage sales and antique shows. Her grandchildren remember her for her mean game of Racko. A private family service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Niswonger Children's Hospital. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 9 to Feb. 10, 2016

## O'CONNELL, MARY, 76

Dunnellon - Mary O'Connell, 76, of Dunnellon, FL died Monday, January 25, 2016 at Diamond Ridge Health & Rehabilitation Center in Lecanto. She was born March 20, 1939 in Montclair, NJ. Mary moved here from Saylorsburg, PA in 2000. Mrs. O'Connell was a Homemaker. She loved to go camping, doing ceramics, and various types of puzzles. Her religious affiliation is of the Lutheran Faith. She is survived by her husband of 42 years, Eugene O'Connell of Dunnellon; her three daughters, Adele Boonstra of Bloomingdale, NJ, Linda Sheridan of Albrightsville, PA and Leslie Lambrecht of NC; her two step-daughters, Karen O'Connell of Morris Plains, NJ and Maureen O'Connell Pocomoke, MD; her two sisters, Irene James, Sally Scott both of Mesa, AZ; her ten grandchildren and one great grandchild. She was preceded in death by her step-daughter, Debby O'Connell. Memorial Services celebrating Mary's life will be held on Saturday, February 13, 2016 at 10:00 AM at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon. The family prefers in lieu of flowers donations to be made to the American Association. Expressions of sympathy can be made Diabetes online at www.robertsofdunnellon.com. Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon has been entrusted with arrangements.

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#### SIZEMORE, DAVID N., 65

Belleview - David N. Sizemore, age 65, of Belleview, FL, passed away on February 2, 2016 at the V.A. Hospital in Gainesville, FL. David was born on August 1, 1950 in Cleveland, Ohio. David moved to Belleview four years ago from Ocala, FL. He was a retired brakeman for the Erie Lackawanna Railroad, a U. S. Army Veteran, a member and past commander of the American Legion Post 284 of Belleview and was the bingo chairman for the post. He was preceded in death by his wife, Joyce; parents, John W. and Eva Emily (Brown) Sizemore and two brothers, Paul and Harry. He is survived by daughter, Stacy Sizemore of Belleview, Florida; stepchildren, Janet Kampf, Jo Ellen Kiepper, John Kiepper, Jill Sherbourne, Julie Keller, Jim Kiepper; brothers, Bill Sizemore of Ocklawaha, Florida; and thirteen grandchildren and several 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 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 9, 2016 at the American Legion Post 284 in Belleview, FL. Brown

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## VAN TIEM, CHERYL LEE 'CHERIE LEE' 1944-2016

Ocala - Cherie lost the battle with Kidney Disease but went on to win a place in heaven. She is missed by her many friends; and her special furry friend, Cooper. A Memorial Service will be held at 11:00 am; Saturday February 13 2016 at Sweet Water Oaks Club House 3151 44th Ave. Ocala FL. 34480. Luncheon will follow at the Club House. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 9 to Feb. 10, 2016

## WHITE, REV. E. MCKINNON 'MAC'

Mac White passed away quietly in his sleep on December 10, 2015 at Princeton Village in Largo, FL, seven days before his 89th birthday. He is survived by his wife, Doris Capps White, formerly of Ocala, FL; three children: Gene and his wife Deborah (Harrington) of Northfield, MA; Carol and her husband David Nordhoff of Corpus Christi, TX; and Richard and his wife Joan (Publicover) of Lisle, IL. Mac had 9 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. He is also survived by a sister Jewel and her husband Perry Miller of Brighten, CO. He was married for 50 years to Elizabeth Ashley who died unexpectedly in 1997. He was also predeceased by a brother, James; and two sisters - Lynette (Babbitt) an Ainsley (Snell). Mac obtained his Masters of Theology from the Boston University School of Theology. He served as a pastor for United Methodist Churches in Massachusetts and Rhode Island for over 35 years. After his retirement he settled in Ocala, FL where he taught and preached in area churches. He was also active in the Ocala chapter of Habitat For Humanity. A memorial service celebrating his life will be held at the Trinity United Methodist Church in Springfield, MA on May 14, 2016. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 9 to Feb. 10, 2016

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 11, 2016**

# HELDIE, DOROTHY, 82

Ocala - Dorothy Heldie, age 82, February 7, 2016. Beloved wife of the late Frank. Loving mother of Karen (James) DeMidio and Matthew (Kim) Czyzyk. Cherished grandmother of Nicholas (Beth) DeMidio, Danielle DeMidio, and Daniel and Cory Czyzyk. She was predeceased by her grandson, Jonathan Czyzyk. She also leaves behind many loving friends. Services were handled by Baldwin Brothers Funeral and Cremation, Ocala, Florida. Donations may be made to: Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481

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## HERNDON, MICHELLE LORRAINE, 36

Ocala - Michelle Lorraine Herndon, 36, of Ocala, Florida passed away on February 1, 2016 peacefully in her sleep. Michelle was born on January 31, 1980. She is survived by her three children, Zackariah Herndon, Ariel Greene, and Kailee Greene; her mother, Penny Voss (Rick); her father, Terry Herndon; big sister, Diane O'Neil (Kevin); little brother, Eric Moucheron; and three nephews, Tony, Corey and Devon. She is also survived by her grandmother, Ardell Herndon; aunts, Debra Scutari and Joyce Bartlett;

and uncle, JR Smith along with many cousins, and extended family. Michelle is also survived by her fiancé, Charles Hedden; and his son, Zackary Battistella; and their grandchild, Lily Battistella, who she loved greatly and talked about constantly. The funeral service will be held at 2:00 pm Saturday, February 13, 2016, at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon. In lieu of flowers, please donate to the Marion County Humane Society as Michelle loved animals. Condolences may be left for the family at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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#### **KANNETTE, EUNICE BRIERLEY, 100**

Ocala - Eunice Brierley Kannette, 100, passed away on February 1, 2016 in Estero, FL. A long-time resident of Ocala, Mrs. Kannette was preceded in death by her parents, Ben and Ethel Brierley; brother, Eric Brierley; husband, James Kannette. She is survived by daughters, Karyl 'Kitty' Kannette Ray, and Jamie Kannette Hurley; granddaughters, Denise Ray Cusack, Ocala and Brierley Ray Ash, Kenersville, NC; and greatgrand children, Kevin Cusack, III, Mary Katherine Cusack, and Heather Ash. Born May 13, 1915 in Burnley, England, Kannette immigrated to the United States as a child with her parents and brother. She served as an Army nurse during World War II. She moved to Ocala in 1977 and was a member Garden Club. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to your local Hospice organization.

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### KELLOGG, SR., WILLIAM F., 92

Ocala - William F. Kellogg Sr., 92, of Ocala, passed away peacefully on February 4, 2016. He was born in Sheffield, MA on June 4, 1923 to his parents Kenneth and Veronica Miller Kellogg. An US Army veteran of WW II, William served in the 5th Army, 351 Regiment 88th Div. in the African, Italian and European Theaters. He was awarded the Bronze Star. After the Army, he worked at various positions, but found his love of people and the public in working for Harrys Supermarket in Pittsfield, MA for 20 years. After retiring, he and his wife, Viola, moved to Florida and enjoyed his 30 plus years of retirement. He is preceded in death by his parents, Kenneth and Veronica; his sisters, Elenor and Shirley and his brother, Bernard. He is survived by his wife of 69 years, Viola Harrington Kellogg of Ocala; sons, William (Phyllis) of Ocala, Marc (Chris) of Richmond; and a brother, Kenneth (Elenor) of Pittsfield, Massachusetts; five grandchildren, two great grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. He never asked for anything from anybody but gave his all to everyone. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting that donations be made to the Hospice of Marion County, Inc. Post Office Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. A service along with Army honors will take place at 1:00 PM on Wednesday, February 17, 2016 at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Arrangements are in the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 352-854-2266.

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CHOGI, KAREN, 69

Belleview - Karen Chogi, 69, passed away on Monday, January 25, 2016 at St. Petersburg General Hospital. Karen was a native of Trumbull, CT and lived in Belleview, FL for many years. She is predeceased by her parents, Gaber Chogi and Evelyn M. (Dugan) Chogi. She is survived by several cousins in Florida and Connecticut. Karen was a former employee of Lockheed Martin. She was a generous person and a free spirit. She loved animals, especially cats. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to The Humane Society of Marion County, 701 NW 14th Road, Ocala, FL 34475. There will be a gathering from 2- 3 PM on Saturday, February 13, 2016 with a memorial service to follow at 3 PM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 11 to Feb. 12, 2016

### **CRAMER, ALICE T., 85**

Ocala - Alice T. Cramer, 85, passed away peacefully at home February 8, 2016. Born September 22, 1930 in Key West, Florida to Jose Martin and Eulalia Toledo. Alice was an entrepreneur of many things, she owned and operated Gator Frost in the Paddock Mall for some time. She volunteered frequently at MRMC, interfaith, and enjoyed gardening as well. She is preceded in death by her beloved husband, Robert Cramer (1999); sons, Bruce Burris Courson, Daniel Courson, and her parents. She is survived by her son, Ron Courson, of Ocala; and grandchildren, Carry Courson and Bruce Burris Courson. Visitation will be from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m., Friday, February 12, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Funeral Service will be 2:00 p.m., Saturday, February 13, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home with Chaplain Warren Thompson officiating. Interment to follow the service in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 11 to Feb. 12, 2016

#### FOSTER, JR, VINCENT ONEAL, 28

Anthony - Mr. Vincent Oneal Foster, Jr, age 28, transitioned this life on February 1, 2016. He was a graduate of North Marion High School (Class of 2006). Vincent had a passion working on automotive. He leaves to cherish is precious memories: son, Vincent Foster III, Anthony, FL; parents, Vincent Foster, Sr. (Angela), Anthony, FL; sisters, Shawana Foster, Tampa, FL, Alisha (Tim) Dandy, Ocala, FL; brother, Brent Foster, Sr., Ocala, FL, Rowland Thagard, Jr, Korea; grandparents, Gwendolyn Dickerson, Elder Frank (Shirley) Woods, all of Ocala, FL, Kate White, Anthony, FL, a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and sorrowing friends. Preceded him in death, his mother, Gwendo King. Funeral services for Mr. Vincent O. Foster will be held 11:00 AM, Saturday, February 13, 2016 at New Hope MBC, Anthony, FL, Rev. Micheal Baker, Pastor, Eulogist, Pastor Brian McIntosh. Visitation will be held on Friday, February 12, 2016 at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home from 3:00 until 7:00 pm. (THE FAMILY HAS REQUESTED NO PHOTO'S BE TAKEN.) Wake service will be held 6:00 PM, Thursday, February 11, 2016 at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Memorial Chapel. Professional services are entrusted to Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home, 127, NW 20th Street, Ocala, FL. (352) 620-0573. Providing Unparalleled service and compassion.

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#### **GRANT, JESSIE, 88**

Ocala - Jessie Grant, 88, passed away on February 7, 2016. He leaves to cherish his

memories devoted wife of 47 years, Ada Grant; children, Deatrise Grant- Maldonado, Valerie Grant, Kanita Grant, Marsha Ann Grant, Jackie Grant, Debbie Grant, Kathy Hamilton, Howard Hamilton, and Ronald Grant; a host of grandchildren and great grandchildren; brother, Leroy Creech, and other relatives and friends. Memorial service will be held Saturday, February 13, 2016 at 11:00am at Temple Church of God by Faith. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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#### **KAYE, ROBERT PAUL, 86**

Ocala - The Honorable Robert Paul Kaye, 86, passed away in Ocala, FL on February 8, 2016. He was born in Garden City, New York on March 4, 1929. Robert relocated to Miami Beach, FL and graduated from Miami Beach High School. He graduated from University of Florida with a Bachelors degree in 1950. He graduated from the University of Miami School of Law in 1957. He worked at WINZ radio station in Miami and did a program called Bob Kaye's Corner. He was an Assistant State Attorney and Chief of the Major Crimes Division from 1970 to 1981. He was appointed Circuit Judge by Governor Bob Graham in 1981. He presided in criminal and civil divisions from 1981 to 2001. Before retirement he presided over the \$145 Billion dollar verdict against 'Big Tobacco,' a two year trial that decided that the tobacco industry should pay a record shattering amount. Robert retired to Ocala in 2001. He attended Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Robert is survived by a sister-in-law, Irena and two nephews and their families and his loving wife, Aurelija of 29 years. A Funeral Mass will be given at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Thursday, February 11, 2016 at 8:30AM. Roberts Funeral homes West Chapel (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements.

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#### LEWIS, ROBERT S. 'BOB,' 86

Dunnellon- Robert S. 'Bob' Lewis, 86, passed away February 9, 2016. Bob was born in Durham, NC September 8, 1929 and began his career as a railroad telegrapher. He served in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War, where he became a combat air crewman in the Navy's first 'All Electronics Surveillance' squadron. He was employed by RCA Service Company from 1959 until his retirement January 1991 as a programs administrator, at that time RCA was owned by the General Electric Company. During that period he worked at the missile test project at Cape Canaveral; The ballistic missile early warning system at Thule, Greenland; and culminated on a Navy contract to build/test/deliver the integrated radio rooms for Trident Submarines. He was an avid golfer and fisherman. He was a member of Rainbows End Golf Club. He was their only ranger for Rainbow Springs Golf Club for about three years. He also worked for Ace Hardware for about ten years and had his own screen business. He is survived by his wife, Barbara Ann 'Bobbie' Lewis; son, Terry Lewis (Carol) of Clayton, NC; daughters, Regina Herring of Smithfield, NC, Kimberly Pawvluk (Mark) of Goldsboro, NC; stepchildren, Stephen Goetschius (Bianca) of Hillside, NJ, Richard Goetschius of NY, David Goetschius (Janice) of Franklinville, NJ, Jeffrey Goetschius of Somerdale, NJ, Susan McGrath (Mike) of Atco, NJ, and ten grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his sister, Lucille Williams.

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### **BLUNDA, CONSTANCE (PIKE), 93**

Summerfield - Mrs. Constance (Pike) Blunda, 93 of Gloucester formerly of Essex passed away on Wednesday February 3, 2016 in Seacoast Nursing and Rehabilitation after a brief illness. She was wife of the late Joseph Blunda. She was born October 22, 1922, daughter of the late Isaac and Katherine (Surels) Pike. Connie was a graduate of Gloucester High School and soon after moved to Springfield where she worked as a Secretary for Pratt and Whitney Aircraft. After WW II, she was employed by Springfield College as a secretary and as a stenographic supervisor. After returning to Gloucester she worked in the Insurance industry. She was a permanent member of the Orange Blossom Hills Homeowners Association in Summerfield, Florida, of which she was secretary as well as treasurer of the Ladies Auxiliary and was active in the crafts group. She was a devoted Red Sox fan. She is survived by her sons, Douglas Pike and his wife, Brenda (Perrin) Pike of Gloucester, Stephen Blunda and his wife, Paula (Andrews) Blunda of Rowley; her daughters, Joanne (Blunda) McDowell and her husbandm George of Westview, Yorkshire, England and Mary Jane Blunda of Hampton, NH; her cherished grandchildren, Isaac Pike, Alicia Pike and Brendan Pike all of Gloucester, Diane (Descoteaux) O'Neil and William Descoteaux both of NH and Michelle Blunda of Rowley. She was predeceased by her grandson, Michael Blunda; her three sisters, Gladys Stone, Ella Beard and Velma Beard; her two brothers, Valance Pike and Robert Pike. Connie's Memorial Service were held in the Pike-Newhall Funeral Home, 61 Middle St. Gloucester on Tuesday, February 9, 2016 at 11:00 AM. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her late husband's honor to the Alzheimer's Association, the American Diabetes Association or the Friends of Seacoast Nursing and Rehabilitation. For online condolences and register book please visit www.pikenewhall.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 12 to Feb. 13, 2016

#### **CRONBAUGH, M. LEE**

Ocala - M. Lee Cronbaugh passed away on February 9, 2016. He is survived by his wife of 72 years, Nadine; grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held on Thursday, March 24, 2016 at Bushnell National Cemetery.

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#### HENDRICKSON, WILLIAM B., 71

Inverness - William B. Hendrickson, 71, of Inverness, FL died Saturday, February 6, 2016 at Seven Rivers Regional Medical Center in Crystal River, FL. He was born September 4, 1944 in Burlington, NJ. He moved to Inverness from Graycourt, SC in 2014. Mr. Hendrickson was a retired owner and operator of an automotive repair shop. He was a drag racing enthusiast and an avid fisherman. Mr. Hendrickson served in the Marine Corps during the Vietnam War earning a Purple Heart along with many other medals. He is survived by his son, William Hendrickson, Jr. and brother, Gardner 'Bud' Hendrickson of Dunnellon, FL.

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#### JOHNSON, JR., ERNEST KAYE 'E.K.,' 90

Ocala - Ernest Kaye Johnson Jr. 'E.K.' began life in Dublin, GA. He established his membership with Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist and maintained it throughout his lifetime. Coach Johnson started his teaching career in 1951 with the Marion County School System. He became the Head Coach at Booker T Washington High School, Inverness, FL. He then served as Head Football Coach from 1956-1962 at Douglass High School in Live Oak, FL. After he left Live Oak in 1962 to become an Assistant Coach of his Alma Mater, Howard High School in Ocala, and became Head Coach in 1965. Coach Johnson also taught Work Experience at Forest High. He coached the Girls Basketball Team, while at Forest High School. Coach E. K. Johnson retired in 1985 after thirty- four years in education with 92-35-1 record. He leaves a devoted partner: Rubye K. Hughes; two sons: Dr. E. K. Johnson, III of Nashville, TN and Aloysious Carroll of Ocala, FL; grandson: E. K. Johnson, IV (Marquita); granddaughter: Clara Delores Johnson; two great-grandsons: E.K. Johnson, V and Benjamin David Odom; one great granddaughter: Mya Sheree Johnson all of Nashville, TN; one brother, Robert Johnson, FL; nieces, nephews, a host of cousins, admiring students and sorrowing friends. Public viewings will be held on Friday February 12, 2016: 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL; 4:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, FL 3447; Saturday, February 13, 2016: 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. before the service ONLY at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church. Homegoing Service will be held Saturday, February 13, 2016; 11:00 a.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 NW 6th Terrace, Ocala, FL 34475. Services entrusted to Summers Funeral Home.

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#### SMITH, MARILYN M.

Weirsdale - Marilyn M. Smith, a housewife and self-storage owner, died on February 10, 2016 in her Weirsdale home. A native of Belvidere, IL, she moved here from Ft. Lauderdale in 1974. She was in a plane crash in 1980, as a result was a paraplegic. She was a member of the Lake Weir Yacht Club, and Lake Weir American Cancer Society Luncheons. She enjoyed playing bridge. Survivors, daughter, Linda Leckinger, Panacea; sons, Jack Smith, Deland, Dan Smith, Jupiter, Tim Smith, Ocala and sister, Karen Jenner, Lorita and eight grandsons and one great grandson. She was preceded in death by her husband of 48 years, Robert M. Smith and sons, Robert and Thomas. A graveside service will be held on Saturday, February 13, 2015 at 10:00 AM at the Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, 5740 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Duvall Presbyterian Home, Box 220036, Glenwood, FL 32722 Arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL. www.hiers-baxley.com

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#### **TAYLOR, BARBARA SUE, 59**

Silver Springs - Barbara Sue Taylor, 59, of Silver Springs, FL passed away on Thursday, February 4, 2016. Barbara was born in Pelham Georgia in Michelle County, to Jesse and

Emma Taylor and moved to Ocala nearly 50 years ago. She was a homemaker and worked at Carlton furniture Manufacturing. She was also a Babysitter for many family and neighborhood kids for quite a few years. Barbara enjoyed fishing, working in her flower garden, joy riding around the lakes and the prairie. She was a loving grandma and was so proud of her grandchildren. Survivors include her son, Justin Taylor of Silver Springs, FL; daughter, Tanya Greer of Silver Springs; five grandchildren; Brandon, Sarah, Tyler, Landon, and Colton; sister, Pam Taylor of Silver Springs; and brothers, Jesse and Glen Taylor of Silver Springs. Barbara was predeceased by her parents Jesse and Emma Taylor; sister, Kay Shirley, and brother, Carl Taylor. A memorial service will be held at 2:00 pm, Saturday, February 13, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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### MOSLEY, WILLIAM GOLDMAN, 72

Ocala - William Goldman Mosley, 72, of Ocala, passed away on Wednesday, February 10, 2016. He was born in Ocala and lived here all his life. William was a car man, served as a General Manager of Dingman Pontiac-Cadillac for years, and later an Owner and Proprietor of Mosley Boys Auto Sales also in Ocala. William is predeceased by his parents, Joe and Anita Mosley. He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Mrs. Fay Proctor Mosley; son, Kevin and his wife, Andrea, and their two children and his grandchildren, Cassandra and Jake Mosley, Ocala; son, Miles Mosley and his significant other, Briana Garcia, and Miles' three children and his grandchildren; son, Trevor, and twin girls, Taylor and Peyton Mosley, and their mother, Kim Spain Mosley, all of Atlanta, GA; sister, Sandra Calhoon, Lexington, SC; and brother, Steve Mosley, Ocala, FL, and numerous nieces and nephews which he loved and adored. The funeral will be Tuesday, February 16, 2016, 1:30pm, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala with burial to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Park. Family will receive friends at the funeral home beginning at 1:00pm. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. In lieu of flowers, the Mosley Family requests donations be made to: Hospice of Marion County 3231 SW 34th Ave. Ocala, FL 34474 www.hospiceofmarion.com

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 15, 2016**

## **BROWN, JANIS MARIE, 82**

Fort McCoy - Janis Marie Hogan Brown, 82, passed away February 10, 2016. Born November 17, 1933, in Fort McCoy, Florida, to Clarence Hogan and Mazie Verner Hogan, she was a resident of Marion County all her life. She was a homemaker. She is preceded in death by her parents; husband, James Conrad Brown; son, Andrew Norcross and brother, Raymond Price. She is survived by her sons, Terry Norcross, Gary Norcross (Linda), Tim Norcross (Delia); daughter, Tina Wettstein (Chip); brother, Norman Price;

eight grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren. Memorial Service will be 11:00 a.m., Saturday, February 20, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with Pastor Frank Jesup officiating. Interment will be in Fort McCoy Cemetery. Friends and family are invited to a luncheon following the service at the Marston Lodge, Fort McCoy, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or a charity of your choice in memory of Janis.

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#### **BURKE, THOMAS F.**

Born May 27, 1926 in Providence, Rhode Island; died February 6, 2016 in Ocala, Florida. He married his high school sweetheart Marion-Alice Stack. Tom faithfully served our country in the US Navy. He is survived by his beloved wife Marion-Alice Burke of Ocala, FL; several nephews and nieces; and many other relatives. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Family recommends memorials may be given to Wounded Warrior Project, or Hospice of Marion County. Arrangement entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com

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#### HARRISON, DONNA L., 77

Mt. Dora - Donna L. Harrison, age 77, passed away Tuesday, February 9, 2016 in Mt. Dora, Florida. Donna was born in Asheville, NC and moved to the Ocala, Florida area in 1977 from Omaha, Nebraska. She was a former Registered Nurse, but her love of flowers led her to leave nursing and open her own floral design shop in Belleview, FL named the Gallery of Creations which she operated for many years. She loved to dance, and through the years attended many at the Tavares Elks Lodge. She had a sharp and witty humor and was known to be independent and honest, but her core was thick with love for those around her. She was an avid traveler for much of her life and enjoyed taking cruises and later in life traveled around the state meeting friends and camping in her RV. She was predeceased by her husbands, Salvatore 'Mick' Distefano and Don Harrison. She leaves behind to cherish her memory her daughters, Jennifer (David) Hair of Sanford; and Marie (Mark) Noble of Ocala; a son, Steven (Jackie) Distefano of Ocala; four grandchildren, Kyle, Connor, Micaela; and Isabella; and her sweet cat, Peppy. A celebration of her life is planned for 1:30 PM Sunday, February 21, 2016 at the Page-Theus Funeral Home, Leesburg, Florida. Memorial Contributions may be made to Cornerstone Hospice, 2445 Lane Park Road, Tavares, FL 32778. Condolences may be left for the family at www.pagetheus.com

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#### HUTCHISON, DONALD ARCHIBALD 'DON,' 74

Donald Archibald 'Don' Hutchison, age 74 of Cross Creek, Florida passed away Thursday, February 11, 2016. He was born January 11, 1942 in Wyandotte, Michigan to Marvin and Anna Ruby Loggie Hutchison. He was a United States Army Veteran and past Chaplain of the VFW of Orange Lake. Don was a car and motorcycle enthusiast. He is survived by his wife, Sara Hutchinson; children, Daniel Hutchison, V. Ramsey, Bonnie Fiore, Beth Palazzola (Joe), Donnie Hutchison and Teena Range; sisters, Maxine Davis and Patti Hutchison; brothers, Kenneth and Earl Hutchison; 20 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his children, T. Ramsey, Conn Ramsey and Ronnie Hutchison and sister, Maryann Phillips. The family will receive friends, Tuesday, February 16, 2016 from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the chapel of WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME HAWTHORNE, 301 South at Lake Avenue, with a funeral service to follow. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Wounded Warriors Project, 4899 Belfort Road, Suite 300, Jacksonville, FL 32256. Please visit his memorial page at www.williamsthomas funeralhome.com FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS HAWTHORNE (352) 481-4599 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 14 to Feb. 15, 2016

### **KIDWEL, EDSON EARL, 74**

Citra - Edson Earl Kidwell, age 74, of Citra, Florida passed away on January 7, 2016. Edson made his home in Florida 15 years ago from Columbus, Ohio. He has An Associate Degree from Franklin University, was a past master of Micanopy Lodge #29, and served in the United States Army. He worked for General Motors, as an electrician for 32 years. Edson's biggest love, not his family, is gardening. He is missed by his loving wife, Sandra Kidwell; his children, Poper Kidwell, Edson G Kidwell, Alisha Mellott and Christopher Carfora; also his granddaughters Carrie, Michelle, Chelsea and Abby, as well as his great grandchildren and his sister Mary Helen Lewis, plus many nieces and nephews. The family will have a memorial service with Masonic rites on Saturday February 20, 2016 at 11 am, at the McIntosh Presbyterian Church, in McIntoch, followed by a reception at Grand Lake RV & Golf Resort, in Orange Lake. In lieu of flowers please make a contribution to either Micanopy Lodge #29, or McIntoch Presbyterian Church or a donation to cancer.

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## PAPY, JR., DAVID 'BO' MATIERCE, 84

Ocala - David 'Bo' Matierce Papy, Jr., age 84, of Ocala, FL passed away at his residence on Thursday, February 11, 2016. He was born in Miami, FL on August 12, 1931, the son of David and Iola Papy. He enlisted and served in the US Air Force. After his military service Bo attended Florida State University and the University of Miami. Bo was a Legend in road construction for over 60 years in Miami and Ocala with the family owned and operated business Papy Brothers Incorporated. He was passionate about his family and work. Bo was a member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Virginia Wyatt Papy of Ocala, FL; children, David Tyler Papy and his wife, Grace, David Wyatt Papy and his wife, Joy and Krista Cay Papy; grandchildren, Colt, Tanner, Trey, Dallas, Jagger and Shooter Bo. He was preceded in death by his sister, Dolores Eldredge and his parents. A funeral service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Wednesday, February 17, 2016 at 2:30pm. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Wednesday from 1:30pm to 2:30pm. Burial will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 14 to Feb. 15, 2016

#### **ROSSI, MARGIE**

Ocala - Margie Rossi danced into heaven on January 21, 2016, relieving her pain. Margie

started tap dancing at age four and was cast as Shirley Temple in Norfolk, Virginia. She danced throughout her life. When music was playing, her toes where tapping and her feet were moving. She attended Maury HS and after raising her two daughters, she received her BA degree in Accounting in 1988 and became a Federal Government Contract Specialist. Margie was predeceased by her husband, Joseph V. Rossi, CAPT USNR. She leaves behind to cherish her loving memories her two daughters, Kathie Dudley & Jack, Tina Rossi; her grandson, Tony Jones & Ashley; two granddaughters, Jessi Dudley, Jackie Jo Ramputi & Greg; and two great grandsons, Jackson and Dylan Ramputi. Margie was a Girl Scout Troop Leader and gave leadership, love, and fun to so many young girls. She received the Federal Government Women's Program Coordinator Women of the Year award in the 90s. She was an amazing cook, hostess, seamstress, piano player and a proud member of the Virginia Beach Shagger's Hall of Fame and the National Living Legends of Shag Dancing. Margie was a beautiful, classy, dignified lady that knew how to have fun, all packed in to a petite powerhouse little 5'1' frame. She always had a smile on her face. There will be a Celebration of Life on Sunday, February 21, 2016 from 2pm - 6pm at VFW post 8083 in Belleview, FL honoring the remarkable and multi-talented woman that she was. Flowers and condolences can be sent to 2708 Benavides Dr., The Villages, FL. 32162.

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#### **STEINMETZ, CATHERINE ELIZABETH, 73**

Dunnellon - Catherine Steinmetz passed away on February 8, 2016 in Dunnellon, Florida. She was born on April 10, 1942 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin to Clarence and Phyllis Frank - the first of three children. Cathy worked at the FBI as an administrative assistant while she was married to Richard Steinmetz. She became the very devoted caregiver for several years to her mother until her death. Cathy moved to Florida where she lived for 15 years with the company of her companion dogs, whom she treated like queens. She is survived by her brothers, James (Judith) Frank of Redmond, WA., and Gary (Julie) Frank of Nipomo, CA.; nieces, Jennifer, Aimee, Melissa and nephews, Brady and Max. She was always the big sister, and loved keeping up with her families' activities. Cathy was a master of German recipes, and we will always think of her when we prepare her favorite desserts, especially German Chocolate Cake! Burial and a private family celebration will be held in Wisconsin later this year. Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon handling local arrangements. Condolences for the family may be left at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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#### TURBEVILLE, CHERYL DIAN

Ocala - Cheryl Dian Turbeville passed away on February 7, 2016. Born on December 26, 1962 to parents, Robert Watson and Lois Youmans. She was preceded in death by, Melvin 'Doug' Turbeville She is survived by parents, Robert Watson and Lois Youmans; four sisters and one brother; children, Cory Nichols, Chanda Long; nine grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. A Celebration of Life Service to be held at: First Baptist Church of Orange Springs 22800 NE Co Rd 315, Orange Springs, FL 32182, February 27, 2016 at 3P.M. Crematory Services Provided by: Crevasse's Simple Cremation 352-379-3779

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### WALLS, JIMMIE WARREN, 85

Ocala - Jimmie Warren Walls died peacefully in his sleep in Hilton Head Hospital on February 4, 2016 in Hilton Head Island, SC at the age of 85. Born January 9, 1931 in Charleston, WV to the late Stephen and Effie Sutphin Walls. He is preceded in death by his wife of 55 years, JoAnn Parsons Walls and two brothers David and Earl. Survived by his children, Michael (Joni) Walls from Myrtle Beach, SC and Jane (Drew) Laughlin from Hilton Head Island, SC; three grandchildren, Shawn Walls, Allison (Brad) Newton and Heather Alford and two great grandchildren, Graham and Kaylee. He was an Air Force Veteran and a graduate from WV State University with a degree in finance. After retiring from the NAPA organization and moving to FL, he enjoyed volunteering at Munroe Regional Medical Center with over 1600 volunteer hours. A funeral is scheduled at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home in Ocala, FL on February 16, 2016 at 10:00 am followed by military honors at Bushnell National Cemetery. All are welcome to celebrate Jimmie Walls life. In lieu of flowers you may send donations to the Alzheimer's Association (alz.org).

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 17, 2016**

### **BROWN, JENNIE MARIE, 84**

Ocala - Mrs. Jennie Marie Brown, age 84 of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Saturday, February 13, 2016 at Munroe Regional Medical Center following a brief illness. Funeral services are scheduled for Wednesday, February 17, 2016 at 2:00 pm in the Chapel of Memorial Park Funeral Home with interment to follow in Memorial Park Cemetery. Pastor Bill Compton will officiate. The family will receive friends on Tuesday, February 16, 2016 from 5 - 7 pm at the funeral home. Mrs. Brown was born August 5, 1931 in Detroit, Michigan to the late Lloyd Wilke Van De Water and Louise Foreman Van De Water. She was a loving mother and a devoted wife as well as a member of Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church, Warner Robins. Jennie was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Harold Micheal Brown; three brothers and four sisters. Mrs. Brown is survived by her son, Michael (Vanessa) Brown of Ocala, Florida; daughters, Cheryl Reagan of Anchorage, Alaska and Vicki (Jim) Davis of Gainesville, Georgia; sons, George (Eli) Brown of Cullowhee, North Carolina, Harold (Mary) Brown of Cleburne, Texas, Mark (Denise) Brown of Harvest, Alabama and David (Sue) Brown of Prince George, Virginia; grandchildren: Bonnie King, Janine Petry, Lydia Lopez-Konstantinous, Ginger Wright, Jeremiah Reagan, Courtney Davis, Kyle Davis, Jesse Pulsipher, Aaron Pulsipher, Rebekah Pulsipher, Callista Brown, Amanda Brown, Daniel M. Brown, Christopher H. Brown, Jason Fox-Jackson, John Jackson, Jonathan Brown and Nic Brown; 24 greatgrandchildren, and her loving sister, Marie Larson of Savannah, Georgia. Flowers are accepted or donations may be made to the charity of your choice. Memorial Park Funeral Home, 2030 Memorial Park Road, Gainesville, GA 30504 is in charge of arrangements. Send online condolences to www.memorialparkfuneralhomes.com.

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## DARWIN, WADE H., 72

Ocala - Wade H. Darwin, 72, of Ocala passed away on Friday, February 12, 2016. Wade was born in Miami, Florida on September 30, 1943 the son of William H. Darwin and Gloria H. (Zurlo) Darwin. He was a proud veteran of The United States Army and was part of the 82nd Airborne where he served as a Green Beret from 1961-1964. Survivors include his wife of 35 years, Linda Eggleston Darwin; step-son, Thomas Robert Coe; mother, Gloria H. Miller; sisters, Sharon (George) Kerridge and Donna L. Miller (Steve Gordon); brother, Michael W. (Donna Faye) Miller; several nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his father, William H. Darwin; step-father, Donald A. Miller; and brother, Robert C. Miller. A graveside service will be held Wednesday, February 17, 2016 at 11 AM, located at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala. Online condolences may be sent at hiers-baxley.com.

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# HAYDEN, MARGARET N., 93

Ocala - Margaret 'Peggy' N. Hayden, 93, a retired kindergarten teacher, passed away peacefully on February 6, 2016 in Germantown, MD. A native of Laurens, NY, Peggy married Francis Hayden in 1946. He predeceased her in 2004. They moved to Ocala from Syracuse, NY in 1981. They became members of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church where Peggy was an active volunteer for 30 years. Surviving are her children, Ronald of NY, Gail of MD, Joyce of MA and Michael of MA; three granddaughters, Erin, Chloe, and Mahri; three sisters, Virginia, Agnes, and Ruth; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins that Peggy loved dearly. Peggy was preceded in death by two sons, Gerald in 1957 and Stephen in 2008; six brothers and one sister. Inurnment will take place in the Laurens Village Cemetery in May.

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## JANUSZKI, CAROL ANN, 64

Ocala - Carol Ann Januszki, age 64 from Ocala FL, died February 9, 2016. Born July 3, 1951 in Chicago IL, she lived and worked most of her life in Indiana, PA. Carol was quite active and belonged to various groups in the Stone Creek community. Survivors include the loves of her life, her grandchildren, Maxwell, Hailey, and Logan; her son, James and wife, Tonya Januszki; her daughter, Wendy and husband, Dave Booth; also her brothers, Robert, Don, and Gary Zega. Carol was preceded in death by her husband, James; mother and father, Stella and Chester Zega and a brother, Terry. Services will be held at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL 34471; Tuesday, February 16, 2016 from 2pm-4pm. Relatives and friends are welcome. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 18, 2016**

**BUTRICA, LAWRENCE ANDREW, 86** 

Ocala- Lawrence Andrew Butrica, 86, of Ocala, FL, passed away Sunday, February 14, 2016. He was born September 3, 1929 in New Brunswick, NJ to Andrew and Maybelle White Butrica. He married Dorothy Ann Hammerle in Olean, NY on October 30, 1954. He was a truck driver and retired from Yellow Freight Co. local 707. He was a member of Knights of Columbus, St. Mary's Church, and Marine Corps league all in NY. He was also a VFW national member. He served in the U.S. 11th Airborne Division in the Army from 1946-1948 as well as the U.S. Marine Corps during the Korean War from 1951-1954. He moved to Ocala in 2005 from Fishkill, NY. He is survived by his sons, Daniel Butrica of CA, Sean Butrica of FL, Timothy Butrica; sisters, Helen, Vera, and Eleanor Long; ten grandchildren, and one great grandchild. He was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy Ann Butrica; son, Terrance Butrica; daughter, Laurene Monti; many brothers and one sister.

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## FAISON, ETHEL 'SNOOKIE' BOYD, 77

Ocala - Ethel 'Snookie' Boyd Faison, age 77, of Ocala, FL passed away on Saturday, February 13, 2016. She is survived by children, Frank Boyd, John Boyd, Sharon Boyd Roos, Brenda Boyd Epps and Stephen Boyd, Sr.; siblings, Sandra DeVault, Cheryl Honeycutt and Barry Bonef; nine grandchildren and six great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Saturday, February 20, 2016 at 2pm.

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# **GROOVER, JULIA LYNN, 54**

Belleview - Julia Lynn Groover, 54, passed away February 9, 2016 at Estelle's Hospice House. She was born January 24, 1962 in Palatka, FL and has lived in Ocala for the last twenty years as a homemaker. Julie is survived by her parents, Wayne and Arita Driggers Groover; son, Clifford Wilbur; sister and brother in law, Michael and Ginger Rice; significant other, Robert Ricks; two nephews and one niece. A memorial Service will be at 3:00 p.m., Sunday, February 21, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with Wayne Yancey officiating. Graveside interment will be Friday, February 26, 2016 at 1:00 p.m in Oak Hill Cemetery, Palatka, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Every Little Miracle, a nonprofit organization founded in memory of Julie's niece Kyleigh. Donations may be made online at www.everylittlemiracle.org or by mail at PO Box 3095 Belleview, FL 34420.

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## **KROWKA, WALTER JOSEPH, 95**

Ocala - Walter Joseph Krowka was born November 11, 1920 in Poland and passed away at his home in Ocala, FL on February 13, 2016 at age 95. He served in the US Navy during World War II and lived in Rockville, CT where he owned several home improvement stores in northeastern Connecticut before moving to Florida in 1986. He is survived by his wife of 69 years, Eleanor Stodolski Krowka; their three children, Denise and her husband, Thomas; Thomas and his wife, Susan, Noreen and her husband, Michael; five grandchildren, Julie, Lauren, Jeffrey, Alison and Khristine; and one great

grand-child, Jacoby. Visitation will be held at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala on Thursday, February 18, 2016 from 4 to 6 PM. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Friday, February 19, 2016 at 8:30am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. In lieu of flowers a memorial donation may be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave. Ocala, FL 34474

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# LAHEY SR., CARLDON EUGENE (GENE), 85

Ocala - Carldon Eugene (Gene) Lahey Sr., age 85, of Mt. Vernon, Missouri, formerly of Ocala, Florida, passed away at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 10, 2016, at his home. He was born June 7, 1930, in Winchester, Indiana, the son of the late Harold and Vivian (Kraft) Lahey. Carldon was a 1948 graduate of Jefferson High School in Randolph County, Indiana. He was a U.S. Army Veteran serving during the Korean Conflict, a member of the 82nd Airborne, a mechanic for the Marion County Road Department in Ocala, Florida and a member of the United Methodist Church of Mt. Vernon. On March 2, 1952, he married Ann Morrison in Fayetteville, North Carolina. She preceded him in death on December 6, 2008. He will be sadly missed and lovingly remembered by his children, Carldon E. (Becky) Lahey Jr., of Jacksonville, Florida, Earl Lahey of Mt. Vernon, Laurie (Bill) Music of Blue Ridge, Georgia, Mary Ann (Bill) Steltenkamp of Winter Park, Florida, Susan Turner and Annie (Mike) Darley, all of Ocala, Florida; 13 grandchildren, Carla Lahey, Amy Lahey, Pam (Jeremy) Robinson, Christy (David) Bruner, Nick (Sasha) Lahey, Jeremy Lahey and their mother, Shelly Ray (Art) Krebs, Patrick Liggett, Brittany Fink, Anna Steltenkamp, Josh Turner, Keri Turner, Zach Darley and Ben Darley; nine great-grandchildren, Hannah Rebecca, Olivia Mae, Shain, Brock, Nevaeh, Brentley, Isabel, Ayden and Haven; one brother, Ronald (Pauline) Lahey of Marion, Indiana; sister-in-law, Pearline Morrison; two brothers-in-law, Edmond Earl (Glenda) Morrison and Edwin Kistler (Pat) Morrison. A brother-in-law, Eldred B. Morrison Jr. also preceded him in death. A visitation will be held from 6:00-8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 17, 2016, at the Fossett-Mosher Funeral Home, in Mt. Vernon. Graveside services will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, February 20, 2016, at the Highland Memorial Park Cemetery in Ocala, Florida. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Christ's Starfish Foundation at 11750 Coastal Lane West, Jacksonville, 32258. condolences Florida On line may be shared at www.FossettMosherFuneralHome.com.

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# MAYNARD, ELIZABETH ANNE, 75

Fort McCoy - Elizabeth Anne Perkins Maynard, 75, passed away February 10, 2016 at Estelle's Hospice House. Born October 11, 1940 in Birmingham, AL, to Earle David Perkins and Florence Bullard Perkins. A resident of Marion County all her life, she grew up in the First Methodist Church, Worthy Advisor of Rainbow Girls, attended schools in Ocala, and a member of the Ocala High School Marching Band, graduated from Dunnellon High School, class of 1959. She was part of the Ocala Junior Woman's Club, an avid knitter, and Bible Study Leader. Anne will always be remembered for her loving

nature to others and her joy spent fishing every chance she could. She is preceded in death by her parents and brother, Dan Perkins. She was an Home Interior Decorator. She is survived by her husband, Andrew Maynard Sr., Fort McCoy, FL; son, Reid (Tonya) Allen, Alachua, FL; step-son, Andrew Maynard Jr. (Karen), Ocala, FL; daughters, Lynne Allen (Ken) Dilello, St. Augustine, FL, Terri Allen Kavanaugh, St. Louis, MO, Lana (Wayne) Blankenship, Ocala, FL; step-daughter, Cynthia Dias Maynard, Ocala, FL; sisters, Susan Perkins (Ben) Nye, TeulaLee (Phil) Bondank, Faye Perkins Hannigan Miller; and sister-in-law, Diane Perkins, AZ; twenty-one grandchildren and twenty-one great-grandchildren. Memorial Service will be 1:00 p.m., Saturday, February 20, 2016, at Mill Creek Baptist Church, Fort McCoy, FL. Reception to follow the service at the Church open to all family and friends who loved Anne.

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## GABRIEL, JAMES S. 83 March 1, 1933 - February 4, 2016

Ocala - SMSgt James S. Gabriel, USAF, Ret Ocala, FL James S. Gabriel, 83, passed away peacefully in his sleep, February 4, 2016. Arrangements being handled by Neptune Services, Ocala, FL. James S. Gabriel was born on March 1, 1933, in Bramen, OK. He served for 28 years in the United States Air Force. His career took him to many duty stations throughout the world; Texas, England, Florida, Virginia, Germany and a tour in Vietnam. After retiring from the Air Force, he continued his government service with the Federal Trade Commission. His second retirement found him residing in Kill Devil Hills, North Carolina, where he became a member of the American Legion. His last move was to Ocala Palms, in Ocala, Florida, where he enjoyed an active social life of golf, Monday night poker, and 'exercising' at the community pool. But mostly, he is famous for being a most loving and caring husband, father, grandfather and friend. His biggest joy was being with his family. He will be sorely missed by many. He is proceeded in death by his parents, James S. Gabriel and Sarah Jewel Rawls. He is survived by his loving wife of 60 years, Helga M. Gabriel of Ocala, FL; daughters, Bette-Jean 'B-J' (Bill) Jones of Pascagoula, MS and Suzie (John) Spannuth of Warrenton, VA; grandchildren, Sean Spannuth of Washington, D.C., Janyse (Chris) Cabatu of Norfolk, VA, Nikolaus Spannuth of Portland, OR, and Jamee (Kevin) Molander of Humble, TX; sisters, Inna Bell Munn of Converse, TX and Ermma Throckmorten of Fellows, CA; cousin, Linda Busack of Norwalk, CT and many loving friends. A private memorial service will be held at a later date.

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## HARMON, JOHN DENNIS, 68

Belleview - John Dennis Harmon, 68, car salesman, died February 14, 2016 Survivors include daughter, Karen Jean Rozenboom of Howell, Michigan; son, Jon David Harmon of Belleview, Florida; seven grandchildren, James Harmon (Dawn) of Sterling Heights, Michigan; Roger Harmon of Belleview, Florida; Sandra, Leean, Janet, and Mother, Noralee.

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## HUEY, EDGAR, 75

Belleview - Edgar Huey, born December 3, 1940 in Greensburg, Pennsylvania, entered Heaven on February 9, 2016, in Gainesville, Florida. He was a resident of Belleview, Florida & Hillview, Kentucky. He leaves behind a loving wife of 50 years, Pamela Huey; two sons, Brian Huey (Tonia), Scott Huey (Adrianne); his grandchildren, Brett, Anthony, William Cody, Jacob, Dan, Nicholas, Nick and Lexi; one great grandchild, Cayden. He also leaves behind his brother, Ron Huey (Cathy); many nieces, nephews & other family members. Also, many, many friends around the world. Ed was a highly decorated Vietnam War Veteran who retired after 21 years of service in the U.S.N. A man full of life...if you ever met him...he changed your life in some way. You will always be missed, but never forgotten.

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# JAMES, KATHLENE ANN, 71

Chipley - Kathlene Ann James, 71 of Chipley, passed from this life on February 15, 2016 at her residence. Kathy was born on September 29, 1944 in Lyndonville, New York to Edward Gordon James and Margaret Barbara Heckler. She had lived in the panhandle for 1 year since coming from Silver Springs, Florida. She had worked in the food industry as a cook and server for over 50 years. She was preceded in death by her parents, Edward and Margaret James; two brothers, George James, Edward James; sister, Ruth Dunn. She is survived by her daughter, Glenda Purselley and husband, Carl of Chipley, Florida; three brothers, Bill James and wife, Betty of Grand Island, Nebraska, Charles James of Grand Island, Nebraska, Gerald James of Pennsylvania; three sisters, Mary Ann Ostrander of Laurel Hill, Florida, Ester Meyers of Phillips, Nebraska, Margaret 'Peg' Murphy of New York; five grandchildren; three great grandchildren. Memorialization will be by cremation with Obert Funeral Home of Chipley, Florida in charge of arrangements. The family will receive friends from 2-4p.m. Friday, February 19, 2016 at Obert Funeral Home.

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# WHITE, ELIZABETH BYRD MOUNT, 65

Ocala - Elizabeth Byrd Mount White, 65 of Ocala, Florida, went to heaven on February 6, 2016 after a six year courageous battle with cancer. 'Betty' was born in Charlottesville, VA on June 16, 1950, daughter of the late Lindsay B. and Byrd L. Mount. She graduated from Randolph Macon Women's College Class of 1972. She is survived by her loving husband, William E. White and two sons, Brandon and Lindsay White. She is also survived by her devoted sister, Leslie Mount Davis. At the time of her death, she was in her 16th year as the Director of Case management of the Fifth Judicial Circuit. There will be a Celebration of Betty's life held at the Hilton of Ocala, 3600 SW 36th Ave, Ocala, FL 34474, on Saturday, February 20, 2016 from 11:00AM to 1:00PM in the Church Hill Ball Room. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her name to Carousel Miniature Therapy Horses P.O. Box 358844, Gainesville, FL 32635, Beauty's Haven P.O. Box 53, Morriston, FL 32668 or any charity of your choice. Arrangements are in the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West. You may leave the family condolences at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com.

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#### **JAMES, STEPHANIE, 26**

Belleview - Stephanie James, 26, passed away unexpectedly February 16, 2016. Born February 17, 1989 in Sharon, CT to Christine Krauls. She was a homemaker and college student. She is survived by her loving husband, Jerry James III; sons, Bryce Fulton and Vincent James; daughters, Desiree Fulton and A'iyana James; parents, Steve Fulton, Diana Fulton, Christine Krauls; brothers, Steven, Kevin; sisters, Jessica, Courtney, and many other friends and family. She was a loving wife, mother and daughter and will be missed dearly by all who knew her. Funeral Service will be 2:00 p.m., Saturday, February 20, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with Rev. Bruce Satchell officiating. Interment to follow in Belleview Cemetery.

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## LEWIS, ALYCE GLENN BROWN, 72

Ocala - Mrs. Alyce Glenn Brown Lewis, age 72, transition this life to be with the heavenly father on February 17, 2016. She was a retired Case Worker with the State of Florida Department of Revenue. She leaves to cherish her precious memories: daughters, Laurnetta Wesley, Pamela Lewis, both of Ocala, FL, Natalie Lewis-Ross (Jeff), NY, Nathaniel Lewis, Jr., Ocala, FL, Courtney Lewis (Gloria), NJ. 12 grandchildren; sister, Hilda Cox, Ocala, FL.; godchildren, Wayne Pinkney, Terryl Carrington, Glenda Walker, ten sister-in-laws, five brother-in-laws, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Preceded her in death is her husband, Nathaniel Lewis, Sr. Funeral services for Mrs. Alyce Glenn Brown Lewis will be held 2:00 PM, Saturday, February 20, 2016 at New St. John MBC, Dr. Tommy L. Brooks, Pastor, Eulogist, Rev. Demetrius Franklin, Sr. Visitation will be held on Friday from 6:00PM until 8:00 PM at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home, 127 N.W. 20th Street, Ocala, FL. 34475. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 19 to Feb. 20, 2016

# ROBINSON, WILLIE MAE (WINNIE), 93

Ocala - Willie Mae (Winnie) Robinson, 93, died peacefully in hospice care on February 13, 2016. Services will be held at HiersÂ-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Monday, February 22 at 10:30am, with viewing from 9:30Â-10:30. A graveside service will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell FL at 12:30pm Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 19 to Feb. 20, 2016

## **SPENCE, HEATHER KIMBALL, 71**

Ocala - Ms. Heather Kimball Spence, age 71, of Ocala, Florida passed away on Saturday, February 13, 2016 at Munroe Regional Medical Center following an illness. Heather was born May 23, 1944 in Chicago Illinois to the late Donald Essex Kimball III and Mary Elizabeth Davis. She will be sadly missed and lovingly remembered by her son, Jon Richard Spence of Ocala, Florida and daughter, Paula Elizabeth Spence Lewis of Ocala Florida; grandchildren, Jessica Lewis, Timothy Lewis; great-grandchildren Mia, Gavin, Kyla, and Lil Timmie. She moved to Florida in 1978 from Bradford, Canada with her children and always loved living in Florida. She had many friends and was a long time

member {1983) of the Florida Thoroughbred Fillies. She was a Medical Receptionist for Dr. Doyle Phillips until she retired in 2015. A Celebration of life is scheduled for Saturday, February 20, 2016 from 4 to 7 pm at the Ocala Breeder's Sale Lounge at 1701 SW 60th Avenue, Ocala, Florida. In lieu of flowers please send donations to the Marion Therapeutic Riding Association 6850 SE 41st Court, Ocala, FL 34480 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 19 to Feb. 20, 2016

## STRICKLAND, BARBARA, 80

Ocala - Barbara Strickland, age 80, February 7, 2016. She is survived by Wyn Kirby, Ralph and Tommy Holder who were like her children. Loving family friend to Minnie Westberry. Also survived by her dog, Harley. A Memorial Service will be held on February 20, 2016 at 10:00 AM at Legacy House in Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 19 to Feb. 20, 2016

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## BARSKY, LEONARD J., 83

Ocala - Leonard J. Barsky, 83, of Ocala, passed away February 19, 2016. Leonard was born in Philadelphia, PA and owned a Subway franchise with his wife, Sandra. He is survived by his loving sons, Hal and Michael; and three grandchildren. Leonard was predeceased by his wife of 51 years, Sandra; and son, Steven. Graveside services will be held Sunday, February 21, 2016, 4 PM at Chapel Hill Memorial Park, 12905 Wild Acres Rd., Largo, FL. Guestbook at davidcgross.com. David C. Gross Funeral Homes, St. Petersburg, 727-381-4911

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## **DENISON, JACQUELINE L., 89**

Ocala - A resident of Ocala since 1978 passed away on February 19, 2016. She was born in Jackson, MI on September 25, 1926 and raised in Indianapolis, IN. She was preceded in death by her husband, Benjamin of 67 years; son, David; her parents, Fred and Grace Harris; one sister, Ruth; one brother Bruce. She is survived by her daughter, Diane; son, Ben (Donna) and three grandsons, Benjamin, Matthew and Joshua. She was a member of Bridgeport OES #513 since 1946 and a member of Oak-Griner Baptist Church. A celebration of life will be held at her home church, Oak-Griner Baptist Church, 6422 NE Jacksonville Road on February 21, 2016 at 2:00 pm. In lieu of flowers please donate to Oak-Griner Baptist Church.

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## **OSTRAND, DOLORES HELEN, 88**

Belleview - Dolores Helen Ostrand, age 88, of Belleview, FL passed away on Thursday, February 18, 2016. She was born in Chicago, IL on July 7, 1927. Dolores was a retired office manager. She moved to Florida in 1988 from Chicago, IL. She was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church and the Smith Lake Village Homeowners Association. Dolores enjoyed playing cards, bingo, crocheting, butterflies, orchids and a good trip to the casino. She is survived by her husband of 68 years, Harold E. Ostrand; daughters, Karen Zeller and her husband, Cliff of Denver, CO and Connie Goodrich of Ocala, FL;

son, Mark Ostrand and his wife, Eileen of Carol Stream, IL; brother, Vernon Krajeski of Virginia Beach, VA; nine grandchildren and four great grandchildren. A memorial mass will be celebrated at St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview, FL on Monday, February 22, 2016 at 1pm. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St Theresa Catholic Church-Food Pantry.

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## **ROBERTS, LORENZO EARL 'CORNBREAD,' 73**

Ocala - Lorenzo Earl Roberts, 73, of Crawfordville, died February 18, 2016, after a brief illness. He was a United States Navy Veteran and retired from Coca-Cola as a Delivery/Truck Driver. Earl was also known as 'Cornbread' by close friends. He loved to fish & hunt and enjoyed listening to country music. He is survived by his wife of 25 years, Susan Roberts; his children, Xann Hunter (Steve), Derek Roberts, Balinda McGlamory (Scott) & Jeff Noffsinger (Heather); sisters, Ruby Smith & Pearl Freeman, seven grandchildren and four great grandchildren. He is predeceased by his mother, Hazel Odem Roberts; sisters Katie Judd and Lavonia Walker. A Memorial Service will be held at a later date. Skip Young with Family Funeral Home & Cremation Services is assisting the family with the arrangements. 850-926-5919 Familyfhc.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 20 to Feb. 21, 2016

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## BARR, LAWRENCE, 73

Lawrence E. Barr, 73, of Belleview, passed on from this life Monday, February 15, 2016, surrounded by family. His spirit left after a courageous 18 month battle with pancreatic cancer. Larry was born on March 23, 1942 to Edmund and Marjorie Barr in Corry, PA. The small Western PA city was prominent for Larry's family, as he and his future wife, Patricia Zajac, graduated together from Corry HS in the class of 1960. Larry and Pat were married in Corry on May 14, 1966, beginning a 50 year covenant of holy matrimony. Larry served as a Sergeant in the Army 112th Infantry during the Vietnam era, honorably discharged in March 1970. Larry and Pat moved to Jamestown, NY to start their family. Although he had traditional employment as a general manager for various manufacturing plants, Larry's main business was his bowling. Larry amassed a total of 18 perfect 300 games over his career, which included winning the 1967 Canadian Open PBA Championship. None of his many accomplishments, however, surpassed the night of January 6, 1997. Larry's son, Kerry, convinced his dad to sign up for his Ocala, Florida league team, and they made history together. After Kerry bowled a perfect 300 in his first game of the night, Larry duplicated the feat in his second game. It was the third ever father-son team to have perfect games in the same night, as sanctioned by the World Bowling Congress, but they were the first to have them in back-to-back games for the same team. Larry has the distinction of maintaining a 200+ average for part of seven decades, beginning in the 1950's. Larry also enjoyed golf, baseball games, college football, and bemoaning the poor Cleveland Browns. He treasured traveling with Pat, especially to the beach and the mountains. His hobbies also included genealogy, computers and winemaking. More than anything else, Larry loved spending time with family. His joyful spirit always lit up any event, he never met a stranger, and he always

beamed with pride when it came to his grandchildren. He is survived by his wife, Pat of Belleview, FL; son, Ken Barr and his wife, Tina, of Atlanta, GA; daughter, Michele Barr of Durham, NC; son, Kerry Barr and his wife, Kandice, of Gainesville, FL; grandchildren, Elena, Anya, Jordan, Jaret, Rachel, Vitaly, and Mitchell Barr; sisters, Jacqueline Barr, of Corry, PA and Judy Sutton, of Boardman, OH; and many nieces and nephews. A funeral mass is to be held at St. Theresa's Catholic Church in Belleview, FL on Friday, February 26, 2016 at 10AM. Please, no flowers due to Lenten Season. Donations may be made to St. Theresa's Soup Kitchen or the CaringBridge.org/visit/larrybarr https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CuQue\_1g1UI Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 21 to Feb. 22, 2016

# DUFFY, ELIZABETH M., 99

Ocala - Elizabeth M. Duffy, 99 passed away at the Legacy House Hospice on February 18, 2016. She was born on August 30, 1916 in Hamburg, West Germany. Elizabeth was a registered nurse retiree from New Jersey and worked in a hospital for lung diseases in Plainfield, NJ. In 1952, she married James Duffy; he passed away in 1994. Mrs. Duffy was a member of the Blessed Trinity Catholic Church as well she was active in the Civic Theatre of Ocala and the Appleton Museum. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in her name to ones favorable charity. Condolences may be left at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com.

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## EDGERTON, MELVYN C., 84

Ocala - Melvyn C. Edgerton, age 84, of Ocala (previously of Lake Worth) passed away February 14, 2016. Born January 25, 1932 in South Bend, IN, he moved his family to Lake Worth in 1967 and became a PE teacher and the baseball coach at PBJC. He loved teaching and coaching and his students and players loved and admired him. He retired in Ocala in 1998. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Miriam. He is survived by his current wife and devoted companion, Marion Douglass of Ocala; son, Richard and his wife, Kathryn; granddaughter, Melissa (and Eric Hicks); and great granddaughters, Ella and Kayla, all of Minnesota; daughter, Suzanne (and John Petersen); granddaughter, Angela (and Brett Bolin); and great grandsons, Austin and Jordan of West Palm Beach; and, son, James of Minnesota. He is also survived by his brothers, Paul (and Nancy) of Terre Haute, IN, William (and Kim) of Foley, AL and Richard of South Bend, IN and numerous nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Legacy Hospice House of Ocala. Memorial Service to be held at Forest Lawn Funeral Home in Ocala on Monday, February 22, 2016 at 2:00.

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## HOUGH, KENNETH (KEN) B., 75

Kenneth (Ken) B. Hough, 75, of Ocala, Florida passed away February 10, 2016 at West Marion Hospital in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Richmond, Missouri on February 23, 1940 to Wilson and Wanetta Hough. He graduated from Richmond High School. He attended the University of Central Missouri. He started his career in the FBI, then became a great entrepreneur and owned many corporations. Ken was a member of College Road

Baptist Church of Ocala, FL. He is predeceased in death by his father, mother and late wife, Jody Hough. Ken is survived by his wife, Jeannie Hough; her children and grandchildren; his three daughters, Ginger D. Leroux-Hough, Melissa Hough, and Kimberly Carrero; his five grandchildren, Michael Hough, Joshua Leroux, Chance Hough, Mistan Hough and Dustan Hough. The Graveside Memorial was held on Monday, February 15, 2016 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens in Ocala, Florida. Visit Ken's Memorial page at www. robertsfuneralhomes.com

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## MATHIS, JIMMY RAY, 78

Ocala - Jimmy Ray Mathis, 78, of Ocala, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by his family on Thursday, February 18, 2016. Jimmy was born and raised in Albertville, Alabama to William Hamilton and Mary Elizabeth Mathis. After serving four years in the Air Force, Jimmy returned home and in September 1958, his cousin introduced him to her best friend, Nell, and it was love at first sight! Jimmy and his family moved to Ocala in 1974 where he was promoted as insurance manager with Liberty National Life Insurance Company. In 1982 he formed his own company, Prestige Employee Benefits, Inc. He loved helping people and never met a stranger. He remembered every joke he ever heard and NEVER forgot a punch line; never failing to make you laugh until you cried. Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Nell Mathis; daughters, Cindy (Dean) Harding, Lisa Frederick, both of Ocala; son, David (Shawn) Mathis of Springhill, TN; seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren; sister, Jean Jeffery of Columbiana, AL; and brother, Bobby (Lucille) Mathis of Albertville, AL. Funeral services will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala on Monday, February 22, 2016 at 3:00 pm with Military Honors. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the service. Internment will be at a later date at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, a gift in his memory can be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470 (352) 629-7171. Online condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# **ROSKOSKY, RICHARD S., 87**

Ocala - Mr. Richard S. Roskosky, 87, passed away in Ocala, FL on February 17, 2016. He was born in Plymouth, CT on February 9, 1929. He was a retired Manufacturing Plant Manager. Richard was a US Navy veteran stationed on the USS Ranoke during the Korean War. He moved to this area in 1998 from Colbert, CT. He was a member of the American Legion in CT; Romeo Club of Ocala; On Top of the World Horseshoe Club in Ocala. Richard was a Sea Scout as a child. He loved hunting and was a marksman, fishing, gospel music, reading, gardening, boating, University of CT basketball games and horseshoes (He won a gold medal in the SR. Olympics). Richard is survived by his fiancée, Joan Bolling of Ocala; two sons, Richard Mark Roskosky (Kathleen) of Anderson, SC and Scott Allen Roskosky of Plantation, FL; one sister, Barbara Pescarmona of Terryville, CT; two granddaughters, Mellisa and Anna. He is predeceased by his wife, Alice of 52 years. A graveside service will take place at Florida National Cemetery on February 29, 2016 at 2PM. Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel (352) 8542266 made the arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 21 to Feb. 22, 2016

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# BURG, DONALD L.

Ocala - Loving husband, father, and grandfather, he is survived by his wife, Evelyn Burg of Ocala, FL; three children; six grandchildren. He proudly served our country in the US Coast Guard. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at a later date.

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# HENNESSY, MARY LUCILLE, 63

Ocala - Mary Hennessy, 63, passed away February 18, 2016. Born October 13, 1952, in Starke, FL, to Carmol Udell Copeland and Mildred F. Chesser Copeland. She worked in the banking industry for many years and retired as a financial services manager for Advance America. She is survived by her loving husband, Joseph P. Hennessy; sons, Turney 'Tad' Doody, Jonathan Erick Doody, and Joseph Andrew Doody; step-daughter, Erin Kennedy; brother, James A. Moody, and six grandchildren, Jonathan Erick Doody II, Turney Allen Doody, III, Mary Brianna Doody, Alexis Noell Doody, Julianna Doody, and Julian Doody. Memorial Service will be 4:00 p.m., Friday, February 26, 2016, at Countryside Funeral Home in Anthony, FL..

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 24, 2016**

# AMBROSE, WILLIAM HART, 91

Ocala - William Hart Ambrose was born October 30, 1924, in New York City to Donald and Catherine Ambrose who immigrated from Antigua, British West Indies. His older siblings are Elwood, Oweda, and Conrad. His younger siblings are Wilma and Donald Jr. His mother named him William Hart after a silent film actor who was known for showing honor and integrity. William Ambrose himself was as a man of exceptional honor, integrity, service, and generosity. On Veterans Day 2015, at the age of 91 years, he was honored as a notable attendee at the Police Commissioner's NYPD Military Officers Breakfast at Police Headquarters. He served overseas in the United States Army during World War II 1943 through 1946 and was part of the Battle of the Bulge. He joined the New York City Police Department in 1947 when ethnic barriers tested his graciousness in the face of daily indignities. He joined with other brave police officers who founded the Guardians Association, which became no longer the social NYPD Guardians Club, but, instead, an activist civil rights group of African American police officers. 1960 was a significant year for William Ambrose. He married Gloria Green and became stepfather to her daughters, Alice and Carol-Ann Woodson. In June 1960, he also received his promotion to NYPD Sergeant. February 6, 1961, his beloved firstborn, Lisa, was born, followed by his firstborn son, William Jr. (1962), and his youngest son, Christopher (1964). He loved to watch sports with his sons and their friends. Due to his reputation for honor, integrity, service, and generosity, Sergeant William Ambrose was assigned as the

first supervisor of the newly established 'Neighborhood Police Team' in the 77th Precinct in Brooklyn. This concept established satellite precincts working within the precinct bridging bonds within the community. They not only fought crime within the Bedford Stuyvesant community but also established bonds with families. It was normal for Sgt. Ambrose to leave his Queens home on his days off to handle situations at work when his subordinates were having difficulty. For example, he had an idea to paint the roof tops of apartment buildings so that police helicopters can see the addresses of residents. After a subordinate telephoned him saying the police officer had a personal event to attend, Sgt. Ambrose drove in to Bed Stuy on his day off in coveralls to paint rooftops of community residents. Because of Sergeant Ambrose's legendary selflessness, New York City Mayor John Lindsay decreed that he would forever receive pay for the higher rank of lieutenant. The entire family was excited and honored when Mayor Lindsay chose only Sgt. Ambrose to be interviewed with the mayor of New York City on an entire evening television program regarding neighborhood policing. In 1972, a pilot program allowed female police officer to operate squad cars and do foot patrol for the first time in the history of NYPD. Five of the first 15 female police officers were assigned to Sergeant Ambrose of the 77th Precinct. When interviewed, he referred to them as invaluable and irreplaceable. It follows that all three of his daughters, a granddaughter, and a niece became police officers. Two of them worked in police community relations, diffusing conflict between the police and the community, and one became a police sergeant. He is inspirational. He retired in 1986. During his recent illness, he would frequently awaken and ask if anyone needed anything. He asked if there were enough patrol cars to cover the area. In 1990, he and Gloria moved to Ocala, Florida with his granddaughter, Candice Lee. They were again inspirational as one daughter and three more grandchildren moved to Florida afterwards. They enjoyed themselves in Marion Oaks with family and friends. Examples of his generosity and concern for family are infinite. He returned to New York to live with his son, William Jr., his son's wife, Cindy, and grandchildren, Raven, Noah, and Jordan in Levittown, Long Island in 2014. He is survived by his sons, William Jr. (Cindy), and Christopher Ambrose; by his daughters, Alice White (Fred), and Carol-Ann Rivere; his sister, Wilma Boyd; grandchildren, Jaimi White, Marjorie White, Scott Rivere (Erika), Heather Mitchell (Cameron Lamont), William Ambrose III, Bryna Ambrose, Julian Ambrose, Alexa Ambrose, Raven Ambrose, Noah Ambrose, and Jordan Ambrose. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 23 to Feb. 24, 2016

## **ANIEL, BRIDGET ANNETTE, 33**

Ocala - Bridget Annette Aniel, 33, passed peacefully February 20, 2016, surrounded by loved ones at Munroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala, FL. due to complications from an infection. She is survived by her son, Ecko Ellis; fiancée, Mike McGowan and his children, O'Ryleigh and Dalton; both parents, Sheila Ledford and Fred Aniel; grandparents, Mary and Earl Miller; five sisters; one brother, their families and countless others who were touched by her kindness daily. She'll be missed by all who knew her. A funeral service will be held at the Lady Lake Chapel of Beyers Funeral Home on Thursday, February 25, 2016 at 5:00 PM. There will be a visitation from 3:00 to 5:00 PM prior to the service. Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake. Online condolences maybe left at www.BeyersFuneralHome.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 23 to Feb. 24, 2016

## **DAWSON, MILDRED JOHNSON, 99**

Ocala - Mildred Johnson Dawson, 99, passed away February 19, 2016 in Ocala, Florida. Mrs. Dawson was born May 17, 1916 in Carlton, NY to Dwight and Lillian Johnson. She graduated Albion High School and Brockport State College. Her interests included spending time with family, gardening, and attending Albion's First Baptist Church. She was active in her husband's plumbing and heating business for many years before taking a position with Orleans County Social Services until moving to Florida. Her late husband of nearly 70 years, Herbert Dawson, predeceased her in 2008. She is survived by daughter, Debbie Shultz (Richard) of Ocala, FL.; son, Doug Dawson (Linda) of Charlotte, NC.; three grandchildren; eight great grandchildren, and several nieces, and nephews. She will be laid to rest in Mount Albion Cemetery with no prior services. Condolences may be sent to the family at Debbie Shultz, 1203 NE 22nd Avenue, Ocala, FL 34470.

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# EMANUEL, DONALDA HOAG, 84

Ocala - Donalda H Emanuel, 84, went to be with the Lord on February 13, 2016. Born November 4, 1931 in Buffalo, NY, to Donald Hoag and Elizabeth Gunzlemann Hoag, she moved here from Fort Lauderdale approximately 20 years ago. She worked primarily for Southern Bell/Bell South as a Directory Assistance and (TSPS) operator and then transferred to their Drafting (PLRMS) Department, retiring in 1998. Simultaneously, Mom held many different part time jobs in addition to her full-time employment; often working two or three jobs at a time to help take care of her family. We never had a shortage of Avon products around the holidays. Her last place of employment was in Ocala for H & R Block as a tax preparer & registered E.A. Agent. She is preceded in death by her parents and beloved brother, Robert B. Hoag, SCPO, US Navy, (Ret.), VA. She is survived by her son, Eric Lee Corbe of Groveland, FL; daughters, Candace Equi (Frank) of Ocala, FL, Cheryl Quinton of Mt. Dora, FL and Ernette Lewis (Jesse) of Eustis, FL. She is also survived by grandchildren, Amber C. Ehntholt (Claus), Chance A. Corbe, Raynee L. Reasor, Rick Reasor (Stephanie), Adam Quinton, Jesse Lewis II and Jesse Joshua Lewis; five great grandchildren, Ted A. Sanchez, Frank M. Sanchez, Claus H. Ehntholt III, Christian H. Ehntholt, and Chase H. Ehntholt; sister-In-law and great friend, Sally Anne Lynch of Virginia Beach, VA; sisters, Betty Ann Stewart of Jefferson, GA and Effie Lewis (Bill) of Pembroke Pines, FL. She is also survived by her beloved pet, Lady DHE. Mom loved all animals and was an ardent supporter of the ASPCA. She was a very independent lady that had a 'No Non-sense' way about her but to really know her was to love her. She is dearly loved and will be greatly missed. 'Bye Bye for Now Momma'

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# GAISUNAS, HEATHER JOAN, 41

Ocala - Heather Joan Gaisunas, age 41, of Ocala passed away suddenly on Thursday, February 18, 2016. Heather was born in Haverhill, Mass. on May 15, 1974 and lived in Salem, New Hampshire and Riverhead, NY before moving to Ocala almost 30 years ago. Precious daughter of Gary and Christine Gaisunas and dearly loved sister of Matthew Gaisunas and Holly Gaisunas Smith; nephews, Zach, Aren, & Ryan Smith. She worked in the equine industry for years and later as an OR Tech at Shands, Leesburg General and Ocala Regional. The memory of Heathers kindness, love and compassion for her family, her friends and her animals will live on eternally. A memorial gathering will be held, Saturday, February 27, 2016 at 3:00 p.m., at 7852 NW 14th St. Ocala, FL 34482. Please join us in remembering her.

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## HAGAN, JANICE WILSON, 85

Ocala - Janice Wilson Hagan, 85, a resident of Ocala most of her life, passed away at her home February 20, 2016. She was born in Bejou, MN, attended school in Mahnomen, MN and lived all over the country before settling in Ocala. She was a member of St. Matthews Lutheran Church and retired from the City of Ocala Finance Department. She was an avid golfer and loved spending time with her family and friends. She was preceded in death by her son's father, John 'Jack' Wilson and beloved husband, John Hagan. She was also preceded by her sister, Hazel (Ernest) Uhlir and brother, Clayton Baglien, both from MN. Janice is survived by two sons, John 'Butch' (Donna) Wilson; three grandchildren, their spouses; three great grandchildren and Jay Wilson, both of Ocala; one brother, Harlem (Carolyn) Baglien of MN, and three beloved caregivers, Toni, Heather and Stacy. A graveside service will be held at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL on Thursday, February 25, 2016 at 10am. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 23 to Feb. 24, 2016

## HUGGINS, MELVIN H., 80

Williston - Mr. Melvin H. Huggins of Williston, Florida passed away February 15, 2016 at Shands Medical Center in Gainesville. He was 80. Born in Orlando, FL, he purchased property in Levy County in 1958. He was in the Levy County School System for seven years. He was a member of the Pine Castle First Bapt. Church and he was a member of the International Fire Chief Association and a member of the International Association of Fire Fighters Union Local #2057. He worked for the Orange County Fire Department for 30 Years. He enjoyed hunting, fishing but his top priority was family. Survivors Are: one son, Melvin H. Jr, and his wife, Valerie and one daughter, Susan Katherine and her husband, Randy Crews; five grandchildren; three great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held Saturday, February 27, 2016 at 2:00 P.M. at the First Bapt. Church in Williston with Rev. Jason Owenby officiating. Knauff Funeral Home-Williston in charge of arrangements.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 25, 2016**

## FERLAND JR., DONAT J., 83

Ocala - Donat J. Ferland Jr., 83, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, February 16, 2016 at his home. Don was born in Westport, Massachusetts to Donat Sr. and Elmire Ferland. He moved to Ocala in 1996 from Ridgewood, NJ. Don was a telemarketing executive at DialAmerica and worked for the company from 1959 - 1996. He was a thoroughbred horse owner for the last 35 years and was an avid follower of professional

basketball. A coveted member of his beloved French Club he also performed in the Florida Thoroughbred Fillies musical productions, showcasing his beautiful voice. He was a loving soul and will be dearly missed. He is preceded in death by his wife Joan Ferland; his daughter Leslie Jackson; and his sister Peggy Dagwan. He is survived by his son, Richard Ferland and his wife Debbie; grandsons, Christopher Ferland and Adam Ferland; son, Joseph Ferland and his wife, Jale; son-in-law, Donald Jackson; granddaughter, Emily Jackson-Hall and husband, Daniel; great grandsons, Jameson Hall, Chase Hall, and Spencer Hall; granddaughter Jennifer Jackson; great grandsons, Jonah Ibarra and Jeffrey Ibarra; brothers, Normand Ferland, Jesse Ferland and Henry Ferland; sisters, Barbara Flanagan, Elmire Figliuolo and Mary Lou Hilliard-Musser. The funeral will be 11:00 am Saturday, February 27, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services at 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. in Ocala with visitation one hour prior. In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to Hospice of Marion County.

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## **GORDY, RICHARD SIDNEY, 50**

Ocala - Richard Sidney Gordy, 50, of Ocala, FL passed away unexpectedly while doing what he loved on Saturday, February 13, 2016. Richard is survived by Dawn Neal; two daughters, Allison and Lily Gordy; a brother, Stephen and wife, Alcyone Gordy; and a sister, Laura Munger. He was preceded in death by his parents, Clarence and Lillian Gordy. Richard was born in Washington DC and moved to Ocala in the early 1980's from Annandale, VA. He was a family man, enjoyed baseball - a Boston Red Sox fan, motorcycles, golf, and friends. He, 'River' had assisted the coaching staff at Trinity Catholic High School's Baseball Team. He had worked at The Vines and most recently at Healthsouth as their Director of Plant Operations. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, February 27, 2016, 3:00 pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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## **GRIFFIN, DOROTHY JANE, 85**

Davie - Dorothy Jane Griffin, 85, of Davie, passed away on February 20, 2016. Dorothy was born in Miami, Florida during the Great Depression, and her family was one of the Pioneer Families of Davie. She was a life-long resident of Davie, raised on a dairy farm that is now 441 and SR 84, and graduated from Fort Lauderdale High School in 1948. Dorothy met and married her first husband, Finley J. Dunlevy Jr., and together they had two children, David and Ann. Finley passed away in 1974. In her early 60's, she was reunited with her high school sweetheart, Richard A. 'Dick' Griffin Sr., and together, they were married in 1995. They lived on a horse and cattle farm in Ocala until Dick passed away in 2007. Dorothy had a lifelong career as a Dental Assistant; loved to travel, including several trips to Europe with her daughter, Ann; several other trips she enjoyed were Alaska, Vancouver and driving up the coast of New England with her husband, Dick and various family members. Dorothy will be remembered fondly as the best mother ever, as a strong role model, loving her kids and loving her grandchildren, never met a stranger, and most of all loving a good time. She is survived by her son, David Dunlevy and daughter, Ann Dunlevy; sister-in-law, Carol Suarez; stepchildren, Richard

(Maria) Griffin, Daniel (Gina) Griffin, Pam Griffin, Ginger Martin, Nancy (Terry) Lamfers, Tim (Jeanne) Griffin, Jim Griffin, and Janet (Kenny) Forbes; 15 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren, and loving nieces and nephews. Dorothy is preceded in death by her husbands, Finley J. Dunlevy Jr and Richard A. (Dick) Griffin Sr., and her step-son, Jeff Griffin. Visitation will be Thursday, from 2:00 PM-4:00 PM and 6:00 PM-8:00 PM at T.M. Ralph Plantation Funeral Home. Mass of Christian Burial will be Friday, 10:00 AM at St. David Catholic Church with interment immediately following at Lauderdale Memorial Park. Arrangements entrusted to T.M. Ralph Plantation Funeral 7001 NW 4th Street, Plantation, FL 33317 (954) 587-6888 www.tmralph.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 24 to Feb. 25, 2016

## MANTEL, RUSSELL, 77

Ocala - Mr. Russell Mantel entered heaven on February 5, 2016. He was born on January 21, 1939 in Rochester, New York. He worked for Eastman Kodak as a steel fabricator retiring in 1991, then moved to Ocala, FL. Russell enjoyed camping, fishing, bocce and bowling. He volunteered for Meals on Wheels, Ronald McDonald House and the Medical Equipment Loan Program. Russell is survived by his loving wife, Sandra; daughters, Maria Mahoney, Lisa Winters (Derrick) of Walworth, NY and Susan Grand (Guillermo) of Mass. He also leaves seven grandchildren. A celebration of Life will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel 6241 SW SR 200 on February 26th at 11AM . In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to Interfaith Emergency Services in Ocala. Share Memories and Condolences 1 Read Obituary Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 24 to Feb. 25, 2016

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 26, 2016**

## ALLEN, ROSA DELORIS, 68

Reddick - Rosa Deloris Allen, 68, Reddick, Florida. Passed away February 17, 2016. Life Celebration for Ms. Allen will be held on Saturday, February 27, 2016, 11am at United Missionary Baptist Church, 15460 NW 44th Avenue Road, Reddick, Florida, Reverend Nathaniel Rawls-Pastor. Reverend Victor Boynton will be conducting the words of comfort. A wake service will be held on Thursday at Sellers Funeral Home at 6pm. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Allen's residence (15756 NW 44th Avenue Road, Reddick, Florida) at 10:15am on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing SELLERS SERVICE the eulogy. DEFINES OUALITY following 'A & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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## **BAPTISTE, NICHOLAS 'NICK,' 85**

Ocala - Nicholas 'Nick' Baptiste, 85, peacefully passed away to be with the Lord on February 22, 2016. Nick retired from Marion County Public Schools, Custodial Services. He was preceded in death by his wife, Elder Jannie A. Baptiste. He leaves to cherish his memories two daughters, Claudette Baptiste and Sybil Frank; one son, Anthony 'Tony' Frank. Funeral service will be held at Holy Band Healing and Deliverance Center, 1019 NW 10th St. Ocala on Saturday, February 27, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. The family will meet at

the home of Mr. Baptiste at 10:15 a.m. to form the cortege. Public viewing will be on Friday, February 26, 2016, from 11:00 - 6:00, at Snow's Funeral Ministry, 5791 SE 23rd Lane, Ocala, FL.

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## **CROOKS, LEROY W., 70**

Ocala - LeRoy W. Crooks, retired Chief Warrant Officer W3 and Vietnam Veteran, passed away peacefully on February 13, 2016. He was born in Auburn, IN on March 1, 1945. He served for 20 years in the U.S. Army. His career took him to Norway, Hawaii, The Netherlands, and other locations in the United States. After retirement, LeRoy worked as an Air Force contractor in the computer security field. He is survived by his loving wife of 49 years, Constance J. Crooks of Ocala, FL; sons, Derek (Kara) of Raleigh, NC and Travis (Kristen) of Coppell, TX; and grandchildren, Keaton, Camden, and Anderson. His interests were golfing and traveling, especially cruising. A graveside service will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at a later date. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 25 to Feb. 26, 2016

# DANIEL, LLOYD A.

Ocala - Lloyd A. Daniel passed away on February 21, 2016. He was preceded in death by his wife of 62 years, Jean Daniel. While Lloyd was born in Huntsville, Alabama on July 22, 1930, he and his wife spent their life traveling and living all over the country making friends wherever they went, discovering and enjoying new places. Lloyd loved to go on long walks and would listen to others talk in a way that made them feel they were being listened to and respected. When he chose to talk in his charming drawl what he said was full of love and insight. He made friends easily and was adored by many with his low, soft laugh and calm, patient spirit. He was a former member of Toastmasters, former Boy Scout leader, election judge for Marion County Voter precincts, volunteered for Habitat for Humanity and Munroe Regional Medical Center, and looked forward to the monthly gathering of his hospice group. He served in the national guard. He was accepting, loyal, and loving. He was the first to tell a joke and knew how to draw you into the fun as well. He had a love for life and for his family and friends who were dear to him. He will be deeply missed by his son, Michael Daniel; his daughter-in-law, Denise Daniel; his grandchildren, Chris and Chantelle and his great-grandchildren, Bella, Jace, Amelie, and Henry. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Lloyd Daniel's name to Hospice Care of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Friends and colleagues are welcome to join the immediate family for a 'celebration of life' on Saturday, February 27, 2016 in the Lord's Chapel at Munroe Regional Medical Center from 10:00 AM-12:00 noon located at 1500 SW 1st Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471.

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# JOHNSON, BRENDA D., 59

Inverness - Mrs. Brenda D. Johnson, 59, of Inverness, Florida passed away on February 17, 2016. The Graveside Service for Mrs. Johnson will be held on Saturday, February 27, 2016, 11:00A.M. at Dunnellon Community Cemetery 'Providing Everlasting Memories' Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 25 to Feb. 26, 2016

## JOHNSON, SR., RUDOLPH PHILLIP 'RUDY'

Ocala- Rudolph P. Johnson, Sr. was born on May 22, 1927 to the union of William Johnson Sr. and Edna Liza Kinsler in Ocala, FL. He accepted Christ at an early age and attended Covenant Baptist Church in Ocala. Later years, he became a member of Clearwater Missionary Baptist Church in Ocklawaha, Florida. He was a choir member and a faithful Sunday school attendee. He was ordained as a Deacon by Rev. Leonard Scott in 1997 and served as the assistant chairman of the Deacon board. Rudolph P. Johnson was united in marriage with Elouise Hill Johnson. He leaves to cherish his memory; wife, Elouise Johnson; four children, Rudolph Johnson Jr. (Brenda), Mitzi Beno (Christopher), Marlisa Johnson, Fran Morand (Lofton); mother-in-law, Martha Thomas; sisters-in-law, Lillian Fleming, Cynthia Gordon (James); brother-in-law, Clarence Hill; grandchildren, Kennedi Johnson, Trey Johnson, Shawnta Morand, and a host of other relatives and friends. Rudolph P. Johnson, Sr. departed this life on February 19, 2016. He was preceded in death by his parents, William Johnson, Sr. and Edna Johnson and his brother, William Johnson, Jr. A memorial service will be held for Rudolph P. Johnson, on Saturday, February 27, 2016 at 3:00pm at Clearwater Missionary Baptist Church, 14021 SE 117th Place, Ocklawaha, FL, Rev. Julius Beard, Pastor, officiating and Former pastor Rev. Leonard Scott, Eulogist.

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## MCDOWELL, PATRICIA ANN, 77

Dunnellon - Patricia Ann McDowell, 77, died on Tuesday, February 23, 2016 at the Hospice of the Nature Coast in Lecanto, FL. She leaves behind her husband, William E. McDowell, Citrus Springs; her children, Cheryl Loeffler, Hesston, KS, Caroline Chrisco, Overland Park, KS, William McDowell, Jr., Jasper, MO and Thomas McDowell, Colorado Springs, CO; her brothers, Ivan Clark, Dayton, OH, Jim Clark, Manhatten, KS and Dennis Clark, Corpus Christi, TX; her fifteen grandchildren and two great grandchildren. She was born in Wichita, KS on October 7, 1938 to the late Selby Orel Clark and Bertha Thelma Phillipe. She lived in Puerto Rico for about seventeen years and moved to the Dunnellon area twenty five years ago from Somerset, NJ. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church Circles and Meals on Wheels. Patricia enjoyed gardening, decorating, baking, cooking, flying with her husband on their plane to many places and raising her four children. She will be greatly missed by her family and friends. Memorial Contributions can be made in Mrs. McDowell's memory to the American Cancer Society Florida Division: 3709 W. Jetton Ave., Tampa, FL 33629. Memorial Services celebrating Patricia's life will be held on Saturday, February 27, 2016 at 11:00 AM at the First Presbyterian Church in Dunnellon. Inurnment will follow in the Church Cemetery. Expressions of sympathy can be made online at robertsofdunnellon.com. Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon has been entrusted to arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 25 to Feb. 26, 2016

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, February 27, 2016**

## **BURNETT, HEIDE, 73**

Ocala - Heide Burnett, 73, passed away peacfully February 22, 2016. She was born July 3, 1942 in Berlin, Germany. She came to the United States in 1960 and became a citizen.

She lived in Beldenville, Wisconsin and moved to Florida in 1998. She is survived by her sons, Craig Minder, Gary Minder and daughter, Brooke Burnett and dearest friend, Dan Bellefontaine and neighbors at On Top of the World. She enjoyed gardening and her landscape was always beautiful, just like her. She is preceded in death by her husband, Donald Minder and daughter, Christina.

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## **JOHNSON, HEATHER LOUISE, 38**

Ocala - Heather Louise Johnson, 38, of Ocala passed away February 23, 2016. Born in Welch, WV, she came to this area in 1999 from Georgia. Heather enjoyed her family more than anything but she also had a love for cooking and baking, reading and was a history buff. She is survived by her daughter, Sierra Johnson of Ocala; father, Wayne Johnson (Priscilla) of Harmony, NC; mother, Tammy Abell and step father, Elton Ross of Ocala; brother, Jeremy Johnson; sister, Kimberly Johnson of Ocala and nephews Elijah Rios and Jace Johnson. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141) on Friday, February 26, 2016 from 6-8PM. Funeral Services will be held at the Funeral Home on Saturday, February 27, 2016 at 10AM. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 26 to Feb. 27, 2016

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## LASH, THOMAS EDWARD, 59

Citra - Thomas Edward Lash, 59, passed away February 24, 2016. Born November 7, 1956, in Jacksonville, Illinois, he is the son of Charles Edward Lash and Shirley A. Crawford. He served in the U.S. Navy and was a warehouse worker for Golden Flake for many years. He was a member of New Saint Paul Church and the National Honor Society. He was an avid rock and fossil collector and enjoyed history and reading. Preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his loving wife, Martha Lash, Citra, FL; brother, Tim Lash (Deb), Waverly, IL; sister, Sharon Bonjean (Pat), Franklin, IL; and numerous nieces and nephews. Visitation will be from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m., Saturday, February 27, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Funeral Service will be at a later date in Jacksonville, IL. In lieu of flowers memorials are suggested to Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478; New Saint Paul Church 19431 NW 100th Ave Road, Micanopy 32667; or Trinity Lutheran Church 4001 NE 25th Ave Ocala, FL 34479.

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## **ORAVITS, KRISTOFFER JAMES, 39**

Ocala - Kristoffer James Oravits, 39, of Ocala passed away February 21, 2016 Born in Ft. Knox, KY he came to this area 23 years ago. He was a restaurant server and was loved and will be missed by all that knew him. He is survived by his fiancée, Tasha Johnson of Ocala; sons, Vincent and Sage Oravits; step-daughter, Gabbrealla Bowen; mother, Jutta Gibson; sister, Kim Mills; brother, Ian Oravits; step-mother, Petra Oravits; nieces, Madison Mills and Leeloo Oravits and nephew, Parker Mills He was preceded in death by his father, Dennis Oravits. A celebration of his life will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141) on Saturday, Feb. 27th at 5PM. A condolence message may be left at www. robertsfuneralhomes.com

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## PRICE, CAROLE (ALICE) GOMMI, 79

Tallahassee - Carole (Alice) Gommi Price, 79, of Tallahassee, FL died February 23, 2016 in Panama City, FL. She was born in January, 1937 in New York, New York and had resided in East Granby, Connecticut; Port St. Lucie, Florida; and Tallahassee, Florida. Carole was a long-time Legislative Assistant and Bill Writer of the State of Florida Legislature. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon. She was pre-deceased by her husband, Claude; her son, Scott and her parents, Jules & Alice Gommi. Survivors include her brother, Jules Gommi and sister-in-law, Loretta, of Maple Valley, Washington; her daughters, Laurie Edwards and husband, Micheal of Hobe Sound, FL, Diane Chancy and husband, John of Tallahassee, FL; seven grandchildren, Ryan, Matthew and Lee Edwards, Sarah Lubinski, Tanner Chancy, Taylor and Brynn Price; and four great-grandchildren, Hunter, Amanda, and Savannah Lubinski & Ryan Ackerman. Burial will take place at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL with memorial services to be announced at a later date. Memorial contributions can be made to the Alzheimer's Association. Arrangements entrusted to Purcell Funeral Home, Bushnell, Florida.

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# RAINES SR., JAIRAH M., 26

Ocala - Jairah M. Raines Sr., 26, passed away on February 18, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memory children; Jairah Raines Jr., Jeremiah Raines, and Jabria Raines; parents, Yvonne and McCloud Raines Jr.; sisters, Lisha Asiby and Chikita Raines; maternal grandfather, George Grant, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Sunday, February 28, 2016 at 3:00pm at Now Church 6405 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, FL. 34480. Visitation will be held Saturday, February 27, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 11am-6pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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# SILCOX, WESLEY FRANKLIN, 53

Ocala - Wesley Franklin Silcox, 53, passed away February 24, 2016. Born December 1, 1962 in Ocala, FL to Franklin Roosevelt Silcox and Betty Jana Mason, he has lived here all his life. He owned and operated a lawn service company for over 35 years. He is preceded in death by his mother, Betty Jane Silcox. He is survived by his father, Franklin Silcox; brothers, James Silcox and Randy Silcox. Visitation will be from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m., Saturday, February 27, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Graveside Service will be 3:00 p.m., Sunday, February 28, 2016 at Waldena Cemetery, Ocala, FL with Pastor Jim Folk officiating.

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# BAKER, HERBERT, 87

Ocala - Herbert F. Baker, 87, of Ocala, FL and Leominster, MA passed away February

22, 2016 in Ocala, FL after a brief illness. He was born November 7, 1928 in Leominster, son of Edward & Mollie (Caissey). Following service on a US Navy destroyer in World War II he attended Worcester Junior College with honors and Bowling Green State University in Ohio. He graduated from Northeastern University of Law in 1953 with a Doctorate of Jurisprudence Degree. While practicing law in Leominster MA he served six years as a city councilor (two of which as council president) and seven years as chief city attorney. Prior to the adoption of the 'public defender' system he was assigned as a felony defense attorney in the Worcester Superior Court and has defended clients in the Courts of Worcester, Middlesex, Essex, Norfolk and Barnstable Counties. In 1977, he relocated to Miami, FL where he practiced trial law and in 1981, upon relocating to Ocala, FL, he was engaged in the field of will, trust and probate law where he received an award for his pro-bono service. He was a past member of the Marion County, Worcester County and Massachusetts Bar Associations, the Massachusetts Trial Lawyers Association, and was admitted to practice in the Federal Courts of Massachusetts, Florida and Vermont. Following the death of his wife, Jemma A (Spadafora) Baker, in 2007 he retired and maintained residences in Ocala, FL and Leominster, MA. Surviving him is his son, Brian Baker of Melbourne, FL; grandchildren, Jaclyn Baker, Shawn Baker; and great-grandchildren, Jemma E Baker and Josephine Baker all of Dallas, TX; and a brother, Edward C. Baker of Leominster. Private burial services will be held at St. Leo's Cemetery at a later date. Donations in Herb's memory may be made to Estelle's House c/o Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 27 to Feb. 28, 2016

#### BECK, BARBARA 'MAMA BECK,' 76

Ocala - Barbara 'Mama Beck', 76, passed away February 25, 2016. Born June 28, 1939 in Live Oak, FL, she moved here in the early 50s and was a manager of the North Marion High School cafeteria for 35 years. She is preceded in death by her beloved husband Guy Lawrence Beck. She is survived by her sons, Tal (Shirley) Beck, Larry Beck; daughter, Patsy (Dan) Delaney; seven grandchildren and fifteen grandchildren. Visitation will be from 3:00-6:00 p.m., Sunday, February 28, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Funeral service will be 11:00 a.m., Monday, February 29, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home with Dan Delaney officiating. Interment to follow in Anthony Cemetery. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 27 to Feb. 28, 2016

#### LIVINGSTON, COLLEEN SUTHERLAND

Ocala - Colleen Sutherland Livingston, 53, passed away February 24, 2016. Born October 21, 1962 in Pittsburgh, PA, to Howard William Sutherland and Christine McIlroy Sutherland. She was a homemaker and former daycare owner. Colleen was a member of the International Order of Rainbow for Girls #66 and the Order of the Eastern Star #29. She is survived by her beloved husband, Richard Vaughn Livingston; son, Liam Vaughn Livingston; daughter, Tami Janette Livingston; brother, Scott Sutherland (Irene) and sister, Tammy Smith (Joseph). An Order of the Eastern Star service will begin at 2:30 p.m., Memorial service will follow at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, February 28, 2016 at the Fort King Presbyterian Church, with Pastor Andy Gans officiating. A reception will follow. In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to the Ocala Domestic Violence Center.

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# **BLUHM, ELSIE VALERIA, 89**

Ocala - Elsie Valeria Bluhm, 89, of Ocala, FL, passed away the week of February 7, 2016 in her home. Born October 27, 1926 in Rutherfordton, NC, she grew up in Crisfield, MD. She worked as assistant editor of Turf Magazine in Ocala. Predeceased by her brother, Henry Bluhm of Baltimore. Survived by her nephew, David Bluhm and wife, Maria; her niece Kathy Ford and husband, Brian. Elsie loved anything to do with horse racing and her royal family lineage. Interment will be at the Glen Haven Memorial Park Cemetery in Glen Burnie, Maryland next to her mother Ruth Lavallette Bluhm. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 28 to Feb. 29, 2016

# HAGAN, JANICE WILSON, 85

Ocala - Janice Wilson Hagan, 85, a resident of Ocala most of her life, passed away at her home February 20, 2016. She was born in Bejou, MN, attended school in Mahnomen, MN and lived all over the country before settling in Ocala. She was a member of St. Matthews Lutheran Church and retired from the City of Ocala Finance Department. She was an avid golfer and loved spending time with her family and friends. She was preceded in death by her son's father, John 'Jack' Wilson and beloved husband, John Hagan. She was also preceded by her sister, Hazel (Ernest) Uhlir and brother, Clayton Baglien, both from MN. Janice is survived by two sons, John 'Butch' (Donna) Wilson; three grandchildren, their spouses; three great grandchildren and Jay Wilson, both of Ocala; one brother, Harlem (Carolyn) Baglien of MN, and three beloved caregivers, Toni, Heather and Stacy. A graveside service was held at Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL on Thursday, February 25, 2016 at 10am.

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# **JACKSON, WARREN JAMES, 75**

Ocala - Warren James Jackson, born in New Port, Providence, Rhode Island on June 27, 1940. He passed in his sleep after a long battle with cancer on February 18, 2016. He was preceded in death by his father, Hampye Jackson; mother, Ieleen Simmons Jackson; wife, Marion Jackson; sister, Marilyn and his brother-in-law, Chuck Henkelman. After relocating from R.I. to San Jose, Calif. his family moved to Orlando, FL. as a child, after his father retired from the Navy. He remained a longtime resident, until moving to Ocala several years ago. Like his father before him, he proudly served in the U.S. Navy, Division 1,1959 - 1962 and was stationed aboard the U.S.S. Canberra (CAG2) which was one of the first guided missile ships. He participated in the World Cruise and the Cuban Missile Blockade. He was a devoted grandfather, an avid record and memorabilia collector, mainly spanning the 1940's - 1960's. He also loved the Miami Dolphins and the Orlando Magic. Mr. Jackson is survived by daughter, Lynda, (Kenneth) Davis and grandsons, Eddie and Patrick; eldest son, Warren Earl (Robin), and grandchildren, Andrew, Zachary, Amber and Allie; and youngest son, Jamie Dean, (Trisha); grandsons, Christopher, Joshua, Jamie Dean, Justin and two great grand-daughters; his brother, Gary, (Marylee); nephews, Travis, (Carolyn); great nephew, Henry; nephews, Cody and Riley

Jackson; his Missouri and Illinois nephews, David (Colleen) Henkelman, Darin (Paula) Henkelman and niece, Diane (Jim) Hoffmockel and their children and grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to: The Church at the Sheepgate, 114 N.E. Tuscawila Ave., Ocala, FL. 34470

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## JOHNSTON, KARLYNN 'KAY,' 88

Ocala - Karlynn 'Kay,' Johnston, age 88 of Miamisburg, OH and formerly of Marion Landing, Ocala, FL, passed away on Wednesday, February 24, 2016 at The Wellington of Dayton. She is preceded in death by her husband, Raymond Johnston of 57 years as well as her daughter, Katherine Long. Kay is survived by her son and daughter in law, Bud and Teresa Johnston; grandchildren, Mitch (Ashley) and Kelly; as well as brother and sister in law, Nicholas and Kathy. A burial will take place at Dayton National Cemetery on Monday, March 7, 2016 at 11am with Rev. Joe Redmond officiating. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675. Condolences may be left for the family online at www.gebhartschmidtparramore.com.

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## JONES, MARGARET ROSE 'MARGIE,' 76

Ocala - Margaret Rose 'Margie' (Fairfax) Jones was born in Louisville, Kentucky on December 10, 1939 to William Marvin and Jewel Teresa. (Newton) Fairfax. She attended school in Louisville and graduated from Southern High School. On November 5, 1959 Margie married Carl Donald Jones and their union was blessed with three daughters. Margaret was a wonderful wife and mother who saw to her family's every need. As Margie's family grew and she became a grandmother and great grandmother, she cherished her grandchildren and relished every moment she could spend with them. Margie was a Charter member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic in Ocala, Florida est. in January 1978. She was dedicated to her church and was active in several ministries over the years. She had developed many wonderful friendships there. Margie is survived by, children, Debra Moore and husband, John, Broken Arrow, OK, Lori Leatherman, Valrico, FL, Carla Jones and husband, Travler Moyer, Paulsbo, WA; grandchildren, Breanne and Matthew Oberdick, Adrienne and Adam Stout, Corwin Moore, Amber Gartland, Trenton, Leighton and Ashton Leatherman, Margaret 'Maggie' Moyer; great grandchild, Costin Oberdick; brother, Ray Fairfax and wife, Judy, The Villages, FL; dog, Shatzi; and numerous cousins, nieces, nephews and other loving family. Margie was preceded in death by her parents, husband, siblings, William Fairfax, Gerald Fairfax, Walton Fairfax and Betty Cooke. There will be a visitation on Monday, February 29, 2016 from 5-7 PM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala. A funeral mass will be held on Tuesday, March 1, 2016 at 11 AM, located at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, 4047 NE 21st Street, Ocala, FL 34470. Interment will follow at 2pm, located at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Online condolences may be left at hiers-baxley.com.

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# LEARY, RUSSELL JOHN, 89

Ocala-Russell John Leary passed away February 16, 2016. He was a beloved husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. He was born in Atlantic City, New Jersey on February 22, 1926 to John Joseph O'Leary and Helen Fleming O'Leary. He moved to Washington, D.C. at the age of ten where he attended St. Martin's Catholic school and St. Johns College High School. He left school at age 17 to enlist in the U.S. Army Air Corps during World War II where he attained the rank of Staff Sgt. and flew as a turret gunner on B24s. At the end of the war, he worked at the naval gun factory in Washington DC and attended Benjamin Franklin University. He worked as a Contracting Officer for the Department of The Navy in Washington, D.C. during the Vietnam War where he was responsible for the purchase of weapons such as the Walleye Missile, the first precision guided missile of its time. He later worked at Goddard Space Flight Center, Greenbelt, Md. again as Contracting Officer where he played a vital part in our country's early space exploration. He served as President of the men's club at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Beltsville, Md., President of the Beltsville Boys and Girls Club where he coached Little League football and basketball and Treasurer of the Prince Georges County Boys and Girls Club. He also served as commander of the largest VFW District in Maryland and Commander of an American Legion Post. He retired from Goddard Space Flight Center, Greenbelt, Md. in 1981 after 37 years of loyal service to his country both civilian and military. He was proud to hold dual citizenship with Ireland which he attained by being second generation American of all four Irish grandparents. Upon his wife's retirement in 1989 they moved to Ocala, Fl., where he was much loved by his neighbors and his many friends. For twenty-five years he ate breakfast at Richards Place which he considered his social club. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Barbara Clark Leary and his four children, John M. Leary (Elizabeth) of Chevy Chase, MD., Patricia Leary Galinat Ocala, FL., James P. Leary (Linda) of Jessup, MD., Jeffrey P. Leary (Nancy) of Beltsville, MD.; ten beautiful grandchildren and nine great grandchildren who all loved him dearly. A memorial service will be held at Baldwin Brothers Funeral Home, 954 East Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala at 2:00 P.M. on Friday March 4, 2016. Interment will be in Maryland at Gate Of Heaven Cemetery after a memorial mass at St, Joseph Church, Beltsville, MD. at 10am on Thursday, March 17, 2016; St. Patrick's Day. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or the wounded warrior Project. To leave sentiment for the family please visit www.BaldwinCremation.com. Arrangements By: Baldwin Brothers Funeral Home and Cremation. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 28 to Feb. 29, 2016

## MASI, JR., ANTHONY (TONY) JOSEPH

Belleview - Anthony (Tony) Masi Jr. passed at the hospice Bradley House February 3, 2016, at 60 years old in his wives arms. Born in Camden, NJ moved to Florida in the 80's owner of the Masi Family Lawn Service for over 20 years. Was a loving husband, father, brother, and grandfather. Survivors are his wife Patricia (Fitz); son, Allen; daughters, Christina and Tiffany Masi; two grandchildren, Paris and Rex Masi; his sisters, Doris, Janelle, Kyla and Susan. Proceeded in death is Anthony's mother, Doris Sturgis Snyder and his father, Anthony J. Masi, Sr. Celebration of life March 6, 2016 at his residence. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 28 to Feb. 29, 2016

#### NOLFI, ADAM EDWARD, 95

Ocala - Adam Edward Nolfi, 95, known as Pop, went to be with the Lord on Thursday, February 25, 2016 under the care of his loving family. He was born July 10, 1920 in Nanticoke, PA. Serving honorably during WWII in the U.S. Marine Crop and then continuing as a Port Captain for shipping lines in New Jersey and New York. Adam is survived by his daughter, Debra (Gordon) Wallum, of Ocala and his three grandchildren, Adam (Kindal) Wallum, Gordon Wallum Jr., and Travis (Andrea) Bernitt along with three great grandchildren. Adam is preceded in death by his wife, Martha Nolfi; his son, Edward Nolfi; and his daughter, Donna Bernitt. Service will be conducted on Thursday March 3, 2016 at 11:00 am with Marine Corps Honors at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Feb. 28 to Feb. 29, 2016

## **OGLESBY, PAMELA, 82**

Pembroke Pines Pamela Oglesby, age 82, of Ocala, FL passed away on February 26, 2016. She is survived by her 6 children and their spouses; her twin brother, she also has 15 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her loving husband John Oglesby and first grandchild Brooke Oglesby. A funeral service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Monday, February 29, 2016 at 11am. The family will receive friends at the funeral home on Monday from 10am until the time of service at 11am. A reception will follow the service. Burial will take place privately at Forest Lawn Memory Garden in Ft Lauderdale, FL.

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## BRACKETT, JUANITA M., 94

Juanita M. Brackett, 94, formerly of Ocala passed away February 25, 2016. Born in Lott, TX, she resided in Ocala for over 30 years and left the area in 2007. She was a retired telephone operator and bank loan officer. She was a former member of Oak Griner Baptist Church, a member of the D.A.R. and is survived by her sons, James C. Brackett, Sr. and William C. Brackett, Sr.; daughter, Virginia Gayle Baker, 8 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren. Visitation will be held at Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel (606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala 622-4141) on Tuesday (March 1st) from 4-6PM. Funeral Services will be held at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Mausoleum Chapel (5050 SW 20th St., Ocala) on Wednesday (Mar. 2nd) at 2:30PM. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 2, 2016**

## **BRADY-STILES, DENISE, 58**

Summerfield - Denise Brady-Stiles lost her battle with cancer on February 27, 2016 at The Brandley Hospice House in Summerfield, FL. Per Denise's wishes, she will be cremated and there will be no services. She was born on January 15, 1958 to Gilbert & Maxine Wilkins Brady in Kewanee, II. Denise graduated from Bradford High School at the end of her Junior year in 1975. Denise married Alan Stiles in 1990. After moving to Florida, Denise worked for a select few seniors from the Ocala and Lady Lake areas. This allowed her more time to follow her two passions, going to the gym and animal rescue. Denise was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers, Keith Brady and Gary Brady. She is survived by her husband, Alan Stiles Summerfield, FL; her son, Darren Stiles, Daytona Beach, FL; two sisters, Diane (Charles) Rice Congerville, IL; Teresa Brady, Germantown Hills, IL; one brother, Darwin (Patti) Brady Henry, IL; as well as several nieces and nephews. Denise will be missed by all who knew and loved her. The family suggests memorial donations be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Cremation Society.

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## BURGER, MARION L. 'MARI,' 89

Ocala- Marion L. 'Mari' Burger, 89, passed from this life Saturday, February 27, 2016. Mari was born in Kingston, NY. She was the Library Director of the Town of Ulster Library for 20 years before retiring in 1979. Mari was an active member of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer in Kingston, NY and was active in the church and choir for many years. She also was a member of the Wiltwyck Golf Club, along with her husband, Walter (Bud) Burger, and was a member of the Wiltwyck Golf Club Board of Directors and an avid golfer and member of Wiltwyck's Women's Golf Assn. Upon moving to Ocala, FL (Silver Springs Shores) in 1985 she joined the Incarnation Lutheran Church along with her husband, Bud Burger, where they were both active members for over 20 years. While at Incarnation Mai was Chairman of the Alter Flowers Committee for eight years and Historian and Photographer for over six years. She also was an active member of the choir from the time of joining the church and active on the church Kitchen Committee. In November 2007, Mari joined the Ascension Lutheran Church and became a member of the church choir and active in the Ladies WELCA organization. She enjoyed people and encouraged them in their daily living. Golfing was her favorite sport along with swimming and she was an active member of Ocala Women's Golf Assn, Pine Oaks Women's Golf Assn and Silver Springs Shores Country Club Women's Organization. Mari was a member of Women of the Moose #459 and an active member of the Golf Assn. Mari was a resident of Fairways Condo #7 and active on the Board of Directors as a secretary from 1992-1194 and vice-president in 2008-2009. Mari was a member of Belleview American Legion Aux. #284 for many years. Mari is joining her beloved husband, Walter (Bud) Burger who passed on November 23, 2000. She leaves a daughter, Janet O'Neal and her husband, Joseph of Spring Hill, FL; a son, John Burger and his wife, Mary of Lovettsville, VA; a brother, Neal Dunham of East Northport, NY; two grandchildren and five great grandchildren. A Memorial Service will be held at the Memorial Garden at Ascension Lutheran Church 5730 SE 28th Street, Ocala, FL on Wednesday, March 9, 2016 at 1 PM

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## **DONALSON, BETTY C., 81**

Dunnellon - Mrs. Betty C. Donalson, 81, of Dunnellon, passed away Friday, February 26, 2016, in Ocala. Born in Boca Grande, FL, she and her family moved to this area in 1970, coming here from Riverview, FL. She was a member of Romeo Baptist Church.

Survivors include her daughter, Debra Parker, Inglis; her son, Ricky Donalson, Dunnellon; five grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Russell in 2010, and her son, Rusty in 1974. Funeral services will be held at 11 AM on Thursday, March 3, 2016, at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon. Interment will follow in Hickory Springs Cemetery in Romeo. The family will receive friends from 10 AM until service time. Condolences may be left for the family at <u>www.robertsofdunnellon.com</u> Funeral Home and Crematory of Dunnellon Inc., 19939 E Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, FL 34432 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 1 to Mar. 2, 2016

## LACKER, CAROLE A., 80

Ocala - Carole A. Lacker, 80, passed away on February 27, 2016. Carole was a native of Connecticut, and moved to Ocala in 2000. Carole was born on August 3, 1935 in Stafford Springs, CT. She graduated from Teachers College of Connecticut and spent several years teaching and inspiring young minds. She was a loving and dedicated wife, mother, sister, grandmother, aunt and friend. In addition to her loving husband of 27 years, Joseph Lacker; her beloved daughters, Lisa Graf (John Storrow) of Boston and Tiesa Graf of South Hadley, Massachusetts; her sister, Norma Frigon of Enfield, Connecticut, she also leaves several step children, nieces and grand and great-grandchildren. Carole was known for her love of nature; birds, gardening and flowers. She also had a passion for adventure and traveled the globe with Joe whenever she had the chance. She enjoyed entertaining and spending time with family and friends. Carole's family will receive relatives and friends on Tuesday, March 1, 2016 from 3 -5 PM at the HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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## MCCARTHY, JOHN FRANCIS PATRICK, 75

BROOKLYN, CT - The legendary John Francis Patrick McCarthy, passed away while in the prime of his life at 75 years old. John was struck by a vehicle on February 24, 2016. He was known by many as the 'HAY MAN' and was a notorious horse trader. He was an ace salesman, pool hustler, card shark, story teller, teacher of the McCarthy school of hard knocks, master of hustling the muscle, well seasoned truck driver and adventurer, and many other unmentionable talents. He has broke down in every state and other countries, and made many friends along the way. He pushed it to the limit, and always got away with it! John was born in Burlington, MA but lived most of his life in CT. He was the son of the late John H. McCarthy and Mary McCarthy. Brother of the late Mona Burton. John was the loving father of John, Marianne Giordano, Kevin, Danny, and Brendon McCarthy; grandfather of Julie Ann Duncanson (his sidekick), Marisa, Evan, Connor, Cherice, Chloe, Colin, Zachary, Matthew, Kevin Jr., Keri-Lynn, Brent and Brielle; great grandfather of Angelina, Morgan, and Logan; his great pal, Andrea, and countless friends! There will be no viewing. Instead, a celebration of his life will be held at the Brooklyn Fairgrounds on Saturday, March 5, 2016 at 2 PM. The family is extending an invitation to everyone who would like to attend, as John was an integral part of the community. His favorite quotes were: 'Woo!!! Come On!!!' 'Grab a big chunk of that mane and hang on!' And in the end we all held on.

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# PALMU, LORAINE MAE, 83

Ocala - Loraine Mae Palmu, 83, went to be with her Lord on February 25, 2016. She leaves behind her son, Eric Palmu and wife, Karen; daughter, Cathi Corbett and husband, Fred; daughter, Susan Theil and husband, Kurt; nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband of 62 years, Matti Palmu. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, March 2, 2016, at 12PM in the chapel at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St. Ocala, FL Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 1 to Mar. 2, 2016

# **ROGERS, JUSTIN DOUGLAS, 31**

Ocala - Justin Douglas Rogers, 31. Justin passed away on February 22, 2016 at Florida Hospital Orlando after a valiant eight month fight against Leukemia. Justin was born on June 14, 1984 in Ft. Lauderdale and raised in Ocala. Justin graduated from Van Guard High School and The Dave School (Digital Animation and Visual Effects). He has lived, worked and played in Orlando for the past 10 years. Justin loved fishing, guitar, weightlifting, rugby and hanging with his friends. Justin was a Production/ Project Manager for AKT Enterprises. He is survived by his fiancee, Nikki Bowles; parents, Douglas E and Lisa A Rogers (Grennan); brother, Colin M Rogers; grandmother, Faye L. Rogers; uncles, Michael E Grennan and Bradley E. Rogers; cousins, Angela and Marc Patellaro and Nicholas and Jennie Grennan. Please join Nikki and Justin's family in a celebration of Justin Wednesday, March 2, 2016 at Lizzie McCormick's 55 N Orange Ave In Orlando at 9pm and Saturday, March 5, 2016 at The Courtyard on Broadway, 5:30 to 7:30pm 120 SW Broadway St, Ocala. RSVP to Events on Facebook or call 352-216-0911 and leave a message.

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# WHITE, WILLIAM STEVEN, 56

Ocala - William Steven White, 56, of Ocala, passed away on Wednesday, February 24, 2016. Steve was born in Petersburg, VA to Stanley and Katherine White and moved to Ocala in 1977. He trained Arabian and Half Arabian horses and also was an expert farrier. He was a member of the Arabian Horse Association and won numerous regional and national championships. He was an avid bow hunter and an outdoor enthusiast. Steve is survived by his parents, Stanley and Katherine White; brother, Stanley White, Jr.; son, Dane S. White; daughter, Shanea W. Hamilton and grandson, Owen M. Hamilton. Funeral services will be 11:00am Wednesday, March 2, 2016 with visitation one hour prior at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala. Burial will follow at Highland Memorial Park in Ocala. Family and friends are invited to a luncheon at Stanley G. White's Grandeur Arabians in Citra, Florida. Arrangements handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Arabian Horsemen's Distress Fund in memory of Steve White. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 1 to Mar. 2, 2016

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## FLANDERS, DOROTHY CULLEN, 86

Ocala - Dorothy Cullen Flanders, 86, of Ocala, FL passed away on Friday, February 26, 2016 at Hawthorne Village. Dorothy was a native of Littleton, New Hampshire and moved to this area in 2009. Dorothy enjoyed golf, tennis and spending time with her four grandchildren. She was a 1947 graduate of Saint John High School of Concord, New Hampshire. She was a member of The Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala, FL. Survivors include her loving husband of 65 years, Earl 'Spanky' Flanders; sons, Mark Flanders and Matthew Flanders (Linda); daughter, Martha Sabol (Richard); grandchildren, Allan Flanders, Andrea Flanders, Kathryn Sabol, Rachel Flanders; nephew, Doug Snowling; nieces, Sandy Wiggin, Judy Donahue and Katherine Davis. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. A memorial service will be held at 11 AM on Saturday, March 12, 2016, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470.

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## HARPER, JR., EUGENE F. 'BUTCH,' 72

Belleview - Eugene F. Harper, Jr. 'Butch', 72, of Belleview went home to be with the Lord February 28, 2016. Born in Orlando, FL he came to this area in 1977 from West Palm Beach, FL. He was a retired contractor and owner/operator of Interstate Construction Co. of Belleview. Mr. Harper was a member of First Baptist Church of Belleview and their Good News Club and Prayer Ministry. He was also a master craftsman and enjoyed fishing. He is survived by his loving wife of 52 years, Helen L. Harper; daughter, Stacia Lynn Foden 'Stacy' (Frank) of Crystal River, FL; son, Eugene F. Harper III 'Buster' (Carol) of Dunnellon, FL; sisters, Cynthia Ashton (Charles) of Belleview, FL and Jean Thompson (Carl) of Pulaski, TN; brother, Tom Harper of Belleview, FL; grandchildren, Michael Harper, Calvin (Ruth) and Krista Murphy, Eugene F. Harper IV 'Bubba' (Elizabeth), Kelsie, Kacie and Kamie Harper and Zachary Foden.

A Celebration of Life will be held at the First Baptist Church of Belleview (6107 SE Agnew Rd., Belleview) on Friday, March 4, 2016 at 11AM. Inurnment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Good News Club in care of First Baptist Church of Belleview. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141.

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## MACHADO, OLGA MERCEDES, 89

Dunnellon - Olga Mercedes Machado, 89, died on Friday, February 26, 2016 in Hialeah, FL. She is survived by her husband of 70yrs, Jose Antonio 'Tony' Machado, Hialeah, FL formerly of Dunnellon; her children, Lucia Carone, Massapequa Park, NY, Douglas Machado, Hialeah, FL and Rev. Jose Machado, Jr., Robbinsdale, MN; her grandchildren, Lucy, Patrick, Douglas, Sylvia, Christina, Jose, Aiyana, Naima and her great grandchildren, Trey, Jacquie, Isaac, Gabriel, Calvin, Zoe, Ezekial, Tabitha, Yajaira and many nieces and nephews. Olga is preceded in death by her brothers, Frederick Harrington and Cesar Harrington. She was born on July 30, 1926 in Ponce, Puerto Rico

to the late Frederick and Mercedes (Lopez) Harrington. Olga moved with her husband Tony to Dunnellon in 1983 from Jamaica, NY. She was a Bi-Lingual Executive Secretary for Jonas Aircraft Export Company for many years. During her time in Dunnellon she was very active with the Catholic Community of St. John the Baptist Church serving as a Eucharistic Minister and Minister to the sick. Olga also was a member of the AARP chapter 357 of Rainbow Lakes Estates and a certified American Red Cross community CPR and community first aid and safety as well as C.E.R.T. (Community Emergency Response Team). Olga's family will be receiving relatives and friends on Friday, March 4, 2015 from 5-8 PM at Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Saturday, March 5, 2016 at the Catholic Community of St. John the Baptist Church at 10:30 AM. Following the Mass there will be a light lunch served in the church hall and all are invited to eat and share memories. She will be Entombed at the Chapel Mausoleum in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, FL. Memorial Contributions can be made in Olga's memory to: All About Spay-Neuter Inc., P.O. Box 140098, Howard Beach, NY 11414 (www.allaboutspayneuter.com/donations.html), or Expressions of Sympathy can be made online at the charity of your choice . robertsofdunnellon.com. Arrangements has been entrusted to Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 4, 2016**

### DAYMON, LINDA, 66

Ocala - Linda Daymon, 66, passed away on February 27, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories husband, Alphonzo Daymon; children, Donald Wood, and Shenette Thompson; five grandchildren; siblings, Marvin Reynolds, Harvey Reynolds, Carl Storr, Violet Cook, Brenda Williams, and Emma Middleton, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral service will be held Sunday, March 6, 2016 at 2:30pm at Ramah Baptist Church. Viewing will be Friday, March 4, 2016 from 6pm-8pm at Ramah Baptist Church. Visitation will be Saturday, March 5, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 11am-4pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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## **DINKINS, MARGARET 'BINNIE' STELLA WHITE, 88**

Ocala - Margaret 'Binnie' Dinkins was born in Orlando, Florida on November 27, 1927. She passed away peacefully at the age of 88 on February 28, 2016. Throughout her life she worked for Silver Springs attraction as a waitress and at the Photo Shop, and briefly taught school after graduating from the University of Florida. While in college she worked and helped support her younger brother and sister, William and Rose. She loved her family dearly, especially her children, and believed they could do no wrong. She sang 'Jesus loves me, this I know...' most every night of her children's childhood. Devoted to prayer, she loved God, people, and had a contagious zest for life. She had a heart of gold and was very generous to everyone, even to strangers and the homeless. She always put others before herself, making countless personal sacrifices to bless others any way she could. Through all her struggles in life, her faith in Jesus never wavered. She kept her

family in prayer and by example taught them compassion, forgiveness, generosity, and love. 'Binnie' was the daughter of Bradford Williamson White and Margaret Boggess White. She married C.L. Dinkins and they had five children; eleven grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. She is survived by her children, Brad (Wendy), Toni, Michael (Anna), and Robert 'Bobby' Dinkins (Michelle); and her sister, Rose Wilson; nephews, Jeff Wilson, William and Stanley White; grandchildren, Ken, Paul, Danny, Jeffrey, Jessica, Christopher, Hunter, Grace, Natalie, Alyssa, and Michael, as well as four great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son, Jeff and her brother, William White. A special thank you to all the nurses and attendants at Palm Garden who treated Mom with so much love and care over the last two years. A celebration gathering will be held for family and all who knew our dear mother personally on Saturday, March 5, 2016 at 12:00, with a meal provided. Call 352-732-4464 by Friday for further details, if you wish to be a part of this.

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## HENRY, PATRICIA, 61

Ocala - Patricia Henry, 61, passed away on February 24, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories children, Rafael Henry, and Felita Kingcade; six grand children; sister, Algeree Kingcade, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral service will be held Saturday, March 5, 2016 at 3:00pm at Liberty Chapel Baptist Church. Visitation will be Friday, March 4, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10am-5pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 3 to Mar. 4, 2016

## JENKINS, PATRICIA WILSON, 68

Ocala - Patricia Wilson Jenkins, 68, passed away on February 25, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories husband, Nace Jenkins Jr.; children, Nyron P. Jenkins (LaShandra), NeJuan Jenkins (Quintina), Vince Lipford, and Wayne Culpepper; seven grandchildren, six great grandchildren; siblings, Willie P. Wilson, Fulton T. Wilson Sr., Joyce Hogans, Gladys Lofton, George Wilson, and Bonita Croskey, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, March 5, 2016 at 11:00am at First Baptist Church of Alachua. Viewing will be Thursday, March 3, 2016 at Watula Baptist Church 4120 W Highway 40, Ocala, Fl. Visitation will be Friday, March 4, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10am-5pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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## **KELLY, LENA MCBRIDE, 68**

Ocala - Lena McBride Kelly, 68, of Tallahassee transitioned this life on Tuesday, March 1, 2016. Services are 2 p.m. Saturday at Tabernacle M.B. Church, with burial in Southside Cemetery. An Ocala native, she was a 1965 graduate of Howard High School. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 3 to Mar. 4, 2016

## MORANT, LEE GEORGE, 82

Ocala - Lee George Morant, 82, passed away on February 24, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories, children, Hayward Morant, Bonnie Godwin, Dean Mozell, Rhonda

Ezell, Lavonne Straughter, Tonya Morant - Halloway, Sonya Morant - Little, and Deirdre Morant; 30 grandchildren; 51 great grandchildren; 10 great great grandchildren; brother, Leon Roberts Sr.; and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, March 5, 2016 at 11:00am at Pine Grove Baptist Church. Visitation will be held Friday, March 4, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10am-5pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 3 to Mar. 4, 2016

## NELSON, ROBERT WARD, 86

Ocala - Robert Ward Nelson, 86, of Ocala, Florida passed away Monday, February 29, 2016. Visitation will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-Timber Ridge on Sunday, March 6, 2016, 6:00 - 8:00 PM. Mr. Nelson was formerly of Spring Lake Heights, New Jersey where he lived most of his life before retiring to Florida. He was active in Spring Lake Heights Little League, Skipper of Spring Lake Ship #9 Sea Scouts, Assistant Coach of Manasquan-Brielle Pop Warner Football, Director of several Antique Auto Clubs and a member of the Antique Auto Club of America in Pennsylvania, and AACA Kingdom of the Sun Region Auto Club of Ocala, FL. Member of the Twilight Cruisers of Florida car clubs, one of the founders of the Booster Club in Spring Lake Heights. Mr. Nelson was a Methodist and a graduate of Manasquan High School Class of '47. He was owner and operator of Earle W. Nelson Painting Service, Spring Lake Heights, and he was a member of the New Jersey National Guard of Sea Girt for eight years. He is preceded in death by his parents, Earle W. and Ruth B. and his brother, Earle Burtis. He is survived by his beloved wife, Betty Jean McCann Nelson of 63 years; son, Robert E. of Wall, NJ; daughter, Penny Hamilton of Spring Lake Heights; four grandsons; one granddaughter; and many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews. Family recommends memorials be sent to Timber Ridge Rehabilitation Center, Ocala. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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## PEEK, KAREN SHREVE, 59

Ocala - Karen Shreve Peek, 59, of Tallahassee, passed away on February 28, 2016. She was born on June 21, 1956, to E.C. 'Charlie' Shreve and Vivian King Shreve in Ocala. She was a 1974 graduate of Forest High School and graduated from Central Florida Community College in 1975. She moved to Tallahassee in 1982 and began her career with the State of Florida working with DMS and DBPR in 1995. Currently, she was a Workforce Design and Compensation Manager and was recognized by DBPR Workhorse Merit in May of 2010 and DBPR Shining Star 2006-2010. Karen was a member of the Society for Human Resource Management and the Elks since 2005. She was the Esteemed Leading Knight and Exalted Ruler Elect for Tallahassee Elks Lodge #937.

She survived by her husband, Richard Joel Peek; daughter, Joelle Renee Peek; son, Jonathan Michael Peek; sister, Susan Shreve Rudolph (Bill) and a host of cousins, family and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents and brother, David Shreve. The funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, March 4, 2016, at Bevis Funeral Home, with a reception immediately following at the Elks Lodge. The family will receive friends from 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 3, 2016 at Bevis Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Harry-Anna Trust c/o

Tallahassee Elks Lodge #937, 276 N. Magnolia Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32301. Kelly Barber of Bevis Funeral Home (850-385-2193, www.bevisfh.com) is assisting the family with their arrangements.

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## RUSSELL, HAROLD L., 90

Ocala - Harold L. Russell, 90, passed away peacefully at home February 28, 2016. Born in Ocala, FL on March 13, 1925 to Clarence Lee Russell and Lurlie Beams Russell. He is survived by his beloved wife of 68 years, Willene Williams Russell; son, Rick Russell (Shari), of Ocala; daughter, Rebecca Powers, of Pensacola; grandchildren, Rick Russell Jr., Shelby Lynn Russell, Amy Powers and Beth Powers; great-grandson, Jacob Riley Russell, and great-granddaughter Harper Laine Russell. Funeral Service will be 2:00 p.m., Saturday, March 5, 2016 at Oak Griner Baptist Church, Ocala, FL with Pastors Pete Menendez and Frank Grant officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment to follow in Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, FL. Harold was blessed with long and fruitful life with many accomplishments. He attended Ocala High School; joined the US Army and served in the Pacific Command during WWII in the Philippine Islands and later in the US Army Occupational forces in Japan. Returning home, Harold resumed a multifaceted career focused on service to others. He was a faithful servant of God and his church and held Lay and leadership positions at Oak Griner Baptist Church where he served as treasurer. for many years. He was a successful business man in many disciplines. First, he was, and remained all his life a farmer and raised cattle. He had many mechanical skills including the repair and maintenance of farm and construction equipment and he could operate the same. He loved auto racing and built race cars. And, he repaired automobiles for his family and many friends in his early years. He held many industrial and financial positions. He became part Owner and president of a John Deere company in Ocala and was in close contact with corporate managers of John Deere. He served as a director of the Ocala National Bank and became a real estate broker associated with Central Florida Realty. He was a charter member of the Ocala/Silver Springs Rotary Club until 2009 and served as the treasurer for many years. He loved agricultural shows and competitions and was active in the organization of Tractor Pull competitions, the greatest being his efforts to assist in the promotion of the 1978 Ocala Gator National Tractor Pull. He was a member of the Marion Baptist Association and was its Treasurer multiple years. His main Hobby was his love of auto racing being local tracks, go-carts or NASCAR. He attended the Daytona 500 for most of their races in the last 50 years. Harold will be sorely missed by his family and friends who were blessed with his presence. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Oak Griner Baptist Church.

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# WANSER, ALONZO G., 73

Sarasota - Lon Wanser, 73 of Sarasota, Florida, died unexpectedly on February 18,2016 He was born in Freeport, L.I. New York on December 6, 1942, the son of Lon G. and Mary C. (McNeil) Wanser. Lon is survived by his three children, Kelly and son in law, Mitch Esposito of Long Island, N.Y., Lon and Michael of Florida; and sisters, Patricia Feeney of Florida and Mary Egan of Tampa, Florida. He was preceded in death by his parents, and sister, Maureen Anderson. Lon will be greatly missed by family, friends and all who knew and loved him.

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# WARREN, BEULAH LEE, 73

Ocala- Beulah Lee Warren, a homemaker, passed away peacefully on February 29, 2016. She was born May 26, 1942 in Gulf Hammock, FL. She was married to Nathaniel Warren for 40 years. Survivors include her four daughters, Pamela Cameron, Lynette Presley (Johnny), Angela Reed, Nadine Myers (William) and one son, Lamont Warren; grandchildren, Ian Presley, Raquel Mays, Tanaysha Coleman, Jarrod Reed; great-grandchildren Jaziaha Presley and Akya Presley; four brothers, John Lee (Gloria), Paul Lee (Evelyn), Samuel Lee (Florestine) and Calvin Lee (Willette); six sisters, Mary Martinez, Edna Grimsley (George), Margaret Robinson, Patricia Hines (Jack) Retta Lee, Debra Jones (Gerald); five brother in-laws and five sister in-laws and a host of family and friends. Public viewing will be from 6:00- 8:00 p.m., Thursday March 3, 2016 at J. Hadley- Brown & Paulk Funeral Home 127 N.W. 20th Street, Ocala. Memorial Service will be 10:00 a.m. Saturday, March 5, 2016 at The Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness 3660 S. W. 7th Place, Ocala. 'Providing Unparalleled Service and Compassion' Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 3 to Mar. 4, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 5, 2016**

# FARRELL, CARLOTTA MARIE, 53

Ocala - On Tuesday, February 23, 2016, Carlotta Farrell mother, daughter, and sister, lost her battle with cancer at the age of 53 years. Born November 9, 1962 in Covina, CA. She is preceded in death by her grandparents, Paul and Beulah Kirchner. Carlotta will be forever remembered by her son, Michael John Farrell; daughter, Alexandria Olivia Farrell; her parents, Ken E. Gervasi and Elizabeth M. Kirchner Gervasi; and by her sister and brother in law, Felicia M. Runyon and Bryan Runyon. Carlotta will also be forever remembered by her nieces Faith and Hope Runyon, and extended family and dear friends. Carlotta worked at Blessed Trinity for many years as an aftercare teacher and also was a Medical Assistant. She loved spending time with her family and close friends. She enjoyed Tea Parties, making crafts and baking. Carlotta also enjoyed antique shops and decorating. Memorial Mass will be 6:30 p.m., Friday, March 4, 2016 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Patrick Sheedy officiating. Memorial donations in memory of Carlotta may be made to Alexandria Farrell.

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# NEUFELD, DOROTHY M., 88

Ocala - Dorothy M. Neufeld, 88, from Ocala, Florida, passed away on February 13, 2016 in Orlando, Florida. Dorothy was born in Avon by the Sea, NJ. Dorothy and her husband of 64 years worked together in their own businesses for many years and she retired as a LPN. She is survived by her husband, Karl; son, Tom (Ocala); daughter, Debbie (Orlando); two granddaughters and four great grandchildren. Dorothy was a member of Grace Presbyterian Church for 30+ years. A Memorial Service will be held at Grace Presbyterian Church, 2255 SE 38 Street, on Sunday, March 6, 2016 at 3:00 PM. In lieu of flowers a donation can be made in her name to the church. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 4 to Mar. 5, 2016

## **QUARANTA, GEORGE VINCENT, 89**

Ocala - George V. Quaranta, age 89, of Ocala, Florida died at his residence on Wednesday, February 24, 2016. He was born in Cranston, Rhode Island on February 22, 1927, a son of the late Anthony N. and late Mary (Boragine) Quaranta. George lived in Pawtucket for more than 30 years and upon retiring moved to Ocala, Florida where he spent another 20 years. George was the companion of Martha Evans of Ocala, Florida and was formerly married to the late J. Alice Quaranta for 43 years. George worked as a Manager for Meyer Parking Systems in Providence, Rhode Island for over 40 years. He enjoyed fishing and painting and upon retirement also became active in the local community in Ocala, Florida. Over time he was a member of the Queen of Peace Catholic Church choir, and participated in various On Top of the World activities, including the men's golf league, Friday night 'Happy Hour,' and facilitated the Original Karaoke Club. George leaves a son, Dean Quaranta and his wife, Kathleen of Colorado Springs, Colorado; a daughter, Lori Quaranta of Cranston, Rhode Island; two grandchildren, Kenneth and Emily Quaranta and brothers, Anthony Quaranta of Johnston, R.I. and Joseph Quaranta of Ocala, Florida. He was preceded in death by his brother, John Quaranta of Cranston, Rhode Island and sister, Florence Sacco of Scituate, Rhode Island. A memorial celebration will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Sunday March 20, 2016 at the On Top of the World Arbor Club located at 10060 SW 94th Street, Ocala, Florida 34481. Memorial contributions in George's memory can be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL 34474. Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel made the arrangements.

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## RAYSER, JEFFREY A., 51

Reddick - Jeffrey A. Rayser, 51, passed away February 29, 2016. He had been a resident of Reddick since 2004. He was born in Staten Island, NY and spent his youth in Medford, NJ and is a graduate of Shawnee High School. He was a US Navy Serviceman for seven years. Jeff is survived by his loving wife, Natalie; mother, Jeanne Woodford; father, Paul Rayser. His late grandparents were Elizabeth and James Woodford. Jeff was an avid horseman and dog trainer. He and Natalie volunteered their time rescuing domestic and wildlife animals. The natural world was a part of Jeff's life as he spent his younger years hiking, canoeing and kayaking in the NJ Pine Barrens. His love of country and commitment to the community means he will be greatly missed. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to a Veteran organization of your choice or animal rescue group. The family will receive friends at a reception beginning at 1:00 p.m., Saturday, March 5, 2016 at the First United Methodist Church, 1126 E Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL with Rev. Dr. John Few officiating. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 4 to Mar. 5, 2016

## **RITCHHART, JAIME, 34**

Ocala - Jaime Suzanne Ritchhart, 34, of Ocala, FL passed from this earth Monday,

February 29, 2016. Jaime was born in Plantation, Florida but has lived in Ocala since she was 6. She is survived by her two sons Tyler James Ritchhart age nine, and Nicholas Lawrence Ritchhart age seven; her father, James Ritchhart and mother, Kathleen Hill; sister, Kristina Stack; stepmother, Amy Ritchhart; stepbrothers, Chance Hill and Luke Johnson; and step-sisters, Melissa and Emily Johnson; and numerous cousins, aunts and uncles. Memorial services to be held at the home of her father Friday March 4th, 2016, followed by a private burial.

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## SATTERFIELD, HIRAM B., 89

Ocala - Hiram B. Satterfield, 89, of Ocala, FL died Sunday, Feburary 28, 2016 at his home. He was born on April 12, 1926 in Fairmont, WV to Bernard and Nancy Linn Satterfield. Hiram is survived by his wife, Arlene Dyer Satterfield; two sons; Bernie (Roanna) Satterfield and Alan (Angie) Satterfield of Florida; two daughters, Joyce (Wayne) Kirby and Janet (Jeff) Bradley of West Virginia, three step-children Michael (Lisa) Dyer of North Dakota, Penny Dyer of Florida, and Tammy (Van) Watt of Massachusetts along with many grand-children and great grandchildren. Hiram was one of 13 children, two sisters and one brother survive as well as several nieces and nephews. He was a WWII Navy veteran and served on the USS Duncan in the Pacific Theater. He retired as a master electrician from Sharon Steel and relocated to Ocala, Florida in the early 1980's. The family would like to express a special thank you to Rita and all his friends at McDonald's and VFW post #4209. As per his wishes there will be no memorial services.

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# WALKER, MARVIN REID, 81

Ocala - Marvin Reid Walker, 81, passed away March 1, 2016. Born September 7, 1934 in Williston, FL to Cecil B. and Helen J. Dees Walker. He was a lifelong resident of Marion County. He was an asphalt paver. Marvin was preceded in death by his parents and son, Randy. He is survived by his sons, Michael (Kathy) Walker, Chipley, FL, Marvin R. Walker, Ocklawaha, FL and daughters Teresa Walker (LaVerne Harvey) Ocala, FL, Rita (Jason) Parks, Houston, TX, Stormy Walker, Ocala, FL; brother, Allen Walker, NC; sisters, Pauline Handy, Carolyn Rodriguez, Violet May and Beverly Reza, all of Ocala; 14 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren. Memorial Service will be 1:00 p.m., Monday, March 7, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL, with Rev. Charles McCartney officiating. Inurnment will follow in Fellowship Cemetery. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 4 to Mar. 5, 2016

## WOODS, TAMARA DENISE, 41

Ocala - Tamara Denise Woods, 41, passed away February 27, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories parents, John Woods and Deanna Brown (Alijah) Wofford; siblings, Rhonda Woods, Lakeisha Woods, Patrice Woods, Marilyn Woods, Corey Woods, Marlon Woods, William Woods, Telley Jacobs, Quadarryl Woods, and Kendall Woods Sr.; and step sister and brothers; Naomi Wofford, Alijah Wofford Jr., Mawahi Wofford, and Enoch Wofford, a host of (Auntie Heart's) her neices and newphew, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, March 5, 2016

at 1:00pm at House of God Keith Dominion Inc. Visitation will be Friday, March 4, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10am-5pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 3 to Mar. 5, 2016

# Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 6, 2016

## **BILLENSTEIN, EILEEN C., 89**

Ocala- Eileen C. Billenstein passed away on Thursday, March 3, 2016 at the age of 89. Eileen is survived by her loving Husband, William R. Billenstein of 69 years. Eileen is lovingly remembered by her children, William F. Billenstein, Linda B. Turschmann, Lee Ann Keating and their respective spouses; six grandchildren; one great grandchild; one niece, and one nephew. She was predeceased by one brother, Lee R. Adkins. Eileen was born in Darien CT on January 8, 1927. She graduated from Darien High School and retired as an Assistant City Clerk for Milford CT. Eileen enjoyed Golfing, Bowling, Reading, and volunteering in her community. A service of remembrance for friends and family will be hosted by Brentwood at Fore Ranch in Ocala, FL, 4511 SW 48th Avenue, on Sunday, March 6, 2016, at Noon. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to one of Eileen's favorite charities, Wounded Warriors at woundedwarriorproject.org, American Cancer Society at m.donate.cancer.org, or St. Jude's Children's Hospital at shop.stjude.org. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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# **BROWN, ROBERT L., 81**

Ocala - Robert L. Brown, 81, of Ocala passed away on February 28, 2016 after a short illness. He was born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania and proudly served in the United States Navy. He is survived by his loving wife of 57 years, Carol Brown and their children, Cindy Minzghor and her husband, Gary of Hobe Sound, FL. and Robert Brown, Jr. and his wife, Jody of Erie, Pennsylvania, along with four grandchildren and two great grandchildren. A memorial service will be announced at a later date.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 7, 2016**

## **BATES, LUCILE, 98**

Lucile "Lucy" Bates, formerly of Salt Springs, Florida, passed away on Sunday, February 21, 2016, at the age of 98. Born in Indiana, she resided in Florida for most of her life, first in Miami, then in Salt Springs for over 35 years. While Lucy was a beautician for many years while living in Miami, her true passion and interest was always in aviation. While not a pilot herself, she enjoyed sharing stories of being a "barn-stormer" with her husband Buck, flying throughout the south selling airplane rides and performing stunts in the early days of aviation. An obvi-ous daredevil in her youth, she both "wing-walked" and sky-dived--the latter on a dare. She was also a real-life Rosie the Riveter, working for Pan AM during the era of WWII outfitting the insides of air-craft. She was preceded in death by two daughters, Barbara Murray, and Delores Olmstead, and two husbands, Buck Greenfield and Roy Bates. She is survived by a son, Nick Long, in Denver, Colorado, as well as many grandchildren, great grandchildren, and close friends in Salt Springs. A lunch reception will be held in her honor at the VFW in Salt Springs on Saturday, March 12, from 11am-1 pm.

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# BELL, JOANELLE, 74

Mrs. Joanelle Bell, 74, died Thursday, March 3, 2016 at Regency Hospital in Macon, GA. Visitation will be held Sunday, March 6, 2016 from 3:00-5:00 PM at Kimbrell-Stern. Funeral services will be held at 2:00 PM Monday, March 7, 2016 at Kimbrell-Stern. Rev. Tom Kay will officiate with interment to follow at Crown Hill Cemetery. Joanelle Bell was a devoted wife of over 50 years to her husband, Lester Bell. She was a stay at home mom and worked on the family Quarter horse farm for many years. After raising her two boys, Joanelle went into business with her brother WC Webb and opened the Parlor Boutique that specialized in upscale woman's apparel. Joanelle was routinely seen on local television shows and publica-tions talking about woman's fashion. Later in life, her biggest passion was going to the ballgames and horse shows of her 4 grandchildren and cheering for the Florida Gators. Survivors include her husband, Lester Bell of Albany; two sons, Kem Bell of Valdosta, GA and Brett Bell and his wife, Teresa, of Good Hope, GA; five brothers, W. C. Webb and his wife, Fay, of Albany, Richard Webb and his wife, Betty of Atlanta, GA, Johnny Dann of Ocala, FL, Bobby Dann and his wife, Ann of Chattanooga, TN and Jimmy Dann and his wife, Sally of Melbourne, FL; four grandchildren, Morgan Bell, Ashley Bell, Austin Bell and Colby Bell. To share your thoughts with the Bell family you may visit our website at www.kimbrellstern.com.

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# **BULLARD, DEBORAH ANN, 65**

Ocala - Mrs. Deborah Ann Bullard, 65, of Ocala, passed away suddenly on February 25, 2016, while visiting family in Stevensville, Michigan. A native of Fremont, Ohio, she moved from Fremont to Ocala in 1973. A longtime member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, she worked as a library assistant at Blessed Trinity School for 23 years. Debbie was a kind-hearted, gentle spirit. She cared for sick and injured animals growing up and this passion remained until the day she died. She cared for all of God's creation from the random moth that flew into the house, orphaned raccoons, or the stray cat that wandered to her door-step. She also cared for her beloved Irish Setter, Scarlett. Debbie was a peaceful woman and that peace transcended into the home and family she built with her devoted husband, Warren for 39 years. She was always willing to help someone in need. She loved helping her children, Jenny and Joe (even in adulthood), her grandchildren, the children of Blessed Trinity, coworkers, friends, and strangers. She adored the seasons, especially Fall. She always decorated her home with unique items she found. She loved reading, taking naps or sitting by a fire, and spending time with her family. She cherished everyday moments with her grandchildren, Max and Margaux. She

especially loved working on crossword puzzles and was a wealth of knowledge. Her quest for knowledge resulted in her often looking things up or "Googling it" to uncover the answer. She enjoyed traveling and experiencing new places, but always cherished her time at home. Debbie is survived by her husband, Warren; her daughter, Jenny Burzotta (David); her son, Joe Bullard; her brothers, Pat, Tim and Terry Hoffman, and her grandchildren, Max and Margaux Burzotta. The family will receive friends from 6-8 PM on Thursday, March 10, 2016 in the Blessed Trinity Chapel. A Funeral Mass will be held at 11 AM Friday, March 11, 2016 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in Debbie's honor to Blessed Trinity Endowment or Brother's Keeper, 5 SE 17th St, Ocala, FL 34471, or Humane Society of Marion County, PO Box 1542, Ocala, FL 34478. Condolences may be left for the family at www.robertsofdunnellon.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 6 to Mar. 7, 2016

# JEPSON, DONALD DEAN

Ocala - Donald Dean Jepson, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, March 2, 2016. He was born in Iowa and moved to Ocala in 2004 upon his retirement from Pitney Bowes. He is survived by his children, Piper Jepson-Melkonian (Robert) of Fox Point, WI, Matthew (Kim) Jepson of West Bend, WI, Cory (Jennifer) Jepson of West Bend, WI; his grandchildren, Amanda, Trevor and Kayla Melkonian; Steven (Mandy) Jepson and Tessa (JJ) Beimborn and Hailey Jepson; great granddaughter Aubree Beimborn. He is preceded in death by his wife, Sandra Memler Jepson and his parents, LeRoy and Margaret Jepson. The family would like to give a special thank you to the caring staff at Legacy House Hospice, the doctors and nurses at West Marion Community Hospital; Aunts Mary and Marty, Uncle Mike and all of dads' good friends in Oak Bend. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 6 to Mar. 7, 2016

# LEAL, JOHN H., 93

Ocala - John H. Leal passed away on March 1, 2016 at age 93. He was raised on a dairy farm in Delhi, New York and spent most of his adult life working as a buyer and manager for a large supermarket chain. After retirement he moved to Florida where he enjoyed golfing and gardening. He was a member of the Presbyterian church in Dunnellon. He will be greatly missed by his family, his sons, John H. and Christopher B. Leal; five grandchildren; three great grandchildren; and his wife, Lore and many nieces and nephews. John will be put to his final rest in Delhi, N.Y. in the Leal family plot. There are no calling hours.

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# MCCARLEY, BARBARA ANN, 77

Silver Springs - Barbara Ann McCarley, 77, of Silver Springs, FL, passed away at her home on Wednesday, March 2, 2016. Barbara was born in Boston, MA and moved to Flor-ida in the early 1980's. She loved gardening, traveling/visiting with friends in her RV, taking trips to Vegas and was passionate about her animals. Survivors include her husband of 22 years, Porter McCarley; daughters, Debra Bozak (Joe), Joanne Teeney (Jim), Jackie Vespe (Vince), and Donna Dalley; son, Richard Dalley (Patti); sister, Karen Buff (Bill); brother, Bob Brooks (Joy); stepchildren, Lela McCarley, Lauren Jones (Jeff)

and Wayne Bishop (Hope); 13 grandchildren;18 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild; numerous nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her parents Muriel and James Erban; and daughter Cheryl Dalley. Private graveside services will be held at Eglington Cemetery in Clarksboro, New Jersey at a later date and time. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Humane Society of Marion County, or Hospice of Marion County, www.hospiceofmarion.com/donations.html Online condolences may be sent at hiers-baxley.com.

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# SHUPP, DORIS ELAINE, 90

Ocala - Doris Elaine Shupp, 90, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Thursday, March 3, 2016. She was born February 19, 1926 in Princeville, Illinois to the late Merle E. and Wilda (Wear) Schaad. Doris was a retired teacher & librarian, and member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala. She is predeceased by her husband of many years, Franklin, with whom she enjoyed to travel. Doris loved to spend time with her family, and is survived by her daughter, Sharry Lee (Rick) Bible, of Ocala; son, Frank L. Shupp, of Ocala; three grandchildren: Shannon (Bryan) Ford, of Coral Springs, FL; Joe Sommers, of Ocala; Scott (Danielle) Sommers, of Ocala; and four great grandchildren. There will be a visitation Sunday, March 6, 2016, 4-6pm at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, Fl, 34471. Funeral Services will be held Monday, March 7, 2016, 2pm in the Chapel at First United Church Methodist Church of Ocala, 1126 East Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, Fl, 34470. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: www.robertsfuneralhomes.com Funeral Home.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 8, 2016**

# **COGSWELL, DONNA, 68**

Ocala - Donna Cogswell, age 68, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Wednesday, March 2, 2016. She was born in Cambridge, MA on May 4, 1947. Donna was raised in Hollywood, FL. She moved to Houston, TX and then to Ocala, FL where she has resided for the past 20 years. Donna worked in the medical field. She enjoyed making specialty cookies. She is survived by her siblings, Lynda Phillips of Riviera Beach, FL and Ed Cogswell of Davenport, FL; and her dog, Oscar. She was preceded in death by her parents, Robert and Marjorie Cogswell and her sister Janice Frank. A visitation was held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Sunday, March 6, 2016 from 3-5pm. A funeral service will also take place at the funeral home on Monday, March 7, 2016 at 10am. Burial will take place at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL.

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# WOOD, MELVIN C., 73

Ocala - Melvin C. Wood, 73, of Ocala, was called home by his Heavenly Father on Friday March 4, 2016. He was born in Moultrie, GA to Arthur and Dollie Mae Wood in 1942. Melvin and his family moved to Bristol, Florida in 1945 where he lived until moving to Ocala in 1973. Melvin worked for the Marion County Road Department as a heavy equipment operator and would serve Marion County for 35 years before he would retire. Those who knew him would always find him outside working in his yard or eating at some of his favorite local restaurants. Those who knew him would also know about a life he spent in devotion to his faith in Jesus Christ and to his family. Melvin always showed a special love for his family, especially for his grandchildren. Melvin was married for 43 years and raised two sons. He is survived by his wife Diana Wood of Ocala; sons Kevin and Timothy Wood; grandchildren Lucas, Emily, Natalie and Andrew; brothers Glen and Eugene Wood and sisters Arthur Mae Phillips, Evelyn Saucer and Dorthy Ward. Visitation time is 5-7pm Wednesday, March 9 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala, and one hour prior to services the next day. Funeral services will be 2:00 pm Thursday, March 10, 2016. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 9, 2016**

# **BROOKS, VIRGINIA BLOSCH, 85**

Ocala - Virginia Blosch Brooks, 85, of Ocala, Florida, passed away, Friday, March 4, 2016 at home surrounded by her loving family. She was born June 5, 1930 in Boynton, Florida to the late Frederick and Macie (Newlan) Blosch. Virginia enjoyed reading, playing the piano, and loved to spend time with her family. She was a member of Fairfield Baptist Church, and also regularly attended West Marion Baptist Church with her family. She is survived by her son, Arthur V. (Lecinda) Brooks III, of Ocala, FL; daughter, Eden B. (Ted) Williams, of Ocala, FL; brother, Fred (Louise) Blosch Jr., of Longwood, FL; sister in law, Oveida Blosch-Harrison, of Tifton, GA; three grandchildren; five great-grandchildren. There will be a viewing Wednesday, March 9, 2016 from 10am until 11am, followed by a graveside service at Fellowship Baptist Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, those that wish may make donations to Hospice of Marion County. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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# FORTIER, WILLIAM PAUL, 96

Ocala - William Paul Fortier, 96, of Ocala passed away February 26, 2016. He was born in Akron, Ohio to Paul and Jeanette (Glaser) Fortier on July 2, 1919 and moved to Buffalo, NY in early childhood. He was a WWII veteran who served in the US Army Air Corps as a bombardier trainer. On his last training mission, his plane exploded and he was only one of two survivors. He moved to Florida in the 1960's and was a member of the American Legion in Crystal River, FL and the Marion County Rose Society. His beloved wife of 73 years, Norma L. Fortier, preceded him in death just 10 months ago. He is survived by his loving daughter, Marilyn S. Troglauer; granddaughter, Lisa Dolan; great grandchildren, Devin, Brandalyn and LLiam Dolan; and one brother, Robert (Dorothy) Fortier. He will be greatly missed.

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## PAPCUN, ROBERT A. (BOB) (PAW), 78

Ocala - Robert A. Papcun, 78, of Ocala, FL passed away peacefully in the loving arms of his wife, after a brief struggle with cancer, on March 5, 2016. Bob is survived by his loving wife of 39 1/2 yrs, Sherry (Mozisek, Garrett) Papcun of Ocala, FL; his son, Scott Papcun; daughters Lori Papcun and Cathy (Papcun) Flint and several grandchildren of NH; his kids by choice, Michael and Amy Manning of Bethel, VT; brothers, Thomas Papcun and Family, of CT, Anthony Papcun III and Family of Milford, Ct., William Papcun and Family of Torrington, CT, Daniel Papcun of CT; sister Susan Papcun and family of Milford CT and his brother-in-laws and nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his parents, mother, Edith Alice (Strutzle) Papcun and father, Anthony Papcun Sr.; his brother, Stephen Papcun and sister, Irene (Papcun) Taska. Bob worked for the City of Bridgeport, CT, water treatment plant for 22 yrs. Upon retiring Bob moved to Stockbridge, Vt. with his wife where they built their dream house, a log cabin, that they called a 'diamond in the rough.' They then moved to Ocala, FL (winter was to rough on his ancient bones). Bob enjoyed outdoor living; gardening, hunting, fishing, camping, clamming, crabbing, sugaring and traveling. He took great pride in all his endeavors. Always a proud and gentleman, with a sense of humor: He often said he, 'taught the world all he knows and it still knows nothing.' he had heart and passion for taking care of his loved ones and his biggest worries before his death were about others. Bob will be gravely missed by all!

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# REECER, SANDRA LYNN (SAVAGE), 65

Ocala - Sandra Lynn (Savage) Reecer, 65, of Toledo, OH passed away in Ocala, FL on Tuesday, March 2, 2016 where she had resided for the past 20 years. She had a long career in the food services industry, having reinvented herself from her previous career as a dental technician in which she owned her own dental laboratory in Toledo. She had a large propensity for giving back to the community, volunteering with Junior Achievement and serving as team leader at Munroe Regional Medical Center (from which she retired) for multiple fundraising events for organizations such as the American Heart Association . She had a love of cooking and a witty sense of humor. Sandra was the daughter of Dano and Arlene Nickell, now deceased. She is survived by her husband and 30 year life partner, Allen Lawrence. She was also beloved Mother to Rachel (Smith) Bach, grandmother to Dakota and Alan Bach and sister to Mike Nickell. A memorial service will be held at a future date in Toledo, OH to commemorate her life and inter her to her final resting place. She will always be loved and missed very much. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 8 to Mar. 9, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 10, 2016**

# **OLD, SR., RALPH NEAL, 90**

Belleview - Ralph Neal Old, Sr., 90, of Belleview, Florida, passed away March 5, 2016 at his home. A memorial service will be held at a later date at the Neal Cemetery in Watertown, Tennessee. Hunter Funeral Home in Watertown (615-237-9318) is in charge of memorial service arrangements.

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# SCHNELL, GILBERT AMBROSE

Anthony - Gilbert Ambrose Schnell, 45, passed away March 3, 2016. He was born on September 9, 1970 in Fort Lauderdale, FL, to Gilbert Ambrose Schnell Sr. and Deborah Hillsman Schnell. Gil, was a culinary chef for several restaurants as well as owned his own Pizza Parlor. He also was a Sheet Metal Worker, Certified diver & Instructor, and had his Captain's license. Gil was an avid fisherman who loved spending time on the water, outdoors, and with his daughter, Olivia. He is survived by his mother, Debbie Schnell; daughter, Olivia Schnell; sister, Lindie Reiss; uncle, Ronnie Schnell; niece Ashley Smith; aunt, Carolyn London; and ex-wife, Amanda Schnell. Funeral Service will be 6:00 p.m., Friday, March 11, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Visitation will be one hour prior. Condolences may be left for the family at countrysidefunerals.com.

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# **SPECHT, CHRISTIAN J., 77**

Ocala - Christian J. Specht, 77, of Ocala passed away on March 5, 2016 after a short illness. He was born in Howard Beach, Brooklyn, NY on May 26, 1938, to Christian J. Sr. and Virginia I. Specht (Sheeran). He retired in 1994 from AT&T after 40 years as a building engineer. He proudly served in the United States Navy on the USS Rowe DD 564 (1956-58). He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Richard and sister, Irene. Chris is survived by his loving wife of 45 years, Georgia Hannah Specht and their children, Robert Specht and his wife, Cheryl of New Windsor, NY, William Specht, of Ocala, Christian G. Specht Eustis, FL; six grandchildren, William, Lauren, Jennifer, Dannielle, Pamela, and Brittany and five great-grandchildren, Richard, Hailey, Nathan, Madison, Colby and his brother, Robert A Specht and his wife, Dona of Conway, SC. He will be missed, but his legacy will carry on...... Visitation will be Friday, March 11, 2016, 2:00 - 4:00 PM and 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Funeral mass will be Monday, March 14, 2016. 8:30 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Family recommends memorials be sent to The Shiners'. Inurnment will be at a later date at Florida National Cemetery. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# **STEBNER, DAVID EARL, 76**

Ocala - David Earl Stebner, passed away peacefully, on March 3, 2016, age 76 years. He will always be our loving and generous husband, father and papa, Dave. We will miss you every day. May you rest in peace. Funeral services will be private. For the betterment of stroke research, please give a donation in his name to the National Stroke Association.

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**DICKEY, WINFORD LEE, 64** 

Ocala- Winford Lee Dickey was born on January 18, 1952 in Ocala, FL, to the late Eddie Lee Dickey, Sr. and Queen Dickey (Monroe). He passed away on March 2, 2016. He graduated from Howard High School in 1970 and was retired at the time of his passing. He leaves to cherish his memories children, Lisa Dickey of Ocala, Deidre Dickey of South Carolina, Katina Floyd of New York, Lakeisha Crowell of Atlanta, Georgia, Laishia Brown, and Jason Bradley both of West Palm Beach, Kadrian Morrison of Ocala, and Tyrell Hamilton (Korea); brothers, Eddie Lee Dickey Jr., and Herbert Dickey; sister, Queen Mary Young; dedicated nieces, Audrey Dennis-Richards and Tammie Young; nephew, Joseph Dennis; dedicated friends, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Cotton, Mrs. Corine Terry, Ms. Kathy Mobley and a host of nieces, nephews and sorrowing friends. Services for Winford Lee Dickey will be held at The New Cunningham Funeral Home chapel, 434 NW MLK Jr. Ave, Ocala, FL, on Friday, March 11, 2016 at 6pm.

# ENGRAM, LEROY, 'SONNY,' 96

Anthony - Deacon Leroy Engram began his life journey on April 9, 1919. He was a faithful Deacon at Zion Hill COGIC, Anthony, FL. He leaves to cherish his memories, a loving and caring wife, Ethel Miller-Engram; three sons, Oland (Gwendolyn) Williams, Brian (Kim) Miller and Byron (Pansy) Miller; one daughter, Cassandra Lewis; 14 grandchildren; 23 great grandchildren; 25 great-great grandchildren; a host of relatives and sorrowing friends. Public viewing will be on Friday, March 11, 2016; 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL. Services will be held Saturday, March 12, 2016; 11:00 a.m. at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, 2240 NE 86th Lane, Anthony, FL, 32617. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 - 'A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 10 to Mar. 11, 2016

# FREEMAN, ZELMA, 84

Ocala - Zelma Freeman, 84, passed away on February 29, 2016 She leaves to cherish her memories sons, Michael Freeman, Robert Freeman Jr., and Kenneth Freeman; daughter, Saundra Freeman Hodge; six grandchildren; two great grandchildren; sister, Earline Washington, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral service will be held Saturday, March 12, 2016 at 11:00am at Second Bethel Baptist Church, Dunnellon, FL. Viewing will be Friday, March 11, 2016 from 6pm-8pm at Second Bethel Baptist Church. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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# **MURPHY, EUGENE, 55**

Ocala - Eugene Murphy, 55, passed away on March 5, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories daughter, LaShonetae Murphy; son, Levi Marshall Murphy; grandchildren, Shantavia Floyd and Jazmine Bullock; siblings, Robert Murphy, Henry Murphy, Sadie Young, Lucille Oliver, Harold Murphy, Dr. Glynn Murphy, Winston Murphy, Ellen Watts, Tommie Murphy, Vanessa Watts, Wayne Murphy, and twin sister, Rudene Styles, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, March

12, 2016 at 3:00pm at Union Baptist Church, Dunnellon, FL. Viewing will be held Friday, March 11, 2016 from 6pm-8pm at Union Baptist Church. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Minisry (Providing a Memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 10 to Mar. 11, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 12, 2016**

# CARTER, BARBARA ANNE

Ocala - Barbara Anne Carter, passed away on March 9, 2016 in Ocala, Florida. She retired from Marion County Health Department and was a member of The Belleview Christian Church. She will be missed. She is survived by her son, Victor Carter of Ocala; daughters, Beverly Carter Quandt (Paul), of Gainesville and Kathy Carter Radcliffe of Ocala. She had seven grandchildren, Christopher Radcliffe, Melissa Radcliffe Cromwell, Paul Quandt III, Beth Quandt, Austin Maynard, Jessica Carter Peer, and Amanda Carter. She also has three great grandchildren, Hunter Rae, and Sadie Maynard and McKenzie Cromwell. Memorial services will be held on Monday, March 14, 2016 at the Druid Hills Methodist Church in Ocala and 7PM.

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# CASSE, NORMAN E., 79

Ocala - Mr. Norman E. Casse was born on August 24, 1936 in Indianapolis, Indiana. His parents were Al and Helen Casse. Norman graduated from the University of Indiana in June 1959 with a Bachelors of Science in Business Administration. In 1960, he married Joan Peters of Gary, Indiana and they had two sons, Mark and John. After living in Indianapolis they moved to the Ocala area in February of 1967 and purchased a thoroughbred horse farm in North Marion County. Mr. Casse also ran a successful horse transportation company for many years named Nationwide Horse Carriers. In 1974, Mr. Casse was one of the original cofounders of the Ocala Breeders Sales Company. In 1977, Norman remarried to Linda Rodak Crawford and they had a son, Justin E. Casse, who is thoroughly involved in the Equine consigning bloodstock industry. Also in the early 70's, Norman who was a second generation pyrotechnician was asked to produce the Ocala Jaycees annual God and Country Forth of July Celebration. Over 40 years later his family still produces the pyrotechnics for this event. Norman's fireworks experience has been passed down to the third and fourth generation of his family. They annually produce fireworks for the University of Florida Gators, the New York Yankees Spring Training, FAFO's, Symphony Under the Stars, Live Oak Plantation Anniversary celebrations and many others throughout the states and country. Mr. Casse was a member of the US Navy Reserves and was honorably discharged in the spring of 1962. There will be a memorial service held on Sunday March 13, 2016 at 6PM at the Ocala Breeders Sales Company. Norman is survived by his wife, Galina Casse; three sons, Mark, John and Justin; grandchildren, Cheryl, Norman, Alex, Joel, Camille, Camden, Kyle, Cade, Colby and Maxwell. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations may be made to the Martez Hawkins Fund: 6851 SW 66th Street Ocala, FL 34476. The arrangements were made by Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel.

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# FYE, CRAIG ALLEN, 52

Ocala - Craig Allen Fye, 52, of Ocala, FL passed away Tuesday, March 8, 2016, surrounded by family members. He was born in Miami, FL to June 3, 1963 to John Thomas Fye and Vicki Diane (Campbell) Fye. Craig enjoyed fishing and other water related activities. He was best known for his Sun Art where he created images etched into wood surfaces using the sun's rays and a magnifying glass. Craig is survived by his parents, John and Vicki Fye; sister, Lori Diane (Fye) Cluster; son, Kyle Haight; daughter, Chelsea Fye and grandsons, Brock (11), Tyler (6) and Rickey Haight (4). A memorial service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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# GALLANT, MARION HELEN, 87

Ocala - Marion Helen Gallant, 87, passed away March 3, 2016 at home. Born October 15, 1928 in Seattle, WA, to Charles D. Smith and Lola Hunter Smith. She worked for the Ocala Star Banner as a proofreader and she ran the concession stand at the Southeastern Livestock Pavilion for many years. She is survived by her sons, Steve (Mary) Gallant, Clint (Tori) Gallant; four grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and five great-great grandchildren. Services are private by the family. Donations may be made in memory of Marion to Hospice of Marion County. Condolences may be left for the family at countrysidefunerals.com.

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# LANGDON, GEORGE M., 'RED,' 83

Ocala - George Morris Langdon (Red), 83, of Ocala passed away on Saturday, March 5, 2016 at his residence in Ocala, FL. George M. Langdon was a native of St. Petersburg, Florida. He is one of the founders of the FT. King Daylight Lodge #389. He was the Chaplin of the lodge for the first five years. He was married in 1950 to Rita who he is predeceased by. He is survived by his daughter, Lisa Kim Wolfe; close friend of over 20 years, Diane Coulter; Diane's three grandchildren, Vivian, Zerek , and Lil' Bud; Cousin: Alan Tawes; and friends, Gary (Kim) Davis, and Bill 'Perry' Fuqua. A funeral service will be held at 11:00AM on Friday March 11, 2016 With a Visitation prior to the service from 10:00AM - 11:00AM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. A visitation will be held from 6:00PM - 8:00PM on Thursday, March 10, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala. A committal service will be held directly following the service on Friday, March 11, 2016 at Hillcrest Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Online condolences may be sent at www.hiers-baxley.com. Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services.

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# SEATON, MARTHA 'JANE,' 105

Ocala - Martha 'Jane' Seaton, 105, of Ocala, Florida passed away March 8, 2016 at Brookdale Pinecastle (Chambrel) of Ocala, Florida. She was born on January 6, 1911 in Clarksdale, Mississippi to James and Josephine McLin. Jane was known for her musical talent. She enjoyed playing many instruments such as, the piano, organ, auto harp and ukulele just to name a few. Some of Jane's hobbies included swimming, golfing, sewing, scrapbooking, and arts and crafts. But of all the things Jane enjoyed in life, she got the most enjoyment from her grandchildren. Jane is survived by her daughters, Betty (Bruce) Liberty, of Ocala, FL and Janet (Michael) Marasco, of Ocala, FL; son, David (Florence) Seaton, of Germantown, TN; ten grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren. Jane was a loving mother, grandmother, and friend who will be deeply missed by many. A memorial service in her honor will be held on Friday, March 11, 2016 at 6:00PM. The family invites you to stay after the service for a reception to share your memories of Mrs. Jane Seaton. Located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home at 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County by mail at: 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL 34474 or by phone at: (352)873-7400. Services have been entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, online condolences may be made by visiting www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# **CHITTY III, HENRY MARTIN, 58**

Micanopy, FL - Henry Martin Chitty III, 'Trip,' age 58, died Tuesday, March 8, 2016 at Shands @ University of FL. Trip was born in Gainesville, FL and was a lifelong resident of Wacahoota, FL. Trip was preceded in death by his parents Henry Martin Chitty, Jr. And Jeanette Zetrouer Chitty, owners of Star-Dust Ranch. Trip was proud of his family's heritage. He was very cultivative and worked on the family farm, taking pride in the registered Black Angus cattle. He enjoyed the luxuries in life and some of his most treasured pastimes included hunting, deep sea fishing, traveling, sunsets, body building and music. Trip knew no strangers and will be forever remembered by his loving fiance', beloved daughter, and countless family and friends who were blessed to know him. Henry is survived by his fiancee' Lisa Lippert, of Wacahoota, FL and beloved daughter, Breanna Chitty, of Williston, FL. Family will welcome friends to celebrate the life of a wonderful man on Sunday March 13, 2016 from 5:00-7:00 PM at Milam Funeral Home Chapel, 311 South Main Street, Gainesville, FL. Funeral service will be held on Monday March 14, 2016 at 10:00 AM in the Milam Funeral Home Chapel with burial to follow at Shiloh Cemetery. ARRANGEMENTS ARE UNDER THE CARE OF MILAM FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 S. MAIN ST., GAINESVILLE, FL 32601. 352-376-5361. www.milamfh.com

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# **TOWNSEND, MARY LOUISE, 91**

Ocala- Mary Louise Townsend, 91, passed away peacefully surrounded by loved ones on March 10, 2016, at Estelle's House in Ocala, Florida. She was born May 9, 1924, in Lakeland, Florida. She was a lifelong resident of Dade City, Florida. She lived at Brookdale Pinecastle (Chambrel), Ocala, Florida, in assisted living for the past four years to be near her daughter, Sharon Howell. She was an amazing woman and an inspiration to all with her sweet spirit, fierce independence, and unconditional love for family and friends. She was small, but cast a mighty light. She was a wonderful wife, mom, G-mom, GG-mom, and friend. She was predeceased by her husband of 54 years, Ray Franklin Townsend, in 2000. She was predeceased by parents, Thomas Everett Newsome and

Annie Virginia Powell Newsome; sister, Margaret Virginia Newsome, and brother, Thomas Jack Newsome. She is survived by brother, John Newsome and sister-in-laws, Kathryn Newsome, Alice Newsome, and Charlotte Tomkow Whittington. She is survived by sons, Tim Townsend (Becky) and Darryl Townsend (Sally) and by daughter, Sharon Howell (Greg). She had eight grandchildren, Taylor, Hunter, Meghan, Lindsay, Kristen, Natalie, Beth, and JC. She had 17 great grandchildren. A funeral service will be held at Hodges Funeral Home in Dade City, Florida, on Sunday, March 13, 2016. Visitation will be from 1-2 p.m., with the service beginning at 2 p.m. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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# BALLARD, LAWRENCE C., 89

Ocala - Lawrence 'Larry' C. Ballard, 89, passed away on March 9, 2016 in Tiger, Georgia. He was predeceased by his son, Michael R. Ballard. He is survived by his devoted wife of 71 years, Gloria Starry Ballard; five loving children, Larry E. Ballard, Terry D. Ballard, Lanna K. Whittle, Bruce A. Ballard, and Dee Dee Rouse; 12 grandchildren; 33 great grandchildren, and three great-great grandchildren (with one on the way). He was an Amazing Man who will truly be missed. The Family will receive visitors at 1:00, Saturday March 19, 2016 at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 South Pine St. Ocala, FL. Funeral service begins at 2:00pm. In lieu of flowers, donations to Liberty Baptist Church, Tiger GA would be appreciated.

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# **BENNER, PATRICIA ANN, 79**

Ocala - Patricia Ann Benner, 79, was taken to heaven in the arms of angels on March 9, 2016 while sleeping peacefully at home. Born November 23, 1936 in Buffalo, NY, she and her family moved from Miami to Marion County in 1975. She retired from Munroe Regional Hospital. She is preceded in death by her former husband, Richard A. Benner Sr. and son, Christopher J. Benner. She is survived and lovingly remembered by her family, Rick Benner (Patty), Mark Benner (Francesca), daughter, Edy Godwin-Vandeventer (Scott), Jody Benner (Sandy); daughter-in-law, Beverly Benner; sister, Elaine Miller, Upper Marlboro, MD; 13 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. Memorial Service will be 11:00a.m., Saturday, March 19, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Kindred at Home Hospice in memory of Patricia. Additional information and condolences may be sent to the family at: countrysidefunerals.com/ notices/patricia-benner

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# BERRY, SR., WILLIAM 'BILL,' 85

Summerfield - William 'Bill' Berry, Sr., Born August 1, 1930 in Miami, FL; died March 7, 2016 in Summerfield, FL. He retired from PanAm after 39 years of service. He is survived by children, Donna (Fred) F. Hightower of Belleview, FL, and William 'Billy' (Therese) Berry, Jr. of Corbin, KY; four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife of 66 years, Betty J. Berry. Visitation will be Friday, March

18, 2016 from 5-7 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-Belleview. Graveside service will be Saturday, March 19, 2016 at 10 AM located at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. Sentiments may be left online at hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 13 to Mar. 14, 2016

# EQUI, JUNE S., 92

Ocala - June S. Equi, 92, went to be with the Lord March 10, 2016, June was born on September 19, 1923, in Springfield, MA, and was a home maker who loved spending time with her family and friends. She will be missed by all who knew her. She touched many lives. June is survived by her daughters, Janice Equi (Ruben Galaviz) of Ocala, FL, Frances (Henry) Martens, of Altamonte Springs, FL, Laura DiGiovanni of Dunedin, FL; by her sons, Frank (Candy) Equi of Ocala, FL, Thomas (Sharon) Equi of Reddick, FL; Roger (Melanie) Equi of Ipswich, MA; and Philip (Dana) Equi of Palm Harbor, FL; 13 grandchildren; 21 great grandchildren. She is predeceased by her husband, Frank Equi and son, John Equi. A gathering will be held on Tuesday, March 15, 2016, at 3:00 - 4:00 p.m., at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, Fl, 34471, with the memorial service to begin 4:00 p.m.

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# IRISH, CAROLYN B. 'KRAZIT,' 65

Ocala - Carolyn B. 'Krazit' Irish, 65, passed away March 7, 2016. She was born on October 14, 1950 in Ocala to Carl & Eva 'Bewley' KRAZIT. She graduated Ocala High School 1968 and attended CFCC in Cosmetology. She married Francis Irish from Tampa, who preceded her in death. She was employed by her brother-in-law, Al Erp and nephew, Alan Erp at North Trail RV in Ft. Myers. She enjoyed visiting and talking, watching sports and her beloved cats. She is survived by her brother, Charlie Krazit and his two children, Andy & wife (Kelly) Krazit and Savannah B. Krazit and daughter, along with her brother-in-law, Al Erp (who was married to older sister Evelyn, who passed in 1985) and their two children, Alan & wife (Shawnica) Erp and Jenny Sabella and their five respective children. Memorial service will be at 11:00 AM, Saturday March 19, 2016 at Forest Lawn Funeral Home of Ocala. Interment will follow at Ft. McCoy Cemetery in Ft. McCoy, FL.

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# MULKEY, PAULA MARION WHITEHEAD, 84

Ocala - Paula Marion Whitehead Mulkey, age 84 from Ocala residing in Bunnell, FL. passed away on March 11, 2016. She joins her parents Robert L. Whitehead and Adele Whitehead, husband Clyde C. Mulkey and daughter Debra K. King who preceded her. She leaves behind daughter and son-in-law Marion S. and Bill McCluen of Harriman, TN., daughter and son-in-law Julie P. and Jack Burger of Bunnell, six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Born in Bonifay, FL. on April 27, 1931, she lived and worked most of her life in Ocala. She and beloved husband Clyde owned Mulkey Tile and Terrazzo Co., Clyde C. Mulkey Co., and enjoyed running Mulkey U-Pick Farms in their retirement years. She loved gardening, fishing, gospel music, cooking, and spending time with her family. She was of Baptist faith. There will be a visitation from 10- 11 AM with a service at 11 AM on Wednesday March 16th, 2016 located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral

Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, she will then be laid to rest at Forest Lawn Cemetery.

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# SHANKS, LORETTA ANNETTE 'ANN,' 78

Ocala - Ann Shanks, 78, of Ocala, passed away on March 4, 2016 after a long battle with illness. She was born October 21, 1937 in Luxora, Ark. to the late Bill Shanks and Pauline (Nana) Shanks. Ann moved to Ocala from Homestead, FL after Hurricane Andrew with late partner, Jeff Eyd. She is survived by her children, Ronda Cox (Charles), Donna Revas (Alex) and Stacy Merritt (Tim) of Ocala; her four grandchildren; five great grandchildren; one great great grandchild; and six siblings. A Private memorial will be held on March 26, 2016. In lieu of flowers, donations may be given to the Humane Society of Marion County.

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# TAYLOR JR., JAMES 'JIM' MARVIN, 78

Ocala- In the afternoon of March 8th, 2016, Jim passed away from complications of ongoing health problems. He was 78. Jim was born in Williston, FL to James and Marie Taylor. Jim was a veteran of the United States Marine Corp and a professional businessman. He loved sports and was a diehard Gator fan, and enjoyed fishing and hunting, along with spending time with his grandchildren. He is survived by his wife, Brenda; three sons, Russell (Christina), Billy, and Brian (Sarah); grandchildren, Ben, Nathan, Ashlynn, Brett and Beau; brother, Harry (Clara); sister, Martha (Jim), and several nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held at First Baptist Church of Belleview on Friday, March 18, 2016 at 1:30pm. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 15, 2016**

# **CHITTY III, HENRY MARTIN, 58**

Micanopy, FL - Henry Martin Chitty III, 'Trip,' age 58, died Tuesday, March 8, 2016 at Shands @ University of FL. Trip was born in Gainesville, FL and was a lifelong resident of Wacahoota, FL. Trip was preceded in death by his parents Henry Martin Chitty, Jr. and Jeanette Zetrouer Chitty, owners of Star-Dust Ranch. Trip was proud of his family's heritage. He was very cultivative and worked on the family farm, taking pride in the registered Black Angus cattle. He enjoyed the luxuries in life and some of his most treasured pastimes included hunting, deep sea fishing, traveling, sunsets, body building and music. Trip knew no strangers and will be forever remembered by his loving fiancé, beloved daughter, and countless family and friends who were blessed to know him. Henry is survived by his fiancé, Lisa Lippert, of Wacahoota, FL and beloved daughter, Breanna Chitty, of Williston, FL. Family will welcome friends to celebrate the life of a wonderful man on Sunday March 13, 2016 from 5:00-7:00 PM at Milam Funeral Home Chapel, 311 South Main Street, Gainesville, FL. Funeral service will be held on Monday March 14, 2016 at 10:00 AM in the Milam Funeral Home Chapel with burial to follow at Shiloh Cemetery. ARRANGEMENTS ARE UNDER THE CARE OF MILAM

FUNERAL AND CREMATION SERVICES, 311 S. MAIN ST., GAINESVILLE, FL 32601 352-376-5361 www.milamfh.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 12 to Mar. 15, 2016

# **MULKEY, PAULA MARION WHITEHEAD, 84**

Ocala - Paula Marion Whitehead Mulkey, age 84 from Ocala residing in Bunnell, FL. passed away on March 11, 2016. She joins her parents Robert L. Whitehead and Adele Whitehead, husband Clyde C. Mulkey and daughter Debra K. King who preceded her. She leaves behind daughter and son-in-law Marion S. and Bill McCluen of Harriman, TN., daughter and son-in-law Julie P. and Jack Burger of Bunnell, six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Born in Bonifay, FL. on April 27, 1931, she lived and worked most of her life in Ocala. She and beloved husband Clyde owned Mulkey Tile and Terrazzo Co., Clyde C. Mulkey Co., and enjoyed running Mulkey U-Pick Farms in their retirement years. She loved gardening, fishing, gospel music, cooking, and spending time with her family. She was of Baptist faith. There will be a visitation from 10- 11 AM with a service at 11 AM on Wednesday March 16th, 2016 located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, she will then be laid to rest at Forest Lawn Cemetery.

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# **ROBINSON, JAMES DONALD 'JIM', 83**

Summerfield - James Donald 'Jim' Robinson, 83, of Summerfield passed away on Friday, March 11, 2016 at Hawthorne Village in Ocala. Jim was a native of South Canaan, Pennsylvania and moved to this area in 1956. He was a veteran of the United States Air Force. He retired after 20 years from Emergency One as a purchaser, before working at E-1 he worked for the railroad, mobile home construction, was a mechanic and a farmer. He was a member of Church of Grace where he was on the board for years. He was faithful to God and prayed for his church and his family every day. Mr. Robinson was an avid Yankees fan. Survivors include wife of 40 years Shirley Robinson of Summerfield; daughter Sue (Danny) McCullough; sons Terry, James Jr., Chris, Christian, Nick; brother Timothy; sister Judy Lee; five grandchildren and four great grandchildren. He is predeceased by his parents Joseph and Beatrice Robinson; brother Frank; and sister Grace Marion Robinson. A funeral service will be held at 10AM on Wednesday, March 16, 2016 at Church of Grace, 7076 East St Rd C-25, Belleview, FL, 34420. A visitation will be held an hour prior. Online condolences may be sent at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 14 to Mar. 15, 2016

# UTZ, EDITH 'JANE' HARDING SHAWLEY, 80

Ocala - Edith 'Jane' Harding Shawley Utz, born September 30, 1935, died March 10, 2016 at Sylvia's Hospice House with her children and grandchildren by her side. She is survived by her husband, Don; sons, Richard (Linda), Robert (Aimee), Thomas (Amy); daughters, Linda (Michael), Donna (Jeff); grandchildren, Nicole, Drew, Bobby, Brandon, Philip, Allyson, Krysten, Morgan, Roman, Ariel, and Trevor; great grandchildren, Alexa, Haven, and Owen; brothers, Bob (Annie), Ted (Betty). She was predeceased by her first husband, Richard 'Dick' Shawley; son, James; brothers, Frank, Tucker, Jerry, and Stanley; sister, Bea. Funeral will be held at Fellowship Baptist Church, 10500 US

Highway 27, Ocala, FL 34482, Sunday, March 20, 2016 at 2 PM. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 13 to Mar. 15, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 16, 2016**

# FYE, CRAIG ALLEN, 52

Ocala - Craig Allen Fye, 52, of Ocala, FL passed away Tuesday, March 8, 2016, surrounded by family members. He was born in Miami, FL June 3, 1963 to John Thomas Fye and Vicki Diane (Campbell) Fye. Craig enjoyed fishing and other water related activities. He was best known for his Sun Art where he created images etched into wood surfaces using the sun's rays and a magnifying glass. Craig is survived by his parents, John nd Vicki Fye; sister, Lori Diane (Fye) Cluster; son, Kyle Haight; daughter, Chelsea Fye; and grandsons, Brock (11), Tyler (6), Ricky (4) Haight. A memorial service will be held Saturday, March 19, 2016 at 12 PM at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1831 SE 18 Avenue, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, those that wish may make donations to Hospice of Marion County - PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 11 to Mar. 16, 2016

# **GRAFF, REGINALD EDWARD, 87**

Silver Springs - Reginald E. Graff, 87, passed away March 6, 2016, in Silver Springs, Florida. He is present with his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. He is preceded in death by his first wife, Betty and his daughter, Beth Marie. He is survived by his wife, Phyllis; two daughters, Deborah (Reid) and Barbara (Tom); two sons, Bruce (Becky) and Brian (Kelley); 13 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; two sisters, Bonnie and Barbara Jean. Reg was a past Executive Director of the Belleview Chamber of Commerce. He was a member of Gideon International for over 30 years, giving many hours of service handing out Bibles and working in the prison ministry. Reg is a Korean War Veteran, serving in the National Guard in 1950. There will be a memorial service for him at Trinity Baptist Church on Baseline Road in Ocala, on March 19th at 12:30 am. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Gideon International. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 15 to Mar. 16, 2016

# SLOVITZ, GERALD G., 80

Ocala - Gerald G. Slovitz, 80, of Ocala passed away on Saturday, March 12, 2016 at Legacy House in Ocala. Gerald was a proud veteran of The United States Army. Survivors include his wife of 17 years, Carolyn Slovitz; son, Sam and spouse, Patrice Johnson; daughters, Ellen and spouse, T.J. Parker, Leanne and spouse, Brian Quinn; sister, Muriel Koniak; and several grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his brother, Sheldon Slovitz. A graveside service will be held on Tuesday, March 15, 2016 11:00 AM at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, family recommends donations may be made to St. Jude Medical Center, www.stjudemedicalcenter.org. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 17, 2016**

#### **BLAIR, NANCY MUMMA, 81**

Ocala - Nancy Mumma Blair, age 81, passed away Saturday, March 12, 2016 at Bighton Gardens Assisted Living facility. She was born September 28, 1934, in Dayton, Ohio to the late Irma and Ralph Mumma. After graduating for Wilbur Wright High School, Nancy earned a bachelor's degree in Business Administration from the University of Cincinnati. She opted for a military career by accepting a commission in the United States Air Force in 1958. Nancy attained the rank of Captain while serving in Tripoli, Libya, where she met her husband, Donald, in January 1964. They were married in September 1964 and began life together at Selfridge AFB, Michigan. She served as Casualty Affairs Officer for southeast Michigan during the intense fighting in Southeast Asia and was honorably discharged from the service in 1965. While Donald served in Vietnam, she returned to Dayton and gave birth to her first son. Following assignments in Orlando, Florida and Fairbanks, Alaska, the family moved to Beavercreek, Ohio where they resided for twenty years. Nancy was devoted member of Kirkmont Presbyterian church in Beavercreek from 1973 until 1993 when she accompanied her husband to Ocala, Florida in retirement. Beyond her faith in God, and her family, Nancy's first love was music and particularly singing in choirs at Kirkmont and Ocala West United Methodist Church, as well as community choirs. While in Ocala, Nancy selflessly volunteered many hours leading music activities for the residents of a nearby nursing home, particularly a somewhat raucous 'kazoo' band. Nancy is survived by her husband, Donald; sons, Kevin (Jody) Blair and Mark (Julie) Blair; five grandchildren and a sister, Barbara Savage; and all of her dear friends at Kirkmont and Ocala West. Celebration of Nancy's life will be announced at a later date with interment in Dayton National Cemetery. If desired, donations may be made to Hospice of Dayton. Online expressions of sympathy may be sent to tobiasfuneralhome.com

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# COSTA, DAWN RAE, 70

Ocala - Dawn Rae Costa, 70, passed peacefully on Sunday, March 13, 2016. A beautiful wife, mother, grandmother and friend, she lived in Ocala, Florida with her husband Manny R. Costa. She was born on December 17, 1945, in Kirkwood, Missouri, the daughter of Stella Mae and Raymond Valliquette. Dawn married Manny her beloved husband on October 13, 1984, celebrating 31 years of marriage. She graduated from Miami Christian High School with honors. She is survived by Manny Costa, her husband, and Manuel Costa III, Charley Costa, Richard Costa, Christine Pederson, Cherie' & William Winship, her children; and one sister, Lenora Palomino. Visitation will be held on Sunday, March 20, 2016 from 1pm - 5pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home in Ocala, Florida. Graveside ceremony will be at Good Shepherd Garden in Ocala on Monday, March 21, 2016 at 11am, conducted by pastor Ron Howard from Meadowbrook Church. Flowers may be delivered to the funeral home and donations can be made directly to Meadowbrook Church in her name. She Trusted and Adjusted her life to the Lord, her passion to see her whole household in heaven. 'Believe in the Lord Jesus and you will be saved, along with everyone in your household.' Acts 16:31

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 18, 2016**

# COGDELL, ALPINE E., 93

Ocala - Mrs. Alpine E. Cogdell, 93 a native of Ocala, Florida transition into her new home on March 14, 2016 in Miami, Florida. Mrs. Cogdell leaves fond memories in the hearts of two daughters, Helen Black of Philadelphia, PA. and Alverta M. Tucker (Herbert Sr.) of Miami Gardens, FL; 12 grandchildren and a host of great grandchildren. The Homegoing celebration for Mrs. Alpine E. Cogdell will be held on Saturday, March 19, 2016 1:00P.M. at Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church (11155 SW 123rd Terrace) Ocala, FL. Interment will follow in Wesley Chapel Cemetery. Visitation will be held one hour prior to services. Services are under the Professional Care of Carnegie Funeral Home 217 SE 4th Ave. Chiefland, Florida. 'Providing Everlasting Memories' Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 17 to Mar. 18, 2016

# CUNNINGHAM, MARIE BAPTISTE, 87

Ocala - Sister Marie Baptiste Cunningham was born in Choiseul St. Lucia West Indies. She came to America in 1968. She was married to James 'Doc' Cunningham. Sister Marie Cunningham leaves to cherish her memories forever, three children, Marie (John) Simon, John (Atasha) Baptiste and Stephen (Carol) Cunningham; brother, Hazel Jean Baptiste; nine grandchildren; nine great grandchildren; a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. Public viewing will be on Friday, March 18, 2016; 1:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34475. Services will be held at Calvary Missionary Baptist Church 2701 SE 73rd Street, Ocala, FL 34480 on Saturday, March 19, 2016 11:00 a.m. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34480 on Saturday, March 19, 2016 11:00 a.m. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34480 on Saturday, March 19, 2016 11:00 a.m. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34480 on Saturday, March 19, 2016 11:00 a.m. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34480 on Saturday, March 19, 2016 11:00 a.m. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34480 on Saturday, March 19, 2016 11:00 a.m. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34480 on Saturday, March 19, 2016 11:00 a.m. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34480 on Saturday, March 19, 2016 11:00 a.m. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 - 'A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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# DOVE, JERRY L., 54

Ocala - Jerry L. Dove passed away on March 7, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories one brother, Anthony J. Dove; three nieces, Shasta M. Dove, Lae'Marrii Dove, Lay'Mesha Dove; three aunts, Earline D. Suggs, Eveline D. Troope and Ertha Thompson Public viewing will be on Friday, March 18, 2016; 1:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34475. Services will be held at Summers Funeral Home on Saturday, March 19, 2016 4:00 p.m. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL 34475. Services Will be held at Summers Funeral Home on Saturday, March 19, 2016 4:00 p.m. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL 352) 351-0566 - 'A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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# **GUENTHER, ROY L., 88**

Ocala - Roy L. Guenther born September 19, 1927 in Pittsburgh, PA; died March 15, 2016 in Ocala, FL. He is survived by his brother, Donald (Carol) Guenther; several nieces and nephews. Graveside service will be held Friday, March 18, 2016 10:00 AM at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-

baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 17 to Mar. 18, 2016

# JONES, BERTHA STARKER, 100

Ocala - Mrs. Bertha Stacker Jones, age 100, transitioned from this life to her heavenly home on Monday, March 14, 2016 at Hawthorne Health and Rehab Center, Ocala, FL. Bertha Jones was born on October 15, 1915 in Reddick, FL and was a lifelong Marion County resident. She was a caretaker for many and a lifelong homemaker. She was a member of United Missionary Baptist Church for many years wherein she served faithfully as a choir member and deaconess until her health began to fail. In the community she served as a member of Progressive Pallbearer Lodge #145. She leaves to cherish her memories two sons, Hugh Walker Jr. and Elder Floyd Jones; 16 grandchildren, 36 great-grandchildren and 37 great-great grandchildren. Public viewing will be Friday, March 18, 2016 from 10am - 5:00pm at The New Cunningham Funeral Home of, Ocala. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, March 19, 2016 at 11:00am at United Missionary Baptist Church, located at 15446 NW 44th Avenue Road, Reddick FL 32686. Rev. Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor/Eulogist, Pastor Tanya Hanks (Greater New Bethel-Ocala), presiding.

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# LUMADUE, MARION JUDITH

In loving memory of Marion Judith Lumadue Survived by two sisters, Mauren and Shelia; two daughters, Renee, Paul and Lorraine; Joe and grandchildren Ashley, Devin, Angel, Andrew, Aimee, Allen, Allie, Alicia, Amanda, Abbigail, Matt, Jen, Lauren and David and great grandbabies, Kinsley and Kayleigh - love always Services at Baldwin Brothers, 954 E Silver Springs Blvd, Saturday, March 19, 2016 at 10am. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 17 to Mar. 18, 2016

# MCNAIR, JESSIE LEE, 85

Ocala - Jessie Lee McNair was born on October 7, 1930 in Dalton, GA and on March 10, 2016 after running a long race she was called home. She leaves to cherish her memory four loving daughters, Jessie M. McNair, Audrey Valladars (Roberto), Esther Stanley (Glen), Felicia McNair all of Ocala, FL; one loving son, Gregory McNair (Cheryl) of Tallahassee, FL; Mother McNair had 35 wonderful grandchildren, 83 great grandchildren, and 24 great-great grandchildren! She also served as a mother figure to many of her nieces and nephews along the way. She also leaves to cherish her memory a host of nieces, nephews and many sorrowing friends. Funeral services for Mother McNair will be held on Saturday at 1:00 p.m. at House of God Keith Dominion. Wake service will be on Thursday from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Theological Seminary. Visitation will be on Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry 'Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade.' Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 17 to Mar. 18, 2016

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# D'ORIO, VIOLA LILLIAN (BERETTA), 94

Ocala - Viola Lillian (Beretta) D'Orio, 94, of Ocala, Fl, passed away peacefully on March 15, 2016, at the TimberRidge Nursing Home in Ocala. She is survived by her two daughters and sons-in-law, Valerie and William Duarte of Ocala, FL, and Sheryl and Earl Denton of Ocala, FL, and Hope Valley, RI. For a full obituary, please visit www.baldwincremations.com.

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# HOOKER, MARY ELIZABETH, 81

Ocala - Mary Elizabeth Hooker, 81, passed away March 14, 2016. Born December 18, 1934 in Portsmouth, OH to John Kleinman and Isabel Prince Kleinman. She has resided in Marion County since 1957 and was a homemaker/bookkeeper. She has been a long time member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and was an active member of Beta Signma Phi for over 50 years. Mary was preceded in death by her son, Floyd Irving Hooker and grandson, John Adcock. She is survived by her beloved husband of 59 years, Boots Hooker; son, Dee Hooker (Patty); daughters, Debbie Hooker, Cyndi (Brett) Ellis, Beth (Rich) Gruber; sister, Patty Singley; grandchildren, Justin Adcock, Laura Johnson, Alex Ellis, Julia Gruber, Sean Gruber and five great-grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be 11:30 a.m, Saturday, March 19, 2016 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, Ocala, FL with Father Patrick Sheedy officiating. Interment will be later in Anthony Cemetery. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 18 to Mar. 19, 2016

# KILGOUR, JOHN A., JR., 94

Dunnellon - Mr. John A. Kilgour, Jr., 94, of Dunnellon, passed away Saturday, March 5, 2016, at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. A native of Patterson, NJ, he moved to this area 20 years ago, previously residing in New Port Richie, FL and Wadsworth, OH. He retired from Babcock & Wilcox as an engineer in the power generation industry after a 38 year career. He served his country in the US Navy during WWII, and was a member of First United Methodist Church in Dunnellon. Survivors include his wife Ermalene; his son, David John Kilgour (Christine); stepdaughter, Victoria Warner; grandchildren, Jason Kilgour, Matthew Kilgour (Heather), Brian Kilgour (Kristin), Heather Kilgour, and Shawn Kilgour as well as great grandchildren Sean, Ava, Cooper, Leah, Emily, Collin, Bryson, and Crew. He was preceded in death by his wife, Hazel VanRosenburgh Kilgour and his daughter, Debra Lynn Westbrook. A memorial service will be held at 3 PM on Saturday, March 19, 2016, at Roberts Funeral Home,19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon, FL, with Pastor Eddie Fulford officiating. Condolences for the family may be left at www.robertsofdunnellon.com. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Wounded Warriors Project.

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# NELSON, ROBBIE G., 67

Ocala - Robbie Gene Nelson (aged 67) died on March 8, 2016 at the Hospice of Marion County, FL. The cause of death was cancer. A long-time resident of Ocala, FL, Robbie was born in Quincy, IL on November 4, 1948 and grew up in the Bowen, IL area, graduating from Bowen High School in 1966 and Southern Illinois University in 1970 with a bachelor's degree in education. He was a member of the United Methodist Church in Bowen, IL. Robbie spent several decades as a professional musician, first as a bass

guitarist and vocalist in a group formed during his high school years, later in a duo, and then as a solo keyboard performer. Robbie met his future wife, Elizabeth Regina Rollins, in Florida and they were married on January 8, 1985 in Richland County, SC. They traveled for several years, continuing Robbie's musical career until settling in north central Florida, where they managed several small businesses. Robbie was preceded in death by his wife on December 10, 2011, and parents, Richard and Florine Nelson of Bowen, IL. He is survived by three brothers and two sisters-in-law, Gary of Quincy, IL, Norman and Robin of New York, NY, and Douglas and Deborah of Groveland, IL. He is also survived by four nephews, David, Scot, Matt and Clark, and two nieces, Lorine and Lisa. Burial will be at the family plot in the Bowen Cemetery in Bowen, IL on a date to be announced.

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# SMITH SR., LUTHER R., 81 MAY 24, 1934- MARCH 14, 2016

Ocala - Luther 'Smitty' Rosco Smith Sr. 81, went to be with Jesus on March 14, 2016. He was preceded in death by his wife, Patricia Mears-Smith; and daughter, Linda Pellicer. Luther was blessed with five loving children. He is survived by his children, Pamela Templeton, Shirley Crandell, Luther Smith, Jr. Debra Walter; his loving grandchildren and great grandchildren. His memorial service will be held on March 18, 2016 at 3 p.m. at the Fort McCoy Baptist Church 11350 E. Hwy 316, Fort McCoy, FL 32134. Food and refreshments will be provided after the memorial service.

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# WHITSTON, GEORGIA LEE, 84

Ocala - Georgia Whitston passed away on March 15, 2016- Born in Baltimore Maryland in 1932 and has called Ocala her home since 1970. She is preceded in death by her husband of 59 years, David and her daughter, Glenda. Georgia leaves to cherish her memory, two sons, Bruce (Heather), Lee (Kristen), daughter Beth Respess (Jim), eight grandchildren and her sister Nancy Kane, Baltimore, Maryland. Mrs. Whltston was a nursing assistant and x-ray technician in the 1950's and met the love of her life David and married in 1952. Georgia graduated from Seton High School in Baltimore Maryland and Central Florida Community College. She retired from the Marion County Sheriffs department as an Evidence Technician, volunteered at Lowell prison counselling women with alcohol addiction and gave of her time with the Guardian Adelinm program. Georgia will be remembered as a talented artist, a loving wife, a fabulous mother and she will be missed by all. Funeral service for Mrs. Whitston will be held Saturday, 1:00, March 19, at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. Visitation will be held Friday evening, March 18th from 7:00 PM -8:00 PM at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church Chapel. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 18 to Mar. 19, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 20, 2016**

# HOBSON, JAMES BYRON, 81

Ocala - James Byron Hobson, age 81, of Ocala, FL passed away peacefully on Wednesday, March 16, 2016 surrounded by his children. He was born in St Louis, MO on June 10, 1934 to Jonathan and Dorothy Hobson. Jim's father died when he was five

years old and was raised in Farmington, KY by his uncle & aunt Refus and Lorraine Brittian. It was in Kentucky where he met and married his wife of 52 years, Beverly Looper Hobson while finishing his Bachelor's degree in Agriculture at Murray State University in Murray, KY. After working for the USDA for several years, Jim accepted a position as Plant Manager for New England Apple Products (Veryfine) a privately owned company in Littleton, MA in 1968. He would later be promoted to Vice President of Operations. Over the next 26 years, under Jim's leadership, Veryfine would grow from a 1.2 million dollar company to over 230 million dollars, while becoming the largest distributor of 10oz fruit juices in the country, beating out industry giants like Tropicana, Ocean Spray, and Motts. He and Beverly retired to Ocala, FL and built a house at the Country Club of Ocala, where they would spend the rest of their lives. Jim loved the rolling hills of Ocala, with all its horse farms, which served as a reminder of his upbringing in Kentucky. While the Chronic Fatigue would contribute to multiple ailments in his life, it could never dull his indelible spirit. He enjoyed golfing, sailing, fishing, and dining out with friends. Jim was known for his intellect, quick wit, and humor, and could be found often entertaining and laughing with friends on his lanai. He was a devout Christian, and spent much of his time helping others. He is survived by his son, Byron and his wife, Alicia Hobson of Millsboro, DE (formerly of Boston); daughter, Melody Sneden of Dunstable, MA and two grandchildren, Nicholas and Joshua Sneden and a sister, Cindy Zaukas of Kingswood, TX. He was preceded in death by his wife of 52 years, Beverly Looper Hobson. A celebration of Jim's life will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL on Sunday, March 20, 2016 at 1pm with a reception to follow at the Country Club of Ocala. In lieu of flowers, Memorial contributions may be made to Marion Therapeutic Riding Association in memory of James Byron Hobson. www.mariontherapeuticridingassociation.org Since 1985, the MTRA is a non-profit organization which utilizes the therapeutic benefits of equine assisted therapy to persons of all ages and capabilities that are physically, mentally, or emotionally challenged.

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#### ORTIZ, JOSE, 85

Ocala - Jose Ortiz, architect and beloved husband and father, died March 17, 2016 in Ocala, FL. Mr. Ortiz is survived by his wife, Barbara Ortiz; his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his son, Gary. He was born on June 15, 1930 in Ponce, Puerto Rico to Anselmo and Ana Ortiz. He graduated from Ponce High School and attended New York Fashion Institute. While living in New York City he sang for service organizations. As an architect inspired by Frank Lloyd Wright, he designed residential and public buildings in Sacramento, CA, San Juan, PR, Houston, TX, Washington, D.C. area and Central Florida. While in the DC Metro area he met his wife Barbara and they were together for 27 years. They moved to Ocala in 1994. Jose is remembered as a dedicated softball player and a member of OTOW Softball League. He was a member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and volunteer with Perpetual Adoration. A viewing is scheduled Saturday, March 19, 2016 from 3 to 5 PM at Roberts Funeral Home, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL 34476. Funeral Mass will be said Monday, March 21, 2016 at 10 AM at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 SE 17th Street, Ocala, FL 34471. All are welcome to attend to celebrate Jose's life. Memorial donations may be

directed to either Blessed Trinity Church or Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, West Chapel. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 19 to Mar. 20, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 21, 2016**

# ARNOLD, LOIS M., 91

Ocala - Lois M. Arnold, 91, passed away March 16, 2016. Born on September 28, 1924 in Columbia, SC, to Robert Tanner and Beulah Lee Tanner, she moved here from Osceola County 20 years ago. She was a homemaker. Lois is preceded in death by her loving husband, George Arnold. She is survived by her sons, George R. Arnold 'Butch' (Kathie), of Ocala, Allen Lee Arnold (Pearl), of Thomasville, GA; six grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren. Funeral Service will be 12:30pm, Wednesday, March 23, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL, with Pastor Samuel Clements officiating. Interment will follow at 2:30 pm in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 20 to Mar. 21, 2016

# BASSETT, CHARLOTTE L. 1/26/1927-2/24/2016

Ocala - Survived by brother, Eddie; daughter; son; five grandchildren; one great grandson; and a close friend, Claire. Preceded in death by daughter, Lois. Don't cry or weep for me I do not sleep. I am a thousand winds that blow. I am the glistening snow, I am the sunlight on ripened grain the gentle autumns rain. When you awaken in the mornings light I am the quiet birds in flight, I'm also the soft stars in the sky, So you see don't cry for me I did not die. We Love You!!

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# CARTER, EDITH O., 91

Ocala - Edith O. Carter of Ocala passed away peacefully, Thursday, March 17, 2016. She was born April 12, 1924 in Malone, Florida. She lived in Marianna, Florida with her predeceased first husband, Willis Evans until 1970 when they moved to Gainesville, Florida. She is survived by her husband of 29 years, Harold Carter; one daughter, Debra Wheeler (Gary) of Macclenny; grandchildren, John Dechmerowski of Orlando and Kelly Polizzi (Jeff); great grandchildren, Malachi, Shiloh and Olive Polizzi of Macclenny; stepdaughter, Mary Alice Domier (Karl) of Saline, Michigan and stepson, Ronald (Teresa) of Monroe, Michigan. Mrs. Carter was an avid Florida Gator fan, as well as, a fan of the Tampa Bay Rays. She learned ballroom dancing along with her husband; they loved dancing with each other for many years and won several trophies and participated in exhibitions in the Ocala area. A graveside service will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, March 21, 2016 at Forest Meadows Memorial Park East, 3700 SE Hawthorne Rd., Gainesville, Florida 32641 with Rev. Steve McCollum officiating. Arrangements are under the care of Forest Meadows Funeral Home, 352-378-2528. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 20 to Mar. 21, 2016

# DUSKAS, PATRICIA N., 76

Ocala - Patricia N. Duskas, 76, of Oak Run, Ocala, Florida passed away on March 16, 2016 while in the care of Hospice of Marion County surrounded by her family. Pat was

born on June 11, 1939 in Cambridge, New York to Mary and Robert C. Norton, Sr. She graduated from Greene High School in Greene, New York and went on to graduate from Plattsburgh State Teachers' College. In 1964, she married Michael W. Duskas in Greenwich, New York. Pat was a permanently certified elementary teacher who taught second grade at Salmon River Central School and Canton Central School. She left the teaching profession, which she loved, to raise her two children. Pat was a long-time resident of Canton where she was involved in numerous community activities including the Benton Board of Trustees for the Canton Free Library, the E.J. Noble Guild and the Skating Saints Booster Club. Pat is survived by her loving husband of 52 years, the Hon. Michael W. Duskas of Ocala, Florida and formerly of Canton, New York; her two children, William M. Duskas (Victoria) of Canton, New York and Kimberly L. Duskas (Ronald Daly) of Gansevoort, New York; and her brother, Robert C. Norton, Jr. (Carol) of Ocala, Florida. She was predeceased by her father, Robert C. Norton, Sr. and her mother, Mary W. Norton and a younger brother, William. The family plans to hold a private interment service this summer in Canton, New York. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to The Legacy House, Hospice of Marion County, Florida (www.hospiceofmarion.com/legacy-house.html) or St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital (www.stjude.org).

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# NICOL, ELLEN PATTERSON, 92

Ocala - Ellen May Patterson Nicol, age 92, passed on in Ocala, FL on March 14, 2016. She was born in Rochester, NY on March 4, 1924 to Leroy and Sophie Louise Rund Patterson and lived her first 50 years in our beloved Rochester. She graduated from East High School. Working in the Rochester airport weather bureau in 1942, she met her first husband, Paul Jones, who had a lifelong passion for flying. They married in 1946 and worked together in their Scottsville Rd. mobile home sales and park, which bordered the airport. They had children in 1951, 1954, and 1958, later divorcing. In the late 1960s, Ellen worked most notably as secretary to George Sisler, president of the Triple A International Baseball League based in Rochester. There she met her second husband, Times-Union sportswriter and Silver Stadium official scorer Al Weber. They enjoyed many good times attending Red Wings games at home and on the road, spring training in Florida, and the World Series, all of which Al reported on for the Times-Union. He passed away suddenly in 1972. Ellen moved to Torrance, CA where she married Jack Beattie. With the end of that marriage, she moved to Ft. Lauderdale, FL, then later to Lake City where she married Robert Nicol, and finally to Anthony, FL in 1981. Bob Nicol died in 2004 after they had had 28 years together spent sharing their mutual love for turtles, tortoises, and birds, and having had many fascinating friendships with other 'turtle people'. Ellen was also talented at drawing, sewing, and writing. Ellen is survived by daughter, Linda Jones Pickens (James) of Anthony, FL and son, Kenneth Jones (Kerri) of N. Charleston SC; grandchildren, Rocky and Derek Breeden and Kerin Breeden Rivera; Evan, Graham, and Shannon Jones; and four great-grandchildren and closest friend, Felice Rood of CA. She was preceded in death by her parents and by son, Steven Jones in 2008. She has cousins and many other distant Rund/Patterson/North relatives in the Rochester and Finger Lakes areas. Grateful thanks to all who gave flawlessly kind and professional care to Ellen, especially the staff at Estelle's House (Hospice of Marion County). At her request, there will be no services. Burial arrangements are pending. In Ellen's memory, acts of kindness to animals and people will be very much appreciated and a meaningful legacy of her long and remarkable life. Expressions of sympathy can be expressed at: www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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# NORFLEET, CATHERINE SILVIA, 85

Ocala - Catherine Silvia Norfleet, age 85, passed away Wednesday, March 16, 2016 in Gainesville, Virginia. Catherine was born in Leesburg, Florida and grew up in the Lady Lake area, moving to Virginia nearly five years ago from Ocala, Florida. She graduated from Florida State University in 1952 with a bachelor's degree in Home Economics. Catherine later earned her teaching license and went on to teach at Davie Elementary School in Davie, Florida for over 30 years. Those close to Catherine will fondly remember her love of children and her kind and gentle manner. She was a beautiful seamstress and an excellent cook. She especially enjoyed making everyone's favorite pies. Most of all she was the ultimate Florida State Fan! She relished going to F.S.U. football games through the years with her late husband of 50 years, William Thomas Norfleet whom she met while they were students at the university. In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her daughter, Cheryl Lynn Norfleet Hussar. Survivors include her daughter, Ann Norfleet Bagg of Gainesville, VA; her sister, Virginia Cullison, of Ocala; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. A funeral service is planned for 11:00 AM - Friday, March 25, 2016 at the Page-Theus Funeral Home in downtown Leesburg, Florida. The family will receive friends an hour prior to the service from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM. The family asks that in lieu of floral tributes memorial contributions be made in Catherine's memory to the Old Davie School Historical Museum - 6650 Griffin Road, Davie Florida 33314. Condolences may be left for the family at www.pagetheus.com

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# PERCIVAL, DOLORES E.

Ocala - Dolores E. Percival passed away on March 16, 2016 in Ocala. She was born in Richwood, West Virginia to Newton and Della (nee, Groves) Painter and spent her adolescent years in Fernandina Beach, FL where she worked as a timekeeper at Rayonier, Inc. She was married for 68 years to Richard Percival and was a loving wife and mother who was very proud of her family. She played violin and piano and was active with the TOPS organization in Dayton, Ohio and the Elks Club and OTOW Sunshine Singers in Ocala. She enjoyed sewing, crafts, cooking, singing, dancing, card games, crossword puzzles, and watching the squirrels and birds on the bird feeder. She was predeceased by her brother, Denver Painter in January. She is survived by her husband, Richard; sons, Roger Newton (Penny) Percival and Richard Lee (Nancy) Percival; daughter, Sharon Adell (David) Caesar; grandchildren, Todd (Nichol Turner) Percival and, Jessica and Amanda Caesar. A donation in memory of Dolores to Legacy House, Hospice of Marion County would be appreciated. Services will be held on Monday, March 21, 2016, visitation from 1pm-2pm and funeral service at 2pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala.

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#### **ROBINSON, MARGARET HOLMES, 88**

Ocala - Margaret Holmes Robinson passed away on March 14, 2016 in Ocala. She was born on Edisto Island, SC, October 11, 1927, to Sarah Boykin Holmes and H. McGowan Holmes. She graduated from the University of South Carolina in 1948, where she was a member of Kappa Delta Sorority and Pi Gamma Mu International Honor Society in Social Sciences. She married Page Pendleton Robinson, Jr. in 1949. They lived in Sumter and Orangeburg, SC, before moving to Ocala in 1964. Page was then co-owner and executive vice president of three theme parks, including Six Gun Territory. In later life, Margaret assisted her husband in his property management business. Margaret was active in Grace Episcopal Church where she served on the altar guild, the vestry, Grace Church School Board, Grace's Prison Ministry, Daughters of the King and The Order of St. Luke. She traveled to many churches in NC, SC and FL with the Faith Alive movement. In 2009, she and her husband moved to Christ the King Anglican Church, where she was active in The Order of St. Luke, the Sunday prayer teams, and the emergency prayer chain. She was predeceased by husband, Page (August 2011). She is survived by her daughters, Deas Robinson Bohn and husband, Martin J. Bohn, Jr. of Tallahassee; Sarah Robinson and husband, Charles Sawyer of Apalachicola; son, Page Robinson III of Ocala; and sister, Ellen Holmes Wright of Columbia, SC. The memorial service will be held at Christ the King Anglican Church on Tuesday, March 22, 2016 at 2 p.m. with the Reverend Bo Ubbens officiating. Memorials may be made to Transitions Life Center or Christ the King Anglican Church or Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 20 to Mar. 21, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 22, 2016**

# JOHNSON, LINDA

Ocala - Linda Johnson, A celebration of life to honor Linda, who passed away on January 8, 2016 will be held by her family on March 26, 2016 at 3 p.m. at her home: 5 Almond Drive Lane, Ocala. All who knew her are invited to attend. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 21 to Mar. 22, 2016

# **ROMANO, GLORIA, 83**

Ocala - Gloria Romano, 83, of Ocala passed away at her home on Wednesday, March 16, 2016. Gloria was a native of Miami, Florida and moved to Ocala 24 years ago. She loved ballroom dancing, drawing, painting and gardening. Survivors include her husband of 34 years, Frank Romano; sons, Steven McKinley and Kenneth McKinley; daughters, Deborah Hill, Nadine Walters and Denise (Lane) Felty; sisters, Nellie Kish, Sylvia Doucette and Mary Bryant; brother, Tim Pinder; eight grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents, Violet and Wilber Pinder; brothers, Wilber Pinder and Jerry Pinder. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. There will be no services held at this time. Online condolences may be sent at hiers-baxley.com

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# WALDRON, BEVERLY JEAN, 84

Citra - Beverly Jean Waldron passed away at home on March 18, 2016. Born in Rock Springs, Wyoming, she moved to Marion County 28 years ago from Long Beach, CA. She was a mother and housewife. She was preceded in death by two children, Melissa and Scott. She is survived by her husband, Harold N. Waldron; son, Kyle Waldron, Citra; daughter, Lillian Waldron, Anthony; five grandchildren, Renee Andronczyk, Racine, WI; Margot Gilmore, Ocala, FL; Aimee Touchet, Ocala, FL; Michelle Lopez, Ocala, FL; and Amber Waldron, Tempe, AZ and twelve great-grandchildren. Beverly was an avid animal lover, especially her dogs, Cujo and Rose. She also loved to visit the local humane society to give the dogs a snack or a toy. She loved driving her Corvette and was a member of the local Corvette Club for many years. She enjoyed a good game of Cribbage with her husband Harold, scrabble, crossword puzzles, and playing word games on the computer. She also enjoyed visiting Florida parks and swimming in the natural springs, especially at Silver Glen. On nice cool days and evenings, it was typical to find Beverly out weeding her garden or tending her flowers. Some of her best times were spent visiting with her best friend Mary Alice enjoying a good cup of coffee and wonderful conversation. Special thanks to Care Time elderly care specialists. They were so kind and helpful to the entire family. Funeral service will be held at Noon, Tuesday, March 22, 2016, at Countryside Funeral Home Chapel, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd., Anthony, FL. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 23, 2016**

#### SHOPE, TERRY L., 74

Ocala - Terry L. Shope, 74, passed away March 11, 2016. A bread and cake vendor most of his working career. He retired after working 13 years for Publix. He is survived by his loving wife of 43 years, Barbara Shope; family and friends. He had a love for cats, hockey, trains and traveling. If desired, contributions may be made to The Marion County Humane Society or The American Cancer Society.

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# SMITH, BETTY JEAN, 64

Ocala - Betty Jean Smith, 64, passed away March 20, 2016. Born and raised in Ocala, FL on November 24, 1951 to Doyle and Betty Barrineau. She was a CNA in Nursing. She is preceded in death by her parents. She is survived by her loving husband, Willie Smith; son, Donald Joseph Bishop, of Calpepper, VA; two brothers; two sisters; granddaughter, Darlene Fulford; and great-grandchildren, Laighla Fulford, Kyle Wood, Taven Wood and Angela Bishop. Funeral Service will be 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 23, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with Pastor BJ Ford officiating. Visitation will one hour prior at 3:00 p.m.

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# TAYLOR, SYLVIA, 90

Ocala - Sylvia Taylor of Greenwood Lake, left us peacefully after 90 years of a wonderful life on Friday, March 18, 2016. The daughter of the late Gunnar and Ester Carlson, born on January 9, 1926 in Nyack, NY. She lived for many years in Oak Run

Ocala and attended Joy Lutheran Church. She was predeceased by her husband of 50 years, Calvin Taylor. She is survived by her loving family of children, Mark and his wife, Christina and Nancy Clifford and her husband, Jim, all of Greenwood Lake, NY, Susan Taylor of Ocklawaha, FL and Trish Kurnik and husband, Chuck of Longmont, CO. She is also survived by eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren with two on the way. Memorial contributions may be made to the Greenwood Lake Volunteer Ambulance Corp or to any Humane Society of your choice. Arrangements by Strong Basile Funeral Home 845-477-8240 or www.ocfuneralhomes.com

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# TRICE, MICHAEL ARTHUR, 63

Dunnellon - Michael Arthur Trice, 63, formerly of Miami, FL., passed away on Tuesday, March 15, 2016, after a brief illness. Michael was a loving son, brother and uncle. He was preceded in death by his father, Jack Arthur Trice and sister, Janice Trice Fry. Survivors include his mother, Marie Denny Rizzo; stepfather, Joseph Rizzo; sister, Debra Trice Fischer; brother-in-law, Dennis Fischer; nieces, Lisa Ellison and Kristina Rivera; and grand-niece, Alyssa Marie Rivera. Funeral arrangements provided by Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Condolences for the family may be left at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 24, 2016**

# **BURBRIDGE, CAROLYN, 96**

Ocala - Carolyn Burbridge, 96, of Ocala, passed away peacefully at her loving home on Sunday, March 20, 2016. Carolyn was born in Brooklyn, NY on December 31, 1919, and moved to Ocala in 1979 from Miami, FL. She was a military wife and mother, and devoted to her family. She also was a former beauty queen pagent contestant and a model for Macy's prior to meeting and marrying the love of her life in 1941. Carolyn was predeceased by her husband, Lt. Colonel Leo M. Burbridge in 2007. Survivors include her daughter, Carol (Robert) Feaster of Ocala; son, Robert Burbridge of Miami, and granddaughter, Kris Burbridge of Aurora, CO. Graveside services will be 1:00 pm, Wednesday, March 23, 2016 at Highland Memorial Park in Ocala. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 22 to Mar. 24, 2016

# JAMES, BERNARD W., 67

Ocala- Bernard W. James, age 67, passed away March 16, 2016 at his home after losing his battle with cancer. Mr. James is survived by his loving wife, Suzanne; four children, John Danio, James Danio, Joshua James, Erica Cridlebaugh; his sister, Ellie Jaciow and his uncle, George LaPointe. He also leaves behind four grandchildren, Max, Kendra, Aubrey and Michael. Bernie is a veteran of the Vietnam War, where he served in the army for four years. He grew up in Springfield, Massachusetts, the son of Therese LaPointe and Bernard James. He spent most of his career with the US Postal Service in Springfield and retired from there in 2003. He had great faith in God and selflessly cared

for those around him. He enjoyed coaching youth sports, playing golf and loved spending time with his grandchildren. He will be dearly missed by so many who will carry his exceptional spirit on with them. A Memorial Service will be held at 11:00 AM, Thursday, March 24, 2016 at Meadowbrook Church, 4741 SW 20 ST, Ocala, followed by a reception at 1:00 PM in the Arbor Club room G at On Top Of the World. He will be laid to rest at Mass Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Agawam, MA. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Interfaith Emergency Services Food Bank, 435 NW 2 St. Ocala, FL 34475. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 23 to Mar. 24, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 25, 2016**

# HERREID, RITA MARGARET, 96

Ocala - Rita Margaret Herreid, 96, passed away March 22, 2016 in Ocala, FL. She was born and lived in Yonkers, NY until she moved to Florida 14 years ago. She was an avid reader and enjoyed a game of poker and a good joke. She had a quick wit and good sense of humor. She loved to help and care for others. Rita was predeceased by her son, Ronnie, and daughter, Beverly. She is survived by her daughter, Eileen Tillery; grandchildren, Lynn Anne, Ronald, Eric, Jerry and David and great-grandchildren, Larissa, Lauren, Anton, Jacob, Joe, Mac, Nessa and James. Visitation will be held from 4-6pm on Monday, March 28, 2016 at Forest Lawn Funeral Home in Ocala. A viewing and funeral Mass will be on Tuesday, March 29, 2016 at 10:30am at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Burial will be in Yonkers, NY. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 24 to Mar. 25, 2016

# VICKERS, JR., NORMAN EARL, 60

Ocala - Mr. Norman Earl Vickers, Jr, age 60, transition to be with the heavenly father on March 18, 2016 at his residence. He was a former Fork Lift Operator for Cone's Distribution. He leaves to cherish his precious memories devoted children, son, Jeremy Vickers (Gayla), daughter, Joya Washington (Darvell), all of Ocala, Florida; mother, Mary Vickers; five grandchildren, Kamaria, Zylin, Darvell, Jr, Jayden, & Dorian; God children, Dan & Rena Day; sisters, Mary Robinson, Sandra Smith; brothers, Bobby Vickers, Johnny Vickers, Henry Brown, all of Ocala, FL, Norman Fryer, Headland, AL. Funeral Services for Mr. Norman E. Vickers, Jr. will be held 11:00 AM on Saturday, March 26, 2016 at Greater Hopewell MBC, Dr. Edward Bland, Pastor, Minister Darvell Washington, Eulogist. Visitation will be held at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home on Friday, March 25, 2016 from 3:00 PM until 7:00PM under the caring direction of J. Hadley Funeral Home & Staff.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 26, 2016**

# **GRZYBOWSKI, LORI J., 61**

Ocala - Lori J. Grzybowski, 61, passed away on Tuesday, March 22, 2016 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala. Lori was a devoted animal lover and spoiled her pets. She enjoyed cooking, baking and arts and crafts. Survivors include her husband of 40 years,

Gary Grzybowski; brothers, Robert Tiggemann and Donald Schmoeger (Brenda); sister, Janice Ryba (John). She is preceded in death by parents, Robert and Lois Tiggemann; and stepmother, Dorothea Link. A visitation will be held Saturday, March 26, 2016 from 10 AM- 12 PM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL. A funeral service will follow at 12 PM. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Humane Society of Marion County, www.thehsmc.org. Online condolences may be sent at hiers-baxley.com.

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# **MULLINS, DONALD, 74**

Citra - Donald Ray Mullins, 74, of Citra, Fla., formerly of Proctorville, Ohio, passed away Saturday, March 19. 2016. Born November 6, 1941, he was the son of the late Ersel Mullins and Maxine Wellman Mullins Hicks. Also preceding him in death was one brother, Willis 'Joe' Mullins; and one nephew, Donald Seligh. He was a retired owner of W&D Trucking. Donald enjoyed gardening, roosters, fishing and coon hunting. Survivors include his companion, Rita Fannin of Citra; and her daughter, Sherri Tedder; children, Kirby (Annette) Mullins, Kelli Mullins, Doug (Sabrena) Mullins, Toby (Misty) Mullins, Jonathan (Amber) Mullins, Kara Mullins; and a very special niece, Cassie Seligh; grandchildren, Kirby Mullins II, Corey Mullins, Brittany (Ben) Dalton, Brett Sorrell, Brooke Mullins, Baylee Mullins, Jacob Mullins, Jarrett Mullins, Savanna Jerrels, Ava Mullins, and Reese Mullins; one great-grandchild, Carson Dalton; siblings, Louise (Dale) Wright and Wendell Barry (Brenda) Mullins; his special pet, his dog Abby, and a host of nieces, nephews, other family and friends. A celebration of life will be Saturday, March 26, 2016 at 1:00 pm at 1275 NE 71st Lane Ocala, FL 34479.

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# **OLIVER SR., MAX W., 76**

Ocala - Max W. Oliver Sr., 76, died March 18, 2016 in Ocala, Florida of natural causes. Born on August 13, 1939 in Hodges, AL, he married Sandi (deceased) in 1964 and together they raised a family of four. They moved to Florida in 1979 where Max worked for T.G. Lee as the 'Ice Cream Guy' for just shy of 20 years. He then held several different wholesale/transit jobs until he landed with Marion Transit in 2002 and worked there until retirement in 2010. Max never met a stranger and was always willing to lend a helping hand. He was a devout Christian and if you knew him, you knew his love of the Lord. Max rests in peace with the Father, now. Max leaves behind two daughters, Krystal Giordano, Tampa, FL, and Dawn Reese, Lake Worth, FL; son, Max W. Oliver Jr, Belleview FL; grandchildren, Vincent DeRasmo, Boynton Beach, FL, Nicole Giordano, Tampa, FL, Sarah Mahoney, Ocala, FL, Jeffery Roach, Sanford FL, Emily Oliver, Ocala FL and, Andrew Reese, Lake Worth, FL; great-grandchildren, Kristen Mahoney, Samantha Mahoney, Sasha Mahoney and KC Mahoney; brothers, Lee Oliver, Minneola, FL, Hugh Oliver, Alexandria, VA; and sisters, June Capron, Hopewell, VA and Linda Duty, Brunswick, OH, and friends too numerous to mention. Visitation will be held from 10am to noon at Forest Lawn Funeral Home on Saturday, March 26, 2016 with a Funeral service at 12pm. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 25 to Mar. 26, 2016

# RYAN, RITA CLAIRE (SASSEVILLE), 89

Dunnellon - Rita Claire (Sasseville) Ryan, 89, of Dunnellon, loving wife of the late Richard Ryan passed away peacefully on March 22, 2016 at Silvia's House Hospice. Rita was born March 25, 1927 in New Bedford, MA., daughter of the late Odina and Calixte Sasseville. Rita is survived by her loving niece, Linda Fagan and husband, John; and grand nephew, Peter Fagan and wife, Terri as well as nephews, Robert Trombley and wife, Debby, and Douglas Trombley and wife, Betty; a sister in law, Jean Ryan; a number of grand nieces and nephews; god child, Elaine Sheerin; best friend, Kaye Reed. She was a longtime parishioner of St. Johns Catholic church, Dunnellon. A visitation will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel 6241 SW SR 200 in Ocala on Saturday, March 26, 2016 from 3-5 PM. A funeral mass will be on Monday, March 28, 2016 at St. John's Catholic Church at 10am. This will be followed by burial at Florida National Cemetery. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 25 to Mar. 26, 2016

# ZIEGLER, TRACI ELAINE, 50

Ocala - Traci Elaine Ziegler, age 50, RN, of Athens, AL joined her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and her parents Roger E. and Judith Elaine Ziegler, in heaven on March 22, 2016. A devoted daughter, Traci lived her life for God, her mother and father, family and friends. Her gentle, kind, loving manner allowed her to befriend all she met, though in the past months she was limited in her abilities to serve others, her giving nature continued to shine through. Traci was born in Ocala, Florida on October 31, 1965, to the late Roger E. Ziegler and Judith Elaine Ziegler. She was a member of Mt Pisgah Baptist Church in Athens for over five years. Traci is preceded in death by her parents, Roger and Judith Elaine Ziegler; numerous aunts and uncles and cousins. She is survived by her aunt, Janie (Wayne) of Lakeland, FL; uncle, Terrell (Kathy) Simmons of Maryville, TN; uncle, Roger (Willa) Simmons of Ocala, FL; uncle, Keith (Nancy) Simmons of Hope, Ark; aunt, Jeanne Ziegler of Ocala, FL; aunt, Marilyn Ziegler of Cheyenne, WY; aunt, Dianna Simmons of Ocala, FL; aunt, Carolyn Simmons of Elkmont, AL; and numerous cousins. Visitation will be Friday; 6-9 P.M. at McConnell Funeral Home in Athens, AL. Funeral Services will be Saturday, March 26, 2016 at 11 A.M. at Mt. Pisgah Baptist church on Alabama 99 with Dr. Juaken Dumas officiating. She will lie in state from 10-11 A.M. Believing there is some good in all, Traci lived her life 'Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. 'Eph. 4:2 In lieu of flowers the family request donations are made in Traci's memory to Disabled Veterans of America or to the American Cancer Society.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 27, 2016**

# MAIN, GLADYS MAE, 98

Ocala - Mrs. Gladys Mae Main, went on to be with the Lord on March, 23, 2016. She was born in Lancaster, PA on July 14, 1917. Gladys was a retired Inspector for RCA Television. She moved to this area in 1978 from Conestoga, PA. She is predeceased from her husband, Samuel, of 24 years. Gladys is survived by three sons, Donald Hake and wife, Maureen of Ocala, FL; Ray Hake of Lancaster, PA; George Hake of GA, and

Dennis Hake of Lancaster, PA; one daughter, Darlene Welch of Lancaster, PA; one brother, George Wiley of York, PA, and a daughter-in-law, Susan Hake of York, PA. Gladys was a member of Timberridge Church in Ocala, FL She was an avid knitter and crotchetier. A visitation will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel 6241 SW SR 200 (352) 854-2266 on Monday March 28th from 9-10AM with a funeral service to follow at 10AM. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 26 to Mar. 27, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 28, 2016**

# **BERRYMAN, BARBARA J., 85**

Ocala - Barbara J. Berryman, 85, of Ocala, passed away on Friday, March 25, 2016. Funeral services will be Thursday, March 31, 2016, at 10:00 am at Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala. Burial will be in Texas. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala, FL (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# CANNADAY, MARTIN L.

Dunnellon - Martin was born in the depression of the thirties into a large family of three sisters and three brothers. All three sisters preceded him in death, as did two brothers, his mother and father. His father was a country preacher, so the family moved often, finally to Kirksville, Missouri where he went to junior high, senior high, and eventually college, where he received a B.S. degree in Education with majors in Physical Education and English. As a high school football player, he acquired some success, and received a football scholarship to play for Kirksville State. Before graduating, he enlisted in the Army Air Corps, ending up in Japan on occupation duty. After discharge he came back to Kirksville, married his childhood sweetheart, finished college, then moved wife and daughter to Marthasville, MO. There he taught high school English, Physical Education, baseball, softball and basketball. In 1950, the family moved to Mexico where for nine years he coached all sports and taught English before taking a job with A.P. Green Firebrick Company. He worked in Industrial Relations for five years, leaving to join the Federal Bureau of Investigation (F.B.I.) He served for twenty plus years with distinction and was decorated numerous times. He became a firearms instructor and served in that capacity for over seventeen years. He retired in 1984, opened a Private Investigator Firm, and closed this firm in 1996. He then moved to Rainbow Springs, located in Dunnellon, FL. He and wife Betty are the parents of Sheila Jean Winters of McIntosh, FL, Martin Jay Cannaday of Glen St.Mary, FL, and grandparents to Daniel M. O'Bryan, Timothy O'Bryan, and Madison Lynn O'Bryan. Memorial Services for Mr. Cannaday will be held at 11 AM on Tuesday, March 29, 2016, at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave, Dunnellon, FL, with Pastor Eddie Fulford officiating. His remains will then be placed in Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Condolences may be left for the family at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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# HARVELL, DALE, 45

Ocala - Dale Harvell, age 45, passed suddenly on March 14, 2016 He is survived by his loving family, father, Dan; mother, Jackie; brother, Danny; and sisters, Angie and Roxanne. He will be dearly missed. A gathering in celebration of Dale's beautiful life is being held on April 9, 2016 at noon, at his work/farm. Please no flowers. Location: Vintage Cattle Company Farm 4020 SE 3rd Ave. Ocala, FL. 34480 (on CR475 south of Hobby Horse)

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# KEITH, JEFFREY M., 46

Ocala - Jeffrey M. Keith, 46, passed away March 6, 2016. Born December 31, 1969 in Peoria, IL to James Michael Keith and Sandra Lee Herberer Keith. He moved here from Pekin, IL 28 years ago and worked as a power hand for cell phone companies. Jeffrey was an avid NASCAR fan, adrenaline junky, and always enjoyed traveling and taking adventures. He is survived by his parents, Jim and Sandy; Joanie Keith; sons, Joshua Keith, Thomas Keith and sisters, Jodi Peterson, Joni Keith, Jeni Laux, Jerri Paul and Jill Lusher. Memorial Service will be 1:00 p.m., Sunday, April 3, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with Pastor Mark Cummins.

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# MILLER, ROBIN BREWER VARRO, 55

Morriston - Robin Brewer Varro Miller, 55, resident of Morriston, FL, left her earthly home to be with her Lord and Savior on February 19, 2016, at Shands Hospital in Gainesville, Florida. Born November 28, 1960, in Niagra Falls, NY, to Franklin A. Brewer and Karen Burnworth Brewer. Robin lived all over the world with her military father and finally settled in Opelika, AL, to complete her growing up years. She married Thomas E. Miller on April 19, 1996 and they lived in Florida most of their married years. Robin was a long-time faithful member of Living Water Life Center in Morriston, FL and leaves behind Pastors Dana and Callie Fields and many beloved brothers and sisters in the Lord. Robin worked at Closetmaid/Emerson Corp in Ocala, FL for the past 17 years and leaves behind many wonderful acquaintances and friends. Robin is predeceased by her father, Franklin A. Brewer; father-in-law, Kenneth Thomas Miller and grandparents, Neal (Elizabeth) Burnworth and John Reynolds (Lilian Ruth) Brewer. Robin is survived by her loving husband, Thomas E. Miller of nearly 20 years; sons, Aaron Tanner Brewer of the United States Army, William Troy Varro of the United States Marine Corps; stepdaughter, Nicole E. (Adrian C.) Garcia; grandchildren, Aaliyha G. Garcia, Jasmine L. Garcia, Adrian J. Garcia Jr. She is also survived by mother, Karen Burnworth Brewer; stepmother Charlotte Schehty-Brewer, mother-in-law, Pansy Greene, identical twin sister, Wendy Brewer; brother, John N. (Janet) Brewer; sister-in-law, Patricia D. Storey; brother-in-laws John David Greene, Charles R. Miller, Chad Miller and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins. Memorial Services will be held on April 2, 2016, at 3 PM at Living Water Life Center, 6491 SE 123rd Terrace, Morriston, FL 32668, with pastors Dana and Callie Fields 352-489-0366. In lieu of flowers, Robin requested that memorials be made to Living Water Life Center Ministry or the Living Water Life Center Food Bank in honor of Robin Miller.

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# PENLAND, MARK E., 53

Ocala - Mark E. Penland of Ocala passed away March 23, 2016. He was born on March 14, 1963. He was an Air Force Veteran receiving the Commendation Medal with two devices, Meritorious Service Medal with three devices, and Air Force Achievement Medal with six devices. Mark is survived by his mother, Carol Hoffman; brother, John Penland (Lynn); daughter, Alisha Kowsky (Dave); grandson, Trenton; son, Jeffrey Penland (Kimber); grandson, Samuel; daughters, Kristen Penland, and Brenda Penland; stepson, Mason Buck; wife, Michelle Dinkins-Penland. Mark enjoyed grilling, camping, and spending time with his various farm animals and enjoyed his back yard. A memorial service with be held at the home of Kathryn Dinkins on Monday, March 28, 2016 at noon.

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# STROMME, MSG HOWARD C., RET., 92

Ocala - MSG Howard C. Stromme, Ret. of Ocala, FL, passed away on March 24, 2016 at the age of 92. He is survived by his wife, Carol, nee Aarestad; two daughters, Cheryl and Lois; three grandchildren, and one great grandchild. Howard was a proud veteran of the United States Army and was the recipient of a Bronze Star and Purple Heart. A graveside service will be held at Fort Snelling National Cemetery at a date and time to be determined.

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# THURGALAND, SANDRA JEAN BURGESS, 54

Ocala - Sandra Jean Burgess Thurgaland, 54, of Ocala, Flor-ida, passed away on Saturday March 19, 2016 after a short battle with ALS. She was able to be at home surrounded by family. Sandy was born in St. Mary's, PA on September 27, 1961. She was the third child of Eileen K. (Weisner) and Richard F. Burgess. Sandy is preceded in death by her parents, Richard and Ei-leen Burgess. She is survived by her daughter, Jessica Pritchett Tor-res (William); son, Paul Pritch-ett (Christine Krumm); grand-sons, William and Alexander Jean Torres; siblings, Barbara Byrd (Harry), Christine Bur-gess, Andy Burgess and Jean Schore (Ted); nieces and nephews, Meghan McKendree (Diego), Carson McKendree (Jena), Sarah Schore, Eva Schore and Grace Schore; and the family cat, Thomas Jeffer-son. The family wishes to extend their gratitude to Hospice of Marion County and the ALS Association of Florida Chapter. Memorial service will be held at First United Methodist Church, Ocala on Saturday April 2, 2016 at 4:30 pm. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 27 to Mar. 28, 2016

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# COOK, MARIAM KATIBA, 85

Mariam Katiba Cook, 85, educator-counselor, died Thursday, March 24, 2016, in her sleep at Hospice's Legacy House following a long, debilitating illness. An Ocala native, she was born December 4, 1930, and raised on her family's farm in the Shady community south of Ocala and lived there most of her life, vigorously defending this primarily agricultural area against unwanted development. Mariam was a founding member of Shasta, a conservation group dedicated to preventing excessive development of the Shady

community and the promotion of scenic roads and trails in Shady as well as other Marion County areas. With others, Mariam lobbied hard to help win approval of the county's scenic road ordinance. She was a member of numerous other conservation-minded organizations, locally as well as nationally, but her main objective was saving the Shady area from over-development. She was so sincere and even-handed in her efforts that she earned the respect of some of her opponents. She served for many years on the Citizens Advisory Committee of the county's Transportation Planning Committee, representing the Shady area. She supported good transportation planning all of her life as long as it included bike and recreational trails and reasonable mass transit opportunities. The only daughter of the late A.J. and Audrey Mulkey Katiba, she was educated in Ocala schools and was a member of the Ocala High School band. She earned a bachelor degree at Stetson University in DeLand where she received the highest academic honors and special commendation for academic achievement. Her studies for a graduate degree at the University of Pennsylvania were interrupted by the death of her father. She later earned a master's degree in education from the University of Florida. Her teaching career began at Ocala High School in the early 1950's with English as her primary subject. She was held in high regard by of her students and retained a close friendship with some of them throughout her life. From Ocala High, she taught English at Central Florida Community College where she also taught English. She moved to Tallahassee in 1968 and joined the state department of vocational rehabilitation, working with Goodwill clients. On returning to Ocala in 1979, she continued to work with vocational rehabilitation clients in Ocala and Bushnell, serving as a supervisor for a period of time before retiring. In retirement, she worked with First Call for Help at United Way for several years. Raised a Baptist, Marion became a member of First Presbyterian Church, with her husband, in the early 1950s. She later would follow her husband as a teacher in the Blakely Sunday School class, retiring only because of her health. Her teaching was marked by extensive preparation from the Bible, various learned commentaries and life experiences. She is survived by her husband of 61 years, David Cook, a historian and retired editor of the Star-Banner, and four daughters, Dana Smith, Maclyn Walker, Lisa Cook and Lori Rath, all of Ocala; seven grandchildren, and seven great grandchildren. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 31, at the First Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. Darren Bess in charge. Funeral arrangements are by Baldwin Brothers. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 28 to Mar. 29, 2016

# **MOSLEY, STEPHEN GARY, 74**

Ocala - Stephen Gary Mosley, 74, of Ocala, passed away on Thursday, March 24, 2016. Steve was born in Ocala, the son of Joseph H. Mosley and Anita Goldman Mosley. He spent his entire life in Ocala, working in the automobile business, enjoying time outdoors, and entertaining family and friends with stories and songs. Steve's work in the car business included time at Ocala Ford Motors, Ocala Lincoln Mercury, and Ralley Wheels, as well as the co-ownership of Mosley Boys Auto Sales. Steve is survived by his wife of 48 years, Estella Jane Martin Mosley and his five children, Stacy Mosley (Ocala); Layna Mosley and her husband, Andrew Reynolds (Chapel Hill, NC); Brandon Mosley and his wife, Cheryl Fulton Mosley (Ponte Vedra Beach, FL); Darian Mosley (Weirsdale, FL); and Bronson Mosley (Ocala, FL). Steve leaves behind nine grandchildren; they will deeply miss their Grandpa Gator. He also is survived by his sister, Sandra Mosley Calhoon (Lexington, SC). He was predeceased by his brother, William Goldman Mosley (Ocala, FL). All are welcome at a memorial to be held on Wednesday, March 30, 2016, 2:00pm, at the Ocala Golf Club, located at 3130 E. Silver Springs Boulevard, Ocala, Florida 34470. Family will receive friends at the Ocala Golf Club beginning at 1:30pm. In lieu of flowers, the Mosley Family requests that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL 34474.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 30, 2016**

# POOLE, JR., LESTER BERTRAM, 95

Ocala - Lester Bertram Poole, Jr., 95, of Ocala passed away March 21, 2016. Born in Marlborough, MA he came to this area many years ago. He was a retired house painter and a US Coast Guard Veteran where he served for 12 years. He was preceded in death by his parents, Lester B. and Freda M (Dawes) Poole, Sr.; his wife, Mildred Poole; and his brother, Laurance K. Poole. He is survived by his sister, Audrey L. Nowick of Ocala and close friend, Walter Perkins of Ocklawaha. Mr. Poole will be interred with his wife at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave. Ocala 622-4141.

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# WOOD, ROLAND PETE, 84

Ocala - Roland Pete Wood, 84, passed away peacefully at home on March 16, 2016. Elly, his loving wife of 57 years, was at his side. Pete had just received the great honor of being inducted into the National Appaloosa Hall of Fame for his many years of devoted service to and in promotion of the Appaloosa horse. Through the years, he raised and trained many champion horses in the United States. He was a carded judge of Appaloosa horses for 55 years. In addition, he judged several other breeds. Pete was also a nationally known artist. His portfolio includes many fine equine portraits which hang in private homes throughout the United States. He is survived by his wife, Elly; son, Martin Wood; stepson, Danny Wilson; sisters, June Keisted, Gail Kope and several nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his son, Mitchell Wood and two brothers, Kenneth and Owen Wood. A celebration of his life and accomplishments will take place April 2, 2016 at 1:00pm at their home in Ocala.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, March 31, 2016**

#### AMSLER, FRANK A., 89

Summerfield - Frank A. Amsler, age 89, of Summerfield, FL passed away on Saturday, March 26, 2016. He was born in Greensboro, IN on September 13, 1926. Frank served in the US Army during WWII. After his military service Frank met and married Mary E. Blankert. They were married for 68 years. He was employed as a Tool and Die worker for 35 years. He was a Lifetime member of the DAV, American Legion and VFW. He was also Protestant. During his life, Frank became an expert shot with pistols and participated in many competitions earning numerous trophies and awards. He also loved to play cards. He would help anybody at anytime. He is survived by his wife, Mary E. Amsler of Summerfield, FL; sons, William F. Amsler of Summerfield, FL and Robert H. Amsler of Orlando, FL; daughter, Mary Ann Walker and her husband, John of Bremen, IN; two grandchildren; four great grandchildren and a varied foster family. A memorial service with military honors will take place at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL on Monday, April 4, 2016 at 11am. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to any charitable organization that assists animals or the needy.

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# **MOTES, MELVEN VERNON, 93**

STOW, OHIO - Melven Vernon Motes passed away Sunday, March 27, 2016 at the age of 93. He was born in Hickory Plains, Arkansas to the late Isaac J. and Rosa M. Motes. Mel was a US Naval veteran and served proudly as a member of the Seabees during World War II. He retired in 1984 from his position as a Regional Credit Manager ending a 30 year career with Sears Roebuck & Co. He and his late wife, Arnetta Thomason Motes, were able to enjoy a 53 year marriage and 30 of those years were spent in their retirement home in Ocala, Florida. Melven was raised in the Church of Christ and in March 2005 renewed his relationship with God being baptized by his brother, Pastor Alton Motes. His personality was larger than life. He never met a stranger and loved nothing more than the joy of bringing laughter and smiles to all those he met. 'Don't sweat the small stuff' was his motto and he actually lived it. He was a model of positive thinking. In his eyes, everyday is a new day and you could make it a good day or a bad day; the choice is all up to you. He is survived by his brothers, Ivan, Alton, and Robert Motes; daughters, Elaine (Ken) Barnes, Renee (Dave) Telling; sons, Wayne (Linda) Motes, Darrell Motes, Scott (Denise) Motes; grandchildren, Kim, Melanie, Bret, Brian, Darrell Jr., Adam, Westin, Trevor and their families. Pastor Jim Case will conduct service Thursday, 11 AM at Redmon Funeral Home in Stow, OH, where friends may call from 9 AM until service time. Burial will be at Ohio Western Reserve National Cemetery, Rittman OH at 1:00 P.M. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 30 to Mar. 31, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 1, 2016**

# BOGGS, SR., CECIL GUY, 97 LT CDR, USN (RET)

Dunnellon - LCDR Cecil G. Boggs, Sr., 97, of Dunnellon, husband of Shirley Randle Boggs and the late Jane Gulley Boggs, passed away at home on Tuesday, March 29, 2016 at home under Hospice care. Born in Marion County, N. C., son of John Henry Boggs and Hester Eva Suttles, Cmdr Boggs was a member of the Letterman's Club at Newberry College in Newberry, S. C., a Plank Owner of the U. S. Navy Memorial, a Charter member of the WWII Museum and a lifetime member of the American Legion. Surviving in addition to his wife, are Cecil G. Boggs, Jr. (Louise) of Cocoa, FL, Mrs. John P. Crovato,(Elizabeth H.), Dunnellon, Frank Henry Boggs (Regina) of Hagerstown, MD; six grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Cecil entered active Naval Service from Newberry College in December 1941. After flight training in Pensacola, FL, and advanced aircraft carrier training in Miami, FL, reported for duty as a Naval Aviation

Cadet in May 1942. He served aboard the following ships: The USS Essex with Air Group 9 as a dive bomber pilot, The USS Mt. Olympus as Air Officer for the Commander of the Third Amphibious Force Pacific and the USS Coral Sea as the Naval Air Intelligence Officer. Among his duties aboard the Essex and the MT. Olympus he participated in the following engagements with the Japanese both on the surface and in the air Marcus Island, Wake Island, Rabaul, raid and battle on the Marshalls, raid on Kwajalein, Tarawa, Truk, Siapan, Leyte Gulf Amphibious Landing and the battle of Leyte Gulf, Linguayion Gulf and to Tokyo for the signing of the Japanese Surrender. He was a shipmate of Admiral Richard Byrd and a volunteer with him to inspect and report on the Atomic Bomb damage to Hiroshima-Nagasaki. He flew numerous combat missions and returned to his carrier after one of these missions with over 100 holes in his aircraft. It was beyond repair but he was given a new aircraft upon his return to Pearl Harbor. Neither he nor his gunner suffered any injuries. He continued his Federal Service with the Office of Naval Intelligence, Naval Investigative Service. as a Special Agent. In this capacity, he investigated security, criminal and subversive activities over en extended period of time and was awarded the Meritorious Service Medal. One assignment during this time was as the Special Agent personally in charge of President John F. Kennedy when he visited Cape Canaveral in November 1963. The President was there to board a ship and go into the Atlantic Ocean to observe a rocket being launched from a submarine. This was a few days before the President was assassinated. He retired as a Supervising Special Agent In 1978. Memorial Contributions can be made to Kindred at Home-Hospice: 311 SE 17th Place, Ocala, FL 34471 or First United Methodist Church at 21501 W HWY 40, Dunnellon, FL 34431. Funeral Services will be held on Friday, April 1, 2016 at 11:00 AM at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon. His family will be receiving relatives and friends one hour prior to funeral service. Burial will follow at 1:30 PM at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell with full military honors. Condolences can be left for the family at robertsofdunnellon.com

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#### DAMM, ANNA CECILIA, 85

Ocala - Anna Cecilia Damm of Ocala, Florida passed away on March 28, 2016 at the age of 85. She was born Anna Cecilia Flaherty, child of Joseph and Catherine Flaherty. Anna (Ann) was a homemaker and known for her humor, bingo play, easy going attitude, and going to Church. She enjoyed time with her family and loved visiting her grandchildren over holidays and summer vacations. Ann was originally from New York and met and married the love of her life, Robert (Bob) Henry Damm. The couple had four children Eileen (Emmett) Dowling, Robert (Tracy) Damm, Matthew (Yvonne) Damm, and Daniel (Dannielle) Damm. Bob preceded Ann in death. Ann is survived by her children and their spouses; eight grandchildren Jeffery (Bianca), Cloe, Kennedy, Emily, Jennifer, Austin, Matthew and Kyla; and great-grandchild Tripp. Ann lived a full and happy life and will be missed dearly by all. Service will be held on Friday at Queen of Peace Catholic Church at 8:30 AM, with committal service in Jacksonville, Florida on Saturday April 2, 2016. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

#### **DOWELL-SASSANO, JULIA FLORENCE, 92**

Ocala - Julia Florence Dowell-Sassano, passed away on Saturday, March 26, 2016 in Ocala, FL. She was born in Brooklyn, New York on September 29, 1923 to James and Julia McDermott-Mallon. Mrs. Dowell is survived by many nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held on Monday, April 4, 2016 from 5-7PM at Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce East Chapel, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL 34471, with Cryptside services on Tuesday, April 5, 2016 at 1PM at Highland Memorial Park Mausoleum, 1515 NE 3rd Street, Ocala, FL 34470. In lieu of flowers friends may contribute to their favorite charity in memory of Mrs. Dowell.

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#### **GLOVER, SHANDA SHITEA, 27**

Ocala - Shanda Shitea Glover was born on July 4, 1988 in Ocala, FL. She leaves to cherish her memories her mother, Evelyn; sisters, Keisha (Chris) Holloman, Sidney Glover and Latorya Brown; grandparents, Sarah Glover and Shirley Jones; and a host of sorrowing family and friends. A wake service will be on Thursday 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at Mt. Pisgah AME Church, Summerfield, FL; visitation will be on Friday from 10:00 a.m.- 5:30 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry, 5791 SE 23rd Lane, Ocala, FL. Services for Shanda Glover will be held on Saturday, April 2, 2016; 11:00 a.m. at Mt. Zion AME Church, Ocala, FL. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry 'Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade'

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# **KENWORTHY, MARILYN J., 73**

Anthony -- Marilyn Kenworthy, age 73, passed away on Sunday, March 13, 2016, at Sylvia's Hospice in Ocala, FL. She was born December 19, 1942, in Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, the daughter of the late Kenneth W. Robb and Mary Ellen Rosser Robb. Raised in Montreal, Marilyn and her childhood friend, Sherill, decided to move to the States after high school graduation, and came to work in South Florida in 1962. She and Steve married in 1974 and moved from Fort Lauderdale to north central Florida in 1978. Barely two years later, the couple, together with Marilyn's then-teenage son, Ken, founded Dreams Come True Farm in the town of Sparr, FL, where they focused on breeding show and racehorses, as well as foaling and lay-ups. In 1989, they launched Big Sun Equine Products in Ocala. Marilyn served as President of the family-owned and operated business that meets the needs of horse owners throughout the area. Driven by her love of horses and desire to serve others. Marilyn was a longtime member of the Florida Thorobred Fillies, an Ocala-based charity active in the local Thoroughbred horse industry, and at one time served as director of the organization. A devoted animal lover, Marilyn was passionate about helping animals in need, and over the years, she opened her heart and home to many cats and dogs. She loved nature and the Smoky Mountains, in particular, so this became a favorite destination as she and Steve filled their life together with many cherished vacation memories. Marilyn's heart lay close to home. She loved her Savior, her family and her church. Her wise, kind words and heart-felt prayers made a difference in the lives of more people than she probably realized. In her quiet, unassuming way, she reached out, shared her testimony and invited others to find the peace she found in her faith. Whenever she helped someone else -which was often -- her request was always that they do the same in kind for another person. Despite a hardfought, four-year battle with lung cancer, Marilyn rarely missed church over that entire time. Her courage and faith served as a living example of what she believed, through both good times and trials. Marilyn was preceded in death by her parents, Kenneth and Mary Robb. She is survived by her beloved husband of 42 years, Stephen (Steve) Kenworthy of Anthony, FL; her son and daughter-in-law, Ken and Karen Aldrich of Ocala, FL; grandchildren, Katelyn and Austin of Ocala, FL; stepson, Stephen S. Kenworthy of Nashville, TN; and lifelong best friend of 62 years, Sherill McMaster of Middleburg, FL. A celebration of life service will be held on Saturday, April 2, 2016 at 11 a.m. at Meadowbrook Church in Ocala with Pastors Tim Gilligan and Ron Howard officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made in Marilyn's honor to Hospice of Marion County and Meadowbrook Church.

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# **KLEPPINGER, RICHARD 'DICK' ARTHUR, 69**

Ocala - Richard 'Dick' Arthur Kleppinger, 69, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, March 29, 2016 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala. Dick was born in Bethlehem, PA and moved to Ocala in 2001 from Virginia. Dick was of the Masinonic Jewish Faith and an Army Veteran and loved his family and enjoyed reading his Bible and doing puzzles. He is preceded in death by his son, Jason Kleppinger. Dick is survived by his wife, Carolyn Kleppinger of Ocala; son, Matthew Kleppinger of VA; son, Redford 'Lee' Boyd of FL; daughter, Heather Hammond of FL; daughter, Cheryl Miller of VA; daughter, Christina Curry of PA; brother, Eugene Kleppinger of KY; sister, Gloria Huizenga of PA; 22 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. The family will be celebrating Dick's life on Thursday, March 31, 2016 at 2:00 PM at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Arrangements by Knauff Funeral Home, Williston, FL

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# LEWIS, SR., AMOS ALFRED, 82

Ocala - Deacon Amos Alfred Lewis, Sr., 82 of Ocala transitioned on Tuesday, March 22, 2016 at home with his family. Preceded in death by his parents, Arthur Lewis and Martha Calhoun. He was born July 20, 1933. He graduated from Howard Academy High and FAMU. He leaves to cherish his memory, a loving wife of 56 years, Noisettia Delores; three sons, Douglas P. Lewis, Amos (Tonya) Lewis, Jr, Edward Lewis; two daughters, Sheila (Willie) Floyd; Bernita Lewis; brothers, Cornell (Mazie) Lewis, Elay (Geneva) Lewis; 10 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. The Celebration of Life will be Saturday, April 2, 2016, 1:00 PM at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Edward Bland, Pastor; Rev. Richard Howard, Eulogist. Visitation on Friday, April 1, 2016 from 10:00 AM to 5:30 PM at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements 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, April 2, 2016**

BAKER, MARY C., 93

Ocala - Mary C. Baker 93, a former employee of New York Life Insurance Company, died on March 24, 2016. She was a native of Tampa, Florida, but moved to Ocala in 1974 from New York. She was preceded in death by her husband, William A. Baker. She leaves to cherish her memories a sister, Dorothy L. Carter; nieces; nephews; and a host of other relatives and loyal friends. Services for Mary Baker will be held at The New Cunningham Funeral Home on Monday, April 4, 2016 at 11 am. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 1 to Apr. 2, 2016

#### BROWN, JACQUELYN ROCHELLE (JACKIE), 53

Ocala - Jacquelyn Rochelle (Jackie) Brown, 53, passed away March 26, 2016. Life Celebration for Ms. Brown will be held on Saturday, April 2, 2016, 1pm at House of God Keith Dominion, 2830 NW 27th Avenue, Ocala, Florida, Reverend Harold Franklin-Pastor. Reverend Winston Dawson will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Brown's residence (200 SE 35th Street, Ocala, Florida) at 12:15pm on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Ms. Brown leaves to cherish her precious memories sons, Travis Brewton, Branden Brewton; Stepson, Terrance Brewton; mother, Catherine Ann Brown; sisters, Deanna Wofford(Alijah), Carla Brown, Carol Singletary(Charlie); brothers, Michael Brown (Tanya), Kenneth Brown, Rodney Brown (Panzi); Godson, Andrew Williams, Jr.; caretakers and friends, Robbie Johnson and Donna Camden, and her Antioch Church Family; 19 nieces & nephews, 30 great nieces & nephews, one great grand niece and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and sorrowing friends. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Mar. 31 to Apr. 2, 2016

#### NAKU, VIRGIL, 89

Ocala - Virgil Naku, 89, a resident at On Top of the World, passed away suddenly on Monday, March 28, 2016. His wife of 59 years, Friederike, died in 2007. Mr. Naku was born December 17, 1926 in Romania and immigrated to Germany prior to World War II. Following the war, he began his career as a machinist working for the railroad in Germany. In 1956, Mr. Naku moved with his wife and two young sons to the United States in New York State. He went to work at Precision Valve Corporation, a global manufacturing company, where he was an inventor, designer and engineer. Upon his retirement, after a career spanning more than 30 years at Precision Valve, he held the position of Vice President, Engineering. Mr. Naku was a devoted husband and father and had a lifelong love of sports. An accomplished athlete and photographer as a young man, in his later years he loved to hunt, fish, play golf and watch his beloved New York Yankees. Mr. Naku is survived by his two sons, Klaus Naku and his wife, Susan of Raleigh, NC; and Rolf D. Naku and his wife, Margaret of Wayne, PA; his five grandchildren, Kristina Nusskern, Peter Naku, Kathryn Chernak, Kelly Naku and Erin Naku; and six great-grandchildren. Memorial Mass will be held at 8:30 a.m. On Friday, April 8, 2016 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW State Rd 200, Ocala, FL 34476. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations may be made to Queen of Peace Catholic Church. In memory of Virgil Naku, condolences to the family may be made to

www.robertsfuneralhomes.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 1 to Apr. 2, 2016

#### SHIPLEY, MARILYN STOUTE, 79

Ocala - Marilyn Stoute Shipley, 79, passed away on March 23, 2016. She was born January 21, 1937 in Bloomington, IN, daughter of Alberta (Long) Stoute Murphy and John H. Stoute. She was a 1954 graduate of Ben Davis High School in Indianapolis, Indiana and attending Central Business College. She worked as Executive Assistant for the former Rotz Engineers, Inc. in Speedway, IN for 21 years and was their representative in Executive Women International during that time. After moving to Florida; she worked part-time for Diagnostic Clinic in Largo, FL for 10 years. She moved to Largo, FL in 2002 and loved living in Florida, which she always referred to as 'living in paradise.' She is survived by her two sons, William E. Shipley (Wendy) of Slidell, LA; Brian R. Shipley (Verona) of Silver Springs, FL; daughter, Sherry Walsh of Largo, FL; eleven grandchildren; eight great grandchildren, as well as, many nieces, nephews, and cousins. She was preceded in death by her parents; her brother, John W. Stoute, and sister, Virginia Stoute Hartman. Those wishing to do so, make a donation in Marilyn's memory to Manna Mission, Attn: Pastor Tom Tackett, 65 West Morgan St., Martinville, IN 46151. A Celebration of Life and burial in the family plot will be held at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Greenwood, IN at a later date. www.reesefuneral.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 1 to Apr. 2, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 3, 2016**

#### HALL, SYLVIA IRENE, 78

Troy, SC - Sylvia Irene Hall, 78, passed away March 31, 2016. Born in Greenville, NC on April 23, 1937 to Eugene Andrew and Lillian Irene Warren Carroll. She grew up in Raleigh, North Carolina, California and Miami, Florida, where she married and started her family. She joined the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints in 1955. They left Miami in 1965 and moved to Ocala, Florida to raise their children on a 40 acre farm they called 'Hoot 'n' Holler Farm.' In 1980, they moved to Greenwood, South Carolina where they have lived for the past 36 years. There they bought a 33 acre place in the Sumter National Forest with a creek, pond, wild turkeys and deer. Sylvia loved old movies and musicals and was an avid history lover and genealogist who spent most of her time tracing her family and her husband's family. She had a deep love and interest in her ancestors. She not only wanted the dates but wanted to KNOW them, their hardships, trials and triumphs. She had traced her family to many of the events that shaped our nation. Her family descended from the 'Ancient Planters' Many of her ancestors fought for in the Revolution and one of her ancestors 'Solomon Whichard' was with George Washington at Valley Forge. Her great-great grandfathers fought in the Confederacy and one for the Union. She was a true 'Southern Lady' her three loves were God, her family and her country. Sylvia is preceded in death by her parents. She is survived by her beloved husband of 59 years, James Richard Hall Sr.; sons, James R. Hall, Jr. (Brandy), David W. Hall; daughters, Kathi H. Vincent (James), Susan H. Geduld (Steven), Rebecca H. Werneth (Roger), Julie H. Fuller (Jeremy) and brother, Michael E. Carroll (Vickie). Funeral Service will be 9:30 a.m., Saturday, April 2, 2016 at the Church of Jesus Christ Latter-day Saints, Ocala, FL with Bishop Brian Aven officiating. Interment will follow at 2:00 p.m. in San Mateo Cemetery, San Mateo, FL. Sentiments may be sent to the family at countrysidefunerals.com/notices/Irene-Hall.

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#### HOUCHIN, EVELYN MCPEEK, 91

Silver Springs - Evelyn McPeek Houchin, age 91, died December 30, 2015 in Long Beach, CA. Born April 3, 1924 in Roebling, NJ, Evelyn lived in Silver Springs for over 50 years, retiring from Kmart in Ocala. She was predeceased by husband, Robert 'Red' Houchin; sister; Dorothy Sholley and brother; Ralph. She is survived by brothers, Jim and Bobby McPeek and many nieces and nephews. The family will gather graveside on Sunday, April 3, 2016 at 11:00 am at Forest Lawn Memory Garden Ocala. Donations may be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital in her honor.

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#### LAISE, JANET R., 79

Ocala - Janet R. Laise passed away on March 29, 2016 at home after a long illness. Born in Erie, PA on February 11, 1937, she graduated from Goucher College in MD. She and her husband, William (Hal) Laise lived for many years in Geneva, NY. She taught English at Mynderse Academy in Seneca Falls, NY. She and her husband moved to Oak Run in Ocala, FL in 1992. Janet was preceded in death by her husband. She is survived by her sons, Scott of Geneva, NY, and Eric of Decatur, TX; one daughter, Dale, of Farmington, NY; one grandson, two granddaughters, five great-grandchildren; and her companion, Robert Myer. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Freedom Library for large print books. There will be a memorial service held on Saturday, April 2, 2016 at 11 AM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timberridge, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. Online condolences may be left on hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 2 to Apr. 3, 2016

#### **RAMM, HELEN VERONICA, 93**

Ocala - Mrs. Helen Veronica Ramm, 93, passed on in Ocala, FL, March 18, 2016. She was born in Bridgeport, CT on December 2, 1922. She was raised in Chicago and lived most of her adult life in Palitine, IL. She worked for Union 76 Oil Company as a customer service representative for 25 years. She moved to this area in 1992. Helen was a member of Ocala West United Methodist Church in Ocala. Helen is predeceased by her loving husband, Milton of over 60 years. Helen is survived by her nephew, Dr. Douglas Ramm and wife, Barbara of Indian Rocks Beach, FL; two grandnieces, Jennifer Rienert and Jessica Morris, two great-grandnieces, Belle Rienert and Alexandra Morris; one great-grandnephew, Luke Ramm Morris; two cousins, Richard Leitner and Patricia Leitner. A memorial service celebrating her life will be held at Ocala West United Methodist Church, 9330 SW 105th St. in Ocala at 11:30AM on April 4, 2016. Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 4, 2016**

#### COSKI, MARY LEE, 50

Ocala - Mary Lee Coski, 50, passed away peacefully at her home on March 29, 2016, after a brave battle with cancer. Mary Lee leaves behind her mother, Mary O'Brien Hammond; sisters, Kimberly Coski and Laurie Connell; brother-in-law, Jason Connell; niece, Eden Connell; and nephews, Holden Connell and Devin Carpenter; an uncle, Keith Thagard. Her sister, Terri Coski Carpenter and grandmother, Lonie Riddle greeted her in Heaven. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to A.R.C of Marion County on SE 17th St., Ocala, FL.

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#### SEARLES, COLLEEN F., 91

Ocala - Colleen F. Searles, 91, passed away on Friday, March 25, 2016 at Brookdale Pinecastle in Ocala. Colleen was a born in High Point, North Carolina and a lifelong resident of Ocala. Survivors include sons, Michael Searles, Paul Searles (Joan) and Robert Searles (Kathy); sister, Patty Link; grandchildren Matthew, Landon, Lauren, Damon, Josh and Robbie; and great-grandson, Cademon Searles. She is preceded in death by husband of over 45 years, Clifford Searles. A memorial service will be held at a later date and time. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to First United Methodist Church, Ocala. Online condolences may be sent at hiers-baxley.com.

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#### SIGMON, JOSEPH MONROE 'JOE,' 77

Ocala - Joseph Monroe 'Joe' Sigmon, Sr, of Ocala, died Wednesday, March 30, 2016 at the Ocala Health and Rehabilitative Center. He was born December 18, 1938 in a cottage on the family's dairy farm in Catawba Co, North Carolina to Walter W. And Lucille Sigmon (both now predeceased). He moved to Marion County, Florida, with his family around the age of 5, and continued full-time residence in Ocala the remainder of his life. He graduated from Ocala High School in the Class of 1957. His high school experience included football, baseball, basketball, track, where he was voted most athletic and best looking. He attended the University of Florida, where his avid love of the Gators of nearly 60 years began. He met the love of his life, Jane Christine Harvey, of Reddick, Florida, watersports model for Florida's Silver Springs. They were married in 1961. They were blessed with three children, Joseph Monroe Sigmon, Jr, Todd Michael Sigmon, and Karin Kristi Sigmon Lovell. He continued his love of sports through many years of athletics with all three children, and then further with the grandchildren. His activities in retirement years include officiating FHSAA football, member of Elks Club, volunteering as elections poll greeter, spending time in the mountains, watching movies, gardening, and every day included newspaper and coffee. He loved southern food, bbg, boiled peanuts, apple pie, ice cream, and sweet tea. He enjoyed a peaceful, simple life, as he watched others busily keeping up with the day. Though he was no quitter, a fighter for every day of life. He is remembered most by his smile and his love for family and friends. He is preceded in death by his wife, Jane Sigmon; son, Joe Sigmon, Jr; and brother, Marshall Sigmon. He is survived by son, Todd Sigmon (Kim); daughter, Kristi Lovell (Bill); daughter-in-law, Isobel Sigmon, and four grandchildren; Christopher Lovell, Trustin Sigmon, Connor Lovell, and Natalie Jane Sigmon. The family invites you to join in the memorial service to be held on Wednesday, April 6, 2016 at 1:00 under the old moss draped oak trees of Highland Memorial Park, 1515 NE 3rd St, Ocala, arrangements coordinated by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services. Reverend and Joe's dear friend, Wayne Hunter, will be officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that all come visit with friends and family, simply the way Joe would have wished. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 2 to Apr. 4, 2016

#### STEWART, LOIS E., 90

Ocala - Lois E. Stewart, 90, passed away Thursday, March 24, 2016 after a brief illness. She had lived in the area since 2003, moving here from Orchard Park, New York. She was preceded in death by her husband, Earl R. Stewart and sisters, Helen Faust and Lucille Stewart. She is survived by her loving daughters, Carol Faulhaber (Peter), Ocala, Florida, Sharon 'Becky' Roll (James), Williamsville, New York; four grandchildren; six great grandchildren; siblings, Charles and John Peterson, Vivian Moon, Ruth Ann Davis and several nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to St. Jude Hospital. Please visit hiers-baxley.com to share condolences with the family. A graveside funeral service will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 3 to Apr. 4, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 5, 2016**

#### **OLIVEROS, NELLIE 'CHRISTINE', 97**

Ocala - Christine Oliveros passed away at Sylvia's House on April 1, 2016. Born November 22, 1918, in Tarpon Springs. At the age of 17 she moved to Key West where she met her husband Gordon. In 1983 they moved to Miami and then to Ocala 1987. She was a homemaker. Preceded in death by her husband, Gordon Oliveros, Christine is survived by her son, Charles V. (Rosemarie) Oliveros; sister, Irene Tsangaris; grandchildren,Tina (Rick) Banner, Cathy (Shawn) Grimm, Michael (Briana) Oliveros; great-grandchildren, Brooke Banner, Ryan Banner, Alexis Grimm and Audrey Oliveros. Funeral Mass will be 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 6, 2016, at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with Father Pat Sheedy officiating. Visitation will begin at 11:30 a.m. in the Church Chapel prior to the service. Graveside service will be 1:00 p.m., Thursday, April 7, at Woodlawn Park Cemetery South, Miami. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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# **REITER, JR., TED MARSHALL, 52**

Ocala - Marshall Reiter passed away on March 30, 2016 surrounded by family and friends at Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala at the age of 52. His smile and kind heart were as strong as ever to the very end. He loved NASCAR, Florida State, and spending time with his many Ocala friends. Mr. Ocala always put others ahead of himself and was the biggest presence in the room. His survivors include his father, Ted Reiter Sr. (Zibs) of Canton, NC; mother, Angelle Foust of Tennessee; brother, Ernie Reiter (Kathi) of Fleming Island, FL; sisters, Dawn Pierce (Mickey) of Dunnellon, FL and Kim Strickland of Tennessee. He was also an uncle to nieces, and nephews in Florida and Tennessee. He

also leaves behind his precious dog Tanner, whom he loved very much. Funeral services will take place at Christ The King Church on 3801 North US 441 in Ocala on Friday, April 8, 2016 at 11:00am. There will also be a cookout celebration on Sunday, April 10, 2016 from 1:00-5:00 at the Ocala Shrine Club on 4301 SE Maricamp Road. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Sylvia's Hospice House in Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 4 to Apr. 5, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 6, 2016**

#### **BRUNER, CLARENCE EUGENE 'GENE', 81**

Chiefland - Clarence Eugene Bruner 'Gene,' 81, of Chiefland, Florida, passed away on Thursday, March 31, 2016. Gene was born in Dothan, Alabama on September 27, 1934 to Clarence Lee and Hazel Bruner. He served in the U.S. Army for two years in 1957. He worked for the U.S. Forestry Service for 30 years operating heavy equipment and occasionally fighting fires, even the big forest fires out west, when the need arose. He moved to Chiefland from Ocala 20 years ago and enjoyed fishing and throwing his fishing net until his health required that he quit. He then, along with Ma Clyatt, developed a passion for eating out and finding the best restaurants to eat at. He also enjoyed a trip to the Smoky Mountains every now and then. He was a true gentleman, honest, trustworthy and loved to do thing for others. He was a member of Chiefland First Baptist Church. He is survived by his companion of 20 years, Madras Clyatt of Chiefland; daughters, Brenda (Jim) Bruner White of Ocala, FL, and Tammi Clyatt of Chiefland, FL; brothers, Lowell Bruner, Billy Bruner and Ronnie (Rhonda) Bruner, all of Ocala, FL; two grandchildren; one great-grandchild; one niece and one nephew. Funeral services will be held at Langford Rogers Funeral Home Chapel Thursday, April 7, 2016 at 11:00 AM with Pastor Gordon Keller officiating. Interment will follow at Chiefland Cemetery. A visitation will be held at the funeral home one hour prior to the service. In lieu of flowers donations to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., 3231 S.W. 34th Avenue, Ocala, Florida, 34474, ph. 352-873-7400 in Gene's memory will be appreciated. Arrangements have been placed under the care of Langford Rogers Funeral Home, under the direction of Rick Gooding Funeral Home, Chiefland, Florida, 352-493-0050. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 5 to Apr. 6, 2016

#### SAWYER, SAMUEL 'BERT,' 88

Ocala - Samuel 'Bert' Sawyer, 88, of Ocala, a resident of Summerglen, passed away peacefully under the care of Legacy House, Hospice of Marion County. He was born to the late Sylvester and Anne Margaret (nee: Ball) Sawyer. Serving Honorably in the U.S. Navy during WWII, Korea and Vietnam. He was a devoted husband and golfer. He is preceded in death by brothers, Jewel, Nicholson, and Bobby; sisters, Mary, Helen, and Kathleen. Bert is survived by his wife of 13 years, Elizabeth 'Betsy' Correa Sawyer; daughter, Sharon Bente; brother, Grover Curtis Sawyer; sisters, Miriam Maracco, Marie Farley, and Hannah Young; many grandchildren, nephews, and nieces. Memorial Service's a Celebration of Bert's life will be conducted today, Tuesday, April 5, 2016 at 3:00 PM at Baldwin Brothers Funeral Home and Cremation, 954 East Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34470 ph: 954-236-5884; Family will receive friends from 2:00 PM until service time. Final rest with full U.S. Navy Honors will take place at Florida

National Cemetery at a later date. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funeral Home Cremation.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 7, 2016**

# BATTEN, JR., HENRY C., 90

Ocala - Henry C. Batten, Jr., 90, of Ocala passed away on Sunday, April 3, 2016 at Brookdale Assisted Living. Funeral will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Saturday, April 9, 2016 at 11:00 AM. Viewing will be Friday, April 8, 2016 from 6-8 PM with family present.

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# DAVIS, LUCIA G., 84

Ocala - Lucia G. Davis, 84, of Ocala, passed away on March 31, 2016. Mrs. Davis was born in Zapatoca, Colombia. She was retired from the Capital Hilton Hotel in Washington, DC and moved to Harpers Ferry, WV. She was a resident of Springfield, FL then moved to Ocala and resided at the On Top of the World Communities. She is preceded in death by her late husband, Lawrence Gaffney. Survivors include her husband, Arthur L. Davis of Ocala; five sisters, two brothers, two stepdaughters, and one step granddaughter. A funeral service will be held at 1 PM on Saturday, April 9, 2016 at the Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala. The Rev. John F. O'Callaghan and Rev. Dena O'Callaghan will be officiating. Burial will follow at the Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th Street, Ocala. Mrs. Davis was a very kind, caring, and generous individual and was loved by many. In lieu of flowers the family is requesting that donations in her name be made to Brother's Keeper, 5 SE 17th Street, Ocala, FL 34471.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 8, 2016**

# **BELLAMY III, OTIS, 56**

Ocala - Otis Bellamy III, 56, transitioned on April 2, 2016. He was born December 11, 1959. Preceded in death by his sister, Brenda Bellamy. He leaves to cherish his memories mother, Shirley Perry Bellamy; father, Otis T. Bellamy Jr.; sons, Otis T. Bellamy IV, Kendrell (Shatara) Bellamy, Jarvis (Ebony) Bellamy, Tommie Bellamy and adopted son, Verndell Baker Jr.; sisters, Elaine (Vincent) Bellamy Jackson, Janice Graham; brothers, Curtis Bellamy, Herman (Keisha) Bellamy Sr.; five grandchildren and a host of aunts, uncles nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Celebration of Life will be April 9, 2016, 3:00 PM at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Flemington, FL Rev. Michael Mayweathers Pastor; Rev. Nathaniel Hodges, Eulogist. Visitation on Friday, April 8, 2016, 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Wake April 8, 2016, 7:00-8:30 PM at Greater New Bethel MBC. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry 'Providing a memory that will never fade'

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#### **CRIM, ALTWAN**

Ocala - Altwan Crim of Ocala, Florida. departed from his earthly life on March 28, 2016. He is survived by his parents, Kenya Holt and Anthony Crim Jr.; his grandparents, Brenda McNair, James Holts Sr. and Reponzelo Crim; his siblings, Anthony Crim IV, Trevor Crim, Avonta Crim, Terrell Crim, Quantrell Crim and a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends. Visitation will be held on Friday; April 8, 2016 from 4:30 pm - 7 pm. Celebration Of Life: Saturday, 1 pm at Holy Band Church, 1019 N.W. 10th Street, Ocala, Florida 34475 Services Are Entrusted To: Holmes Funeral Directors, 601 Claude E. Holmes Sr. Ave, Haines City, Florida 33844, 863-419-2700 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 7 to Apr. 8, 2016

#### FLETCHER, JOHN, 85

Ocala - John (Jack) Fletcher, 85, passed away on April 4, 2016 at Legacy house. He leaves his loving wife Margaret (Marge) of 58 years, their sons: Peter (Patricia) of South Thomaston, ME and Thomas (Shelley) of Rancho Santa Margarita, CA. They have three granddaughters: Catherine, Elizabeth and Sierra. He was born in Brooklyn, NY, oldest son of John and Madeline (Schneider) Fletcher. He graduated from Richmond Hill High School, American Institute of Banking and Pace College. He served in the US Air Force from 1951 to 1954, 3 of those years in England at Shepherd's Grove AFB. He married Margaret (Saul) in 1957. They moved to Hicksville, NY where they lived for 29 years. He was employed by Bankers Trust Company and retired after 37.5 years. He was the Grand Knight of Joseph Barry Council 2520 in Hicksville 1980 to 1981, and was Faithful Navigator of the Bishop Walter P. Kellenberg Assembly 1986 to 1987. He was also an active member of St. Ignatius Loyola Catholic Church, serving on the Parish Council, as well as working on the annual fair. He was also involved in the Hicksville Americans Soccer Club, serving as Intramural Commissioner for several years. In 1996, they moved to Oak Run and enjoyed 19 years of happy retirement. He was an active member at St. Jude Catholic Community, working on the fair, serving on the Parish Council, and was an usher and a Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion. He was a member of Hall Rives Post American Legion, Dunnellon, FL. A memorial Mass will be held at St. Jude Catholic Community, Marion Oaks on Thursday, April 7, 2016 at 10:00 am at St. Jude. Father Barthelmy Garcon will be the celebrant. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to St. Jude Catholic Community or Hospice of Marion County, Legacy House. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 6 to Apr. 8, 2016

#### **GEORGE, MARY ELIZABETH WOODIE, 92**

The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures. He leadeth me beside the still waters. Ocala - Mary Elizabeth Woodie George, departed this life on Friday, April 1, 2016. Mary was born to the late Annie Steen and James Woodie, Sr. on November 19, 1923 in Dade City, Florida. She was a loving mother, sister, grandmother, great grandmother, great-great grandmother, aunt, and friend to all she encountered in life's journey. Mary attended and graduated from the public schools of Manatee County, Florida and furthered her education at Florida A&M University in Tallahassee, Florida. She was married to the late Thomas W. George, her husband of forty-six (46) years. She enjoyed working in her yard and was a faithful member and participant of Mt. Moriah Baptist Church in Ocala, until her health began to fail. She

leaves behind to mourn her passing and cherish her memories two daughters, Jacquelyn Y. Braddock of Ocala, and Linda K. Sylvia of Orlando; two sons-in -laws, Vernon B. Braddock of Ocala and Vernon R. Sylvia of Orlando; three grandchildren, Andrea Y. Howell of Ocala, Terry Sylvia and Alex Sylvia, both of Orlando; four great-grandchildren, Keith Howell, Kiandria Howell, Makayla Howell, Terra Sylvia; five great-great grandchildren; two sisters, Janie L. Davis (Aaron), and Lillian W. Sims (Leroy), both of Bradenton, Florida; one brother, Robert Ernest Woodie( Marion), Palmetto, Florida and a hosts of nephews, nieces ,cousins and friends. Funeral services for Mary Elizabeth Woodie George will held on Saturday April 9, 2016 at Mt. Moriah Baptist at 2pm, Dr. Rev. Lorenzo, Edwards, Pastor.

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#### **GREENE, JULIET F. BURGESS, 51**

Ocoee - Mrs. Juliet F. Burgess Greene, age 51, transition this life on Monday, March 28, 2016 with her family at her bedside. She was a graduate of Vanguard High School (Class of 1982). Juliet completed post-secondary studies at CFCC, receiving an Associate of Science degree in Education. She later matriculated at Nova Southeastern University where she earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Education with a focus in Mathematics. Mrs. Greene spent her career teaching Mathematics in the Marion County and Orange County public schools. She lived life treasuring every moment with her family and worshipping with her church family at Harvest Bible Chapel of Orlando in Windermere, Fl. We now celebrate her life and rejoice in knowing that she is in the presence of her beloved Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. A TIME FOR HER LEGACY: Juliet leaves to celebrate and cherish her life, her loving husband, Eugene Harris Greene, Jr. of Ocoee, FL; a loving and devoted son, Travis Greene (Rachel) of Orlando, FL; a loving and devoted daughter, Jennifer Greene of Ocoee, FL; a loving and devoted son, Zachary Greene of Ocoee, FL; two precious grandchildren, Jaelyn E. Laster of Ocoee, FL and Kamryn Noelle Greene of Orlando; her mother, Ellouise K McClendon of Ocala, FL; mother-in-law, Sheron Hall Greene of Ocala, FL; father-in-law, Eugene Harris Greene, Sr. of Pontiac, MI; sisters, Gloria Burgess Randolph (Herbert) of Palmetto, FL; Tonya B. Smith (Von) of Ocala, FL; and Debra Walker (Robert, Sr.) of Fayetteville, GA; brothers, Benjamin Burgess, Jr. of Ocala, FL and Donald W. Burgess of Fayetteville, GA; sistersin-law, Valeria Griffin of Waldorf, MD; Karen Greene of San Diego, CA; Tina Curry (Alexis) of Clermont, FL; Brenda Johnson (Phil) of Clearwater, FL; Robin Greene of Atlanta, GA; Leslie Morris (Damon) of Pontiac, MI; brother-in-law, Louis Greene (Patricia) of Ocala, FL; and a host of loving aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends who are too numerous to name. Funeral Services for Mrs. Juliet Greene will be held 11:00 AM, Saturday, April 9, 2016 at Pentecostal Full Gospel Worship Center, 5105 N. US Hwy 441, Ocala, Fl, Apostle Lillie Tuggerson, Pastor, Eulogist, Elder Ray Tomlinson. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Gardens. Family will receive friends on Thursday, April 7, 2016 at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home from 6:00PM until 8:00PM. There will be no public viewing on Friday or Saturday. Professional Services are entrusted to Hadley-Brow & Paulk Funeral Home. (352) 620-0573 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant ... 'Matthew 25:21 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 7 to Apr. 8, 2016

#### HAYNES, JO ANNE

Ms. Jo Anne Haynes, age 67, passed away April 2, 2016 at Sylvia's House of Haven Hospice, Ocala, FL. Ms. Haynes was a member of St. Paul A.M.E. Church, and a graduate of Howard High School, class of 1965. She is survived by her children; Theran J. Hargrove, and Chayekee Haynes, both of Ocala, FL. Funeral Services for Ms. Haynes will be held 3:30pm, Saturday, April 9, 2016 at St. Paul A.M.E. Church, Rev. Patrick Sasnett, Officiating. Arrangements entrusted to Chestnut Funeral Home, Inc., 18 N.W. 8th Avenue, Gainesville, FL. Ms. Haynes will repose at Summers Funeral Home, Ocala, FL from 2:00pm until 7:00pm, and on Saturday at the Church from, 2:30pm until the hour of Service. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Church on Saturday. 'A CHESTNUT SERVICE'

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# HOOVER, RICHARD 'RICK,' 61

Ocala - Richard 'Rick' Hoover, age 61, of Citra, FL passed away on Friday, April 1, 2016. He was born in Asheboro, NC on March 17, 1955. Over the years Rick lived in both Asheboro, NC and Ocala, FL. He was currently worked as a manager for Auto Zone, Gainesville, FL. He loved cars, the beach, Gator Football and most of all his dog, Meg. His happiest times were spent with his family, especially his niece, Jennifer and her children. He is survived by his sister, Susan Porter (Mark) of Ocala, FL; brother, Chip Hoover (Billy) of San Francisco, CA; sister, Tandy Hoover of Asheboro, NC; his son, Chad Roberts of Asheboro, NC; two grandchildren and his three nieces Jennifer, Samantha and Kaycee. He was preceded in death by his parents, Robert and Lucille Hoover and brother, Tim Hoover. A celebration of Rick's life will be held at Christ the King Anglican Church, 3801 N. US Highway 441, Ocala, FL 34475 on April 8, 2016 at 3:00pm. There will be a reception following the service. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Christ the King Anglican Church Building Fund, 3850 W. Anthony Rd., Ocala, FL 34475.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 9, 2016**

#### CHAPPELL, PATRICIA ANN, 61

Ocklawaha - Patricia Ann Chappell, age 61, of Ocklawaha, FL passed away on Tuesday, April 5, 2016 under the care of the Brandley Hospice House, Summerfield, FL. Born in Dunnellon, FL she was a daughter of Eddie Nichols and his wife, Joyce of Panama City, FL and mother, Mary Nichols and her husband, Charles Haegele. She will be deeply missed by her companion, James Kehoe, Mocha her 'doggie child;' son, Richard L. Martinez, Jr. of Albuquerque, NM; and daughter, Angela Romona, wife of Marc Laurito, Ocala, FL. She was the grandmother of Sueann Laurito, Samantha Laurito, Michelle Martinez, Danzel Martinez and Richard L. Martinez, III. She is also survived by sisters, Teresa, wife of Larry Colvin of Vero Beach, FL and Loretta Pickron of Kinard, FL. She was predeceased by her mother, Mary Nichols Haegele and daughter, Temika Ann Martinez. A visitation will be held on Friday, April 8, 2016 from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5966 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL. A Graveside Service will be at the Dunnellon Memorial Gardens, Dunnellon, FL at 11:00 AM Saturday, April 9, 2016. Hiers-Baxley.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 8 to Apr. 9, 2016

#### FLOWERS, LORENA 'RENA' M., 73

Ocala - Lorena 'Rena' M. Flowers, age 73, passed away on Monday, April 4, 2016 in Ocala, Florida. Rena was born in Freeport, Illinois on September 15, 1942. She is survived by her husband, Clifford Flowers; four children, Michael (Tammy) MIller, Roger Miller, Donna (Richard) Mahnken, and Kristi Flowers; three grandchildren, Tyler (Rebecca) Miller, Haley Miller, and Nicholas Mahnken; two step-grandchildren, Thomas Mahnken and Katie Mahnken Zimmerman; one step-great grandchild,: Magnolia Zimmerman. She was predeceased by both parents, Raymond and Neva Grove; and four brothers, Donald Grove, Ronald Grove, Gerald Grove, and Larry Grove. Memorial services will be performed at Central Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida on Saturday, April 9, 2016 at 11:00 a.m.

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#### **KNOWLES, DAVID M., 89**

Ocala - David M. Knowles, 89, of Sebring, passed away on April 4, 2016. He is survived by his wife, Elaine; son, Richard; daughter, Elizabeth and three grandchildren. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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#### LAINE, JOHN DAVID, 76

Ocala- John David Laine, 76, died on April 4, 2016 in Ocala, FL. He was born on June 25, 1939 to the late Harold and Martha (Fields) Laine in the Bronx, NY. He is survived by his wife, Lois Laine; his sons, Arthur Laine and his wife, Tricia and their children, Jennifer, Amanda Laine; Dean Laine and family. Funeral Services will be held at a later date in New York. Condolences can be made online at robertsofdunnellon.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 8 to Apr. 9, 2016

#### LEAHMON HUNT, YULANDA

Ocala - Yulanda D. Leahmon-Hunt was born on November 24,1972 in Ocala, FL. She leaves to cherish her memories, her husband, Michael Hunt; children, Yabakri Jones, Eljai Brown and Mi'Yari Hunt; stepchildren, Lynn, Jasmine, Jordon and Jaylyn Hunt; siblings, Jeffrey (Lisa), Tanece, Bernard (Lon), Torrey, Antuan (Ocean), Elissa, Casameir and Antoinette (Terry); father, Bernard Kingcade (Sandra); mother, Paula Leahmon Williams; in-laws, Reverend and Sister Roosevelt Hunt, Jr.; and a host of sorrowing family and friends. Visitation will be on Friday from 10:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry, 5791 SE 23rd Lane, Ocala, FL. Services for Yulanda Leahmon will be held on Saturday, April 9, 2016; 1:00 p.m. at St. Paul AME Church, 718 NW 7th Street, Ocala, FL. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry 'Providing a Memory That Will Never Fade'

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#### AUDIT, PAUL E., 60

Silver Springs - Paul E. Audit, 60, passed away on Monday, April 4, 2016. Paul was born on November 15, 1955, the son of Edmond and Jacqueline Audit. He was the husband of Pearl (LeBlanc) Audit for 40 wonderful years. Paul was predeceased by his sister, Suzanne Ryan. He was a devoted husband, father, grandfather and friend. Besides his wife, he is survived by three sons, Benjamin and his wife, Kristen, Nicholas and his wife, Tonya, Nathan and his wife, Jessica; six grandchildren, Landen, Cody, Emily, Riley, Jordan and Brayden; one brother, Eric; one sister, Diane Dorio, and several niece's and nephew's. A celebration of his life will be held on Tuesday, April 12, 2016 at 2:00 P.M., at Moss Bluff Baptist Church at 17515 S.E. 95th St. RD. in Ocklawaha, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 9 to Apr. 10, 2016

# **BURKHART, ERNEST EUGENE, 91**

Ocala - Ernest Eugene Burkhart, age 91, of Ocala, FL, passed away on April 5, 2016. Ernest was born in Maryland and moved to Ocala in 1971 after his retirement from Interstate Corporation. He is a US Army WWII veteran serving in the Philippines. Ernest is survived by his wife, Esther Burkhart; son, Frank Burkhart; daughters, Judy Griswold, Janet Hardy and Donna Dovico; brothers, Paul and Richard Burkhart, and sister, Doris Shoop; 12 grandchildren; 20 great grandchildren, and six great great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Monday, April 11, 2016 at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, Florida. Visitation will be Monday from 10 a.m. until time of service. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, Florida. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 9 to Apr. 10, 2016

# COHEN, BARBARA GAIL, 78

Ocala - Barbara Gail Cohen (nee Horter), age 78, died March 30, 2016. Daughter of Byron Horter (deceased) and Barbara Horter (nee Wyser); Loving wife of the late Julian Cohen, devoted mother of Ian (Pamela Cohen) Cohen; dear sister of Byron Horter; loving grandmother of Julian Mark Cohen (aged 9) and Blake Evan Cohen (aged 15 mos.). A wonderful and beloved wife, mother and grandmother and an accomplished equestrian for decades, she passed comfortably with family around her on March 30, 2016. Services will be private for immediate family. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to a hospice of choice.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 11, 2016**

#### **ANDREWS, FLORA ERNESTINE PRIEST, 104**

Flora Ernestine Priest Andrews passed away on April 6, 2016 at 104 years of age. She was the daughter of Martha Blitch Priest and Joseph Johnson Priest, born on March 18, 1912 in Morriston, FL. She was married to Troy Jeff Andrews for 48 years who predeceased her in 1981. She was also predeceased by their eldest son, Scotty Joe Andrews, in April, 2015. She is survived by two sons, Richard L. Andrews (Sandy) and Robert Jefferson Andrews; two daughters, Martha Ann Pogue (Louis), and Linda Lucille Ertel (Larry) and Scotty's widow, Diane Cumming Andrews; twelve grandchildren,

Joseph Scott Andrews (Kathy), Stacey Andrews Batten (Harry), Daniel Barton Andrews (Sandi), Richard Lamar Andrews, Jr. (Garnet), Earnie Frederick, Dana Frederick Cayet, Michael Andrew Pogue (Joy), Douglas Edward Pogue, Melissa Andrews Babbitt (Andrew), Jeffrey Alexander Andrews (Deanna), Michael Troy Edwards (Leslie), William Ian Ertel (Nicole). Mrs. Andrews was blessed with 28 great grandchildren and three great, great grandchildren. Mrs. Andrews was a life-long member of the Morriston Baptist Church, serving in various capacities. She lived in Morriston her entire life until her declining health required her to move nearer her sons and medical facilities, leaving her beloved home and farm behind. She was a faithful wife, loving mother and proud 'Mam Ma'; her family was her life. Flora had a fun-loving spirit, loved to read, loved music, played the piano; she often encouraged her children to gather around the piano and sing. One of her last pleasures was singing with family members when they came to visit. She and her husband, Troy, traveled extensively throughout the United States, including Alaska, Canada and South America. She enjoyed spending time at the family's home on Rainbow River. She loved swimming in the cold, clear water as she had done all her life. In her 104 plus years, she saw life change from horse and buggy transportation to automobiles, trains, planes, a man on the moon. She outlived most of her peers, including her husband, her 8 brothers and sister and friends. She had many wonderful caregivers over the last 25 years who cared for her and enriched her life. A celebration of her life will be held on Monday, April 11, 2016, at 2:00 p.m., visitation will be at 1:00 p.m. at the Morriston Baptist Church, Morriston, FL. In lieu of flowers a memorial gift may be made to the Morriston Baptist Church, 3141 SE Hwy 41, Morriston, FL 32668, or to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474. Knauff Funeral Home, Williston, FL, is conducting the funeral.

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#### **CASTNER, FRANKLYN, 90**

Ocala - Franklyn Castner, born in 1925 in Elkton, MD, died on the 29th of February 2016 at the age of 90. He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth Aman Castner, with whom he shared 69 years of marriage; his daughter, Sharon Castner and her husband, Gary Kaufman; and his son, James Castner. He was preceded in death by his parents, and ten brothers and sisters. Franklyn Castner served as a Merchant Marine in combat zones during WWII. His ship was the SS Monterey, a cruise liner that had been converted to a troopship. He visited ports in Fiji, Samoa, Australia, New Zealand, New Guinea, Liverpool, Gibraltar, Morocco, and Algeria. Following WWII, he served for 27 years on the Maplewood Police Force in NJ. He had a distinguished career, receiving multiple decorations as well as service awards for completing specialized classes. He did his job with compassion and touched many lives. He retired at the rank of Lieutenant Chief of Detectives. In 1978 Franklyn Castner, and wife, Liz, moved to Florida where he continued working as an employee for Wackenhut Security. In his spare time, he was an avid bowler and coin collector. Both, he and his wife enjoyed several cruises, but most of all one made to Alaska. The Castners have been residents of Florida for almost 40 years, living throughout the state and finally in Marion and Alachua Counties. In recent years, Frank enjoyed gardening and landscaping with his wife around their Archer home, making it a haven for birds, butterflies and other wildlife that lived in the surrounding woods. The sight of deer, pileated woodpeckers, or barred owls always brought a smile.

No service is planned. Donations in lieu of flowers may be made to the E.T. York Care Center (Haven Hospice) or to any animal rescue organization. Franklyn Castner will be interred in the area reserved for Veterans in the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 10 to Apr. 11, 2016

#### GREENE, JR., JOHN THOMAS 'BIG JOHN'

Crystal River - Big John passed away on April 1, 2016 with his family by his side at the Seven Rivers Hospital in Crystal River. Johnnie came into this world on May 16, 1955 in Thomaston, GA., child of John Thomas Greene Sr. and Billie Ruth Greene, and his siblings, Jimmy, Angela, Juanita, Pennie, Shirley and Patricia. The Greene Family moved to Florida and eventually Ocala during John's youth. He studied cosmetology at CFCC. When he wasn't doing hair and nails, he was living life to its fullest by flying planes, skydiving, building custom choppers and restoring classic cars to name only a few things. He will be remembered for his charismatic personality that never met a stranger and hundreds of stories he told that will make him immortal. Johnnie is survived by his son, John Greene III and his spouse, Annie of Ocala; his daughter, Morgan N. Greene of West Palm Beach; four sisters, Shirley Gunn Oenbrink of Port Orange, Angela Blair of Ocala, Pennie Greene of Winter Haven, and Juanita Greene of Athens, TN.; and many other loved ones and friends who were like family. A celebration of Johnnie's life will be held on Saturday, April 16, 2016 5:00pm at Big John's Hair Port located at Plaza 40 East Suite 26 in Inglis, Fl. His ashes will be scattered at one of the many memorable places he enjoyed during his life at a later date. http://www.forevermissed.com/john-thomasgreene-jr/

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# **GRIMES, WALTER HENRY II**

Veteran Walter Henry Grimes II of Dunnellon, FL, passed away at 92 years old, on Monday, April 4th, 2016. Born on February 1st, 1924, in Malden, Middlesex, MA, he moved to Dunnellon, FL with his wife Elvera, from Pembroke Pines, FL. He was the son of Walter Henry Grimes & Harriet Margaret Barker, of Malden, MA. He was the husband of Elvera D. Larson of Dunnellon, FL. He was the brother of Daniel Grimes, of Middleton, MA. He will be deeply missed by his children, Walter C. Grimes of Columbia, TN, Karen D. Andreu and Karl E. Grimes, both of Dunnellon, FL, and by many grandchildren and great-grandchildren. He will be laid to rest, with his wife's ashes by his side, at Florida National Cemetery, 6502 S.W. 102nd Avenue, Bushnell, FL 33513, on Wednesday, April 13th, 2016, at 10:00 am. A celebration of his life will be held outdoors at Rainbow Springs State Park, 19158 S.W. 81 Place Rd, Dunnellon, FL 34432, following the memorial service. Condolences may be left online at: www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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# KILMARK, EDNA RHOADS, 95

Ocala - Edna Rhoads Kilmark, 95, of Ocala passed away on Monday, April 4, 2016 at Estelle's Hospice House. Edna was a fifth generation Floridian born in St. Petersburg and moved to this area over 20 years ago. She was a member of The Royal Dames and Grand Dames in Ocala. Was also a member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. Edna

enjoyed gardening, cake decorating and traveling. She was the President/Director of Edmark Clinic/Laboratory in Saint Petersburg. Survivors include her husband of 50 years, Dr. Robert Kilmark; niece, Linda Marks; nephews, Bob and Sey Young; and cousin, Timothy Rhoads. She is preceded in death by her son, John H. Rodgers; and parents, Mabel and Frank Rhoads. A visitation will be held on Tuesday, April 12, 2016 from 10-11 AM with a funeral service at 11 AM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Interment will take place privately at the Historic Sunnyside Cemetery in St. Petersburg, FL. Online condolences may be sent at hiers-baxley.com.

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# LAZZARA, FLORENCE LEANN HANNIGAN, 58

Tampa - Florence Leann Hannigan Lazzara, 58, of Tampa passed away on Sunday, April 3, 2016 after a long battle with cancer. She is predeceased by her father, Dennis Michael Hannigan (d1989), husband, Michael 'Rocky' Lazzara (d2001), step-son, Michael Bryan Lazzara (d2002) and brother, Robert Martin Hannigan (d2006). Survivors include daughters, Jacqueline 'PJ' Johns (Kevin) of Georgia, Elizabeth Anne Roquel Lazzara of Tampa; a son, Sam Anthony Demi Lazzara of Tampa; her mother, Faye Perkins Hannigan Miller (Michael) of Citra; brothers, Dennis Michael Hannigan of Minnesota, Richard Joseph Hannigan (Debra) of Ocala, Earle Daniel Hannigan (Teresa) of Georgia, six grandchildren, Cole, Morgan, Logan, Alex, Jaylah and Jules as well as a host of nieces and nephews. Leann will be deeply missed by those who loved her. We will cling to the memory of her early years before life became so tough. We will remember her laugh, smile, sense of humor, beauty and love for her friends and family. We are comforted that she is finally at peace.

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# MacCLELLAN, SR., DAVID TRACY, 73

David Tracy MacClellan, Sr, 73, retired automotive mechanic, died at his residence on April 3, 2016 in Dunnellon, FL. He is survived by his children, David MacClellan, NH, Frank Storey, NH, Cheryl Storey, NH, Linda Nagel, NH, Francine Storey, NH, Paula Biskadouras, NH; his brother, Richard Greene, Thailand; his aunt of 94yrs. of age, Celia Castignetti, MA; his sixteen grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his wife, Nancy MacClellan in 2011. David was born June 14, 1942 to the late Laurence Elliot and Vera Bernice (Moore) MacClellan in Malden, MA. He moved to Dunnellon in 2003 from New Hampshire. He was a member of the First Baptist Church in Dunnellon in which he devoted most of his time volunteering and dedicating his life to Christ in whom he loved besides his family and friends at First Baptist Church. We love you and we will miss you. Memorial Services will be held on Monday, April 11, 2016 at 4:00 PM at the First Baptist Church in Dunnellon with Pastor Russ Randall officiating. Memorial Contributions can be made in David's memory to First Baptist Church: 20831 Powell Rd., Dunnellon, FL. Expressions of sympathy or photos can be left at robertsofdunnellon.com

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# POOLE, NINA MAE, 83

Ocala - Nina Mae Poole, 83, of Ocala passed away on Tuesday, April 5, 2016 at Ocala Health and Rehabilitation Center. Nina was a native of Marion County and a member of Wyomina Park Baptist Church for over 40 years. She enjoyed cooking, spending time with her family, reading the bible, and her favorite verse was the 23rd Psalm. Nina was a dedicated military wife for 17 years. Survivors include her husband of 61 years, Harvey J. Poole; daughter, Sara Boyd (Donald); and step-grandson, Jonas D. Boyd. She is preceded in death by her parents, Louise and Jesse Meadows; two brothers and two sisters. A visitation will be held on Monday, April 11, 2016 from 6-8 PM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, April 12, 2016 at 11 AM, located at Wyomina Park Baptist Church, 1411 NE 14th Street, Ocala. Interment will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery. Online condolences may be sent at hiers-baxley.com.

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#### VANDEVEN, KYLE WILLIAM, 27

Ocala - Kyle William Vandeven, 27, of Ocala, Florida passed away on Monday, April 4, 2016. Kyle was born and raised in Ocala. He graduated from Forest High School in 2006 and while at FHS Kyle played both football and baseball. He worked for Hamlet Construction with his father. Kyle loved life and especially anything to do with the outdoors. He was an avid hunter and fisherman, and he loved to go mudding in his truck (which usually was torn up by the time he was done). Kyle was a great young man who was always surrounded by loving family and friends, which gave him the greatest joy in life. He was a member of the Church of Hope. Kyle is survived by his parents, Terry Yarbrough and Harvey & Nancy Vandeven; sisters, Kristen (Andrew) Johnson and Shannon (Matthew) Musatow; brother, Carson Vandeven; nieces, Abby & Kayleigh; nephew, Mason; grandparents, Ray & Willine Yarbrough, Yvonne Vankempen, and William & Cathy Vandeven; and numerous loving aunts, uncles, and cousins. Kyle was preceded in death by his grandfather, Adrian Vankempen. A service will be held to celebrate Kyle's life on Tuesday, April 12, 2016 at the Church of Hope, 3233 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala. The family will begin receiving friends at 5:00 pm and the service will be at 6:00 pm. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to the Rob McCoy Foundation, 44 SE 1st Ave, Suite 309, Ocala FL 34471. Online condolences may be sent at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# McCLAREN, KENNETH RAY, 81

Dunnellon- It is with great sadness we announce the death of Kenneth Ray McClaren, 81, retired USAF Colonel, loving husband, father and grandfather who died on Saturday, April 9, 2016 at the Legacy House in Ocala, FL surrounded by his loving family. He leaves behind his wife, Caryl McClaren, Dunnellon; his children, Mitch McClaren (Heather), Niceville, FL, Jennie Hobbs (Brian), Ooltewah, TN and Char McClaren, Largo, FL; his grandchildren, Jessica, Jefferson, Jamie, Morgan, Mariah and Macy. Ken was born into this life on March 23, 1935 in Mullinville, Kansas to the late Fred and Lena (Minthrope) McClaren. He served our country proudly for thirty years with the US Air

Force. Ken was a Vietnam War Veteran and part of his career he was a Navigator and eventually was in charge of software development with the Air Force. In Ken's spare time he enjoyed woodcarving, vintage cars, gardening, walking, lathe wood turning and fixing just about anything. 'We love you and we will miss you until we meet again'. Funeral Services celebrating Ken's life will be held on Monday (Today) April 11, 2016 at 2:00 PM at the First United Methodist Church in Dunnellon with Rev. Eddie Fulford and Rev. David Gill officiating. His family will be receiving relatives and friends one hour prior to service time starting at 1:00 PM at the Church. He will be laid to rest with full military honors on Tuesday, April 12, 2016 at 10:00 AM at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell. For those who want to be with the family in procession can meet at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon on Tuesday, April 12, 2016 at 8:30 AM. Memorial Contributions can be made in Ken's Memory to Honor Flight of West Central Florida: P.O. Box 55661, St. Petersburg, FL 33732 (honorflightwcf.org) Expressions of sympathy and pictures can be left for the family at: robertsofdunnellon.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 11 to Apr. 12, 2016

#### YANCEY, JAMES L., 84

Ocala - James L. Yancey, 84, of Ocala, passed away on Thursday, April 7, 2016. James was born in Plant City, FL to John and Bessie Yancey and moved to Ocala in 2013. He was an Electrical and Aerospace Engineer, earning his Masters of Science in Engineering, (University of Florida) and Masters of Arts in Business Administration, (Rollins College). He retired from Boeing. James was a member of Oak Griner Baptist Church. He was predeceased by his wife, Doris L. Yancey and youngest daughter, Sharon L Yancey. Survivors include his daughters, Vanessa DiPiazza of Ocala, FL, Yvonne Crews of Folkston, Georgia and Bonnie Bishop of Groveland, Florida, two sons, James L. Yancey, Jr of Jacksonville, Florida and Dallas Taylor of Christmas, FL. Additionally, he is survived by 20 grandchildren, 31 great grandchildren and five great, great grandchildren. A visitation will be held on Wednesday, April 13 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Service in Ocala from 5 to 7 pm. Graveside service will be 11:00 am, Thursday, at Anthony Cemetery in Anthony, FL. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. Safely Home I am home in heaven, dear ones: Oh so happy and so bright. There is perfect joy and beauty In this everlasting light. All the pain and grief is over, Every restless tossing passed; I am now at peace forever, Safely home in heaven at last. Did you wonder I so calmly Trod the valley of the shade? Oh, but Jesus' love illumined Every dark and fearful glade. And he came himself to meet me In the way so hard to tread; And with Jesus' arm to lean on, Could I have one doubt or dread? Then you must not grieve so sorely, For I love you dearly still; Try to look beyond death's shadows, Pray to trust our Father's will. There is work still waiting for you, So you must not idly stand; Do it now while life remaineth You shall rest in Jesus' land. When that work is all completed, He will gently call you Home; Oh, the rapture of that meeting, Oh, the joy to see you come. Dad/ Papa... We love you so much... Until we see you again.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 13, 2016**

#### LOPEZ, CORA M., 26

Ocala - Cora M. Lopez, age 26, of Ocala, Florida was promoted to glory on March 31, 2016. Cora was born in Jersey City, New Jersey on June 13, 1989. She was a bright light from that moment on. Her contagious smile and her sense of humor brighten everyone's day, even if she didn't know you. She aspired to be a pastry chef for Cake Boss and was working towards her goals. She worked for Subway in Pinellas Plaza for several years and was loved by all. Cora is survived by her mother, Lydia M Serrano; two sisters; and one brother. A celebration of Cora's life will be held on April 17, 2016 at 3 pm. The Venue is Church @ The Springs, 5424 SE 58th Ave, Ocala, FL 34480. The family is asking everyone to wear bright colors and if you have a spouse, please have them wear a bright colored button shirt and a bow tie in honor of Cora. In lieu of flowers, place donations in a card.

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#### MOONEY, HARRY F., 92

Ocala - Harry F. Mooney, 92, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on April 8, 2016. Harry was born and raised in Wheeling, WV. He graduated from Warwood High School in 1941. The Japanese bombed Pearl Harbor in December 1941 and Harry joined the United States Marines in 1942. He was in the Marine Air Corps and landed on many islands in the Pacific, including Hawaii, Johnson Island, The Marshalls, Guadalcanal, Guam, Saipan, Tunisian Iwo Jima, Okinawa and Japan. After the war, Harry attended Ohio State and Ohio Northern Universities and studied Metallurgy. He worked for Teledyne Ohio Steel in Lima, Ohio for 33 years. He retired as the V.P. of Sales in 1988, and moved to Ocala that same year. He was a member of the Association of Iron and Steel Engineers, Masonic Lodge 585 in Lima, Ohio and Golden Hills Golf and Turf Club. He is survived by his wife of 69 years, Mary Dorothy; a son, William Patrick of Castle Rock, CO. and a daughter, Sharon Mooney-Hughes of Amelia Island, FL.; three grandchildren, Nathan Biery, Wendy Mooney Schorsch, Lara Mooney; four great grandchildren, Sean Biery, Jasmine Emerson, Jordan Biery and Maya Fair. He is preceded in death by two brothers and three sisters. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his name to Habitat for Humanity. Inurnment will take place at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala at a later date.

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#### PEOPLES, DENVER GERALD, 85

Citra - Mr. Denver Gerald Peoples, age 85 of Citra, FL and most recently, Rose Hill, NC, died on April 4, 2016 at New Hanover Regional Medical Center. Graveside Memorial services will be held on Thursday, April 28, 2016 at 11:00 am at Salisbury National Cemetery in Salisbury, NC. Mr. Peoples is survived by his wife of 61 years, Greta Maria Storck Peoples of Citra, FL and most recently, Rose Hill, NC; his son, Denver Lee Peoples of Oregon; his daughters, Wanita Elizabeth Beck of Lexington, NC and Carol Ann Mann and husband Gary of Rose Hill, NC; 10 grandchildren; 15great grandchildren and one great great grandchild. Denver was born on January 31, 1931 in Lawrence County, PA to the late Daniel Potter and Maudlene Ida Oakman Peoples. He is also predeceased by a son, Robert Peoples and a great grandson, Jacob Denver Buchanan. Mr.

Peoples retired from the U. S. Army after having served his country honorably for 20 years. In lieu of flowers, please send donations in Denver's memory to New Hanover Regional Medical Center Foundation at 2259 South 17th Street Wilmington, NC 28401. To sign the guest book, go to www.padgettfuneralhome.com A service of Padgett Funeral and Cremation Services, Wallace.

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#### **TIEKERT, HENRY G., 82**

Ocala - Henry Tiekert passed away on April 6, 2016 at Estelle's Hospice House. Born December 8, 1933, to Fritz and Olga Teichert, in Koslin, Germany, he moved to Ocala from Milford, MA, 20 years ago. A veteran of the US Air Force, he worked as an automotive refinisher. Henry was an avid bowler and had a 300 game. He is survived by his loving wife of 48 years, Sandra Moulton Tiekert; sons, Jeffrey Tiekert, Ft. McCoy; Gregory Tiekert, Ocala; daughter, Tara B. (Jim) Tiekert Carlson, Ocala; brother, Deiter Teichert, Germany; and two grandchildren, Gunnar and Brianna Tiekert. Graveside service with military honors 11:00 a.m., Thursday, April 14, 2016, at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Wounded Warrior Project, PO Box 758517, Topeka, KS 66675.

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#### HOLLY, JEAN CATHERINE, 87

Oxford - Jean Catherine Holly, 87, Oxford, Florida, formerly of St. Petersburg, passed away on April 10, 2016 at The Villages Regional Hospital in The Villages, Florida. Mrs. Holly was born on November 8, 1928 in St. Petersburg, FL. to her parents William Stanley Harris and Velma Catherine (Nodine) Harris. Mrs. Holly was a former Long Distance Telephone Operator for General Telephone Company in St. Petersburg, Florida for over 32 years. She moved with her late husband to Oxford in 1978 from St. Petersburg. She was a member of Pasadena Community U.M.C. in St. Petersburg and attended Oxford United Methodist Church. She was a proud member of Independent Telephone Pioneers as well as being a life member of the Order of Eastern Star Chapter in Wildwood, FL. She also was quite active with American Paint Horse Association, Dixie Paint Horse Club of Ocala, She was a Professional Horse Show Announcer and worked for the Tampa State Fair Authority for many years and belonged to various horse clubs in St. Petersburg, FL. She is survived by her loving children, Stan (Missy) Holly of Oxford, FL and Chris Holly of Oxford, FL; two grandchildren, Zachary Holly and Aspen Holly and many loving nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Warren G. Holly, and a brother, Winfred S. Harris. Funeral Services will be held on Friday, April 15, 2016 at 11:00AM at Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Home, Wildwood, Florida with a Visitation to be held prior to the service from 10:00AM to 11:00AM at the funeral home. A Burial will follow the service at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, Florida. On-line condolences may be shared by visiting www.bankspagetheus.com. Arrangements are entrusted to Banks/Page-Theus Funerals and Cremations, Wildwood.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 15, 2016**

#### BROWN, JR., THOMAS, 53

Ocala - Thomas Brown, Jr. was born on June 20, 1962 in Ocala, FL. To cherish his memories, he leaves behind a devoted and caring wife, Bridget Brown; two daughters, Mikayla Brown and Brishailah Brown and a host of family and friends. Public visitation will be on Friday, April 15, 2016 at Summers Funeral Home 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Services will be held on Saturday, April 16, 2016; 2:30 p.m. at Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL, Pastor Edward Bland. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 'A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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#### COPP, ELSIE IRENE, 95

Ocala - Elsie Irene Copp, 95 of Ocala, passed away peacefully on April 9, 2016. Elsie was predeceased by her husband, Philip Copp; and her son, Clifford Copp. She is survived by her son, Ronald Copp and his wife, Carol; daughter, Connie Simonow and her husband, Stanley; six grandchildren; and several great and great-great grandchildren. Services will be private. Donations in her memory may be made to Legacy House of Hospice, 9505 S.W. 110th St., Ocala, FL 34481

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#### DYMENT, GEORGE CHESTER 'CHET,' 90

Dunnellon - George Chester 'Chet' Dyment, age 90, left this life on Monday, April 11, 2016, after a very brief hospital stay. He is survived by six children, and 13 grandchildren, plus two step children and nine more grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Ilene in 1971, and his second wife, Anne in 2014. Chet was a Christian and actively served in the Rainbow Springs Village Church. He served in two branches of the military, US Navy and US Air Force. He owned the Southshore Bearing Shop in Quincy, MA until he retired. He loved golf and working with wood. He made furniture, clocks, and even a canoe. We will miss him but will be happy to rejoin him one fine day. Visitation will be held Thursday from 5-7 PM at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon. Funeral services will be held at 10 AM Friday, April 15, 2016 at Rainbow Springs Village Church, 20222 SW 102nd Street Road, Dunnellon. Interment will follow in the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.. Condolences for the family may be left at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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#### FORCE, PATRICIA

Salt Springs - Mrs. Force (Patricia) was taken home to her Lord April 12, 2016. Pat was born and raised in Chicago where she worked until meeting her eventual husband, Lee J Force. Early in her adult days, Pat was a homemaker and Navy wife. She joined a writers group and was the Cemetery Secretary at the Salt Springs Christian Church, where she was a life long member. Her passion was being a school bus driver, which she frequently told stories up until her passing. She dearly loved every one of her precious students, to this day they still remember Mrs. Force. Patricia is survived by her two children, Charles Force and Wanda Vermillion; five grandchildren, Charles Force Jr., Ramsey Vermillion, Brianna Vermillion, Shawn Force, and Tara Force; and six great grandchildren, Shawn Force Jr., William Force Jr., Patricia Force, Jace Force, Charli Vermillion and Raider Vermillion. Pat was proceeded in death by her husband, Lee J., and a grandson, William (Billy) Force. A Celebration of Life will take place Friday, April 15, 2016 at the Salt Springs Christian Church, 24571 E Hwy 316, Salt Springs, FL 32134 At 7PM. Come casual. Mom would want you to be comfortable.

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# HAGINS, LISA LASHON, 53

Ocala - Lisa Lashon Hagins, age 53, passed on April 6, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memory four devoted children, Stephen Pollard (Jenae White) of Williston, Jaime Hagins of Ocala, FL, Tameka Hagins and Amber Hagins of Ocala, FL; a special nephew/son, Rodney Harris of Ocala, FL, and many other relatives and sorrowing friends. A Memorial Service will be held at 1:00 P.M. on Saturday, April 16, 2016 at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church 612 N.W. 4th Street, Ocala, Florida 34475. Rev. Tonya M. Hanks, M. Divinity, Pastor and Rev. Mario Hagins, Officiating. Services Entrusted to SELLERS FUNERAL HOME, INC. & CREMATION SERVICES 352-620-8881 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 14 to Apr. 15, 2016

# MCBRIDE JR., OTIS, 83

Ocala - Otis McBride, Jr. was born on July 29, 1932 in Zuber, FL. He was educated in Marion County School System and was a Small Business Owner. He leaves to cherish his loving memories a devoted mother, Frances Kinsley McBride; children, Eugene McBride, Lillie (Charles) Sams, Otis (Arlieen) McBride III, Keith McBride, Leonard Jackson McBride, Elaine McBride, Demond (Bridget) McBride, Kenya McBride and Kayler McBride; seven siblings, and a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends. Public visitation will be on Friday, April 15, 2016 at Summers Funeral Home 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Services will be held on Saturday, April 16, 2016; 11:00 a.m. at New Covenant Missionary Baptist Church, Ocala, FL, Pastor Stanley Jacobs. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 'A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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# MCCRAY, VONKEITH, 41

Ocala - He leaves to cherish his memories, parents, Edna M. Newmones and Frank McCray; grandfather, Rev. Alvin Newmones; siblings, Jaquan Newmones, Shelly Oglesby, Palara Deshazer and a host of sorrowing family and friends. A wake service will be held on Thursday, April 14, 2016; 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at The Light of the World Church, Apostle George McCray, Pastor. Services for VonKeith McCray will be held on Saturday, April 16, 2016; 3:00 p.m. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, 2251 N.W. 2nd Street, Ocala, FL; Rev. Dr. T. L. Brooks, Pastor. Arrangements 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, April 16, 2016**

#### DAVENPORT, ODELLA JANE, 65

Fort McCoy - Odella Jane Davenport, 65, of Fort McCoy, FL died Tuesday, April 12, 2016 at her residence. She was born September 15, 1950 in Detroit, MI. She moved to Florida in 1992 from Michigan. She was retired. She is survived by her companion, Curtis Garza of Ft. McCoy, FL; son, Rodney Davenport (Jodi) of Dalton, GA; daughter, Deana Weaks (Tom) of Hartwell, GA; mother, Shirley Fleming of Ft. McCoy, FL; two brothers, Michael Fleming of Eustis, FL; George Fleming of Starke, FL; sister, Kathy Swearingen (Donnie) of Eustis, FL; four grandchildren, Bryant Davenport, Brandon Webb, Travis Weaks, and Trina Weaks. She was preceded in death by her husband Paul Davenport; father, George Fleming; brother, Doug Fleming; and sister, Nancy Fleming. In lieu of flowers donation can be made to the American Cancer Society. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 15 to Apr. 16, 2016

#### EMICK, FRANCES ANN, 93

Ocala - Frances Ann Emick (nee Kelsey), of Ocala, FL, passed away peacefully, with her daughter and son-in-law by her side, on Monday, March 21, 2016, at the age of 93. The family is grateful for the condolences; in lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the Alzheimer's Association. A word of thanks also goes to the amazingly caring staff of Brookdale Canopy Oaks Memory Care facility in Ocala, FL. They helped make Fran's days over the last 15 months much more bearable, as well as being there for her daughter and son-in-law during a very difficult time. We cannot thank them enough. Please see the link below for the full obituary: http://www.legacy.com/obituaries/denverpost/obituary.aspx?n=Frances-Ann-Emick&pid=179511816 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 15 to Apr. 16, 2016

#### HARPER, EVELYN MAE, 88

Ft. McCoy - Evelyn Mae Harper passed away on April 13, 2016. Born July 16,1927, in Autaugaville, Alabama to Samuel Perry and Lizzie Mae Johnson. Evelyn grew up in Musella, GA, and moved to Ft. McCoy, FL in 1956. She was a homemaker and retired postal clerk. Evelyn is preceded in death by her husband, Oliver Kenneth 'Sid' Harper; son, Marvin Gordon; one grandson and one great-grandson. She is survived by sons, Malvin Gordon and Oliver Kenneth Harper, Jr.; daughters, Linda Harper (William) Padgett, Doris Harper (James) Poole, Sydney Harper (Paul) Laxton; sister, Betty Doyle, Chamblee, GA; brother, Joe Johnson, Musella, GA; 11 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. Funeral service will be 11:00 a.m., Saturday, April 16, 2016, at First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy with Pastor Jeff May officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow in Ft. McCoy Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial donations be given to First Baptist Church of Ft. McCoy, FL 32134.

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# LUTSCH, KAREN LOUISE, 52

Ocala - Karen Louise Lutsch passed away on April 13, 2016 in the care of hospice. She was born in Alliance Ohio, July 4, 1963 to Martin John Lutsch and Lois Schneider Lutsch. As the youngest of three children, she fought hard to keep up with her two brothers. Much to her brothers' consternation, she often did keep up with them. When Karen was nine years old, her family moved to Ocala, Florida. She resided there until her passing. She attended Forest High School in Ocala and earned a GED later in her life. She worked at Munroe Regional Medical Center for several years as a cardiac monitor tech. Karen's lifelong loves were family and animals. She enjoyed being beachside and spending time with her friends. She was an outgoing, funny and somewhat unpredictable woman. She could make people laugh and never minced words. She had many pets through the years and had a huge soft spot in her heart for animals. Her mom, dad, and brothers however, were the loves of her life. There were many ups and downs, but family was her steadfast rock. Karen was preceded in death by her grandparents, parents, Martin and Lois and by stepfather, Shelby 'Moon' Mullins. She is survived by her brothers, Mark Lutsch of Sacramento, California and John Lutsch of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; two nephews, and two nieces. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala, FL 34474.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 18, 2016**

# **BRESLIN, JOSEPH, 87**

Ocala - Joseph Breslin was born in New York City on June 26, 1928. He died peacefully on April 14, 2016 after a very long brave battle with Parkinson's. Joe and his wife, Jean lived in Hicksville, Long Island for 25 years. They created and owned Breslin's Polonia Village, a restaurant that specialized in both Polish and American cuisine and sat 150 people. Since then, they've enjoyed their retirement in Florida. Joseph was predeceased in death by his son, Joe Breslin; daughter, Mary Creedon; his sister, Anna; and brothers, Charlie and Sonny. To cherish his memories, he leaves behind his devoted and loving wife, Jean Breslin; his loving children, Eileen (Tony) Messina, Patty (Norman) Leon, Tommy Breslin, David (Angie) Breslin, Kathy Jorgensen and Danny Creedon. He was blessed with 18 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson, as well as a host of sorrowing friends. In lieu of flowers, donations to Hospice of Marion County will be appreciated. A visitation will be on Monday, April 18, 2016 from 6-8PM at Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel 6241 SW SR 200 in Ocala. (352) 854-2266. A funeral Mass will take place at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Tuesday, April 19, 2016 at 8:30AM. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 16 to Apr. 18, 2016

# **BURGIO, ANTONIO C., 87**

Ocala - Antonio C. Burgio of Ocala, Fl, passed away on April 7, 2016. Mr. Burgio retired from General Motors where he held the position of Manufacturing Supervisor. He was a long time member of the Francis Marion Stamp Club. He is survived by his wife of 66

years, Laura Burgio of Ocala; sons, Anthony Burgio of Brooksville, Fl and Ronald (Huilan Sun) Burgio of Tampa, Fl, and many other family members. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 17 to Apr. 18, 2016

#### CARPENTER, MELVIN E. 'MEL,' 84

Ocala - Melvin E. 'Mel' Carpenter, 84, of Ocala passed away April 13, 2016. Born in Albemarle, NC, he came to this area over 60 years ago from Mississippi. He received his Bachelors and Masters Degrees from the University of Southern Mississippi and took Advanced Studies at the University of Florida. Mel was a retired teacher, coach and athletic director for Central Florida Community College and United Methodist by faith. Among his many notable achievements include mentoring and being a role model to the many student athletes he lead in his long career, with over a dozen former athletes becoming head coaches at other colleges. Mel was inducted into the Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College Athletics Hall of Fame, the National Junior College Athletic Association Hall of Fame, and lead CFCC to three national tennis championships. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Etta; daughters, Kim (Darrell) Newman of Madison, MS, Kelly (Anthony) Asquith of Ocala, Dayna (Henry) Priest of Winter Park, FL, Kris Carpenter of Ocala, and Mary Key Priest (John) Gerlach of Orlando; grandchildren, Justin Newman, Kyle Newman, Savannah Newman, Etta Priest, Camille Priest and Camp Priest; and cousin-brother Alton Broadway of Concord, NC. A Celebration of Mel's Life will be held at Ocala First United Methodist Church (1126 E. Silver Springs Blvd.) on Monday (April 18th) at 11am, with visitation at 10am. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to either the Florida Methodist Children's www.fumch.org the Central Florida Home or College Foundation www.cf.edu/foundation/ Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala 622-4141. A condolence message may be left at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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# DESCAMPS, FRANCOISE BRAUN 'MS. FRANCE' August 27, 1927 - April 13, 2016

Ocala - Staunch supporter of the Humane Society of Marion County, Ms. France was tragically taken from us by an automobile accident Wednesday afternoon, April 13, 2016. Born into aristocracy, Baroness, Ms. France, came to us in Marion County from Belgium in 1979. Here she continued her passion for the thoroughbred industry. In Belgium, she owned and operated the leading thoroughbred stable in her country. Ms. France pioneered the importation of American Thoroughbreds to Belgium. It was several years later that she segued into a passion that lasted the rest of her life, the Humane Society of Marion County. Her timeless volunteering has led the organization to naming the yearly volunteering award in her honor, The France Descamps Volunteer of the Year Award. Her service and spirit is irreplaceable. We love you Miss France. France is survived by daughter, Martine Broussard (Mitchell); grandson, James Kartz; Pablo Fernandez, adopted son. There will be a celebration of her life April, 23, 2016 at 11am, at the Humane Society of Marion County. Absolutely no flowers per Ms. France, donations can be made to the Humane Society of Marion County.

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#### **GRIFFITH, ANNIE RUTH, 82**

Ocala - On the afternoon of April 11, 2016, Annie Ruth Griffith, of Ocala, passed away peacefully. She was surrounded and comforted by her son, Bob Speakman and friend, Louise Young. Annie Ruth was born on May 25, 1933 in Duluth, GA. She was the fifth child and third girl born to Ernest and Pauline Martin also of Georgia. Ruth was preceded in death by James Griffith, her husband of 33 years; her siblings, Harold and Carl Martin, Geneva Ziegler, Evelyn Kendall; and parents, Ernest and Pauline Martin. She is survived by her son, Bob Speakman of Ormond Beach, Florida; and daughter, Sue Chambers of Homestead, Florida; three grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. Annie Ruth was an active member and church secretary at Druid Hills Methodist Church in Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to The American Cancer Society or The American Heart Association in her honor.

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#### **KEIRNAN, JAMES WARREN, 82**

Ocala - James Warren Keirnan, 82, passed away on March 31, 2016 at Legacy House in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio on October 16, 1933. He graduated from Edison High in Miami. He served in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War. He attended the University of Miami and graduated from SW Missouri State University with a degree in Industrial Arts Education. He was a proud firefighter with the Miami-Dade Fire Department, where he went on to become a Fire Inspector. He later served as an instructor at the Florida State Fire College in Ocala and he led the Marion County Fire Service. He taught Industrial Arts at Forest High and Belleview Middle School. He was predeceased by his high school sweetheart and beloved wife, Shirley Allison Keirnan. He was also predeceased by his parents, Clarence and Elizabeth Moore Keirnan, brothers Clarence, Robert, Jack, and Charles Keirnan, and sister Margaret Keirnan Adams. James is survived by his son, Dennis Keirnan of Ocala; daughters, Karen Steinbrecher of Ft. Meade, FL, Kathleen (Mike) McGrath of Ocala, Jacqueline (Matt) Hale of Kansas City, MO; son, Paul (Jackie) Keirnan of Trenton, GA; and daughters, Suzanne Corbin of Poinciana, FL and Eva (JJ) Jorba of Aurora, CO. He is survived by his grandchildren, Jay, Michael, Megan, Katie, Travis, Stacey and eleven great-grandchildren. He is survived by a sister, Judy Taney, of Texas. He also leaves behind his loving friend, Shelby Dogan, of Leesburg, and his faithful Schnauzer, Bogart. A memorial service will be held honoring James on Saturday, May 14, 2016 at 10:00 am at Ft. King Presbyterian Church, 13 NE 36th Av, Ocala, FL. Reverend Andrew Ganns will officiate. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in James' name to Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th ST, Ocala, FL 34481.

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#### **KELLEY, SR., RICHARD EARL, 76**

Ocala - Richard Earl Kelley, Sr. (Dick Kelley) 76, passed away on Sunday April 10, 2016 after a sudden illness. He leaves behind his wife of 37 years, Sheila (Holstein) Kelley; his children Kim Kelley, Rich Kelley, Adam & Louise (Murkens) Kelley; his sister, Angela (Kelley) Yingling, and many extended family members and friends. He was born in Altoona PA. And raised in Wheeling WV., son of George and Ruth (Saylor) Kelley. Dick

spent 10 years serving his country in the Navy during the Vietnam War. He worked for NASA for five years then spent 25 years with the FAA. After retiring he returned back to work for six more years with the Marion County Sheriff's Office. Dick was a Freemason and Shriner for most of his life. He enjoyed spending time with family and friends, camping, fishing, and motorcycles. A Celebration of Life service will be held at 1:00 PM on Friday, April 22, 2016 at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. In lieu of flowers please consider a contribution to The Shriner's Hospital for Children. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 17 to Apr. 18, 2016

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#### **GUINN, JEANETTE KING**

Jeanette King Guinn passed away on April 15, 2016. She was born February 26, 1934 in Ocala, FL to Bryant and Hattie Nobles. Jeanette was preceded in death by her sisters Louise Baldwin (Vane), Barbara Ward (Pete), and brother Bryant Reginald Nobles (Helen). She was also preceded in death by her husbands Arthur A. King, Sr. and George Russell Guinn, Sr. and granddaughter Kimberly Lynn King. She is survived by her daughters Linda Batten (Willard) and Nancy Stein (Mark), and her son Arthur King (Theresa). She is the Beloved Grandmother to Jason Batten (Tanya), Holly Holbrook (Jonathan), Lindy Batten, Courtney Bruno (Dillon), Justin Stein, Brian King (Kim), Adam Keene (Dana), and Mathew Keene. She is also great grandmother to 11 great grandchildren. Jeanette was a graduate of Stetson University in Deland, with a degree in Music Education. She went on to receive her Masters in Guidance Counseling from the University of South Florida. She taught elementary music in Marion County for 27 years. Jeanette was a Godly wife, mother and grandmother. She loved singing praises to the Lord. As a devoted Christian and active church member she taught Sunday School and directed children's choirs. Funeral services will be held at 11 AM Friday, April 22, 2016, at Trinity Baptist Church, 1600 SE 58th Avenue, with Dr. Edward D. Johnson officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park. Arrangements are entrusted to Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon. Condolences may be left for the family at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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#### **KEENAN, HAROLD 'MIKE', 47**

Ocala - Mike Keenan 'Pop-Pop' passed away on April 13, 2016. Born May 22, 1968, in Richmond Hill, NY, to later settle in Ocala, Florida in 1992. He was an avid fisherman, a jack of all trades and an HVAC Technician. He is survived by his wife and best friend, Debbie Williams Keenan; his children Devin Clarkson (Casey), Laine Gideon (Ricky), Crystal and Michael Keenan; and five grandchildren: Mackenzie, Bayleigh, Greyson, Harper and Jacob which were the light of his life. He loved spending time with his family and friends, touching the hearts of everyone who knew him. He will be dearly missed by all. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 18 to Apr. 19, 2016

#### **KEIRNAN, JAMES WARREN, 82**

Ocala - James Warren Keirnan, 82, passed away on March 31, 2016 at Legacy House in Ocala, Florida. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio on October 16, 1933. He graduated from Edison High in Miami. He served in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War. He attended the University of Miami and graduated from SW Missouri State University with a degree in Industrial Arts Education. He was a proud firefighter with the Miami-Dade Fire Department, where he went on to become a Fire Inspector. He later served as an instructor at the Florida State Fire College in Ocala and he led the Marion County Fire Service. He taught Industrial Arts at Forest High and Belleview Middle School. He was predeceased by his high school sweetheart and beloved wife, Shirley Allison Keirnan. He was also predeceased by his parents, Clarence and Elizabeth Moore Keirnan, brothers Clarence, Robert, Jack, and Charles Keirnan, and sister Margaret Keirnan Adams. James is survived by his son, Dennis Keirnan of Ocala; daughters, Karen Steinbrecher of Ft. Meade, FL, Kathleen (Mike) McGrath of Ocala, Jacqueline (Matt) Hale of Kansas City, MO; son, Paul (Jackie) Keirnan of Trenton, GA; and daughters, Suzanne Corbin of Poinciana, FL and Eva (JJ) Jorba of Aurora, CO. He is survived by his grandchildren, Jay, Michael, Megan, Katie, Travis, Stacey and eleven great-grandchildren. He is survived by a sister, Judy Taney, of Texas. He also leaves behind his loving friend, Shelby Dogan, of Leesburg, and his faithful Schnauzer, Bogart. A memorial service will be held honoring James on Saturday, May 14, 2016 at 10:00 am at Ft. King Presbyterian Church, 13 NE 36th Av, Ocala, FL. Reverend Andrew Ganns will officiate. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in James' name to Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th ST, Ocala, FL 34481.

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#### COTTOM, ALLAN VANCE, 72

Ocala - Mr. Allan Vance Cottom, 72, passed away in Ocala, FL on April 15, 2016. He was born in Miami, FL on October 21, 1943. He was a Superintendant in the sheet metal business and retired from Local #32 in Miami. He moved into this area in 2002 from South FL. Allan loved his dogs, college sports and golf. He especially loved his family. He was a member of Meadowbrook Church in Ocala. Allan is survived by his loving wife, Lynn, of 52 years; two sons, Michael Vance Cottom (Yomarie), and Robert Allan Cottom, both of Ocala, FL; two brothers, Leonard Cottom of Seven Devels, NC and Ronald Cottom (Ellen) of NC; two sisters, Jeanne Wilkins (Donald) of Ft. Myers, FL and Bonnie Cottom of Portsmith, England; mother, Helen Cottom of Lady Lake, FL; also five grandchildren. A visitation will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel 6241 SW SR 200 in Ocala (352) 845-2266 on Thursday, April 21, 2016 from 11AM-1PM with a funeral service to follow at 1PM. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 19 to Apr. 20, 2016

#### JONES, JR., A. HARMAN, 84

Ocklawaha - A. Harman Jones, Jr., formerly of Tampa and recently Ocklawaha, died April 13, 2016. He is survived by his four children and their spouses, sons, Mike of Miami, Jeff (Karen) of Alamo, CA and Craig (Angie) of Johns Creek, GA; and daughter, Buff Bishop (John) of Lithia; his eight grandchildren, Michael Jones (Kristin) and Casey

Ospina (Lazaro); and their mother, Githa; Andrew and Nicole Jones, Rachael and Morgan Jones, and Evan and Amanda Bishop; and his great-grandsons, Kaiden and Jace Jones. Born February 12, 1932 in Miami, Harman loved the state of Florida and lived his entire life there, except for his time in the US Navy, where he served on the USS Coral Sea during the Korean War. He grew up in Winter Haven, Lakeland and Tampa. He was a proud graduate of the University of Florida where he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega. He then lived in Miami for over 20 years before returning to his native Central Florida, continuing his profession as a Chartered Life Underwriter and Chartered Financial Consultant. He was committed to many worthwhile endeavors, including coaching little league baseball, involvement in many professional associations, serving as elder in his churches, and serving on the Board of Westminster Christian School and its athletic booster club. His passions included spending time with his family, enjoying outdoor activities in Florida such as hunting, fishing and beaches, being with his dogs, in particular his most recent dogs, Bradley and Cooper, and supporting his beloved Florida Gators. A service will be held 1 pm, Friday, April 22, 2016 at Redeemer Presbyterian Church, 12404 Boyette Road, Riverview FL 33569. The family requests that in lieu of flowers, contributions be made in Harman's memory to Westminster Christian School, 6855 S.W. 152 Street, Palmetto Bay FL 33157, Southeastern Guide Dogs, 4210 77th St. East, Palmetto, FL 34221, or South Shore Anglers, 12408 Midpointe Dr., Riverview FL 33578. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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#### CAUSEY, MILDRED LAVERNE, 75

Temple - Ms. Mildred Laverne Causey, age 75, of Temple, passed away Friday, April 15, 2016. She was born in Blakely, Georgia on Monday, July 15, 1940. Ms. Causey was the daughter of the late Alvin Billie Causey and the late Edith Lavern (Rainey) Causey. Besides her parents, Ms. Causey is preceded in death by her sister, Billie Jo Williams. Survivors include her daughter, and son-in-law, Kimberly and Stephen Jensen II of Temple; three grandchildren and their spouses, Kristen and Michael Goodwin of Lynnfield, Massachusetts, Amanda and Brian Vasquez of Muscadine, Alabama, and Brittany Jensen and Erika Stephens of Temple; six great-grandchildren and a number of other relatives. In accordance with the family's wishes, Ms. Causey will be cremated. You may leave your online condolences on our website at www.croftfuneralhome.com Croft Funeral Home & Cremation Service of Temple is entrusted with the arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 20 to Apr. 21, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 22, 2016**

#### COOK, THELMA, 87

Ocala - Thelma Cook, 87, passed away on April 18, 2016 at Legacy Hospice House, in Ocala, FL. Thelma was born December 21, 1928, in Brazil, KY, to the late Effort and Lindy (Spivey) Harrison. She was a seamstress in the clothing industry, and was the ninth of 11 children in the Harrison family. Thelma had five children sons, Jerry Cook (deceased) of ND, Larry Cook (deceased) of KY, Garry Cook of OH; daughter, Norma

Cook of FL; and daughter, Darlene Cook (deceased) of OH. She is also survived by six grandchildren; Jamie Gabberd of OH; Laurie Dunkin of OH; Jonathan Johnson of OH; Jason Johnson of FL; Bessie Kamps of OH; and Larry Cook of OH; 15 great grandchildren and six great great grandchildren. Visitation to be held on Saturday, April 23, 2016, 10:00 - 12:00 p.m., with Funeral Services to follow at 12:00 p.m., at the Ft. McCoy Church of God, 149 North CR 315, Ft. McCoy, FL. Interment will take place on Monday, April 25, 2016, at 2:00 p.m., at Daytona Memorial Park Cemetery, Daytona, FL. Arrangements made in care of Roberts Funeral Homes, Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471 (352) 622-4141.

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# COSTA, JR., MANUEL R., 79

Ocala - Manuel R. Costa Jr., 79, passed away on Saturday, April 16, 2016. A loving husband, father, grandfather and friend, he was widowed in March of this year and resided in Ocala with loving family. He was born on April 5, 1937, in Manhattan, New York, the son of Mary and Manuel R costa Sr. He devoted 20 years of his life to serving our country in the United States Air Force. He was married to Dawn Costa on October 13, 1984. They celebrated 31 loving years together until her passing in March of 2016. He is survived by his children, Manuel R. Costa III, Charles Costa, Richard Costa, Christine Pederson, Cherie Winship; many grand and great grandchildren, as well as his beloved puppies, Grace and Pepper. Visitation will be held at Forest Lawn Funeral Home Thursday, April 21, 2016 from 5-7pm. A graveside ceremony will be held the following day at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Friday, April 22, 2016 at 10am. The service will be conducted by Pastor Ron Howard of Meadowbrook Church. Flowers may be delivered to the funeral home, and donations can be made directly to Meadowbrook Church in his name.

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# JACKSON, JUANITA FORDHAM, 95

Ocala - Retired Ocala educator Juanita Fordham Jackson died on April 9, 2016. Born on July 18, 1920, she moved to Ocala in 1956. She taught and inspired students for decades from middle school to junior college, retiring from Santa Fe Community College in Gainesville in the late 1970s. As an educator, she worked closely with the national and state teacher associations to implement the smooth transition of school desegregation in Florida. She was named to 'Who's Who in Black America,' along many other honors, and belonged to numerous community and professional organizations. She is survived by her devoted children, William H. Jackson Jr. of Ocala and Sheryl Jackson Cannady of Bowie, Maryland; son-in-law, James Cannady; grandson, Jason Cannady, and a host of family and friends. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, April 23, 2016, 11:00am at Zion United Methodist Church, 510 NW Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Ave., Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 21 to Apr. 22, 2016

# MILLS, CHARLES ANDERSON, 77

Ocala - Charles Anderson Mills, 77, former Marion County resident, passed away on April 16, 2016, at the Jordan Group Home in Miami Gardens, FL. Charles was born on March 3, 1939 in Ocala to Herbert and Louise Mills of Morriston, FL. He attended Ocala

High School and graduated from there in 1957. In 1960, he moved to Miami, FL. He was a Christian and enjoyed going to church. His favorite hobby was fishing. He is survived by his sister, Marlene Mills Barrett of Ocala; niece, Melissa Barrett Welborn of Flowery Branch, GA; and several cousins. He was preceded in death by his parents. A graveside service will be held at Fellowship Baptist Church Cemetery in Fellowship, FL on Friday, April 22 at 2 p.m. If you wish, memorial contributions may be made to United Cerebral Palsy of Miami at (305) 325-1080 or at http://ucp.org/. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala, FL (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# **RUPP, GERALD FRANK, 89**

Ocklawaha - Gerald Frank Rupp, 89, of Ocklawaha, passed away April 18, 2016. He was born August 11, 1926 in Seattle, Washington to the late Frank and Lilly Rupp. Gerald was a auto mechanic and truck driver before his retirement. He is preceded in death by his son, William Gerald Rupp. He is survived by his daughter, Rosella 'Terri' (Bill) Fishbaugh; two sons, Chalmers (Debbie) Rupp; Kevin (Jackie) Rupp, all of Ocklawaha; brother, Milo (Juanita) Rupp, of Jacksonville, Fl; 13 grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren; and two great great grandchildren. There will be a visitation at 12 - 1 pm with a service at 1 pm at Roberts Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL, 34471. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St, Ocala.

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# BURROWS, DONALD E. (PEEWEE), 87

Ocala - Donald E. Burrows (PeeWee), 87, was born October 5, 1928, in Vassar, Michigan. He went to be with Jesus on Monday, April 18th, 2016. He lived in Michigan until the late '70's when he moved to the Ocala area. He served his country in World War II in the Air Force. He was a self-employed man. He enjoyed collecting things and spending time with his children and grandchildren. His love of sweets is legendary. He was preceded in death by his sons, Ronald Lee and Bill Schotter. He is survived by his wife, Sandra Burrows; his children, Eugene (Debbie) Burrows, Michael (Linda) Burrows, Pamela (Bill) Pennell, Cindy (Michael) Wadsworth, Susie Howard, David (Misti) Burrows, Karl (Debbie) Schotter, Patrick (Michelle) Schotter, Randy (Alice) Hicks; 29 grandchildren, 39 great grandchildren, and four great great grandchildren. A Celebration of Life will be held Sunday, April 24, 2016 at 2:30 at Covenant Presbyterian Church 8600 S.E. 126th Place Belleview. Michigan friends and family will celebrate the life of Donald on Saturday, May 7, 2016, at 11 a.m. Vassar Nazarene Church. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to the Nazarene Compassionate Ministries http://cs.ncm.org/.

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# DAVIS, MARY ELIZABETH 'BETTIE' WALKER, 92

Ocala - Mary Elizabeth 'Bettie' Walker Davis, 92, of Venice, Florida died Wednesday,

April 6, 2016, at her home in Venice surrounded by her family. She was born in Ocala, Florida, the daughter of the late Edna Smith Walker and John Elliott Walker, who was County Engineer during the 1930's and 1940's. She was a graduate of Ocala High School and attended Ringling School of Art. Bettie was preceded in death by her husband of 59 years, James H. Davis, Jr. on April 21, 2002; her son, John Elliott Walker Davis on October 27, 1999; and her brother, John Elliott Walker, Jr. She is survived by four sons, James H. Davis, III of Englewood, FL, Andrew Calhoun Walker Davis of Tampa, FL, and David Samuel Smith Davis and Dawson Robinson Davis both of Chicago, IL; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren. Services were held on April 11, 2016 with burial in Pleasant Grove Cemetery in Owensboro, Kentucky. James H. Davis Funeral Home in Owensboro, KY was in charge of arrangements. Messages of condolence for the Davis family may be made at www.davisfuneralhome.com

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#### EILBACHER, VONETTA WALIGA, 89

Tallahassee - Vonetta Waliga Eilbacher, 89, of Tallahassee, Florida; passed away April 14, 2016 in Tallahassee. Born in Odum, Georgia; she was the daughter of the late Ledford Collins and Jonnie Hightower. Vonetta is survived by her daughter, Deborah V. Barry, of Tallahassee; and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. She is also survived by her special friend, companion, and dance partner, Don Koelbel of Summerfield, Florida. She was a Customer Service Supervisor with Orlando Utilities. Vonetta was loved and cherished by all who had the privilege of knowing her. Her daughter, Debbie, referred to her as 'A Great Mom.' Another family member wrote, 'I remember her beauty inside and out, her love of dance, love of family and love of her daughter, Debbie.' Vonetta did love to dance....so much so that she was a cast member of the 'Ice Capades' in Miami. Vonetta once said 'ballroom dancing was the best years of my life.' Not only did she love to dance, Vonetta also enjoyed sports; particularly bowling, softball, and tennis. In her golden years, she modeled for an Ocala dress boutique. It was often said of her that she was loving, kind, beautiful, glamorous, and could do anything. A visitation and celebration of life will be held at 3:00 PM on Saturday, April 23, 2016 at Culley's MeadowWood Funeral Home located at 700 Timberlane Road in Tallahassee. Burial will follow at MeadowWood Memorial Park. The service will be casual in nature and the family suggest casual attire. In lieu of flowers, the family suggest donations in Vonetta's memory to the Employee Christmas Gift Fund at Westminster Oaks. Please make checks payable to The Employee Christmas Gift Fund and mail to Westminster Oaks, 4449 Meandering Way, Tallahassee, Florida 32308.

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# FIELDS-MULKEY, DELISA, 56

Ocala - Delisa Fields-Mulkey 56, passed away in Atlanta, GA, April 16, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories, children, LiOndrina Mulkey, Kelousha McCullough, Delcida McCullough; 11 grandchildren; brothers, Willie Cobb, Harold Drummon, Johnnie Williams; sisters, Thelma Blunt, Shirley Williams, Barbara Salton, Gaynelle Bright, Juanita Williams, Diane Williams, Loretta White, Linda Joseph, Annette Simmons, Elnora Taylor, Lavette Jacobs, Betty Horne, Laresa Scott. Visitation will be Friday, April 22, 2016 10:00AM-5:00PM at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Funeral Services will be held

Saturday, April 23, 2016 at 11:00 AM at Pentecostal Full Gospel Church. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry 'Providing a memory that will never fade.' Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 22 to Apr. 23, 2016

# HUFF, GERALD HARRY, 80

Silver Springs - Gerald Harry Huff, 80, of Silver Springs, FL went to be with the Lord on April 17, 2016 at Estelle's House, Hospice of Marion County. He was born September 4, 1935 in Kittanning, PA, a son of the late Carl Joseph and the late Dorothy Marie (Long) Huff. He married the late Beverly J. (Rice) Huff on June 21, 1958. He worked as Manager of Design at Danieli Wean United for over 30 years. He was a veteran of the United States Army. He loved to golf, hunt, fish and travel. In retirement he worked part time at Ocala Municipal Golf Course. He is survived by his daughter, Susan (Robert) Yager, of Warren, OH; son, Gerald H. (Lori) Huff, Jr. of Brunswick, OH; five grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and his sister, Gloria Greenlee. He was preceded in death by his parents, Carl and Dorothy Huff; brother, Richard Huff; as well as his wife of 57 years, Beverly Jeannette Huff. Services will be held at Carl W. Hall Funeral Home in Warren, OH on Saturday, April 23, at 11:00 AM, where Pastor James Hurst will officiate. Interment will be in Meadow Brook Memorial Park, Warren, Ohio. The family requests that material contributions be made to the Hospice of Marion County PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860, in his memory.

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# WOODS, SR., LEWIS PHILIP, 88

Anthony - Lewis Philip Woods, Sr. was born July 22, 1927. He was employed by Seaboard Coastline, now CSX for 36 years. He leaves to cherish his memories a devoted wife, Earlene Nichols Woods; children, Lewis, Jr. (Teresa), Brenda (Vernon) and Calvin (Helene); son-in-laws, Chris and Adell; numerous grandchildren; godchildren; a sister; nieces; nephews; cousins; family and friends. Public visitation will be on Friday, April 22, 2016 from 12 noon to 7pm at Summers Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held Saturday, April 23, 2016, 11am at New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, Reverend Michael Baker, Sr., Pastor. In lieu of flowers you may donate to R.R. Bailey Lodge #486, PO Box 879 Fairfield, Florida 32634 and/or Kindred at Home Hospice 1320 SE 25th Loop, Suite 101 in Ocala, Florida 34475. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 21 to Apr. 23, 2016

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# DAIGLE, BARBARA JEAN, 71

Ocala - Barbara Jean Daigle, 71, of Ocala, FL, died Wednesday, April 20, 2016 at Legacy House in Ocala, FL. She was born September 4, 1944 in Duluth, MN the daughter of Arthur and June (nee Bloomer) Pierce. She received her Bachelor's Degree from the Duluth Business University and worked as a Claims Adjustor for the Teamster's Union. She came with her husband to central FL from Arkansas seven years ago. She is survived by her husband, Ronald James Daigle of the home in Ocala, FL; daughter,

Tonya Marie Donahue, of Duluth, MN; daughter, Kelly Lamarr Daigle and her companion, Melissa, of Apple Valley, MN; son, Kenneth Allen Daigle and his wife, Mary, of Forest Lake, MN; son, Richard Dean Daigle and his wife, Dawn, of Elk River, MN; and a sister, June Marie Edralin, of Ocala, FL; and a special nephew, Larry Edralin. She is also survived by nine grandchildren; and five great grandchildren. Services will be private.

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# DAVIS, FRANK, 82

Ocala - Frank Davis passed away, April 15, 2016. Born in Elco, PA into a family of four brothers and two sisters. After his parent's death, he was raised by his oldest brother in Chicago. Proudly served in the U.S. Army in Korea. Working full-time for Western Electric as a lineman, he attended night school at Northwestern and earned his Business Administration degree. There he met and married Chicagoan, Barbara. He became active in the Elk's and was instrumental in developing programs for needy neighborhood children and was chosen Elk of the Year. He worked for Oscar Mayer in Labor Relations, then for Diebold in Canton, OH. He loved history novels and his knowledge of historical events was amazing. He leaves behind 19 nieces and nephews. In 2001, he and Barbara retired to Florida. Internment will be at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please consider Shriner's Childrens Hospital.

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# DEVORE, JAMES B. (JIM), 73

Ocala - James B. (Jim) DeVore, age 73, passed away suddenly on April 19, 2016. James was born to Altha Mae Seiler and Alexander (Bunce) DeVore on November 30, 1942 in Ocala, Florida. He grew up on a farm in Reddick, Florida and graduated from Reddick High School. After high school he ran a garage/filling station with his brother, John, and farmed with his father and uncle for five years. He then attended Central Florida Junior College and the University of Florida, graduating with Honors in 1970 with a degree in Accounting. He became a CPA and worked as an auditor for a few years and then was Comptroller for First Florida Bank in Tampa. He was married to Jane Helms and lived for twenty years in Largo, Florida. He eventually moved to California and worked for Waste Management there. James was raised in the Presbyterian Church and later in life became a born again Christian who loved to spread the gospel. He was a Scholar of Biblical Studies. In retirement, he enjoyed the climate in Redwood City, California. Survivors include his twin brother, John A. DeVore; sister, Altha Louise Long; nephews, Lex and Brent Long; sister, Ollie Jayne Toole; nephew, Russ; and niece, Leanne Endsley. A graveside service will take place at Millwood Cemetery in Reddick, Florida on Friday, April 29, 2016 at 5:00 P.M. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions to Thornwell Home for Children at 302 South Broad Street, Clinton, SC 29325 or www.thornwellhome.org.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 25, 2016**

GRAF, ELVA RUTH, 76

Ocala- It is with great sadness we announce the death of Elva Ruth Graf, 76, mother, sister and grandmother, who died on Monday, April 18, 2016 at West Marion Hospital in Ocala, FL. She leaves behind her daughters, Selina Harger, Tracey Boyer and Dana Falbo; her brother, James Byers; her grandchildren, Heather Marie, Sgt. Ian Martin, Duncan, Brandon and Kaitlin. She is preceded in death by her husband, Bill Graf and her brother, David Byers. Elva moved from Pennsylvania to Florida in 1971 and came to the Ocala area over twenty years ago from Pinellas County, FL. She was very active with the Coast Guard Auxiliary, Dunedin-Flotilla and a member of the S.C.A. Elva was a woman of many talents and artistic skills with a creative imagination who will be greatly missed by all who knew her. A Celebration of life will be held at a later date. Expressions of sympathy or photos can be left to the family at robertsofdunnellon.com. Arrangements have been entrusted to Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 26, 2016**

### LAPINSKI, JIMMY WAYNE "HARRELL" - 70

Ocala - Jimmy Wayne "Harrell" Lapinski, 70, of Ocala passed away at his home on Saturday, April 23, 2016. Jimmy was a native of Mooresville, North Carolina and moved to Ocala, FL in 1981. He was a proud Veteran of The United States Marines and a retired leader at Lockheed Martin of 27 years. Survivors include wife of 50 years, Bonnie Lapinski; sister, Marchetta Holloway; brother, Robert Lapinski; son, Shawn (Annie) Lapinski of Stafford, VA; daughter, Christine (Gary) Anderson of Davenport, FL; grandchildren, Christopher, Gwyn, Amber, Wyatt, Abby, Stephen, and Philip; four great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his father, Wallace Lapinski; mother, Sadie Poston Lapin-ski. A visitation will be held on Wednesday, April 27, 2016 from 9 AM- 11 AM with a fu-neral service to follow at 11 AM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Spring Blvd., Ocala. Entomb-ment will follow at Highland Memorial Park. In lieu of flow-ers donations may be made to St. Labre Indian School in Ash-land, MT http://www.stlabre.org. Online condolences may be sent at hiers-baxley.com.

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### Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 27, 2016

### **BINDER, CATHERINE, 84**

Ocala - Catherine Binder, 84, of Ocala passed away April 22, 2016. Born in Jamaica, NY, she came to this area 16 years ago from Long Island. Mrs. Binder was an educator for 50 years and worked at both Parochial and Public Schools. She was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. She is survived by her husband of 56 years, Richard; her nieces, and nephews on Long Island, NY and in New Mexico, and, although had no children of her own, considered her many students over the years her children. She was known affectionately to her students as 'You Owe Me.' She was preceded in death by her brothers, John and Frank Fasanaro; and her sister, Mary Tersigni. Visitation will be held at Baldwin Brothers' Heritage Chapel, 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala 236-5884 on Tuesday, April 26, 2016 from 5-7PM. A Funeral Mass will be held at Queen of Peace

Catholic Church, 6455 SW SR200, Ocala on Wednesday, April 27, 2016 at 8:30AM. She will be interred at the Cemetery of the Holy Rood, Long Island, NY. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 26 to Apr. 27, 2016

# GOTTLIEB, HELEN PAULINE FERRARI WOODRING JANUARY 25, 1925 - APRIL 20, 2016.

Ocala - Helen Gottlieb, 91, daughter Paul Ferrari and Genoveffa (Genevieve) Trapletti Ferrari, passed away peacefully at her home in Ocala, Florida on Wednesday. April 20, 2016. She was predeceased by five sisters; two husbands, Charles E. Woodring, Jr. of State College, PA and Arthur A. Gottlieb of Ocala, FL, and one grandson, Adam T. W. Berg of State College. Helen attended Penn State University where she met her first husband known by many as 'Chuck.' They married while he was on a leave from his service as a flight navigator in World War II. They raised daughter, Carole Lyn Woodring and son, Jeffrey Craig Woodring while Chuck completed his studies at Penn's Wharton School, taught at PSU, founded University Realty, and served as Centre County Commissioner. Helen was active in many social and charitable activities in support of State College organizations including Centre Community Hospital, State College Presbyterian Church, where she taught Sunday school, Sigma Sigma Sigma Sorority, and Cub Scouts. She enjoyed fiction, as well as bridge, golf, and dancing, Centre Hills Country Club and Elks Club. She shared her talent in fashion, home decor, and cooking. Special activities included attending Broadway shows and organizing picnics for her children and their grandmothers. After Chuck's death on April 8, 1969, she married Art Gottlieb, who was teaching military science at PSU. The couple alternated seasons in State College and Florida where Art was an avid golfer. They traveled abroad to areas where Helen's parents were born and Art served as a military diplomat. Over two decades ago, they settled fuiltime in Ocala's Golden Hills Golf and Turf community. Helen will be privately laid to rest at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be given to any branch of medical research dear to the hearts of her friends. Her family welcomes contact through Carole Woodring, 26 Overbrook Road, Madison. CT 06443-1834, or Jeff Woodring, 4445 N. 137th Street, Anthony FL 32617-9599. Helen is survived also by granddaughters, Nicole L. W. Berg, a teacher living in Downingtown, PA, Jessica L. W. B. Avery, with husband Julian Avery, State College, PA, Elizabeth (Beth) M. W. Petescia, with husband Chris Petescia, Brooklyn & Clinton, NY, as well as great granddaughters, Arden L. and Linden W. Avery, and Olivia A. Petescia; son-in-law, Eric M. Berg and daughter-in-law, Terrie Trumbore Woodring. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 26 to Apr. 27, 2016

# **RAMSEY, AILEEN V. DELVECCHIO, 80**

Belleview - Aileen Ramsey, passed away peacefully in her home on April 15, 2016. She was born November 2, 1935, in Thunder Bay, Ontario, Canada, the daughter of the late Anthony J. and Filomena Marino Delvecchio. After moving to Miami, FL, she met her husband of 60 years, Charles 'Ed' Ramsey, who preceded her in passing. Together they ran successful construction businesses in Miami, FL and Belleview, FL. She will be deeply missed by her children, Theresa (Bob) Scott, Cheryl (Richard) Smith, Edward (Teresa) Ramsey and Chris (Jacqueline) Ramsey. She leaves behind a devoted brother, Emil J. (Anne) Delvecchio, N. Miami Beach, FL, and sister, June D. Haygood, Pembroke

Pines, FL; a sister-in-law, Louise (Frank) Glover, Beaufort, SC; and brother-in-law, L.J. (Diane) Ramsey, Yemassee, SC. Aileen was blessed with many loving grandchildren and great-grandchildren, family members and friends. We sorrowfully mourn her passing and will always cherish our memories of her life. Memorial Mass will be held on Saturday, April 30, 2016 at 10:30 am at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Candler, FL. Arrangements by Florida Cremation Society, The Villages.

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### WOOLEY, STUART D, 97

Ocala - Stuart D. Wooley, died April 22, 2016. He was preceded in death by wife, Iris. He is survived by five children; five grandchildren; five great grandchildren. Services will be held April 30th, 2016, at 2PM at Forest Lawn Funeral Home Ocala, FL 34480. In lieu of flowers, family requests a donation be made to the Salvation Army or American Red Cross in Stu's memory. For more information visit: www.forestlawnocala.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 26 to Apr. 27, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 28, 2016**

## CURTIS, ROSS J., 91

Dunnellon - Mr. Ross J. Curtis, 91, of Dunnellon, passed away Tuesday, April 26, 2016 at Hospice of Citrus and the Nature Coast. He was born December 15, 1924 in Lansing, Michigan. He graduated from Everett High School in Lansing in 1942. He then served in the US Navy during WW II in the Pacific, earning, among other awards, the Distinguished Flying Cross. After leaving the service, he attended Massey Business College in Lansing. He spent 35 years with Associates Financial Services Corporation, retiring in 1985. Mr. Curtis was an avid golfer. He was preceded in death by his wife, Ann; his son, John; his brother, Sherman; and his sister, Nancy Kiebler. He is survived by his son, Robert, of Dunnellon. Private services will be held at Florida National Cemetery under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon. His family would like to thank the Dunnellon Fire Department, the Citrus Memorial Hospital's Emergency and Critical Care Units, and Hospice of Citrus County for their rapid response and professional and compassionate care. Friends may leave condolences at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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### GAUNTT, JOYCE ELVERSON, 83

Ocala - Joyce Elverson Gauntt, age 83, died on April 17, 2016. A native of Birmingham, Alabama. After many moves, she and her husband, Bill, moved to Ocala and settled on a small farm in 1973. A long time musician, soloist, choir director and organist, Joyce served several churches. She joined Ft. King Presbyterian Church in Ocala and served as an elder. Besides loving her Lord, her life was filled with many dogs and horses including strays and needy animals. She was preceded in death by her parents and her pharmacist husband, Bill Gauntt. She is survived by her daughter, Robin Elaine Gauntt of Gainesville, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts would be welcomed by Ft King Presbyterian Church, 13 NE 36th Ave, Ocala FL 34470 and the Humane Society of Marion County, 701 NE 14th Road, Ocala FL 34475. Viewing will be 6-8pm

Wednesday, April 27, 2016 at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 So, Pine Avenue, Ocala FL 34480. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, April 30, 2016 at 10am at Ft. King Presbyterian Church. Graveside service will be in Birmingham, AL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 27 to Apr. 28, 2016

### Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 29, 2016

## FORNOF, KEVIN MALCOLM, 47

Ocala - Kevin Malcolm Fornof, 47, of Silver Springs, FL, passed away at his residence on Sunday, April 24, 2016. Kevin was born on December 12, 1968 in Ocala to Paul and Joan Fornof and has lived here all his life. He was a Master Welder with E-ONE. Kevin is survived by his wife, Deana Fornof; daughter, Hannah Fornof; and son, Logan Fornof; stepchildren, Jesse Gladdin and Ashley Johnson; three granddaughters; and three grandsons; brothers, Michael (Tonya) Fornof and Richard Fornof of Orlando. Funeral services will be 2:00 pm Saturday, April 30 2016 at Hiers Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala with visitation one hour prior. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park in Ocala. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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## FRANKLIN, HAROLD LAMAR, 57

Ocala - Elder Harold Lamar Franklin was born August 3, 1958 to Leroy and Elizabeth Franklin and raised in Ocala, Florida. He is the last of fourteen siblings. He was educated in the Marion County Public School System and was a graduate of Forest High School Class of 1976. Harold furthered his education at Tennessee State University in Nashville, Tennessee, where he was a defensive back football player, and then later the University of Florida in Gainesville, Florida. Elder Franklin has been married to his high school sweetheart of 36 years, Sister Karen Michelle Sellers Franklin, to this union was born three daughters. His daughter, Cammie Elizabeth Franklin, preceded him in death. Harold has been employed by United Parcel Service of America, Inc. (UPS) for over 33 years. Elder Franklin peacefully transitioned from this life on Friday, April 22, 2016. Precious memories of Elder Harold Franklin will be cherished by his wife of 36 years, Karen Michelle Sellers Franklin; his two daughters, Kara Franklin, Tahara Franklin; granddaughter, Kaydin Crews; six sisters, Katie (Mark) Hart, Cora (John) Rawls, Sonji Franklin, Linda Franklin, Sylvia Franklin and Yolanda (Roosevelt) Beard of Ocala, FL; three brothers, Leroy (Janice) Franklin of Ft. Lauderdale, FL, Alvin (Gloria) Franklin, and Curtis (Joann) Franklin of Ocala, FL; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held at 12 noon on Sunday, May 1, 2016, at The House of God Church, 2830 NW 27th Avenue, Ocala, FL. Family and friend are asked to meet at the House of God Church at 11:30am. Trial Bishop Charlene Jamison will be eulogist. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Saturday 10am-3pm. A Wake will be held at the House of God Church on Saturday, April 30, 2016 from 5:00 -7:00 pm. Services Entrusted to Sellers Funeral Home. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 28 to Apr. 29, 2016

#### GARDNER, EVELYN MARIE, 89

Orange Springs - Evelyn Marie Gardner, 89, passed away April 25, 2016 Life Celebration for Ms. Gardner will be held on Saturday, April 30, 2016, 3pm at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, 2251 NW 2nd Street. Rev. Dr. T.L. Brooks will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Tyson's residence, 149 Almond Road, Ocala, Florida, at 2PM on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Ms. Gardner leaves to cherish her precious memories nieces, Beverly Baker, Glenna Joyce Morgan, Angie King, Fay Eason-Tyson (Joe); nephews, Craig Eason (Veronica), Brad Eason (Jill), and a host of great nieces, great nephews, cousins, and sorrowing friends. Close friends include, Dorothy Green, Juanita Cunningham, Fannie Mae Gordon, and Louise Mack. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 28 to Apr. 29, 2016

#### HAW, BARBARA JO, 73

Ocala - Barbara Jo Haw, 73, passed away April 27, 2016. Born in Bennettsville, SC on April 25, 1943 to Richard Earl Strickland and Freddie Mae Mappin Miller. She married William H. Haw on December 25, 1964 and they moved here from West Palm Beach 20 years ago. Barbara graduated from Central Florida Community College with an AS degree in 1999, an AA degree in 2005, and then a Bachelor's degree in 2009 from the University of Central Florida. She attended Mt. Moriah Baptist Church and was a lifelong band parent. She is predeceased by her father, Richard Strickland and her sister, Carol Anderson, and was a direct descendant of Jefferson Davis. She is survived by her loving husband of 51 years, William H. Haw; mother, Freddie M. Miller, of Atmore, AL; daughters, Nancy Lynne Carl (Richard), of West Palm Beach, Stephanie Marie Haw, of Ocala; brothers, Richard Strickland (Nieta), of Gainesville, GA, Rusty Miller (Tracy), of Atmore, AL; one grandson, Brandon Messerrof and numerous nieces and nephews. Barbara was a wonderful mother and wife and will be dearly missed by all who knew her, especially her beloved dogs, Maggie Mae and Sally Ann. Funeral Service will be 3:00 p.m., Saturday, April 30, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with Reverend Edwards officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior. Private interment will be later in the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

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### IMMEL, MARK STEVEN, 54

Ocala - Survived by his loving wife, Kim; and daughters, Kayla, Kirsten, Kourtlyn and Kennis Immel (Ocala); his parents, Bud and Carole Immel (Ocala), as well as his sisters, Margie Armstrong and Sue Milton (Ocala) - Mark Steven Immel, 54 of Ocala has gone home and into the loving arms of his heavenly father, Jesus Christ. An avid fisherman and golf enthusiast, Mark was a lover of the great outdoors, especially the mountains. Mark was a dedicated financial advisor for over 25 years. He treated his clients as if they were family. The client's interests always came first; in Mark's eyes it did not matter if the client had \$5,000 or \$500,000, he gave the same effort to make sure their goals and objectives were achieved. This passion was evident in all other areas of Mark's life. He

was a friend to many and a constant source of laughter and positivity and uplifting joy. He had a tremendous heart for those in need and was always a helping hand. The greatest example of a father in his daughters eye's, Mark was the Do-it-all dad. Softball coach, ballet recitals, volleyball games, horse shows and musical theater plays. A role-model, protector and a mender of broken hearts, he did it all. Mark and his wife, Kim, are the reason we have great love stories - together since high-school, they were the best of friends, soul mates and God's example of true love. But beyond all of these things, Mark was truly a man after God's own heart. And while we mourn the loss of such an incredible friend, son, brother, father and husband - we know without certain that Mark was welcomed into his heavenly Father's arms with a 'Well done, my good and faithful son.' In lieu of flowers, please send donations to The Women's Pregnancy Center of Ocala. Memorial services will be held at 11 AM Saturday, April 30, 2016, at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon. Condolences for the family can be left at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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## JONES, FLOYD, 72

Citra - Prophet Floyd Jones, 72, passed away April 24, 2016 Life Celebration for Mr. Jones will be held on Saturday, April 30, 2016, 11am at United Missionary Baptist Church, 15460 NW 144th Avenue Road, Reddick, Florida, Rev. Nathaniel Rawls. Apostle Nathaniel Washington will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at Holy Spirit Tabernacle of God Church, (14450 NE Jacksonville Road, Citra, Florida) at 10:15am on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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### KRAMAR, BARBARA

Ocala - Barbara Kramar, a native of Florida and a longtime resident of Ocala, went to rest in the Sleep of Peace on April 22, 2016. She was married to Dr. Leonard Kramar. She was a member of Blessed Trinity Church. She is survived by a son, Woody Hunt; a daughter, Sunny Varney of Ocala; sisters, Theda hill, Sparkle Green, Sue Brannon; and brother, Harry Kapes of Lake City; nieces, Stephany of St. Augustine, and Hope of Ocala. The viewing will be held from 5 pm to 7 pm Thursday April 28, 20156 at Roberts Funeral Home at 2739 S.E. Maricamp Road in Ocala, Florida. There will be a graveside service at Good Shepard Memorial Gardens, 5050 S.W. 20th St. at 1100am, Friday, April 29, 2016.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, April 30, 2016**

### **CRUZ-POPOCA, MIGUEL 'MICKEY,' 15**

Ocala - Mikey Cruz-Popoca, 15, tragically passed away April 23, 2016. Born and raised in Ocala, FL on June 6, 2000, he was a student in Marion County. He is survived by his

mother, Tonya Terhart; sisters, Sierra Callahan, of Ocala, Kaylee Terhart, of Ocala, and Tiffany Terhart of Howey in the Hills. Miguel leaves behind many other relatives and friends that will miss him dearly. He was loved by anyone who ever met him and he always wanted to make people laugh, he was an excellent student who loved to learn about everything. Joint graveside services will be 1:00 p.m., Friday, April 29, 2016 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL, with Pastor Samuel W. Clements officiating. Condolences mav be left for the family at www.countrysidefunerals.com/notices/Miguel-Cruz-Popoca. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 29 to Apr. 30, 2016

### GOIN JR., VERNON DAVID, 76

Ocala - Vernon David Goin Jr., 76, passed away tragically April 23, 2016. Born September 1, 1939 in Hillsborough County, FL to Vernon David Goin Sr. and Hazel E. Johnson Goin. He was an electronics technician in the car audio industry. He is preceded in death by his wife; mother; father; son, Alton Goin; and grandparents, James Madison Goin, Lenora Stroble, Thomas I. Johnson and Delena May Crenshaw. He is survived by his sons, Marc W. Rogers, (Maria) of Ocala, Brian Rogers, Ocala, David Goin, Jacksonville, FL; sisters, Patricia Rench 'Trish', of Jacksonville, Tonya Terhart, Ocala; ten grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Vern was a loving husband, father, grandfather and friend to many. He will be missed dearly by all who knew him. Joint graveside service will be held 1:00 p.m., Friday, April 29, 2016 at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL with Pastor Samuel W. Clements officiating. Condolences may be left for the family at www.countrysidefunerals.com/notices/Vernon-Goinjr. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 29 to Apr. 30, 2016

### **GONZALEZ, BROOKE ASHLEE, 19**

Ocala - Brooke Ashlee Gonzalez, 19, passed away tragically April 25, 2016 in Pasco-Hernando County. She was born in Pembroke Pines on May 28, 1996 to Luis R. Gonzalez and Wendy L. Donaldson. Brooke graduated from North Marion High School and was a Class 5-A all-state selected softball player. She was sophomore at Pasco Hernando State College, playing a leader for the PHSC Conquistadors softball team on a softball scholarship. Graduating with her AA. Brooke also loved being in the Gulf on the boat fishing with the family and kayaking. Brooke was an exceptional daughter, sister, aunt, friend, Teammate and athlete. She was a beautiful person inside and out and will be greatly missed. Her inspiration touched many lives. She is survived by her parents, Luis and Wendy Gonzalez; brothers, Bryan and Luis (Danielle, Aaron, Barbara); nephew, baby Carter; paternal grandfather, Luis; tia Mima and tio Tano; maternal aunt, Brenda; and aunt Lil & Larry and many other family members. Visitation will be Saturday, April 30, 2016 at Unity Baptist Church 1300 NE 100th Street, Anthony, FL 34479 at 10am followed by Funeral Service at 12 noon, with Pastor Gene Cone officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family is asking for donations for Brooke's beloved nephew, Carter, who is Medical waiting for a liver transplant. Carter's Fund at: www.gofundme.com/akalittlepeanut

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#### MARTIN, DAVID ERIC, 66

Ocala - David Eric Martin, age 66, of Ocala passed away on Monday, April 18, 2016. Born in Indiana on March 28, 1950, he moved his family to Ocala in 1990. He was employed by Sullivan Buick GMC in Ocala. He was preceded in death by his parents, Delbert and Catherine Martin; and his sister, Mary Bergeron. David is survived by his loving wife of 45 years, Patricia Martin; two sons, Kevin Martin (Naomi) of Lake Worth, Florida and Adam Martin (Stephanie) of Ocklawaha, Florida; a daughter, Amanda Martin also of Ocklawaha, Florida and a brother and sister-in-law, Larry and Karen Martin of Bargersville, Indiana. He had nine grandchildren, five nieces, three nephews and numerous other relatives. In accordance with his own wishes, Mr. Martin has been cremated.

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## SOUCEY, BARBARA ANNA, 82

Silver Springs - Barbara Soucey, passed away peacefully surrounded by family on April 23, 2016. She was born Barbara Anna Bergeron in Lawrence, Mass., April 16, 1934 to Irene and P. Arthur Bergeron. She lived in several states before moving to Silver Springs Florida in 1974. She is survived and will be deeply missed by her husband of 65 years, Roger A. Soucey, Sr.; brother, Wilfred (Venita) A. Woods; sister, Loraine LaBrie; six children, Dennis (Stephanie) A. Soucey Sr., Joyce (David) Gallant, David (JoAnn) Soucey, Roger (Lori) A. Soucey, Jr., Gail (Harry) Garrett, and Barbara (John) Von Canon. Barbara is survived also by 16 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren as well as numerous nieces and nephews. In addition to being a wonderful wife, mother and grandmother, Barbara was an award winning Avon Sales Representative for over 50 years, A Girl Scout Leader, 4-H Leader, and High School Student Mentor. She worked at the Silver Springs Attraction and the Forest High School Cafeteria. Performed in several musicals at the Ocala Civic Theatre as well as being a lifetime member. Barbara and her husband, Roger, owned and operated Big Pines Hardware for 18 years. She was in the church choir since its founding. She traveled extensively with her husband to all 50 states and numerous countries. Services will be held on Saturday May 7, 2016 at 11 a.m. at St. Joseph of the Forest Catholic Church, 17301 E.Hwy. 40, Silver Springs, Florida. In Lieu of flowers please make a donation in her name to St. Judes Childrens Research Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 1, 2016**

### HUTTO, STEVEN S., 58

Citra - Steven Sidney Hutto, of Citra, FL, passed away on Saturday, April 2, 2016 at Haven Hospice in Palatka, FL. Steve was born in Jacksonville, Florida on January 27, 1958, a son of Ellis and Allavon Berry Hutto. He attended schools in Jacksonville and in St. George. Steve is survived by his brother, Michael C. Hutto of Jacksonville, FL; two nephews, Raymond and Michael Hutto, Jr.; his step-daughters, Samantha & Tabitha and their children, and his extended family in Florida and in 'Carolina' where he often traveled to visit. He is also survived by his many good friends, who extended hospitality to him and who also enjoyed his quick wit and sense of humor. He will be greatly missed. Arrangements by Cremations Only of Gainesville, FL.

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### JOHNSON, ROY, 87

Ocala - Roy Johnson, 87, passed away April 27, 2016. Born January 6, 1929 in Samson, AL to Rander Johnson and Omie Jackson. He retired as an insurance Staff Manager and was a veteran of the United States Army during WWII. He was a long time Ham Radio enthusiast, and loved fishing and reading the bible. He is preceded in death by his loving wife, Martha Isabel Johnson (2012) and parents. He is survived by his sons, James Johnson 'Jay' (Rejeana), Jeff Johnson (Laura); daughter, Janis Owens (Wendell); brother, Wayne Johnson (Lelo); eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. Visitation will be 4:00 - 6:00 p.m., Sunday, May 1, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd, Anthony, FL 32617. Funeral Service will be 10:00 a.m., Monday, May 2, 2016 at First Assembly of God Church, Ocala, with Pastor Fred McDaniel officiating. Interment will follow in Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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## **KNISLEY, JR., SAMUEL RALPH, 78**

Ocala - Samuel Ralph Knisley, Jr. (aka 'Dokie' to his family), 78, of Ocala, FL, died suddenly April 18, 2016 at his home in Ocala Palms. Born in Baltimore, MD, July 19, 1937 to Samuel and Elva (Souder) Knisley, Sam grew up in Savage, MD, graduated from Howard High School in 1955, and earned a B.S degree on an athletic scholarship from The George Washington University in Washington, D.C. He played pro baseball for the Philadelphia Phillies in 1960 and pro basketball for the Baltimore Bullets in the eastern basketball league in 1961. As associate professor of wellness, Sam taught and coached at Community College of Baltimore County, Catonsville (CCBC) for 36 years (1966-2002). During that time he was a tremendously successful basketball and tennis coach for both the men's and women's teams. He also founded and coached the CCBC Catonsville wrestling program 1966-67. He completed coursework toward an M.S. degree at the University of Maryland. Sam was inducted into the CCBC Athletics Hall of Fame in 2013 and had previously been inducted into Howard High School's Athletics Hall of Fame. As a coach, he mentored hundreds of young men and women in the Baltimore area, many of whom kept in contact with him. In 2002, Sam married Marilyn (Hewitt) Knisley and retired to Ocala, FL. He soon returned to work as a school bus driver for Marion County and retired again in 2009 to enjoy tennis and golf with his family and many friends. Sam was preceded in death by his son, Samuel Ralph Knisley, III. He leaves to cherish his memories his devoted wife, Marilyn; her children, Alan (DeAnn) Sullivan of Destrehan, LA, Sean Sullivan of Portland, OR; her grandchildren, Laura, Paul, Patrick and Hewitt Sullivan; his brother, John (Joe) Knisley; sister, Catherine (Kitty) Engel both of Sparta, TN; children, Robin Hollifield of Dallas, GA and Kevin Knisley of Charlotte, NC; stepdaughters, Cheryl (Jon) Sinnott of El Paso, TX, and Kelly Palicki of Tahoe City, CA, five grandchildren; four great grandchildren; aunts; uncles; cousins; teaching colleagues; friends; and last but not least his beloved toy poodle, Phoebe. Memorial donations may be made to The First Tee of Greater Ocala, 3130 E. Silver Springs Blvd.. Ocala, FL 34470, phone 352-362-2258, www.thefirstteegreaterocala.org, or The First Tee of Greater Baltimore, 303 International

Circle, Suite T119, Hunt Valley, MD 21030, phone 410-218-4616, www.thefirstteebaltimore.org. Condolences may be sent to Marilyn Knisley, 5097 NW 19th Place, Ocala, FL. 34482. The family sincerely appreciates the many expressions of kindness and sympathy. At his request, Sam was cremated and no services are scheduled at this time. 'I was very fortunate to be paid for what I loved to do.' Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Apr. 30 to May 1, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 2, 2016**

#### **BEERS JR., HAROLD A., 85**

Belleview - Harold was born October 3, 1930 in Lansing, MI. He passed away on April 21, 2016 at his home in Belleview, FL. under the care of Hospice of Marion Co. Harold grew up in Brighton, MI. After graduation, he joined the Army during the Korean War and was a cook at a Hospital Base. He was a Dairy Farmer and later became an Owner, Trainer, Driver of Standard bred race horses. In 1971, he moved to Belleview, Florida. He had a trucking business, over the road and later hauling mobile homes. He was later contracted to mow all of the roadways of Marion Co. He had two IMCA race cars and was involved with WHIPS carriage driving club which led to his job training horses for the Arabian Knights Dinner Club in Orlando and driving carriage tours on Mackinac Island in MI. In retirement, he worked at the Marion Flea Market. His latest passion was country music at Catfish Johnny's in Lake Panasoffkee. He is survived by his long time companion, Flo Tomasella; three daughters, Katie and Michael Proctor, Julie and James Hamlin, Pattie and Greg Hill; six grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren. Harold requested that there be no services. He chose cremation and his ashes will be buried in The National Cemetery Bushnell at a later date. Harold believed that there is no organization better than Hospice and memorials can be made to a Hospice of your choice. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 1 to May 2, 2016

### **BOYER, IRMA LOUISE GOODYEAR (BOOTS) SLAUGHTER, 84**

Ocala - Irma Louise Goodyear (Boots) Slaughter Boyer passed away peacefully at her home April 27, 2016 from natural causes. She was born in Ocala, FL, August 31, 1931, to parents Martha Whaley and Warren Goodyear. She was proud of her fifth generation Florida heritage and lived in the Ocala-Ocklawaha area for over 50 Years. Boots was a dedicated member of the Methodist Church of Ocklawaha. She and her husband Mel spent many hours raising money for the building fund of the church. She was preceded in death by husbands, Marlowe Slaughter and Mel Boyer; sister, Vivian Goodyear; son, Michael Slaughter; and grandson, Marlowe Slaughter. She is survived by brother, Ed Goodyear, Lake Placid, FL; grandchildren, Suzanna (Andy), Gaeta, Chicago, Ill., Andrew (Liz) Slaughter, Ocklawaha, FL, and four great grandchildren. Services and burial will be announced at a later date. Boots will be missed by many in the community. She touched the lives of those around her and everyone who knew her kindness and cheerfulness will never forget her love. Friends who wish to honor her may make a donation in her name to the Methodist Church of Ocklawaha, 13333 Ocala Rd, Ocklawaha, FL 32179 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 1 to May 2, 2016

### **CUNNINGHAM, KATHLEEN MARIE, 61**

Kathleen Marie Cunningham, 61, of Dunnellon, passed away on April 26th, 2016 in Dunnellon, Florida. A memorial service will be held at 6:30PM on May 5th at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon, Florida with Wayne Barber of River Gardens Baptist Church, officiating. Kathleen was born in Tampa, Florida to Stanley and Mary Scally on July 25th, 1954. She married Phillip O. Cunningham on March 29th, 1981 in Tampa, Florida. Kathleen worked as a Manager in the family-owned and operated Front Porch Restaurant & Pie Shop for 30 years. She was commonly seen chatting up the patrons of the restaurant and went out of her way to ensure everyone there felt at home. Kathleen loved to sing and was a member of the Front Porch Singers who spent many years on stage, along with her father and sisters, entertaining Dunnellonites during numerous community events and social affairs. Kathleen spent several years on the Dunnellon Chamber of Commerce where she worked to promote activities to benefit the town. Two of Kathleen's most favorite pastimes were spent swimming in the Rainbow River and viewing scenery in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. Kathleen is preceded in death by her father Stanley Scally Jr., her brother Stanley Scally III and her nephew, Ty Stevens. Kathleen is survived by her spouse, Phillip Cunningham, her children Rick Alvarez, Tonya Hanlin and spouse James Hanlin; her daughter in-law Sherri Alvarez; her brother Robert Scally; her sisters Debra Pricher, Gail Barr, Donna Sowell, Jenny Michaels and Kelly Conley, her grandchildren Phillip Miller, Patience Hanlin, Raelyn Alvarez, Addison Alvarez and her great-grandchild, Peyton Hanlin. Kathleen was also survived by numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews In lieu of flowers we ask that you donate to the gofundme campaign -www.gofundme.com/kcunningham sympathy or pictures can be left Expressions of for the family at: robertsofdunnellon.com.

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### HESTER, AMOS 'BUDDY,' 92

Anthony - Mr. Amos 'Buddy' Hester, 92, of Anthony, passed away April 18, 2016 at the Hawthorne Village of Ocala Nursing Home. A diligent construction worker until his full retirement, this dear man will be missed by all who knew and loved him. He is survived by sister, Berthenia Hart; uncle, Negley Tuggerson; daughter, B.J. Cunningham; a large collection of step-children, and a host of nieces and nephews. Memorial service will be held Saturday, May 14, 2016 at 2:00 PM at Legacy House, 9505 SW 110 ST., Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 1 to May 2, 2016

LISK, ALONSON, 'AL' C., 91 Ocala - Alonson, 'Al' C. Lisk, born September 11, 1924 in Fort McCoy, FL; died April 26, 2016 in Ocala, FL. He proudly served our country in the 101st Airborne in WW II receiving a Bronze Star and two Purple Hearts. Al received his Master's Degree from University of Florida. He worked in the Marion County School System for over 30 years. Al was preceded in death by his wife, Elizabeth (Libby) Lisk. He is survived by his beloved children, Phillip Lisk (Amy), Beverly Lisk, Michael Lisk (Maribel), and Diana Pell (Jim); and his eleven grandchildren and eight great grandchildren who all love and treasure him as their best friend. Memorial service will be held at Highlands Baptist Church, 3530 E. Fort King Street Ocala, Florida 34470, Saturday, May 7, 2016 at 10:00 AM. In lieu of flowers, family desires memorials to be sent to Hope for Haiti, P. O. Box 864331, Orlando, FL 32886 \* 407-805-9532. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Boulevard. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 1 to May 2, 2016

# TAYLOR, HAL. D., 88

Ocala - Hal D. Taylor died April 26, 2016; born in Creston, IA in 1927. Proudly served our country in the US Navy on the USS Renate during WW II. Married his first wife, Ruth Rath (deceased) in 1947. They raised their daughters, Kathleen and Susan in Kenosha, WI. One time member of Bethany Lutheran Church, Kenosha, WI. Member of the Lions and Masonic Lodges. Worked in his father's oil business, Taylor Oil Co. He retired as a Journeyman Plasterer in 1989 and moved to Ocala, FL. Joined Grace Presbyterian Church, PCA in 2003. Married Carolyn Slater in 2004. Survived by his beloved wife, Carolyn E. Taylor; daughters, Kathleen Hedding and Susan Singer; stepdaughter, Carol Mowrey; grandchildren, Aaron Singer, Caitlin Hanrahan, Brian, Stacey, Joel Hedding, Paula Richardson, Krista Rodger, Cheryl Byrne; great-grandchildren, Luke and Jack Richardson, Catherine, and Lillyanne Hedding, Blake and Brooke Byrne; sisters, Jean Scheve, June Krapf and Delores Will. Inurnment will be at Florida National Cemetery Friday, May 6, 2016 2:30 PM. Memorial service will be held at Grace Presbyterian Church, PCA Saturday, May 7, 2016 11:00 AM. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests any donations are to be given to Grace Presbyterian Church, PCA. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 1 to May 2, 2016

# Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 3, 2016

# STRACK, CHAR, 70

Ocala - Char Strack, 70, of Ocala passed away at her home on Thursday, April 28, 2016. Char was a native of Saginaw Michigan and moved to Florida in 1972. She was very active in her support with Trinity Catholic High School, and enjoyed spending time with her dogs through the years and was their proud master. She had a generous loving heart and touched many with her presence. Survivors include her husband of 28 years, Larry Strack; daughter, Josephine 'J.J.' Raphael; grandchildren, April Kelly, Josh Kelly and Christian Alexander; sister, Marlene Sargeant; brothers, Rick Marlette and Joseph Swidorski. She is preceded in death by brother, Butch Marlette. A visitation will be held on Sunday, May 1, 2016 from 1-4 PM, with a prayer service at 1:30 PM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala FL. A funeral Mass will be held on Monday, May 2, 2016 at 8:30 AM, located at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 SW State Road 200, Ocala FL. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Trinity Catholic High School.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 4, 2016**

# **BEEDLE, FREDERICK HERBERT "FRED," 92**

Belleview - Frederick "Fred" Herbert Beedle, 92, of Belle-view, FL, passed away on

Sun-day, May 1, 2016. Fred was born in Pontiac, Michigan to Fred and Elsie Mae Beedle, and moved to Belleview, FL in 1988. He was a retired auto worker and US Navy Veteran, serving six years in WWII. Fred was a member of Ocklawaha United Methodist Church. He was an avid sailor and com-petitive horseshoe thrower in Marion County. He is survived by his wife of 65 years, Norma Beedle; chil-dren, Roger (Dru) Beedle, Bradley (Sandra) Beedle, Stacy Beedle, Shiela (Brooke) Strang, Allen (Nancy) Beedle, and Fred (Diane) Beedle, nu-merous grandchildren and great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at Ocklawaha UMC and burial will be at Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly, Michigan. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Belleview, FL (352)-245-2424. Online Con-dolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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## HASTINGS, JANE E., 90

Ocala - Jane E. Hastings, 90, of Ocala, FL, formerly of Gib-son City, IL, passed away at 12:21 PM April 30, 2016 at Villas of Holly Brook, Gibson City, IL. She was born July 4, 1925 to Edward and Halsa Willey. On June 30, 1946, she married John C. Hastings in Indiana. He preceded her in death on November 14, 1994. Jane was preceded in death by two sisters, and two brothers. She is survived by her two children, Meladee Ferguson of Gibson City and Mike Hastings (Barb) of Tolono, IL; four grandchildren, John Ferguson, Jodi VanSwol (Phillip), Ryan Hastings (Kacie) and Joshua Hastings. She is also survived by seven great-grandchildren; one sister, Melda Goodman; and several nieces and nephews. A celebration of life will be held at a later date. She will be buried next to her husband, John, at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Transitions Hos-pice, 12040 Raymond Ct, Huntley, IL 60142. Published in Ocala Star-Banner on May 4, 2016

### MICHAEL, MESHALL K. "BUDDY"

Ocala - Meshall K. "Buddy" Michael died May 1, 2016 after a short illness. He graduated from Ocala High School, Central Florida Community College and the University of Florida with a Bachelor of Science in Education, and a Master's De-gree in Guidance. He was a well respected educator in Marion County Public Schools, being at Osceola Middle School for 40 years. Buddy was a beloved brother, uncle, friend, and teacher. He is survived by sisters, Patricia Michael Kelly (Larry), Camilla Michael Lusco (Sal), Henrietta Michael Hardman; brother, Joseph Michael (Wanda), and many beloved nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Eugenie Michael. His family extends their heartfelt appreciation to his many special and faithful friends. In lieu of flowers, con-tributions may be made to the St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, PO Box 1000, De-partment 142, Memphis, TN 38148. Graveside funeral ser-vices for Mr. Michael will be held at 11 AM on Friday, May 6, 2016, at Forest Lawn Mem-ory Gardens, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala. The family will re-ceive friends at noon at a reception and Celebration of Buddy's Life at the Ocala Elks Club, 702 NE 25th Ave, Ocala. Arrangements are under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Condo-lences may left fam-ily Dunnellon. be for the at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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#### MOATS, HILDA, 95

Weirsdale - Hilda Moats, 95, of Weirsdale, FL, passed away on April 27, 2016. She was born in 1920 in Farmington, WV. She was preceded in death by her husband, Paul; and son, Michael. Hilda was an Avon lady for 35 years, a volunteer at Stanton Weirsdale Elementary, and a volunteer at Hospice Thrift Store in Belleview. She was always interested in eve-ryone around her and made friends easily. Her vivacious personality will be sorely missed by everyone. She is survived by her daughter, Pat (Bill Davis) of Micanopy; her daughter, Bev-erly (Gerry Cochrane) of Val-rico; and her son, Paul Moats (Denene) of Kennedale, TX. She has seven grandchildren, Kaytee Baker (Albert Picado), Scott Davis (Kimberly), Chris Davis, Jessica Moats, Kimberly Burleson, Logan Moats, and Marilyn Moats (Blakely Inberg). She has one great-grandson, Hudson Davis, and one on the way. A memorial celebration is being planned for when every-one can attend, smile and wear bright colors per her wishes. A special thanks to her very caring and excellent doctors and staff, Dr. Anis Shamiri, Dr. Anju Vasudevan, the doctors of Advanced Car-diovascular Therapeutics, and Monroe's Cardiac Center. In lieu of flowers, please donate to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Timberridge. (352)873-4114.

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### No Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 5, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 6, 2016**

### DLUGOBORSKI, RAYMOND A., 93

Weirsdale - Raymond A. Dlugoborski, age 93 of Weirsdale, FL, passed away on Monday, May 2, 2016. Mr. Dlugoborski was a POW in Germany during WWII, and also served in Korea. Ray was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview, FL, and a member of the Knights of Columbus. He was a hardworking man who loved his family and enjoyed gardening, fishing and exercising. He is survived by his son, Mark Dlugoborski; daughter, Michelle Dlugoborski, two grandchildren, Ian Dlugoborski and Holly Dlugoborski-Malomian; and three great-grandchildren, Logan, Alexander and Alyssa. A Funeral Mass will be held at 12:00 Noon on Saturday, May 7, 2016 at St. Theresa Catholic Church 11528 SE US-301, Belleview, Florida 34420, with interment to follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, Florida.

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### HAILE, SARAH DELANO BURKE

Sarah Delano Burke Haile passed away April 26, 2016 following a lengthy illness. A native of Alachua County, Florida, Ms. Haile was born sixth of seven children to the late George Sr., and Alta Carruthers-Burke. She was a graduate of Alachua County Training School (Alachua, FL) and attended Edward Waters College (Jacksonville, FL). Ms. Haile was employed as a Medical Histology Technician during her residency in Milwaukee, WI, Youngstown, OH, and Ocala, FL. After retiring from the medical field, she was employed with the Marion County Public School System and later retired. She was united in Holy Matrimony with the late Dr. John M. Haile on March 31, 1956. This union was

blessed with five children who will forever cherish her beautiful life: Donna Haile-Sheppard, Iris E. Haile, Jeffrey F. Haile (Cheryl), Sheryl D. Haile, and Cynthia K. Haile. Additional survivors include her brother, Reverend Clinton C. Burke; seven grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren, and a host of devoted family and friends. Ms. Haile will repose on Friday, May 6, 2016, at Duncan Brothers' Funeral Home, Gainesville, FL, from 3:00pm until 7:00pm, and on Saturday, May 7, 2016, at Atlas AME Church from 10:30am until the hour of Service. Homegoing Services will be held Saturday, May 7, 2016, 11:00am at Atlas AME Church (Monteocha Community/ Gainesville, FL); Reverend George Trotman, Pastor/ Officiant, Reverend Gregory O. Haile, Eulogist. Immediately following the Service, the Repast will be held at Atlas AME Church Dining Facility. The Interment will follow at Mount Tabor Cemetery (Lake City, FL). Family and friends are asked to meet on Saturday, May 7, 2016, at the Haile residence -16902 N County Rd 225, Gainesville, FL at 10:15am to form the Cortege. Arrangements Entrusted To: DUNCAN BROTHERS' FUNERAL HOME, 428 NW 8th Street, Gainesville, FL.

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### LAYERD, HELEN MARJORIE MATSON, 86

Ocala - Helen Marjorie Matson Layerd, 86, of Ocala began eternal life in heaven on April 29, 2016. She was born on June 14,1929 in Tallahassee, FL to Albert Elwin and Helen Healy Matson. She graduated Leon County High School, Tallahassee in 1947. She married Eugene Layerd of Quincy, FL in 1948 and traveled with him for 20 years in the US Air Force. In 1968 she and Gene moved from Orlando to Hollywood, FL with their two daughters where they remained for 17 years before moving to Ocala in 1983. She was a longtime member of First Baptist Church Ocala where she enjoyed cooking for the gatherings of 'Forever Young.' She is survived by daughters Karla (Ron) Moose of Plantation, FL, and Lori (Steve) Hunter of Candler, FL. along with four grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren, Karen (Matt) Cochrane of Plantation, FL with James, Rebekah, Anna and Gideon, Ryan (Megan) Moose of Port St. Lucie, FL with sons, William and Andrew, Eric (Heather) Hunter of Winter Garden, FL with Garrett, Bayleigh, Hannah and Caleb, and Luke Hunter of Miami, FL. She also leaves behind brother, James Elwin Matson; nephew, James Healy Matson of Pensacola; and niece, Terri Matson Laveque also of Pensacola. Her memory will be cherished by all who knew and loved her. A memorial service will be held on Saturday May 7, 2016 at 4 PM at Roberts Bruce Funeral Home East, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala FL 34471. Burial will be at a later date at the National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Online condolences may be submitted by visiting the 'Our Services' section at the bottom of the webpage www.robertsfuneralhomes.com. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that memorial donations be made to Interfaith Emergency Services, P.O. Box 992 Ocala, FL 34478, or First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2801 SE Maricamp Rd. Ocala, FL 34471. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 5 to May 6, 2016

### MAY, JEFFERY ALLEN, 57

Middleburg - Jeffery Allen May, 57, passed away on April 28, 2016. He was born April 18, 1959 in Cleveland, Ohio and resided in Middleburg, Florida. Jeffery worked as a claims manager for Main Street America Group in Jacksonville, Florida. He also was a

former Master Mason for one year and Mason for many years. Mr. May is survived by his wife of 27 years, Patricia; son, Jeffery Allen May Jr.; daughter, Kaitlin May; brothers, Edward and Danny; and sisters;, Pamela Viera and Khela Sampsel. A celebration of life will be held 12 PM Thursday, May 5, 2016 at HARDAGE-GIDDENS HOLLY HILL FUNERAL HOME, 3601 Old Jennings Road Middleburg, FL. with an one hour prior gathering for friends and family. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions can be made to The ALS Foundation at www.alsa.org. Please leave words of comfort at www.hollyhillfunerals.com.

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# MCMURTRIE, MAVIS N., 64

Hau'ula - Mavis N. McMurtrie, 64, of Hau'ula, Hawaii passed away on April 25, 2016 in Ocala, Florida. She is survived by husband, Kerry McMurtrie; sons, Kaiuliuli, Joseph Jr and Brian Genobaga; daughter, Michelle Parsons; brothers, John Nihipali and Dennis Balles; sisters, Betty Jane Akina, Elizabeth Mercy Kaleo, Elijoe and Karen Kaahu; along with nine grandchildren. Services will be held at Kualoa Ranch on Saturday, June 4, 2016 beginning at 2pm.

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# MOSBY, HELEN MAYOLA, 82

Ocala - Mother Helen Mayola Mosby, 82, passed away on April 20, 2016 She leaves to cherish her memories sister, Polly Jean Pinkston (Ronald) and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 7, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. at Gospel Temple Church of God in Christ. Professional services 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, May 7, 2016**

### ALLEN, MARY, 71

Belleview - Mary Allen of Belleview, FL went home with Jesus on May 4, 2016 to reunite with her family and friends who went home before her. She was born in Sanford, Florida on August 22, 1944 to Charlie and Aretha Rea. Mary worked for Care Givers for 20 years and gave freely of her time and care to others in need. She is preceded in death by her parents, brother, sisters, and other cherished family members,. Mary is survived by her fiancée, Fred Bonds; nieces; nephews; great nieces and nephews; and other loving family members and friends. Visitation will be held on Saturday, May 7, 2016, from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm with Funeral Service on Sunday, May 8, 2016 at 2:00 pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home 5740 S. Pine Avenue Ocala, FL.

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### CATES, LUCILLE N., 80

Sparr - Lucille N. Cates, age 80, of Sparr, FL passed away after a long battle with liver cancer on April 30, 2016 at her home in Sparr. She was born in Winter Haven, Florida on August 28, 1935 to parents Eugene and Pearl (Register) Newsome. She and her family moved to Ocala, Florida when she was three months old. She is preceded in death by her

parents; sister, Pauline Gibboney; brothers, E. J. Newsome, Carl E. Newsome, Everett C. Newsome and John R. (Bobby) Newsome. She graduated from Ocala High School in the class of 1953. Years later, she was one of the founders of the Ocala High School Alumni Foundation, Inc. and served as a trustee. She was a bookkeeper at Dixie Lime Company in Ocala until her marriage to E. W. Cates, Jr. of Sparr on March 25, 1955. She was an active farm wife in the activities of farming until she developed cancer in 2006. Lucille is survived by her husband, E.W., of 61 years; son, Gregory W. Cates of Lafayette, LA; daughter, Tracy L. Cruz (husband, Phill) of Jensen Beach, FL; three grandchildren, Lauren C. Friend (husband Cheyne), Stephen Cruz and Kaitlyn Cruz, all who so lovingly called her 'Batay'; nephew, Ashley E. Newsome (wife, Teresa) of Silver Springs, FL. She was an adoring aunt to many other nieces and nephews who live both in and out of town. Her greatest joys in life was being a daughter, sister, wife, mother, Batay, Aunt, and all the friends she made, especially her 1953 high school classmates, during her life. Lucy, as some would call her, was a compassionate and caring person who always had a smile for everyone even amidst her own trials. She tried to make the day good for all she came in contact with and gave a hand up for those that were less fortunate than she. Hiers-Baxley will be in charge of the funeral arrangements. A visitation to be held on Friday, May 6, 2016 from 5:30 to 7 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Private graveside service on Saturday May 7, 2016. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Hospice of Marion County, Inc. PO BOX 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Expressions of Sympathy can be expressed at hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 6 to May 7, 2016

### MCKINNEY, CAROLYN, 94

Ocklawaha - Carolyn McKinney, age 94, of Ocklawaha, FL passed away in Wednesday, May 4, 2016 under the care of Sylvia's Hospice House, Ocala, FL. She was the wife of the late Ralph McKinney. Born in Butler, GA, she was a daughter of the late Jeff and Minnie Harmon. She will be deeply missed by her daughter, Cathy Lewis of Moss Bluff, FL ;and sons, Bill McKinney of Moss Bluff, FL and Jay McKinney of Belleview, FL. She is also survived by grandson, Paul Lewis and his wife, Tabatha of Ocala, FL; and great granddaughters, Savannah Lewis and Adrian Lewis. She was predeceased by her husband; daughter, Patricia McKinney; and son, Samuel McKinney. A graveside service will be held on Saturday, May 7, 2016 at 1:00 PM at the Moss Bluff Cemetery, Moss Bluff, FL. Arrangements under the direction of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview, FL. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the Mother's Day Offering c/o The Moss Bluff Baptist Church.

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### MOOS, JOSEPH G.

Williston - Mr. Joseph G. Moos, of Williston, passed away April 30, 2016 at Hospice in Chiefland surrounded by his loving family. Born in New Jersey, he came to Florida 30 years ago from Miami, FL. He was owner and trainer for Racehorses and was a Bloodstock Agent with Taylor Made Sales Agency Inc., in Lexington, KY. Survivors are one son, Joseph G. and wife, Jacqueline; two daughters, Jody A. Knight, Kelly A. and husband, Joe Sereday; and six grandchildren. Funeral service will be Thursday May 12, 2016 at 5:00PM at the Holy Family Catholic Church - Williston. Knauff Funeral Home-

Williston is in charge of arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 6 to May 7, 2016

#### RANDOLPH, CHARLES 'CHUCK' W., 80

Silver Springs - Charles 'Chuck' W. Randolph, 80, of Silver Springs, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by his family on May 3, 2016. He was a US Army veteran of the Korean War. Chuck was predeceased by his son, Mark Randolph; parents, Sherman and Dortha Randolph; and sister, Macie Mace. He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Karen Randolph; daughter, Cynthia (Shaun) Riley; son, Craig (Kelly) Randolph; grandchildren, Jennifer Edens, Erik (Sumerlyn) Edens, Chad (Jaime) Edens, Matthew (Melissa) Randolph, Michelle (Danny) Fox, Megan (Johny) Fox, Amber Fox; 14 great-grandchildren; siblings, Guy (Dorothy) Randolph, Paul (Jeanne) Randolph, Bessie (Darrell) Wilson, Kenneth (Kathy) Randolph, Donald (Altha) Randolph, Barbara (John) Baumgardner, Robert Randolph , Martha (Ernie) Alfoldi and numerous nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews. A Celebration of Life will be held at 11am, Saturday, May 7, 2016 at Forest Lutheran Church, 1663 SE 183rd Avenue Road, Silver Springs FL 34488 with luncheon to follow. In lieu of flowers, donations to Forest Lutheran Church or Hospice of Marion County would be appreciated.

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### No Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 8, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 9, 2016**

#### **BOND, JENNIFER E., 54**

Anthony - Jennifer E. Bond, 54, of Anthony, FL passed away on Wednesday, April 27, 2016. Jennifer was born on June 17, 1961 in Hialeah, FL. She was preceded in death by her father, Howard Bond and mother, Delores Moody. She is survived by her son, Jason Reed (Crystal) of Ocala, FL; brother, Howard Bond Jr. (Inger) of Myrtle Beach, SC; granddaughter, Destiny Reed of Ocala, FL; a neighborhood of family friends in Hidden Acres subdivision, and many more. She was a proud mother, daughter, sister, grandmother and friend and has left an imprint on each of our hearts. Jennifer loved sailing the ocean breeze, sun on her skin and sand in her toes. The beauty of nature inspired her to create beautiful artwork with her amazing artistic abilities. She did not want a funeral service, no sadness or tears. Instead, we ask that you make a toast in her honor or take a knee in prayer to celebrate an amazing woman gone too soon. A birthday party will be held for her at 6pm on Saturday, June 18, 2016 at 12350 NE 45th Terrace Anthony, FL. 32617 and is open to all who wish to attend to celebrate her life. In lieu of flowers, we ask that you take a moment to hug your parents, children, siblings, grandchildren and loved ones. Time waits for no one. If we remembered every day that we could lose someone at any moment, we would love them more fiercely and freely, and without fear - not because there is nothing to lose, but because everything can always be lost. All donations can be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 8 to May 9, 2016

### **BURGESS, DANIEL TERRY, 74**

Daniel Terry Burgess, 74, of Ocala passed away May 6, 2016. Born in Newark, New York, he came to this area in 1974. He owned Business Computer Consultants of Ocala since 1989. Daniel was a member of the Ocala Elks Lodge, was President of Big Sun Bass Masters and enjoyed fishing. He is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Suzanne E. Burgess; children, Kim (Larry) Fox of Ocala and Chris (Lindie) Burgess of Ocala; brother, Ron Burgess of Honduras; grandchildren, Stephen (Jannet) Brown, Kevin (Brandy) Brown, Jessica Byers and Kyle Byers; great grandchildren, Jessica and Kaydence Brown and Christian, Declan and Scarlett Byers. Per his wishes there will be no funeral services held. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers of Ocala 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala 3236-5884. A condolence message may be left at www.baldwincremation.com

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## CAVINESS JR., REV. RUPERT N.

Rev. Rupert N. Caviness Jr. was born September 11, 1930 in Ocala, Fl and died May 3, 2016 at Estelle's Hospice House in Ocala, Florida. He is survived by his wife of 57 years Anne Peterson Caviness, daughters Carol (Glenn) Cameron and Nancy (Doug) Johnson; Grandchildren Austin Douglas Johnson, Jackson Caviness Johnson, Courtney Anne Cameron, Madison Katherine Johnson and Colton James Cameron; his sister Charline Caviness (Trusty) Drake; sister in law Jane Peterson (Joe) Gonzalez; nieces Elizabeth Anne Drake (David) Lancaster, Laura Drake (Bartow) McDonald, Lisa Ann Gonzalez Bradley, Linda Kay Gonzalez, Laura Jean Gonzalez Bradley; nephew Robert Polk (LeeAnne) Drake; 7 great nephews, 4 great nieces; 2 great great nieces and 1 great great nephew. He was preceded in death by his parents Rupert N. and Euna (Ingram) Caviness. Mr. Caviness grew up in Ocala and graduated from Ocala High School in 1948. He attended the University of Florida and was a member of the Kappa Alpha fraternity. In 1950 he enlisted in the United States Air Force during the Korean War. After 4 years of military service he returned to the University of Florida and graduated with a BS in Business in 1957. He came back to Ocala to work for his father at Caviness Buick. In 1960 he answered a call to ministry and entered Candler Seminary at Emory University graduating with a Master of Divinity degree in 1963. He served as a United Methodist Minister within the Florida Conference for 30 years serving in 9 different churches during that time. He served on many conference and district committees during his years as a minister. He was a member of Ocala Rotary Club, Mt. Dora Kiwanis Club, Dade City Rotary Club, Ocala Chamber of Commerce, Ocala Elks Club, and the American Legion. He loved God, his family, and his friends. He liked cars, working in the yard, taking pictures, genealogy searches and using his computer. He was extremely proud of his family and loved to spend time with them at home, Drake Ranch, Boca Grande and North Carolina. Memorial Services will be held at 4:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 10th at First United Methodist Church Ocala, Florida.

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# **CRAWFORD, RONALD BRUCE, 63**

Ocala - Ronald Bruce Crawford, 63, of Ocala passed away on Monday, May 2, 2016 at Brandley Hospice House in Summerfield. Ron was a native of Miami, Florida and lived

in this area for almost 26 years. Ron attended college and earned his Bachelor's degree at the University of South Florida. Ron was in business optimization for trucking and theater companies. While working for theater companies he fell in love with this area and decided to move here. He was an active member of the Republican Party and would lend his talents on many campaigns. He was very well read on history and politics and would use his knowledge on the campaigns he assisted with. He decided to run for a seat on the Marion County School Board and he retained the seat for 16 years. While a member of the school board he was instrumental in starting MTI and was an advocate for the formation of charter schools in Marion County. He was also active in the Marion Education Foundation, and was a judge of the 'SOUP'ER BOWL at the County Office. One of Ron's many talents was the budgeting process for building and the maintenance of schools. Ron was proud of his time as a school board member and said he was elected to represent the children. When there was a vacancy on the school board he saw the need for a member of the black community to be on the school board. He petitioned the governor and shortly thereafter Bobby James became the first black member of the Marion County School Board. After his time on the School Board he became active with the United Way. Where ever he could give of himself, he would. He was also a mentor to others who would seek his advice. He is survived by his close friend, Steve Hering and Steve's family, whom Ron considered to be his own. He and Steve would cook hot dogs and hamburgers for different charity events around the county. He was preceded in death by his parents, George and Ruth Crawford. A memorial service will be held 6pm on Monday, May 16, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, 910 East Silver Springs Blvd. Online condolences may be sent at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 8 to May 9, 2016

### DAVIS, MYRON CLINTON 'MIKE,' 75

Ocala - Myron Clinton Davis 'Mike', 75, of Ocala, Florida, passed away May 2, 2016 at the Legacy Hospice House. He was born June 28, 1940 in West Helena, Arkansas to the late Vernon and Florence (Wilroy) Davis. Mike was a semi truck driver for many years, and enjoyed fishing. He is survived by his devoted wife of 55 years, Amy Davis, of Ocala; daughter, Linda Carter; son in law, Jeff Carter; granddaughter, Trista Dupree; great granddaughter, Raye Lynn Claypool; sister, Lynn Everett, and family; aunt and uncle Prince and Mildred Gibson. There will be a celebration of life Wednesday, May 11 2016, 1:00pm at Roberts Downtown Ocala, 606 SW 2 Av, Ocala, FL 34471 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 8 to May 9, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 10, 2016**

#### HOLMES, NORMA E., 89

Davie - Norma E. Holmes, 89, of Davie, FL and formerly of Ocala, FL, passed away on Thursday, April 7, 2016. Born in Philadelphia, PA, she was the eldest child of Louis and Ruth Heise. Norma was married to her beloved Jack in 1946. They moved to North Miami, FL in 1948 where Jack had started working for Eastern Airlines after WWII. Employed as a bookkeeper for People's Bank for a number of years, Norma 'retired' to enjoy being a stay-at-home mom when their daughter was born. In 1981, Jack retired from National Airlines and they retired to Ocala. Jack & Norma spent their leisure time

travelling the US and Canada in their travel trailer, often caravanning with friends or taking their grandson along in the summer. Norma was a long-time member of St. John's United Methodist Church of Cotton Plant, Ocala, FL and the National Airlines Starlighters. She was an avid crossword puzzle solver & a charter Days of Our Lives fan, often discussing the denizens of Salem with her friend, Mary. A cherished mother and grandmother, Norma leaves behind her daughter, Karen Llera; her grandson, Ryan Llera, DVM and his wife, Jennifer Weeks-Llera, DVM. Norma is also survived by her brother, Ronald (Kathryn) Heise; several nieces and nephews; and forever friends, Mary A., Betty L. and Jim K. Norma was preceded in death by her husband of 60 years, John L. 'Jack' Holmes; and her sister, Joyce Reichart. A Celebration of Norma's life will be held at 11:00 AM on May 14, 2016 at St. John's United Methodist Church of Cotton Plant, 12390 West Highway 328, Ocala, FL 34482, followed by a gathering of friends. In lieu of flowers, Norma's family would appreciate contributions in her memory to St. John's United Methodist Church, your local Make-A-Wish chapter http://wish.org/ or PetsMart Charities https://www.petsmartcharities.org/ Arrangements by Coral Springs Funeral Home, Coral Springs, Florida. http://www.coralspringsfuneralhome.com/book-ofmemories/2472934/Holmes-Norma/obituary.php

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### HOWELL, SALLY F., 83

Ocala - Sally F. Howell, 83, of Ocala lost her ten year battle with cancer on April 28, 2016. Sally was born in Rockmart, GA in 1933, and moved with her family to Apalachicola, FL in 1941, where her parents, Venita and Frederick Fitzgerald, owned and operated the local newspaper, The Apalachicola Times. After graduating from high school, Sally attended Florida State University until she married the love of her life, Billy Howell, in 1952. They moved to Ocala in 1983, where Billy was Vice President of Florida Power Corporation until their retirement in 1992. Sally and Billy spent 59 wonderful years together until Billy's death in Ocala in 2011. Sally lived life to the fullest and was a homemaker, wife, mother and storyteller extraordinaire. She was an avid reader and a gifted designer and decorator of homes. Her home was always welcoming and full of laughter, love, joy and fun. She was dedicated to all of her family and devoted to keeping the family's past alive though oral history. Her sense of humor and infectious laugh were trademarks. Her kindness and gentle spirit were unparalleled and endeared her to all those she met. She never met a stranger and was a lifelong friend to all who came to know her. She rejoiced in everyone's joys and accomplishments and supported everyone in their sadness and disappointments. Sally was a devoted Christian whose faith was her touchstone. Her unwavering belief that she would be reunited with Billy, her sister, Smiles Randolph and all those who have passed before her made her last, difficult days more joyous than sorrowful. She will be remembered and missed by all those who knew her. Sally is survived by her brother, Frederick Fitzgerald (Jean) of Apalachicola; her children, Bill Howell of Miami and Holly Townsend (Neil) of Ocala; grandchildren, Lucy Townsend Nuzum (Charlie), Hunter Townsend and Will Howell; and step grandchild, Jennifer Townsend. She was predeceased by her husband, Billy Howell; and her sister and best friend, Smiles Randolph of Apalachicola. Services will be held at the

First Presbyterian Church of Ocala on Saturday, May 14, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, Sally requests a donation to the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala or Hospice of Marion County.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 12, 2016**

## ATRIA, RITA A., 88

Ocala - Rita A. Atria, age 88, passed away peacefully Sunday, May 8, 2016, with her loving family by her side, in Estelle's House of Marion County. She was born April 3, 1928 in Elizabeth, New Jersey to Vincent and Carmela DeMarco. Rita worked as a medical secretary. She was a very active member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala. Rita was preceded in death by her husband, Frank Atria in 1994. She is survived by her loving family; children, Peter V. Atria (Sharon) of Ocala, FL and Carmel LaRue (James) of Gainesville, FL; brother, Albert DeMarco of Ocala, FL and grandchildren, Steven and Sarah LaRue, Loren Atria, Megan, Dannielle, Joseph Trott and Heather Diffey and four great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held Thursday, May 12, 2016 at 5:00 p.m., in the chapel of WILLIAMS-THOMAS FUNERAL HOME DOWNTOWN, 404 North Main Street, Gainesville. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service time, beginning at 4:00 p.m. Interment will be held Friday, May 13, 2016 at 11:00 a.m., in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Please visit her page at www.williamsthomas funeralhome.com. FOR FURTHER memorial INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN (352) 376-7556 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 11 to May 12, 2016

# BAIRD, WILLIAM 'BILL' ROSS, 67

Ocala - William 'Bill' Ross Baird, 67, of Holiday, FL fell asleep after a brief illness at home with his wife by his side on Friday May 6, 2016. John 5:28, 29. A native of Ocala, FL, he attended the Florida School for the Deaf in St. Augustine and received an AS degree in Printing at Daytona Beach, Jr. College. His career was mostly in printing, postal service, and bank mail clerk. He was predeceased by his parents and three brothers. He is survived by his loving wife of 22 years, Robin; stepchildren, Helen (Jason) Amburgey and Peter (Lily) Roman; grandson, Korbin Amburgey; sisters, Joan (Allen) Parker, Cindy (Billy) Leaptrot, and Rebecca (Oskar Seisums) Baird; several nieces and nephews; many friends; and his devoted dog, Kojak. Bill was of the Baptist faith, and a lifelong fan of the UF Gators. He will be remembered for his humor, and love for his family and friends. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to HPH Hospice. There was a private family gathering to celebrate his life.

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### **CLARKE, SHIRLEY ANNETTE, 72**

Ocala - Our loving sister in Christ, Shirley Annette Clarke, passed away on April 26, 2016. She is survived by her loving husband, Wilton Clarke; children, Rose Thompson and Ray Clarke; granddaughter, Damali Fletcher; and great grandson, Jahrie Fletcher. A visitation will be held on Thursday, May, 12, 2016 from 5PM to 8PM at the Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200 Ocala 34476. Funeral

service will take place at the Marion Oaks Assembly of God, 13977 SW 32 Terrace Road, Ocala 34473 on Friday, May 13, 2016 beginning at 10AM. Interment will follow at the Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th Street, Ocala. Repass to follow at: Marion Oaks Assembly of God 13977 SW 32 Terrace Road, Ocala Fl 34473 (352)347-3001 May you rest in the hands of God until we are together again. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 11 to May 12, 2016

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## **BROWN NATHANIAL 'PATE,' 64**

Ocala - Mr. Nathaniel 'Pate' Brown, age 64, passed away on May 06, 2016 at his residence. He leaves to cherish is memories two sons, Kevin Brown and Ricky Brown; three grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; a devoted sister, Sophie Thompson; brothers Thomas Brown, Norris Brown, Jerry Brown; a special niece, Cadrina Brown-Taylor; cousins and sorrowing friends. Funeral service for Mr. Nathaniel 'Pate' Brown will be held at 4:30PM at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home, 127 N.W. 20th Street, Ocala, FL, Rev. Roosevelt Hunt, Sr., Eulogist. Visitation will be held on Friday at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home from 1::00 PM until 5:00PM. Arrangements entrusted to J. Hadley Funeral Home. (352) 351-0210.

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## CLARK, ROBERT E., 85

Ocala - Robert E. Clark, age 85, of Ocala, FL passed away in his home on Monday, May 9, 2016. He was the husband of the late Betty Jean Clark who preceded him in death on March 3, 2011. Born in Osteen, FL he was a son of the late Charles and Vivian Clark. Prior to his retirement, he was a cowboy working in the cattle industry for A. Duda & Sons Ranch for 24 years. Robert was a Veteran of the US Army. Robert and Betty moved to the Ocala area in 1969 from Brevard County. He will be deeply missed by his daughters, Sharon McClure and Brenda Clark of Ocala, FL. He has seven grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren and one great great grandchild. He is also survived by a brother, Edward Clark of Oak Hill, FL; and sisters, Ilean Speer of Mims, FL, Ethel Cochran of Oak Hill, FL and Vergie Clark of Oak Hill, FL. He was preceded in death by a great grandson. A Visitation will be held Friday, Mary 13, 2016 from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL 34420 with the Funeral Service at 11:00 AM. Interment will be in the Summerville Cemetery, Cross City, FL. Hiers-Baxley.com

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### CONNOLLY, JOAN MARIE, 88

Ocala - Joan Marie Connolly, 88, passed away on May 6, 2016 She is survived by children, Susan Connolly of Knoxville, TN, Cynthia Connolly of Monticello, FL, Sally (James) Dann of Melbourne, FL, Michael (Becky) Connolly of Ocala, FL, Tim Connolly of Summerfield, FL, Maureen (Tom) Ware of Ft. Pierce, FL, Debra (Hartwig) Mueller of Oberheim, Germany, Keith Connolly of Ocala, FL, Pamela (Todd) Scudder of Ocala, FL; 21 grandchildren; and 33 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by grandson, C. Ray Greene IV. Memorial service will be held at 10:30 Saturday, May 14, 2016, at

Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 5 S.E. 17th Street, Ocala, Florida 34471 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 12 to May 13, 2016

### **EDWARDS, TRAVIS LEONARD, 45**

Ocoee - Mr. Travis L. Edwards, age 45, transition this life on April 30, 2016. He leaves to cherish his precious memories: a devoted wife, Christy Cook Edwards; son, Shad Price; one grandson, Carson Price; four sisters, Gail Edwards, Kissimmee, Dorothy Edwards, Jacqueline Edwards, both of Ocala, FL, Ellen Bynes, Gainesville; seven brothers, Kenneth Edwards, Reginald Edwards, Kenneth Hargrove, Seborn Bynes, Jerry Bynes Derrick Byness, Fredina (Terri) Mosley, all of Ocala, FL. Celebration of life will be held 11:00 AM, Saturday, May 14, 2016 at Maricamp Road Church of Christ, 2750 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL, Rev. Jeff Robinson, Pastor, Rev. Martin Smith, Eulogist. Family and friends are asked to meet at the home of the Edwards to form the funeral cortege, 144 Pecan Drive, Silver Springs Shores at 0930 AM. Visitation will be held Friday, May 13, 2016 from 3:00 PM until 7:00PM at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home, 127 NW 20th Street, Ocala, FL.

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### HART, MITCHELL JEROME

Ocala - The funeral service for Mitchell Jerome Hart will be held 2PM, Sunday, May 15th, 2016 at the Woodland Place Church of Christ 1921 NE 35th Street Ocala, Florida 34479. The visitation will be 12:30-2PM before the service. Interment in Sparr Community Cemetery. Please sign the family guest book at www.tswarden.com. Arrangements in care of Tyrone S. Warden, FDIC, 4315 N. Main Street, Jacksonville, FL 904-765-1234

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### HIGGINS, THOMAS PAUL, 80

Ocala - Thomas Paul Higgins, 80, died Tuesday, May 10, 2016 at home in Ocala, FL, with his wife Eileen and family at his side. Tom was born October 29, 1935 in Brooklyn, NY to Thomas Aloysius Higgins (1896-1970) and Catherine Julie (Greene) Higgins (1901-1975). Raised in Brooklyn, Tom spent two years in the US Army and then attended Michigan State University on a gymnastic scholarship, graduating in 1965; he later completed a Master's Degree on Fellowship at Ohio State University in 1969. In between, he taught at Benjamin Franklin High School in Harlem, NY. In the fall of 1969, Tom moved to LA Wilson Technical High School on Long Island, where he remained for 27 happy years until retiring in 1996. Tom met his beloved wife Eileen (Fegan) Higgins on St. Patrick's Day of 1985 and they married June 21, 1986. After their marriage, Tom continued at LA Wilson and coached gymnastics part-time at Chaminade High School in Mineola, NY where Eileen taught mathematics. After retirement, they spent winters in Palm Desert, CA and Ocala, and summers in Greenlawn, NY, relocating permanently to Ocala in 2011. Tom was preceded in death by his parents; his beloved son, Tom (1960-2001), and his siblings, Kathryn Schmitt (1929-1997), Virginia LeBlac (1930-2006), AnnMarie (1934-1934), Barbara Earwicker (1938-2011), Eileen Driscoll (1926-2015), and Michael Higgins (1943-2015). He is survived by his loving wife, Eileen; his loving daughter-in-law, Margaret (Peg) Higgins; his son, Terry Higgins; and his daughters, Beth

(Graham) Napier and Margaret (Mark) Napoli. Tom was especially proud of his grandchildren, Emily, Callie, and Tad Higgins, Marina, Mark and Evangeline Napoli, and Fenn, Kathleen and Victoria Napier. A visitation will be Friday, May 13, 2016 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-Timber Ridge. Mass will be Monday, May 16, 2016 8:30 at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Interment will be with honors at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Family recommends in lieu of flowers donations may be given to Wheels for Warriors. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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## LONDON, MARION JOYCE 'COOKIE,' 58

Ocala - Marion Joyce London 'Cookie,' 58, Ocala passed away on May 5, 2016 at Cornerstone Hospice. She is survived by daughters, Marlaina (Andre) Pertee, Litoya Mcfatten, and Prisca (Micheal) Campbell; seven grandchildren; sisters, Sadie Mitchell, Henrietta Johnson, Kathleen London; and brother, Ernest (Masinea) London. Visitation, Friday 5:00pm to 7:00pm at Brown's chapel. Service Saturday 11:00am at Brown's Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation 706 SW MLK Jr. Ave. Ocala, FL 34471 (352) 840-0611

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### GOIN JR., VERNON DAVID, 76

Ocala - Vernon David Goin Jr., 76, passed away tragically April 23, 2016. Born September 1, 1939 in Hillsborough County, FL to Vernon David Goin Sr. and Hazel E. Johnson Goin. He was an electronics technician in the car audio industry. He is preceded in death by his wife; mother; father; son, Alton Goin and grandparents; James Madison Goin, Lenora Stroble, Thomas I. Johnson and Delena May Crenshaw. He is survived by his sons, Marc W. Rogers, (Maria) of Ocala, Brian Rogers, Ocala, David Goin, Jacksonville, FL; daughters, Patricia Rench 'Trish', of Jacksonville, Tonya Terhart, Ocala; ten grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Vern was a loving husband, father, grandfather and friend to many. He will be missed dearly by all who knew him. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 14 to May 15, 2016

# MILLARD, CAROLYN T., 74

Chagrin Falls, OH - Carolyn T. Millard passed away suddenly, but peacefully on Wednesday, May 11th in her home at the Weils of Bainbridge. Born in Jeffersonville, PA, raising a family in Collegeville, PA and Schwenksville, PA and most recently residing in Ocala, FL in SummerGlen, Carolyn was pre-deceased by her husband, Stephen W. in November, 2013. Carolyn was a High School business teacher and administrator at St. Pius X High School in Pottstown, PA where she enjoyed demanding the best of her students. Carolyn and Stephen were the best of friends and in their fifteen years in Ocala, FL they had some of their very best years at On Top of the World and SummerGlen enjoying the company of friends new and old. Carolyn's zest for life left

with Stephen, but as she rejoins him they already have likely picked up where they left off! Carolyn is survived by her sons Stephen (Chagrin Falls, OH) and David (Statesboro, GA) and their wives Lisa and Dianne; her grandchildren Alexis, Ben, Hannah, Sophia, Justin (White) and Jason (White) and her brothers Donald Pellegrino (Ocala, FL) and Jack Pellegrino (Poway, CA) and their wives Jane and Jamie. Carolyn will be cremated and joined with Stephen. There's no time for a service - Carolyn is way too busy getting back on her Mahjong game, playing bingo and touring heaven in the custom golf cart we are sure Stephen already had waiting for her!

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### SASSIN, ANTHONY J., 88

Ocala - Anthony J. Sassin, 88, Ocala, FL, went to be with the Lord on May 10, 2016 under the loving care of family and Ocala Regional Medical Center staff. He was born on September 8, 1927 in Detroit, MI., and was of the Catholic faith. Anthony worked as a carpenter and millwright in the Detroit area and moved to Ocala 22 years ago. Anthony and his loving wife Bertha were married 62 years when she preceded him in going to be with the Lord six years ago. Surviving family members are daughter Stella Taneda of Hilo, Hawaii; sons Anthony Sassin Jr. of Ocala, FL; Gary Sassin of Jerome, MI; Mark Sassin of Luther, MI; grandchildren, Merrick Taneda, Rebecca Lee, Anthony Sassin III, Mark Sassin Jr.; great grandchildren Katie Lee, Ethan Sassin. Funeral services will be on Tuesday, May 17, 2016 3pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, FL. A visitation will be held on Tuesday, May 17, 2016 from 1:00 to 3:00 PM at Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 14 to May 15, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 16, 2016**

### CAUDILL, JOHN FRANKLIN, 84

Ocala- John Franklin Caudill, 84, of Ocala, passed away on Tuesday, May 10, 2016. John was born in Manchester, KY to Bige and Bess Caudill and moved to Ocala in 1988 from Manchester. John was a successful business owner, from excavating, landscaping, and coal mining in Kentucky to limestone mining in Ocala. He thrived on the management of large scale operations and equipment. He was also passionate about flying. He learned to fly at an early age, always owned an airplane or two, built his own airport, and served in the US Air Force during the Korean conflict. John was an avid NRA member, AOPA member, and a proud Republican. He loved God and was always thankful for his abundant blessings. John was proud to be able to support his family. He was compassionate about individuals in need and generously helped whenever he could. He also enjoyed fishing, hunting, motorcycles, and good food. John was predeceased by the wife of his youth, Ruth Price Caudill in 1984. John is survived by his five children, Christine Caudill-Goodhue, John Franklin Caudill, II, David A. Caudill, Carolyn Caudill-Hacker, and Charlotte Caudill-Glockner; 13 grandchildren; and two great grandchildren. John will be buried at the Caudill family Cemetery in Manchester, KY, in a private ceremony on Memorial Day weekend. A Celebration of Life gathering is planned for Sunday, May 29, 2016 at 6pm, (location to be announced). Family requests memorials be made to The Salvation Army in John's memory. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 15 to May 16, 2016

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# **CRISTAL, PAUL FRANK, 83**

Ocala - Paul Cristal, 83, of Ocala, FL, passed away Friday, May 6, 2016. Paul was born in University City, Missouri to David and Gertrude (Cohen) Cristal. He moved to Ocala in 2009, and was self-employed, owning his own company in Columbia, MO, Colonial Mercantile, at the age of 22 upon retiring in 2009. Paul is survived by his wife, Lucille Cristal of Ocala; loving father of Scott (Marcella) Cristal, Lisa (Bruce Cybul) Cristal, and Marci (Dennis) Gamble; stepfather of Michael (Patty) and Raymond (Carol) Gilpin; seven grandchildren; and five step-grandchildren; and brother, Eddie (Celeste) Cristal. Paul will be going home to St. Louis, Missouri to be laid to rest at Beth Hamedrosh Hagodol Cemetery next to his first wife Diane Cristal on Sunday, May 15, 2016 with graveside service. A celebration of life will be held for his friends in Ocala upon a later date. In lieu of flowers the family recommends memorials are given to Hospice of Marion County or Alzheimer's Association locally in Ocala. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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### KOENIG, JR., HEINRICH 'HENRY,' 83

Ocala - Heinrich 'Henry' Koenig, Jr, adored by all who knew him, died in GA on April 30, 2016 while celebrating his 60th wedding anniversary with his wife, Joan Shoue Koenig which was April 29, 2016. Born in Romania on February 10, 1933, forced to move during WWII to many countries including Austria and then coming to Indiana where he met his wife. Henry retired as a Master Sergeant in the U.S. Marine Corps with 20 years of service. He then retired after 20 years at Indiana's Potato Creek State Park and spent the next 22 years in Ocala, FL. He was an active volunteer in the Lion's Club, American Red Cross, his church, and other organizations. He is survived by his wife, Joan; son, Heinrich Koenig IV, Denver, Colorado; daughter, son-in-law and granddaughter, Heidi, Frank (Tony) and Jodi Lawson, Ocala, Florida. Services will be held at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church in Ocala at 11 am on Friday, May 20th, with a military service at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell at 2:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Silver Springs Alliance.

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# LAPLANTE, PAUL F., 77

Ocala - Paul F. LaPlante, 77 of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, May 5, 2016 at his home. Paul was born on December 24, 1938 in Manchester, N.H. He was preceded in death by his loving wife, Mary. He is survived by his son, Richard LaPlante; and four daughters, Catherine Jenco, Patricia Mintel, Laurie Weston, and Kristin Binnicker; eleven grandchildren; and six great grandchildren. A memorial service will be held at 9 a.m., on Monday, May 16, 2016 at Roberts Funeral Home, East Chapel, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the American Cancer Society. Share Memories and Condolences + Read Obituary

Services by Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce Chapel EastSend Flowers

### LaROSS, PAULINE, 89

Summerfield - Pauline L. LaRoss, age 89 of Summerfield, FL, passed away on May 9, 2016. She moved to Florida in 1971 from Lewistown, PA, and was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church in Belleview, Florida. Pauline loved going to Flea Markets and Yard Sales - she was the original 'Picker'! She is preceded in death by husbands Carl Bingman and Joe LaRoss, and her sons David Bingman and Steve LaRoss. Pauline is survived by sons; Carl Bingman, Bob (Sharon) Bingman, Dennis Bingman, Jeff LaRoss and Joe (Deb) LaRoss. Daughters; Pat (Robert) Rosenberry, Margie (Paul) Baker and Beth (Robert) Alexander, sister; Cel Fahnestock and brother; John Weakland. She is also survived by several grand and great grandchildren. Interment will take place at a later date in Lewistown, PA.

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# **RODRIGUEZ, SARAH, 65**

Sarah Rodriguez, 65, passed away on Thursday, May 12, 2016 from injuries sustained from an automobile accident. Sarah was born on May 10, 1951 in Salinas, Puerto Rico and was a longtime resident of Leominster, Massachusetts. She and her husband came to

Florida about 6 years ago. She was a big time bingo player which she dearly enjoyed and made friends with everyone. The love of her family including her dog Page Rodriguez, as they enjoyed their daily walks together. She looked forward to and especially enjoyed quality time playing with her grandchildren, which were her pride and joy! She is survived by her beloved husband of 47 years Manuel Rodriguez; daughters Maribel (Robert) Fournier and Melissa Rodriguez-Monahan; son Manuel (Christina) Rodriguez, Jr.; grandchildren Brennan Fournier, Brianna Fournier, Mackenzie Monahan, Mia Monahan, Alex Monahan, and Ava Rodriguez; three siblings; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by five siblings. Memorial service will be held Wednesday, May 18, 2016 4:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. A memorial service will be held at a later date in Massachusetts. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# SHASHY, DR. S.A. MOSES 'MITCHELL'

Ocala - Dr. S.A. Moses 'Mitchell' Shashy passed away Friday, May 13, 2016 in the comfort of his home surrounded by family. Born and raised in Ocala, Mitchell attended Blessed Trinity Academy and graduated from Ocala High School. He was the oldest of five children and is preceded in death by parents S.A. Moses and Fadwa Shashy; three sisters, Emily Wilson, Odette Shashy, Mary Jones, and grandson Samuel Hutto. He received his medical degree from Emory University and completed a residency in Urology at Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami. He returned to his hometown in 1956 to become Ocala's first urologist where he thoroughly enjoyed a successful and fulfilling practice of 32 years, retiring in 1988. He genuinely loved all people, bringing smiles, jokes and laughter wherever he went. Mitchell was a lifelong member of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. He was an avid and skilled hunter and fisherman, and enjoyed many hobbies throughout his full life, especially his oil paintings since retirement. Completely devoted to his family, he is survived by his loving wife of 65 years, Mildred 'Millie' Shashy; son, Sam Shashy, daughters; Linda Hutto (David), Mary Seibert (Grant) and Diane Masin (Don) six grandchildren, six great grandchildren, brother Dr. Paul M. Shashy, and many nieces and nephews. There will be a Mass of Christian burial at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, Wednesday, May 18th at 12 pm. Interment will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery. Please view & sign our online guestbook at www.robertsfuneral homes.com

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 18, 2016**

# SCHWAMBERGER, RUTH AMELIA (YEARTY), 77

Ocala - Ruth Amelia (Yearty) Schwamberger, 77, born July 24, 1938 in Otter Creek, FL, passed away on May 1, 2016 at her home in Ocala, FL. She was married to Robert (Bob) Schwamberger. She was preceded in death by her father, Terry Yearty; mother, Sara (Crews) Yearty; daughter, Carolyn Lea; son, Larry Lea; two brothers; and one sister. She leaves behind four daughters, Diane Newhouse (Billy) of Ocala, FL, Cathy Browning

(Harry) of Trenton, FL, Charlene Barber (Mike) of Fernandina Beach, FL, and Samantha Horn, Tifton, GA; eight grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; one brother; one sister; and several nieces and nephews. She attended schools in Ocala, Florida and later earned her GED. She managed several fabric and craft stores over the past forty years. She loved God, her family, friends, and church family. She loved to sing, play the piano, paint, read, quilt and sew. A memorial service for Ruth and Bob will be held on Saturday, May 28, 2016 at 2:00pm, with the family welcoming extended family and friends prior to the service at the Living Waters Worship Center located at 3801 N. US Highway 441 Ocala, FL 34475. Private burials will be held at later date. Great thanks to Eternity Funeral Home and Crematory - Nassau for helping the family prepare for our mom's home going. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 17 to May 18, 2016

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 19, 2016**

## CARLSON, BRANDON M., 29

Southington - Brandon M. Carlson, 29, of Southington passed away on Tuesday, May 10, 2016. He was born September 1, 1986 in New Britain, the son of Teresa (Spain) Termine of Southington and Richard J. Carlson of Middletown. In addition to his parents, he is survived by his stepparents, Gary Termine and Elizabeth Byrd-Carlson; two children, Damiano and Jo-Leigh Difusco of Southington; four sisters, Jillian of Middletown, Desiree of Middlefield, Rhiannan and Ashleigh; a step-brother, Joseph; paternal grandparents, Franklin and Patricia Carlson of Ocala, FL and several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins. He was predeceased by his maternal grandparents, John and Bertha Spain Sr.

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# FARRIS, ALICE MAE, 83

Dunnellon- Alice Mae Farris, 83, died on May 12, 2016 in Durham, North Carolina. She leaves behind her sons, Kevin L.(Wendy) Farris, Homosassa, FL, Roger D.(Joni) Farris, Carmichael, CA and Michael B.(Sherilyn) Farris, Gainesville, FL; her daughters, Vickie L. (Leonard) Tolbert, Carrolton, GA and Wendy J.(Albert) Smith, Creedmoor, NC; her brothers, Wayne Abel, Max Abel, David Lynn Abels and Terry Abel; her sisters, Joy Stearns, Kay Pruett, Kathy Cornwell and her 15 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren and one on the way. She is preceded in death by her husband, Jackie Lee Farris; her daughter, Jacquelyn R. Erney; her granddaughter, Summer L. Smith; her great grandson, Conner L. Kimbrell; and five brothers. Alice was born October 5, 1932 to the late Preston and Louella (Collins) Abel in Shoals, Indiana. She owned and operated a souvenir business within the tourism industry. Alice attended the First Baptist Church in Dunnellon and she loved spending time with her family and going to the beach. She was a kind soul who never met a stranger and will be dearly missed by her family and friends. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, May 21, 2016 at 10:00 AM at the Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. There will be a public viewing on Friday, May 20, 2016 at the funeral home from 5-8 PM. Burial will take place at Fero Memorial Gardens, Beverly Hills, FL. Condolences and pictures may be left for the family at robertsofdunnellon. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 18 to May 19, 2016

### Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 20, 2016

# BAUER, JR., JOSEPH, 95

Ocala - Joseph Bauer, Jr., age 95, of Summerfield Florida, formerly of Belleview, passed away in his home after a short illness early Sunday morning. Joe was born in Monterey Indiana on August 22, 1920 to Joseph and Mary Mulkerin Bauer. He was an avid fisherman and outdoorsman from childhood. He enlisted in the Navy in 1942, serving on a PT boat in the Pacific theater for the duration of World War II. In December 1944 he married his sweetheart Wilma Jean Smith of Clinton Indiana. After service he earned degrees from Indiana State University, taught industrial arts and coached at Winamac and Decatur Central high schools in Indiana, and enjoyed a successful career in educational publishing. He and Wilma moved to Florida in 1984. They were active in PT Boat reunions for many years. Joseph is survived by four children, Joe III of Potomac, MD (Leslie), Jeanie of Belleview, FL, Pat of Sun City Center, FL (Medarda) and Colleen of Front Royal VA (Maziar Momeni), as well as seven grandchildren; six great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. Joe was preceded in death by his wife and his siblings Noreen, Regis, Ted, and Mary Genevieve. Services will be at Roberts Chapel West in Ocala at noon on Saturday, May 21, with calling at 11 o'clock. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens in Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to support the preservation and research of Joe's PT boat heritage through one of the following: PT Boats, Inc., PO Box 38070 Germantown, TN 38183, or Battleship Cove (http://www.battleshipcove.org/donate/), earmarked for the PT boat museum. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 19 to May 20, 2016

# **BRACEY, CHRISTINE, 65**

Ocala - Christine Bracey, 65, passed away on May 13, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories children, Dexter Richardson, Vondall Bracey, Kenton Bracey, Latrice Bracey, and Tara Bracey; eight grandchildren; and three great grandchildren; siblings, Shirley Bracey, Lizzie Bracey, Jeanette Martin, Geraldine Crosby, Dale Bracey, ReTrina Washington, and Tonya Charles; and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 21, 2016 at 11:00am at St. Paul A.M.E. Church. Visitation will be Friday, May 20, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10am-5pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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# COOK, SR., WALTER JAMES, 67

Ocala - Mr. Walter J. Cook, Sr, age 67, transition this life to be with the heavenly angels on May 13, 2016 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Mr. Cook was a graduate of Fessenden High School (Class of 1966). He retired from the United States Postal Services in Gainesville, FL. Mr. Cook served in the United State Military (Army). He leaves to cherish memories devoted children, Velvet Roberts, Christy Cook - Edwards, Marlo Johnson, all of Ocala, Hasan Cook, High Springs, FL; six grandchildren; two great grandchildren; sisters, Doretha Taylor, Bonita & Olivia Crawford, Tina McCray, Connie Smith, Andrea McCray; brothers, Glenn Cook, Oscar McCray, Wallace L. McCray; two God grandchildren; a host of aunts; cousins and sorrowing friends. He was married to Mrs. Sandra Cook, of 46 years. Preceded him in death was son, Walter (Jamie) Cook, Jr. A celebration will be held will be held 10:00 AM on Saturday, May 21, 2016 at Maricamp Road Church of Christ. Visitation will be held at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home on Friday from 3:00PM until 6:00PM. Mr. Cook will lie in repose one hour prior to funeral service at Maricamp Road Church of Christ. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 19 to May 20, 2016

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# SAMUEL, THELMA LORRAINE, 91

Ocala - On May 9, 2016, Our Heavenly Father, called home to rest our beloved Thelma Lorraine Samuel, 91 years old. She was a loving wife, dedicated mother to many, and a retired Marion County Public Schools Educator. She was preceded in death by her husband, Phillip Samuel. She is survived by her son, Ortiz Samuel; four grandchildren; and a host of family and friends. The service will be held on Saturday, May 21, 2016 at 1:00 pm, United Missionary Baptist Church, Reddick, FL., Rev. Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor. Public viewing will be held one hour prior to the service from 12:00 pm-1:00 pm. The family is asked to meet at the church at 12:30 pm to form the processional. Arrangements handled by O. B. Samuel Funeral Home, 21 SE 10th St, Williston, FL 32696. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 19 to May 20, 2016

# SHAYHORN, NORMA, 53

Belleview - Norma Shayhorn (maiden Quispe) of Belleview, FL died peacefully after a two year battle with cancer on May 11, 2016 in Ocala, Florida at the age of 53. She was a loving, hard-working woman for whom family meant everything. Norma as a 21 year employee of K-Mart, in both Belleview and Gainesville, Florida. A service is scheduled for Saturday, May 21, 2016 at 12:00 noon at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, 5750 SE 115th ST. Belleview, FL 34421, with a reception to follow. Reverend Lisa J. Hinkle will officiate the ceremony. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Norma's life. In lieu of flowers, donations would be appreciated.

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# **TURNER, DEBORAH ANITA, 56**

Ocala - Deborah Anita Turner of Ocala, FL entered into eternal rest on May 11, 2016. She was 56. She was a devoted mother to Deidra Ja'Net and Trevor Anthony, cherished grandmother of Isaiah, Maurice, De'sha and Ari. Viewing for Mrs. Turner will be held at Clark Funeral Home located 434 NW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave, Ocala, FL 34475 on Friday May 20, 2016 from 10am to 5pm. Services for Deborah A. Turner will be held on Saturday, May 21, 2016 at Meadowbrook Church located at 4741 SW 20th Street, Ocala, FL 34474 at 11am.

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### WILLIAMS-SIMMONS, SYBIL ANNETTE, 58

Ocala - Sybil Annette Williams-Simmons, 58, passed away on May 7, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories son, Eddrick Casey; granddaughter, Zariah Casey; sisters; and brothers; nephews; and nieces; and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 21, 2016 at 1:00pm at Benevolent Church of God, Reddick, FL. Viewing; Thursday, May 19, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 6pm-8pm.

Visitation; Friday, May 20, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10am-5pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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## WINSTON, JAMAR CHRISTOPHER, 24

Ocala - Jamar Christopher Winston, 24, passed away peacefully on the evening of May 15, 2016 at the hospital with his family by his side. He leaves to cherish his memories a loving and devoted mother, Crystal Winston; brothers, Jeremy and Jared Winston; sister-in-law, Tiarra Winston; nephew, Jayshon Brooks; niece, Tianni Winston; grandparents; aunts; uncles; and a host of other loving friends. Viewing for Jamar Winston will be held at Clark Funeral Home located 434 NW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave, Ocala, FL 34475 on Friday, May 20, 2016 from 10am to 5pm. Funeral services for Jamar Winston will be held on Sunday, May 22, 2016 at Shiloh SDA Church, Eulogist Pastor Robert Edwards. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Winston residence 5462 SW 87th Place, Ocala, FL 34476 at 10am on Sunday to form the funeral cortege. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 19 to May 20, 2016

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 22, 2016**

## **BURKE, CATHERINE ANGELA, 91**

Ocala - Catherine Angela Burke, 91, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, May 17, 2016 under the care of Legacy Hospice House, Ocala, FL. Born in New York, NY, she was a daughter of the late John J. and Bridget Burke. She was a teacher for 46 years in Westchester County, New York. Catherine was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. She was a member of the Council of Catholic Women. She was a Eucharistic Minister who also visited the sick. She enjoyed making crafts, gardening and traveling. Catherine will be deeply missed by her sister, Martina B. Twigg and her husband, Gene of Ocala, FL and her two feline children, Rusty and Nacho. She leaves behind numerous loving nieces and nephews. She had many loving friends who will remember her fondly. A visitation will be held on Thursday, May 19, 2016 from 5:00 pm to 7:00 PM at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 9695 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. The Funeral Mass will be on Friday, May 20, 2016 at 8:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers contributions in Catherine's memory may be sent to Legacy Hospice House and the ASPCA or the charity of your choice. Hiers-Baxley.com

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### HARDER, HELEN MARIE GLEASON, 84

Ocala - Helen Marie Gleason Harder, age 84, of West Mansfield, Ohio, formerly of Ocala, Florida, passed away Tuesday, May 10, 2016 at Riverside Methodist Hospital in Columbus, Ohio, surrounded by her loving family. A homemaker, she was a former secretary for the American Motorcycle Association. She stood by her late husband's side as they restored and established the gristmills and sawmill at the Bob Evans Farm in Rio

Grande, Ohio. Her husband, Ted, was the chief cornmeal grinder at the Bob Evans Farm Festival for over 35 years. She was the 'self-appointed inspector' of the ground commeal and authored a cornmeal cookbook as a result of her years' of involvement. Known as 'Grandma Barney,' she will be remembered for her love of entertaining and her masterful skills in cooking, especially pie baking. Known as a sweet and gentle soul, she always saw the best in others. She was born April 21, 1932 in Gallia County, Ohio to the late Dale and Verna Cardwell Gleason. She was also preceded in death by her husband of almost 65 years, Theodore 'Ted' R. Harder; and an infant son, Karl Dale Harder. She is survived by her daughter, Gina (Bob) Rought of West Mansfield; her grandson, Brandon Reiser of Greensboro, North Carolina; her sister, Joan Gibson of Albany, Ohio; sisters and brothers-in-law, Phyllis Mulholand, Cletus (Nan) Harder, Terry (Teresa) Harder and Virginia Harder. Memorial services will be held 12 noon, Sunday, June 26, 2016 at the home of her daughter. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Honor Flight, Columbus, Ohio. Underwood Funeral Home in Marysville, Ohio is assisting the may family. Condolences be expressed to the family at www.underwoodfuneralhome.com.

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#### HARDIE, RALPH S., 83

Ocala - Ralph S. Hardie of Ellijay, GA and Ocala, FL went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, May 18, 2016. He was born March 20, 1933 in Gainesville, GA to Jewell B. Summerlin and John Hardie. He married Agnes Cain on June 27, 1952 and had four children. He worked alongside his wife at their business, International House of Pancakes, for 45 years before retiring. His interests were traveling, NASCAR racing, and helping his family, friends, and others as much as he could. Mr. Hardie is survived by his four children, Elaine Hardie, Roger (Jackie) Hardie, Mike (Teresa) Hardie, and Ann Hardie George. His survived by his grandchildren, Bill (Courtney) Hardie, Brandon Hardie, Kathy Hardie (Ryan), Joseph George (Jessica), Jessica (Joseph) McDonald, Samantha George, Sarah Wright, and Allan (Brittany) Skipper. He is also survived by six great grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews; and a host of friends. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to Saint Jude's Children Hospital. Funeral Services will be held May 21, 2016 at 11am at Wages and Sons, Stone Mountain Chapel. Interment will be at Melwood Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Friday, May 20, 2016 from 6-8pm at Wages and Sons, Stone Mountain Chappell. 770-469-9811 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 21 to May 22, 2016

#### WILLIFORD, MARCUS BARNETT, 85

Salt Springs - Marcus Barnett Williford, 85 years, of Salt Springs, Florida, passed away in Ocala on Tuesday, May 17, 2016. He was born in Monticello, Florida on October 10, 1930; son to the late Marcus Lee and Kate (Chairs) Williford. He graduated from Andrew Jackson High School of Jacksonville, Florida in 1950. He was active in planning and attending every high school reunion, including this year. Barnett was an active member of the First Baptist Church of Salt Springs. He is survived by his sister, Faith Jolly; stepchildren, Robin Atkins and Pattye Taylor; seven step grandchildren and three step great grandchildren. Memorial contributions in his memory may be made to Hope Pantry of The First Baptist Church of Salt Springs, 24100 East Hwy 314, Salt Springs, Florida 32134. The Memorial Service will be held at the First Baptist Church of Salt Springs on Saturday, May 21, 2016 at 10:00AM with Rev. Eric Gervais officiating. Arrangements are under the care of Hiers-Baxley Boulevard Chapel, 910 East Silver Springs, Blvd, Ocala, FL 34470.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 23, 2016**

### **BISSONETTE, BETTE RUTH, 80**

Silver Springs - Bette Ruth Bissonette, 80, of Silver Springs, FL, passed away on Friday, May 13, 2016. Bette was born in Jackson, Michigan to Ivan and Juanita Bissonette and moved to Marion County in 1995. She worked 40 years at Mechanical Products, an aviation products company in Jackson, MI. Bette enjoyed bird watching, especially monitoring the bluebird nest boxes. Bette is survived by sister, Carolyn McDermott of Silver Springs; brother, Bruce Bissonette of Ocala; several nieces and nephews; and caregiver and best friend, Linda Shaw. Memorials can be made to Hospice of Marion county. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services of Ocala, (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 22 to May 23, 2016

### **DAVIDSON, JOHN MICHAEL, 79**

Ocala - John Michael Davidson, born September 9, 1936, son of the late Doran and Esther Davidson, passed away peacefully in Ocala, Florida on May 17, 2016. He is survived by his wife, Connie; a daughter, Kristen Brush and her husband, Samuel of Eagle River; Alaska; two grandchildren, Michael Brush of Fairbanks, Alaska and Amanda Geddis of Belfast, Northern Ireland; a brother, Gerald Davidson of Red Lodge, Montana; a brother, Kris Davidson and his wife, Roberta of Mendota Heights, Minnesota; and a sister, Karen Woodruff and her husband, Michael of Accrington, Lancashire, UK. John's first years were spent in the isolated northwest corner of North Dakota during the depths of the Great Depression. The family moved about to various locations in North Dakota before finally settling in Harlem, Montana in 1947. John acquired an interest in making and flying model airplanes - a hobby that he followed through all the years in Harlem. He also found a strong interest in music, performing in the high school band and dance band. After graduation from high school, early in 1955, John enlisted in the U.S. Air Force, which provided the basis of a long career in technical fields. In 1966, he married Connie Regina, originally from the state of Maine. They had one child, their daughter Kristen, born in 1967. After John's retirement in 1990, he and Connie returned to Montana where they spent several years living at Seeley Lake, Montana. In 1995, they moved back to Florida, where John had been located in the last years of his career. They remained in Ocala, Florida until the present day. During the past five years, John found fulfillment in many hours of reconstructing the family genealogy. His ancestry research has meant much to all the relations and members of the broader family.

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# JIMENEZ, AIDA 'MONA'

Ocala - Aida 'Mona' Jimenez went to be with the Lord May 16, 2016. She is survived by her husband, James; children; grandchildren; and great grandchildren; two brothers; and several nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Alzheimer's & Dementia Resource Center, 1506 Lake Highland Drive, Orlando, FL 32803, or via website at www.ADRCcares.org, in memory of Aida 'Mona' Jimenez. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 22 to May 23, 2016

### **KESSLER, EARLENE JUANITA, 88**

Ft. McCoy - Earlene Juanita Kessler, 88, of Ft. McCoy, FL passed away May 18, 2016. Born in Knox, IN, she came to this area in 1997 from Sarasota, FL where she resided for over 40 years. She was a retired school teacher and continued working as a teacher's assistant until just before her death. She is survived by her daughter, Susan Geeraerts and her husband, Art, of Ft. McCoy; and two grandchildren, Westley Kessler of Ft. McCoy and Sasha Kessler of Ocala. She was preceded in death by her husband, Chuck; and her son, Kevin. A Celebration of her life will be held at Pine United Methodist Church, 6827 NE 175th St. Rd. Citra, FL 32113 on Tuesday, May 31, 2016 at 11AM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contributions be made to the Florida Sheriffs Youth Ranches www.youthranches.org . Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funerals and Cremation 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala 236-5884.

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## NORRIS, RICHARD ALAN, 79

Ocala - Richard Alan Norris, passed away on April 27, 2016 in Ocala, Florida, after a brief illness at age 79. Predeceased by his son, Christopher Alan Norris. He is survived by son, Todd Moyer Norris; daughters, Stephanie Luneke (Tim), Lisa Hampton (Aaron); sister, Jeanne Dent (Richard); eight grandchildren; several nieces and nephews. A memorial service will be held in Grand Rapids Michigan at later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th St., Ocala, Florida. 34481. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 22 to May 23, 2016

### **TAYLOR, LETHA WALLS, 94**

Ocala - Letha Walls Taylor, 94, went home to be with the Lord Jesus Christ on May 10, 2016. She had moved to Plantation, Florida, to be close to her son James and wife, Beverly Taylor, after living in Ocala since 1980. She was preceded in death by her parents, Robert H. and Novella Walls of Immokalee; and her husband of 65 years, Robert L. Taylor. She was also predeceased by sisters, Lois Sears and Theo Meyer; and brothers, James Horace, Hulett and Eddie Walls. Survivors include three granddaughters, Holly Taylor Coolman (Boyd), Wendy Taylor and Heather Taylor Pires (Acrisio); great grandchildren, Grace Taylor Loring, Stella Taylor Pires and Anna, Ben and James Taylor Coolman. She was also a loving aunt to many nieces and nephews. Letha was retired from work in the purchasing department of the then Dade County School Board in Miami. Letha and Robert moved from the Miami and Hialeah area in 1980, becoming faithful members of Northside Missionary Baptist Church. A number of old friends from south Florida joined them here in Ocala where they continued their friendships for many years. Letha 's life will be held at Roberts Funeral Home, 2739 S.E. Maricamp

Road, Ocala, 34471, on Monday, May 23, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. with visitation prior to the service at 9:30. a.m. Burial will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 S.W. 20th Street, Ocala, 34474, following the service. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 21 to May 23, 2016

#### No Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 24, 2016

#### Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 25, 2016

#### **CROY, JERRY LEROY, 64**

Ocala - Jerry Croy left this earth and went home to the Lord on Thursday, May 19, 2016. He was born in Hartford City, Indiana, October 12, 1951. Jerry served in the Army Reserves and recently retired from Frito Lay. Jerry is survived by his daughters, Tonya (John) Mercier, Lisa (Craig) Bucher; parents, Marilyn and Al Watkins; sisters, Colleen Croy and Linda (Mark) Sorensen; girlfriend, Sharon Bucher; two granddaughters; four grandsons; and many nieces; nephews; family and friends. Jerry was a loving father, grandfather, son, and friend to all. Jerry's passions were spending time with his family, fishing (Cobia Phobia), NASCAR (#3), and football. 'When life gets rough... build a sandbox' - Jerry A celebration of life memorial service will be held at 3pm on Saturday, June 4, 2016 at Ocala Boat Club, 9570 NE 28th Ln., Silver Springs, FL 34488. Flowers can be sent to the Ocala Boat Club on June 4, 2016 or in lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made in Jerry's name at www.juliasjourney.net. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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# HURLEY, HENRY, 81

Dunnellon - Mr. Henry 'Hank' Hurley, 81, passed away at home in Dunnellon on May 20, 2016. Hank and Glen moved to this area in 2012. Prior to his retirement he was employed with Boeing company and the shuttle program. From there he became a real estate broker and developed his company of Hurley Associaties, Inc., in Melbourne and served on several governmental agencies. After moving to Dunnellon, Hank became very involved as a volunteer at the food pantry of St. John the Baptist Catholic Church. He proudly served his country in the United States Air Force. His survivors include his wife Glenda; his daughters, Tracy McGinn and her husband, Chuck of Gainesville and Kelly Pumyea of Sarasota; his granddaughter, Jennifer Woodard and great grandson, Logan Woodard Morris. Funeral services for Hank will be held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, May 28, 2016 at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 East Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon, with Father Kevin MacGabhann officiating. The family will receive friends from 10:00 AM until service time at the funeral home. Following cremation, his remains will be placed in the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell on Tuesday, May 31, 2016 at 10:00 AM with full military honors. For those who wish memorial contributions may be made in his name to the Food Pantry, C/O St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, 7545 S. US Hwy 41, Dunnellon, FL Expressions 34432. of sympathy and pictures may be left online at robertsofdunnellon.com

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#### Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 26, 2016

#### BLAKE, ZELMA M., 88

Ocala - Zelma M. Blake, 88, of Ocala passed away on Friday, May 20th, 2016. Zelma was born in West Virginia on December 31, 1927 were she met and married her husband, Paul. Zelma worked as a medicine aide until her retirement. Zelma was predeceased by her husband, Paul. She is survived by her three children, Paul Blake (Kay) of Ocala, John Blake (Arlene) and Nancy Dollinger (Kenny) of Maryland; six grandchildren; 10 great grandchildren; and one great great grandchild. Graveside services for Mrs. Blake will be held on Friday, May 27, 2016 at 11:00am in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St. The family will receive friends on Thursday evening from 6:00pm to 8:00pm at Roberts Funeral Home East Chapel 2739 SE Maricamp Rd. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral homes, 2739 SE Maricamp Rd, Ocala, FL 34471, (352) 622-4141. Please sign Zelma's online guestbook at www. robertsfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 25 to May 26, 2016

## HARRIS, LOUISE, 99

Ocala - Louise Helen Harris, 99, of Ocala, Florida (previously Largo, Florida) passed away peacefully on Friday, May 13, 2016 at Estelle's Hospice House, Ocala, Florida, following an illness she sustained in May. She was born on November 16, 1916 in Manila, Philippine Islands to James and Selina (Reich) Waddington (U.S. citizens.) She met Charles Harris and they married in 1936. Louise was a homemaker, Sunday School Teacher, active church member, cub scout leader and a devoted mother, grandmother and great grandmother to her family. She will be greatly missed by all. She was preceded in death by her husband Charles E. Harris in 1985, and her daughter-in-law, Suzanne Harris; sister, Aida Bowen; and brother, James Schofield Waddington. Louise is survived by her sons, Charles Harris of Virginia, Thomas Harris (Kathy Harris) of Ocala, and Geoffrey Harris (Kathy Lamb Harris), of Holiday, FL; nine grandchildren, Oliver, Selina, Emily, Kristie, Jill, Thomas, Matthew, Martha, and Mark; and eight great grandchildren. A memorial service will be announced at a later date in the Boulevard Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL. Condolences may be given at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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#### LASSITTER, THOMAS A., 83

Ocala - Thomas A. Lassitter, 83, of Ocala, FL passed away in his home surrounded by his loving family on Sunday, May 22, 2016. He was the husband of Bonnie Lassitter for 25 years. A native Floridian born in Defuniak Springs he was a son of the late Thomas and Ida Lassitter. Prior to his retirement Thomas was a back hoe operator. He was a Veteran of the US Army serving during the Korean War.. He moved to Ocala in 1951 from Red Bay, FL. Thomas was of the Baptist faith. He enjoyed gardening, fishing and spending time with his wife and family. Thomas will be deeply missed by his wife, Bonnie; son, Floyd E. Lassitter of Ocala, FL; and daughters, Rebecca N. Sogan of FT. McCoy, FL and Claudya Hebert of Ocala, FL. He is also survived by stepchildren, Joel Sorrell of Pennsylvania, Dawn Barras and Harold Sorrell both of Kincheloe, MI. He has 19 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. A visitation will be held on Thursday, May

26, 2016 from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34471. Funeral services will be held on Friday, May 27, 2016 at 10:00 AM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services followed by interment in Hillcrest Cemetery, Ocala, FL. Hiers-Baxley.com

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# DANLOVICH, TERESA THOMPSON, 53

Ocala - Teresa Thompson Danlovich, 53, of Ocala, passed away Friday, May 13, 2016 at Monroe Regional Medical Center in Ocala following an extended illness. She was born and raised in Palatka and had been a resident of Ocala for the past 12 years. She was a 1979 graduate of the Palatka High School and graduated from the College of Central Florida. She earned her degree in Early Childhood Development and worked at Childhood Development Services for the past 12 years. Teresa loved fishing, boating and spending time with family and friends. Surviving are her husband of 12 years, Rick Parrish of Ocala; four sons, Jason Danlovich and companion, Rebecca Rudd of St. Augustine, Nathan Danlovich of Ocala, Ryan Danlovich of San Mateo and Michael Tyler Elixson of Fort Bragg, NC; mother and stepfather, Joan and Wade Carter of San Mateo; father and stepmother, George and Kay Thompson of Palatka; mother-in-law, Glenda Parrish of Ocala stepdaughters, Jessica Parrish (Rick Touchton) of Ocala and Adrian (Aaron) Klempert of Gainesville; one sister, Brenda Nelson of Palm Coast; four brothers, Buddy and Diane Thompson of Melrose, Bill Thompson, Greg Thompson and Neal Thompson all of Palatka; two stepsisters, Tammy (Bill) Vaughn and Sharon Scappelati of Palatka; sister-in-law, Lisa Parrish of Ocala; and six grandchildren, Damon Danlovich, Finley Danlovich, Fischer Danlovich, Josie Danlovich and Felix and Phoebe Klempert and many nieces and nephews. A celebration of life will be 12:00 p.m. Saturday, May 28, 2016 at Masters Funeral Home of Palatka with Father Amar Nagothu officiating. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 26 to May 27, 2016

# DAVIS, VINCENT ULYSSES, 54,

Ocala - Vincent Ulysses Davis, 54, Passed away May 22, 2016. Memorial Service for Mr. Davis will be held on Saturday, May 28, 2016, 11am at Sellers Funeral Home, 440 SW Broadway Street, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at Sellers Funeral Home on Saturday at 10:30am for the services. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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# DUGAS, ROBERT WILLIAM, 73

Ocala - Robert William Dugas, 73, a good timin' man, passed away May 20, 2016. Born January 26, 1943 in Malden, Massachusetts to Harry William and Catherine Long Dugas. A veteran of the US Navy, he went on to fly for a few Caribbean airlines, mosquito patrol in the Keys, the Saudi royal family and some South Americans. He is survived by his good hearted woman of 32 years, Nan Markt Dugas. His kids also survived him, Michael Robert (Nichole), Christopher William (Tracy), Alexandra Ann Silic (Alexander) and

Shane Markt. Speaking of survival, this Dugas made it through some things: 7.2 ounces of rum per day, a helicopter crash, a plane crash, importing exotic Colombian flora, another plane crash, delivering a baby, a 44 day stay at the Al-Ruwais resort and 16 rounds of chemo. His brother, Jim (who likewise survived) was an accountant while his sister, Joan (another survivor) kindly lent him a hand a few times. He loved playing cards, shooting darts, shooting pool, reading up on cosmology, buying ice cream for his grandkids, making friends, drinking cuba libres and enjoying a party. He considered himself a gardener and good cook. We consider him a bit out of touch. Regardless, Bob, thanks for all the good times, love and endless generosity. We decided to make the services private to save on party expenses. In lieu of flowers, rum or bibles, just donate in his name to either UF Shands Cancer Center Fund or to Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 26 to May 27, 2016

# ELLIOTT, TREVOR G., 79

Ocala - Trevor G. Elliott, age 79, of Ocala, passed away on May 13, 2016. He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Deon; seven children, Carl, Barbara, Sharon, Michael, Susan, Andrew and Trevor Jr.; brothers, Jeremy and Ashton, 10 grandchildren; five great grandchildren and other family members and friends. Funeral services will be held at 1:00 PM Saturday, May 28, 2016 at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, Florida, with visitation starting at 12 Noon.

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# HARRELSON, MELVIN O., 81

Ocklawaha - Melvin O. Harrelson, 81, passed away May 21, 2016. Born February 28, 1935 in Fort Lauderdale, FL to James Ernest and Martha Lucille Teague Harrelson. He moved here in 1981 from Fort Lauderdale and has been an active member of the Ocala Sheriff Citizen Watch Patrol and volunteer/member of the New Harvest Church of God. He was a veteran of the United States Marine Corps, serving for 18 years, and then was a Manager with the City of Ocala for 18 years. Melvin enjoyed fishing and was an avid puzzle worker. He is preceded in death by his wife; and sons, Vinny Harrelson and David Harrelson. Melvin in survived by his brother, Glenn Harrelson, of Greenback, TN; sister, Barbara Henderson, of Silver Springs, FL; and numerous nieces; nephews; and friends that will miss him greatly. Memorial Service will be 1:00 p.m., Saturday, June 4, 2016 at the New Harvest Church of God, with Pastor Jim Miller officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Melvin. He will be later interred next to his beloved wife in St. Louis, MO. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL.

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# METZ, SHELDON JEROME, 74

Ocala - Mr. Sheldon Jerome Metz, 74, passed away in Ocala, FL on May 23, 2016. He was born in Detroit, MI on October 19, 1941. He was a retired car salesperson. Sheldon was a soft spoken, kind and gentle person. He moved to this area in 1999 from TN. He loved carpentry. Sheldon is survived by his loving wife, Joyce, of 29 years. A beloved son, Shayne Christie and wife, Mechelle of Tennessee; son, Sandor Metz of Michigan; three sisters, Ruth Sphargol of Orlando, Florida; Betty Wood of Chandler, Arizona and

Selma Storman of Surprise, Arizona. The family requests donations be made to Hospice of Marion County in Sheldon's name. Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel made the arrangements. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 26 to May 27, 2016

## **MONTGOMERY, JESSIE D., 88**

Ocala - Jessie D. Montgomery, 88, passed away on May 20, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories son, Alfred Grigler; grandchildren, Nicole Grigler, Danielle Grigler, and Brandon Hicks; three great grandchildren; eight sisters; two brothers; and a host of other relatives, and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, May 28, 2016 at 11:00am at St. Paul A.M.E. Church, 718 N.W. 7th Street. Viewing will be held Friday, May 27, 2016 at St. Paul A.M.E. Church from 5pm-7pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never Fade).

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## NEAL, JR., KENNETH L., 83

Ocala - Kenneth L. Neal, Jr passed away, surrounded by his children on May 14, 2016, to spend eternity with our Lord. He was born on October 5, 1932 in Elkhart IN. He married Shirley Joan Ruth in 1955. He was a caring man who spent his life helping others. He was an Eagle Scout. He served in the Navy during the Korean War on the USS Quincy. He donated gallons of blood and volunteered for Meals on Wheels. He was a long time member of the Lions Club and helped as often as possible with the local Humane Society. He was a member of the Congregational United Church of Christ. He retired from Elkhart County in maintenance and locksmith and moved to FL in 2003. He is preceded in death by his wife, Shirley, of nearly 55 years; parents, Ken and Estella Neal; brother, Richard Neal; and great-granddaughter, Savannah Donnell. Survived by three children, daughters, Michele (David) Neuenschwander of Cocoa FL, Susan (Wes) Elliott of Beebe AR; and son, Ken Neal, III, New Carisle IN. He also lives on in six grandchildren and three great grandchildren. He is also survived by his fiancée, Susan Sherrill. No services are planned. He will be interred in Florida National cemetery in Bushnell FL. Those wishing to make a donation are asked to make them to Legacy House in Ocala. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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#### PATRICK, BARBARA R., 85

Belleview - Barbara R. Patrick, 85, a winter resident of Belleview, FL, died May 21, 2016, in Michigan. She was born August 30, 1930. She has been a winter resident of Belleview since 1980. Barbara is survived by her children, Gary C. Patrick of Cedarville, MI, and Gail (Hugh Gunn) Bethea of Haslett, MI; grandchildren, Tricia Betheat, Heather Patrick, Derek Patrick, and Melissa Bethea; one great grandchild, Derek Jr. 'DJ'; siblings, Glenn Detgen, Alice Hall, and Jack (Janet) Detgen; and sister-in-law, Audrey Detgen. Barbara was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Patrick in 1999; infant grandson, Joseph E. Patrick; brothers, Sylvester Detgen, Henry 'Hank' Detgen, Wayne Detgen, and Larry Detgen; and sisters, Marion Detgen, Violet Cleaver, Carol Kestner, and Mary Lou Detgen. Services will be held Friday, May 27, 2016 at R. Galer Funeral Home, 24549 S. M-129 in Pickford, Michigan. Visitation will be held from 12:00 Noon until 2:00 P.M.

with a service beginning at 2:00 P.M. Burial will be at Oaklawn Chapel Gardens in Bruce Township, Michigan. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.rgalerfuneralhome.com.

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## HUTCHINGS, SHERMAN, 87

Ocala- 'Sherm' Hutchings passed away peacefully on May 23, 2016. He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Glorienne; a daughter, Doreen, of Minnesota; a son, David (Elizabeth), of Florida; his grandson, Gregory (Michelle), of Connecticut; his granddaughters, Jennifer Hubal (Andrew), and their children, Hannah and Aaron of Minnesota, Amanda Fischer (Thomas), of Minnesota and Angela, of New York. Sherman was raised in New Hyde Park, New York. His interests included bowling, golf, boating, fishing, crossword and jigsaw puzzles. Woodworking and the ability to fix just about anything were his greatest gifts. Spending time with family provided him with much joy. He and Glo raised their children in Hicksville, NY. After his retirement from retail lumber they moved to OTOW in Ocala. Memorial Service June 3, 2016, 11am at Ocala West United Methodist Church Chapel at 9330 SW 105th Street, Ocala, FL 34481. Donations requested for Legacy House, 9505 SW 110th Street, Ocala, FL 34481.

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#### JOHNS, BERNICE A.

Ocala - Bernice A. Johns, 83, of Ocala, FL passed away Tues-day, May 24, 2016 under the care of Life Care Center of Ocala. She was the wife of Walter Johns for 59 years. Born in Tipton, IN February 27, 1933, she was a daughter of the late Basil and Icie Shupperd. Bernice retired after 34 years with FAB 3, Delco Elec-tronics, part of General Motors Corporation in Kokomo, IN. She was an active member and volunteer at Calvary Bap-tist Church in Kokomo, IN., volunteer at Hanes Creek Bap-tist Church, Leesburg, FL. She was an avid reader and en-joyed shopping, gardening and growing flowers. Bernice was dedicated to her family and loved to host large family meals. Bernice and Walter made annual trips to Standing Stone State Park in Livingston, TN for over 45 years to family vacations. Bernice will be deeply missed by her devoted hus-band, Walter; and daughters, Kathy Haigh (Jack), Debra Snyder (Richard G.) and Re-becca Masters all of Ocala, FL and Elizabeth Bradburn (Larry) of Kokomo, IN. She has 12 grandchildren, 24 great grand-children and one great great grandchild. She is also survived by sisters, Linda Burkardt, Gwen Morris and Betty Cunningham. She was preceded in death by granddaughter, Amanda Jaenicke; and great grand-daughter, Aubrey Peters, sib-lings: Bob, Phil, Larry and Sally Yewell, Alice Reecer. A memorial service will be held on Tuesday, May 31, 2016 at 11:00 AM at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34471. Relatives and friends may gather from 10:00 AM until the time of the service. Hiers-Baxley.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner on May 28, 2016

#### PRESSLEY, TED W.

Ocala - Ted W. Pressley, 70, passed away May 26, 2016 at Hospice Legacy house. Born

December 23, 1945 in Can-ton, NC to Joseph Ernest and Ruby Rogers Pressley. He moved here in 1985 from Hendersonville, NC. He was the pastor and founder of New Covenant Worship Center and also owned and operated Ted Pressley Painting Inc. Ted is preceded in death by his son, Terry Wayne Pressley; parents; sisters, Gwynneth Edwards and Juanita Kilby; and brother, Billy Joe. He is survived by his loving wife of 29 years, Cynthia Mar-tin Pressley; son, Shawn Tyler, of Hendersonville, NC; daugh-ters, Shari Smith (Thomas), of Ocala, Stacy Hall (Troy), Sheila Turpin, both of Hendersonville, NC, Teresa Bennett (Reid), of Asheville, NC; Dustin and Shana Turpin of Ocala; broth-ers, Carroll Pressley (Patti), of Irving, TX, Wade Pressley (Nancy), Rev. Ned Pressley (Alice), both of Canton, NC; ten grandchildren, one great-granddaughter; and many friends all whom will miss him dearly. Visitation will be 2:00 - 3:00 p.m., Sunday, May 29, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Funeral Service will be 3:00 p.m. with his nephews, Reverend Marty Pressley, of Bryson City, NC and Reverend Tim Pressley of Sylva, NC officiating the ser-vices. Interment will be later in New Cruso Cemetery, Can-ton, NC. In lieu of flowers, the family has a fund set up at Bank of America to help with funeral expenses. The fund is under the name, Shari Tyler Smith. Condolences may be left for the family at www.countrysidefunerals.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner on May 28, 2016

#### WOLFGRAM, MARILYN F., 91

Ocala - Marilyn F. Wolfgram, age 91, went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, May 21, 2016. She is predeceased by her husband, Walter R. Wolfgram Sr.; stepson Walter R. Wolfgram, Jr. and her sister, Jeanne Wells. Marilyn is survived by her sister, Lois Klouse of Tampa, FL; stepsons, Ed (Anita) Wolfgram of Bella Vista, AR, Bob (Kimi) Wolfgram of Oceanside, CA, Randy (Julie) Wolfgram of Palm Coast, FL; stepdaughter, Linda (Ed) Baker of Ocala, FL; stepgrandchildren; nieces and nephews. Marilyn was born and raised in Chicago, IL and moved to Ocala with her husband in 1994. She was a very active member of Joy Lutheran Church and served passionately on a variety of outreach committees and often assisted in the church office. In 2014, Marilyn moved to Tampa to be closer to her sister, Lois and her niece, Barb (Bob) DeJute. A memorial service will be held at Joy Lutheran Church on Saturday, July 23, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Joy Lutheran Church, 7045 SW 83rd Place, Ocala, FL, 34476. www.andersonmcqueen.com

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, May 30, 2016**

#### **BONO, THERESA, 93**

Ocala - Theresa Bono, of Ocala, FL passed away on Wednesday, May 18, 2016. She was born August 2, 1922 in The Bronx, NY. Daughter of Rodolfo and Anna Bellingreri. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles James Bono. She is survived by her two children, Lorraine (Andrew) Engel of Ocala, and Charles Bono of Enterprise, FL; grandchildren, Nicholas Engel and Georgiana (Margarito) Rodriguez; great grandchild, Christopher. A memorial mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Wednesday, June 1, 2016 8:30 AM. Family recommends memorials be given to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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## ECKERT, MARCELLA F., 87

Ocala - Marcella F. Eckert, 87, of Ocala, passed away May 22, 2016. Born in Meyersdale, Pennsylvania, she moved with her husband, William, to the Ocala area in 1987 from Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. Mrs. Eckert was a District Manager for Avon and a Data Processor for Pepsi, retiring after 10 years of service. She enjoyed playing bridge, going to the beach with her family and she was a very talented seamstress. She is preceded in death by her loving husband of 64 years, William R. Eckert. She is survived by her daughters, Cathryn L. Carter of Pinellas Park, FL and Jan M. Brooker of Ocala, FL; sisters, Adaline Paul of Warner Robbins, GA and Linda Werntz of Akron, OH; three grandchildren, Michelle (Richard) Gaines, Kerry (Todd) Yaquinto and Ian (Kate) Brooker; three great grandsons, Brandon, Nicolas and Taylor. Interment will take place privately with family at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorial contribution be made to the Alzheimer's Association, 2180 W. State Road 434, Suite 1100, Longwood, FL 32779 or Hospice of Marion County, Inc., Post Office Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478-4860. Include with your donation to hospice a reference to The Legacy House Hospice, Ocala.

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#### FARR, DEBRAH A., 62

Ocala - Debrah A. Farr, 62, of Ocala Florida, passed away at Estelle's Hospice House with her loving family by her side. She was born March 11, 1954 in Ocala to the late Ralph and Doris McCall. Debbie enjoyed spending time at the beach, camping, shopping, and spending time with her friends and family. She is preceded in death by her son, SSG. Chad Lake. She is survived by her devoted husband of 19 years, Worthy Farr, of Ocala; beloved daughter, Courtney (Melvin) Lopez, of Ocala; stepsons, Jeremy (Diana) Farr, Jason Farr, both of Ocala; grandchildren, Austin, Madison, and Trey Lopez, Jason Jr., Kylie, and Matthew Farr; sisters, Phoebe (Frank) Adcock, of Ocala, Dorie (Rocky) Kinney, of Jacksonville, Tina Stone of Orlando, Kay McCandles of Gainesville; several nieces and nephews, and many friends. Visitation May 31, 2016 from 6-8pm, Funeral Service will be June 1, 2016 at 10am at Roberts Downtown Chapel with interment to follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.

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#### HARVEY, FRANK VINTON, 64

Ocala - Frank Vinton Harvey of Ocala Florida and Baltimore Maryland passed away Sunday May 22nd 2016 in Baltimore after a courageous battle with myelofibrosis . He was born in Baltimore September 19, 1951. For the last 4 years he had divided his time between Ocala and Baltimore. He was a 1969 graduate of Lansdowne Senior High School in Baltimore. He went on to work for Bell telephone company and retired after 35 years. Vinton loved playing golf and was treasurer of his golf club for several years. He is preceded in death by his father Frank W. Harvey and mother Lyndall T. Harvey of Silver Springs Florida. Vinton is survived by wife Cheryl Harvey of Baltimore Maryland, sisters Suzanne Unglesbee (Jerry) of Mount Airy Maryland, Kay Harvey of Silver Springs, Florida, several nephews and nieces, great nephews and nieces and close friends. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from May 29 to May 30, 2016

## PIPERATO, JR., ADAM JOSEPH, 56

Ocala - Adam Joseph Piperato, Jr. 'Joe', 56 of Ocala, formerly of Freeport, Pennsylvania passed away in his home on Wednesday, May 11, 2016. Joe was born in Natrona Heights, Pennsylvania to Adam J. Piperato, Sr. and Elizabeth 'Betty' Ralston Piperato on November 28, 1959. He was an avid fisherman and outdoorsman from childhood. He loved to attend sporting events, especially Nascar Races. Joe attended St. Mary's Parochial School in Freeport until moving to Ocala with his family in 1971. Joe attended Vanguard High School while working in the family business, Ranchers Harness Company for many years before becoming a skilled craftsman in the cabinetry business. Adam is survived by his sisters, Christine Vanlue (John), Amelia Piperato of Ocala, FL; brother, Samuel J. Piperato of New York, New York; nieces, Jennifer Vanlue Nichols, Kimberly Haught Zeitz (Adam); nephews, Jeffery Vanlue, Joshua Vanlue (Alecia); six great nieces; one great nephew; and many loving cousins. Adam was preceded in death by his parents, Adam and Betty on February 8, 1988. A Celebration of Life will be held on June 12, 2016 at 12:00 pm at the Vanlue Residence in Ocala. All are welcome to bring happy memories.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 2, 2016**

# GARCIA, DAVID, 55

Dunnellon - David Garcia, 55, died on May 29, 2016 at his residence in Dunnellon. He leaves behind his wife, Crystal Garcia; his daughter, Jennifer Raye Garcia; and son, William Milan Garcia; his mother, Marina Garcia; his sisters, Gloria Garcia and Maria Garcia; his brothers, Remigio Garcia, Jr., Juan Garcia and Daniel Garcia; one grandson, Baby David who is on the way and many loving family members. He is preceded in death by his father, Remigio Garcia, Sr.; and his brother, Ernesto Garcia. David was born September 29, 1960 in Pittston, PA. He moved to Dunnellon in 2003 from West Palm Beach. David was employed with Dixie Metal Products Inc. in Ocala up until his illness two weeks ago. He was a christian man who loved his church in Dunnellon (First United Methodist). David was a Pittsburgh Steelers Fan and also enjoyed gardening, watching NASCAR and his NetFlix TV, but most importantly spending time with his family who will miss him dearly. His family will be receiving relatives and friends on Friday, June 3, 2016 from 6-9 PM at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon. A Celebration of life will be held at the First United Methodist Church in Dunnellon on Saturday, June 4, 2016 at 11:00 AM with Rev. Eddie Fulford Officiating. For those who wish memorial contributions can be made in David's memory to the First United Methodist Church:

21501 West Hwy 40, Dunnellon, FL 34431. For those who would like to leave an expression of sympathy or picture you may visit www.robertsofdunnellon.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 1 to June 2, 2016

# HOWELL, ERNEST 'GORDON,' 87

Ocala - Ernest 'Gordon' Howell, passed away May 27, 2016 at Ocala Regional Medical Center at the age of 87. Gordon moved to Ocala in recent years to be closer to his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. He was originally from Irwin County, Georgia, residing in Ashburn, Georgia most of his life. He was loved by many, mostly by his wife Ruth for 43 years. He is preceded in death by his parents, Ernest Lovett Howell and Alvie Gay Howell; his siblings, Jessie Cleghorn, Grace Howell and Athleen Howell, all of Irwin County, Georiga. He is survived by his wife, Ruth Dobbins Howell from Fitzgerald, Georgia; his siblings, J.B. Howell of Pavo, Georgia, Sue Fletcher of lrwinville, Georgia, and Alex Howell of Cordele, Georgia; his children, Judy Howell Sapp, Jennie Howell, Terry Howell Collum (Steve), Jean Howell Guinn (Ricky), Clarence Michael Howell (Jan), and Ernest Todd Howell (Doreen), all of Ocala, Florida. His greatest joy was found in his 14 grandchildren and his 23 great grandchildren. Gordon's career was in the building industry. He built bridges, commercial buildings, residential homes, custom wrought iron work, and furniture. Most of his life, he enjoyed raising and running fox hounds and he was an avid hunter. He is a member of the First United Methodist Church of Ashburn, Georgia where he was very active in social events and enjoyed showing off his culinary talents. He was known for his barbecue, biscuits and chicken & dumplings. The legacy he is leaving behind is his family, which he adored. Services will be held Friday, June 3, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, Florida. Visitation begins at 2:00pm and a memorial service at 4:00pm. To view details online, visit Hiers-Baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 1 to June 2, 2016

# LAMPORT, MERCIA J., 82

Ocala - Mercia J. Lamport, 82 of Ocala, passed away at The Legacy House on Sunday, May 29, 2016. She was born in East Palatka, FL. Mercia spent most of her life in Miami where she attended Miami Jackson High School and worked at F.I.U. before moving to Ocala in 1977. Mercia is survived by her husband of 62 years, David; daughter, Candi Bramlett (Bob); granddaughter, Stephanie Dotten (Joe); grandson, Keith Bramlett (Jessica); great grandchildren, Emili Berkman (Garryn), Dylan and Dustin Dotten and Ryker and Tucker Bramlett. Graveside funeral services will be held on Thursday, June 2, 2016 at 11:00am at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th St, Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Humane Society of Marion County. Arrangements are under the Care of Roberts Funeral Homes, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, (352)622-4141. FL 34474 Please sign Mercia's online guestbook at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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# SEARS, JOHN O., 77

Fairfield - John O. Sears, 77, of Fairfield, FL passed away on Friday, May 27, 2016 at the Ocala Regional Medical Center, Ocala, FL. He was born in Seekonk, MA on October 1,

1938. He moved to Florida at the age of 24 and has resided in the area ever since. He was a Christian. His hobbies included hunting and his Beagle dogs. He also loved working with horses and worked in the Equine industry for over 45 years. He is survived by sons, Robert Sears, Sr. and John Sears; daughters, Stacy, Stephanie, Susan and Deborah; brother, Dennis Sears; sisters, Mary and Lena; 11 grandchildren and two great grandchildren; his companion, Helen Bias. A memorial service will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL on Thursday, June 2, 2016 at 5:30 PM. Friends may gather from 4:00 PM until the time of the service. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 1 to June 2, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 3, 2016**

#### **BIELUNSKI, JOHN CASMIER, 86**

Ocala - John Casmier Bielunski was born July 27, 1929 in Chicago, Illinois to Charles Bielunski and Mary Debray. He attended Crane Technical High School in Chicago (45), completing his GED while serving in the military. He graduated with a Master's degree in Animal Sciences from the University of Illinois, Champaign, IL (56). Preceded in death by his wife, Helene, after 59 years of marriage; his beloved stepmother, Helen; and his brother, Henry A. Bielunski. He is survived by his brother, Wayne; sister-in-law, Marlys; nephews, Steve and Michael Bielunski and their families. His immediate family consists of daughter, Denise and husband, David Dodd; grandchildren, Dr. Joseph Krug and his family; grandson, Eric; and granddaughter, Danielle; his sons, John W. and David J Bielunski; his stepchildren consist of Matthew Ruedi and family, Charles A Ruedi III and family, and Phillip Ruedi and family. John served in the U.S.C.G. during WWII and the US Navy during the Korean conflict, for a total of seven plus years. He established a feed/premix business in Nebraska, and worked in the field of Veterinarian/feed business, and retired from Pfizer Inc. John retired three times with the final retirement in 1999 upon moving to Ocala, Florida. He married Joan L Ruedi in 2012, truly the works of the Lord and was active in church, the local hospital, Knights of Columbus, as well as various other groups. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his name to: Christ the King Anglican Church Building Fund, Ocala, FL.

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#### FUNDERBURK, LYNDELL (DUKE), 85

Dunnellon - Lyndell (Duke) Funderburk, 85 of Dunnellon went to be with his Lord on May 1, 2016. He was born on July 22, 1930 in Angelus, S.C. the son of Oscar B. and Nettie (Railey) Funderburk. He was the fourth of four children. Duke was raised in the Southern Baptist Church. He was ordained a Deacon in the First Baptist Church of Rainbow Lakes Estates, FL. Duke worked for 35 years with several grocery store chains. He was predeceased by one son, Lynn Maurice Funderburk Jr.; two brothers, LaCosta Funderburk and Oscar (Fundy) Funderburk. Duke is survived by his loving wife of 39 years, Lula Fay Funderburk at home; three sons, James Michael Funderburk of Dunnellon, FL., Terry Lee Funderburk of Dunnellon, FL. and Rickie E. Funderburk of GA; step sons Howard E. Large Jr. and his wife, Kristina; step daughters, Janet Irene Smith-Large, Linda Marie Bennett and Patricia Diane Boice and her husband, Gregory William; one sister in law, Norma L. Funderburk; 15 grandchildren; and 21 Great

grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. A celebration of Duke's life will be celebrated at the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon, 20831 Powell Road, Dunnellon, FL 34431 on Friday, May 3, 2016 at 10:30 AM. Words of condolence may be written at www.ferofuneralhome.com. Arrangements are under the direction of Fero Funeral Home 5955 N. Lecanto Highway, Beverly Hills, FL. 34465

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## HARRELSON, MELVIN O., 81

Ocklawaha - Melvin O. Harrelson, 81, passed away May 21, 2016. Born February 28, 1935 in Fort Lauderdale, FL to James Ernest and Martha Lucille Teague Harrelson. He moved here in 1981 from Fort Lauderdale and has been an active member of the Ocala Sheriff Citizen Watch Patrol and volunteer/member of the New Harvest Church of God. He was a veteran of the United States Marine Corps, serving for 18 years, and then was a Manager with the City of Ocala for 18 years. Melvin enjoyed fishing and was an avid puzzle worker. He is preceded in death by his wife; and sons, Vinny Harrelson and David Harrelson. Melvin in survived by his brother, Glenn Harrelson, of Greenback, TN; sister, Barbara Henderson, of Silver Springs, FL; and numerous nieces; nephews; and friends that will miss him greatly. Memorial Service will be 1:00 p.m., Saturday, June 4, 2016 at the New Harvest Church of God, with Pastor Jim Miller officiating. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Melvin. He will be later interred next to his beloved wife in St. Louis, MO. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL.

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#### **KESSLER, HAROLD D., 88**

Ocala - Harold D. 'Hal' Kessler, 88, lately of Ocala, FL, formerly of Ellsworth, IL and Peru, IN died on day, May 28, 2016 at 9:50 AM at Windsor of Ocala after a brave battle with Alzheimer's Disease. Hal had been a resident at the Chambrel Home for several years. Harold David Kessler was born on June 22, 1927, to Franklin and Pearl (Davis) Kessler. He married Evelyn Jean Fornero on August 5, 1951, in Peru, IN. She died on January 10, 2013. Survivors include his two sons, Curt (Kyryth) Kessler, Bloomington, IL and Brian (Sharon) Kessler of Kankakee, IL; three grandchildren, Curtis 'Bud' Kessler Jr. and Isabella Kessler, Bloomington, IL and Lee Ann Kessler, Kankakee, IL. Also surviving are a first cousin, Mary Jane Oswalt, Santa Fe, IN. After serving in the Army during the Korean Conflict, Hal received his BA in Education from Indiana University in professional education, and his Masters in Counseling and Guidance in 1966. During this time he served as an educator in both Elkhart Community and Michigan City School Districts. He was appointed County-Wide Special Education Director in September of 1967 of Putnam County, IN. He then was named Head of Special Education of the Tri-County Special Education in Bloomington, IL, the office for McLean, DeWitt and Livingston counties and resided in Ellsworth, IL with his family. He retired in 1993 and the following year he and Evelyn fulfilled their dream of moving to Ocala, FL where they lived in their dream home for 15 years. Afterwards, Hal and Evelyn moved to the Chambrel Assisted Living Facility (ALF) where they enjoyed their residence. Hal was a jovial person who could always make you laugh; he enjoyed his grandchildren and was always there for his sons. He was a pleasure to be with at any time and could always be

counted on to be the life of the party. He will be greatly missed by his sons and his grandchildren, who called him 'Grandpa Pal.' He had a life well-lived, and lived it well every day... Cremation rites have been accorded; Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. A private family Internment of Ashes will take place on a later date in Santa Fe, IN. The family wishes to thank Betty Gall and Belinda Miller who lovingly cared for Hal when he became ill, and all the nurses and doctors at the Windsor and The Chambrel for their care of Hal. The family rejoices that he is now reunited with his beloved wife Evelyn and his parents in Paradise.

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## MANN, MICHAEL BERNARD

Ocala - Michael Bernard Mann 'Naley' passed away in Atlanta Georgia with his daughter holding his hand singing I'm Free, Praise the Lord, I'm Free, on May 20, 2016. He leaves to cherish fond memories daughter, Latasha Mann (Phillip), Tampa, Fl.; his mother, Lucille Mann, Ocala FL., Tanisha Naves (Bernardo); son, Darrian Mitchell (Jonell) (Daneel) of Tampa, FL.; brothers, James (Pat), Robert, Gregory, and Richard Mann, all of Ocala, FL.; grandchildren, Dennis Jr. and Daevon Owens, Sh'mira Cooper, Jordan Jones, Juanita, Jose, Tammy, and Yandeth Navez D'Eonte, Zaria, Donovan, Domonique, Tayshawn, and Destiny Mitchell of Tampa FL; the mother of his children, Chequita 'cookie' and Salter (Johnny), of Tampa, FL; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousin, and many sorrowing friends. Viewing for Michael Bernard Mann 'Naley' will be held at Clark Funeral Home located at 434 NW. Martin Luther King Jr. Ave. Ocala, FL 34475 on Friday, June 3, 2016 from 10am to 5pm. Home Going Celebration Service will be held on Saturday, June 4, 2016 at 2pm, House Of God Church, located at 2830 NW 27th Ave. Ocala Fl. 34475. Officiating will be La'Tasha Mann. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Mann residence, 7425 West Hwy 40, Ocala, FL 34482 at 1:00pm for the Funeral cortege.

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# NEUENFELDT, MARGARET A., 93

Ocala - Margaret A. Neuenfeldt, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, May 30, 2016. She was born February 3, 1923 in Milwaukee, WI. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Orval T. Neuenfeldt. She is survived by her sister, Betty Anderson of Wauwatosa, WI; nephew, Dirk (Wendy) Anderson; niece, Lynn (Tim) McClone; grand nephews Kyle and Andrew McClone and many wonderful friends. Special thanks to Kris Francis whose care allowed Margaret to continue to live at home. A memorial service will be held at Ocala West United Methodist Church on Saturday, June 4, 2016 at 10:00 AM. For those who wish, memorial contributions can be made in Margaret's memory to Ocala West United Methodist Church, 9330 SW 105th St, Ocala, FL 34481. Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel made arrangements.

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# STEVENSON, ERNESTINE MILLER

Ocala - Ernestine Miller Stevenson, transitioned to her heavenly home on May 24, 2016. Ernestine Miller Stevenson was the eighth child of Isaiah and Luvena Bright Miller. She was born and reared in Marion County. She was a graduate of Bethune Cookman

University and Stetson University. She spent her professional career as an educator in the public schools of Marion County and retired after 36 years of service. Ernestine Miller Stevenson was a devoted member of Mt. Canaan Missionary Baptist Church where she was baptized as a child and last served as research and special assistant to the pastor. She was member of the Retired Teacher of Marion County Club, life member of the NAACP, Pacesetters Club and Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority. She leaves to cherish her memories, her loving and devoted husband of 47 years, Lucious Connell ('LC') Stevenson Sr.; and their children, LaShun Berrian Walker (the late Charlie), Gay Stevenson, Lucious Connell Stevenson, Jr. (Carolyn), Lucious Leroy Stevenson (Claudett), Mercedia White, Marie Stevenson Gordon (William), and the late Dwight Hill (Helen); thirteen grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; god children and a host of beloved nieces, nephews, and other relatives. Public viewing for Ernestine Stevenson will be held at Clark Funeral Home, 434 NW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave, Ocala, FLl on Friday, June 3, 2016 from 10am to 5pm. A wake service will held on Friday, June 3, 2016 at 6pm at Clark Funeral home. A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Saturday, June 4, 2016 at 10am, New St John Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. Jerone A. Gamble, Eulogist. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 2 to June 3, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 4, 2016**

#### LONG, MICHAEL, 55

Ocala - Michael Long passed away peacefully on May 26, 2016 at MRMC in Ocala, FL. He was born on November 23, 1960 to Eligia and Dicie Long. He is survived by his wife, Patti Long and their son, Michael T. Long; sisters, Georgia and Robert Thomas, Louvennia Long; and brothers, Eligia and Michelle Long, Greg and Victoria Long; along with many nieces and nephews, family and friends. Michael was preceded in death by his parents and his brother, James Mobley. He was employed with Duke Energy for 30 years as a lineman. Michael enjoyed fishing, taking cruises, going on vacations and loved his sports. He especially enjoyed spending time with his family and friends. He was full of life; he often would joke and make people happy. Michael was a hard worker and loved life. Michael requested no service after his passing, but asked all to remember how full of life he was and to embrace our time we had with him. He will be missed by many. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 3 to June 4, 2016

#### LUFFMAN SR., LCDR ELDEN HENRY, 90

Ocala - LCDR Elden Henry Luffman Sr., 90, passed away peacefully at his home on Memorial Day, May 30, 2016. Full obituary is pending from the family. Born on August 23, 1925 in Ocala, FL to James Leland and Virginia Griggs Luffman. He is survived by his beloved wife of 68 years, Joyce Cheek Luffman; daughters, Ellen Laseter (Walter), Candace Luffman, both of Ocala; son, Elden H. Luffman Jr. (Sherry), of Jacksonville, NC; sisters, Virginia L. Williams, Juanita L. Wogelmuth, both of Ocala; nine grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Chaplain Luffman grew up in Ocala, attended Ocala High School and graduated with honors. After graduation he entered WWII. Following the war he returned to Ocala and married Joyce Cheek. They made their home in Ocala where he worked at the Ocala Post Office. Recognizing his call into ministry, he furthered his education and entered the Navy as a Chaplain in 1962. After retirement in

1979 he and Joyce made their home in Ocala. While serving as a Navy Chaplain, he ministered to our service men and women. He counts his time in Vietnam as one of the most significant times in his ministry. He later recounted his experiences as a Chaplain in Vietnam in his book, 'Taking God to War'. After military retirement, he continued his ministry by serving churches in Morriston and Reddick. During those years, he also started the Christian Counseling Center in association with the Marion Baptist Association. His final retirement was in 2010 at the age of 85. He was a member of the Sons of Confederate Veterans, VFW, American Legion and an honorary member of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. He was instrumental in establishing, and was project officer for, the annual Four Chaplains program in Ocala from 2001-2013. Chaplain Luffman loved his God and Country. He was a sincere and gentle man with a deep abiding love and concern for others. His family feels his passing on Memorial Day was very appropriate. Services will be held at Oak Griner Baptist Church, Saturday, June 4, 2016. Visitation will be at 1:00 PM followed by a memorial service at 2:00 PM. Condolences may be left for the family at www.countrysidefunerals.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 3 to June 4, 2016

#### MURCH, GEORGE HALSEY, 81

Dunnellon - Mr. George Halsey Murch, 81, passed on June 1, 2016 at MRMC, after an extended illness. Halsey or (Hal) Murch was an accomplished horseman spending most of his life with Arabian horses. He trained and showed them as well as being an AHSA judge. His love settled on a paint mare called Angel. He was strongly into natural horsemanship and met few horses he didn't like. Halsey started his career in the state of Maine at Three Gates Farm, advancing on to Ranch Ruminaja in Michigan, Gaines Arabians in California and Nodoroma Farms here in Ocala, during his career. He was proud of his children, Craig Murch of Dunnellon, Cindi Murch of Miramar Beach, Steven Murch, deceased of California, and Brian Murch of Orchard Park, NY. He is survived also by his wife of 63 years, Beverly Worth Murch. Mr. Murch is survived as well by a sister, Pauline Conley, four grandchildren, Stanley White III, Jacob Murch, Ciara Murch and Kristen Murch, also a great grandson, Zachary White. A 'Gathering' of family and friends will take place, Sunday, June 5, 2016, from 1-5 PM in Dunnellon at the home of Craig Murch. Further information can be obtained from Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Arabian Horsemen's Distress Fund, 236 Henry Sanford Road, Bridgewater, CN 06752 or www.horsemensdistressfund.com Condolences may be left for the family at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 6, 2016**

#### **BERRY, JAMES MARTIN, 81**

Ocala - James Martin Berry, age 81, of Seminole, Florida passed away on May 25, 2016. He is survived by a loving, devoted wife, Lorine; son, Kent; and daughter, Kim. Jimmy was a graduate of Ocala HS, class of 1952 and earned his BS in Electrical Engineering from the University of Florida. He enjoyed his journey, outdoors, fishing, flying, sailing, many travels. He loved his wife deeply and will always be forever in our hearts! www.reesefuneral.com

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## CURTIS, WILLIAM (WILL) SWEARINGEN, 59

Daytona Beach - William Swearingen Curtis (Will), age 59, of Daytona Beach, passed away Thursday, May 26, 2016 at Community Hospice in Jacksonville. He is survived by his daughter, Emily Jean Roberts; mother, Jane Humphrey; brothers Tom Curtis (Vickie), Charles Curtis and sister, Mary Jane Allison (Randy) and a large extended family. A Memorial Service will be held Saturday, June 11, 2016 at 3 PM at Grace Episcopal Church in Ocala. In lieu of flowers, family requests that donations be made to the Hospice of your choice. We will always remember the wit and humor of Will and we will always love and miss him. Arrangements are by JONES-GALLAGHER FUNERAL HOME, 340 East Walker Dr, Keystone Heights, FL 32656. jonesgallagherfh.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 5 to June 6, 2016

## FARLEY, CECIL, 87

Silver Springs - Cecil Farley, 87, passed away peacefully at home, June 2, 2016. Born March 10, 1929 in Hardy, Kentucky, to John Lee and Fern Smith Farley. He moved here from Kentucky in 1955 and was a Heavy Equipment Mechanic. He is preceded in death by his wife, Nancy Alice Nelson Farley in 2005, son, Cecil Raymond Farley and daughter, Palma Renfroe. He is survived by his daughters, Noreen Schoelch (Michael), Judy Maynard (Timmy), Marcia Olivarez (Joe), Cecilia Varney (Bruce); brothers, Jack Farley, Burl Farley, Steril Farley, Ray Farley; sisters, Mary Yates, Maxine Doan, Phyllis Killilla; thirteen grandchildren, eleven great-grandchildren and many other numerous family members. Visitation will be from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m., Monday, June 6, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Funeral Service will be 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, June 7, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home. Interment to follow in the Southern Home Old Regular Baptist Church Cemetery, Citra, FL.

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# HOUSTON, JAMES WILSON, 71

James Wilson Houston, 71, of Ocala, formerly of Lexington, KY, passed away quietly on May 30, 2016. He was born on January 29, 1945 in Lexington, to the late Carl Tipton and Lucille Dunn Houston. He was an avid owner, breeder, and trainer in the Thoroughbred industry, loved reading his Bible, hunting, fishing, and sharing his faith with those he came in contact with. He was known by all who knew him as generous with his time and talents. He is survived by long time friend, Nancy Curl, of Ocala, daughter, Meredith Maney (Fredrich) of Louisville, KY son, James Houston Jr. (Allison) of Atlanta, GA, sisters Sara H. French of Versailles, KY, Caroline H. (Bill) Hester of Lexington, KY, and Emily Houston of Elizabethtown, KY, and brother Samuel Houston, of Shelbyville, KY, four grandchildren, Mackenzie and William Maney, Genevieve and Tipton Houston, and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by brothers John K., Carl T. Jr., Joseph A. and Stephen A. Houston, and sister Ann K. Houston Mackey. A memorial service in Florida will be held at St. John Lutheran Church, 1915 SE Lake Weir Road, Ocala FL, on June 10, visitation from 11:00am - 1:00pm with the service immediately following. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, Inc., 3231 SW 34th Ave, Ocala FL 34474 or The Ocala Farm Ministry, 489 NW 110th Ave, Ocala, FL 34482.

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## KLIER, NORMAN, 91

Belleview- Norman Klier, born in Buffalo, NY and long time resident of Belleview, FL, age 91, entered into rest on May 29, 2016. Beloved husband of late Florence (nee Venator). Father of Kathleen (John) Draper; Sharon (Ray) O'Sullivan; Michael (Debbie Janis) Klier. If desired, any memorials may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Memorial Service to be held at Moose Hall, 10035 SE US Highway 441, Belleview, 34420 on Monday June 6, 2016 at 2:00 pm. Norm was a member of Moose, Elks and Eagles. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 5 to June 6, 2016

## **KRESS, MARY HELEN KETCHAM DUTTON, 85**

Sarasota - Mary Helen Kress of Sarasota, went to be with the Lord on May 24th, 2016. A 1947 graduate of Ocala High School, She was a lifelong Floridian and a Florida Gator Fan. She loved the area of Florida's West Coast. Specifically the Sarasota Area and the many beautiful Florida Lakes. Always, living near and around the water. She is preceded in death by her parents, Mary L. Ketcham and Huey Lee Ketcham; her three sisters, Betty Jean Oliver, Jo Anne Hickey and Lyndal Sue Parker. She is survived by her husband, Paul Kress (Sarasota); brother, Lee Ketcham (Ocala); two daughters, Candace Kirby (Jacksonville) and Krista Metcalf (Pancea); two sons, Ken Duttton (Tallahassee) and Ian Kress (Houston, Texas). She has six grandchildren; five great grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews. Professionally, Mary Helen had a lifelong career in employment and training, including 30 years of employment with the State of Florida, Dept. of Labor and 25 years serving as President and CEO of Career Source Suncoast. Additionally, she served as President and CEO of the Women's Exchange Board of Sarasota. A celebration of life service will be held on Saturday, June 11th, 2016, from 3:00 pm till 5:00 pm at the Church of the Palms, Presbyterian Church on Beeridge Road in Sarasota. Funeral Arrangements by Gulf Coast Cremations.

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#### PARSONS, RONALD CHARLES, 69

Summerfield - Ronald Charles Parsons, 69, of Summerfield passed away Saturday, May 28, 2016. Mr. Parsons was born November 9, 1946 in Big Bend, WV to Charles and Leora (Freed) Parsons. He was a U.S. Army Vietnam Veteran. Ronald moved to Summerfield in 2004 from DeBerry. He was a retired truck driver, a member of Gods Church Worldwide in Eustis and the NRA. Ronald enjoyed reading, watching classic movies and making his unique canes. Survivors include his loving wife of 49 years, Terry; children, 'Curly' Parsons of Summerfield, Bonnie and her husband, George Huntsman of Apopka; sisters, Lois Roper and Janice Parsons; brothers, Jim and Stanley Parsons. Graveside funeral services will be held 11:00 AM, Wednesday, June 8, 2016 in Crum Cemetery, Summerfield. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to

the American Lung Association, www.lung.org. On-line condolences may be shared at www.bankspagetheus.com. Arrangements are entrusted to Banks/Page-Theus Funerals and Cremations, Wildwood.

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## POORE, ENRICA N., 90

Ocala - Enrica N. Poore, 90, of Ocala, passed away on Wednesday, May 25, 2016. Enrica was born in Naples, Italy to Alberto and Francesca Rispolli Neiviller and moved to Ocala in 1981 from Miami, FL. A memorial gathering will be held on Monday, June 6, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala from 6:30 til 8:00 pm. Funeral Mass will be 11:00am, Tuesday, June 7, 2016 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church with reception to follow. Burial will be at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 4 to June 6, 2016

# RANEY, MARY L. 'NELL,' 83

Mary L. 'Nell' Raney, age 83, of Ocala, FL passed away on Wednesday, June 1, 2016 at the Munroe Regional Medical Center, Ocala, FL. She was the wife of George Raney, Sr. for 64 years. Born in Tift County, Georgia she was a daughter of the late Marvin A. and Kate Arrington. She was Co-Owner and Office Manager of Raney and Raney, Inc., the parent company of several heavy duty truck related enterprises, Ocala, Florida. Nell was a member of Freedom Faith Fellowship, Orange, Springs, FL. She will be deeply missed by her devoted husband, George and sons: George Raney, Jr. and his wife Michelle of Orange Springs, FL; Mike L Raney and his wife Glenna of Orange Springs, FL and Mark S. Raney and his wife, Paula, of Ocala, FL and daughter: Donna R. Nedelisky. wife of Daryl Nedelisky of Ocala, FL. She is also survived by grandchildren: Christy Cutler, Daniel Raney, David Raney, Paul Nedelisky, Nicki Kozloski, Joshua Nedelisky, Jessica Nedelisky, Mike Raney, Jr., Jordan Raney, Joel Raney and Kaylee Raney and 12 great grandchildren. She was predeceased in death by her parents, Marvin and Kate Arrington, and her sister, Carolyn Wood. A visitation will be held on Monday, June 6, 2016 from 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34471. A funeral service will be held directly following visitation on Monday at 5:00 PM at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, Florida. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the 'Alzheimer's Foundation of American' in memory of Mary Nell Raney. https://www.alzfdn.org/.

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# SANDERS, ROBERT S. 'STEVE,' 63

Ocala - Robert S. Sanders, 63, passed away May 31, 2016 at Legacy House. Born October 18, 1952 in Baltimore, MD to Robert M. Sanders and Dorothy Elaine Reed. He was a veteran of the United States Marine Corps. Steve owned and operated Rug Cutters Carpet Installation. He loved fishing, hunting and drag bike racing. He is preceded in death by his father, Robert Sanders and brother, James Sanders. He is survived by his mom, Ernestine Sanders; daughter, Suzanna Ritter Mruk (Keith); sisters, Debra Sanders

Williams (Keith), Amanda Sanders Parry (Rob); brother, Mark Harris; grandchildren, Katie and Robert Ritter; nieces, Becky Goss-Jose (Jed), Julia Parry; and nephews, Brad Goss and Robert Parry; and mother, Dorothy Elaine Jones. Also survived by close friends, Mark and Mary Hollenbeck, and many other good friends. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Robert 'Steve' Sanders. A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date, check back soon on our website, www.countrysidefunerals.com.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 9, 2016**

## **BERRYHILL, JOSEPH WALTER, 84**

Ocala - Mr. Joseph Walter Berryhill, 84, of Ocala, passed away on Sunday, June 5, 2016, at the Oakhurst Center in Ocala. A native of Marion County, he moved back to Ocala in 1956, coming here from Gulf Hammock. He retired from the Ocala Lumber Company after 40 years of service. He was an avid hunter and fisherman. Mr. Berryhill is survived by his daughter, Vicki Berryhill Kash; two sons, Chuck and Brent Berryhill; two sisters, Jane Owen and Dorothy Daniels; his brother, Franklin Berryhill; nine grandchildren; 20 great grandchildren; and one great great grandson. He was preceded in death by his wife of 63 years, Betty Jean Owen Berryhill; and his son, Danny Berryhill. Funeral services for Mr. Berryhill will be held at 1 PM on Thursday, June 9, 2016, at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon. The family will receive friends from noon until service time. Interment will follow the services in the Rosemary Cemetery, Bronson. Condolences may be left for the family at www.robertsofdunnellon.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 7 to June 9, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 10, 2016**

#### **FULLER, JEANNINE**

Ocala -Jeannine Fuller, a long-time resident of Ocala, Florida, died Sunday June 5, 2016. She was born in 1937 in Chippewa Falls, WI. She is survived by her son, Jamison Bissell; daughter, Samantha Conway; and her brother, Frank Price of West Palm Beach. Jeannine lived in Germany for many years working for USAF. She retired from a long career with the Social Security Administration, during which time she was an active AFGE union member, representative and treasurer. Continuing her wish to be of service to others, she went on to be a volunteer mediator with the Marion County courts for nearly 20 years. She enjoyed traveling, visiting new places, the beach, the Keys, live theater, was a Democrat and was looking forward to the upcoming election. She was determined and not afraid to speak her opinion. Family and personal independence were very important to her. Services will be held at 3pm, Friday June 10, 2016 at the Roberts Downtown Chapel in Ocala at 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala Fl 34471. She will be laid to rest beside her husband Sherrard (Dick) Fuller in Bay Pines National Cemetary.

Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL 34474, (352)622-4141. Please sign Jeannine's online guestbook at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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## GREEN, SR., LUKE, 81

Ocala - Luke Green, Sr., 81, passed away on June 1, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories children, Willie Green, Luke Green Jr., Michael Green, Tyrone Green, Tracy Green, Samuel Green, Gloria Green, and Lisa Benjamin; 28 grandchildren; 25 great grandchildren; brother, Mitchell Green; and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, June 11, 2016 at 2:00pm at New Covenant Baptist Church. Viewing will be held Friday, June 10, 2016 at Christian Pentecostal Church from 6pm-8pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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## HAWKINS, EDITH, 49

Ocala - Edith Hawkins, 49, passed away on May 10, 2016. She is survived by her mother, Clara Mae Bailey; sister, Carolyn Smith; and brother, Marcellous Bryant. Memorial Services will be held on Saturday, June 11, 2016 at 11:00 AM at Brown Chapel. Arrangements by Brown Memorial Funeral Home, 706 SW MLK Jr. Avenue, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 9 to June 10, 2016

#### HUNT, JACKY C., 59

Dunnellon - Jacky C. Hunt, 59, passed away on June 7, 2016. She was born on October 23, 1956 and graduated from Dunnellon High School. She spent 30 years in the nursing industry as an LPN. Jacky is survived by three sons, Jason, Adam and Jimmy,; 14 sisters, and 15 brothers. Visitation will be held Friday, from 10 AM to 7 PM and on Saturday from 9 AM to the time of service at the church. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 11, 2016 at 11 AM at Beulah Missionary Baptist Church. Interment will follow at Dunnellon Community Cemetery. Family will meet at the church. Arrangements by Brown Memorial Funeral Home, 706 SW MLK Jr. Avenue, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 9 to June 10, 2016

#### PATTERSON, ALECIA, 61

Ocala - Alecia Patterson, 61, passed away on June 2, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories son, Clement Ron Patterson; sisters, Vina Taylor, and Patricia Kelly; brother, Ricky Patterson; and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, June 11, 2016 at 11:00am at Little Chapel United Methodist Church, Santos, FL. Visitation will be Friday, June 10, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10am-5:30pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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## **CARTIER, BERTIE GOETHE, 75**

Ocala - On Friday, June 3, 2016, Bertie Goethe Cartier, 75, of Ocala, passed peacefully from this life. Bertie is survived by her two sons, Robert 'Scott' Harvin and Edwin 'Ed' Harvin (Tracie); eight grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren; one brother, Jessie Goethe; along with several nieces and nephews Bertie is preceded in death by her parents, Edwin and Geneva Goethe; and one brother, Glenn Goethe. A Celebration of Life will be held Sunday, June 12, 2016 at the Moose Lodge in Belleview, FL, 1135 US-Hwy 441, at 3:00p.m. All family and friends are welcome to attend. In lieu of flowers, the family respectfully requests memorial donations be made to Moffitt Cancer Center at USF, Tampa, Florida or Good Shepherd Hospice, Lakeland, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 10 to June 11, 2016

## SABATINO, GAETANO H., 93

Ocala - Gaetano H. Sabatino, age 93, of Ocala, FL, died June 7, 2016 in Ocala, FL. He was born in Bronx, New York on April 13, 1923 to Vincenzo and Giustina (Inserra) Sabatino. Mr. Sabatino enjoyed singing in the church choir and being an artist. He was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Knights of Columbus. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the Air Force. He is survived by his wife of 69 years, Elsie Sabatino of Ocala; daughter Eileen Daly of Bronxville, NY; son, Daniel Sabatino of Ocala; two grandsons, Daniel and Christopher Daly; and great granddaughter Skylar Daly. Funeral Mass will be held on Friday, June 10, 2016 at 8:30am at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Memorial Contributions may be made in memory of Mr. Sabatino to St. Jude's Children's Hospital. Arrangements by Roberts Funeral Homes, Bruce West Chapel.

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# BROWN, MARITA, 95

Ocala - Marita Raulerson Brown, 95, passed away June 8, 2016 at Hospice Estelle's House. Born November 13, 1920 in Okeechobee, FL to John and Mamie Sloan Raulerson. She moved to Ocala 19 years ago and was a Quality Control Inspector in the medical field. She is preceded in death by her husband of 56 years, James R. Brown; and daughter, Barbara L. Brown. She is survived by her son, Edward Wayne Brown and wife; (Wendy), of High Springs; daughter; Connie Shea and Thomas Wilding, of Ocala; six grandchildren, Matthew Brown, Lindsey Brown, Lori Maxwell (Richard), David and Mindy Platt, and Robert and Kimberly Platt; great grandchildren, Breanna Maxwell and Taylor Platt. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 11 to June 12, 2016

#### FUGATE, KENNETH LEE, 60

Ocklawaha - Fugate, 60, of Ocklawaha, passed away on Saturday, May 28, 2016 in Ocala, Florida. Kenneth was a native of Ocklawaha, Florida and lived here all of his life. He was a retired manager from Mark III Van Conversions. He enjoyed hunting and fishing and spending time with his family. Survivors include his daughter, Turista Fugate of Ocala; brothers, Eric of Summerfield, Custis of Lynne; nine nieces and nephews;

Noreen Fugate of Citra. He was preceded in death by his brother, Keith Fugate. A memorial service will be held at 2pm on Saturday, June 18, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Belleview 5946 SE Robinson Rd Belleview. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to American Heart Association/American Stroke Association, PO Box 840692 Dallas, TX 75284-0692. Online condolences may be sent at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 11 to June 12, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 13, 2016**

#### **BROMBACKER, ROBERT BURTON, 80**

Ocala - Robert Burton Brombacker, 80, went to be with the Lord on June 4, 2016. Robert was born in Brooklyn, NY on August 13, 1935. Robert joined the Navy in 1957 and spent three years with them. He was a graduate of New York State Maritime College, Ft. Schuyler. He married Judith Ann on March 19, 1960. Robert was involved with and in charge of several church committees over the years along with being a chairman for the Zoning Board of Appeals in Livingston county Michigan. After moving to Ocala, Robert got involved with Habitat for Humanity for many years. He loved carpentry, making architectural models that were sold to buyers and boating. He is preceded in death by his parents, Burton A. Brombacker and Elvera Muller Brombacker. Robert is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Judith Ann Brombacker; three children, Barbara L. (John) McInnes, Robert T. Brombacker and Eric P. Brombacker; two grandsons, Justin and Shane McInnes; one step-grandchild, Shellie (Justin) Mathis and three great grandchildren, Payton Mathis, Harper Mathis and Addison McInnes. A memorial Service will be held at Druid Hills Methodist Church, 1712 SE Lake Weir Ave, Ocala, FL 34471 on June 18, 2016 at 11 am with a graveside service to be held at a later date in Howell, MI at Howell Memorial Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made in Robert's name to Interfaith Emergency Services Inc. 435 NW 2nd St, Ocala, FL 34475 or The Salvation Army 330 N Magnolia Ave Ocala, FL 34475. Online condolences may be sent to www.neptunesociety.com/location/ocala-cremation. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 12 to June 13, 2016

# CHASTAIN, BARRY LYNN, 71

Ocala - Chastain, 71, of Ocala passed away June 6, 2016. Born in Salem, Indiana, he has been a longtime resident of the area. Mr. Chastain was a US Air Force Veteran, a retired electrical engineer for the Army Corps of Engineers and enjoyed hunting and fishing. He is survived by his wife of 49 years, Donna; son, Terry Loren Chastain and his wife, Lisa; daughter, Melanie Lynn Weidler and her husband, Chris; siblings, Max L. Chastain, Byron R. Chastain and Diane Rodenhizer; grandchildren, Caitlyn Chastain, Cole and Carson Weidler. There are no funeral services being held. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funerals and Cremation 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala 352-236-5884. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 12 to June 13, 2016

#### GLOGOSKI, WALTER M., 87

Ocala - Walter M. Glogoski, 87, of Ocala passed away May 2, 2016. Born in Conneaut, Ohio, he was a US Army Veteran of WWII, retired railroad switchman, carpenter and home builder. He was Catholic by faith. He is survived by his wife, Joan; children,

Andrew Glogoski of Ocala, FL, Paula (Bill) Hess of Lawrenceville, GA and Karen (Scott) Brady of Dacula, GA; sister, Jane Boyce of Sarasota, FL and grandchild, Taylor Hess of Lawrenceville, GA. He was preceded in death by his parents, Andrew Glogoski and Gertrude Coveleski, and four siblings. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funerals & Cremation, Ocala 352-236-5884.

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# **GRENIER, RICHARD L.**

Ocala - Richard L. Grenier of Waltham, MA currently residing in Florida passed unexpectedly on May 18, 2016 at Munroe Hospital. He is survived by his loving wife, Theresa, for the past 48 1/2 years; his sons, and their wives, James M. Grenier and Wendy W. Grenier, Jason R. Grenier and Sarah S. Grenier, David T. Grenier and Maggie Grenier; four grandchildren, Thalissa, Elliana, Adrian, Katherine; his brothers, Russell Grenier and Brenda Grenier of Palm Coast, and Robert W. Upham and Barbara Upham of Framingham, MA. He is predeceased by his daughter, Michelle L. Grenier; his mother, Dorothy I. Grenier and father, Maurice E. Grenier Services will be held on June 18, 2016 at 5:00 PM in the Community Congregational Church, 15050 29th Terrace, Ocala, FL 34473, Pastor John Quinones presiding. In lieu of flowers please donate to any Veterans Organization.

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# LONG, LENORA ELAINE SLEY, 92

Weirsdale - Lenora S. Long, 92, died May 30, 2016 at Brentwood Terrace Nursing Home in Paris, TX. Mrs. Long was a native of Orlando, FL. and moved to Weirsdale in 1954 where she resided until she was 85. She was an Elder in Weirsdale Presbyterian Church and was very active in the women's organization. She is preceded in death by her husband, Herman E. Long Sr.;, her parents, Dutch and Davena Sley; a sister, Gretchen Minter; and a brother, George Sley. Lenora is survived by three sons, Herman Ellis Long Jr. (Wanda) Belleview, Sam V. Long (Lynne) Lake Creek, TX., Ronald G. Long (Debby) Ocala; six grandchildren, Herman E. Long III (Erin) Seattle WA., Jodi Long Hightower (Chad) Belleview, Amy Long Griffin (Ray) Ocala, Greg Long (Jill) Conway AR., Joy Long Cleveland Ms., Sammy Long (Jamie) Lake Creek, TX; 10 great - grandchildren. Memorial service will be held June 17, 2016 at 10:30 a.m. at Weirsdale Presbyterian Church. In Lieu of flowers if you like to donate to the Scholarship fund at the Weirsdale Presbyterian Church.

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# PERRONE, ANDREW 'ANDY'

Dunnellon - It is with great sadness we announce the death of Andrew 'Andy' Perrone, Volunteer Fire Chief with Lake Tropicana Fire Dept.,75, died on Saturday, June 4, 2016 in Ocala, FL. He leaves behind his sons, Kenny and Doug Perrone; his brothers, John, Billy, Raymond and Georgie Perrone; his sisters, Helen Melly, Caroline Pezarra and Annamarie Perrone; his granddaughter, Marianne Perrone and one on the way; his mother in law, Evelyn TenEyck and many nieces, nephews and friends. He is preceded in death by his wife, Susan; his brothers, Jimmy, Martin and Joey Perrone. Andy was born May 19, 1941 in Paterson, NJ to the late James and Theresa (Wherea) Perrone. He grew

up in Lincoln Park, NJ and at the age of sixteen he joined the Junior Firefighters in Lincoln Park station #2 and then later became assistant chief. In 1982, Andy moved to Lake Tropicana and worked for the Florida Department of Transportation and later on started working as a volunteer Fire Fighter in Lake Tropicana and in 1984 became Volunteer Chief up until his passing. He was also a member of the Volunteer Chief Association. Andy had a servants heart who truly had a passion for serving others and even on his time off he was considered a local 'Granny Taxi' for friends who needed a ride whether it be to the grocery store or the doctors office. Lake Tropicana Fire Department and the community of Dunnellon greatly appreciated Andy's public service and he will be dearly missed by all his family and friends. Funeral Services celebrating Andy's life will be held at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon on Tuesday, June 14, 2016 at 10:00 AM with Chaplains Joe LaCognata and Tom Golden officiating. There will be a public visitation on Monday June 13, 2016 from 5-8 PM. Burial will follow Funeral Services on Tuesday at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens where he will be laid to rest in the Garden of Devotion next to his wife Susan. Memorial contributions can be made in Andy's memory to the Marion County Volunteer Chief's Association, Attn: Lake Tropicana, P.O. Box 325, Anthony, FL 32617. Expressions of sympathy and pictures can be left at robertsofdunnellon.com

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## PIAZZA, PAULINE POPOFF, 69

Pauline Popoff, age 69, born in Brooklyn, NY on August 15th, 1946 went home to be with the Lord on June 9th, 2016 with her loving husband and family by her side. Pauline was the loving wife to Joe Piazza of 44 years, a loving mother, grandmother and great grandmother. The mother of three sons Joe (Sarah), Nick (Sue), Monte and three daughters Marion Schulte (John), Joanne (Ralph), and Monica Stewart (Scott). Grandmother to Sarah, Joseph, Nicholas, Britany, Chelsea, Chance, Danielle, Kara, Tyler, and twins Hunter and Alyssa. Great grandmother to Sophia and Aunt to Vicki, Dory, Brian, and Patty. She was an active resident in Key Largo, FL for 15 years with real estate as her passion. Her love of horses and grandkids moved her to a dream farm in Summerfield, FL for the past 15 years. She was an active member of the Paso Elegante Drill Team, Meadowbrook Church, the Coconut Sisters, and a former volunteer for the Marion County Mounted Police Unit. She gave her all to God, her family, her loving 3legged companion Macaroni, and her horses. The gates of heaven were open wide for this beautiful angel of God. A memorial service will be held at Meadowbrook Church, 4741 SW 20 Street, Ocala, FL 34474 on Tuesday, June 14th, at 11:00 AM with a reception immediately following. In lieu of flowers, please send your kind contributions to the Meadowbrook Church.

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#### LAUDERDALE, GLENN CURTIS, 89

Glenn Curtis Lauderdale, age 89, long time resident of Ocala, passed away peacefully on June 6th, 2016 at Legacy House (Hospice) in Ocala. He was born on April 7th, 1927 in Opa-Locka, Florida. He was a loving father, grandfather, and great grandfather. His

infectious smile, quick wit, and crazy personality will surely be missed by all of us. He is survived by his daughter, Mary Viggiani (Bob); sisters, Jeanette Hillman, Clara Mae O'Neil, Maude Corchado; grandchildren, Katie Reuter (Ralph), Aaron Yardy (Shannon), Gina Viggiani; great-grandchildren, Alexis Yardy, Savannah Yardy, Kara Reuter, Ralphie Reuter; many nieces and nephews; other extended family members; and by his beloved poodle, 'Teddy'. He was predeceased by his daughter, Joan Yardy of Ocala, Florida in 2015. A Celebration of Life service will take place at the Carter House, 621 SW 1st Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34478 on Saturday, June 25th, 2016, from 5 to 8 p.m. In lieu of flowers Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County (Legacy House) 905 SW 110th Street, Ocala, Florida 34481.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 15, 2016**

## MAREN, ROBERT T., 92

Ocala- Robert T. Maren, 92, went home to be with his Lord on June 10, 2016. He was born November 20, 1923 in Chicago, IL. He served in the U.S. Army as a paratrooper with the 101st Airborne Division. He retired from Nobility Homes as Director of Quality Control. He is survived by his wife, Ann; stepdaughter, JoAnn Magiera, Buffalo Grove, IL; stepson, Kirk Papa, Kingston, TN; six step grandchildren; ten step great grandchildren; and one step great great grandchild. He was predeceased by his stepson, Tom Papa. Mr. Maren was a member of Grace Presbyterian Church. Donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County.

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# **ROENBECK, ERNEST F., 74**

Ocala - Ernest F. Roenbeck, 74, passed in his sleep on June 12,2016. Born in Hempstead Long Island on April 15, 1942 to the late Frank and Mary Roenbeck. He leaves behind his loving wife, Patty, of 51 years; his three children whom he cherished, Thomas, Krista, Anne; and his four grandchildren, Megan, Reed, Ryan Roenbeck of Texas and Shelby Brown of Ocala. Proud employee of Publix at the shops at Foxwood. Visitation will be at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala on June 15, 2016 from 5 to 7 pm. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 14 to June 15, 2016

VARROS, MARGARET

On Sunday May 15th 2016, Margaret Varros (Whited) passed peacefully into the next life. One without pain and confusion. She spent the last four years at Bayview Center, Eustis Florida. Margaret (Peggy) is survived by her husband Stuart Varros Of Altoona Florida; her daughter: Suzette Lepper (Timothy), of Fairport N.Y.; her two sons Steven Bukowski (Kimberly) of Cazenovia N.Y. and James Bukowski of Kirkwood, N.Y.; her brother Kenneth Whited, nieces: Eileen Patocha of Hector N.Y., Nancy Brown of Southport N.C. and Kennth Whited II of Stockton MD. Margaret's legacy would be her grandchildren Danielle Schoeneman ,Michael Bukowski, Timothy Bukowski, Wendy Yacavonis, Julie Jakubowski; great grandchildren, Collin, Cooper, Quinten, Daphne, Tessa, Ben, Sophia, Gwen, Jane and Annie. Living so far away and unable to travel prevented her from knowing what they have accomplished or will in the future but she

would have been proud in many ways. Margaret attended EFA Elmira Fee Academy, worked as a paralegal in various law offices in Binghamton and ended her working years at Broome County Clerks office, Binghamton N.Y. 'Though nothing can bring back the hour of splendor in the grass, of the glory in the flower, we will not grieve but rather find strength in what remains behind'. In Loving Memory Of Mom.... Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 14 to June 15, 2016

#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 16, 2016**

#### **BISHOP, SADIE LOIS, 71**

Bloomingdale, GA - Ms. Sadie Lois Bishop, 71, passed away on Monday, June 13, 2016 at The Place at Pooler. Ms. Sadie was born in Ocala, FL to the late Jessie & Della DeLong. She was a Christian, and was very artistic, whether it was painting, drawing, sewing, or sculpting. She retired from the Marion County School Board. Survivors include her children, Sherry Bozeman (Eric), and Corey Bishop; grandchildren, Matthew, Ian, and Sherry; sister, Marie Johnson; brothers, Arthur and Robert DeLong, and several nieces and nephews. Thomas C. Strickland & Sons Funeral Homes - West Chatham Chapel (912) 748-2444

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#### CARTER, ELAINE, 69

Dunnellon - Mrs. Elaine Carter, 69, of Dunnellon, passed away Wednesday, June 8, 2016, in Ocala. Mrs. Carter was a lifelong resident of Dunnellon. She was a graduate of Dunnellon High School, and received her AA from Central Florida Community College. She served as Music Director for First United Methodist Church in Dunnellon for many years, and later served in that same capacity at St. Margaret's Episcopal Church in Inverness. She also played the organ for many years at First Baptist Church in Dunnellon as well as at Roberts Funeral Home in Dunnellon. She is survived by her daughter, Cindi Rankin; her son, Brian Carter; her grandchildren, Haley, Savannah, Hayden, Katherine, Ben, and Brandon, as well as her great granddaughter, Hannah. Mrs. Carter was preceded in death by her husband, Ben Carter in 2002. Memorial Services will be held on Saturday, June 18, 2016, at 2 PM, at First United Methodist Church in Dunnellon, with Rev. Eddie Fulford and Rev. Gene Reuman officiating. For those who wish, memorial contributions may be made to the Chancel Choir Music Programs at First United Methodist Church Dunnellon or St. Margaret's Episcopal Church in Inverness. Condolences may be left for the family at www.robertsofdunnellon.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 15 to June 16, 2016

#### **DOCKUS, LEONARD, 86**

Ocala - Mr. Leonard Dockus, 86, has passed away in Ocala, Florida on June 9, 2016. He was born the 15th child to Peter and Mary Dockus on July 5, 1929, in Copley, Ohio. Growing up on the family farm Len helped with the family wholesale Greenhouse business. This would inspire a lifelong love for flowers and gardening. He had extensive knowledge of plants and quite the green thumb. Len graduated from Copley High School and went on to further his education at Kent State University. While attending Kent State, Len earned a degree in business and a degree in Education. Kent State also brought him

to the love of his life and wife of 64 years, 'Ginny' Lepole. Married in 1951, Ginny joined Len in Honolulu, Hawaii. There he served his tour in the Air Force during the Korean War. When completing his enlistment, Len stayed true to the Dockus roots and opened a retail florist business in Akron, Ohio. Len retired from the Norton school system as one of the most inspirational and admired teachers by students and staff as well. This earned him the prestigious Jennings Scholar Award from 1981-1982. His enthusiasm and passion for sports encouraged him to follow many of his students throughout their high school and college sports careers showing his true character and positive influence to every life he touched. Len was an active member of the Norton Ohio Lions Club and later created the Southwest Ocala Florida Club in which he was president. Two veteran guide dogs were named Lenny to carry on Lens Legacy of 42 years of hard work, time and endless devotion. An ambitious overachiever with a willingness to help made Len an active member in Ocala West Methodist Church. There he served on the building committee, men's club and helped organize the yearly junque sale. He tutored after school children, delivered Meals on Wheels and enjoyed singing in the church choir. Len stayed active in his Spruce Creek community in which he was President of the Association, participated in pancake breakfast and helped his wife execute the Human Touch Program in which medical equipment is leant out at no cost to Spruce Creek residents. Len was also active in his community crime watch. He is survived by his loving wife, Ginny, of 64 years; one son, David Dockus of Gainesville, FL; and a daughter, Connie Parra of Ocala, FL; five grandchildren, Chasity, Nicki, Jacob, Jeffery and Joey; and ten greatgrandchildren. A gathering of friends will take place at the Ocala West United Methodist church 9330 SW 105th Street in Ocala on Thursday, June 16, 2016 from 10-11AM with a funeral service to follow at 11AM. Roberts Funeral homes West Chapel (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 15 to June 16, 2016

#### **JACKSON, ROBERT CONNELLY, 82**

Ocala-Robert 'Bob' Connelly Jackson, age 82 passed away on June 10, 2016, after an extended illness at Palm Garden Rehabilitation Center. Bob was born on July 24, 1933 in Covington Kentucky. He joined the Marine Corp in 1954. He was a member of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity and many other community service organizations. Bob is survived by his loving and devoted wife Jane, and partner for 57 years; four children, 12 grandchildren, five great-grandchildren, sister-in-law, a host of cousins, nieces, nephews, and devoted friends. Visitation services will be at Ocala West Methodist Church, 9330 SW 105th St., Ocala Florida, 34481, on Saturday, June 18, 2016 at 10:30 a.m., the memorial will be at 11:00 a.m.

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#### **EVANS, MONUNCLE SHAMAINE, 28**

Ocala - Monuncle Shamaine Evans, 28, passed away on June 9, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories a loving wife, Adriene L. Evans; children, Keyasia Mitchell, Omar Ramsey, Shanya Evans, Jasiah Pinkney, Shamaiha Evans, and Honesti Evans; step children, Viniqua Wheeler, and Oceanna Barron; mother, Debra Bryant; father, Ronald

Evans Sr.; grandparents, Sidney Stocker, Matthew and Geraldine Adkins; siblings, Nicole Bynes, Tiffany Evans, Telisa Evans, Teila Evans, Patrick Bryant, Alontay Bryant, Ronald Evans Jr., Tysheem Denton, Ronesha Evans, and Rolisa Evans; and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, June 18, 2016 at 3:00pm at Benevolent Church of God. Viewing will be held Thursday, June 16, 2016 at Mt. Zion United Methodist Church, Reddick, FL. from 6:00pm- 7:00pm. Visitation will be Friday, June 17, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10:30am - 5:00pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 16 to June 17, 2016

## LEWIS, ROZZIE LEE 'DORIS'

Ocala - Rozzie Lee 'Doris' Lewis. She leaves to cherish her memories one loving and devoted daughter, Saundra Louise Lewis-Bradshaw; three grandsons, Kevin Bradshaw, Jr., Kevon Bradshaw and Kobe Bradshaw; three sisters, Brenda Manning Bynes, Jacqueline Manning and Laydene (Ralph Jenkins) Manning; three brothers, Willie James (Francis) Manning, Clifford (Ronnie) Manning and Robert Manning; three godchildren; aunts; uncles; nieces; nephews; cousins and sorrowing friends. Public viewing will be Friday, June 17, 2016 from 12pm to 6pm at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL. Service will be held on Saturday, June 18, 2016 - 11:00 a.m. at Church of God by Faith in Righteousness and True Holiness, 16655 NE Jacksonville Road, Citra, FL - Rev. Ruby Graddic, Pastor; Rev. Joe Wright - Eulogist. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566. A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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# SHIRER, EARLENE Y. 'KELLY,' 72

Ocala - Earlene Y. Shirer Kelly', 72, passed away June 13, 2016. Born on September 7, 1943 in St. Augustine, FL to Bob and Leola Young, she moved here from Palatka 50 years ago. She earned a Bachelor's degree from Florida State University and later a Master's from the University of Central Florida. She was an elementary school teacher. She is survived by her loving husband of 48 years, Henry Shirer; daughters, Patrice Shirer, of Orlando, Pamela Shirer, of Roanoke, VA; twin sister, Khris Chennel, of Palatka, sister, Savilla Beasley, of Deland; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Memorial Service will be 11:00 a.m., Friday, June 17, 2016 at the Fairfield Presbyterian Church, NW HWY 225, with Pastor Darren Bess officiating. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 16 to June 17, 2016

# WADE, RICHARD JOHN, 56

Silver Springs - Richard John Wade, 56, passed away June 13, 2016. Born January 30, 1959 in Roslyn, NY to John Michael and Anna May Hirsch Wade. He moved here from Georgia five years ago and was previously an Ocala resident for 25 years, and was an over the road truck driver. He is survived by his loving wife of 33 years, Tina Lee Cochran Wade; son, Christopher Wade and wife, Katie, Correan and husband, Tim Murphy; sisters, Sharon Fox, Tracy Lofaro and husband, Chris; three grandsons, Blake,

Dalton and Harlan; nieces; nephews; great nieces and nephews and many other friends and family members who will miss him dearly. Visitation will be from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m., Thursday, June 16, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Funeral Service will be 11:00 a.m., Friday, June 17, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home. Interment to follow in Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, FL.

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#### WALKER, PAMELA, 45

Ocala - Pamela Walker, 45, passed away on June 11, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories daughter, Gabriella Terrell; mother, Alma Walker; sisters, Stacy Walker, and Malandra Walker; brothers, Bobby Walker Jr., Michael Walker, and Alex Walker, and a host of other relatives and friends. Services will be held at Mount Olive AME Church on Friday, June 17, 2016 at 7:00p.m. Rev. Al Washington, Pastor. Pastor Steven R. Smith, Eulogist (Revealing Truth Ministries). Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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## WIGGINS, HEIDEMARIE GROSSMANN, 71

Dunnellon - Heidemarie Grossmann Wiggins left this earth unexpectedly in her home of 49 years in Dunnellon, FL at the age of 71. Heidemarie Grossman was born on January 23, 1945 in Idar-Oberstein, Germany to Hans Grossman and Erika Maria Grossman. After meeting John Henry Wiggins in Germany while he was stationed near her hometown, she moved to the United States and they were married in Conecuh County, AL on June 27, 1964. They moved to Dunnellon in 1967, raised their family and resided there for the remainder of her life. Heidemarie is survived by her husband of 52 years, John H. Wiggins; her three daughters, Angela Wiggins Fleming and her husband, Billy Fleming II, Deborah Wiggins Koch and her husband, William Koch and Erika Maria Wiggins; grandchildren, Billy Fleming III, Johnathon Koch and his wife, Felicia Koch, Connor Fleming, Dillon Wiggins, Paige Fleming and Houston Koch; two greatgranddaughters, Chevenne Koch and Willow Riley, all of Dunnellon, FL; sister, Ursula Jahnel of Germany and many other family members and friends. Well-known to many as 'Oma,' she had a passion for cooking and baking. For many years, after school, her grandchildren would walk with their friends to Oma's house and enjoy her delicious cooking. Oma's cakes always went to the highest bidder at community cake auctions. Much of her happiness in life came from supporting her grandchildren at school and sporting events. For 42 years, she directed the office for the family-owned business, Wiggins Concrete & Masonry. Since their recent retirement, Oma spent her evenings taking walks and greeting many members of the Dunnellon Community with her beloved husband and their dog Bandit. Most afternoons, you could also find Oma in the local gym. Heidemarie Grossman Wiggins impacted many lives and will be missed by all that were lucky enough to have her in their life. A viewing will be held Friday, June 17, 2016 from 5:00 to 8:00 pm at Robert's Funeral Home in Dunnellon. The funeral service is scheduled for Saturday, June 18, 2016 at the First Baptist Church of Dunnellon at 10:00 am, with a burial service to follow at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. All are welcome to attend and celebrate the life of Heidemarie Grossmann Wiggins. Expressions of sympathy and pictures may be left online at robertsofdunnellon.com

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#### COOK, DOUGLAS M. SEPTEMBER 16, 1960 - JUNE 10, 2016

Daytona Beach - Doug Cook, Founder & President, Cook Development, was a real estate developer and entrepreneur and the very definition of the American success story. He was a master negotiator - a deal maker without peer. Many said 'Everything he touches seems to turn to gold.' Cook Development is synonymous with the most prestigious of addresses in Daytona Beach Shores. Doug developed and sold many impressive buildings, including several historic buildings that he renovated and brought back to their original grandeur. He is predeceased by his father, William Cook, and his grandmother, Ruth Hunter. Doug is survived by his mother, Eileen Cook; his wife, Sandy Cook; sons, Jeremy Cook and Clay Cook; sisters, Linda Norman (Gary) and Renee Tucker; and brothers, Bob Cook (Linda), Bill Cook (Robyn) and Jim Cook (Shawna) and their families, including many nieces and nephews. Doug enjoyed his family including his dog, Harley. A viewing will be held at 10:00 am Saturday, June 18, 2016 at Lohman's Funeral Home, 1423 Bellevue Ave, Daytona Beach, FL 32114, with a Service of Remembrance and Celebration immediately following. In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to The Voices of Change Animal League, 5192 North Highway 441, Ocala, FL 34475 email: info@vocalforpets.org Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 17 to June 18, 2016

#### **KILMARK, DR. ROBERT MARTIN, 94**

Ocala - Dr. Robert Martin Kilmark, 94, of Ocala, FL passed away suddenly on June 10, 2016. Robert was born in Coloma, MI and was a long time resident of St. Petersburg, FL, and moved to this area in 1992. Dr. Kilmark was a WWII Army - Air Corp Medical. He served as a major in the Air Force and a Colonial in the Army. He was one of the oldest Medical Doctors in the Army, he has over 45 years of service as a physician. Robert was shot down five times while in the service. He received his Medical degree from Augusta, GA. He was a member of First Baptist Church of Ocala and a member of the American Medical Assoc., Academy of family Practice, Preventive Medicine Assoc., Life member of MOAH, world Health Organization, Post Graduate Medical Foundation, and the Medical Director of Edmark for 30 years. He was a member of the 463 bomb group and 15 Air Force Assoc. Dr. Kilmark is preceded in death by his beloved wife, Edna Rhoads Kilmark, of 50 years; daughter, Doris Kilmark; son, Robert Kilmark; brother, Donald Kilmark. He is survived by his son, Charles 'Terry' Kilmark of Inverness, FL; niece, Linda Marks of Ocala, FL; cousin, Tim Rhoads of Cocoa Beach, FL; grandson, John Moler; and 11 grandchildren and several great grandchildren. The family will be having a funeral service on Sunday, June 18, 2016 at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral home 910 E silver springs Blvd. at 2:00 pm all are welcome to attend and celebrate Roberts life. The family will have a private burial service at the historic Sunnyside Cemetery in St. Petersburg. Please visit our on line register at hiers-baxley.com. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL 352-629-7171.

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#### LEWIN, LENA E. (MILLS)

Ocala - Lena E. Lewin (Mills) died Monday June 13, 2016 in Ocala, Florida. A native of Jamaica, Lena was the youngest of five children of Frederick and Susan Mills. She met some of her dearest, lifelong friends as a leader of the Girl Guides Association of Jamaica: an experience that allowed her to travel internationally. Her motto: 'T'll find a way, or make it' undergirded a working career, which included Secretarial and Real Estate success. Mrs. Lewin was an active member of Ft. King Presbyterian Church for over 30 years and a founding member of Poetry Ocala. Beloved by many, she is survived by her daughters, Judith Bullen, Dr. Pamela Lewin; and her son, Dave Lewin; eight grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren as well as extended family in the US, Jamaica and abroad. In lieu of flowers the family asks that any memorial donations be made to Ft. King Presbyterian Church: 13 NE 36th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34470. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 16 to June 18, 2016

# O'HAGAN, SHIRLEY, 91

Ocala - Shirley O'Hagan, age 91, died June 14, 2016 at Estelle's House, Hospice of Marion County, following a brief illness. She is survived by her two daughters, Kathy Dudley (Stan), Gail Sauer (Steve); grandchildren, Gregg Dudley (Renee), Kristen Wilson (Eric), Kerri Sauer and Kevin Sauer; great-grandchildren, Reed and Hannah Dudley, Miranda and Joshua Underwood. A resident of Ocklawaha for over 60 years, Shirley was a member of the Ocklawaha United Methodist Church and was retired from Florida Power Corporation (Duke Energy). She had a wicked sense of humor and was always smiling. Shirley loved little theater groups, volunteering at her church and in her community; but most of all she loved her family. A celebration of her life will be held by the family at a later date. Shirley enjoyed volunteering and helping to read to children at Stanton-Weirsdale Elementary School. Remembrances honoring her may be made in her name to Stanton-Weirsdale Elementary School Library Fund, 16705 Southeast 134th Terrace, Weirsdale, FL 32195. Irish Blessing May the road rise up to meet you. May the wind be always at your back, May the sun shine warm upon your face; The rains fall soft upon your fields And until we meet again, May God hold you in the palm of His hand. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 17 to June 18, 2016

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#### CROMWELL, LARRY, 67

Reddick - Larry Cromwell, 67, passed away June 15, 2016. He was born in Alabama to Warren G. and Connie Wilkerson Cromwell Cole and grew up in Savannah, Tennessee. He moved with his family to Florida when he was five years old. He graduated from Titusville High School in 1966 and subsequently joined the United States Air Force. He attained the rank of Staff Sergeant and served honorably during two tours in Viet Nam and South East Asia. He attended the University of Florida and received a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration. He was so proud to be a Gator. After working for a number of years as an Accountant he discovered his calling as a Teacher. He taught at North Marion Middle School for over twenty years before he retired. He loved teaching and he loved being a daddy and a grandpa. In his retirement he became an avid gardener. He also loved dancing with his wife! He is survived by his beloved wife of 43 years,

Martha Cromwell; sons, Howard Cromwell (Melissa), Jack Cromwell; daughter, Kellie Vanderwal (Peter); brothers, Roy Cole, Clyde Cole, John Cole; sisters, Wolf Cole and Barbara Engstrom; grandchildren, Alicia Riley, Alex, and Aiden Vanderwal, and Mackenzie Anne Cromwell; and his much loved mother-in-law, Martha Gaynelle Lockamy Hoover. Arrangements for a memorial event and interment will be made at a future date by the family. Condolences may be left for the family at www.countrysidefunerals.com.

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## MILLER, RUSSELL

Ocala - Russell Miller, born August 20, 1933 in Boston, Massachusetts; died June 15, 2016 in Ocala, FL. He loved to deep sea fish and travel. He is survived by his daughter, Karen (Leo) Gallagher; grandchildren, Michael, Casey, and Kristi; great-grandson, Landon. Visitation will be Sunday, June 19, 2016 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Boulevard. Family recommends memorials be given to Hospice of Marion County. Interment in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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## VALLEJO, JUDITH 'JUDY,' 81

Ocala - Judith 'Judy' Vallejo, age 81 of Lawrenceville, Georgia passed away on Wednesday, June 8, 2016. Born in Hackensack, New Jersey, Judy spent most of her life in Florida, where she helped her husband manage and own numerous restaurants. Judy most enjoyed spending time with her family. She also enjoyed playing cards, reading, Scrabble, and a good glass of wine. She was preceded in death by her husband, Tomas 'Tommy' Vallejo, and her five siblings. She is survived by her three children, Sharon Newbold (Gary Newbold), Orlando, FL; Tammie Bryant, Orange Park, FL; and Tomas Vallejo, Jr. (Myron Manthe), Lawrenceville, GA. She had three grandchildren, Chad Newbold, Brooke Hand, and Sierra Bryant; five great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins. The family will have a private Memorial Mass. In lieu of flowers, donations the be made to American Heart Association. can http://www.heart.org/HEARTORG/

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 20, 2016**

#### DAVIS, MELLICENT ANNE, 77

Ocala - Mellicent Anne Davis, 77, of Ocala, FL, passed away suddenly at ORMC on Wednesday, June 15, 2016. Anne was born in Leesburg, FL and grew up in Bushnell. She attended Florida State University, where she obtained a BA in English. She moved to Ocala in 1999 from Springfield, VA, where she worked as the editor for Northern Virginia Community College. She was a Methodist and enjoyed reading, decorating, and testing new recipes for her family. Anne is survived by her devoted husband, Philip Walter Davis, of Ocala, FL; daughter, Jennifer Lynn Davis of Daly City, CA; sister, Tolula Mosier of Burke, VA; and sister, Sheila Michele of Ocala, FL. There will be a Celebration of Life service for Anne on Wednesday, June 22, 2016 at 2:00 PM at the

Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Anne's life with the family. The family requests donations in lieu of flowers to the Polycystic Kidney Disease Foundation at pkdcure.org. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services. 352-629-7171

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#### JOWERS, RAY, 87

Dunnellon - Ray Jowers, 87, passed away on June 11, 2016, at his home in Rainbow Springs with Betty, his wife of 39 years, at his side. Ray was born in Ft. Myers, Florida. He grew up in Daytona Beach where he attended Mainland High School, and went on to attend the University of Florida. He was a WWII Veteran serving in Japan. After 31 years with Bellsouth, he retired from Miami as a Staff Manager in Engineering. He is survived by his wife, Betty; daughter, Juliene; stepson, Darrell; sister, Sherrill; and brothers, Herb and Jim as well as five grandchildren. Ray was very active in the art community. He was fluent in watercolor, Pen & Ink, Drawing and Digital Photography. Ray was a member and former officer in the Ocala Art Group, 1st VP and Program Director currently at the Citrus Watercolor Club, the Nature Coast Painters and also started the Rainbow Springs Art Show. Ray was loved very much by his family and we will miss him greatly. Memorial services are pending at this time. Arrangements are under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon.

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## KURTZ SR., EUGENE JOSEPH, 85

Eugene Joseph Kurtz, Sr., 85, of Ocala passed away on Friday, June 10, 2016 with his sons by his side and in the presence of Our Lord. He was the husband of the late Barbara Faye Kurtz who predeceased him on November 22, 2014. They had been married for 61 years. Born in Egg Harbor, NJ he was a son of the late Ernest and Freda Kurtz. Gene worked many years as a builder and later on for the Dade County Building Department. He was a Veteran of the U.S. Army serving during the Korean War. He loved gardening with his wife, Barbara. He enjoyed helping others and being with his friends and family. His joy was his wife, sons and grandchildren Mariah and Devon. Gene will be deeply missed by his sons: Eugene J. Kurtz, Jr. and his wife Lori of Westfield, MA and Kenneth M. Kurtz of Miami, FL and grandchildren, Mariah A. Kurtz and Devon M. Kurtz. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, August 13, 2016 at 3:00 PM at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL with The Reverend Gerald Simmons. Friends may call from 2:00 PM until the time of the service. Online condolences may be sent at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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#### PRICE, JAMES ARTHUR, 69

Ocala - James 'Jim' Arthur Price, 69, passed away peacefully on June 8, 2016 at his home in Ocala after a long battle with heart disease. Jim was born on January 28, 1947 in Jacksonville. After high school, he spent two years as an enlisted man in the Navy. After he was discharged, he attended the University of Florida in Gainesville, where he met and married his wife, Barbara, in 1973. He and Barbara moved to Ocala following graduation where he worked in management and sales for over 30 years and raised two boys. He

loved camping, canoeing, being outside in nature, sports, and his Florida Gators. He started Boy Scout Troop 18 in Ocala, served as their Scoutmaster for a number of years, and saw eight of his scouts earn the rank of Eagle Scout. He is survived by his wife of 43 years, Barbara; his son, Michael, along with his wife, Amanda, and their children, Elizabeth and Caleb of Ocala; his son, Matthew, along with his son, Patrick of Ocala; his sisters, Joyce Lewis of Jacksonville and Jeannie Bell of Atlanta; and his brothers, CW Price of Brooksville and Gary Price of Tallahassee. A memorial service will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church at 11:00 am on Friday, June 24. Visitation with the family will be welcomed at 10:30 prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed in his name to Hospice of Marion County.

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# STAFFORD, ANN ELIZABETH, 85

Ocala - Ann Elizabeth Wright Stafford, age 85, of Ocala, Florida passed away Thursday, June 16, 2016 at home with her loving husband at her side. She was born March 12, 1931 in Wytheville, Virginia to the late Hobart and Ollie Wright. Ann was a retired bookkeeper and a volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center with the Red Cross for 35 years dedicating over 5,000 hours of service. She is preceded in death by her daughter Kay Warnock, of Ocala, FL. Ann is survived by her devoted husband of 65 years, Worley Stafford of Ocala, FL; daughter, Sue Grantham of Davenport, FL; son, Joe Stafford of Rural Retreat, Virginia; son, Roy and Tamela Stafford of Ocala, FL; seven grandchildren, Amy, Jil, Harley, Derek, Phillip, Pamela, and Travis; one great grandchild, Noah. There will be a graveside service on Wednesday, June 22, 10am at Greenwood Cemetery in Ocala, FL. Roberts of Ocala, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL, 34471 is in charge of arrangements. Please view and sign our online guestbook at: www.robertsfuneralhomes. com

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# TURK, JAMES J., 76

Ocala - Jim passed away on Sunday, June 2, 2016 at Hospice (Legacy) House. Born in Cleveland, OH, he moved from Mentor, OH to Ocala, FL. He was a veteran of the US Navy. He worked for Bailey Controls Co. (Babcock and Wilcox) for 42 years, was a member of the KCPOA Association, and a member of Florida Certs team. He is survived by his loving wife, Martha (Marty), of 47 years. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice (Legacy) house of Ocala, FL or Alzheimer's Foundation of America. Mr. Turk was a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Interment will be at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on June 29, 2016 at 11 AM. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 19 to June 20, 2016

# VIANELLO, KENNETH JOHN, 76

Ken Vianello of Ocala, Florida passed away peacefully at his home the morning of June 17, 2016 surrounded by his wife and two children, at the age of 76. He was a loving husband, father and grandfather, a career educator, and a role model for all. Born on March 7, 1940, Ken grew up on the south side of Chicago, Illinois, surrounded by family. His father John Vianello worked in the steel mills and his mother Lorraine Vianello was the homemaker. Growing up, there wasn't much money, but there was always an

abundance of love which he credited for his success in life. He graduated Fenger High School in 1958 and it was there he met the love of his life Diana Dietrich, whom he would marry on December 29, 1962. They remained happily together for 53 years. Ken excelled at football resulting in a scholarship to Western Michigan University. He modeled, appearing on billboards in downtown Chicago and on the back cover of Sports Illustrated. In 1972 he moved his immediate family to Ocala, Florida. Much of his extended family soon followed. As in Chicago, everyone lived on the same street or just a few blocks away. He dedicated his life's work to education where he guided, advised, and prepared others for their life's work. He loved giving advice, and those receiving it were always better off. Throughout his career he served as the principal of Harvard St. George in Chicago, Ft. King Middle, Forest High School, Vanguard High School and West Port High School. Throughout his retirement he spoke fondly of his 18 years with his Vanguard family. Over his 35-year career, he hired hundreds of teachers, graduated tens of thousands of students, and mentored three Superintendents. The impact he leaves on the community and the lives he touched is immeasurable. He is survived by his wife Diana, and two children, Sheri Fanelli, a staffing specialist for Seminole County Public Schools and Mark Vianello, an administrator for Marion County Public Schools. His daughter Sheri is married to Scott Fanelli and has two children, Mitchell and Kathryn. His son Mark is married to Shannon Rowell Vianello and has three children, John, Nicole and Christine. Ken has three siblings, Carol Bard and her husband Roger, Robert Vianello, and David Vianello and his partner Walter Meyer. He is also survived by Louise Rodd, his aunt, two nephews, Tom Bard and his wife Michelle, and Jason Bard and his wife Karla, and two cousins, Diane Vianello Thornhill and Barbara Vianello Pettit. Upon his retirement in 2004 his attention turned to traveling the world with his wife and long-time childhood friends Jeanne and Larry Quinlivan. His favorite city was Rome, Italy. Also, he took family vacations including multiple trips to Disney World, Caribbean cruises, and most recently a beach-house in St. Augustine. We marvel how a child from the south side of Chicago grew up to experience so much. Of course, the reason comes from his strong foundation of family and love. The great man will be missed, but not forgotten. Do not weep that he is gone, celebrate that he was here. His celebration service will be held on Friday, June 24, beginning at 2:00 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church, in the Family Life Center, located at 1126 E. Silver Springs Blvd., in Ocala. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in memory of Ken Vianello to the Public Education Foundation of Marion County located at the Thelma Parker Center, 1239 NW 4th Street. Ocala. FL 34475. Please visit the website at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com to leave in loving memory messages. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 19 to June 20, 2016

#### WIECHMANN, THOMAS, 75

Ocala - Thomas Wiechmann, age 75, Ocala, Florida, passed away unexpectedly at home on June 6, 2016. Tom was born in Kingman, Arizona, and attended the University of Nevada where he studied mechanical engineering. He served in the Air National Guard, retiring in 1969 with the rank of First Lieutenant. He was hired by Northwest Airlines as a Second Officer in 1966. He was a Co-Pilot on the Boeing DC-10 and retired in 1994 as a Boeing 757 Captain. Tom's avocation and passion for SCCA automobile racing included a Formula Ford national championship at Road Atlanta in 1975. Following his

retirement from Northwest Airlines, Tom and his wife, June, spent a decade exploring the United States and Canada in their motor home, finally settling in Ocala in 2006. Tom was an active member of the Ocala Flying Model Club and an avid golfer during his years in Ocala, valuing his friends in both activities and in his community. He is survived by his wife of 30 years, June; his stepsons, Eric and Marc van Gestel; his sister-in-law, Susan Wiechmann, and her daughters, Leslie Yeagers and Lynn Nadeau, and their families. He is predeceased by his brother and best friend, Walter Wiechmann, who was also a Northwest Airlines Captain. A celebration of Tom's life will be held at a later date. Contributions in memory of his life may be made to American Brain Tumor Association in honor of his beloved brother, Walter. To donate via the Internet: Go to www.ABTA.org; click on the orange 'Tribute' button and use First Name 'Tom', Last Name 'Wiechmann'. To donate by mail: checks can be sent to the following address: American Brain Tumor Association 8550 W. Bryn Mawr Ave., Ste. 550 Chicago, IL 60631 'When once you have tasted flight, you will forever walk the earth with your eyes turned skyward, for there you have been, and there you will always long to return. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 19 to June 20, 2016

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#### HARRIS, LOUISE HELEN, 99

Ocala - Louise Helen Harris, 99, of Ocala, Florida (previously Largo, Florida) passed away peacefully on Friday, May 13, 2016 at Estelle's Hospice House, Ocala, Florida. She will be greatly missed by all of her family and friends. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, June 25, 2016 at 11:00AM in the Boulevard Chapel of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34471. Memorial donations in her memory may be given to a charity of one's choice. Condolences maybe expressed at www.hiersbaxley.com.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 23, 2016**

#### **IRONS, VERA YOUNGER, 93**

Ocala - Vera Younger Irons, 93, of Ocala, FL formerly of Glencoe, KY passed peacefully on June 2, 2016. She was born on Sept 24, 1922 in Cincinnati, Ohio to John Milton Younger and Iva Day Younger. She was a veteran of the Navy during WWII in communications. She was preceded in death by her husband, James Robert Irons; her brother, John Younger; and her son, Douglas Poland. She is survived by her son, James Robert Irons II; daughter, Joni Irons; three granddaughters, Jade, Jaime and Jasmine; and four great grandchildren Jaylee, Jill, Matthew and Natalie. She was a loving mother, grandmother and great grandmother. She loved flowers and gardening, fishing, playing cards and singing with family members. She liked to go on cruises, also loved animals. Her favorite pet was Wally, a cockatiel, which she cared for many years. A private graveside service was held June 12, 2016.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 24, 2016**

#### MOUTON, IDA LOIS, 83

Ocala - Ida Lois Mouton was born on April 28, 1933 in Beaumont, Texas. She went on to her heavenly home on June 16, 2016 at Legacy House in Ocala, Florida. She will be greatly missed by her family and friends in Beaumont and San Francisco. She leaves to cherish her memory her husband of 55 years, Joseph Ralph Mouton; two granddaughters, Tracy (Lorenzo) Williams of Ft. Lauderdale, and Kaia Sam of Orlando; two sisters, Mercedes Davis and Macy Joshua, both of San Francisco, CA; stepdaughter, Earcell Mouton of San Francisco, CA; one sister-in-law, Ruth Jones; one brother-in-law, Robert (Sandra) Mouton both of Layfette, LA; devoted god daughter, Marie Cotton of Atlanta, GA; caretaker, Debbie Green of Ocala; special niece, Jackie Joshua of San Francisco, CA; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends Mrs. Ida Lois Mouton was preceded in death by her daughter, Passion Stephanie Mouton Visitation for Ida Lois Mouton will be held at Clark Funeral Home on Friday, June 24, 2016 from 10am to 5pm at 434 NW Martin Luther King, Jr. Ave, Ocala, FL 34475. A homegoing celebration will be held on Saturday, June 25, 2016 at 11am at New Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 9225 Southwest 27th Ave, Ocala, FL, Dr. Fred Maeweathers, Sr., Pastor. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 23 to June 24, 2016

### SCHILLE, RONALD LEE, 56

Ocala- Ronald Lee Schille, 56, passed away Friday, June 17, 2016 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. He was born January 14, 1960 in Miami, FL. He moved to Ocala from Tampa in 2016. Mr. Schille was a Christian and a retired handyman. He loved listening to country music, bowling, boating, fishing, board games, poker, karaoke, and playing pool. He is survived by his son, Ronald L. Schille, Jr. of Wilmington, NC; daughters, Tiffany Hol of Tarpon Springs, FL, Shaina R. Schille of Gainesville, FL; parents, Thomas E. and Florence Schille of Ocala; brothers, Robert E. Schille of Dallas, TX, David S. Schille of Miami, FL and two grandchildren.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 25, 2016**

### DALEY, ANNE COUNCIL, 87

Ocala - Annie (Anne) Council Daley, 87, passed away on June 17, 2016, in Ocala, Florida. She was the wife of Clifford L. Daley with whom she shared 48 years of marriage. Born in High Point, North Carolina, she was the daughter of the late Albert Lawrence Council and Blanche Powell Council. She attended high school in High Point and attended Lenoir Rhyne College. She retired in 1994 as Deputy Director after 26 years in Personnel Services at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign. She is survived by her husband, Clifford L. Daley; step-children, Roxanne Ciarletta, Mark Daley (Diane), Rhonda Rottman (Matt), and Becky Daley; grandchildren, Marshall Daley, Alan Daley, and Perry Ciarletta; niece, Tamara Drinkwater; and nephew, Chris Guyer. She was preceded in death by her sister, Eugenia C. Guyer; and son-in-law, Albert Ciarletta. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, June 29, 2016, from 3 P.M. to 4 P.M. at

Roberts Funeral Home, 6241 S.W. SR-200, Ocala, Florida. A graveside service will be held at Floral Gardens Park, 1730 W English Rd, in High Point, North Carolina on July 2, 2016, at 10:00 A.M. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to your local animal shelter in Anne's memory. Condolences for the family may be left at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com.

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### LLOYD BRUCE MONROE, 87

Summerfield - Lloyd Bruce Monroe, age 87, born August 28, 1928, and died on June 21, 2016. Lloyd was born and raised in Summerfield, Florida, and passed peacefully in his home that he shared with his wife, Dorothy, of 66 years. He is preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy; brothers, Ralph, Leonard, Huey and J.O.; sisters, Vera and Juanita; nephew, Dennis; and great granddaughter, Caroline. Lloyd is survived by his son, Bruce Monroe; daughters, Renee Gercak and Marilyn Monroe Hill; grandchildren, Jennifer Rath, Tina Nichols, Angela Green, Kimberly Gas-sett, Michelle Biddix, and Christopher Monroe; great grandchildren, Victoria, Corey, Connor, Landrea, Trent and Waylon. Viewing will be held at For-est Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, Florida on Saturday, June 25, 2016, from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM., with funeral ser-vice to follow at 4:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, the family re-quests memorial donations to the Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner on June 25, 2016

### **STANLEY, JONATHAN DAVID, 47**

Palm Coast - Jonathan David Stanley, 47, passed away suddenly on May 29, 2016. Jonathan was born on August 17, 1968 in Ocala, Florida. He grew up in Anthony, FL and graduated from North Marion High School in 1985. Jonathan was baptized as one of Jehovah's Witnesses in 1984. He worked as a computer technician beginning in 1985 and started his own business, PC Specialists, in 1990. In 1996, he welcomed his only son, Austin Blake Stanley. In 2005, Jonathan and his family moved from Silver Springs to Palm Coast, where he continued to live and work until his death. Jonathan was a loving son, a devoted father, a cool big brother, a loyal friend, and an all-around good guy who was liked by everyone who met him. As a young teenager, Jonathan discovered computers and never looked back. He enjoyed building and fixing computers, writing programs and games, and teaching others how to use their computers. He truly loved what he did and was a born entrepreneur. Jonathan also had a love of the outdoors and especially enjoyed tennis, cycling, and running. As a teenager, Jonathan played in the school band and continued his love of music as an adult; composing songs, learning new instruments, and even recording his own album. Jonathan loved peace and wanted to be able to enjoy life without undue stress. Most of all, Jonathan loved his son and would have done anything for him. Jonathan leaves behind his parents, Phillip Stanley and Karen Stanley; sister, Joanna Barton (Tim); brother, Paul Stanley; son, Austin Stanley; nephew, Noah Stanley; and nieces, Sophie Barton and Maeve Stanley. In addition to uncles and aunts, he also leaves behind a very close circle of cousins and friends, most of whom he knew since childhood. He will be missed greatly by many. A memorial service was held for Jonathan on June 10, 2016 at Ravine Gardens State Park in Palatka, Florida. Jonathan was helping his son Austin with college tuition and so a donation fund has been set up to offset the sudden loss of funding. If you wish to donate in Jonathan's memory,

please visit: https://www.youcaring.com/austin-stanley-590128 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 24 to June 25, 2016

### **TRIMBLE, KAREN MCGIGHAN**

Ocala - Karen McGighan Trimble died June 8, 2016 following a brief illness, surrounded by her family, friends, and coworkers. She was born in Stockholm, NJ and moved to Ocala, FL in 1976. Karen is preceded in death by her husband, Daniel Trimble, and her father, William McGighan. She is survived by her life partner of many years, Mark Velandra; mother, Doris Peeples; daughters, Marlene Trimble and April Hall; grandchildren, Alexis and Larry Naylor, and Jacob Krause; brother, Bill McGighan; sister, Gerri McGighan-Lukens; nieces and nephews, Michelle Wallace, Billy McGighan, Mark Hill, and Stephanie Miranda. Karen will be missed by many and remembered as a continually happy person with a quick and infectious laugh. She worked as a nurse for most of her career in the bone marrow units at Shands Hospital UF, and at University of Minnesota Hospital, where her laughter could be heard spilling down the hallways. Her entire life was dedicated to taking care of others. Bowling was Karen's passion. She bowled in local leagues and competitively her entire life, including being the only woman on the men's varsity bowling team in high school. At the bowling alley, she developed many close and lasting friendships. Many of her 'bowling buddies' visited her in her final hours. There will be a celebration of Karen's life at Galaxy East on, June 27, 2016, at 5:00 pm. In lieu of flowers, we ask for donations to be made to the Boys and Girls Club of Marion County, PO Box 4109, Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, Ocala, FL 352-629-7171

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# MONROE, LLOYD BRUCE, 87

Summerfield - Lloyd Bruce Monroe, age 87, born August 28, 1928, and died on June 21, 2016. Lloyd was born and raised in Summerfield, Florida, and passed peacefully in his home that he shared with his wife, Dorothy, of 66 years. He is preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy; brothers, Ralph, Leonard, Huey and J.O.; sisters, Vera and Juanita; nephew, Dennis; and great granddaughter, Caroline. Lloyd is survived by his son, Bruce Monroe; daughters, Renee Gercak and Marilyn Monroe Hill; grandchildren, Jennifer Rath, Tina Nichols, Angela Green, Kimberly Gassett, Michelle Biddix, and Christopher Monroe; great grandchildren, Victoria, Corey, Connor, Landrea, Trent and Waylon. Viewing will be held at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, Florida on TODAY, June 25, 2016, from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM., with funeral service to follow at 4:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations to the Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 24 to June 26, 2016

### **TODD JR., CHARLES EDWARD, 60**

Ocala - Charles Edward Todd, Jr., 60, passed away June 21, 2016 at home. Born May 4, 1956 in Tampa, FL to Charles Edward and Joyce Holt Todd Sr. He has been a long time member of Oakcrest Baptist Church. He is preceded in death by his parents. Charles is survived by his stepfather, Walter McQuag (Annie); stepsister, Deborah Ann O'Brien

(Tom); stepbrothers, Donald McQuag (Tina), Darryl McQuag (Doug), Todd McQuag (Missy). Funeral Service will be today at 2:00 p.m., at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with Rev. John Wagner officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Friends and family are welcome to a luncheon following the service at Oakcrest Baptist Church. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Heart Association in memory of Charles Todd.

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### **EXFORD, CARLTON GEORGE, 74**

Carlton George Exford, 74, of Ocala, FL, formerly of Watertown, NY, peacefully passed away surrounded by family on June 23, 2016 after a brief illness. Carlie is survived by his wife of 55 years, Jill (Leonard) Exford, daughter Debbie (Bill) Petrus of Watertown, NY, son Chris (Laura) Exford of Columbia, SC, son Shawn Exford and his companion Kim Donegan of Watertown, NY, daughter Heather (Frank) Rebro of Ocala, FL, brother Gary (Carol) Exford of Watertown, NY, five grandchildren, five great grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews, and friends. He is predeceased by his parents Leland and Allison (Fleming) Exford and two brothers, Donald Exford and Colin Exford. Carlie was born January 14, 1942 in West Carthage, NY. He served in the U.S. Navy from 1959 to 1962. Following that, he spent many years as a retail manager for a number of companies. From 1997 to the present, he worked as property manager for Automated Petroleum and Energy Company (APEC). Carlie had a gift and passion for sales. This allowed him to work right up until his illness. Carlie had a love of traveling and spending time with friends and family; he especially loved cruising and playing video poker. He had a love of all animals, especially his beloved dog, Ricky and his parrot, Zoe. Carlie also enjoyed watching NASCAR and his New York Giants. No services will be held at this time. A special thank you to the Ted and Diane Brandley House and the Baldwin Brothers for their loving care and support. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to the Ted and Diane Brandley House/Hospice of Marion County 17395 SE 109th Terrace Rd, Summerfield, FL 34491.

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### HARDAGE, KATHLEEN W., 79

Ocala - Kathleen 'Kay' Hardage, 79, of Ocala, Florida, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by her loving family on June 21, 2016. She was born in Michell County, North Carolina and later moved to Marion where she graduated from Glenwood High School. She worked at First Union National Bank in Asheville, NC. In 1963, she married Jimmy Hardage and they moved to Florida at that time. Kay is survived by her loving husband, Jimmy J. Hardage of Ocala, FL; her son, David M. Hardage of Ocala, FL; a sister, Polly Duncan and husband, Bob, of Orange Park, FL; a brother, Earl Woody and wife, Barbara, of Dunedin, FL; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins. Kay was proceeded in death by her parents, Isom and Lula (Buchanan) Woody; six sisters, and two brothers. A visitation will be held on Monday, June 27, 2016 from 10:00AM to 11:00AM at the Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala. A funeral service will follow beginning at 11:00AM. Burial will take place at the Good

Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20th Street, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 26 to June 27, 2016

### MADER, ROBERT F., 84

Ocala - Robert F. Mader, 84, of Ocala, passed away peacefully surrounded by family on June 22, 2016. Born September 1, 1931 in Philadelphia, PA, he was the son of Walter and Bertha Mader. Robert worked as a printer for many years within the magazine and newspaper industry. He is preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Bertha Mader: sons, John and Walter Mader; and brother, Walter Mader. He is survived by his loving wife of 57 1/2 years, Kathleen E. Mader of Ocala; sons, Eric Mader of Blackwood, NJ and Robert Mader, Jr. of Hammonton, NJ; daughter, Kathleen (Robert) Walters of Missouri; 11 grandchildren and four great grandchildren. A graveside service will be held at a later date at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala. Arrangements are in the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 352-854-2266.

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### MATISS, AIVARS V., 80

Ocala - Aivars V. (Matt) Matiss, 80, passed away June 5, 2016. Born June 29, 1935 in Liepaja, Latvia to Zelma and Villibals Matiss. He was a Supervising Electrical Engineer for the University of Central Florida. Aivars enjoyed gardening, walking, and serving at First United Methodist Church in Ocala, FL. He is survived by his loving wife, Beatrice Eller Matiss; sister and brother in-law, Mara and Virgil Halweg; two nieces; one nephew; Omaha, NE; brother in-laws, Bill Eller, GA, Jessie Eller Ocala, FL; and sister in-law, Virginia Bowman, CT; three nephews; three nieces. Memorial Service will be 2:30 p.m., Monday, June 27, 2016 at Ocala Oaks, with Pastor John Few officiating. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home.

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# **MYRONICK, PETER JAMES 'GRANDPA'**

Ocala - Peter James 'Grandpa' Myronick passed away May 23, 2016 to spend eternity with our Lord. He was born on August 28, 1919 in NYC, NY. He was a caring man, always willing to help when needed. He served in the Army during WWII. He and his sweetheart, Eleanor, married in 1943. He was a Scottish Rite Mason 32nd degree and member of the Masonic Grand Lodge in Babylon, NY. He enjoyed serving as secretary for many years for the Sunrise Square Club in Lindenhurst, NY. He was a DAV life member. After his retirement from Sperry Gyroscope in NY he moved to Ocala, FL in 1982 and immediately volunteered through Marion County RSVP. Qualifying to teach the Laubach method, he spent many hours teaching people who needed the help to learn to read and write. He considered it an honor and a joy. Also a joy for him was the time he spent reading stories to Kindergarteners and First Graders. His invisible sidekick, Wilbur the frog, made for additional fun when Wilbur hopped out of Grandpa's shirt pocket and disrupted story time. The boys and girls enthusiastically told Wilbur to return to Grandpa's shirt pocket before he got into big trouble! Grandpa treasured those memories of the time spent with the children. He was a dedicated volunteer. His own passion for reading led him to attempt to read every good mystery novel available; one right after the other. A good afternoon's read was followed by a glorious nap. He thought some of the best words ever said were 'We're having spaghetti for supper.' He was a man of conviction and loved his family. He is preceded in death by his wife of 64 years, Eleanor and sister, Stella Dell'Orto. He is survived by sister, Anna Levatino; his daughter, Tina McKinley; his son, Gary Myronick; granddaughter, Hattie May; grandson, Henry (Julia) May. He had three great-grandchildren, Zoey May Matheny, Oliver Robert May and Annabelle Grace May. He was deeply loved and will forever be missed. Funeral services will be held at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on Friday, July 15, 2016 at 1:30pm.

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### PITTS, BETTYE

Ocala - Bettye Pitts of Ocala, Florida, passed away peacefully at the Estelle House Hospice on June 20, 2016, surrounded by loving family. She was born on September 8, 1929 in Magazine, Arkansas. She is the daughter of the late Claude and Mildred Brown of Claremore, Oklahoma and the beloved wife of her late husband, Raymond Pitts. She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Deborah and Michael White of Avon, Connecticut; grandsons, Jeffrey Davis of Stafford Springs, Connecticut and Steven Davis of Charleston, South Carolina; five great grandchildren; brother and sister-in-law, Wallace and Elna Brown of Claremore, Oklahoma; aunt, Alice Gertz of Fort Smith, Arkansas; and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. Bettye was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother. She loved to travel across the county with her husband of almost fifty years and the many adventures they shared. Bettye was a member of the Ocala Springs Baptist Church where she served on committees and sang in the choir. Her deepest passion was her family and friends. She had a wonderful heart and always put others first. Her family loves her deeply and carries her wisdom and kind and loving nature with them always. The family wants to thank the staff at Ocala Oaks Rehabilitation Center for the compassionate care given to Bettye during her time as resident. Arrangements are being made by the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home in Ocala, Florida.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 29, 2016**

# **BAKER, CHARLES LTC**

Charles W. Baker (Ret), a resident of Laurel, died on June 22, 2016 at Charlotte Hall Veterans Home. He was 75. He was a longtime Maryland Army National Guard officer, aviator and National Security Agency analyst and historian. Born in Union Springs, Al on October 11, 1940 and raised in Ocala, Fl, he graduated from Ocala High School in 1958. He earned a B.S. in Business Administration from Auburn University in 1962, as well as a commission as an Army Lieutenant, Armor Branch. After a tour of ground duty with the cavalry in California, LT Baker attended flight school at Fort Rucker, Al and became an Army aviator in July 1964. He then served on active duty in Korea, Germany, and Vietnam. In 1969 he attended graduate school at the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, where he earned an MA in history in 1972. After additional aviation training

at Ft. Rucker and active duty he moved to Maryland to join NSA. Having served in the NC National Guard, he transferred to the Maryland National Guard in 1973, where he served until his retirement in 1987. The high point of his National Guard experience was serving from 1985 to 1987 as the first commander of 1st squadron, 158th Cavalry, which was the reconnaissance unit of the reactivated 29th Infantry Division (Blue and Gray). He retired as a Lt. Col. In December 1987. His decorations include the Distinguished Flying Cross, the Bronze Star Medal w/1st OLC, Meritorious Service Medal, Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry and various state and service awards. His last two years at NSA were as the Agency's oral historian, an assignment in which he recorded the memories of some World War II codebreakers. He retired from the Agency at the end of 1994. LTC Baker (Ret) is survived by his beloved wife of 33 years Katherine Phillips Baker; loving children Charles Bradford Baker (Claudine), William Donald Baker, Kathleen Mary Condry (Gregory), and Peter Eugene O'Neil; cherished grandchildren Kimberly Westberg, Ryan and Trevor Cross, Noah, Annabelle, and Leilani Baker. He is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents William and Ann Baker and his sister Dr. Joyce B. Rogers. Visitation will be held on Wednesday from 2-4 & 7-9 pm at DONALDSON FUNERAL HOME, P.A. 313 Talbott Avenue, Laurel, MD 20707 where funeral services will be held on Thursday beginning at 10:30 am. Burial will follow with military honors at the MD Veterans Cemetery in Crownsville. Memorial donations may be made to Vietnam Veteran Memorial Fund, 1235 South Clark Street, Suite 910, Arlington, VA 22202 or online at www.vvmf.org

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### CATON, ALLAN R., 84

Ocala - Allan R. Caton, 84, beloved husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather, passed away peacefully at home Thursday, June 16, 2016 surrounded by family. Born May 19, 1932 in Cleveland Ohio, he moved his family to Yankeetown in 1962 and built Caton's Marina on the Withlacoochee River. Then later he started Caton Construction Company which provided families and local businesses with beautiful homes and offices thru-out the tri county area. A Korean war veteran, custom home builder and master wood turner, he was well respected for his creativity, attention to detail, honesty and loving nature. He leaves behind a beloved wife of 61 years; four children; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. Memorial services for Mr. Caton will be held at 11 AM Saturday, July 2, 2016, at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to be made to Hospice of Marion County, West Team. Expressions of sympathy can be made at www.robertsofdunnellon.com.

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### FLAHERTY, MAUREEN A., 78

Ocala - Maureen A. Flaherty, 78, passed away on June 17, 2016 in Ocala. Born in Brooklyn, New York, she was retired as an assistant teacher. She is survived by her loving husband, Thomas J. Flaherty of Ocala; a daughter, Kim M. of Sayville, NY; sons, Thomas R. of E. Patchogue, NY, Scott M. of West Islip, NY, Timothy P. of Brentwood, NY, Francis J. of Greensboro, NC, and Michael C. of Harmony, FL. A memorial service

will be held at the Queen of Peace Catholic Church, 6455 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala on Wednesday, June 29th beginning at 08:30AM. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to Queen of Peace Roman Catholic Church, 6455 S.W. State Road 200, Ocala Florida 34476. Arrangements are in the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West 352-854-2266.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, June 30, 2016**

### FOWLER, CLARA LOUISE BURGDORFF, 84

Daytona Beach - Clara Louise Burgdorff Fowler 84, of Daytona Beach, Florida passed away peacefully on Wednesday June 22, 2016. She was born in Ocala, Florida on April 3, 1932 to the late William and Marjorie Burgdorff. She was predeceased by her loving husband, (Harland) Wade Fowler, Jr. whom she married on February 1, 1953 in Ocala, Florida. They are survived by their three children, William (Medina) Fowler, Anne (Chris) Flaggs and John (Catherine) Fowler; three granddaughters, Jessica (Doug) Pauselius, Amy Flaggs and Colleen Fowler; two great grandchildren, Nate and Bridgette; her two sisters, Carolyn and Helen (Larry); and many loving relatives and dear friends. Clara grew up in Florida and Bristol, New Hampshire. She graduated from Ocala High School in 1949 and went on to earn degrees from the University of Florida and Maryland. She taught science and health in various High Schools. As an Army wife, she lived in many places including South Carolina, Texas, Illinois, Maryland, Japan, Germany and Florida. While in Maryland, her passion for flowers sparked and she started her journey as a flower arranger with the National Altar Guild in D.C. When Wade retired, the family moved to Daytona and Clara led the flower guilds at Grace and later at St. Mary's Episcopal churches. She loved gardening, teaching others to arrange flowers, summers in New Hampshire at the lake cottage, swimming, hiking, boating and volunteering as a Docent at the N.H Science Center. A Celebration of Life service will be held at St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Daytona Beach on Saturday, July 9, 2016 at 2:00 pm. Interment will follow later at Arlington National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St Mary's Episcopal Church, Halifax Humane Society, or a charity of your choice.

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### WATTS, CARROLL LEWIS, 70

Silver Springs - Carroll L. Watts, 70, of Silver Springs, FL passed away Saturday, June 25, 2016 at his home surrounded by family. He was born May 5, 1946 in Asheville, NC the son of the late Mildred M. and Carrell L. Watts of Silver Springs. A self-employed electrician, he owned the C L. Watts Electric company. He is survived by his wife of 43 years, Ernestine Denmark Watts of Silver Springs; sister, Patsy Brabeau of Ocala; son, Richard Watts (Lyn) of Silver Springs; daughters, Cara Lee Carver (Roger) of Ocala; Diana Pucci (Rick) of Silver Springs, Debbie Watts of Ormond Beach, Sara Parris (DeWayne) of Brooksville; Theresa Johnston (Glenn) of Georgia. He is survived by eight grandchildren and five great grandchildren. He is preceded in death a daughter Kathryn Bottoms. He was deeply loved and will be forever missed. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to The Humane Society at www.thehsmc.org or to Kindred

Hospice. A celebration of his life will be held at a later time, to be announced. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 29 to June 30, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 1, 2016**

# HARRIS, EDVENA WILLIAMS, 103

Reddick - Edvena Williams Harris, 103, passed away June 23, 2016. Life Celebration for Ms. Harris will be held on Saturday, July 2, 2016, 11am at Mt. Zion United Methodist Church, 4251 NW 155th Street, Reddick, Florida. Reverend Dr. John Banks, Sr. will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Davis' Residence (15400 NW 46th Avenue, Reddick, Florida) at 10:15am on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. Ms. Harris leaves to cherish her precious memories her caregivers; niece, Cynthia Davis, Reddick, FL, and great-nephew, Theodore (Michael) Brown, Tallahassee, FL; grandson, Arnold Harris of Biloxi, MS; daughter-in-law, Patience Harris of Biloxi, MS; three great-grandsons, three great-great grandchildren of Biloxi, MS; niece, Benita Y. Horne, Gainesville, FL; one sister-in-law, Rosetta Lawry, Gainesville, FL; special cousin, Jacob Thompson (Lenora) Schretz, TX; god-children, Rev. Anna F. Thomas, Flemington, FL, Ruby Reeves, Geraldine Adkins, and Hettie Morgan, of Reddick, FL; and a number of nephews, nieces, cousins and friends. 'A DEFINES **QUALITY** SELLERS SERVICE & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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# NICHOLS, FRANCES LEE, 87

Ocala - Mother Francis Lee Nichols (Honey), age 87, transition to be with the heavenly father at her residence on June 27, 2016 with her family at her bedside. She leaves to cherish her precious memories devoted children, Jessie Woods, Gladys Nichols, Lois (McCoy) Dowdy, Phyllis Nichols, Thomas (Evelyn) Nichols, Roosevelt Nichols, Charles Nichols, all of Ocala, FL, Wanda Nichols-Yeboar (Jacob), Gainesville, FL, Lorenzo Nichols (Joyce), Las Vegas, NV, Charles Nichols, Jr, Chicago, IL; sisters Connie Cox, Henrietta Wilson; brother, Charles Bess; a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren. Funeral services for Mother Frances Lee Nichols will be held 2:00 PM at United Holiness Christ Church of Christ Deliverance Center, Inc. Eulogist, Lorenzo Nichols. Visitation will be held 2:30PM until 4:00 PM at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home. Wake services will be held from 5PM until 7:00PM at Progressive Union MBC, Rev. Darryl Redding, Pastor.

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# PHINNEY, EDWARD E. 'GENE,' 69

Silver Springs - Mr. Edward E. 'Gene' Phinney, age 69, a resident of Silver Springs, FL passed away at Legacy Hospice Monday, June 27, 2016 after a four year battle with cancer. Mr. Phinney was born December 23, 1946 as a fifth generation Floridian in Davenport, Florida to Ronald and Johnselynn Phinney (Johnson). His siblings include Dewitt and Mark, and he graduated from Haines City High School. He married Dolores Garner on July 2, 1966 at Dundee Baptist Church. Gene was a graduate of the LSU

School of Banking of the South, and had more than a 45 year career as a bank executive, including President and CEO of several prominent banks, and founded Central Florida State Bank in 2002. He loved serving the community in which he worked through several churches, Kiwanis, Boy Scouts, Jaycees, Ocala and Belleview Chambers of Commerce and many other organizations. When he wasn't building successful financial institutions, he was an avid Florida sportsman, and talented handyman. He could often be spotted on Lake Kissimmee with his dad catching as many specs as possible. Gene and Dolores are members of Grace Presbyterian Church in Ocala. Gene is survived by his wife of 50 years, Dolores; his two children, Doreen Phinney Guess of Dundee and Allen Phinney of Peachtree City, GA; grandchildren, Lauren, Conner, Sarah and Alyson; and greatgrandchild, Peyton; and mother-in-law, Geraldine Garner. A celebration of Gene's life will be held Saturday, July 16, 2016 at 3:00pm at Grace Presbyterian Church in Ocala. For further details on this celebration please contact Doreen at (863) 514-5406 or Allen at (678) 643-0053. Gene's family has requested that in lieu of flowers; please make donations to American Cancer Society or Hospice of Marion County, Inc. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 30 to July 1, 2016

#### **POWELL, TRINA ELISE, 45**

Ocala- Trina Elise Powell, 45, was involved in a car accident on June 3, 2016 which resulted in her untimely death. She was a loving wife to Randy Powell, a dedicated mother to Calvin Bell, a devoted daughter to Cathie and Josh Vibber, and had an especially strong bond with her sister, Trisha. She loved Trisha's husband, Chad Filley, and adored their daughter. Trina had a special touch which resonated in both her professional life and personal relationships. She aspired to be a great teacher, believing every student had the potential to be a scholar. Because of her struggles with dyslexia as a child, she could empathize and relate to students who learned differently. She leaves behind a legacy of successful students, as well as colleagues inspired by her creative and nurturing classroom techniques. Trina cherished her family, her friends, her students and her kitties. She enjoyed beach time and dancing. She will be remembered for a gentle, loving, kind-hearted spirit which complemented her ethical, organized, straight forward approach to completing tasks. Her ready smile, warm laugh and affectionate hugs are embedded in the hearts of the many lives she touched. A celebration of her life will be held during the month of July. Details of the place and time will be published in the near future. Please visit the website at www.floridacremationsociety.com to sign the guest book and leave loving memory messages. In lieu of flowers, donations of children's books or money may be made to Stanton-Weirsdale Elementary School's Media Center in Trina's memory: 16705 SE 167th Lane, Weirsdale, FL 32195.

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#### STOHLER, F.E., 96

Dunnellon - Francis E. 'Frank' Stohler, of Dunnellon, FL, age 96, died peacefully at home on June 28, 2016. Francis was born in Pendleton, Indiana to his parents Rev. Artie Stohler and Fulia (Jackson) Stohler. He was preceded in death by his son, Daniel Stohler, his wife Marjorie Stohler, and his two brothers. Surviving are his daughter, Connie and her husband Charles Stephens of Dunnellon, granddaughter, Pamela Gray (Britton), and a great grandson, Barrett Gray. He was a member of the Dunnellon First United Methodist Church. The pastor, Rev. Eddie Fulford, will officiate at the funeral service, which will be held at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave, Dunnellon, FL, on July 1, 2016 at 4 PM. Viewing will be an hour earlier. Interment will in Tucker, GA. In lieu of flowers, charitable donations are suggested to Billy Graham.org or to the charity of your choice in his honor.

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# **TAYLOR-BROWN, MARVIA**

Ocala - Marvia Taylor-Brown was a member of Mt. Tabor AME Church. She leaves to cherish her loving memories husband, Leon Eric Brown; mother, Ida Taylor; father, Kenneth (Yolanda) Taylor; four stepchildren, Emonita Brown, Irene Brown, Leon Brown and Zion Brown; four sisters, Cassandra Lewis, Regina (Quentin) Womack, Eugina Lewis and Kyra Williams; one brother, Dominick Jamison; one brother-in-law, Derrick Brown; one grandmother, Julia Taylor; nieces; nephews; other relatives and friends. Public viewing will be Friday, July 1, 2016 from 12pm to 6pm at Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL. Service will be held on Saturday, July 2, 2016 - 11:00 a.m. at House of God Keith Dominion, 2830 NW 27th Avenue, Ocala, FL, Rev. T. Patricia Nelson - Eulogist. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566. A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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# VEREEN, JR., PARIS, 75

Ocala - Paris Vereen, Jr. 75, transition into a new life on June 24, 2016 surrounded by family. He was the son of the late Paris Vereen, Sr. and the late Eartha Williams. He was a loving and humorous person that was loved by all his encounters. He leaves to cherish his memories one son, Ricky Jones; and one daughter, Aretha Roberts; sisters, Loretta James (Ralph), Bettye Marsh, Annie Morgan (Willie) and Mary Johnson; brothers, Levon Vereen (Phyllis), Willie Williams, Jr. (Roettta) Birmingham, Alabama., Maurice Williams (Lottie), Beauford Williams (Teresa) Stewart, FL. Deceased, Arvin Williams, Lawrence Williams; a loving, and devoted friend, Patricia Tigner; special niece and his caretaker, Donna Marsh; a host of grandchildren, nieces, and nephews. Visitation will be held on Friday, July 1, 2016 from 5-7 pm. A celebration of life will be held 11 AM on Saturday, July 2, 2016 at 7th ST, St. Paul AME Church, 718 NW Street, 34475. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from June 30 to July 1, 2016

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# GORE, JANICE 'JAN' LUCILLE (BRANSON), 69

Ocala - Ms. Janice 'Jan' Lucille Gore (Branson), 69, of Ocala, FL., and Chapel Hill, passed away suddenly on Sunday, June 26, 2016. She was born November 9, 1946 in Ocala, Florida a daughter of Clara and Samuel Gore. Jan graduated from Ocala High School in 1965. She enjoyed all types of music, good food, and also animals. She will be remembered for her hard work and her dedication to her family. Jan is survived by her two sons, Donald Fraser, Jr., of Raleigh and Gerald Fraser of Louisville, KY; her siblings, Deborah Martsolf, Donna Miller, Teresa Chambers, Samuel Gore all of Ocala,

Richard Gore of NC, and Dennis Gore of IL. Jan was preceded in death by her brother; parents; and grandparents. A memorial service will be held 2 pm Sunday, July 3, 2016 at Brown-Wynne Funeral Home 300 Saint Mary's St. Raleigh, NC 27605. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 1 to July 2, 2016

### LONG, BRENDA RENEE, 56

Palmetto - Brenda Renee Long, 56, entered into Heaven's gates, June 16, 2016. Born October 25, 1959 in Waynesburg, PA to Daniel E. Long Sr. and Janice Louise Gallatin Long. She worked in county government as a clerk. Brenda had a love for music and she, along with her family played gospel music throughout the United States. She loved the water and enjoyed going to the beach even though she wasn't a great swimmer. She was heavily involved in her church, working with the youth band and sanctuary ensemble. She had an Associates degree in Criminal Justice. She is preceded in death by her mother, Janice Long. She is survived by her father, Daniel E. Long, Sr.; brothers, Daniel E. Long Jr. (Lori) and Benjamin W. Long (Ashley). Funeral Service will be 11:00 a.m., Saturday, July 9, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with Pastor Lewis Brady officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior. A private Interment will be held at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL.

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### SANTIAGO, ANDRES 'JIMMY,' 80

Belleview - Andres 'Jimmy' Santiago, age 80, of Belleview, FL passed away on Wednesday, June 29, 2016 under the care of Legacy Hospice House, Ocala. He was the husband of Diane Santiago for 55 years. Born in Puerto Rico he was a son of the late Victor and Matilda Santiago. Jimmy was owner and operator of a frozen food franchise. He was an avid fisherman. He was a born again Christian and loved his Lord. He will be deeply missed by his wife, Diane; and daughter, Elizabeth, wife of Shayne Baxter, of Miami, FL; son, Andrew Santiago and his wife, Cyndi, of Ocala, FL; son, Paul Santiago and his wife, Christine, of Summerfield, FL; daughter, Yvette, wife of Gary Hegler, of Belleview, FL; and daughter, Diane, wife of Charles Harth, of Belleview, FL. He has six grandchildren, and four great grandchildren. He is survived by three sisters, and a brother. A visitation will be held on Friday, July 1, 2016 from1:00 PM to 2:00 PM at the Community Harvest Baptist Church, Summerfield, FL with a Funeral Service at 2:00 PM followed by interment in the Belleview City Cemetery, Belleview, FL. In lieu of flowers Jimmy would have loved for you to accept Christ as your Lord and Savior to be reunited with Him one day.

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### No Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 3, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 4, 2016**

### HAGER, WILLIAM M., 83

Dunnellon - William M. Hager, 83, died on June 28, 2016 at the Ted and Diane Brandley Hospice House in Summerfield. He leaves behind his wife, Betty Hagar; his four children; two stepchildren; and 15 grandchildren. William was born January 9, 1933 in

Hardy, KY to the late William McKinley Hager and Nola (Farmer) Hager. He joined the Marine Corp at the age of fourteen and served for 21 years during the Korean Conflict and the Vietnam War, retiring as a staff sergeant. After his retirement William worked for several different agencies as a deputy sheriff. In 1993, he married Betty, who was born and raised in Dunnellon, while he was working in Crystal River at the nuclear plant. They lived in Citrus County and eventually made their home in Dunnellon. William loved to fish as Betty States 'he and his mother were fishing buddies.' Bill didn't belong to a church but was a Christian man who accepted the Lord as his personal savior. There will be a committal service held on Wednesday, July 6, 2016 at 2:00 PM at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell with full military honors. A funeral procession will be formed at the funeral home at 12:30 PM on Wednesday. Expressions of sympathy can be left online at robertsofdunnellon.com. Arrangements are under the careful direction of Roberts Funeral Home, Dunnellon.

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### MENZ, RAYMOND (RAY), 87

Ocala - Raymond Menz, 87, of Ocala FL, formerly of Belford NJ, beloved husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather, passed away at home Thursday, June 23, 2016 from natural causes. Born January 7, 1929 in Newark NJ, he served in the US Army from 1951-53 during the Korean War. He moved his family to Venice, FL in 1970, and then relocated to Ocala in 2000. He worked as an automotive technician for 30+ years, was a Baker for Publix Supermarkets for 10+ years and most recently worked for 10+ years with his son in a family business as a floor care technician until his retirement. He is preceded in death by his parents, Fred and Minnie Menz; brother, Fred, Jr.; and sister, Ruth Finney. His deepest passion was his wife, Irene, and his family and always put others first. He loved boating, fishing, camping, flying and cruising. Ray is survived by his beloved wife of 65 years, Irene; daughters, Nora Barradale (Rob) Leonardo, NJ, Barbara Calabrese (Ralph) Long Branch, NJ; son, Ray Menz, Jr. (Lisa) Ocala, FL; grandchildren, Vicki (John) Cantalupo (NJ), Jay Barradale (NJ), Ryan Struble (FL), Lyndsey (Jeff) Stross (NJ), and five great grandchildren, Mark Hafner, Brezdyn Hafner, Isabella Cantalupo, Sophia Cantalupo and Mason Stross. A Celebration of life will be held on Saturday, July 16, 2016 at 1pm, St Mary's Episcopal Church 5750 SE 115th St Belleview, FL. In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to St Jude Children Hospital at StJude.org.

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### **ROETTELE, DANIEL WILLIAM, 76**

Ocala - Daniel William Roettele, age 76, passed away on June 29, 2016 after a long illness. Dan was born in Cincinatti, Ohio and moved to Ft.Lauderdale at age 15. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Linda (Mosberg) Roettele; his two daughters, Kim Wisell and her husband, Mark, Yvette Wolfe and her husband, Jay; two grandchildren, Cierra Wisell and Ty Wolfe. Dan had his own insurance agency along with his wife for 48 years. He loved to play golf with a four handicap. He played on several National and World softball championship teams. As a young man, Dan served in the Marines. Dan and his family also lived in West Palm Beach and at the time of his death resided in Ocala, Florida. He will be missed and will always remain in our hearts.

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### SEARLES, COLLEEN F., 91

Ocala - Colleen F. Searles, 91, passed away on Friday, March 25, 2016 at Brookdale Pinecastle in Ocala. Colleen was born in High Point, North Carolina and grew up in Ocala, attending Ocala High School, and working as a young woman at Turnipseed Motors. She moved to Gainesville shortly after her marriage, and remained there to raise her family. She then moved to Indian Harbor Beach where she remained for 20 years until 2002, at which time she returned to Ocala. Survivors include sons, Michael Searles, Paul Searles (Joan) and Robert Searles (Kathy); sister, Patty Link; grandchildren, Matthew, Landon, Lauren, Damon, Josh and Robbie; and great-grandson, Caedmon Searles. She is preceded in death by husband of over 45 years, Clifford Searles. A memorial service will be held on Friday, July 8, 2016 at 11 AM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala. A private interment will take place at Florida National Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to First United Methodist Church, Ocala. Online condolences may be sent at hiers-baxley.com.

### SPIES, JUDITH ANN, 82

Ocala - Judith Ann Spies passed away on April 24, 2016. Judith was born September 26, 1933 in Columbus, GA. She is survived by her loving husband of 60 years, Gordon N. Spies, Capt. (retired); her son, Jason Spies; daughter, Melinda Harrison; four grandchildren, Tiffany Stetson, Brandon Harrison, Christian Harrison and Stephan Spies; and one great-grandchild, James Stetson. She was an adventurous and independent soul who loved to travel. She loved animals, collecting antiques, ceramics and reading mystery novels. Judith and her husband, Gordon, successfully ran Sugarland Farm and showed minature horses, winning numerous awards. She was an active member of the Dixieland Minature Horse Society. Throughout her life time she volunteered at animal shelters. She will be greatly missed by her friends and family. Judith did not desire a funeral but, in lieu of flowers, she would appreciate any donations, in her honor, to the local animal shelters.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 5, 2016**

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 6, 2016**

### LARRAMORE, MARY WALDRON, 84

Silver Springs - Mary Waldron Larramore, 84, of Silver Springs, passed away on Friday July 1, 2016 at MRMC in Ocala. She was a native of Lake City, Florida, born to Thomas Stewart and Myrtle Jane Waldron. She moved to this area from Lake City in 1949 with her husband Clyde Larramore. She was preceded in death by her husband, Clyde, in December of 2013. She is survived by her children, sons, James E. (Judy) Larramore and Steven B. (Darlene) Larramore, of Silver Springs; and daughter, Cheryl (Keith) Limbaugh, of Ocala. Also surviving her are her grandchildren, James (Carol) Larramore, Jason (Lacey) Larramore, Ashley (Ryan) Watson, Sara (Ryan) Lietz, Steven Larramore,

Stacy Larramore, Dana (Melissa) Limbaugh, Alexis (Brian) Hogan, Derrick Limbaugh; and great grandchildren, Racheal and Justin Larramore, Jason and Aubrey Larramore, Elijah Lietz, Brooke and Travis Limbaugh, Tripp and Alora Stafford, and Evan, Reid, Tessa and Chelsea Hogan. Visitation will be held from 10:00am to 11:00 am on Wednesday, July 6, 2016 at Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church, 14100 E. Hwy 40, Silver Springs, FL, 34488, with the Funeral Service at 11:00 am. Interment will follow in Ocklawaha Bridge Baptist Church Cemetery. Online condolences may be sent at www.hiers-baxley.com. Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 E Silver Springs Boulevard, Ocala.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 7, 2016**

### **BROWN, LOIS 'PUNKIN,' 87**

Fairfield - Lois 'Punkin' Brown, 87, passed away July 1, 2016. Born November 24, 1928 in Dundee, FL to Herman L. and Amanda Taylor Anderson. She moved here from Polk County in 1944. She was a homemaker. She is preceded in death by her beloved husband, Roland A. 'Hambone' Brown; daughter, Susie Freeman; three sisters; and three brothers. Lois is survived by her daughters, Janice James (Danny), Linda Wiley (Odis), Jackie Therrien (Marcel); brother, Raymond Leon Anderson; ten grandchildren; 25 great-grandchildren and six great-great-grandchildren. Funeral Service will be 11:00 a.m, Friday, July 8, 2016 at the Fairfield Baptist Church, with Rev. Raymond Casselberry officiating. Visitation will be a half hour prior. Interment will follow in the Fairfield Baptist Church Cemetery.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 8, 2016**

# **BLYDEN, JOURNEE UNIQUE, 2**

Ocala - Journee Unique Blyden began her journey of life on May 15, 2014 in Ocala, FL with her loving mother Ms. Nicole Davis and father Mr. Kendall Blyden. She made her heavenly transition on June 23, 2016 at 9:10 am at UF Health Shands in Gainesville, FL. Journee leaves to cherish her memories her mom, Nicole Davis; dad, Kendall Blyden; sisters, Juniyah Davis, Brooklyn Blyden, and Jazyrah Fisher, maternal grandmother, Ms. Dianna Brown, maternal great grandparents, Ms. Mary Robinson and Mr. Eddie C. Gatson; a host of uncles, aunts, cousins, and friends. Visitation; Friday, 3-6pm at True Life Testimony Outreach Christian Center, Inc., 1723 NW Pine Ave, Ocala, FL. Celebration of life Saturday, 5 PM at St Paul AME Church, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 7 to July 8, 2016

### **BRUNER, KATHERINE 'KATHY' L., 78**

Ocala - Katherine 'Kathy' L. Bruner, 78, of Ocala, FL passed away on Sunday, July 3, 2016 at her home with her family by her side. Kathy was born in New Castle, PA to the late Robert and Ruth Jameson. She was a member of Grace Presbyterian Church and loved spending time with her family. Kathy is survived by her husband, Robert R. Bruner, of 57 years, of Ocala, FL; daughters, Debora A. Lewis, of Mt. Dora, FL, Lynette

J. Scarafino, of Sorrento, FL, Gayle Minnig, of Sorrento, FL; brother, Jim Jameson, of Youngsville, PA; sister, Dorothy Dutcher, of Ocala, FL; brother, Donald Jameson, of San Jacinto, CA; and four grandchildren, Stephano, Brandon, Chelsey, and Brittany. The family will be having a celebration of life service on Saturday, July 9, 2016 at 10:30 AM at Grace Presbyterian Church, 2255 SE 38 Street, Ocala. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL. 352-629-7171

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# DAVIS, JOHNNY LEE, 71

Ocala - Johnny Lee Davis, Ocala, FL, passed away July 1, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories wife, Williemae Hawkins-Davis; children Shana Davis, Johnell Davis, Johnnie Connelly, Hattie Davis; stepdaughter, Tera Thornton; sisters, Savannah Davis, Gloria Jean Bell, Pearlie Young, Savannah Bostick;, brother Robert Davis; aunt Maebell Davis. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 7 to July 8, 2016

# ERKER, PAULA M., 63

Ocala - Mrs. Paula M. Erker, 63, went on to be with the Lord on July 4, 2016. She was born in Pawtucket, Rhode Island on November 14, 1952. Paula was a retired waitress. She was a member of Meadowbrook Church in Ocala, FL and served in the Yarns of blessing small group. She moved to this area in 1984 from New Hampshire. Paula loved horticulture. Paula is survived by her loving husband, Bill Erker, of 16 years; four sons, Charles Feagin, Gary Feagin and wife, Valerie, Jason Feagin all of Ocala, FL, and Jonathon Feagin and fiancé, Dakota Gilmore of Orlando, FL; one daughter, Sherri Feagin and husband, Alan Beville, of Ocala, FL; three sisters, Pat Carter of Rhode Island, Vicki Gelardi of New Hampshire, and Debbie Trusty of New Hampshire; her mother, Jean Duncan of Rhode Island; and six grandchildren. A funeral service will take place at Meadowbrook Church on Friday, July 8, 2016 at 2:30PM. 4741 SW20th St. in Ocala. Internment will follow at Good Shepherd Cemetery. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to Hospice of Marion County. Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel made the arrangements. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 7 to July 8, 2016

# FRAZIER, ALSHATECK MONIQUE, 20

Ocala - Alshateck Monique Frazier, graduate of Buholz high school class of 2014. Tecka recently completed and graduated from the Salon Professionals Academy, in the Villages Florida where she excelled in the areas of make up and hairstyling. Tecka completed her walk of life on July 2, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories mother, Ericka Galloway (Shannon); father, Alfred Frazier, Jr. (Kim; sisters K'twona Frazier Barr, Tialrea Frazier, Mauruana Gardner, Kiana Morten, Alliyah Edwards.; brothers, James Flowers, Jr., Alfred Frazier, III; grandfather, Alfred Frazier, Sr.; aunts, Cara Frazier, Monique McMillen, Amy Howard, Kellie Howard; uncles Shayln McMiller, Joshua Howard, Michael Follins, Sr.. Visitation will be held Friday, 4:30 pm. and Celebration of life will be held on at Saturday, 1 PM at Showers of Blessings Harvest Center, 2615 SE 15th ST., Gainesville, FL 32641.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 9, 2016**

### **BIGHAM, DORIS W., 97**

Ocala - Doris W. Bigham, 97, of Ocala, passed away peacefully at home surrounded by her loving family, on June 30, 2016. She was born in Pittsburg, Kansas on October 3, 1918 to her parents William O'Rear and Cora Pruett. She worked as an assembly line worker for the General Motors Corporation and retired after 32 1/2 years of service. Doris was always known to be a very hard and dedicated worker. She enjoyed cleaning her house and spending time outdoors doing yard work. She was a very strong Baptist Christian and fully dedicated to the Lord and her religion. She is survived by her loving daughter, Sonya Hancock; a sister, Theora Lowery; granddaughter, Cherie Hancock; great grandchildren, Jonathon Harvey and Tyler Hancock; and many nieces, nephews, loved ones, close friends and good neighbors. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, July 9, 2016 beginning at 1:00pm at the Roberts Funeral Homes Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala.

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### **BROWN, SR., THOMAS ALLEN, 66**

Ocala - Thomas Allen Brown, Sr., affectionately known as Tab, passed away on Tuesday, June 28, 2016, in Albuquerque, NM. Tab was born in the city of Ocala, Florida on May 21, 1950. He was a graduate of Belleview-Santos High School Class of 1968. Tab was employed by the Minute Maid Company as a truck driver until his retirement, after more than 20 years. After spending most of his life in Florida, he had recently relocated to Albuquerque, NM. Left to cherish his memory is his mother, Theresa Brown; his son, Thomas A. Brown, Jr.; his brothers, Dr. James W. Brown, Jr. and Charles Brown; his sisters, Myra Wright, Celia Holman (Jerome), Teresa Preston (Walter), Mary Etta Brown, and Carolyn Anderson (Anthony); grandchildren; great grandchildren; along with a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends. A visitation is scheduled for Friday, July 8, 2016 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, July 9, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. at Community Church of God by Faith, 10400 SE 62nd Ave Rd, Belleview, FL, Reverend Wright, Pastor. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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### **DEAS, VALECIA THOMAS, 92**

Ocala - Valecia Thomas Deas, 92, died peacefully in her sleep on July 6, 2016 at Ocala Health and Rehabilitation Center. She was a lifelong resident of Marion County, born and raised in Kendrick, FL. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Ocala; American Legion Memorial Post 27 Auxiliary, 8 & 40 Salon Departementale; Daughters of the American Revolution, United Daughters of the Confederacy and Pioneer Garden Club. She is preceded in death by Nolie C Deas, Sr., her husband of 65 years; parents, Vesta and Mable Clark Thomas; and brother, Frank Clark. She is survived by her son, Nolie C Deas, Jr.; daughter-in-law, Sharon K Deas; four grandchildren, and two great grandchildren. Funeral services will be private. Arrangements by Forest Lawn Funeral

#### Home, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 8 to July 9, 2016

### **GRICE, DAVID SCOTT, 43**

Ocala - Mr. David Scott Grice, age 43, Mayor of Clio and resident of Ozark passed away unexpectedly at his home Wednesday, July 6, 2016. Funeral services for Mayor Grice will be held 2:00 p.m., Saturday, July 9, 2016 in the Keahey Funeral Home of Clio chapel with Rev. Curtis Rich officiating. A eulogy will be given by Dale County Sheriff, Wally Olsen and son, Craig Sanders. The family will re-ceive friends from 12:00 p.m. until time of service in the chapel. Mr. Grice was serving his second term as Mayor of Clio. He also served as Chief of Po-lice in Clio and Louisville and was a Dale County deputy sheriff for several years. He graduated from Troy University in 1991 with a B.S. in Criminal Justice. Mr. Grice was an avid hunter and a loving father to his children. Survivors, father, David Bradford Grice of Ocala, FL; mother, Carolyn Grice of Ocala, FL; sons, Craig Sanders and David Andrew Grice, mother of his children, Dianne Grice of Clio; maternal grand-mother, Rosemary Porter of Ocala; uncle, Richard Porter of Ocala; Walter (Nancy) Porter of Ocala, Bruce Grice of New Brockton, Keith Grice of New Brockton, numerous cousins; pallbearers, Jimmy Knight, Jeremy Hagler, Brian Hagler, Gabriel Walton, Alan Knight, Roger Senn, Jamie Stephens and Garrett Maund. In lieu of flowers, contribu-tions may be made to Ariton School Special Education: 264 Creel Richardson St, Ariton, AL 36311

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# PROVAU, DOROTHY O. WILKERSON, 87

Mrs. Dorothy O. Wilkerson Provau, of McIntosh, Florida, passed away July 5, 2016. She was 87. Born in Coffee County, Alabama on June 17, 1929 to Vassie and Arthur F. Wilkerson. She moved to Florida as a young girl. She was a member of the McIntosh Christian Church. She was a member of the Womens' Auxiliary of McIntosh and member of the Christian Womens' Fellowship and she participated in the McIntosh 189 festival for many years. She loved reading, crossword puzzles, and she was a caregiver; but her priority was her family. Survivors are one son, Tommy and wife Donna Provau; three daughters, Samantha and husband Duke Reid, Vassie Pittman, and Katie and husband Kelly Suggs; one brother, one sister, eleven grandchildren nineteen great grandchildren, and twelve great-great grandchildren. Mrs. Provau was preceded in death by her husband, Crystal Matthew (Hughie) Provau, and son-in-law Michael Pittman. Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, July 9, 2016, 1:00 p.m., at the Chapel of Knauff Funeral Home -Williston, with Reverend Murray Musselman officiating. A visitation will be held Friday, July 8, 2016 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Chapel of Knauff Funeral Home -Williston. A burial will follow at Orange Hill Cemetery, Williston with Knauff Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Family wishes to thank the Chief land Haven Hospice for their support and care of our mother.

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# **RETZLAFF, CARLETON D., 83**

Ocala - Carleton D. Retzlaff, 83 of Ocala, Passed away on July 6, 2016. Carleton was born in Wisconsin and moved to the area when he retired from Blue Cross. He is a

member of Incarnation Lutheran Church. Carleton is survived by his wife of 60 years, Patricia. Funeral Services for Carleton with be held on Saturday, July 9, 2016 at 11:00am at the Incarnation Lutheran Church, 9300 Spring Road. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. Interment will be later in Wisconsin. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Home Downtown Chapel, 606 SW 2nd Ave., Ocala, FL 34471 (352)622-4141. Please sign Carleton's online guestbook at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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# STOJKIC, THOMAS JOHN 'T.J.,' 78

Ocala - Thomas John 'T.J.' Stojkic, 78, of Ocala passed away June 10, 2016. Born in Chicago, IL he moved to Lakeland in 1989 and came to this area in 1995. He was a US Army Veteran, retired C.P.A and Catholic by Faith. He is survived by his loving wife of 37 years, Charlene Stojkic; children, Deborah (William) Moran of Bolingbrook, IL, Julia (Ron) Carpenter of Indianapolis, IN and Timothy Stojkic of Ooltewah, TN; sister, Dorothea Alfini, eight grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, Anthony and Dorothea Stojkic; brother, Robert Stojkic and his wife, Marilyn; and brother-in-law, Richard Alfini. Interment with Military Honors will be held at Florida National Cemetery, Friday, July 29, 2016 at 1:30PM. A Celebration of his life will follow at the Island Club at Oak Run at 4PM. In lieu of flowers the family requests that Memorial Contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funerals & Cremation 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala 236-5884. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 6 to July 9, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 10, 2016**

# ANDERSON, VINNIE, 79

Anthony - Vinnie Anderson, 79, passed away July 7, 2016 at Hospice. Born December 9, 1936 in Williamson, West Virginia to Bee and Mae Lester. She has been a Marion County resident for over 45 years. She is preceded in death by her husband, Ance Anderson; four sisters and five brothers. Vinnie is survived by her sons, J.R, Ance Jr., Joe, and John Anderson; daughters, Mary McGovern (Ronald 'Tiny'), Betty Anderson; sister, Pauline; nine grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren. Funeral Service will be 2:00 p.m., Sunday, July 10, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with Rev. Samuel Clements officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow in Anthony Cemetery, Anthony, Florida.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 11, 2016**

# ANTHONY, DAVID RUSSELL, 50

Ocala - David Russell Anthony, 50, passed away on Friday, July 08, 2016 after a long illness. He was born at MRMC in Ocala, Florida to Charles R. and Frances C of Ocala. David lived and managed service stations in Arcadia, FL for many years before returning to Ocala to live and work until his death. He was a devoted Gator fan and enjoyed NASCAR and cars. In addition to his parents, David is survived by daughters, Megan and

Danielle of Arcadia; brothers, Chuck and Robert (Mary) of Ocala: and sister, Eve (Ron) of Tallahassee, FL; nieces, nephews, aunts, uncle, cousins and other relatives in Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, Tennessee, and Alabama along with many friends in Arcadia and Ocala who will forever miss him. David was the grandson of the late Hugh and Kate Anthony of Sasser Georgia; and the late Francis and Leona Chambliss of Albany, Georgia and the late K.W. and Evelyn S. Haines of Dawson, Georgia. In obedience to David's wishes, there will be no visitation and a private graveside services will be held at a later date. Burial will take place at Highland Memorial Park in Ocala. A celebration of his life will be held at a family reunion in July at a Georgia campground. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34 Ave. Ocala, FL 34474 or to Shands Cancer Center PO Box 10083, Gainesville, FL 32610. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470

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### **CORNELL, MELVINA B., 80**

Ocala - Melvina B. Cornell, 'Vinnie', 80, Was taken home by God on June 27, 2016. She was born in Providence, RI on January 13, 1936 to the Late John and Stella Martin. She was believed to be the first licensed, female painting contractor in Marion County. Some of her favorite memories were of her time spent as a Nursing Home Supervisor. She truly cherished her pooch, Sam-E. She is survived by her companion of 20 years, Robert A. Vandal; her children, Roberta, Steven (Shari), Frankie Lynn (Keith), Barbara Ann (Steph), Michael J.; sisters, Ruth Ann, Mary (Manny); brother, Peter; nephew, Steven (Will). She loved her children from another mother, Sharon (Steve), Laura (Tim), Richard, Robert Jr., and Donna. She had 15 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. Melvina was preceded in death by brothers, John and David. Memorial will be held at Abundant Life Fellowship Church (352) 237-5011, 10345 SW 27TH Ave. on July 17, 2016 2:00 pm: Refreshments to Follow at Grandson's home a half Block South of the church. In Lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Alzheimer's Research Foundation in her memory.

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### **GRICE, DAVID SCOTT, 43**

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# JACOB, WILLIAM P., 88

Ocala - Mr. William P. Jacob, 88, passed away in Ocala, FL on July 6, 2016. He was a retired supervisor for Eastern Airlines. He moved to this area in 1989 from Atlanta. William was a loving husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. William is survived by his loving wife, Mary, of 19 years; two sons, William J. Jacob and wife, Judith, of Louisville, KY and Edward Jacob and wife, Vicki, of Kennesaw, GA; two daughters, Susan Butera and husband, Vincent of Lawrenceville, GA and Barbara Corcoran and husband, Thomas of Ronkonkoma, NY; nine grandchildren, William, Joshua, Gregory, Jeffery, Robert, Thomas, Stephanie, Kimberly and Katie; also six great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to the Alzheimer's Association 378 Center Pointe Cr. Ste. 1280 Altamonte Springs, FL 32701. A gathering of friends will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel 6241 SW SR 200 Ocala, FL on Tuesday July 12th from 4-6PM. A Funeral Mass will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church on Wednesday July 13th at 8:30AM. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com.

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### JOHNSON, JAMES A., 81

Ocala- James A. Johnson, 81, passed away July 7, 2016, at ORMC. Born May 28, 1935, in Chattanooga, TN to James Alvin Johnson and Mildred Dulin Johnson. He moved to South Florida at the age of 22 and then relocated to Marion County in 1970. He enjoyed fishing, gardening, and his morning coffee friends at McDonald's. He was a member of Oakcrest Baptist Church. He was a plant manager for Spicer Industries. He is survived by his beloved wife of 37 years, Eva O'Berry Johnson; sons, James 'Buddy' A. Johnson, III and Fred Nelson, Jr. (Katherine); daughters, Jimmie Lee Johnson (Mark), Lela Prine (Lee), and Brenda Pizzulo; brother, Robert 'Bobby' Johnson (Jessie); sister, Jeanie Wormsley (Jerry); 10 grandchildren, and seven great grandchildren. Funeral service will be 7:00 p.m., Monday, July 11, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL with Rev. Ted Burrell officiating. Visitation will be one hour prior.

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# LANZILLOTTI, LINDA M.

Belleview - Linda M. Lanzillotti, passed away July 3, 2016 after a long illness. She was born in Worcester, MA, daughter of Victor Marotta and Jean Turner. She went to school in Worcester, MA and moved to FL in 1995. She survived by her beloved husband of 32 years, Leonard Lanzillotti; son, Leonard Lanzillotti, Jr; grandson, Jayden Lanzillotti in Georgia; stepfather, Al Bisson; and brother, Richard Turner in Worcester, MA; father-inlaw, Anthony Lanzillotti and many other family members. She was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview, FL where a memorial mass at a later date. Family recommends memorials be given to Hospice of Marion County, Ocala, FL Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Belleview. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 10 to July 11, 2016

# POLLARD, MARIAN JUNE, 92

Marian June Pollard left this life on June 19, she was 92 years old and would have celebrated her 93rd birthday on June 24. She was a remarkable woman who was loved by so many. She was preceded in death by her husband of 70 years, Stephen Leroy Pollard in 2014. She has resided in Brookdale Pine Castle assisted living facility in Ocala, FL, near her daughter Cynthia since the loss of her husband. At her residence she had many friends, was on the resident council, loved by the staff and known as a crackerjack Bridge player. She is survived by her daughter Melinda and husband Tony Spitek of Minden, NV. Also her daughter Cynthia and husband Greg Rose who have watched over her in Ocala for several years. She had three grandchildren: Michael and wife Yvonne Spitek, Kevin and wife Laurie Stricker, Sarah and husband Ashwin Ranganathan. Marian enjoyed four great grandchildren: Cait Spitek, Noah and Brayden Stricker and Jai Ranganathan. A Celebration of Life was held Saturday, June 25 at Brookdale in Ocala, FL.

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# No Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 12, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 13, 2016**

# MOORE, YVONNE L.

Morriston - Yvonne L. Moore, passed away on July 4, 2016 Funeral services will be held on Thursday, July 14, 2016 at 11:00am at Shiloh S.D.A. Church, 500 S.W. 17th Avenue, Ocala, Florida. Pastor Curtis Crider will be conducting the words of comfort. Family and friends are asked to meet at Shiloh S.D.A. Church to form the funeral cortege. Viewing will be held at the church from 10am til time of services. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 12 to July 13, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 14, 2016**

# **BROOKE III, EDWIN DAVID, 44**

Ocala - Edwin David Brooke, 44, Doylestown, P.A., died suddenly in the early morning, Saturday, July 2, 2016 in Doylestown, P.A. David was born March 17, 1972, in Beaufort, S.C. and was a longtime resident of Ocala, FL., and Bedford Hills, N.Y. He was a graduate from Forest High School, and received his Associate Degree in Nursing from Central Florida Community College before going on to complete his Bachelors of Science Degree in Nursing at University of Central Florida. He worked as a Registered Nurse at several of the local and surrounding hospitals in Ocala. He also worked at Putnam Hospital Center and New York Presbyterian-Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center in NYC. In 2013, he moved to Doylestown, P.A., where he became Vice President of a software company. David was regarded by family and friends as a caring, capable, loving, and intelligent man. He was most passionate about the well-being of others, technology and the outdoors. Known for his meticulous nature, David loved any gadget made by Apple, cabernet wines, baked goods, strong coffee, music at full volume, hiking, The Philadelphia Eagles, and his pet cat. He is survived by his girlfriend and the love of his life, Kelly Stratton, Doylestown, P.A.; his mother and step father, Pat and Randy Gwaltney, Oxford; his two sisters, Marsha Brooke, Ocala; Pam Brooke Romero and husband, Tom Romero, Palm Coast, FL; three nephews, Christopher Brooke, Bedford Hills, N.Y., Jake Lorenzen, Palm Coast, Zack Brooke, Ocala; one niece, Brooke Lorenzen, Palm Coast, his paternal grandmother, Dorothy Lamberton; numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. He is preceded in death by his father, Edwin David Brooke, Jr.; and his grandparents, Edwin David Brooke, Sr., J.P. Caruthers and Melba Caruthers. A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m., Saturday, July 16, 2016 at the First Baptist Church in Oxford, Florida. Flowers can be sent to the First Baptist Church, 4060 CR 108, Oxford, FL., or in lieu of flowers you may send donations to Hospice Care of Westchester, ATTN: Development, 540 White Plains Road Suite#300, Tarrytown, NY 10591-5156.

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### **BURNETT, JOHN A., 73**

Orange City - John A. Burnett, 73, of Orange City, passed away peacefully at home on July 10, 2016 with his family by his side. A native of Flemington, Florida, Mr. Burnett grew up in the Ocala area, graduating from Ocala High School. He went on to serve in the US Army National Guard and worked 22 years at Publix Supermarkets. After leaving Publix, John went into the insurance business, retiring after 25 years with GuideOne Insurance as the Sales Director for NC, SC, VA, and DC. He was as a member of Stetson Baptist Church in DeLand and a Rotary Paul Harris Fellow. John leaves behind to cherish his memory his beloved wife of 36 years, Melissa; and his devoted daughter, Stephania and her husband, Tim Buteyn, of Lockport, II; sisters, Amelia (Curtis) Johnson, Betty Sue (Henry) Padgett, Shirley (Lamar) Yawn, Helen (Stanley) Williams; and brothers, Franklin (Phyllis) Burnett and Horace (Lynda) Burnett. John was preceded in death by his parents, James F. and Alice E. Burnett. His family will receive friends from 6:00 pm until 8:00 pm on Wednesday, July 13, 2016 at the Lankford Funeral Home in DeLand, and will celebrate his life with a service at 1:00 pm on Thursday, July 14, 2016 at Stetson Baptist Church in DeLand. Following the services, he will be laid to rest in the Oak Grove Cemetery in Wildwood, Florida. The family has suggested memorials to Stetson Baptist Church Imagine Fund, 1025 West Minnesota Ave., DeLand, FL 32720, or to NC Baptist Mens Disaster Relief, PO Box 1107, Cary, NC 27512. You are invited to share your memories with the family at www.lankfordfuneralhome.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 13 to July 14, 2016

### ANA MARA ADA ADAZ, 96

Dunnellon - Ana MarÃ-a DÃ-az, age 96, went to her heavenly home July 11, 2016. Her work on this earth, as God's good and faithful servant, has ended. She was born in Arroyo, Puerto Rico; the fourth child of the late Sergio DÃ-az and Margarita Taime and was preceded in death by siblings Clemencia, Sergio, Belgica and Eduardo DÃ-az. After graduating in 1942 from Bishop Willinger School of Nursing, she married AgustÃ-n

HernÃ; ndez (deceased December 10, 2005) and their marriage was blessed with three children. In 2005, she moved to Dunnellon where she was a parishioner at St. Elizabeth Ann Seaton church and resided with her daughter, Ana and son-in-law, David Leahy. Prior to her retirement, she worked at Massachusetts General Hospital, New England Medical Center and retired as nursing supervisor of Hospital Auxilio Mutuo in Hato Rey, Puerto Rico. She is survived by her daughter, Ana Leahy (née HernÃ;ndez); and sons, AgustÃ-n and Sergio HernÃ; ndez; eight grandchildren, Virginia, David Michael, Ann Marie, Victoria, Christina, Teresa, Jacqueline and Selena; ten great grandchildren, Cameron Leffler in Darien, CT., Lincoln Leahy, William and Devin Bailey, Jake, Alex and Jenna Chiasson, Addison and Cameron Brosnihan in Massachusetts and Ivan Coll in Florida; four brothers, Federico, Lucas, Victor and Woodrow DÃ-az, as well as, several nieces and nephews. The family suggests that you perform an act of random kindness in her memory. A requiem Mass will be celebrated at 10 AM on Saturday, July 16, 2016 at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, 1401 W Country Club Blvd, Citrus Springs, FL 34434. Interment will follow in Dunnellon Memorial Gardens. Arrangements under the direction of Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 13 to July 14, 2016

#### **GOUDREAU, ELEANOR GLADYS, 91**

Ocala - Eleanor Gladys Goudreau, 91, passed away peacefully at The Bridge assisted living residence in Ocala June 27, 2016. Eleanor was a retired mortgage processing specialist. She was born January 3, 1925 in Bridgeport, CT to her parents Arnold James and Hazel Sabina (Morgan) Waite. Eleanor was a longtime resident of Stratford, CT until 1968 when she and her husband, Norman, relocated to Pompano Beach. In 1987, she and Norman retired and moved to On Top of the World. Eleanor was preceded in death by her husband of 48 years, Norman Edward Goudreau; her daughter, Nancy Ellen Owens; and her sister, Marion Davin. She is survived by her son, Robert Edward Goudreau; and her granddaughters, Lisa Michelle Robichaud and Cindy Ellen (Anthony) Combs. Also surviving her are great granddaughters, Quincy Lena and Emerson Grace Combs. Service will be held from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., Thursday, July 14, 2016 at Roberts Funeral Home, 6241 SW Highway 200, Ocala, FL 34476. Interment will follow the next day at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida. Please sign Eleanor's online guestbook at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com. In lieu of flowers, donations can be sent to the animal shelter of your choice.

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#### HARPLE, NANCY ATLEE LANE, 85

Ocala - Ms. Nancy Atlee Lane Harple, 85, passed away on July 11, 2016 in Ocala, FL. Nancy was a retired teacher. She was a member of Zeta Tau Alpha Fraternity, Countryside Presbyterian Church in Ocala, and the American As-sociation of University Women. She moved to this area in 2006 from Gainesville, FL. Nancy is survived by two sons, Bruce Harple and wife, Lori, of Charleston, SC; Craig Harple and wife, Debbie, of Cumming, GA; two daughters, Linda Bowman and husband, Ron, of Cumming, GA; Beth Harple of Boca Raton, FL; two nieces, Courtney Lane of Bos-ton, MA; Debbie Neeld of Lansdale, PA; five grandchil-dren, Bryson Harple, Chad Harple, Travis Harple, Ashley Bowman and Anna Bowman. A memorial service will take place at the Countryside Presbyterian Church 7768 SW SR 200 in Ocala on Friday July 15, 2016 at 3PM. The family requests in lieu of flowers send donations to the church. Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel made the arrange-ments. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com.

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### ACEVEDO, VICTOR, 85

Dunnellon - Victor Acevedo, 85, passed away on Monday July 11, 2016 after a long illness. A native of Brooklyn NY, he moved to Rainbow Springs with his wife of 26 years, Sharon, where they built their home and have resided for the past 20 years. Victor was a devoted family man and very much enjoyed spending time outdoors with his family and his dogs. He loved working in his garden and with his bonsai trees. Victor is survived by his daughter, Rosemarie and son, Victor Jr.; granddaughters, Marie and Megan; and great-grandson, Ephraim. He is also survived by his brother, William; and sisters, Nettie and Connie; numerous nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews. Services will be held at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon on Saturday July 16, 2016 at 2pm. Interment will be in Long Island, NY. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 14 to July 15, 2016

### **BRIDGEFORTH, JR., CLARENCE, 44**

Ocala - Clarence Edward Bridgeforth, Jr., passed away on July 5, 2016. Clarence was born in Boston, MA. He received his formal education in Bridgeport, CT. He was employed as a Welder at Dixie Metal Products. Public visitation will be Friday, July 15, 2016 from 12:00 p.m. to 6 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home. Funeral service will be held on Saturday, July 16, 2016, 11:00 a.m. at New St. John Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. T. L. Brooks, Pastor. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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# HAGINS, JEFFREY ANTOINE, 45

Ocala - Jeffery Antione Hagins, 45, passed away on July 11, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories mother, Pamela E. Turner; father, James A. Hagins, Sr.; children; Jerall Townsend, Elijah Hagins, Malchi Hagins, Zaiden Hagins, and Je'Marri Hagins; siblings James A. Hagins, Jr., Belton Hagins, Jr., Valerie Mount, Kathy Brown, Melissa Hazen, Tiffany Chappell, Sharlene Mosley, and Darlene Hagins; maternal grandmother, Verona Blunt Brown; and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 16, 2016 at 1:30 p.m. at New St. John Baptist Church. Visitation will be Friday, July 15, 2016 at Snows Funeral Ministry from 10:30a.m. - 5:00p.m. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 14 to July 15, 2016

### JONES, LEROY 'DERRELL,' 80

Ocala - Leroy 'Derrell' Jones, age 80, of Ocala, FL passed away on Tuesday, July 12,

2016 under the care of Hospice of Marion County at the Brandley Hospice House, Summerfield, FL. He was the husband of Carol M. Jones for 56 years. Born in Floral City, FL he was the son of the late Leroy and Leah Jones. He was a Veteran of the US Air Force. He spent 40 years as a self-employed Land Developer and Custom Home Contractor. He and Carol moved to Ocala in 1970 from Fernandina Beach, FL. He enjoyed traveling, woodworking, fishing and the Florida Gators. He will be deeply missed by his wife, Carol; and sons, Keith Andrew Jones and his wife, Jill, of Atlanta, GA and Scott Gregory Jones and his wife, Julie, of Ocala, FL; and daughter, Vicki Marie Ray and her husband, Kevin, of Ocala, FL. He has eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Derrell was preceded in death by his sister, Ramona. A visitation will be held on Saturday, July 16, 2016, from 1:30 PM to 2:00 PM at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, FL 34471 followed by a funeral service at 2:00 PM with the Reverend Stephen Shives officiating followed by entombment at the Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Hiers-Baxley.com

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### MILLS, SR., MAGER

Ocala - Mager Mills, Sr., passed away on July 7, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories children, Mager Mills, Jr., Maurice Mills, and Natasha Mills; a host of grandchildren; brothers, Rev. Willie Mills, Sylvester Mills, John Mills, Tases Mills, Elbert Mills Norris Mills, Edward Mills, and Vaughn Mills; sisters, Ann Hutchinson, Josephine Mills, Berthenia Bank, Joyce Heflin, and Cathy Hawkins; a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 16, 2016 at 3:00p.m. at Shady Grove Baptist Church. Visitation will be held Friday, July 15, 2016 from 10:30a.m.-5:00p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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### **MORRIS, ALBERT, 54**

Ocala - Albert Morris, 54, passed away on July 4, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories sons, Antonio Morris and David Morris; two grandchildren; mother, Ernestine Morris; siblings Raymond Morris, Norman E. Morris, and Lee Timmons; and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 16, 2016 at 11:00a.m. at Union Missionary Baptist Church. Professional Services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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### **ROLENCE, ROBERT EMIL, 97**

Ocala - Robert Emil Rolence, age 97, of Harbor Chase, Jacksonville, FL, passed away peacefully on July 7, 2016. Robert was born in Berwyn, Illinois to Emil Rolenec and Anna Chomat Rolenec. Robert graduated from Morton Jr. College and received a business degree in 1938. He married Geraldine Grodski on January 11, 1958. Robert was an Honorably Discharged World War II veteran of the Asiatic/Pacific Campaign and earned the rank of Staff Sgt. After the war; he started a silk screening printing business - Artcraft Nameplate. Robert was a lifelong member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) who enjoyed music, boating, fishing and was active in social clubs. He played saxophone and clarinet, playing in several bands as well as performing for military

personnel during the World War II. Robert was an active member of the Eagles and Elks organizations. He is survived by his daughters, Raphael (Rae) Montgomery and Regina Rustemier. Robert has four grandchildren, Joshua, Justin, Eric, and Bridget. Memorial service will be held on Saturday, 11:00 am, July 16, 2016 at Hardage-Giddens Beaches Funeral Home in Jacksonville Beach, FL. www.hardagegiddensbeacheschapel.com or www.dignitymemorial.com

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 16, 2016**

### **BURGDOFF, RAYMOND FRANK, 83**

Ocala - Raymond Frank Burgdoff, age 83, of Ocala, FL, passed away July 8, 2016 at his home under the loving care of his family and Hospice of Marion County. Raymond was born on September 1, 1932 in Clockville, NY to Orley and Jesse (Perry) Burgdoff. Raymond moved to Ocala 18 years ago from Oneida, NY. He was a retired Supervisor in the Plastics Industry and a US Army Veteran. Survived by his wife, Harriet J. Burgdoff of Ocala, FL; 13 children, Elizabeth Burton, Laurie McBride, Raymond, Jr. and his wife, Tammy Burgdoff, Stephanie Rhodes, Steven and his wife, Vlada Burgdoff, Brian and his wife, Angie Burgdoff, Michelle and her husband, Joe D'Amico, Rebecca and her husband, Bill Dowsland, Lisa and her husband, Nicolas Cortes, Amy Cummings, Rebecca Burgdoff, Keith and his wife, Denise Burgdoff and Jessica Burgdoff; two brothers, Daniel and Richard Mowers; 28 grandchildren; 21 great grandchildren; one great-great grandchild. Private cremation will take place under the direction of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL.

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### **DUKES, DARREL, 54**

Ocala - Darrel Dukes, 54, of Ocala, FL passed to heaven on Tuesday July 12, 2016. Born in Ocala, Darrel was a lifelong resident who was well known as a plumbing contractor in the local area. As a member of First Assembly of God church, Darrell was actively involved in various aspects of ministry there, including Royal Rangers, media and mission trips. He was also involved with Family Life Church and assisted there with media with intentions of deeper involvement. Darrel was an avid outdoorsman who grew up fishing, boating and hunting. Darrel is preceded in death by brother, Wayne Dukes. He is survived by his daughters, Carli and Lindsey Dukes (and expecting son); and his son, Hunter Dukes, all of Ocala. He is also survived by his sisters, Terri Trantham and Debbie Adams; and brothers, Hodges and Donald Dukes, all of who also reside in Ocala, along with several nieces, nephews and cousins. The family will be having a celebration of life service at First Assembly of God Church in Ocala, located at 1827 NE 14th Street on Sunday, July 17, 2016 at 2:00 pm. The viewing will be for one hour prior to the service at the church. Committal services will be private at a later date. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala FL 352-629-7171

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# HARPLE, NANCY ATLEE LANE, 85

Ocala - Ms. Nancy Atlee Lane Harple, 85, passed away on July 11, 2016 in Ocala, FL.

Nancy was a retired teacher. She was a member of Zeta Tau Alpha Fraternity, Countryside Presbyterian Church in Ocala, and the American Association of University Women. She moved to this area in 2006 from Gainesville, FL. Nancy is survived by two sons, Bruce Harple and wife, Lori, of Charleston, SC; Craig Harple and wife, Debbie, of Cumming, GA; two daughters, Linda Bowman and husband, Ron, of Cumming, GA; Beth Harple of Boca Raton, FL; two nieces, Courtney Lane of Boston, MA; Debbie Neeld of Lansdale, PA; five grandchildren, Bryson Harple, Chad Harple, Travis Harple, Ashley Bowman and Anna Bowman. A memorial service will take place at the Countryside Presbyterian Church 7768 SW SR 200 in Ocala on Friday July 15, 2016 at 3PM. The family requests in lieu of flowers send donations to the church. Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel made the arrangements. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com.

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### WARD, LOIS, 68

Ocala - Lois Lawton Ward, passed away on July 10, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memory sisters, Laura Mae Lawton, Mary McElrath and Lillian (Theodore) Dean; brother, Tommy (Alma) Lawton; and a host of cousins, nieces and nephews. Public visitation will be Friday, July 15, 2016 from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at Summers Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, July 16, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. at Antioch Missionary Baptist Church, 2350 NE 140th Street, Citra, FL, Rev. Winston Dawson, Pastor. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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# WHITE, BENNIE CHARLES, 69

Dunnellon - Mr. Bennie White, Age 69, transition on July 05, 2016 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. He served in the United Stated Military (Army) for seven years. Mr. White was educated in the Marion County School system and attended CFCC. He worked with the newspaper as a copy editor. Mr. White was a member of ST. Joseph's AME church in Sparr, Florida. He leaves to cherish his precious memories one daughter, Kimberly White; granddaughter, Kai Henry; sisters, Barbra Gross, Shirley Small; brothers, Lenon White, Sr., Ivory White. Funeral services for Mr. Bennie White will be held 10:00AM, Wednesday, July 20, 2016 at ST. Joseph's AME Church, Sparr, FL. Rev. Pamela Bivens, Pastor. Rev. Carl Gadson, Eulogist. Professional arrangements are entrusted to Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home.

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# **BAUGH, DALE RICHARD, 84**

Dale Richard Baugh, 84, passed away on July 10, 2016 at his home in Salt Springs, Fl. He was born in Beach Haven, NJ on May 4, 1932. He had a construction company there and was a volunteer fireman. He retired eight years ago as a Martin County School Bus driver for Special Children, a job he loved and that he hated to leave because he loved the

children. He always had a smile and was polite and nice to everyone. He treated everyone like he would want to be treated. He left a shining example for his family to follow. He will be greatly missed. He is survived by his wife, Ida Rea Baugh; three daughters, Marilyn (Hap), Terry (Jan), Sherri (David); son Robert; nine grandchildren, Jaime (Reggie), Glenn, Keala, Jessica (Bill), Nathan, Justin (Courtney), Derrek, Bethany, Jordan; great granddaughter, Kendall Jade; and adopted by love, Bailey Pinder and Shannon Harvey. Anyone wishing to honor Dale can do so by making a donation to his 'Walk to End Alzheimer's' page that he supported every year. Http://act.Alz.org/goto/DaleBaugh. A Celebration of life will be held today at Salt Springs Baptist Church at 2:30 p.m. With Pastor Eric Gervais officiating.

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# COLE, BARBARA JEAN, 55

Barbara Jean Cole, 55, of Ocala passed away July 6, 2016. Born in Hialeah, FL she has resided in this area since 1975. Barbara is survived by her daughter, Misty Maynard; mother, Mary E. Gaskin; father, William Cole; siblings, Andrew C. Thompson, Dennis L. Gaskin and Valerie Gaskin. A Celebration of Barbara's Life was held Friday, July 15th. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funerals and Cremation 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala 236-5884.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 18, 2016**

### **CHILTON, JACK EDWIN, 75**

Ocala - Jack Edwin Chilton, born in Middletown, OH on April 26, 1941; died in Ocala, FL on July 6, 2016. Jack 'Mud Duck' enjoyed telling stories, and sharing a laugh with friends and family. He was a drummer with a band in Bradenton, FL. His musical talent extended to many musical instruments. He is survived by his high school sweetheart/wife of 56 years, Dale A. Chilton of Ocala, FL; children, Debra Ann Keiper, Roger Milo Chilton, and Victoria Lynn Shutt; grandchildren, Tiffany Marie, Marc Eric, Cameron Allen, Garrett Milo, and Alexis Leanne; great grandchildren, Camryn Myles, and Ruby Lynn; sister, Donna Jean Snyder; brother, Jerome Lee Chilton. Family recommends memorial be sent to Hospice of Marion County. Memorial service will be held at Countryside Baptist Church on Friday, July 22, 2016 1:00 PM. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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### FAUBERT, LINDA ISRAEL

Ocala - Linda Israel Faubert 1949 - 2016, originally of Ridgetown, Ontario, passed in peace July 13, 2016 from ICU, MRMC, Ocala, FL; which was her home for 11 years; in full assurance by her faith in her Savior Christ Jesus. An RN for 45 years, graduate of Metropolitan Hospital, Windsor, Ontario. She was the beloved wife of 45 years to William 'Will' Faubert of Windsor, Ontario. She is survived by her family in Chatham, Ontario area. She will be buried in the family plot in Ridgetown, Ontario, Canada. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge.

Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 17 to July 18, 2016

# FELTY, OPAL, 92

Ocala - A Memorial Service for Opal Felty, 92, a resident of Pine Run, Ocala will be held at 2:00 PM, Tuesday, July 19, 2016 at Robert's Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon, FL. Mrs. Felty passed away Wednesday, June 22, 2016 at Legacy House, Hospice of Marion County. She was married to James B. Felty and he preceded her in death on April 14, 2013. They were married for 57 years. She is survived by her two children, Bill Jones of Pittsburgh, PA, Judy Williams, Bowling Green, KY; and three grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Expressions of sympathy can be expressed online at robertsofdunnellon.com

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# **GREENE, WEBSTER CARL, 76**

Silver Springs - Webster Carl Greene, 76, of Silver Springs, passed away on July 11, 2016 at his home. Born in West Chester, PA, he came to this area in 2001 from Delaware. Mr. Green was a US Navy Veteran and served on the USS Blandy DD-943 just off the Cuban coast during the Cuban Missile Crisis. He was a retired manager and service writer for an Oldsmobile dealership, was Catholic by faith and was a 4th Degree Knight in the Knights of Columbus. He is survived by his wife of 52 years, Margaret Greene; sister-in-law, Marguerite White of Ocala; and several nieces and nephews. A Memorial Mass will be held at a later date. A condolence message may be left at www.baldwincremation.com. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funerals & Cremation of Ocala.

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# GUETSCHOW, TERILYN F. (WICK), 69

Ocala - Terilyn F. Guetschow (Wick), age 69, passed away peacefully on July 10, 2016 in Ocala, FL after a long illness. She loved living in Florida since 2009. She is survived by son, D. Michael (Lynda) Cross; mother, Helen M. Wick; sister, Bonnie Pennington (Wick); brother, Bradley (Theresa) T. Wick; granddaughters, Kaedyn Cross and Sophia Cross; nephew and nieces, Jason and Stephen Pennington, Zachary and Apple Wick. She grew up in Grand Rapids, MI and spent most of her adult life in Michigan. Teri loved animals and was an avid supporter of the Humane Society. The family requests donation be made to your local Humane Society in her memory in lieu of flowers and memorial services. This was her final wish. Her winning smile and warmth will be sorely missed by her family. Arrangements entrusted with HEIRS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.heirs-baxley.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 17 to July 18, 2016

# KRIM, FRED J., 95

Fred J. Krim, 95, passed away on July 14, 2016. He was born in Boston, Massachusetts on January 20, 1921. During World War II, he served three and a half years in the Naval Air Corps seeing duty in the European Theatre. After leaving the service he attended the University of Florida where he completed his undergraduate work and received his LLB

Degree in 1951. Upon graduation from law school he joined the staff of United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., managing that firm's district office in Gainesville for six years. He resigned that position to move to Ocala and join the Savage & Mills law firm. The firm is currently known as Savage, Krim and Simons. He is preceded in death by his beloved wife, Gwendolyn Krim. He is survived by a brother, Harry Krim (Alice). He leaves a daughter, Nancy Pasteur and husband, Chris; son, Joe Krim and wife Holly. He is also survived by loving grandchildren Matthew Pasteur (Kristin), Adam Pasteur, Gwen Pasteur, Jacob Krim (Annie), Kaley Taccetta (Vincent) and three great grandchildren Michael, Gracie, and Eli. The funeral service will be held at 11:30 a.m. on July 21, 2016 at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church. There will be a reception immediately following at the Knights of Columbus Hall located next to the church. The family has requested that in lieu of flowers, friends and family send donations to Kenny's Place of Marion County. Donations can be sent to Kenny's Place of Marion County, care of J. Wiechens, 8064 SE 15th Ct, Ocala, 34480. Arrangements under the care of Roberts Funeral Home 606 SW 2nd Ave Ocala, FL 34471, (352) 622-4141. Please sign Fred's online guestbook at www. robertsfuneralhomes.com

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### ZERRILLA, MABEL M., 88

Ocala - Mrs. Mabel M. Zerrilla, 88, passed away peacefully on July 11, 2016 at Legacy House in Ocala, FL. She was born in Ossining, NY on April 14, 1928. Mabel was a homemaker. Mabel is preceded in death by her husband, Thomas, of 52 years in 2001; and son, Thomas in 2009. She is survived by two daughters, Marilyn (Tom) Purcell of Florida and Anne (Fred) Stoppelkamp of North Carolina; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. A private burial service will be held in New York at a future time designated by the family. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Marion County Hospice. Roberts Funeral Homes (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 19, 2016**

### **BARRETT, MAXINE, 92**

Ocala - Maxine Barrett, 92, passed away on July 16, 2016 at the Estelle's House of Hospice of Marion County. She was born on January 16, 1924 in Hartford, Alabama, and was a long time resident of Ocala, Florida. She retired from Belk's Department Store of Ocala after 23 years of service. She enjoyed sewing, crafting, and tending to her variety of flowers and plants. She was a member of Northside Missionary Baptist Church. Maxine is survived by her son, Gary Barrett (Debbie), Ocala; three granddaughters, Joella Treiber (Todd), Ocala; Melissa Welborn (Josh), Flowery Branch, Georgia; and Elizabeth Barrett, Ocala; one great-granddaughter, Alex Treiber; two sisters, Maudrine Barrett, Hartford, Alabama, and Jeanette Williams, Devine, Texas; daughter-in-law, Marlene Barrett, Ocala; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Nelson Barrett; her son, Lloyd Rudolph Barrett; 3 sisters and 3 brothers. A graveside service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on July 19, 2016 at Highland Memorial Park. Funeral arrangements handled by Countryside Funeral Home in Anthony, Florida. In lieu

of flowers, the family requests a donation be made to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34474. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 18 to July 19, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 20, 2016**

### CARR, BRENDA JEAN, 54

Brenda Jean Carr, 54, of Ocala, passed away Thursday, July 14, 2016. She was born May 14, 1962. She enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren, crafting, crocheting and Scrabble. She is survived by her son, Todd Carr of Ocala, daughters, Michelle Collins and Renee Johnson, both of Ocala, sister, Tina Carpenter of NC and five grandchildren, Chase Collins, Cruz Collins, Caleb Johnson, Emma Johnson and Brody Johnson. She was preceded in death by her husband, Randy Carr, father, Vernon Ostrander, mother, Alice Colegrove Ostrander, and brothers, Vernon Ostrander, Jr. and Bryan Ostrander. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 19 to July 20, 2016

### MacDONALD, PAUL FRASER, 71

Paul Fraser MacDonald, 71, of Ocala, passed away peacefully at home on Thursday, July 14, 2016. He was born October 8, 1944 in Windsor, Nova Scotia. He retired from Federal Paper Board in 1997 and moved to Ocala in 2007 from Preston, CT. He enjoyed wood turning. He is survived by his wife, Gail MacDonald, daughters, Susan Conde of Baltic, CT, and Lisa Lee-Walker of Preston, CT, mother, Mabel E. MacDonald of AL, brother, Donald MacDonald of AL, five grandchildren and two great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his father, James Munro MacDonald. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 19 to July 20, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 21, 2016**

### **BRANSON, JUDY, 77**

Ocala - Mrs. Judy S. Branson, 77, of Ocala, passed away peacefully Monday, July 18, 2016, at Sylvia's Hospice House. A native of San Diego, she moved to this area 10 years ago, coming here from Columbia, Illinois. Mrs. Branson was a retired Registered Nurse, where she specialized in oncology for over twenty years. In addition to her career in medicine, her 'other career' was as that of the wife of a Baptist minister, where she tended to countless families and individuals over the years. In every role, Judy was a beacon of bright enthusiasm and a bearer of genuinely unconditional kindness. Survivors include her husband of 58 years, Rev. Don Branson; her daughter, Denise Walsh (Michael); her son, Rusty Branson (Page); and her three grandsons, Matt Cook, Tucker Branson, and Sawyer Branson. A memorial service will be held for Mrs. Branson at 2 PM Friday, July 22, 2016, at College Road Baptist Church, 5010 SW Hwy 200, Ocala, with Rev. Alan Cotney officiating. Arrangements entrusted to Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to the College of Central Florida Foundation, Judy Branson Nursing Scholarship, 3001 SW College Road, Ocala, FL 34474. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 20 to July 21, 2016

#### PALOMBO, SR., CARMINE MARINO, 86

Ocala - Carmine Marino Palombo, Sr. age 86, of Ocala, FL, passed away July 17, 2016 at the Health South Rehabilitation Center in Ocala, FL. Carmine was born on October 22, 1929 in Ossining, NY to Angelo and Mary (Fucci) Palombo. He moved to Florida in 1992 from New York and to Ocala 20 years ago from Spring Hill, FL. Carmine was a retired State Trooper for the State of New York, he was a Harness Horse Trainer and a U.S. Navy Veteran. In addition to his parents, Carmine was preceded in death by his son, Joseph Patrick Palombo; daughter in law, Jacquline Palombo; grandsons, Anthony Joseph Palombo, Robert Michael Palombo and Nicholas Palombo; his brother, Albert Palombo; his sister, Margaret Giordano. Survived by his wife of 64 years, Marie S. Palombo of Ocala, FL; four children, Carmine M. Palombo, Jr of Clinton Corners, NY, Angelo M. Palombo of Ocala, FL, Robert W. Palombo of Brooklyn, NY and JoAnn M. Rosario of Highland, NY; one sister, Lucy Petruzzi of Ossining, NY; one brother, David Palombo of Ossining, NY; five grandchildren. Private cremation will take place under the direction of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL. Mass will be offered at 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, July 20, 2016 at the Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Ocala, FL. Burial will follow at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 20 to July 21, 2016

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### **RAILEY, MARY LOUISE 'BUNNY', 86**

Silver Springs- Mary Louise 'Bunny' Railey, 86, of Silver Springs, FL, passed away Wednesday, July 13, 2016. She was born March 25, 1930 in Wolfdale, PA. She was an office manager for a fabrication business. Mrs. Railey was a journalist for The Highlander Newspaper in Highlands, NC and the President of The Scaly Mountain Women's Club in NC. She was also a Girl Scout Leader in Brandon, FL. She is survived by her daughters, Mary Jean Railey of Silver Springs, and Donna Marie Harper (Bill) of Valrico, FL, brother, David McClelland (Lorraine) of Tampa, FL, former son-in-law, Don Hawkins (Jodi) of Ocala, three grandchildren, Deena Hawkins Fiorello (Tim), Dustin Hawkins (Dana), Danielle Hawkins Liles (Corey), all of Ocala, and seven great grandchildren, Katelyn, Corbin, Brody, Railey, Lainey, Addison, and Channing. She was preceded in death by her husband, Donn Railey. A Memorial Service will be held at First Baptist Church of Brandon, FL on Saturday, July 23, 2016 at 2pm. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860 Ocala, FL 34478. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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### SKINNER, JUSTIN 'BRODY,' 19

Reddick - Justin 'Brody' Skinner, 19, of Reddick, FL passed away July 16, 2016. Born in Valdosta, GA he came to this area nine years ago from Alabama. He was a handyman and a member of the Church of Grace. Brody will be remembered as intelligent and fun loving. Everyone who knew him loved him. He is survived by his mother, Annette Walters; and stepfather, Dale Cyr; siblings, Steven Tyler Russell, Rayven Annette Russell, Travis Skinner, Eric Skinner, Malcolm Cyr, Dale 'T.D.' Cyr and Crystal Cyr; grandfather, Bob Heath; and grandparents, James and Denise Manforte; and his dog, Rose. He was preceded in death by his father, Raymond Larry Skinner. A Celebration of Brody's Life will be held at Church of Grace, 7076 SE 110th Street Road, Belleview, FL

34420 470-1672 on Saturday, July 23, 2016 at 11AM. The family will receive friends at the church from 10-11AM. A condolence message may be left at www.baldwincremation.com Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funerals & Cremation 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala 236-5884.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 22, 2016**

# **BARKSDALE, JOHN FRANKLIN, 80**

Ocala - John Franklin Barksdale, 80, passed away on Tuesday, July 19, 2016 after a courageous battle with prostate cancer. John was born in Ocala, Florida, December 20, 1935 to Virgil Leondrus Barksdale and Elizabeth Smith Barksdale. He graduated from Ocala High School. He attended South Georgia College, where he played football and attended Georgia State University. He proudly served his country as a member of the U. S. Air Force, serving for four years. He was a longtime resident of Talladega, AL. He retired and moved to Marietta, Georgia, after meeting and marrying his wife, Joanne Harding Barksdale. In Talladega, he made his career as a new car dealer at Cooley Motor Company. He served on the Talladega Airport Board for 24 years. He was president of the Talladega Kiwanis Club and Talladega Junior Chamber of Commerce. In Marietta, John was a member of First Baptist Church Roswell where he and Joanne were very involved in their Sunday School class and he also served as President and Treasurer of the class. Preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Virgil Hulon Barksdale; and his sister, Margaret Barksdale Banks. John and Joanne brought together two families and is survived by his wife, Joanne; and their seven children and nine grandchildren. Northside Chapel in Roswell, Georgia will be handling the service.

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# HENRY, ROBERT

Ocala - Robert Henry formerly a resident of the On Top of the World Community will be laid to rest on Monday, July 25, 2016 at 2 p.m. at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL where he will receive military honors. Friends and family are invited to attend.

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# **KENDRICK, JULIA BELL, 84**

Ocala - Julia Bell Kendrick, 84, Passed away on July 11, 2016. Funeral service will be held Thursday, July 21, 2015 at 12:00pm at Greater New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Tonya Hanks Pastor Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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# MURRAY, RUBY E., 91

Ocala - Ruby E. Murray of Ocala passed away on July 14, 2016. She was born in London, England on October 1, 1924. Ruby retired from New York Telephone Company. She is preceded in death by her husband, Harry; and brother, Basil Bristow. Ruby will be interred in Upstate New York.

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### **RAMSEY-DAWSON, OLA DEAN, 95**

Ocala - Ola Dean Ramsey-Dawson, 95, passed away on July 17, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories daughters, Mary D. Johnson and Shirley A. Dawson; 12 grandchildren; 31 great grandchildren; two great-great grandchildren; sisters, Voncille Ramsey Cassell, Mary Vivian Ramsey Woodruff, Loraine Ramsey, Geneva Hall; brothers, Charles Ramsey, Bernard Ramsey, and Rev. Jose Ramsey, a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 23, 2016 at 11:00a.m. at Clearwater Missionary Baptist Church. Viewing will be held Thursday, July 21, 2016 from 6pm-8pm at Clearwater Missionary Baptist Church. Visitation will be Friday, July 22, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10:30am-5:00pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 21 to July 22, 2016

### SHEDLOCK, GEORGE JOHN

Ocala - George John Shedlock, born in Woodbridge, NJ on July 5, 1929; died in Ocala, FL on July 19, 2016. He was preceded in death by his parents, Andrew and Betty Bartfai Shedlock; and sister, Betty Sieverts. He leaves behind his wife of 62 years, Catherine 'Kitty' Shedlock; sons, George (Betty) Shedlock, Jr., of Louisville, KY, John (Rosemarie) Shedlock of Edison, NJ, and Dennis Shedlock of South Plainfield, NJ; grandchildren, Alex, Danielle and Dale all of New Jersey. Visitation will be Thursday, July 21st 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Funeral mass will be Friday, July 22, 2016 8:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# SMITH, RUDIE BERNARD, 51

Ocala - Rudie Bernard Smith, 51, passed away on July 16, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories children Laterica Smith, Shericka Smith, and Shauntanese Smith; six grandchildren; parents, Rudolph Smith and Gwendolyn Terry-Felix (Morris) and Johnny and Mary Welcome; siblings, Johnny Welcome Jr., Craig Terry, Yolanda Terry, Winston Seabrooks, Donte Dixon, Tiffany Burney, and Gregory Trotter, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 23, 2016 at 1:00p.m. at Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church. Viewing will be held Thursday, July 21, 2016 at Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church from 6pm-8pm. Visitation will be Friday, July 22, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10:30am-5:00pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 21 to July 22, 2016

### WEBB, JACK LYNN, 84

Ocklawaha - Jack Lynn Webb, 84, of East Lake Weir passed away on Tuesday, July 19, 2016 at his residence. Jack was a native of Jasper, Florida, his family settling in Hamilton County in 1821. He moved to Ocklawaha during high school, where his family owned and operated Webb's Restaurant for many years. After graduating from Weirsdale High School in 1949, Jack went to the University of Florida where he played football. After his

freshman year, he joined the United Stated Marine Corps and served during the Korean Conflict. After being discharged, he went back to UF and finished his degree in 1958 with a bachelor's in building construction. He worked in the building industry in Jacksonville, becoming the largest residential home builder in Duvall County during the 1970's. After retiring from the building industry, he transitioned to a successful orange grove and cattle operation. He was a member of the Belleview Masonic Lodge #95, the Scottish Rite, Moroccan Shrine Temple, and the Ocala Elks Club. During his free time he was an avid hunter and fisherman. He enjoyed hunting at his ranch in the Bull Mountains of Montana and in the Rockies, where he spent many hunting seasons with his daughters, grandson, and friends. He was preceded in death by his wife, Fredericka Boyer Webb. Survivors include his daughters, Susan Webb of Shaker Heights, OH, Elizabeth Webb (William Twyford) of Winter Haven, FL, Nancy Abshier (Edward) of East Lake Weir, FL, Esther Strockbine (William) of East Lake Weir, FL, and Lorena Caruthers, of Wildwood, FL; sister, Joanne Nelson of Pompano, FL; grandchildren, Lorena Walker, William Twyford, Jr., Jackson Abshier, Jack Twyford, Emma Twyford, Fredericka Caruthers, and Eliza Strockbine. A funeral service will be held at 10 am on Saturday, July 23, 2016 at Weirsdale Presbyterian Church. A visitation will be held from 6-8 pm on Friday, July 22, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County or Weirsdale Presbyterian Church. Online condolences may be sent at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 23, 2016**

### NOWLIN, DANIEL TRAVIS, 41

Ocala - Daniel Travis Nowlin, 41, passed away July 20, 2016, at home. Born July 3, 1975, in Ocala, FL to Donald Nowlin and Peggy Johnson Gregory. He lived in Marion County most of his life. He worked as a roofer in the construction industry. He is survived by his mother, Peggy Gregory; step-father, Milton Gregory; father, Donald Nowlin; step-mother, Tina Nowlin; sons, Justin and Ashton; daughter, Taylor; brothers, Mike, Jeffrey, Matt, and Patrick Nowlin; sister, Kathy Bryant; numerous aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and cousins. A celebration of his life will be 1:00 p.m., Sunday, July 24, 2016 at Church of Hope, Ocala, FL with Pastor Mark Cummins officiating. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 22 to July 23, 2016

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 25, 2016**

### ASQUINO, JASON J., 38

Orlando - Jason J. Asquino, 38, of Orlando, FL passed away on July 17, 2016 in Orlando. He was born on October 8, 1977 in Pittsburgh, PA. Jason was a graduate of University High School in Orlando. He was the owner of East Orlando Taxi. He enjoyed listening to music, his dog, Lola, and was a gun enthusiast. He is survived by his father, Michael Asquino Sr.; his brother, Michael Asquino Jr., and his three nieces, Emily, Rebekah, and Bethany. Jason enjoyed the company his girlfriend, Eladia Polanco and her children,

Michael Angelo and Patrice Lopez. Jason was preceded in death by his mother, Shirley Brown Asquino. A celebration of Life will be held later in the Fall. To leave condolences, please visit http://baldwincremation.com/obituaries/jason-j-asquino/. Arrangements are under the care and trust of Baldwin Brothers Funerals and Cremations, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 24 to July 25, 2016

## COVER, JOANN, 67

Ocala - JoAnn Cover, 67 of Ocala, FL passed away suddenly at her home on Monday, July 18, 2016. JoAnn was born in Detroit, MI and moved to the Ocala area 21 years ago from Michigan. She was of the Catholic Faith and a State Auxiliary Officer and member of the Fraternal Order of the Eagles, Ocala Forest Auxiliary #4216 and Ocala Auxiliary #3656. She loved going on cruises with Dan and reading. Joann is preceded in death by her son, Eric Cover She is survived by her devoted husband of 45 years, Daniel 'Dan' Cover of Ocala, FL; son, Sean Cover and wife, Marci of Toledo, OH; and two granddaughters, Victoria and Isabella. JoAnn's celebration of life service will be Sunday, July 31, 2016 at 12:00 noon at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala. All of JoAnn's friends are welcome to come and celebrate her life with the family. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL 352-629-7171 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 24 to July 25, 2016

# CURTIS, FUKUKO 'MARY,' 86

Belleview - Fukuko 'Mary' Curtis, age 86, of Belleview, Florida, passed away on Tuesday, July 19, 2016. Mary was born in Tokyo, Japan, and moved to the United States in 1957. She is survived by her son, William A. Curtis of Summerfield, FL. She is also survived by six brothers and one sister. Private family interment will take place at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, Florida, under the direction of Forest Lawn Funeral Home. Memorial donations in Mary's name may be made to the Marion County Hospice, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34474.

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# KAYSER, PAT

Patricia A. Kayser passed away on Thursday, June 23, 2016 at Ocala Regional Medical Center. Mrs. Kayser was born in Brooklyn, NY daughter of Joseph P. Tighe & Elizabeth (Treanor) Tighe. She married her beloved husband William J. Kayser 'Bill' in 1948 who was an aircraft Supervisor for Pan American Airways. They lived in Istanbul, Turkey for 8 years where their 3 children were born. They traveled the world in the Middle East, Europe, Far East and Africa. Mrs. Kayser was a volunteer advisor for the Catholic Youth Organization (C.Y.O.) in Miami and the Red Cross Swimming Instructor while living in Miami. She was a graduate of Bishop McDonnel Memorial High School in Brooklyn, NY. During WWII she worked for the U.S. Weather Bureau in Virginia and at LaGuardia Airport, NY, Arthur Murray Dance Teacher in NY and Bell Telephone Rep in Brooklyn, NY. She was a member of the American Legion Ladies Aux and Florida Sheriff Assoc. Pat's hobbies included Sailing, Swimming, tennis, roller and ice skating, sewing, jewelry making and traveling. Pat moved to Ocala in 2008 from Ormond Beach FL. Survivors include son, Terrance Kayser of Guam, daughter, Claudia Collins of Augusta, GA, Jacqueline Langhoff of Ocala, FL, 5 grandchildren and numerous great grandchildren. A

memorial Mass will be celebrated on Friday, July 29, 2016 at 11:00 AM with Father Justin as celebrant at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, 4077 NE 21 Street, Ocala, FL 34470. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the church in memory of Pat.

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# MILLER, ELLEN MARIE, 47

Summerfield - Ellen Marie Miller, 47, passed from this life Tuesday, July 19, 2016. Ellen was the Michigan bonus child born to Dorothy (Dot) and Amedeo (Army) Cerniglia. She moved from Michigan to Florida at age 13. Ellen was a graduate of Hernando High School and Pasco/Hernando Community College. She was employed by Hernando County Sheriff's Office as a crime analyst and Marion County School Board where she worked with troubled and special needs students. Ellen married John H. Miller on October 6, 1990. Their son, Jason, was born on July 26, 1994. She felt her greatest accomplishment was raising her son, Jason. She enjoyed animals. Ellen is survived by her husband, John; son, Jason; sister, Cindy Aderman; brother, Bob Cerniglia, mother-in-law, Joyce Miller; aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and father-in-law. A Gathering will be held on Tuesday, July 26, 2016 at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd., The Villages from 4 to 8 PM. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 24 to July 25, 2016

# SAUNDERS, JEANETTE VARN, 88

Pleasant Hill, CA - Jeanette Varn Saunders, 88 passed away on May 8, 2016. Jeanette was born in Jacksonville, grew up in Dade City and lived in Key West, Ocala and Gainesville before moving to California in 2014. She attended Florida State University, worked for Marion County schools and retired from the University of Florida. Jeanette was active at Grace Episcopal Church and Christ the King Church in Ocala. She is survived by her daughter Deborah Saunders (Jamie Meincke) and grandson Adam Rivers (Michelle Rivers). She was preceded in death by her daughter Sharon Michaelis and her brothers Fred Harwell Varn and Glenn Warren Varn. A public memorial service will be held for Jeanette at 10:00 AM on Saturday, July 30 at Grace Episcopal Church, 503 SE Broadway St., Ocala.

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# **TEUTON, ETHEL MAE, 101**

Anthony - Ethel Mae Teuton, 101, passed away July 23, 2016. Born January 12, 1915, in Gores Landing, FL to pioneer family John Franklin Hall and Nettie Lee Holly. She was a wife, mother and homemaker. She is preceded in death by her beloved husband of 65 years, Hugh Charles Teuton, in December of 1998. She is survived by son, Terry Teuton (Suzon); daughters, Betty Fish (Bill), Velma Harbison (Gerald), and Judy Pauley (Gary); sister, Johnnie Johns; nine grandchildren, twenty-four great-grandchildren, and two great-great grandchildren. Visitation will be held 5:00-7:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 26, 2016 with funeral service starting 7:00 p.m. at Anthony United Methodist Church with Pastor Don Pratt and Pastor Samuel Clements officiating. Private interment will be held at Anthony Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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### **TURNER, FRANCES MARION, 87**

Ocala - Mrs. Frances Marion Turner, 87 years old, of Ocala, Florida peacefully passed away on Saturday, July 16, 2016 at West Marion Hospital in Ocala, FL. Frances was born in Bennington, VT to Thomas Willis and Ellen Brockway and was raised in Arlington, VT. She graduated from Arlington Memorial High School in East Arlington, VT in 1946. She lived in Arlington, VT, Springfield, VT and retired in Ocala, FL. She was married to Westney Peter Turner for 65 years on April 15, 1950. Her husband Westney recently passed on in September of 2015. Her hobby of sewing took on various projects from sewing a line of bird pillows for the original Orvis store in Manchester, VT to 'Clothing Children in Crisis' a project she started in 1988 to outfit needy children at school time for the Children's Home Society of Florida. She is survived by her daughters, JoAnne M. Turner of Phoenix, AZ and Ellen M. Turner of Norwalk, CT. Frances's cremated remains will be scattered by her family at a later date. Condolences may be left at www.hiersbaxley.com. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 27, 2016**

#### JACQUES, GERALD 'Jerry' FRANCIS, 73

Ocala - Gerald F. Jacques, 73, passed away suddenly at his home on July 9, 2016. He was born February 4, 1943, in Providence, Rhode Island, the son of Francis X. Jacques and Marion (Aspinwall) Jacques. Gerald graduated from Vocational High School of Pawtucket, RI in 1961. Following graduation, he served with the U.S. Airforce. He married Rosemarie 'Rosie' Vieira and they settled in Lincoln, Rhode Island. They celebrated 47 years of marriage in September. Gerald was employed as an electronic research technician for Raytheon and the U.S. Defense Dept. Gerald was a loyal member of the American Legion Post 284 of Belleview, Moose Post 1144 of Belleview, member of NSRA, Knights of Columbus 3rd and 4th degree, and was the founder of the Belleview Cruisers car club. Survivors are his wife, Rosemarie (Vieira) Jacques; and daughters Michelle and her husband, David L Ordway of Ocala, FL and Lisa and her husband, Christopher M Calia of Belleview, FL. He is also survived by his brother Dana Jacques of N Providence, RI; and several nieces and nephews. Relatives and friends are welcome to join his family on Friday, July 29, 2016, St. Jude Church, 443 Marion Oaks Drive, Ocala, 34473 where a memorial service will be held at 8:30 a.m., followed by a military ceremony by the VFW at Bushnell VA Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Ave., Bushnell, FL 33513 at 11:00 a.m. The family invites relatives and friends for conversation and a buffet lunch at the Hilton, 3600 SW 36th Ave., Ocala at 1:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family asks that you make gifts in his memory to American Heart Association, American Cancer Society, or Marion County Humane Society. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 26 to July 27, 2016

# LOYD JR., DEACON CLAYTON

Ocala - The genesis of life for deacon Clayton Loyd, Jr. began on September 12, 1935. He received his education in the Marion County school system. He was called home to eternal rest July 18, 2016. He was married to Kelley Grace Sutton (Loyd) on September 10, 1960. Clayton was employed with the Department of Corrections for 20 years and a retired army veteran. His life was rich with blessings from god as he grew in his walk with him. Viewing will be held on July 26, 2016 from 5:00-8:00pm, at Saint Hawthorne Primitive Baptist Church, 8870 NW 145th RD, Morriston, FL 32668. Service will be held July 27, 2016 at 11:00am at Pine Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 14485 HWY 326 Morriston, FL, 32668. Services are entrusted to J. Hadley Funeral Home, Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home, 127 Northwest 20th ST, Ocala, FL 34475. Interment will be at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell Florida.

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# SCRIVNER, JANE ANN, 85

Ocala - Jane Ann Scrivner, born October 3, 1930; died July 25, 2016. Jane is survived by her husband of 43 years, John Roger Scrivner; daughters, Sharon (John) Gasparaitis, and Diane (Dave) deRamos; grandchildren, Carrine, Mitchell, Vinnie, Michelle and Ashley; great-grandchildren, Jadeyn and Carter. She enjoyed horse racing, reading, taking walks, sitting in the Florida sun, and most of all her kitty, Coco Bear. No service will be held at the family's request. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 26 to July 27, 2016

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 28, 2016**

## **CHESNEY, ROBERT J., 84**

Ocala - Robert J. Chesney passed away peacefully on July 21, 2016. He was born in Pittsburgh, PA on February 12, 1932. Jim was a lifelong Steelers fan. He served in the Navy from 1949-1953 and went on to receive his Engineering Degree from Penn State. His hobbies included bowling, gardening, dancing, and woodworking. He was President of the Polish American Club of Jacksonville and the Pennsylvania Club at OTOW. Jim is survived by his beloved wife of 62 years, Mary Louise; his children, Linda Tarabek of Virginia, Roberta Moore of Port Charlotte, and Mark Chesney of Ocala in addition to four grandchildren and great granddaughter. A Memorial Mass will be said at Queen of Peace Church on Friday, July 29, 2016 at 8:30 am. A reception will follow at the Arbor Club at OTOW from 10:30am to 1pm.

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## **DOBBS, ANNABELLE, 85**

Dunnellon - Mrs. Annabelle Dobbs, 85, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away on Sunday, July 24, 2016, at the Cedar Creek Assisted Living Residence in Crystal River. A native of Muncie, Indiana, she and her husband moved to this area in 1990, coming here from Quincy, IL. Mrs. Dobbs was an active member of First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon, as well as the Community Thrift Shop, and the Rainbow River Club. She also served on the board of directors of the local Chamber of Commerce. Survivors include

her two daughters, Kathy Sanders (Ray), Harrison, Ohio, and Patty Adams (Dennie), Bradenton, FL; her two brothers, William Watts, Odesa, TX, and Richard Watts, Bradenton; and four grandchildren and two great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband of 63 years, Olin Dobbs, in 2014, and her granddaughter, Melissa Sanders in 2016. Funeral services for Mrs. Dobbs will be held at 11 AM Saturday, July 30, 2016, at First United Methodist Church in Dunnellon, with Rev. Eddie Fulford officiating. The family will receive friends from 10 AM until service time. She will be interred in Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL, with her husband. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the First United Methodist Church of Dunnellon Building Fund, or Hospice of Citrus County. Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon is handling arrangements.

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# MORELOCK, JUDY A., 72

Ocala - Judy A. Morelock, 72, of Noblesville, IN passed away in the early morning of Tuesday, July 26, 2016 at Riverview Health in Noblesville. She was born on August 5, 1943 to Jesse P. and Elizabeth (Payne) Pickett in Noblesville. Judy had owned Touch of Fashion in Cicero, and was retired from the Florida DMV. She spent her winters in Bradenton, FL; was a member of the Noblesville Eagles and Moose Lodges; and enjoyed classic cars and NASCAR. She is survived by her stepsons, Roger A. 'Chip' (Sally) Morelock, Jr. and Robert 'Bobby' Morelock; sister, Brenda J. Johnson; brother, Jeff Pickett; and several nieces & nephews. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Roger A. Morelock, Sr., who passed away in 2013. Private services will be held, with burial at Cicero Cemetery in Cicero, IN. Condolences: www.randallroberts.com

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# SCHROEDER, JOHN 'JACK' H., 85

Dunnellon- John 'Jack' H. Schroeder, 85, died suddenly on Friday, July 22, 2016 just a few days before turning 86 years old. He was born in Jersey City, NJ to the late Hans and Anna (Frederick) Schroeder on July 25, 1930. He was a US Navy Korean War Veteran. Jack married Marie (Greco) on January 20, 1951 and had two children, Stephen and Ronald in whom they raised in New Jersey. After Jack Retired in 1995 from Hasbro Toys in East Longmeadow, MA, he and Marie made their home in Dunnellon. They Joined St. John the Baptist Catholic Church and he became very active in the Knights of Columbus and the Men's club. Jack's love and his presence will be greatly missed. Besides his wife, Marie, and son, Stephen, he leaves behind his brother, Joseph Schroeder and his wife, Marian, Port St. Lucie, FL; his sister, Barbara Schroeder, Bayonne, NJ; his eight grandchildren, ten great grandchildren and numerous of nieces and nephews. He is preceded in death by his son, Ronald Schroeder and brother, Donald Schroeder. Jack's Family will be receiving relatives and friends on Thursday, July 28, 2016 from 2-5 PM with a wake service and ceremony with the Knights of Columbus Council #8510 at 4:30 PM. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Friday, July 29, 2016 at 11:00 AM at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church followed by a repast meal in the hall. Memorial Contributions can be made in Jack's memory to St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Attn: Emergency Relief Fund, 7525 US Hwy 41, Dunnellon, FL 34432. Expressions of sympathy can be expressed online at robertsofdunnellon.com. Arrangements are under the careful direction of Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 27 to July 28, 2016

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# **BAILEY, JOYCE, 82**

Oxford - Joyce Bailey, 82, of Oxford passed away Monday, July 25, 2016. Mrs. Bailey was born March 15, 1934 in Randlett, OK to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jordan. Joyce has lived here for most of her adult life. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Oxford. She enjoyed showing and riding horses. She worked the cows, did embroidering and made uniforms for cheerleader's throughout the southeast. Survivors include her loving husband of 44 years, Mann; daughter, Terry Irwin of Andrews, TX; sons, Tom Bailey of Oxford, Jim (Brenda) Bailey of Trenton, Winston (Carla) Bailey of Oxford; daughter-inlaw, Gala Langford of Meeker, CO; sisters, Lois Whitley of Henrietta, TX, Betty Bean of Lufkin, TX and Frances Stockton of Henrietta, TX; five grandchildren and two greatgrandchildren. Joyce was preceded in death by her grandson, Chris Irwin; son-in-law, Doug Irwin and son, Eddie Langford. Visitation will be 6:00 - 8:00pm, Friday, July 29, 2019 in the Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Home. Funeral services will be 10:30am, Saturday, July 30, 2016 in the First Baptist Church of Oxford and interment in Pine Level Cemetery, Oxford. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church of Oxford, P.O. Box 5, Oxford, FL 34484. On-line condolences may be shared by visiting www.bankspagetheus.com. Arrangements are entrusted to Banks/Page-Theus Funerals and Cremations, Wildwood.

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# **BROWN JR., CHESTER, 68**

Ocala - Chester Brown Jr., 68, passed away on July 22, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories his loving wife, Mildred Payton Brown; daughters, Prudence Brown and Mellissa Beard; eight grandchildren; three great grandchildren; brother, Rogers Brown; sisters, LaVerne Griffin, Irene Morgan, Anna Jean Richardson, and Shirley Howard; a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral service will be held Saturday, July 30, 2016 at 11:00a.m. at United Missionary Baptist Church, Reddick, FL. Visitation will be Friday, July 29, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10:30a.m.-5:00p.m. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 28 to July 29, 2016

# **BURCH JR., THOMAS, 83**

Ocala - Thomas Burch Jr., 83, passed away on July 24, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories children, Carolyn Williams, Sandra Burch, Marcia Crockam, Sharon Brown, Ethel Alexander, Robert Burch, Nathaniel Burch, and Ivan Burch; 18 grandchildren; brothers, Elijah Burch, William Burch, and Lee Burch; sister, Sarah Walker; and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 30, 2016 at 3:00p.m. at United Missionary Baptist Church, Reddick, FL. Viewing will be held Thursday, July 28, 2016 from 6pm-8pm at United Missionary Baptist Church. Visitation will be Friday, July 29, 2016 from 10:30a.m.-5:00pm at Snow's Funeral Ministry.

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# GOODROE, ONETA CLARK, 98

Ocala - Oneta Clark Goodroe passed away on July 27, 2016 in Ocala, FL. She was born on April 21, 1918 in Shattuck, OK to Ray and Blanche Clark, who were wheat farmers at the time. The family moved to Oswego, NY in 1935 to escape the 'Dust Bowl' of the Great Plains and the devastating dust storms defining it. She graduated high school in Oswego and attended Cosmetology School. Oneta had two brothers, Lawrence, currently of Southaven MS and Adelbert, who predeceased her. In 1940, Oneta married Howard Goodroe of Scriba NY and they had two children, Wanda and Wayne. The family moved to Oneida, NY in 1949, where Oneta worked for the Niagara Mohawk Power Company for 25 years. Her husband worked for Revere Copper and Brass in Rome, NY and after the couple retired, they moved to Silver Springs Shores, FL in 1980, where they became active in their new community and with the Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church. Howard passed away in 2003. In 2005, Oneta remarried, marrying her childhood sweetheart from Texas, Roland Wheat, who predeceased her in 2012. Oneta is survived by her brother, Lawrence; and her two children, Wand Di Natale and her husband, Joseph of San Antonio, FL and Wayne Goodroe and his wife, Barbara, of Oakland CA; three grandchildren, Timothy Kruger of Utica, NY, Heather O'Boyle and her husband, Anthony, of San Diego, CA and Christopher Goodroe and his wife, Eva, of Oakland, CA; and five great-grandchildren. Visitation will be 1pm-2pm on Friday, July 29, 2016; funeral service at 2pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala. In Lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Silver Springs Shores Presbyterian Church or to a charity of choice. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 28 to July 29, 2016

# JACKSON, SHARNETTE R., 51

Ocala - Sharnette R. Jackson, 51, passed away on July 19, 2016 in Winter Garden, FL. She leaves to cherish her memories sisters, Norma Edwards and Maxine Jackson; devoted friend and companion, Carlos Hernandez; a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 30, 2016 at 3:00p.m. at Welcome Stranger Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. James F. Pullings Sr., Pastor. Visitation will be held Friday, July 29, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10:30a.m.-5:00p.m. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade).

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# JAMES, LEE

Ocala - Mr. James departed this life on July 23, 2016 to live eternally with God the Father. He leaves to cherish his memories, a loving wife, Antoinette James; 10 sons, Monte Washington, Leconder James, Jr., Letaron Gordon, Terrell Edwards, Terrell James, Christopher Durr, Brandon James, Travis White, Aaron Harriott, and Leamon Wilson; four daughters, Latisha Samuels, Shamika Gordon, Courtney Polk, Jasmine Moore; four sisters: Mae Lois Kingcaid, Pastor Florine Bradley, Janice James Smith and

Bedra Lewis; four brothers: Willie James Sr., Sylvester James, Marvin James and Wendell Howard. Viewing will be Friday from 5pm to 8pm at The Benevolent Church of God, 1549 N. Hwy 441, Reddick, FL 32686. Celebration of life will be 11:00 AM Saturday at Keith Dominion House of God, 2830 NW 27th Ave, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 28 to July 29, 2016

# THOMAS, MARGARET C., 94

Ocala - Margaret C. Thomas, age 94, passed away on Tuesday, July 26, 2016 at the Ocala Health & Rehab, Ocala, FL. She was the wife of the late Wilson S. Thomas, who preceded her in 1999. A native of Birmingham, MI, she moved to Florida from Ohio in 1975 and was a resident of Belleview for 42 years. During WWII she worked in an airplane factory to support the war effort. Prior to her retirement she was a secretary at a hospital. She enjoyed traveling and had been a member of TOPS, Belleview. She was of the Baptist faith. She will be deeply missed by her son, Gary Woods and his wife, Ann of Belleview, FL. She is survived by three grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her daughter, Bonnie Mills; and one granddaughter. She will be buried with her late husband, Wilson Thomas at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements entrusted to the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL 34420. Hiers-Baxley.com

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# VANATTIA, BETTY, 85

Ocklawaha - Betty Vanattia, age 83 of Ocklawaha, FL, passed away on July 23, 2016. She is survived by sons, Robert, Wayne; and daughter, Betty Lou; numerous grandchildren; and great grandchildren. Viewing at 12:30 p.m. with a graveside service to take place on Thursday, July 28, 2016 at 1:00pm at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, 5050 SW 20 St, Ocala, FL. Followed by a memorial service at Forest Assembly of God Church, 17530 E. Hwy 40, Silver Springs, FL at 3:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations to Forest Assembly of God Outreach Ministries in Betty's honor will be appreciated. Funeral Arrangements entrusted to Roberts Funeral Homes of Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 27 to July 29, 2016

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2019 in the Banks/Page-Theus Funeral Home. Funeral services will be 10:30am, Saturday, July 30, 2016 in the First Baptist Church of Oxford and interment in Pine Level Cemetery, Oxford. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church of Oxford, P.O. Box 5, Oxford, FL 34484. On-line condolences may be shared by visiting www.bankspagetheus.com. Arrangements are entrusted to Banks/Page-Theus Funerals and Cremations, Wildwood.

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## **ORR, JEAN CAROL, 78**

Ocala - Jean Carol Orr, 78, passed away July 27, 2016. Born May 7, 1938 in Greensboro, NC to Floyd Reece and Ruth Rebecca New Combs. She moved here from Miami 55 years ago, and was a hair dresser and cosmetologist. She is preceded in death by her parents. She is survived by her daughters, Lori Ciraco and Cindy Whiting (Rob), both of Ocala; and three grandchildren, Brandon and Dustin Ciraco, and Brooke Whiting. Arrangements by Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, July 31, 2016**

## MCFARLAND, F. WAYNE, 81

Homosassa - F. Wayne McFarland, 81, of Homosassa died on July 22, 2016. By his side was his beloved wife and childhood friend, Pamela, and his faithful companion, Tux. Wayne was born in Key West, Florida on October 12, 1934 the son of Leon and Flora Yulee Lumley McFarland. He was proud of his Bahamian heritage and of being a Key West Conch. After graduation from Key West High School in 1952, he joined the U.S. Army and trained as a paratrooper at Ft. Bragg, NC. Wayne was promptly promoted to Staff Sergeant. He was sent to Germany and was selected to be in the U.S. Army's 10th Special Forces group (Airborne) later known as the Green Berets. During his time in the Army, he was sent to language school and became fluent in Russian and German. He also trained in Guerrilla Warfare and became a ski instructor. After leaving the Army, he earned his Bachelor's Degree from the University of Florida (1966) and his Master's in Business from Stetson University (1970) while working for Pan American Airways. During his time with Pan Am, he worked on the missile tracking range in Eleuthera, Bahamas. and Ascension Island in the South Atlantic Ocean and also at Cape Kennedy, FL. Wayne lived in the Ocala area for forty years working in the private sector and then becoming the Finance Director for the City of Ocala. Upon leaving this position he started his own Accounting Firm as an enrolled agent representing his clients in front of the IRS. While in Ocala, he was involved with many civic organizations and was a member of the Ocala Scottish Society. Wayne was an active member of the Grace Episcopal Church and served a term as Treasurer. Wayne is survived by his wife, Pamela; John Russell Odden and his wife, Michelle, of Powhatan, VA; their children, Christopher and David; Richard Norman Odden and his wife, Mariah, of Atlanta, GA; and the late, Lynn Ellen Odden; a niece, Lynn Brady; cousins, Joy Lorraine and her husband, Robert Sarles, of Gainesville, FL; Barbara Ann and her husband, Raymond Archer, of Old Town, FL; and Peggy and her husband, Wayne Brown, of Dunnellon, FL. A celebration of life will be held on August 6, 2016 at 2 PM at the Riverhaven Village Clubhouse on 11450 Riverhaven Drive, Homosassa, FL 34446. Wayne's ashes will be placed in the Key West City Cemetery at a later date. Memorial contributions may be made to the Hospice of Citrus and the Nature Coast, P.O. Box 641270 Beverly Hills, FL. 34464. Arrangements are under the direction of Wilder Funeral Home, Homosassa, FL.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 1, 2016**

#### **FRANKLIN, EDDIE MITCHEL, 81**

Ocala - Eddie Mitchel Franklin of Ocala, Florida passed away at Avow Hospice in Naples, on Wednesday, July 13, 2016 at the age of 81. Eddie was a member of the First Presbyterian Church where he served as an elder. Eddie was born on October 24, 1934 in Tampa. The Franklins moved to Miami when he was in elementary school and it was there he began his life-long love of dance, theater and the arts. Eddie's artistic talents afforded him wonderful adventures including performing at the Fontainebleau Hotel on Miami Beach as a child, TV shows in Puerto Rico, and New York, hundreds of parades, and stages in Tallahassee, Miami and Ocala to name a few. Past President Doak Campbell and director of the band Manley Whitcomb recruited acclaimed Ed Franklin and Dick Puckett from the Miami Jackson High School band in the 1950's to attend FSU. Ed and Dick were two of the best baton twirlers in the country when baton twirling was in its heyday. They were the 'Flying Seminoles' and lead the football team in with acrobatics, elaborate costuming and twirling fire batons. Ed and Dick are featured in the FSU 'coffee table' history books, FSU Historic Photographs, and photographs hanging in the Seminoles' Doak Campbell stadium. While at FSU, Eddie joined the US Army and led a speech clinic for children in Germany. He later returned to FSU and graduated with his Bachelor's degree. After marrying Betsy Reed in Bloomsburg Pennsylvania in 1962, Eddie and Betsy taught in Sarasota and Miami. While Eddie served as the Executive Director of the Grove House art gallery in Coconut Grove, they decided to venture out on their own; so with a financial backer, they moved to Ocala and opened the Franklin Art Center on Fort King Street. The Franklin Art Center was the first of its kind in Ocala, housing a gallery, painting/dance school, pottery studio, and frame shop. Eddie featured Florida artists in shows and taught many Ocalans to paint, throw pots and dance, always encouraging them to fulfil their creativity. Many of these students became close friends with Eddie, Betsy and their girls. After the Art Center closed, Eddie taught English to refugees of the Vietnam War. He opened his home to them, as many were teenagers or children who had lost their parents in the war. Eddie then taught at CFCC for over 20 years and influenced thousands of students with his humor, compassion and understanding of the Humanities and Arts. During that time, Eddie and Betsy commuted to Daytona Beach together and earned their Master's degrees from Nova University. While at CFCC, Eddie directed Zorba the Greek, the Dance Theater Company, choreographed several large musicals, hung shows in the gallery, spontaneously tap danced in the hallways and encouraged his students to live their lives to the fullest- and the fullest includes art, music, and poetry! After his retirement from the classroom in the 90's and after Betsy passed away in 1998, Eddie began painting fulltime in his home

where he perfected his signature technique of ancient encaustic painting using hot colored wax. Eddie performed demonstrations and often showed his work at the Appleton Museum, Webber Center, Brick City, Maine and Paris, France where he was a frequent award winner including Best in Show. On several occasions in the last decade, Eddie was featured in one-man shows, the most significant being at 75 years old, at Lemoyne Center for Visual Arts in Tallahassee where his entire family and lifelong best friends celebrated with him. In the last 20 years, Eddie enjoyed meaningful and deep friendships with special people from the local art community, from the restaurants he frequented and several others that appreciated him and his art. Eddie truly loved his daughters, sons by marriage, his grandchildren and many close friends. Surviving, but missing him terribly, are: Michele Franklin Yovanovich (Rich, Elizabeth and Caroline-Naples); Dana Franklin Riashi (Joe, Reed-Naples); Lauren Franklin Alfonso (Bob, Wesley, Rochester-New Hampshire). Over the years, Eddie's family would enjoy his oral renditions or written cards including Sophie Tucker's Philosophy of Life. This excerpt embodies how he lived, and as he would say, 'eighty-one-derful' years on this earth: '...these people that I've met along the way saved me from many a fall. I've found that the friends I've made are my greatest possessions of all. I'm thankful to God for his blessings and for the opportunity to have lived as I have in a beautiful world that has been so good to me. So live it, and love it, and make the most of it, for LIFE IS A WONDERFUL THING!' A celebration of Eddie's life and art legacy will be made at a later time. The family suggests donations be made to the Webber Gallery, Visual Arts Society at the College of Central Florida. Contact gonzaleg@cf.edu

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## POLSGROVE, ROLAND 'WAYNE'

Roland 'Wayne' Polsgrove was called home on July 27, 2016. Wayne was born July 17, 1931 in Chicago, IL. He was an active member of Ocala West United Methodist Church. He was a beloved husband, father, grandfather and great grandfather and is survived by his wife of 66 years, Patricia, his children Dianne Henderson, Janet Riehecky (John), Barb Ethun (Lee), Michael (Darlene), five grandchildren and one great granddaughter. He was preceded in death by his parents; Oather Elmer Polsgrove and Rachel Irene Polsgrove, his sister Earla Scott and two grandchildren David and Rebekah. Wayne was a Past Master of Masonic Lodge #827 AF&AM of Antioch, IL and a member of the Scottish Rite, and Shriner Medinah Temple in Chicago. He was a past Patron of the Order of the Eastern Star. Wayne retired as an operating engineer from McCormick Place in Chicago in 1993. A Celebration of Wayne's Life is being planned at the Ocala West United Methodist Church. Please refer to the obituary at www.baldwincremation.com where information will be updated as soon as it is available. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funerals & Cremation 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala 236-5884. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from July 31 to Aug. 1, 2016

## **RAINES, ALMA LEE 'ROBIN' BOHRER**

Alma Lee 'Robin' Bohrer Raines, 61, passed away peacefully surrounded by her loving family on Wednesday, July 27, 2016. Robin was born on July 21, 1955 in Miami, Florida to William Thomas Bohrer and Charlotte (Pat) Caruthers Bohrer. The family moved to Marion county in 1969. Robin retired from E-One and started her own business. She was

preceded in death by her father, William T. Bohrer and her sister, Billye Jean Bohrer. She is survived by her mother, Charlotte (Pat) Metts and step-father, Roy Metts of Ocklawaha, five sons, Jason Craig, Joshua Craig, Brandon Raines, Cody Raines and David Raines, all of Lynne, Florida, four sisters, Julie Parris-Bolduc of Bushnell, Andrea Mallory, Angel Inman and Susan Lawrence all of Ocala, 1 brother, Charles Mallory of Cross Creek, six grandchildren, 1 aunt, several cousins and numerous nieces and nephews. She also had 2 life-long friends, Cindy O'Brien and Jamie George. She was a loving daughter, sister, mother and grandmother and will be missed dearly by those who loved her. She was a devoted Christian and attended Living Waters Church. Funeral services will be held at Countryside Funeral Home in Anthony on Monday, August 1, 2016 at 1 pm. Family will receive visitors at noon. Burial will be at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens.'

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# SCHLOSSER, CAROLYN E., 78

Ocala - Carolyn E. Schlosser, 78 of Ocala joined her beloved husband Richard Schlosser on Wednesday July 27, 2016. Daughter of Edwin and Elsie Tunison, Carolyn was born in Somerville, NJ and then resided in Lebanon Township, NJ until 1986 when she moved to Ocala. Carolyn is survived by her three sons, Thomas Hambel, Michael Hambel (Robert) and Richard J. Schlosser (Debbie). She has two daughters, Irene Hartrum (Tracy) and Ruth Pickell (Larry), 14 grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Carolyn was a dedicated registered nurse for 55 years working at the Centers in Ocala for 22 years until she retired in 2014. Funeral services for Carolyn will be held on Monday, August 1, 2016 at 11:00am in the Roberts Funeral Home Chapel West. The family will receive friends starting at 10:00am. Interment will follow in Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Home West Chapel, 6241 SW SR 200, Ocala, FL 34476(352)854-2266. Please sign Carolyn's online guestbook at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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# VERNON, WILLIAM RICHARD, 80

Ocala - William R. Vernon (Bill), 80, of Ocala passed away July 27, 2016. Born in Washington, D.C. he came to Florida in 1989 from Long Beach, MS. He was a US Navy Veteran of the Korean War, a retired Equipment Management Specialist for the Department of Defense and most recently was a Security Guard for the Dr. Qumar/Institute of Cardiovascular Excellence, Ocala. Bill enjoyed his grandchildren and caring for his dogs. He is survived by his loving wife of 54 years, Peggy Vernon; children, Karena (Joey) Vernon-Flournoy of Orange Park, FL and James (Kelly) Vernon of Belleview, FL; grandchildren, Ryan, Reagan, Adam Vernon and Angelica Krause and daughter-in-law, Betty (Mike) Vernon-Zysek of Ocala. He was preceded in death by his two brothers, Joseph and Dennis Vernon. He will be interred with military honors at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL at a later date. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funerals & Cremation, Ocala.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 2, 2016**

#### WELLS, ROSALIE ELAINE MANN, 78

Rosalie Elaine Mann Wells, age 78, of Ocala, FL, passed away July 24, 2016 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, FL. Rosalie was born on January 30, 1938 in Coatesville, PA to Orville L and Dorothea H (Rose) Mann. Rosalie moved to Ocala in 2011 from North Carolina. She was a retired manager in hospitality services and retail. In addition to her parents, Rosalie was preceded in death by her husband, Jonathan Wayne Wells, her daughter, Jonelle Frances Reyes Wells, and all five of her brothers and sisters. Survived by two sons, W. Jeffrey Mann of Costa Rica and Richard G. Mann of Florida; twelve grandchildren; Candace Mann Brewer, Jack Morgan, Robbie Reyes, Eddie Reyes, Jessica Mann Sherer, Kaylee Rose Mann, Chloé Ryder, Mason Mann, Logan Mann, Adam Mann, Austin Mann; and three great grandchildren. Private cremation will take place under the direction of Brown Funeral Home and Crematory in Lecanto, FL. Graveside services will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, August 2, 2016 at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, Florida.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 3, 2016**

# **GUARNERO, JOHN LOUIS, 74**

John Louis Guarnero, 74 of Ocala, previously from Highland, Indiana, passed away Wednesday, July 27, 2016 at home with his family after a lengthy illness. John is survived by his beloved wife Nancy of 52 years, son Ted Guarnero of Chicago, IL, son John Guarnero Jr. & daughter-in-law Kim from Oviedo, FL, daughter Michelle Ulanowski and son-in-law Tim from Lowell, IN, five grandchildren, Chad Ulanowski, Megan Guarnero, Ashley Ulanowski, Brittney Ulanowski and Emily Guarnero. He was preceded in death by his parents Margaret and Jack Guarnero of Munster, IN, and sister Josephine Cordery. John graduated from Purdue University Engineering program and worked at LTV steel for 41 years as a general foreman of the electric shop. He was also a partner in G & S Catering of Hammond, IN. He was active with the Kidney Foundation of Indiana, past president and on the board of directors for Northwest Indiana Kidney Foundation. John was a member of a local car club with the second love of his life being his '41 Chrysler. John spent years refurbishing the car, spending weekends at car shows and winning various awards. A devout catholic, John spent time volunteering at the church doing anything that was asked of him. Although John had a tough exterior, he had a soft heart. He would do anything for anyone at any time. He was always the first to offer help to those in need. He will be deeply missed by family and friends and his faithful furry companion Peanut who was by his side until the end. Arrangements will include a private memorial at a later date.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 4, 2016**

## **BERKELEY, EDMUND CARTER, 72**

Edmund Carter Berkeley, 72, of Ocala, passed away on Wednesday, July 27, 2016. Edmund was born in Wayland, KY to Shirley and Vivian Berkeley and has lived in Ocala since 1972. He was a retired deputy sheriff in Marion County after 31 years of service. He served in the US Army during the Vietnam War with the military police. Edmund was an avid Gator fan and a model train enthusiast. He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Barbara Berkeley of Ocala, children Gregory Standridge of CT, Stephanie Standridge of Ocala, and Michael Scott (Kristen) Standridge of Tallahassee, FL, 2 grandchildren Jacob and Nicholas Standridge, and brothers Bob Berkeley of NC and Carter Berkeley of GA. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, August 6, 2016, at 11:00am, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. Memorials can be made to the Ocala Model Railroaders' Historical Preservation Society, 1247 NE 3rd St. Ocala, FL 34470, www.ocalamodel railroaders.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 3 to Aug. 4, 2016

# HAWLEY, ALAN MADISON

Ocala - Alan Madison Hawley, born in Fly Creek, NY he graduated from Cooperstown High School and was a veteran of the United States Army. He is survived by his loving wife of almost 60 years, Theodora; siblings, Robert Hawley and Cheryl Husted; children, Mark Hawley, Mike Hawley, Lisa Scott, and Brad Hawley along with three grandchildren, Samantha, Nichole and Christopher; and one great grandchild, Marshall. He was an active member and previous president of the Forest Eagles Club as well as a lifetime member of the Moose Club. His love and passion for the game of golf was unparalleled as was his devotion to sports. He enjoyed traveling in his RV, meeting his buddies for coffee, karaoke, going on cruises and spending time with family and friends. His career was primarily in construction and facility management and retired a little over ten years ago. He fought a long hard battle with multiple types of cancer that astounded not only his friends and family by his tenacity, but his doctors as well. He will be sorely missed by those who loved him. Services are arranged for August 6, 2016 at 3:00 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala. The family has asked that in lieu of flowers, that donations made in his memory be sent to Estelle's House -Hospice of Marion County www.hospiceofmarion.com/estelles-house.html as a tribute to their loving and exceptional care of him in his final days. May every drive be long and straight, every putt short and sure until we reunite at the 19th hole in the sky. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL 352-629-7171 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 3 to Aug. 4, 2016

## **KENNY, GLORIA JOY**

Ocala - Gloria Joy Kenny passed away peacefully surrounded by her family on July 23, 2016. She was a loving wife and a mother of four children. Joy lived her life to the fullest. From a very young age until her passing, horses were her inspiration and passion. Joy started in the horse business with her husband in 1956 and continued in the business until shortly before her passing. The professional horsemen have lost her here on earth although Joy undoubtedly will be watching over us all in spirit. Joy was preceded in death by her husband John D. Kenny. She leaves her four children, Mark Kenny (Kim); Kevin Kenny (Leigh); Karen Kenny: Shawn Kenny (Cindy Matthews); her grandchildren, Marcus Kenny, Chris Kenny (Courtney), Jonathan Kenny (Molly Dowling), Jamie Milam, John Kenny, Lauren Kenny and Morgan Kenny; her great

grandchildren, Brylee Kenny and Windsor Kenny; and her brother, Everett Hensley; and a sister, Patricia Lyons. In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to the ALS Foundation. A memorial service will take place at Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel 6241 SW SR 200 in Ocala, FL (352) 854-2266 on August 5, 2016 at 11AM To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com.

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# **RATHMANN, MICHAEL JAY, 57**

Ocala - Michael Jay Rathmann, 57, passed away on July 18, 2016 in Sierra Vista, Arizona. He was born in Monticello, Iowa, and moved to Ocala, Florida, with his family in 1966. Mike graduated from Forest High School in 1977. He served in the Air Force and the Army where he was a Ranger and Russian linguist. He retired after 20 years at Fort Huachuca, Arizona, in 2000, and joined the Sierra Vista Police Department where he met Tanya Williamson while on a call in 2005. They were married on March 19, 2006, in Tallahassee, Florida. After working for the SVPD for 16 years, he became a Deputy of the Cochise County Sheriff's Office, where he served part time as a Tactical Flight Officer on the Department's helicopter. He spent the last year of his life enjoying the work he was doing and spent his free time golfing, fishing and biking. Mike is survived by his wife, Tanya; mother, Judy; daughters, Alyssa, Samantha, Hannah, Tabitha and Breanna; sister, Christy; niece, Kayanna; and nephews, Adam and Ben. He was preceded in death by his father, Marvin and his daughter, Rebecca. Law enforcement funeral services were held on Saturday, July 23, 2016, at the Buena Performing Arts Center in Sierra Vista, followed by military honors at Southern Arizona Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Sierra Vista, where he was buried.

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## SCHALLER, JEAN E., 67

Ocala - Jean E. Schaller, 67, of Ocala, passed away peacefully surrounded by her loving friends and family on Tuesday morning, August 2, 2016 in Aberdeen, NJ. She was born Jean E. Hunter on September 11, 1948 in Newark, NJ. She grew up in Union Beach, NJ, and lived there for most of her life until retiring to Florida nine years ago. In 1985, Jean was a runner-up for Miss New Jersey. She was also very proud to have accomplished getting her concealed weapons license and her motorcycle license, as they were part of her life long bucket list. One of her favorite hobbies was riding her motorcycle. Before her retirement, she worked as an estate keeper at a home in Rumson, NJ. She was predeceased by her parents, Richard Charles and Virginia Louise (Schaefer) Hunter, and her husband, Geoffrey V. Schaller Sr. Jean is survived by her loving fiancé, William Lewis of Ocala; her beloved children, Geoffrey V. Schaller Jr. of Union Beach, NJ, Simone Dannecker; and her husband, Ken, of Union Beach, NJ; her step children, Jason Lewis and his wife, Kimberly, of NC, Jesse Lewis and his wife, Holly, of Pittsburg, PA, and Brian Howard, of PA; her dear siblings, Richard, Simon 'Butch,' Cynthia, and Pauline; her cherished grandchildren, Ken Jr., Nicole, Alex, and David; and her adored step-grandchildren, Mason, Abby, and Hailey. Jean is also survived by her dear friends, who opened their home to Jean in her time of need, Laura and Gary, of Aberdeen, NJ, along with many extended family members and friends. She will be deeply missed, but never forgotten. Family and friends are invited to visit on Thursday evening, August 4,

2016 from 5 to 9 PM at the Shore Point Funeral Home and Cremation Service, 3269 State Rt. 35 N., Hazlet, NJ 07730. A Prayer Service will be offered at the funeral home during visiting hours. In respect of Jean's wishes, she will be privately cremated. For information, directions, or to send condolences to the family, please visit, www.shorepointfh.com.

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# WALLEN, BETTY FAYE

Romeoville - Betty Faye Wallen of Romeoville, Illinois passed away on July 31, 2016 peacefully at home surrounded by her loved ones. Betty is proceeded in death by her late husband, Frank Wallen. She is survived by her two daughters, Angela Daly (née Taylor) (Jimmy Daly) and Pamela Lewis (née Wallen) (Dale Lewis); her grandchildren, Scott Daly (Carin Vahle), Robert Daly, Richard Daly, Lucas Wallen, Evan Lewis, Jacob Lewis, Joshua Lewis and Erin Gardine. She was also survived by her brother, Chuck Edmonds (Jenny Edmonds); and her niece, Barbara Waldron (née Gaskin) (Dan Waldron); and many other loved ones. In lieu of flowers the family asks that you send positive vibes that the Cubs win the World Series this year, per Betty Faye Wallen. Devout Cubs fan to the end. Private cremation services provided by Care Memorial. For information, call 866-912-9822

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 5, 2016**

### ESTEY, JR., MILLARD F., 93

Ocala - Millard F. Estey, Jr. 93, formally of Erving, Massachusetts, passed away, July 17, 2016, in Ocala, FL. He was born in Orange, Massachusetts, son of the late Millard F. Estey, Sr. and Chloe (Steady). He worked at the Westfield, MA. and the Concord, NH airport keeping the Flight line of 12 Trainer Planes ready for the Army Air Corp cadets learning to fly. He joined the Army Air Corp in 1942. He married Christina M. Pelletier from Erving. They were married 68 years until her passing in 2013. He was part of the Pacific Theater and Japan. He retired in 1985 as a welder from Rodney Hunts in Orange, MA after 39 years. He moved to Ocala in 1987. While in Ocala, he built several RC model airplanes and sold them mostly in area Hobby Shops. Millard is survived by his two daughters, Gail Dymerski (Joe) in Ocala, FL and Lola Smith (Jim) of Viera, FL; grandchildren, Deric (Tami) and David (Luci) Dymerski, Angela (Billy) Grimes and Alyssa (Christopher) Smith; two great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 4 to Aug. 5, 2016

## **GROFFINGER, ANNA MAE, 98**

Dunnellon - Mrs. Anna Mae Groffinger, 98, passed away peacefully on Sunday, July 31, 2016, at her home in Dunnellon. Born in Fredericksburg, Virginia, she and her late husband retired and moved to Florida in 1973. For many years she remained active in various local organizations, including the American Legion Auxiliary, the Dunnellon Garden club, and the Rainbow Glass Collectors Club in Ocala. She was a member of the former Rainbow Lakes Estates United Methodist Church. Mrs. Groffinger was preceded

in death in 2013 by her husband and best friend of 68 years, Albert Groffinger. She is survived by her nieces Kathleen (Glenn) Ritz, and Karen Bordt, as well as her nephew, Richard Kravarik. Services will be held at 11 AM Saturday, August 6, 2016, at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon, with Rev. Eddie Fulford officiating. Mrs. Groffinger will be interred with her husband in the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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## WILLIAMS, NOLA J., 87

Nola J. Williams, age 87, of Summerfield, FL passed away suddenly on Monday, July 25, 2016 at The Villages Regional Hospital, The Villages, FL. She was the wife of the late Patrick Williams who preceded her in 1997. Born in Sarasota, FL she was a daughter of the late Emil R. and Nola Jahna. Nola was a teacher for 37 years and taught at the Ft. King Middle School in Ocala, FL. She had a Master's Degree in Administration. She was of the Catholic faith and a member of St. Mark the Evangelist Catholic Church, Summerfield, FL. She will be deeply missed by daughter Noel wife of Mark Gilliland of Sarasota, FL and son, David Williams of Cornelia, GA. She was the proud grandmother of Riley and Erin Gilliland. She is also survived by her brother, Francis Jahna of Lake Wales, FL and many loving nieces and nephews. A Celebration of Nola's Life will be held on August 11, 2016 11:00 AM at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 644 S 9th St, Lake Wales, FL 33853. In lieu of flowers please make donations in her name to Vintage Paws Sanctuary of Sarasota or Sarasota County Sheriff's Office Animal Services. Arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL 34420. Hiers-Baxley.com

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## WILLIAMS-ROBINSON, OLIVIA, 90

Mother Olivia Williams-Robinson, 90, our beloved mother peacefully passed away Thursday, July, 28, 2016 at Haven Hospice E.T. York Care Center in Gainesville, FL. She is survived by her 10 children: Catherine Green, Ernest Williams (Mary Ann), Robert Earl Williams (Willie Mae), Samuel, Williams, Chester Williams (Deborah), Ricky Williams (Monica), Darlene McGill (Johnel), Clarence Williams (All of Gainesville, FL and Frank Williams (Judy) of Stroudsberg, PA, and one grandchild that she raised Vanessa Taylor (Brian) of Gainesville, FL. Visitation will be held Friday, August 5, 2016 from 6 PM-8PM at Upper Room Church of God In Christ, 3575 NE 15th St., Gainesville, FL 32609. Celebration of life will be held on August 6, 2016 at Upper Room 3575 NE 15th St, Gainesville, FL 32609 at 1:00 PM 1:00PM at Upper Room Church of God In Christ, 3575 NE 15th St., Gainesville, FL 32609. The cortege will form at the home of her daughter Catherine Green, 2139 NE 7th Place, Gainesville, FL. The family has entrusted professional service to Signature Memorial Funeral and Cremation Services LLC, 3401 SE Hawthorne RD, Gainesville, FL 32641 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 4 to Aug. 5, 2016

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 6, 2016**

#### **BRASWELL, MARTHA ALICE, 80**

Ocala - Martha Alice Braswell, 80, went home to be with the Lord, Thursday, August 4, 2016 at Mission Hospital of Asheville, NC. Mrs. Braswell was born February 22, 1936 in Hornell, NY. She is the daughter of the late W.C. and the late Lorraine (Walther) Hunt. She loved spending time at the beach and in the mountains of Western North Carolina. She also loved spending time with her family. In addition to her parents, she is preceded in death by one son, Mike Braswell, and several brothers. She is survived by her loving husband of 62 years, Felton Braswell; one son, Corky (Debby) Braswell; one daughter, Julie (Reason) Wright; and one sister, Lorraine Elise; five grandchildren and eight great grandchildren also survive. A memorial service will be announced at a later date. Appalachian Funeral Services in Sylva N.C. has been entrusted with all arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 5 to Aug. 6, 2016

# GHAN, LORA, 78

Rainbow Springs - Lora Ghan, 78, died on August 2, 2016 at her residence in Dunnellon. She leaves behind her son, John Ghan and his wife, Linda of Downers Grove, IL; her daughter, Susan Kerr and her husband, Bill of Wesmont, IL; her sister, Norine Meng of Dunnellon; her five grandchildren, Karen, Laura and Cheryl Kerr, Stefanie and Michael Ghan; her great granddaughter, Kayla Kerr and many nieces and nephews. Lora is preceded in death by her husband, John, in 2012. Lora was born in Chicago, IL on December 13, 1937 to the late Fred and Louise (Vanek) Penzel. Lora grew up in Riverside, IL, graduated from Riverside-Brookfield High School. She married the late John Ghan on December 14, 1957 and they made their home raising their children in La Grange Park, IL, before moving to Downers Grove, IL. She retired from the Blistex Company before moving to Florida in 2004. Lora enjoyed playing bridge, reading, going out to eat and watching a good movie. She loved to socialize as she was a member of several bridge clubs, book club and the Dunnellon Women's club. She will be greatly missed by all her family and friends. A Celebration of Lora's life will be held on Friday, August 5, 2016 at 5:00 PM at the Dunnellon Women's Club. Memorial Contributions can be made in Lora's memory to Hospice of Marion County, P.O. Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478 or the American Cancer Society Florida Division, 3709 W. Jetton Avenue, Tampa, FL 33629. Expressions of Sympathy can be made online at robertsofdunnellon.com Arrangements are under the careful direction of Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 5 to Aug. 6, 2016

## MIXSON, JAMES RICHARD 'CAT'

Reddick - James Richard 'Cat' Mixson died July 30, 2016 at Shands Hospital in Gainesville, surrounded by family and close friends. Born July 21, 1945 in Gainesville, Cat grew up in Flemington, graduated from Reddick High School. He became an Army Ranger and served in Vietnam. He was a firefighter for the Ocala Fire Department for 25 years. He owned and managed a local farm raising cattle and coastal hay. He was predeceased by his parents, Miles Benjamin and Genevieve Mixson; and his brother, Allen. He is survived by his companion in life, Valerie Fortin; his nephew, Bruce Allen Mixson of Sylvania, Georgia; several cousins, many friends and his beloved dog, Brisa. Services will be held Saturday, August 6, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL.

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## STEELEY, EARNEST BERRY, 80

Morriston - Mr. Earnest Berry Steeley, 80, of Morriston, Florida went to be with the Lord on August 3, 2016, He is survived by three loving children, Tammy Heinkel, Scotty Steely and Dean Steely; four grandchildren and four great grandchildren. The Graveside services will be held on Friday, August 5, 2016 10:00am at Orange Hill Cemetery in Williston, Florida. Services are under the Professional Care of Carnegie Funeral Home 217 SE 4th Ave. Chiefland, Florida. 'Providing Everlasting Memories' Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 5 to Aug. 6, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 7, 2016**

# MARKHAM, ROBERT 'STEVE,' 63

Ocala - Robert 'Steve' Markham, 63, went to be with the Lord August 4, 2016. Born March 2, 1953, in Middlesboro, KY to Robert and Martha Jones Markham. He lived in Ocala for the past 16 years. He worked as a Hair Stylist. He was preceded in death by his father, Robert Markham; and brothers, Mark Anthony Markham and David Michael Markham. He is survived by his mother, Martha Markham; and many other family and friends. Graveside services will be at 2:00 p.m., Monday, August 8, 2016 at Dunnellon Memorial Gardens, Dunnellon, FL with Pastor Rex Carringer officiating. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 6 to Aug. 7, 2016

## NORLING, ETHEL (JANE) MAY WILLIAMS

Ocala - Mrs. Ethel (Jane) May Williams Norling of Ocala, FL passed away on July 31, 2016. She was born in Ellwood, PA on July 24, 1932. She was a homemaker most of her life. In her later life she worked at Cypress Gardens in Winter Haven, FL. She was a Lutheran most of her life. She made a change a few years ago to the Ft. King Presbyterian Church in Ocala and sang in their choir. She was the third of twelve children. She moved here in 2005. Ethel is survived by her eight children, four daughters, Debra Jane LaMothe, Charlene Sue DePaul, Patti Joe Beckwith and Kathy Ann Atcheson; four sons, Thomas Dale Norling, Timothy Bates Norling, Theodore Alexander Norling and Tyler Christian Norling; twelve grandchildren, Harold, Christina, Ronald, Keith Daniel, Nichole, Tina, Heather, Reid, Jenny, Christopher Livingston, Alexandra, Shelby and Ashton; twelve great grandchildren. A graveside service will take place at Florida National Cemetery 6502 SW 102nd Avenue in Bushnell, FL. on August 8, 2016 at 10AM. Roberts Funeral Homes West Chapel (352) 854-2266 made the arrangements. To leave condolences: robertsfuneralhomes.com

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 8, 2016**

## CASS, MARIE ALLISON, 75

Marie Allison Cass, 75, of Ocala, passed away on Wednesday, August 3, 2016. Marie was born in Madison County North Carolina and has lived in Ocala since 1984. Through her employment with Wilkor as a jewelry store liquidator Marie got her first taste of

Ocala. Choosing to stay, Marie took the position of office manager at Moorhead Engineering and thrived there for over 18 years. She was an active member in her church, Grace Episcopal, for over 20 years and the ministry Daughters of the King. When not involved in her church or work you could find her in the garden or relaxing reading a book. Once she was caught saying 'To hell with the grocery store let's go to the bookstore!' and this is truly how she lived her life. Marie is survived by her daughter Allison Southerlin of Clearwater, FL and grandchildren Liza Allison of Ocala, FL and Devin Southerlin of Gainesville, FL and great granddaughter Ryleigh Southerlin of Callahan, FL. A memorial service will be held on Tuesday, August 9, 2016 at 3:00 pm, at Grace Episcopal Church, 510 SE Broadway St. Ocala, FL 34471. In lieu of flowers donations are encouraged for the Grace Scholarship Fund to benefit Liza Allison. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Ocala, FL (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com

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## FLANDERS, EARL LANGDON 'SPANKY,' 88

Ocala - Earl Langdon Flanders 'Spanky,' 88, of Ocala, passed away on Wednesday, June 8, 2016 at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Earl was a native of Hanover, New Hampshire and moved to this area in 2009. He was a proud veteran of The United States Navy. Spanky enjoyed golf, fishing, playing cards and spending time with friends and family. He was a banker at New Hampshire Savings Bank in Concord, NH and was a Commercial Real Estate Developer in both Concord and Marco Island, FL. Survivors include sons, Mark Flanders and Matthew Flanders (Linda); daughter, Martha Sabol (Richard); grandchildren, Allan Flanders, Andrea Flanders, Kathryn Sabol and Rachel Flanders; nephew, Doug Snowling; nieces, Sandy Wiggin, Judy Donahue and Katherine Davis. He is preceded in death by his wife of 65 years, Dorothy Jane Flanders. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Florida Center for the Blind, Ocala, www.flblind.org, or The Honor Flight, honorflight.org/donate-now/. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, August 13, 2016 at 11 AM, located at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 1511 Buenos Aires Blvd., The Villages. Arrangements under the care of Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, The Villages. Online condolences may be sent hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 7 to Aug. 8, 2016

## KNOPE, COLONEL JOHN KING USMC

Following the orders of His Heavenly Father, Colonel John King Knope filed his final flight plan to pass peacefully from the University of Virginia Medical Center in Charlottesville, Virginia. After loosing a protracted battle with Parkinson's disease he was welcomed to his heavenly home to join his parents, and three sons on July 3, 2016 at the age of 86. King was born January 24, 1930 to John W. and Rose K. Knope in East Chicago, Indiana. He subsequently moved to Ocala, Florida where he attended Blessed Trinity Academy and Saint Leo Prep School in Saint Leo, Florida, graduating with the class of 1948. Entering the University of Florida that fall, he studied engineering for three years, before his passion to fly high-performance aircraft persuaded him to enroll in the Naval Air Cadet program in Pensacola, Florida directly following graduation. He received his wings of gold in 1954 and was commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the United

States Marine Corps. He then embarked on a career objective to fly every type of aircraft the Marines Corps possessed, which he accomplished. As a C-130 pilot and squadron commander, he saw extensive service in Vietnam during several tours, winning numerous decorations, including several air medals: the Presidential Unit Citation, the Combat Action Medal, the Vietnam Meritorious Gallantry Cross, and two Distinguish Flying Crosses. One of the Distinguish Flying crosses was awarded for actions performed during the siege of the Khe Sanh, where a marine regiment was isolated and completely surrounded by North Vietnamese Forces. The only means of supplying the beleaguered marines and removing the wounded was by air, using a rough dirt air strip under continuous enemy fire. Colonel Knope retired from the U.S. Marine Corps in 1978, after 27 years of service. He continued to fly, pursuing his love of flying, by joining several different contract air carriers; flying medical, food, and clothing supplies into central Africa under the auspices of UNICEF and other relief agencies. After accumulating in excess of 24,000 hours of flying time, King retired from flying and became the owner of Phoenix Travel Agency in Ocala. His love for his church and other people led him to befriend and give to many in need. He was a life member of the Elks Club and the Knights of Columbus. He continued to live out the role of the Good Samaritan until Parkinson's permanently grounded him. King lived his final six years in the loving care of his daughter, Kim in Lexington, Virginia. He was preceded in death by three loving sons: Michael, Craig, and Paul Knope. He is survived by his daughter Susan Kimberly Silvea and husband, Eric of Lexington, Virginia; two adored granddaughters, Ashley Wykle and husband Jesse of Virginia Beach, Virginia and Allison Powers of Ocala, Florida; a precocious great grandson, August Wykle; his sister Rosemary K. Trippe and husband, Sam of Easton, Maryland; their five children and nine grandchildren. A Funeral Liturgy will be celebrated Wednesday, August 10, 2016 at 12:00 noon at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala, Florida. Interment will take place at a later date at Ascension Cemetery in Lake Forest, California. In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be made in King's name to Blessed Trinity Catholic Church or your favorite charity. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 7 to Aug. 8, 2016

#### **MCLUCAS, DOROTHY VIRGINIA FORT, 92**

Ocala - Dorothy Virginia Fort McLucas was born in Ocala, FL on October 29, 1923 and passed away Friday, August 5, 2016. She graduated from high school and married her childhood sweetheart, Jack McLucas on May 9, 1942. Jack and Virginia spent many years traveling the world as Jack pursued his career in the U.S. Air Force. They lived in Japan, the Philippines and several U.S. states. Upon Jack's retirement in 1970 they returned to their home on Lake Weir. Virginia was a proud member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, United Daughters of the Confederacy, the Mayflower Society and the Woman's club of south Marion and Ocala. She was a member of the 1st Christian Church and a proud Gator fan. Virginia was predeceased by her husband of 73 years, Jack McLucas. She is survived by her children, Jack McLucas (Suzi), Jana Harrison (Jimmy) and Jennifer Lee (Ed); seven grandchildren; eighteen great grandchildren; and two great great grandchildren. Special thanks to all of Virginia's caregivers the last several years, Debbie Schumar, Touching Hearts at Home (Jim, Mary, and Lennae) and the wonderful staff at the Windsor of Ocala. Your loving care and compassion is greatly appreciated by Virginia's family. The family will be having a gathering at Hiers-Baxley

Funeral Chapel on Wed, August 10, 2016 from 9:00 am to 10:00 am with Virginia's funeral service starting at 10:00 am at 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. All her friends are welcome to attend and celebrate her life with the family. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL 352-629-7171

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# **RHODES, KERRY ALLEN, 66**

Rhodes, Kerry Allen, 66 of Ocala passed away surrounded by his loving family on Friday, August 5 th , 2016. No more Doctors, no more meds, no more silly jokes. Kerry was part owner of Quest Avionics at the Ocala International Airport and proudly served in the US Navy for 25 years where he was stationed on Midway Island and monitored war games in the Pacific. Kerry is survived by his caring wife, Jill Bennett-Rhodes; his children Jake and Kyle Rhodes; his step-children Scott and Lori Butler; his sister Donna Haynes(Clark); his in-laws William Bennett(Michelle), Barbara LaBeur (Duane) and Christine LaBeur-Schofield; Several loving nieces, nephews and friends. Kerry's sweet spirit will be celebrated at the family home on Tuesday, August 9 th from 4:00pm to 6:00pm. Memorial contributions can be made to hospice of Marion County. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes, 606 SW 2 nd Ave, Ocala, FL 34471 (352)622-4141. Please sign Kerry's online guestbook at www.robertsfuneral homes.com

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# NAGY, SYLVIA ANN, 71

Ocala - Sylvia Ann Nagy, 71, of Oak Run, Ocala, FL was lifted up to Heaven on Wednesday, July 20, 2016 while she was under the care of Legacy House, Ocala, FL She was the wife of Joseph Nagy for 50 years. Born in Cleveland, OH she was a daughter of the late John and Anna Keglovich. Sylvia was an active member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala serving on the Financial Committee for 15 years and volunteered her services to the many needs at Queen of Peace. She played tennis, golf and was an avid sewer making curtains and quilts. She was a care giver to many people's needs. She was a very loving and caring person who will be missed by her family, her many friends and church family. Sylvia will be deeply missed by her husband, Joe; and sister, Fran Stepic (Raymond); sister-in-law, Barbara Keglovich. She was a dear aunt to John (Catherine) Keglovich; Kristen (Shelly) Keglovich; Megan (Jayson) Rogers; Brianne (Dustin) Zuravel, Kenneth (Renee) Tomco; Sharon (Jerry) Pusz and great aunt to Viktor Rogers and many other great-nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her sister, Mildred Tomco; and brother, James Keglovich. A Memorial Mass will be held on Thursday, August 11, 2016 at 8:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala, FL. Arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services-Timber Ridge. In lieu of flowers contributions in her memory may be sent to the American Cancer Society or Hospice of Marion County and would be greatly appreciated. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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#### DANLEY, MARVIN, 87

Ft. McCoy - Marvin Danley, 87, of Ft. McCoy passed away August 7, 2016 at his home. Born in Apalachicola, FL, he has lived throughout Florida his entire live. He was a US Army Air Corps Veteran of WWII and owned and operated his tile and marble business for more than 50 years. Mr. Danley had a love of the river and the woods. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, spending time outdoors with friends and family and a cold beer and a cigarette. He is survived by his daughters, Betty Jo Dugue, Judy Percy and Claudia Boutwell; 13 grandchildren, 26 great grandchildren; and two great great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Frances Danley; and his sons, Bobby and Billy Danley. He will be remembered as loving, loyal and strong. Mr. Danley will be interred at a later date at Ft. McCoy Cemetery. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funerals and Cremation, Ocala.

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## NEUFELD, THOMAS C., 57

Ocala - Thomas C. Neufeld, 57 of Ocala, Florida passed away on July 30, 2016 at his home with his family by his side. Tom was born in Minnesota and moved to Ocala in 1979. Tom was a retired Police officer for the Ocala Police Department for 35 years, worked for 11 years for the College of Central Florida CJI program, and 10 years in Ocala at the Harley Dealership. Tom was very active in the community as mentor and coach to many people. He was a master instructor with the college and Harley Davidson. He is survived by his wife, Ronaele Neufeld of Ocala, FL; son, Seth; father, Carl Neufeld of FL; sister, Debbie and husband, along with many nieces and nephews. The family will be having a celebration of life service on Friday, August 12, 2016 at 4:00 PM at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. All of Tom's friends are welcome to attend and celebrate with the family of Tom's life. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to the Ocala Lodge #129 of the Fraternal Order of the Police. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL 352-629-7171

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#### **O'CONNOR, ROBERT OWEN**

Ocala - Robert Owen O'Connor died August 8, 2016 at Hospice. Born to Edward J. O'Connor and Gloria Lillick on November 22, 1942 in Astoria, NY. Robert was a Detective for NYPD and a Deputy for Marion County Sheriff's Department. He enjoyed to fish and raise chickens. He was also an avid wood carver and history buff. Robert was preceded in death by daughter, Elizabeth O'Connor Sangster. He is survived by his loving wife, Maureen A. O'Connor; daughters, Cassandra Brown (Thomas), Kathleen Rose Vernace (Anthony), Margaret McHugh (James); brothers, Michael O'Connor (Cathy), Daniel O'Connor; sisters, Maureen Prefountine, Gloria O'Connor, Eileen O'Connor, Susan O'Connor; and several grandchildren. Funeral Mass will be held Thursday, August 11, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church Ocala, FL. Burial will follow Friday, August 12 at 2:00 in North Lauderdale, Fl at Our Lady Queen of Heaven

Cemetery. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 10 to Aug. 11, 2016

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# ALLIGOOD, BARBARA LEE, 62

Ocala - Barbara Lee Alligood, 62, went to be with our Lord and Savior on August 10, 2016. Born in Mansfield, Ohio to Ruby Jewel Barker on August 14, 1953. She moved to Ocala, FL in 1984. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Silver Springs. Barbara enjoyed gardening and taking care of her church's grounds. She is survived by her loving husband, Clif; daughters, Terri Sydenstricker (Steve), Lisa Weber (Robert); son, Jason Alligood (Shelly); twelve grandchildren; and ten great-grandchildren. Funeral Service will be held on Friday, August 12, 2016 at 11:00 am, at First Baptist Church of Silver Springs. Visitation will begin one hour prior.

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# FISH, WILLIAM 'BILL,' 92

Ocala - William 'Bill' Fish, 82, passed away Monday night, August 8, 2016. He was born in Baker County on August 17, 1933 to Benjamin Gay Foy and Sarah Canady Fish. He was one of 12 children. He is survived by four sisters, Cherie Pearson, Typhnes Midkiff (Don), Joyce Thrift and Ellender Lee; his loving wife of 58 years, Betty; their two children, Tim and Connie Sauls; four grandchildren; and one great grandchild. Bill was a long time resident of Anthony, FL. He spent his career as a respected educator and became Superintendent of Marion County Schools from 1972 - 1976. Other achievements include member of the Ocala Shrine Club (past President), Ocala Kiwanis Club (past President and Director), and Mason (past President). Services will be held at Anthony United Methodist Church Saturday August 13, 2016, visitation at 11:00am, memorial service at 12:00pm with Pastors Don Pratt and Pastor Samuel W. Clements officiating. Graveside burial to follow in Anthony Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to: Alzheimer's Association Central & North Florida Chapter 2180 W State Road 434, Suite 1100 Longwood, FL 32779.

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# FLUKER, DAVID SHEROD

Ocala - Brother David Sherod Fluker, passed away August 3, 2016. Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, August 13, 2016 at 11:00 AM at the Greater Hopewell Missionary Baptist Church, 515 Morthwest 6th Terrace, Ocala, FL 34475, Dr. Edward Bland, Pastor, officiating.

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# GILBERT, MARY L., 92

Boardman - Mary L. Gilbert, 92, passed away August 6, 2016. Life Celebration for Ms. Gilbert will be held on Saturday, August 13, 2016, 11am at Zion Bethel Baptist Church, 21035 Hwy 441 N, Boardman, Florida, Revered Joe McFadden, Sr., Pastor. Reverend Jonathan Mosley will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at Zion

Bethel Baptist Church at 10:30am on Saturday for the services. No viewing following the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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# LALONDE, ALFRED

Anthony - After years of coping with numerous health issues, Al peacefully passed away at home while watching the evening news with his wife. His dream of retiring to a peaceful lifestyle in the country was fulfilled when he and his wife moved from Boca Raton to Anthony twelve years ago. When he wasn't at home with his horse, Princess, and Sasha, his beloved dog, Al kept himself busy maintaining rental properties for his friend, Fred Wright of Fred Wright Realty, Inc. He was born in Huntington, Quebec to George and Aline Lalonde. He was preceded in death by his brother, Bill. Al is survived by his loving wife, JoAnn; his sisters, Rachelle Lataeille, Nichole Cosgrove, Albeit Demers and Odette Lalonde, whom continue to live in Canada. He also is survived by numerous nieces and nephews. A celebration of his life will be held at Sparr Baptist Church, Sparr, FL Saturday, August 13, 2016 at 11:00 am.

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# MELLS, DARRELL (BOSS) SHEROD, 52

Ocala - Darrell (Boss) Sherod Mells, 52, passed away on July 30, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories daughters, Dorielle Burley Gaskin, Jasmine Burley, Tatianna Smith, and Diamond Burley; stepdaughter, Rosheeka Boone; son, Kent Foster; 16 grandchildren; father, Allison Mells; Life-partner, Silviaette Gaskin; sister, Viva Mells-Mack, Rhonda Burley, and Patrice Burley; brothers, Allison Mells, Elliot Mack, and Bobby Lee Burley, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral service will be held Saturday, August 13, 2016 at 1:00pm at Zion United Methodist Church. Visitation will be Friday, August 12, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 3:00pm-5:00pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 11 to Aug. 12, 2016

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## CRAMER, WILLIAM EDWARD, 81

Ocala - William Edward Cramer, 81, of Ocala died Monday, August 8, 2016. William was born November 17, 1934 in Waterbury, CT to the late Frederick and Jessie (Richmond) Cramer. After high school, he joined the United States Marines Corp and served his country as a Radioman during the Korean Conflict. He worked for many years for the Xerox Company before retiring. He enjoyed swimming and spending time with his friends. William is survived by his longtime companion, Euclide Robichaud; a niece, Judy Lucker and nephew, Fred Cress. A life celebration will be held 10AM, Tuesday, August 16, 2016 at St. Matthews Lutheran Church, 3453 E. Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 12 to Aug. 13, 2016

## DAYNER, DORIS B., 98

Dunnellon - Doris B. Dayner born on December 21, 1917 passed away at the age of 98

on August 10, 2016. Born in Warren, Ohio, daughter of Stella and Burt W. Burbank. Doris had seven brothers and sisters. She was married to Louis Dayner in 1940 and had two children a son, Broox Dayner of Wildwood, Florida and a daughter, Patricia Dayner-Sivil of Dunnellon, Florida; also a granddaughter, two great granddaughters; and a great great grandson. Doris settled in Florida 1954 in Winter Park where she worked at the Chamber of Commerce, from there to her own ad agency called Dayner/Hall. She retired in 1987. Doris was active in sports for ladies basketball, softball, golf and league bowling until age 94. She was a member of the Winter Park Realtors Association and a volunteer at Winter Park Hospital. Doris was a member of the Dunnellon Presbyterian Church. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 12 to Aug. 13, 2016

# KITZER, LILY, 95

Ocala - Lily Kitzer, 95, died Monday, August 8, 2016 in Ocala, FL. She was the loving wife of Bill, who predeceased her. She is survived by her sister, Ida Rosendahl of Ocala, FL; niece, Cheryl Adams of Skokie, Ill; and nephew, Joseph Adams of Royal Oak, MI. A graveside service will be held at Florida National Cemetery, 6502 SW 102nd Avenue, Bushnell, FL, on Thursday, September 1, 2016 at 1:30 p.m. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 12 to Aug. 13, 2016

# PRIEST, JOYCE ANN CANNON, 61

Anthony - Joyce Ann Cannon Priest, 61, of Anthony, FL passed away August 8, 2016 at Hospice. Born to Daniel C. Cannon, II and Joyce Williams Cannon on May 8, 1955 in Bartow, FL. Joyce graduated from Vanguard High School in 1973. Joyce was a Rural Carrier for 28 years and a Rural Mail Carrier Academy Instructor for USPS. An avid fan of Nascar's Tony Stewart. She loved Clemson Tigers football. She also enjoyed camping and hiking in the mountains. As a teenager she sang for 'One in the Spirit' music group and continued to sing at church throughout her life. Joyce was very involved in ministry and compelling people to come to church. She would provide transportation for those who needed a way to church. Joyce was preceded in death by her father, Daniel C. Cannon, II. She is survived by her loving husband of 40 years, Douglas; mother, Joyce Williams Cannon; son, Clayton D. Priest (Andrea); daughter, Leslie Ann Munden (Travis); brothers, Daniel C. Cannon, III (Paula), Lt. Col. Williams Robert Cannon (Lori); sister, Cheryll D. Cannon; and numerous nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Ocala Springs Baptist Church - Building Fund. 5000 NE 36th Ave Ocala, FL 34479. Visitation will be held Friday, August 12, 2016 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Memorial service will be held Saturday, August 13, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. at Unity Baptist Church, Anthony, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 10 to Aug. 13, 2016

## WHORF, LORRAINE P., 94

Ocala - Lorraine 'Lorrie' P. Whorf, 94, passed away peacefully in her sleep on August 5, 2016, at Estelle's House, Hospice of Marion County in Ocala. Born in San Francisco on June 28, 1922, Lorrie graduated from Sequoia High School in Redwood City, CA, and remained lifelong friends with many of her classmates. In 1942, Lorrie met and fell in love with her husband, William H. Whorf, a U.S. Marine. Together, they had a wonderful life raising their three children, and Lorrie took great pleasure in entertaining any guest

who entered their door. Lorrie had a passion for swing music, theatre, mystery novels, bird watching, and cooking. Moving to Ocala in 1981, Lorrie was a longtime volunteer at Munroe Regional Medical Center. Her laugh was infectious, her smile was contagious, and her zest for life was palpable. She was truly one of a kind and lived each day to its fullest - advice she would impart upon anyone. Lorrie was predeceased by her husband of 63 years, William. She is survived by her daughters, Carol (Peter) Ogden of Richfield, MN, and Nancy Brett (Jay Hulet) of Ocala, FL; and her son, William (Deborah) Whorf of Ojai, CA. She is also survived by five grandchildren, Julie (Park Armstrong) Ogden, Eric Ogden (Sunny LeHeureux), Kiersta (Marshall) Tibbetts, Ian Halseth, and W.J. Whorf; one great grandchild, Ronan Armstrong; and numerous nieces and nephews. Special thanks to all of Lorrie's caregivers at Estelle's House. Your loving care and compassion to Lorrie and her family is greatly appreciated. There will be a private service at Skylawn Memorial Park in San Mateo, CA, at a later date. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services of Ocala.

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#### ALDRICH, WARREN F., 93

Candler - Warren F. Aldrich, age 93, a resident of Candler, FL, passed away on August 5, 2016, at his home. Warren was a native of Amsterdam, New York, and was a U. S. Navy veteran. He moved to this area from Miami after retiring from Eastern Air Lines in 1979, as a Planner, was an active member of the Eastern Airlines Retirement Association, and the American Legion Post 284 in Belleview. He was also an Apprentice Machinist with General Electric Company in Scotia, N. Y., and began a Service Master franchise in Miami before joining Eastern. He was a former golf member at Pine Oaks Golf Club, and enjoyed his farm and animals, including horses and cows. He is survived by his wife, Erna, of 44 years; daughter, Karen Delvac (John); son, Gary W. Aldrich (Nina); stepchildren, Robert A. McBride (Maria), Susan E. King and Amy L. O'Day (Michael); seven grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren; and his sister, Elsie Corcuera of Amsterdam, NY He was preceded in death by his brothers, Merton and Robert Aldrich. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. A Celebration of Life will be held at Roberts Funeral Home (East) on Maricamp Road, Ocala, on Saturday, August 13, 2016 from 4:00 to 6:00 P. M.

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## JONES, ROBERT 'BOB,' 71

Dunnellon - Mr. Robert 'Bob' Jones, 71, of Dunnellon, passed away Thursday, August 11, 2016 at Legacy Hospice House. A native of Massachusetts, he moved to Dunnellon in 1980, coming here from South Florida. He was the owner/operator of Dunnellon Auto Upholstery. He was a member of Friendship Lodge # 53 F. & A.M. in Fellowship. Survivors include his wife, Peggy Jones; his daughter, Crystal McWatters and her husband, Todd: two sisters; and five grandchildren. Memorial Services for Mr. Jones will be held at 4 PM Monday, August 15, 2016, at the Dunnellon Masonic Lodge, Powell Road. Dunnellon. Condolences for the family may be left at www.robertsofdunnellon.com

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## MCWILLIAMS, CYNTHIA LYNN, 60

Ocala - Cynthia Lynn McWilliams, 60, of Ocala was called home Tuesday, August 9, 2016 with her family by her side. Cynthia was born October 21, 1955 in Mansfield, Ohio to the late Madelyn and Frederick Thomas. She moved to Ocala in 1971 and graduated from Vanguard High School. She received her Bachelor's degree from St. Leo University with Summa Cum Laude honors. Cynthia worked in the Marion and Putnam County Public School System for 12 years. She enjoyed spending time with her family, pets, gardening and going to the beach. Cynthia is survived by her loving husband of 35 years, Leonard; three devoted children, Jason, Joshua and Jenna McWilliams; one cherished grandson, Jordon Johnson; her brother, Chris Thomas and niece, Jessica Daisi. Private services will be held with friends and family. To share a memory with the family visit www.BaldwinCremation.com

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 15, 2016**

## **BRESKY, DOROTHY FABRICANT, 94**

Ocala - Dorothy Bresky nee Fabricant born July 19, 1922 in Newark, NJ, died August 10, 2016 in Atlanta, GA. She was the daughter of Nathan and Esther Fabricant, youngest of seven brothers and sisters, and last surviving member of her immediate family. She is predeceased by her husbands, Harold Shapiro and Bernard Bresky; and her son, Stephen Shapiro. She is survived by her daughter, Vicki (Alan) Goldenberg; her two sons, Michael (Mila) Shapiro of Hernando, FL, and William Shapiro of San Rafael, CA. She leaves behind six grandchildren, including, Gregg (Freddy) Goldenberg of Atlanta, GA, Scott (Krista) Goldenberg of Staunton, VA, Amy Goldenberg (Chuck) Fox of Atlanta, GA, and Jacob, Emma, and Cora Shapiro; and seven great-grandchildren. She graduated from Southside High School in Newark, NJ, at the age of 16. Dorothy was a homemaker and working mom who loved to travel. She was a lovely, strong, determined and clever lady. She was an adventurous spirit with many creative outlets ans a devoted long time member of Temple Bnai Darom of Ocala, FL. A private graveside funeral was held at Arlington Cemetery in Atlanta, GA, on Friday, August 12, 2016.

## **DROST, DOROTHY M., 84**

Ocala - Dorothy M. Drost, 84, of Ephrata, passed away on Thursday, August 11, 2016, at Ephrata Manor. She was born in Rocky Point Long Island, NY to the late Ethlebert and May (Wood) Davis and was the wife of the late Robert L. Drost who passed away in 2007. Dorothy graduated from Port Jefferson High School in Long Island. She attended Sunday School for ladies at E.C. Nazarene. She was a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of Post 4209 VFW Ocala, FL, Lititz Senior Citizens (Friendly Circle), and Golden Years at the Ephrata Recreation Center. She enjoyed gardening, feeding and watching birds, eating out, and doing puzzles. After retirement she also lived in Ocala, FL for 20 years. Dorothy is survived by a daughter, Cheryl Eckenroth of Ephrata; two sons, Kevin, husband of Dina Drost of Shenandoah Junction, WV, and Darin, husband of Michelle

Drost of Brickerville; three granddaughters, and two great-granddaughters. A visitation will be held on Wednesday, August 17, 2016, from 10:30 to 11:00 am at the Roseboro Stradling Funeral Home, 533 Walnut St., Denver. A memorial service will follow at 11:00 am. Private interment will take place in the Indiantown Gap National Cemetery in Annville. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Dorothy's memory may be made to AseraCare Hospice, 280 Granite Run Dr., #180, Lancaster, PA 17601. Arrangements by Roseboro Stradling Funeral & Cremation Services, Inc., Denver. Online condolences can be given at roseborostradling.com.

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## **REEVES, VIVIAN FAY, 85**

Ocala - Vivian Fay Reeves, 85, passed away peacefully at home on August 3, 2016 with her husband by her side. Vivian was born on September 16, 1930 in Lumberton, New Jersey. She retired from sales at Silver Springs Attractions. Survived by her loving husband, Maurice; daughters and family including eight grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren. Visitation will be Monday, August 15, 2016 from 12 pm to 1pm at Roberts Funeral Home, Bruce East Chapel. Internment at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell.

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# WADDINGTON, LOTTIE SUMNER, 92

Summerfield - Lottie Sumner Waddington died August 9, 2016 at Hospice of Marion County in Summerfield, Florida, with her loving family at her bedside. Lottie was born September 15, 1923 in Mathis, Texas. She attended Southwestern University in Brownsville, Texas where she majored in Business, sang in the college chorus, served as president of the Independents and was named in Who's Who of American Colleges. In the summer of 1943, the Navy sent their new V-12 unit recruits to Southwestern for summer classes, which caused a dramatic increase in the number of coeds who decided to attend summer school. It was during this summer that Lottie met, and six months later married, a sailor from Florida, William B. 'Bill' Sumner. After Bill's service in WWII ended, the couple moved to Ocala in 1946 where they established A-2-Z Pest Control, a business they owned and operated for more than 40 years. Her hospitality and outgoing personality led her to start a monthly women's book club that continues to meet after more than 50 years. She and Bill also organized a couples' supper club whose 52 original members have gathered monthly throughout the past five decades. Central to her life and her family was the homestead she and Bill built on Little Lake Weir where they raised their children and hosted their grandchildren. Countless parties, holidays, Sunday suppers and family celebrations were enjoyed there and many memories made. Lottie loved dancing, socializing, cooking and entertaining and was a wonderful friend to many. Her humor, optimism, perseverance and vibrancy were greatly appreciated and will be deeply missed. Lottie was predeceased by her son, Billy in 1953; her husband, Bill Sumner in 1987; and her second husband, Bill Waddington in 2013. She is survived by three sons, Don Sumner (SukHui) of Dubai, Scott Sumner (Kathy) of Ocala, Mark Sumner, overseas; two daughters, Linda Weinberg (Tom) of Cocoa Beach, and Laura Truax (Terry) of Chicago; 13 grandchildren and four great grandchildren. The family will be greeting friends and relatives at a visitation at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala on Tuesday, August 16, 2016 from 5 to 7pm. Funeral services will be held at First United Methodist Church of Ocala at 10:00am on Wednesday, August 17, 2016 with reception to follow. Burial will be at Hillcrest Cemetery in Ocala. Memorial gifts in Lottie's honor may be made to The Appleton Museum of Art, 4333 E Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, 34470; Ocala Civic Theatre, 4337 E Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala 34470; or to Hospice of Marion County, 3231 SW 34th Avenue, Ocala 34474. Lottie enjoyed many years of excellent health and the family extends their deepest appreciation to Dr. Claudia Emmons and her staff for the competent and compassionate health care given to their mother. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# HALE, LEE R., 85

Ocala - Lee R. Hale, 85, of Ocala passed away August 14, 2016. Born in Lafayette, IN, he came to this area in 1997 from Burtonsville, MD. He was Lutheran by faith and was a retired meat cutter for A&P Grocery. Lee was a member of the Cherrywood community and participated in many of the activities there. He especially enjoyed golf and dancing. He is survived by his loving wife of 68 years, Connie; children, Connie Lee Lilley (Norman) of Boonsboro, MD, Ronald Gary Hale of Point of Rocks, MD, Robin Lou Downey (Don) of Centerville, MD and Deborah Lynn Geisz (Bradford) of Point of Rocks, MD; 10 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren. There are no local funeral services. He will be interred at Fort Lincoln Cemetery in Brentwood, MD. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers Funerals & Cremation 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala 236-5884. A condolence message may be left at www.baldwincremation.com

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 18, 2016**

## FRETT, JOSEPH, 87

Ocala - Joseph was a loving father to Gerald (Annie) Frett, Karen Frett, Joseph Frett and Betitto Fret. He migrated to Bronx, NY where he met and married Helen Blige. From this union came forth two daughters, Dorain Hillary, Darlene Frett and three sons, Derrick, Daryl and Dale Frett. He leaves behind one brother, Leroy (Vicky) Frett; two sisters, Naomi Patterson and Magerita Blyden; 22 grandchildren, 26 great-grandchildren and a host of nieces and nephews. Public visitation will be held 12:00 noon - 5:00 pm on Wednesday, August 17, 2016 at Summers Funeral Home. Services will be at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, August 18, 2016 at Shiloh SDA Church, 500 SW 17th Avenue, Ocala, FL. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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# TAYLOR, RONALD J., 79

Ocala - Ronald J. Taylor, born June 27, 1937 in Frostburg, Maryland; died August 6, 2016 in Ocala, Florida, son of Elmer & Margaret Taylor of Wrights Crossing, Maryland. He was a Chief Master Sergeant in the US Air Force and retired after 32 years of honorable service to our country. He served as commander of local VFW Post 4781 for several years and was a prominent member of the honor guard. He is survived by his beloved wife of 36 years, Margie, originally of Whitefield, Maine; brother, Greg; and sister, Jane; sons, Mark, Scott, Jeff, Wesley, and Mike; daughter, Deanna; grandchildren, Joey, Autumn, Caleb, Gabby, Myles, Chloe, Jason, Brian, and Lauren. Graveside service will be Friday, August 19, 2016 at 11:00 AM at Florida National Cemetery. Celebration of life will be held at the VFW Post 4781 Angela Santos Friday, August 19, 2016 at 2:30 PM. In lieu of flowers please send donations to VFW Post 4781, 9401 SW 110th St., Ocala, FL 34478. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 16 to Aug. 18, 2016

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 19, 2016**

# **TROWERS III, BOSWELL E., 60**

Ocala - Boswell E. Trowers III, 60, passed away on August 10, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories beloved wife, Cindy R. Trowers: daughter, Ashley Trowers; stepdaughter, Stacia Frederick; three grandchildren; sisters, Jacqueline Maisey and Jewel Escobar; sister-in-laws, Jacqueline Trowers and Beverly Smith; five nephews; three nieces; and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral service will be held Saturday, August 20, 2016 at 10:30a.m. at House of God Keith Dominion Church. Viewing will be held Thursday, August 18, 2016 at Welcome Stranger Missionary Baptist Church from 6pm-8pm. Visitation will be Friday, August 19, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10:30a.m.-5:00p.m. Professional services entrusted to New Serenity Memorial Funeral Home and Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 18 to Aug. 19, 2016

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 20, 2016**

## FAKE, DANIEL RAY

Ocala - Daniel Ray Fake, 67, of Ocala, passed away on Saturday, August 13, 2016. Dan was born in Rochester, NY, to Gordon and Margaret Fake and has lived in Ocala since 2002. Dan had a distinguished 30-year career in the Army, serving at duty stations around the country and world, including commanding a battalion in the first Gulf War. He retired a Colonel in 2002. He was stoic, chivalrous, and humble. He was a great leader and family man. His family remembers him as the epitome of an officer and gentleman. He loved golf and traveling around the country to visit loved ones. Dan is survived by his wife, Jill Schulte of Ocala; daughters, Margaret Fake, Danielle Fake-Moorman, and Linda Martinez; sons, Tony Schulte and Adrian Schulte; brothers, Chris and John; sister, Mary; three nephews; two nieces; four grandchildren; and two great grandchildren. No

local services will be held. Daniel will be interred at Arlington National Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Operation Homefront: http://www.operationhomefront.net/waystogive Published in Ocala Star-Banner on Aug. 20, 2016

# GANTT, JAMES RUSSELL

Ocklawaha - James Russell Gantt, 81, of Ocklawaha, passed away on Thursday, August 18, 2016. James was born in Knoxville, TN to James and Elsie Gantt and lived in Ocklawaha most of his life. He owned Sandman Construction Company and retired in the mid nineties. He loved God and family and enjoyed wood working and conducting his amusement train. James is survived by his son, Ray Gantt; daughter, Lilli (Donald) Lee; grandchildren, Denver, Dallas, Lynn, and Lauren; great grandchildren, Devin, Austin, Blake, Jaxson, Tyson, and Ava. He was predeceased by his wife, Doris, in 2010. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, August 23, 2016 at 10:00 am, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala. Visitation will be one hour prior. Burial will follow at Moss Bluff Cemetery in Ocklawaha. Memorials can be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# GILBERT, PATRICIA ANN

Ocala - Patricia Ann Gilbert, 70, of Ocala, passed away August 17, 2016. Born in Hialeah, FL, she came to this area in 1972. She was retired from the Marion County Tax Collector's Office and was also a bookkeeper for the family business, Gilbert's Hardware, Ocala. Patricia attended Fair-field, Presbyterian Church and enjoyed fishing and the mountains. She is survived by her husband of 53 years, Tom; children, Sherry L. Barnes (Daniel) of San Antonio, TX and Tommy Gilbert of Ocala; grandchildren, William Barnes, Tyler Gilbert, Trent Gilbert and Zach Barnes. She was preceded in death by her brothers, Jimmy and Buddy Sugg. A Celebration of Patricia's Life will be announced at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. A condolence message may be left at www.baldwincremation.com.

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## **GUDE, GRACIE HENRY TARRANCE NICHOLS, 96**

A Celebration of Life Service for Gracie Henry Tarrance Nichols Gude, 96, who passed peacefully Monday, August 15, 2016 at Halifax Health Hospice Care in Port Orange, FL, will be 12 PM, Friday, August 19, 2016 at Stewart Memorial United Methodist Church. Interment will follow in Greenwood Cemetery. Calling hours will be from 11 AM until service time at the church on Friday. Mrs. Gude was born September 13, 1919 to the late Maggie Henry in Sylvester, GA. She was reared by her late aunt and uncle, Rosa Lee Henry and Bismark Parson, who moved when she was a young child from Winston Salem, N. C. to the Kendrick-Ocala area (Marion County), FL. Gracie had two children, Ted and Sallie, who were born following her marriage to the late Matthew Nichols in Kendrick. Eliza (Liza) and Sam James assisted in the raising of these two young children

on their 22 acre farm in the Jamestown-Kendrick area after she began working in the City of Ocala. In Ocala and later in Daytona Beach, FL, Gracie was as a domestic worker. She accompanied her beach side employer each year and spent summers at their home in Camden, Maine. Gracie enjoyed her interaction with people and never met a stranger. She was fond of her contact with family and friends in Ocala, especially Ira Bell and Mattie May and also the many Nichols and James and Hopkins families and members of the Parson families in Bushnell, FL and Tifton, GA. Soon after moving to Daytona Beach, she became a member of Mt. Bethel Baptist Church on Campbell Street, now South Martin Luther King Boulevard, and later became a member of Stewart Memorial United Methodist Church, on North MLK across from Bethune-Cookman University. She was selected by Stewart's Pastor the Reverend Rogers P. Fair as church leader for the communion stewards support services where she served many years, including traveling with other Stewart pastors to visit the sick and shut-in church members in the Daytona Beach area to bring communion. She enjoyed traveling and attending special events with Sallie and others and she always dressed elegantly for the occasion, with earrings and a brooch required accessories. She was always friendly and smiled easily, yet never missed an opportunity to speak her mind. She claimed many special friends at Stewart Memorial and they shared a mutual deep love and respect with each other. She also valued the friendships of her neighbors, including Agnes Fair, Nellie Smith and Sallie Roberts. The love between her and her grandchildren was always visible, vibrant and often loud, never a dull moment with constant smiles and laughing. Her cousins Eunice Mae and Hubert, with whom she was raised, held a special place in heart. Those she leaves who will cherish her memory, her devoted son and daughter, Ted Nichols and Sallie Nichols Shelton Culver; a beloved sister, Mary Nichols, Bristow, FL; her beloved grandchildren, Beverly Nichols, Deltona, FL, Danny Knight, Dothan, AL; Jane Nichols (Robert) Gordon, Tallahassee, FL; Lawrence Dan Shelton, Jr., East Point, GA; Marcus Vincent (Sheryl) Nichols, Mt. Dora, FL; Sharon Shelton (Dave) Ponder, East Point, GA; and Tarrance Nichols, Lake City, FL; Audrey Culver Paris Belville, IL; Napolean Bradley, Newville, AL; and Ireatha Culver Youmans; Pearlie Culver Mullins; Quincy Lee (Sonja) Culver, Jr.; all of Daytona Beach, FL. A host of great and great great grandchildren, Rosa Lee Parson of Bushnell, FL and a host other Parson families in Bushnell, FL; Tampa, FL and Tifton, GA; and a host of extended family members and friends in the areas of Daytona Beach, Ocala, and other parts of Florida and Georgia. Her daughter in law, Bessie Nichols Farmer of Dothan, AL and adopted family members, Glenda Warren and her mother, Juanita Warren with whom she often visited, including traveling to Oklahoma and California. Among the special family friends by whom she will also be fondly remembered are her devoted caregivers: Tangela Simms, Hilda Schruggs, and Altamese Gary. Share condolences at www.rjgainousfuneralhome.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 19 to Aug. 20, 2016

## KYLE, SANDRA KAY, 72

Ocala - Sandra Kay Kyle, 72, of Ocala, passed away August 16, 2016. Born in Quitman, GA she has been a longtime resident of Central Florida having lived in Leesburg, Williston and Ocala. She was a retired realtor. She is survived by her children, Robin Robbins of Williston, Dennis Collins (Lenora) of Fruitland Park, FL, Sophia Strickland (Stephen) of Groveland, FL and Lonnie Phillips (Jody) of Gainesville, FL; brother,

Calvin Strickland of Utah; sisters, Pat Smallwood of Lady Lake, FL, Tammie Strickland of Williston and Bonnie Taylor of Weirsdale, FL; seven grandchildren and three great grandchildren. A Celebration of Kay's Life will be held at a later date. A condolence message may be held at www.baldwincremation.com. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers, Ocala 236-5884.

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# LANG, ERISLEE S., 71

Gainesville - Erislee S. Lang, 71, Gainesville, Florida, passed away August 9, 2016 Life Celebration service for Ms. Lang will be held on Saturday, August 20, 2016, 2pm at EWF World Outreach Ministries, 3940 N. US Hwy 441, Ocala, Florida. Bishop Freddie Lofton will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am til 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the EWF World Outreach Ministries Church, Ocala, Florida at 1:30pm to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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# LILES, LINDY PAGE, 34

Ocala - Lindy Page Liles, 34, of Ocala, FL, passed away on Tuesday, Aug. 16, 2016. Lindy was born in Ocala, FL and was a lifelong resident of the area. Lindy was strong and loyal to her family and friends. She is survived by her parents, Gene and Becky Liles, of Ocala, FL; brothers, Rory, his wife, Breezy, and their children, of Ocala, FL, and Jared, his wife, April, and their children, of Boston, MA. The family will be celebrating Lindy's life on Sunday August 21, 2016. A service will be held at Ocala Christian Church at 1:00 PM. A celebration of life will be at Gene and Becky home at 5:00 PM. Family and friends are welcome to attend and celebrate with the family. Donation in lieu of flowers can be made to the Ocala Christian Church building fund in memory of Lindy. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 19 to Aug. 20, 2016

## MARSHALL SR., CHARLES ERVIN

Ocala - Charles Ervin Marshall, Sr., 84, of Ocala, FL, died on August 17, 2016 in Hancock, NH surrounded by his loving family. Charles was born in Niagara Falls, NY on November 30, 1931 the son of Charles R. Marshall and Doris (Morse) Marshall. Charles is survived by his wife, Jane V. Marshall of Ocala, Florida; two sons, Charles Ervin Marshall Jr. of Hancock, NH and Dale Kevin Marshall of Hillsborough, NH; and his brother, George Ashbey of FL. He is predeceased by his sister, Ina Barnes, formerly of TX. Charles will be buried in the New Hampshire State Veteran's Cemetery in Boscowan, NH. Services will be private for the family. In lieu of flowers please send donations to Home Healthcare Hospice & Community Services of Keene N.H. at www.hcsservices.org/ways-to-give. Jellison Funeral Home and Cremation Services is assisting the family with arrangements. To view an online obituary or to leave the family a condolence please visit www.jellisonfuneralhome.com

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## MCKEE, ELLEN LOUISE

Ocala - Ellen Louise McKee, 84, passed away peacefully at home on August 17, 2016. Born in Wooster, Ohio to Walter LeRoy and Eveyln Chloe Harmon on January 25, 1932. She moved to Marion County in 1969. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Walter McKee; and son, Michael. Louise is survived by her son, Douglas McKee; brothers, Richard Harmon, Kenny Harmon, Glenn Harmon, Ronnie Harmon; sister, Pat Olson; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Louise was a long time resident of Ocala, a member of the Ocala Orchid Society, and attended St. John Lutheran Church for 47 years. She will be remembered as loving and kind, and reveled in the lives and accomplishments of her children and grandchildren. Memorial services will be held Monday, August 22, 2016 at 1:30 p.m. at St. John Lutheran Church, Ocala, FL. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home.

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# OLSON JR., DAVID O.

Ocklawaha - Captain David O. Olson, Jr. USNR (Ret), 91, of Ocklawaha, FL, went to be with the Lord on Thursday, July 21, 2016, at Brandley Hospice, Summerfield, FL. He was born in Staten Island, NY, on January 11, 1925, to David O. Olson, Sr. and Johannah V. Olson. A graduate of Kings Point Merchant Marine Academy, Dave spent time in the Merchant Marine during World War II and the Navy during the Korean War. Dave worked for New York Tel and Southern Bell for 35 years, retired from the Naval Reserve after 26 years of service to his country, was a Mason for 70 years, and a member of the Ocala Shrine Club dedicating many years to transporting children to and from the Shriner's Hospital in Tampa, FL. He is preceded in death by his wife, Eileen, of 61 years. Dave is survived by his daughter, Joanne; sons, Bill (Darleen), Eric, and Alan (Holly); beloved companion, Pat; six grandchildren, (Tyler, Andy, Becca, Erin, Lee, and Ingrid); one great grandaughter, Taylor; brother, Robert, and countless brothers and friends of the Masonic Order and Shriners Organization. A Masonic memorial service will be held on Thursday, August 25, 2016, at 3:30 PM followed by a church service, both at Forest United Methodist Church, 17635 E Highway 40, Silver Springs, FL. A military internment will be held at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL, on Friday, August 26, 2016, at 12:30 PM. In lieu of flowers please make donations, in memory of David O. Olson, Jr., to the Shriner's Children's Hospital at Donor Relations Department, Shriners Hospitals for Children, 2900 N. Rocky Point Dr., Tampa, FL 33607, 844-739-0849, donor-relations@shrinenet.org.

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## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 21, 2016**

## FAKE, DANIEL RAY, 67

Ocala - Daniel Ray Fake, 67, of Ocala, passed away on Saturday, August 13, 2016. Dan was born in Rochester, NY, to Gordon and Margaret Fake and has lived in Ocala since 2002. Dan had a distinguished 30-year career in the Army, serving at duty stations around the country and world, including commanding a battalion in the first Gulf War. He retired a Colonel in 2002. He was stoic, chivalrous, and humble. He was a great leader and family man. His family remembers him as the epitome of an officer and gentleman. He loved golf and traveling around the country to visit loved ones. Dan is survived by his

wife, Jill Schulte of Ocala; daughters, Margaret Fake, Danielle Fake-Moorman, and Linda Martinez; sons, Tony Schulte and Adrian Schulte; brothers, Chris and John; sister, Mary; three nephews; two nieces; four grandchildren; and two great grandchildren. No local services will be held. Daniel will be interred at Arlington National Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Operation Homefront: http://www.operationhomefront.net/waystogive

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### SMITH, ALLISON

Ocala - Allison Nicole Smith died on Wednesday, August 17, 2016. Allison was born in Ocala in 1985, she graduated from Forest High School and the University of Florida. She is survived by her husband, Clarence Joseph Smith, her two sons C.J. (4) and Carter (2); her mother, Carol Ann Altenburger; sisters, Laura Cole, Ashley Marrone and Elizabeth Casse; and her dog, Frankie. Her father, Dr. Karl Altenburger, preceded her death. The family would like to thank the community for all of the love and support received. Allison was funny and brilliant - passionate about life, horses, photography, and music but most of all her loving husband and beautiful sons. She is greatly missed and deeply loved; she lives on in the hearts of all she touched. Funeral service will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church at 3:00 PM on Sunday, August 21, 2016, followed by a reception in the Parish Hall. In lieu of flowers, donations would be most appreciated for The Smith Boys Care Fund, c/o Morgan Stanley, 2303 SE 17th Street, Ocala, FL 34471. Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Boulevard. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 22, 2016

# CARIE, DARRELL TIMOTHY, 69

Ocala - Darrell Timothy Carie, passed away on August 10, 2016. Born in Pontiac, MI, he joined the Marines for two years and then was a police officer for 25 years in Pontiac, MI. Retired in Ocala, FL. Survived by his wife, Lillian Carie; daughter, Kristin Carie Hicks and her husband, Matt; two grandsons, Owen and Liam; stepson, Kurt Kuehn and his wife, Amber; two grandsons, Noah and Boston; step daughter, Erika Kolb and her husband, Brian; two grandchildren, Emma and Brayden; sister, Judy Crawford; half sisters Beverly Felice and Janice Tate. Tim served in the U.S Marine Corps from July, 1966 until July, 1968. He received two Purple Hearts. Tim was employed with the City of Pontiac Police Department for 25 years. He also worked for the Michigan Association of Police (MAP), also a professional golf instructor and club fitter for Pro Golf. Tim and Lillian moved from Michigan to Ocala, Florida in 2002 where Tim volunteered at Pine Oaks Golf Course for many years. Service will be held at Bushnell Veteran's Cemetery at gravesite.

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# GILBERT, PATRICIA ANN, 70

Ocala - Patricia Ann Gilbert, 70, of Ocala, passed away August 17, 2016. Born in Hialeah, FL, she came to this area in 1972. She was retired from the Marion County Tax Collector's Office and was also a bookkeeper for the family business, Gilbert's Hardware,

Ocala. Patricia attended Fairfield, Presbyterian Church and enjoyed fishing and the mountains. She is survived by her husband of 53 years, Tom; children, Sherry L. Barnes (Daniel) of San Antonio, TX and Tommy Gilbert of Ocala; grandchildren, William Barnes, Tyler Gilbert, Trent Gilbert and Zach Barnes. She was preceded in death by her brothers, Jimmy and Buddy Sugg. A Celebration of Patricia's Life will be announced at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Hospice of Marion County. A condolence message mav be left at www.baldwincremation.com.

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### **GREGG, VICTORIA JOINER, 83**

Ocala - Victoria Joiner Gregg, 83, passed away at her home in Leesburg, FL on Friday August 12, 2016. Born to Harold and Eleanor McDonald on February 27, 1933 in Ocala FL, she spent her childhood and most of her adult life in her beloved Ocala. Her life was shaped by a tragic accident in which she lost her father and siblings when she was only 12 years old. She was then raised by her loving and faithful mother, attended Ocala High School where she excelled in both academics and athletics, graduating third in her class. While in high school she met the love of her life, Charles Joiner describing their meeting as 'love at first sight.' Soon after, they eloped to Kingsland, GA. and remained married for over 50 years raising four children. After his passing in 2000, Victoria met and married F. Browne Gregg and resided in Leesburg, FL for the remainder of her life. She was a successful business woman, who independently developed an apartment complex and large shopping plaza in Ocala. A loving wife and mother, she enjoyed the company of a close group of loyal friends, meeting weekly for 'Bridge Club' for decades. She also participated in 'supper club,' garden club and countless other social events. While she loved traveling, seeing the world, and supporting her beloved Florida Gators, her greatest love was her family and faithful canine companions. Victoria is survived by her daughter, Victoria (Vicki) Grannan and son-in-law, Paul Grannan of Lecanto, FL; sons, Charles Douglas Joiner III (Doug) and Harold McDonald (Mac) Joiner; grandchildren, Andrew Nicholson, Haley Berthrong (Michael) and Zachary Grannan (Tiffany). She had four great grandchildren, Kyle Nicholson, Summer and Lincoln Berthrong, and Sawyer Grannan. She was preceded in death by loving husbands, Charles Joiner and Browne Gregg; and son, Steven Loy Joiner. Private services were held graveside for the immediate family on Friday, August 19, 2016. As a breast cancer survivor and pet lover, the family requests in lieu of flowers donations be made to American cancer society or the Ocala Humane Society. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL 352-629-7171

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### **GRICE, JAMES LESTER, 93**

Ocala - James Lester Grice, 93 of Ocala, FL passed away on Thursday, August 18th. Lester was born in Enterprise, AL and moved to Ocala after retiring from the Air Force and worked for city Ocala and retired from there after years of service. He enjoyed fishing, camping and restoring old cars. Lester is survived by his devoted wife of 74 years, Agnes Merle Grice of Ocala, FL; daughters, Mary Katherine Brewer(Jerry) of Freeport, FL., Jennifer Bettis(Wayne) of Ocala, FL; grandchildren, Tami McCabe (Joe),

James Norris, Lesley Dunn (Troy), Skyla Govier (Tom), R. Wade Brown (Renee), 13 great grandchildren, one great-great granddaughter. The family will be receiving friends on Sunday August 21, 2016 from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm with services starting at 12:00pm celebrating Lester's life at the Funeral Chapel 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. The comital will be private at the National Cemetery. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice in memory of Lester. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, Ocala, FL 352-629-7171

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# **STERBER, MAUREEN 'TERRY', 84**

Ocala - Maureen T. Sterber, a former technical auditor for the IRS, passed away August 20, 2016. A native of Hempstead, NY, she moved to Ocala with her husband, Roy Sterber, in 1981. In 2007, Mrs. Sterber received the Life Time Member Award from Munroe Regional Medical Center for 6,694 hours of volunteer service. Mrs. Sterber also received the President's Volunteer Service Award signed by President George W. Bush. Mrs. Sterber is survived by family and friends who will always cherish her memories. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Estelle's House, Hospice of Marion County, 2897 SE 62nd Street, Ocala, FL 34480. Both 'Terry' and Roy spent their last days in the loving arms of Estelle's House. Services will be private for immediate family.

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# Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 23, 2016

# OLSON, JR., CAPTAIN DAVID O., USNR (RET), 91

Ocklawaha - Captain David O. Olson, Jr. USNR (Ret), 91, of Ocklawaha, FL, went to be with the Lord on Thursday, July 21, 2016, at Brandley Hospice, Summerfield, FL. He was born in Staten Island, NY, on January 11, 1925, to David O. Olson, Sr. and Johannah V. Olson. A graduate of Kings Point Merchant Marine Academy, Dave spent time in the Merchant Marine during World War II and the Navy during the Korean War. Dave worked for New York Tel and Southern Bell for 35 years, retired from the Naval Reserve after 26 years of service to his country, was a Mason for 70 years, and a member of the Ocala Shrine Club dedicating many years to transporting children to and from the Shriner's Hospital in Tampa, FL. He is preceded in death by his wife, Eileen, of 61 years. Dave is survived by his daughter, Joanne; sons, Bill (Darleen), Eric, and Alan (Holly); beloved companion, Pat; six grandchildren, (Tyler, Andy, Becca, Erin, Lee, and Ingrid); one great grandaughter, Taylor; brother, Robert, and countless brothers and friends of the Masonic Order and Shriners Organization. A Masonic memorial service will be held on Thursday, August 25, 2016, at 3:30 PM followed by a church service, both at Forest United Methodist Church, 17635 E Highway 40, Silver Springs, FL. A military internment will be held at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL, on Friday, August 26, 2016, at 12:30 PM. In lieu of flowers please make donations, in memory of David O. Olson, Jr., to the Shriner's Children's Hospital at Donor Relations Department, Shriners Hospitals for Children, 2900 N. Rocky Point Dr., Tampa, FL 33607, 844-739-0849, donorrelations@shrinenet.org.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 24, 2016**

#### **CREWS SR., WAYNE ELBERT, 62**

Ocala - Wayne Elbert Crews Sr., 62, passed away August 19, 2016 at home. Born March 26, 1954 in Olustee, FL to Elbert and Blanche Harris Crews. He owned and operated Crews Paving Co. and enjoyed fishing. He is survived by his girlfriend, Kay DeLong; son, Wayne E. Crews, Jr.; daughters, Brandi DeLong, Angel Crews, Alyssa Crews, Emily Dodd; brothers, Roy Crews, Bobbie Crews; sisters, Lois Williams, Darlene Weaver, Diane Lewis and seven grandchildren. Memorial Service will be 10:00 a.m., Thursday, August 25, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home.

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### KAIRIES, MARY, 78

Ocala - Mary Kairies, age 78, of Hayward, WI and Ocala, FL passed away Tuesday, August 16, 2016 at her home in Hayward. Mary Taylor was born June 25, 1938 in Glasgow, Scotland, the daughter of John and Mary (Henderson) Taylor. She was raised and attended school in Glasgow until the age of 21 when she moved to Chicago, IL. Mary took a job with Continental Bank where she worked as an Executive Administrator. Mary was joined in marriage to Herbert Kairies on December 20, 1969 in Chicago. Mary and Herbert retired to Ocala, FL where they would spend the winter months and Hayward, WI where they had their summer home. Mary is survived by her daughter, Cherry (Drago) Stanimirovic of Boca Raton, FL; one brother, David Taylor of London, Ontario, Canada; sister-in-law, Jean McGowan of North York, ON; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Herbert; and one brother, James Taylor. A memorial service celebrating Mary's life was held Sunday, August 21, 2016 at the First Lutheran Church in Hayward. In lieu of flowers memorials may be directed to Northwoods Humane Society in Hayward, WI. Online condolences may be left at www.bratley-nelsonchaples.com.

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### PIERPONT, JR., EARL C., 94

Ocala - Earl C. Pierpont, Jr., 94, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on August 17, 2016. Earl was born in Cable, Ohio on March 23, 1922. He was married 56 years to his wife, Joy Pierpont. As a WWII veteran, he served proudly in the US Navy before becoming the Director of Radiology at Riverside Methodist Hospital in Columbus, Ohio. In 1977, Earl retired to Florida and started building residential homes. He attended Central Church of Christ in Ocala, FL. Earl is survived by his wife, Ruying Pierpont; son, Earl C. Pierpont, III; daughter, Carol Martineau; and many grandchildren, great grandchildren and nieces and nephews. The funeral service will be held at 11am, Thursday, August 25, 2016 at Roberts Funeral Home in Ocala, Florida with visitation preceding the service at 10am. Burial will follow the funeral at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens in Ocala, Florida. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Home, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL 622-4141. Please Earl's guestbook 34471. (352)sign online at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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### SCOTT, DONALD LEE, 83

Ocala - Donald Scott Lee, 83, went to be with his Lord and Savior on Monday, August 15, 2016 at 5:45am. He passed away peacefully after a battle with heart problems and kidney failure. Don was born Math 13, 1933 and raised in Springfield, OH, the son of Frances Sr. and Dorothy (Smith) Scott. He leaves his wife, Mae (Davidson) Scott, On Top of the World Communities, Ocala, FL; his sons Lee Scott (Donna), of Westerville, OH, Darryl Scott (Emily), of Akron, OH, and Andrew Scott of Springfield, OH. The world will be a lesser place without him. Services will be held on Thursday, August 25, 2016 at 10:00am at the College Road Baptist Church, 5010 SW College Road (HWY 200), Ocala, FL 34474

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 25, 2016**

### **DILLON, RICHARD**

Ocala - Richard Dillon of Crossville, TN, formally of Ocala, passed away after a short illness at the Cumberland House Hospice. He leaves behind his wife, Treva: daughter, Kelly: grandchildren, Dylan and Anna: and great granddaughter, Michaela. He served in the Korean War and after discharge went to work for Burroughs/Unysis. He worked there for 33 years, and was fortunate enough to take early retirement and move to Florida where he loved salt water fishing. His final wishes were to be cremated and his ashes scattered. He will be sadly missed by family and friends.

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### FORE, KATIE MAE, 98

Ocala - Katie Mae Fore, 98, peacefully passed away at home on August 21, 2016. She was born on Dec. 25, 1917 to Edward and Rachel Pacetti. She was preceded in death by her loving husband of 60 years, Merritt 'Pete' Fore; and her sister, Ivor Freyermuth of Tampa, FL; brother, Edward Pacetti of Jacksonville, FL.; brother, J.L. Pacetti of Chula Vista, CA. Katie is survived by her son, Merritt, Jr., and his wife, Nancy; and her daughter, Karen, and her husband, Winston Needham. She has five grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Katie was born and raised in Ocala. She married Merritt 'Pete' Fore, Sr. in 1942. They were active members of First Baptist Church of Ocala. Nana & Pop spent a great deal of time developing Christian values in their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. She will be greatly missed by all who loved her. The family will receive friends in the sanctuary at 1:00 pm. There will be a celebration of life service for Katie at the First Baptist Church of Ocala on Thursday, August 25, 2016 at 2:00 PM all are welcome to attend that knew her. Donations in lieu of flowers can be made to Hospice of Marion County, Interfaith of Marion County or Florida Elks - Harry-Anna Trust Fund. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL 352-629-7171 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 24 to Aug. 25, 2016

### HARRELL, BELLE T., 103

Ocala - Belle T. Harrell, 103, passed away peacefully August 20, 2016 at Estelle's House. Born May 14, 1913 in Irwin County, GA to Joseph Ephron and Mary Ellen Owens Turner. She worked as a fruit grader in the citrus industry. Her children were her world and she also enjoyed reading and sewing. She is preceded in death by her husband, Willie Harrell. She is survived by her son, Jerry Harrell (Sharon), of Ocala; daughters, Shelby Durden, of Cadwell, GA, Margaret Wood and Judy Ming (Bob), both of Ocala; nine grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and 20 great great-grandchildren. Visitation will be from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m., Thursday, August 25, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Funeral Service will be 10:00 a.m., Friday, August 26, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home with Pastor Mike Patton and Rev. Samuel W. Clements officiating. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL.

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# MCCULLOUGH, SAMUEL DARNELL

Ocala - Samuel Darnell McCullough departed on August 13, 2016. He was born to the late Samuel and Louise Waiter McCullough in Reddick, FL. He was the fourth of 16 siblings. Six siblings preceded him in death. Samuel was married to the late Amazine Overstreet, who preceded him in death as well as a son, Samuel III. Leaving to cherish fond memories are three daughters, Café Anne, Victoria Lashon, and Marsenia Darnett; two sons, Ricky Reuben and Felix; five brothers, Warren, Ernest, Loye, Johnell and Ray McCullough; two sisters, Evelyn and Frankey; and a host of other sorrowing relatives and friends. Public viewing will be held on Thursday, August 25, 2016 at 8th St Church of God, Ocala, FL from 7-8pm. Memorial Service will be held on Friday, August 26, 2016 at 7pm at Reddick Church of God, Reddick, FL. Funeral Services will be held Saturday, August 27, 2016 at 11am at the House of God (Keith Dominion) formerly Temple of Faith, 2830 NW 27th Ave, 34475. Please send flowers to Brown Memorial Funeral Home and Cremation Service, LLC, 706 SW Martin Luther King Jr. Ave, Ocala, FL 34474.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 26, 2016**

# ALLMAN, GENE, 77

Dunnellon - Gene Allman, age 77, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away on Sunday, August 21, 2016. He was born in Emporium, PA on December 18, 1938. He was married to and survived by Madeline B. Allman for 33 years. He had lived in Dunnellon since 1990. In addition to his wife, he is survived by his sister, Judy Nichols of Emporium, PA; and his children, David Allman of Philadelphia, Kathleen Carter of Findley Lake, NY, and Christine Winkler of Erie, PA. He was preceded in death by his parents, Sherman W. Allman and June Thomas Allman; his sister, Linda Lee Allman; and his brother, Gerald Allman. He graduated from Cameron County High School, and worded as an owner-operator/truck driver for many years. He enjoyed baseball, football, and listening to shortwave radio. Funeral services for Mr. Allman were held on Wednesday, August 24, 2016, at Roberts Funeral Home, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Avenue Dunnellon, FL, with Chaplain Warren Thompson officiating. Interment will be in Sylvan Heights Cemetery, Uniontown, PA. Condolences may be left at www.robertsofdunnellon.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 25 to Aug. 26, 2016

### **DIPESA, RICHARD STEPHEN, 71**

Ocala - Richard Stephen DiPesa, 71, of Ocala, FL went to be with the Lord on Thursday, August 11, 2016 after seven weeks of being with Hospice and under the care of his daughter at her Dunnellon home. He was born in Revere, Massachusetts on March 16, 1945 to Myra M. DiPesa. After graduating from Miami Jackson High School, he enlisted in the United States Air Force and was given an Honorable Discharge to the Retired Reserve on February 1, 1970. Richard worked for Southern Bell as an Assistant Manager until early retirement. He is survived by his sons, Richard Stephen DiPesa, Jr., Russell DiPesa; daughter, Denise DiPesa-Lathrop; and seven grandchildren, Michael, Brooke, Bella, Brynne, Caleb, Joshua and Daniel. There will be a private memorial service. Richard was an avid animal lover. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to your local Humane Society or the ASPCA in his name.

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### MARTIN, JOYCE H. (CARPENTER), 91

Ocala - Joyce H. (Carpenter) Martin, 91, of Ocala passed away on Thursday, August 18, 2016 in Ocala. Joyce was a native of Atlanta and moved to Ocala from Tampa in 1991. She was an active member of First Baptist Church of Ocala. Survivors include her son, Mr. Kenneth Carpenter of Lutz, FL; daughter, Faith Martin of Leesburg, FL; daughter in law, Sharon Ann Martin of Tampa, FL.; four grandchildren and six great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Rev. Paul G. Martin. A funeral service will be held at 6pm on Wednesday, August 31, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala, FL, 34470. A visitation will be held one half hour prior to the service. Online condolences may be sent at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 25 to Aug. 26, 2016

### MULLINS, BEVERLY A., 79

Ocala - Beverly A. Mullins, age 79, of Ocala, passed away on August 22, 2016. Beverly moved to Florida in 1989 from Belleville, Michigan. She was a member of Grace Baptist Church in Belleview, FL, and enjoyed sewing, embroidery, quilting, cooking, arts and crafts, and being a Facebook Novice. Beverly is preceded in death by her husband, Glendale Mullins. She is survived by her daughters, Rita K. Vassar and Michelle A. Korotney; grandsons, Jamie (Rosana) Vassar and Luke (Jessica) Lindberg; great grandchildren, Manny and Gabriella; brother, Gerald Allen; and sister, Erma Reedy. Beverly is also survived by her loving companion, Rambo. A Memorial Service will be held at 4:00PM on Friday, August 26, 2016 at Grace Baptist Church, 10835 SE 70th Avenue, Belleview, FL 34420. Interment will be held at Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, FL. Memorial contributions in Beverly's name may be made to Estelle's Hospice House, 2897 SE 62nd Street, Ocala, FL 34480. Expressions of condolences may be made at www.forestlawnocala.com

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 27, 2016**

### BANKS, ROSA M., 74

Ocala - Rosa M. Banks, 74 passed away on August 19, 2016. Services for Ms. Banks will

be held on Saturday August 27, 2016 at 2pm at The New Shady Grove MBC. Services have been entrusted to Clark Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 26 to Aug. 27, 2016

# **CHRISTOPHEL, INA BERNICE, 91**

Ocala - Ina Bernice Christophel, 91, of Ocala, passed away on Wednesday, August 17, 2016. Ina was born in St Louis, MO to Alexander and Bertha Thomassen. She has lived in Ocala since 1970. Ina was a grocery store owner and started the Benson Academy of Dance in Ocala. She was a member of the Pipefitter Union, Ocala Squuedance Club and Marion Ballet Theatre. She loved gardening, dancing, playing Rummikub, flea marketing, and bookkeeping. She also loved spending time with her family, the children and families of the ballet, sweet treats, going to the Hard Rock Casino, flowers (especially daisies) and butterflies. She was preceded in death by her loving husband of over 50 years, Chris Christophel; her only child, Jeanne Christophel-Smith; her mother, Bertha Thomasson; her father, Alexander Thomasson; and lastly her brother. Survivors include her granddaughter, Nicole Benson, of Ocala; and great granddaughter, Aneliese Abella-Benson. Bernice was otherwise known as a 'Bea' due to her worker bee life. She and her late husband, Chris Christophel, were entrepreneurs of several businesses for many decades both in St Louis and Ocala, FL. She not only worked tirelessly in her businesses, but was a lifelong penultimate caretaker of her family and everyone with whom she loved. Most often she was found on her hands and knees planting and caring for her garden and butterflies, as this was the place she talked with God. Ms. Bea was a devout Christian and lived the Word of the Lord. She will be greatly missed by many, but now is dancing with the angels in the place she always referred to as Home. Visitation will be Friday, August 26, 2016 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 910 East Silver Springs Boulevard, Ocala, FL 34470. Committal Services will be held Saturday, August 27, 2016 at 9:30am at Highland Memorial Park 1515 NE 3rd Street. A Celebration of Life will follow burial at 11:30am at Countryside Presbyterian Church, 7768 SW Highway 200, after Lowe's make a U-Turn at the second left turn lane. Following services a reception will be held at the Church hall with food and beverages provided. As Bea was an avid gardener who loved butterflies, the family is requesting only potted plants and dish gardens that can be replanted in her memory. Please send all plants to the church on Friday, August 26, 2016 between 9am-noon. Donations in Bea's honor, to the Countryside Presbyterian Church's Blocks of Faith mortgage reduction fund would have also been deeply appreciated by her. Please absolutely no Easter lilies as the pastor is highly allergic to them.

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### DEEL, SR., DAVID 'DANNY,' 75

Ocala - David 'Danny' Deel, Sr., 75, of Citra, FL passed away on Tuesday, August 23, 2016. Danny was born in Winemac, IN to Jesse and Gladys Deel and moved to the Ocala area in 1985. He was a USAF veteran and a framing contractor for over 50 years from California to Florida. He had an outstanding work ethic and was very family oriented. He loved golf and holidays with the family. He also enjoyed travel, vacationing, and charitable giving. Danny is survived by his wife of 54 years, Delores Deel; children, David D. Deel, II, Darrin J. Deel, Dale V. Deel, and Deborah A. Deel, 10 grandchildren;

10 great grandchildren; and sisters, Hazel Bowling and Betty Howard. He was predeceased by his brother Thomas Deel. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, August 27 at 11:00am, at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala with visitation one hour prior. Burial will follow at Highland Memorial Park in Ocala. Memorials can be made to St. Jude's Childrens Research Hospital. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# FRANKLIN, SYLVIA DENEST, 61

Ocala - Sylvia Denest Franklin, 61, peacefully transitioned from this life on Tuesday, August 16, 2016. Life Celebration for Ms. Franklin will be held on Sunday, August 28, 2016, 1pm at House of God Keith Dominion, 2830 NW 27th Avenue, Ocala, Florida. Trial Elder Alvin Franklin, Co-Pastor; State Elder Cleve Butler, Co-Pastor will be officiating and Reverend Demetrius Franklin will be the eulogist. A wake service will be held at House of God on Friday from 5:30pm-7:00pm. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Saturday from 12pm to 5pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at Sellers Funeral Home at 12:15pm on Sunday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES following the eulogy. OUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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### MATHIS, OPHIL, 87

Ocala - Ophil Mathis, 87, passed away peacefully on August 20, 2016. She is survived by her daughters, Wanda Lee, Tommarra Mathis and Marquitta Baxley. Services will be held at the Greater Hopewell MBC at 1pm on Saturday, August 27, 2016. Service entrusted to Clark Funeral Home.

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### NELSON, ROSA OWENS, 88

Ocala - Mother Rosa Owens Nelson, age 88, transition this life on August 18, 2016. Mrs. Nelson was a graduate from FAMU, where she vested 37 years in Education. She leaves to cherish her precious memories son, Andre Nelson; daughter, Cheryl Nelson Stevens; granddaughter, Stephanie Nelson. Homegoing Celebration for Mother Nelson will be held 1:00 PM on Saturday, August 27, 2016 at Mt. Calvary MBC, Rev. Stanley Gillings, Pastor. Professional services are entrusted to J. Hadley Funeral Home and Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home. Visitation will be held from 2:00PM until 6:00PM at Hadley-Brown & Paulk Funeral Home.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 28, 2016**

### HILLIARD, NANCY RUTH MARCUM, 63

Ocala - Nancy Ruth Marcum Hilliard, age 63, departed this world on August 25, 2016. She died peacefully under Hospice care. She is survived by her husband, Gene Hilliard; her daughter, Jennifer Smith Heckman (Chuck Kinkead); her son, William Smith (Bonnie); her four grandchildren, Shelby and Roger Heckman, Kolton and Kayden Smith; her three brothers; and seven sisters. She was preceded in death by her parents, Joseph Childmer and Georgia Maynard Marcum; three brothers; and one sister. Nancy's loving and uplifting spirit remained to the end. Others were brightened by her optimism in the face of her long illness. Nancy was a server at Bob Evans restaurant in Ocala for twenty-seven years. She touched many lives and was always fun. Her memorial service will be held Sunday, August 28, 2016 at 5:00 pm at Southern Home Church, 14748 N. Magnolia Avenue, Citra, FL.

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### JUDY, SHEILA KAY, 53

Silver Springs - Sheila Kay Judy, 53, of Silver Springs, Florida passed away suddenly on August 16, 2016 at the Ocala Regional Hospital. She was born on May 9, 1963 in Troy, Alabama to the late Jesse and Martha (Sullivan) Judy. She worked as a housekeeper and she enjoyed cooking and helping others. Sheila is survived by her four sisters, Janice Fincher, Bobbie Phillips, Debra Pelt, and Patricia Brannan; her brother, Steve Judy; her four children, Monroe, Timothy, Kimberly, and Joseph Edwards; her eight grandchildren Dalton Edwards, Dawston Soldan, Dylan Edwards, Alyssa Edwards, Nicholas Edwards, Nathan Ray Edwards, Destyni Edwards, and Raylin Edwards; and her great grandchildren, Elizabeth and Cayleyiona Edwards. She was preceded in death by her brother, Marshall McGuire. Arrangements are in the care and trust of Baldwin Brothers Funerals & Cremations, Ocala, Florida.

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### TRAVIS, SR., REV. DALE E.

Ocala - Rev. Dale E. Travis, Sr., born in Parkersburg, West Virginia on May 1, 1941; died in Ocala, Florida August 23, 2016. Pastor Dale was with the Wesleyan Church for 50 years, and was former pastor of 22 years at Living Water Wesleyan Church on Highway 484. He served 11 other churches in West Virginia, Florida and Georgia. He was a graduate of God's Bible School and College, Cincinnati, OH. He is survived by his beloved wife of 55 years, Anna Marie Travis, of Ocala, FL; sons, Dale Edward Travis, Jr., Micah Aaron Travis, and Kemuel Enoch Travis; daughter, Cynthia Ann Wilson; brother, Roy Travis; sisters, Naomi Douglas and Viola Petty; nine grandchildren; four great-granddaughters. Memorial Celebration will be held Sunday, August 28, 2016 3:00 PM at Living Water Wesleyan Church, 11120 SW Hwy 484, Dunnellon, FL 34472. In lieu of flowers, family recommends memorials be given to the church. His final message to all of his loved ones and friends, 'I'll see you at Father's House.' Arrangements entrusted with HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 29, 2016**

### **GOSSETT, GEORGE W., 79**

George W. Gossett, 79, of Ocala, Florida, passed away, Thursday, August 25, 2016. He was born in Camden, TN to the late Murphy and Hazel (Morris) Gossett. George is

survived by his devoted wife of 55 years, Gayle Gossett, of Ocala, FL; son, Marvin Gossett (Sandy), of Medina, OH; daughter, Sonya Kelly (Frank), of Ocala, FL; two grandchildren: Samantha and Tony; and brother Harold Gossett (Barbara), of Memphis, TN. George retired from Dow Chemical after 30 years of service. Beyond being a dedicated husband and father, George loved golf and the outdoors. Services will be held Friday, September 2 at 3:00 PM at First United Methodist Church, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, memorials to First United Methodist Church or Hospice of Marion County are appreciated.

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### HENRY, WILLIAM M., 88

Ocala - William M. Henry, 88, of Ocala, FL, formerly of Warwick and Highlands, NC passed away peacefully on August 15, 2016. He was the husband of the late Mary T. (Marrier) Henry. Born in Madison, SC, he was the son of the late Frank and Dellia (Loynes) Henry. His parents died when he was two and he was raised by his grandparents, Paul and Ida Henry. Mr. Henry was a Police Officer for the V.A. Regional Medical Center in Providence for 10 years until his retirement. He was previously a Liquid Fuels Operator at the Quonset Naval Air Station. He served in The United States Navy during WW II and served with the Rhode Island Air and Army National Guard for a total of 39 years of military service. Mr. Henry received many awards and accolades but was most proud of being one of the first recipients of The Rhode Island Star. Active with the Knights of Columbus, he was a Fourth Degree member of Fr. Wallace Assembly 1055 in Rhode Island and a founding member of Council 9649 in Ocala, FL. He was also a member of the Fraternal Order of Police. An avid golfer, he achieved three holes-inone. He was the loving father of Deborah A. Callahan and her husband, Steven, of Cranston and William J. Henry and his wife, Susan, of North Providence; cherished grandfather of Steven Callahan and Kerri Callahan. He was predeceased by his siblings. His funeral was held on Wednesday, August 24, 2016 at THE URQUHART-MURPHY FUNERAL HOME, 800 Greenwich Avenue, Route 5, Warwick, RI. Burial, with military honors, followed in St. Ann Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, gifts in his memory to your local Hospice or local ASPCA would be appreciated. Local arrangements are in the care of Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, Ocala.

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### KOEVAL, JOSEPH KENT, 75

Dunnellon - Joseph Kent Koeval, 75, of Dunnellon passed away August 25, 2016. Born in McKeesport, PA he came to this area in 1988 from Miami. Kent was a retired City of Miami Police Officer, a member of the Fraternal Order of Police and later was a realtor in the Dunnellon area. He is survived by his loving wife of 50 years, Sandra; daughters, Jennifer Wood (Christian) of San Jose, CA and Roseann Sparano (James) and their daughter, Grace, of Chapel Hill, NC; sister, Laurel Bird (Ronald) of Ft. White, FL. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Donald and Roger Koeval. A Celebration of Kent's Life will be held at the Rainbow Springs Village Church (20222 SW 102nd St. Rd. Dunnellon, FL 34431 489-0249) on Monday, August 29th at 4PM. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers, Ocala 236-5884.

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### LINDSEY, SUSAN KATHALEEN

Ocala - Susan Kathleen Lindsey, 58, passed away August 26, 2016 at home surrounded by loving family. Born November 22, 1957 in Morristown, NJ to Oliver Batti and Maude Messler Batti. She has resided in Marion County for over 40 years, moving from Bernardsville, NJ. She was a homemaker. She is survived by her loving husband, Alan C. Lindsey; sons, Dustin T. Lindsey (Mary), Marc A. Lindsey (Amanda); daughter, Nicole Neel (Jason); brother, Tony Batti; sister, Yvonne Mellin; and grandchildren, Jailea and Emily Neel, Cailyn & Alyssa Lindsey, Ashton Medlock and Tristan Lindsey. Arrangements are under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Aug. 28 to Aug. 29, 2016

### NISSON, ARTHUR BERNARD, 93

Reddick - Arthur Bernard Nisson, born in Banida, Idaho on October 21, 1922; died August 24, 2016 in Reddick, Florida. He enjoyed playing many instruments in bands; especially playing the harmonica at On Top Of The World, and was an avid golfer. He was a member of the Secular Franciscans in Ocala as well as a member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Art proudly served our country in the US Army during WW II in Germany. He is survived by his children, Michael of Cape Coral, FL, Pat Lacey of Reddick, FL, and Kevin of Damascus, MD; eight grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; brother, Ronald of Mechanicsburg, PA. He was preceded in death by his beloved wife, Marion; and four brothers. Visitation will be held Monday, August 29, 2016 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Funeral mass will be Tuesday, August 30, 2016 8:30 AM at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Interment will be at Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, August 31, 2016**

### CHIOTA, THOMAS A. 'TOM,' 70

Ocala - Thomas A. 'Tom' Chiota, 70, of Ocala, passed away on Sunday, August 28, 2016. Tom was born in Winthrop, Massachusetts to Cesidio and Rose Chiota and has lived in Ocala since 1978. He was President of Ocala Breeders Sales Company until his retirement in 2012 and continued as an active consultant to the Company and a leader within the thoroughbred racing community that he so loved until the time of his death. Tom was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, and friend to many. He will be remembered for his tremendous work ethic and generosity. He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Lorraine E. Chiota of Ocala; daughter. Dr. Nicole Chiota-McCollum; and son-in-law. Dr. David McCollum of Charlottesville, VA; grandchildren, Owen and Alec McCollum; siblings, Anthony Chiota of The Villages, Alice Farrell of San Antonio, TX, Joseph Chiota of North Adams, MA, Maryanne Caporale of Ipswich, MA, and Janet Chiota of Milan, Italy; and many nieces and nephews. Family will receive friends from 4-6pm, Thursday, September 1, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral

Home in Ocala, with the memorial service beginning at 6pm. Arrangements entrusted to Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiersbaxley.com.

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### No Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 1, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 2, 2016**

### APPELQUIST O.D., THEODORE DAVID (DAVE), 69

Ocala - Theodore David (Dave) Appelquist O.D., age 69, died peacefully August 28, 2016 at the Bailey Community Hospice in St. Augustine, Florida. He suffered from complications of Parkinson's disease and Lewy Body dementia. He was the son of Lt. Cmdr. Theodore and Gwen Appelquist. Dave graduated from Northern Burlington H.S. in New Jersey. He attended Tulane University and received his doctorate from the University of California (Berkeley) Optometry School. Dr. Dave enjoyed a private practice of optometry in Largo, FL and the Ocala, FL. Dave is survived by his wife, Cheryl; his daughters, Nikki Lynch (Chris), Cori Duprey (Pete); grandsons, Logan, Gavin and Christopher; as well as his brother, Rick and Joyce Appelquist and numerous nieces and nephews. Dave lived a very full life. He was an avid bass fisherman and he spent the last twenty years on the golf course in Ocala. He touched the heart of so many people and will be missed by his former patients, friends and family. A memorial service will be held at Shores United Methodist Church in St. Augustine at 12:00 noon on Saturday, September 3, 2016. In lieu of flowers, please consider a donation to the Parkinson's disease and Lewy Body dementia research at the Mayo Clinic in memory of Theodore David Appelquist: 4500 San Pablo Rd., Jacksonville, FL 32224. St. Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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# **GIBSON, JESSIE MAE, 91**

Ocala - Mrs. Jessie Mae Gibson 91, of Ocala, Florida passed away on August 28, 2016. Mrs. Gibson leaves to hold her loving memories: one son, Lewis Gibson (Gwen); daughter/granddaughter, Leaneze Hawkins-Dozier (Alvin), and five Grandchildren. Services will be held on Saturday, September 3, 2016 9:00am at Ramah Missionary Baptist Church Inc. (10545 S.E. 58th Ave.) Belleview, Florida. Viewing will be held one hour prior to services. Services are under the Professional Care of Carnegie Funeral Home, 217 SE 4th Ave. Chiefland, Florida. 'Providing Everlasting Memories' Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 1 to Sept. 2, 2016

# **HOWELL, SHARON LORAINE, 74**

Sharon Loraine Howell, 'Coach Happy'. Passed away on 8/29/16 at the age of 74 at home in Micanopy, FL due to complications from Alzheimer's. She was born in Daytona Beach on 1/18/42 to Auburn and Loraine Howell. She was a graduate of Florida State University and received her Masters from the University of Florida. She taught physical education for 19 years in Carrabelle, FL and Ocala, FL. In 1997 Marion County honored

her as Physical Education Teacher of the Year. She is a life long member of the Micanopy United Methodist Church. She is survived by her sister Sandra Williams and brother Lee Howell and their extended families. A memorial service will be held at Micanopy United Methodist Church on 9/4/16 at 12:30 PM presided over by Rev. Janet Allen. In lieu of flowers, donations would be appreciated for Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 1 to Sept. 2, 2016

### KALFS, HENRY (RANDY)

Ocala - Henry (Randy) Kalfs of Ocala, FL., passed away on Sunday, August 8, 2016. Henry was born in Ohio and moved to Florida in 1958. Henry was owner/operator of Kalfs Crane Service since 1978. He has been a Mason since 1985 with Fort McCoy Marston Lodge #49 and he was Worshipful Master 1998. He was also a Moose member since 1971. He is survived by his wife, Patricia Kalfs, sons; William (Bill) Kalfs (Lea Marie) of Ocala, Martin Kalfs of LA, CA; three grandchildren, Gavin, Alden, Ivey of Ocala; sister Rhea Flory (Chuck) of Ft. Meyers; brothers, William Kalfs (Nancy) of Ohio, Dave Andrews of Belleview, FL, Michael Andrews (Barb) of Belleview, FL, John Fuller (Dorris) of Ohio and numerous cousins, nephews and nieces. He is preceded in death by his mom, Eva Lou Whyte and dad, Alfred M. Kalfs Jr. A Memorial Service will be held on September 3, 2016 at 1:00pm at Clark Funeral Home, 434 NW Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue, Ocala, FL 34475. In lieu of flowers donations to the Humane Society. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 1 to Sept. 2, 2016

### **MARTIN, HUBERT LEONARD, 53**

Gainesville - Hubert Leonard Martin, 53, passed away August 22nd, 2016. A Life Celebration for Mr. Martin will be held on Saturday, September 3, 2016, 11am at United Missionary Baptist Church, 15460 NW 44th Avenue Road, Reddick, Florida. Reverend Nathaniel Hodges will be conducting the words of comfort. Reverend Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor. The family will be only receiving family and friends from 6 to 7pm on Thursday. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Martin's residence (15770 N. US Hwy 441, Reddick, Florida) at 10:15am on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' eulogy. www.sellersfuneralhomes.com

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### MCNEAL, CRYSTAL, 27

Crystal McNeal, 27, went home to be with the Lord on August 27, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memory three sons: Jacques McNeal, Jordan McNeal, and Kalvin Daniels; one daughter: Londyn Thomas; mother: Dorothy McNeal; siblings: James (Adria) Smith, Stacia (Julius) Evans, Tommie (Rosetta) Conner, Shatia Thompson, Gloria Thompson, Persisha Thompson, Carolyn McNeal, Christopher Thompson, and Vernon McNeal; and a host of other relatives and sorrowing friends. Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 3, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. at United Missionary Baptist Church, Reverend Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor and Bishop Isaiah Johnson, Eulogist. Visitation will be on Friday, September 2, 2016 from 10:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at Snow's Funeral Ministry. Arrangements entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry of Ocala, Florida. Providing a Memory that will never fade. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 1 to Sept. 2, 2016

### RIZZO, MICHAEL JOHN 'MIKE,' 43

Ocala- Michael Rizzo, 43, of Ocala, passed away August 26, 2016 at his home. Born in Hollywood, FL. He worked for America Choice RV. Mike enjoyed, golf, fishing, the Miami Dolphins and spending time with his family and friends. He is survived by his mother, Joan Rizzo; brothers, Thomas Wayne Rizzo, of Ocala FL, and David Vincent Rizzo, of Ocala, FL; sisters, Theresa Lynn Mooney of Belmont, NC and Lorraine Frances Stenzel of Easton, CT; nephews, Dillen Rizzo, Nick Tull, Anthony Rizzo, Brandon Stenzel, and Tyler Rizzo; nieces, Katrina Rizzo-Gill, Angie Rizzo, Dana Stenzel and Ellie Stenzel. He was preceded in death by his sister, Jean Marie Rizzo; brother, Victor Patrick Rizzo; and his father, Michael Anthony Rizzo A Celebration of Mike's Life will be held at his brother, David's, home Saturday, September 3, 2016 from 5 - 8 pm. In lieu of flowers the family requests memorial contributions.

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# STERBINSKY, MARGARET K. 'MARGE', 93

Belleview - Margaret K. 'Marge' Sterbinsky, 93, of Belleview, FL passed away on Tuesday, August 30, 2016 under the care of Freedom Point Nursing Home, The Villages, FL. She was the wife of the late William A. Sterbinsky who preceded her on November 30, 2012. Born in Macanaqua, PA she was a daughter of the late John and Mary Malitoris. Prior to her retirement she was a Registered Nurse. She was an active member of St. Theresa Catholic Church, Belleview, FL as well as the Ladies Guild of St. Theresa. She loved gardening and cooking. She will be deeply missed by her son, Gerard Sterbinsky and his wife Licia of Belleview, FL and her grandsons, William Anthony and Phillip Roland. She is survived by sisters Malvania Conrad of Pennsylvania and Ann Demlein of New Jersey. She was preceded in death by a brother, John and sisters, Sophia, Katherine, Helen, Irene. A visitation will be held on Friday, September 2, 2016 from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM at St. Theresa Catholic Church, 11528 SE Hwy 301, Belleview, FL 34420 followed by the Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00 AM. Interment will follow at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL. Arrangements entrusted to the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, 5946 SE Robinson Road, Belleview, FL 34420. Hiers-Baxley.com

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# THOMAS, LORETTA, 99

Reddick - Loretta Thomas, 99, passed away August 25, 2016. A Life Celebration for Ms. Thomas will be held on Saturday, September 3, 2016, 11am at Liberty Chapel Baptist Church, 13235 NW Hwy 225, Fairfield, Florida. Reverend Charles Perry will be conducting the words of comfort. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 1pm to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at Liberty Chapel Baptist Church at 10:30am on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhome.com

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### WELLINGTON, JAFARI SHANI, 20

Ocala - Jafari Shani Wellington, 20 was born in North Miami Beach, FL on July 19, 1996 and went to spend eternity with the Lord on August 25, 2016. He is survived by his mother, Tama Barthelemy; father: Bruce Wellington; brothers: Bruce Wellington Jr., Kymani Clark; sisters: Jahhi Clarke, Victoria Wellington; grandparents: Audrey Parrish, Canute Campell. Visitation will be Friday, September 2, 2016 from 5:00 to 7:00pm. A celebration of life will be held Saturday, September 3, 2016 at St. Paul AME church, 718 NW 7th St., Ocala, FL 34475 with Reverend Patrick Sasnett, Eulogist. Arrangements entrusted to

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### No Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 3, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 4, 2016**

### **BREITENFELDER, JOLANDA MARIA, 56**

Ocala - Jolanda Maria Breitenfelder was born on September 17, 1959 in Brooklyn, NY to Johannes & Alida Bierman, who since have deceased. Jolanda leaves behind, her husband of 25 years, Bernhard Breitenfelder; and one son, Pieter Brietenfelder, who she adored and loved dearly and many friends. In 1984, Jolanda and her parents moved to Ocala, Florida. Jolanda was a member of The New Apostolic Church throughout her entire life where she was active in the Choir, Sunday School, A Youth Leader and many more church activities. She lived her life for her family, friends and was a faithful child of God. She loved her work at Lowell Correctional as a medical clerk. There will be a Celebration of Life/Memorial Service for Jolanda on Sunday, September 11, 2016 at 4:00pm at The New Apostolic Church, 6199 SW 80th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34476. All are welcome to attend.

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# CLARK, BRENDA DOERR, 56

Ocala - Brenda Doerr Clark, 56, passed away peacefully on September 1, 2016. She was born in Eustis, Florida on July 18, 1960, to Carl and Trudy Doerr. Brenda lived in Central Florida her entire life and graduated from Forest High School. She was a very proud mother to her children and grandchildren. On December 30, 1994, Brenda married her soulmate and best friend, Richard 'Dick' Clark. She was known to be an amazing cook, a lover of good music, and an admirer of beautiful flowers. Her biggest joy was her seven children, six grandchildren, niece and nephew. She loved being 'MeeMaw' which was her favorite name. She is preceded in death by her daughter, Michele Bankhead; and father, Carl Doerr. Brenda is survived by her loving husband, Dick Clark; mother, Trudy Doerr; brother, Russ Doerr; children, Lena Mather, Richard Clark, Keith Bankhead (Jennifer), Daniel, Bryant (Margie), and Kristy Clark (Philip); grandchildren, Alston and Nicole Mather, Michael and Jaxon Bankhead, Owen Johnson, and Bryant Clark, Jr; niece, Grace; nephew, Tré; and many other friends and family. Flowers are greatly appreciated and donations can be made in her name to the Hospice of Marion County. Funeral services will be held Sunday, September 4, 2016 at 1:30pm, at Countyside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Interment will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens, Ocala, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 3 to Sept. 4, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 5, 2016**

# CERONE, ALICE MARIE, 93

Bronson - Alice Marie Cerone, 93, of Bronson, FL passed away Aug 31, 2016. She was World War II veteran who served in the US Navy. She was also an LPN, a professional entertainer, singer, and piano player and a woman of great faith. She loved the ocean and the beach and instilled that same love of water in her seven children. She enjoyed crossword puzzles, wrote poetry and was an avid reader, especially of the Holy Bible. She was a loving mother who taught her children her strong Christian values. Alice was a member of the St. Matthew's Lutheran Church in Ocala and the Bronson United Methodist Church in Bronson, FL. She was also a member of the VFW, the American Legion, and a Worthy Matron in the Eastern Star. Widowed three times, she was predeceased by her husbands, John Montgomery, William Tompkins and Peter Cerone; her daughter, Carol Bonetti and two grandsons, Luke Corbitt and Brian Larkins. She is survived by her children, John Montgomery, Donna Miller, Amy Corbitt, Linda Larkins, Norma Vitale and Marion Deckman and many grandchildren, great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren. Visitation will be on Tuesday, September 6, 2016 from 4-4:30pm with funeral service at 4:30 pm at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala FL. www.ForestLawnOcala.com

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# CORRAO, LORRAINE J., 81

Lorraine J. Corrao of Ocala passed away peacefully surrounded by her family on August 28, 2016. She is survived by her loving husband, Salvatore Corrao, sons; William (Nancy) Corrao of Atlanta, GA and Michael (Stephanie) Corrao of East Islip, NY, granddaughters; Britney and Ashley Corrao of Atlanta, GA, brother; William (Karen) Steinert of Sarasota, Fl, sister; Peggy (Chuck) Rowan of Atlanta, GA and loving nieces and nephews. A gathering of family and friends will be held on Tuesday, September 6, 2016 at the Roberts Funeral Homes Bruce Chapel West, 6241 SW State Road 200, Ocala beginning at 10:30AM, with a Memorial Service to follow beginning at 11:00AM. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in her name to the Hospice of Marion County Inc., Post Office Box 4860, Ocala, Florida 34478-4860 or ShihTzu and Furbabies. www.stfbr.org/donate. Condolences may be left at www.robertsfuneral homes.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 4 to Sept. 5, 2016

### **DUKE, FRANCES KENDRICK, 81**

Ocala - Frances Kendrick Duke, 81, passed away peacefully at her home on Wednesday August 31st with her family by her side. Frances was born in Deland, FL and was a lifelong Florida resident moving to Ocala in 2007. She was a retired paralegal and business owner, US Air Force Veteran, attended Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, and was a member of AMVETS Post #1979. She enjoyed sewing, crafts, reading, but most of all spending time with her children and grandchildren. Frances is preceded in death by

her beloved husband and soulmate, Howard William Duke. She is survived by her devoted family; son, Dr James Bradford Duke and wife Pam of Ocala, FL; son, Thomas Howard Duke and wife Suzanne of Dallas, TX; daughter, Barbara Lynn Swilley and husband Tony of Ocala, FL. She was proudly known as 'Mimi' to her seven beautiful grandchildren; Lauren Seiler, Kelly Duke, Rachel Charlton, Haden Duke, and Tyler/Meghan/ James Swilley and her two treasured great grandsons; Welles Seiler and Jackson Swilley. The family will be having a Celebration of Life on Friday, September 9th at 11:00am at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. All friends are welcome to come and celebrate Frances' courage and loving spirit. Committal Services will be held privately at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to AMVETS in memory of Frances. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL. 352-629-7171.

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### HOUSEAL, NELDA LANKENAU, 81

Silver Springs - Nelda Lankenau Houseal, age 81, of Silver Springs, Florida passed away peacefully on July 22, 2016. She was born in Long Island City, NY on May 4, 1935. Nelda was a graduate of Bayside High School in New York. Nelda enjoyed many activities such as oil painting, sewing, swimming, and arts and crafts. She believed in volunteering and served as a Girl Scout leader in Lauderhill, FL as well as the treasurer for the Lauderhill Volunteer Fire Department. After retiring she volunteered at the east Ocala Hospice Thrift Store. She retired from Silver Springs after 20 years of employment. Nelda is survived by her husband, Kenneth Houseal; her children, Patricia, Susan, Lois, and Matthew; her step children, Kern and Kenneth; 12 grandchildren; and 19 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son, Frederick. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 4 to Sept. 5, 2016

### HUFFMAN, ROBERT FRANKLIN 2/3/43 - 8/19/16

Anthony - Pastor Robert Franklin 'Frank' Huffman, 73, of Anthony, Florida, passed away peacefully with his loving wife, Sylviane, by his side at the Marion County Hospice 'Legacy House' on Friday Evening August 19th, 2016 after a year-long battle with Pancreatic Cancer. Frank was born February 3rd, 1943 in Ben Hill, Georgia, outside of Atlanta, to Grace Evelyn Howard and Robert Emmitt Cumby. He was later adopted by Robert Huffman (all predeceased). He was a life-long resident in the Levy, Volusia and Marion County areas of Florida. He attended Seabreeze High School in Daytona Beach and graduated from Dunnellon High School class of 1960. Frank was a US Army Veteran, and was deployed for a tour of duty in Germany. He played the Trumpet in the Army Show Band. Frank attended Jacksonville University, earned a degree in accounting and was a local businessman in Ocala, Florida for many years in the Swimming Pool and Construction Industries. Frank also served as Pastor of Sharetime Ministries and Peacemakers International. He was devoted to ministering to the homeless, and all those who 'fell through the cracks of society'. He was predeceased by a brother Ronald Huffman (Donnie) of Ocala FL, and his sister Bonnie Huffman McCollum (Allen) of Gainesville, FL. He is survived by half Sisters Sharon Lance (Robert) of Rockmart GA and Susan Cumby Short (Gene) of Kennesaw, GA, and half brothers Richard Cumby (Ellen) of Lawrenceville, GA, and Gary Cumby (Deborah) of St. Simons Island, GA.

Frank was the proud father of seven children: Celeste Lawrence, Robert Hogan (Christina), Michael Hogan (Tonya), Jeremy Huffman (Samantha), Ginger Adkins (Frank), Christy Huffman and Joshua Huffman ncluding twenty-four grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren. Frank was greatly loved and will be missed by his large family of numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews and in-laws from around the country. Frank's wish was to have his ashes placed outside in the sunshine at his home in Florida. His beloved wife, will honor his request by having the family plant his ashes with a Lemon Tree (that he had always talked about wanting) in a sunny spot in their yard. Cremation services provided by Direct Cremation in Gainesville, FL. A Memorial Service is scheduled for Saturday, September 10th at 1:00 pm at The South Ocala Baptist Church, 2907 SE 52nd St, Ocala, FL 34480, Pastors Dave Toler and Gary Cumby presiding. We encourage wearing bright colors, especially yellow (his favorite color) in Frank's honor. A special thank you to The Hospice of Marion County for their support. In lieu of flowers, tax deductible donations may be made to support Frank's non-profit ministry, to help carry on his legacy, and continue his vision of helping the poor. Checks may be made out to: Alpha Omega Institute and sent to: Alpha Omega Institute in care of Pastor Dave Toler 2907 SE 52nd St., Ocala, FL 34480. Condolences to the family may be posted on the www.adcremations.com website.

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### **JOHNSTON, JEANIE A., 67**

Ocala - Jeanie A. Johnston, nee Testerman, 67, passed away on Thursday, August 18, 2016 at West Florida Hospital in Pensacola surrounded by her loving family. Jeanie was born in Abingdon, MD on June 14, 1949, the first of four daughters born to Joseph E. Testerman and Isabelle (Hemling) Testerman. She spent her childhood in the Edgewood, MD area where she was known as a fun-loving, friendly girl and developed her love of the water growing up along the shore of the Bush River and with many memorable trips to the ocean. Jeanie moved to the Ocala area in 1987 and spent 25 years there working for the Department of Children and Families attaining the distinguished position of Family Safety Operations Manager within the central region before she retired. Jeanie had an exemplary work ethic and valued education. She was able to earn both her bachelors and master's degrees (with honors) while working full time and raising her two children as a single parent. It was in the Ocala area that she met the love of her life, Hugh David Johnston, and they married on March 11, 2006. Her family and her wide circle of friends meant everything to Jeanie. She enjoyed crafting, travel and had a fierce love of sportsespecially football and baseball. Jeanie was known and loved for her tenacity and compassionate, giving nature. She is preceded in death by her father, Joseph E. Testerman; and her son, Joseph Henry Kittel. Those who remain and will forever cherish her memory her husband, Hugh David Johnston; daughter, Mari Palmatier; son-in-law, Bill Palmatier; grandchildren, Liam and Chloe Palmatier; mother, Isabelle Testerman; sisters, Jody Rush, Karen Nezi and Linda Mahone; brother-in-laws, Joseph Rush and Eric Mahone; nieces, Andrea Pomilla, JoAnna Rush, Taylor Mahone and Spenser Nezi plus countless friends that felt like family to her. A Celebration of Jeanie's life will be held at the Marion Oaks Community Center, 284 Marion Oaks Lane, Ocala on Sunday, September 11, 2016 from 11:30am-1:30 pm. In lieu of flowers the family is asking for donations to be made to the Pensacola Breast Cancer Association, P. O. Box 10695, Pensacola, FL 32502 in tribute to her hard fought five-year battle with breast cancer. Donations can be made at www.thinkpinkpensacola.org Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 4 to Sept. 5, 2016

# PITTMAN, MARCELLA W., 89

Spring Hill - Marcella W. Pittman, 89, of Spring Hill, FL, passed away August 29, 2016 at Timber Pines Assisted Living. She was born in Walhalla, SC. She moved from Atlanta, GA 8 years ago to Ocala, FL then to Spring Hill. Marcella is predeceased by her husband, Paul. She attended Sacred Heart College in Belmont, NC and Upper Iowa University. Marcella retired from the U.S. Department of Labor in Atlanta, GA after 42 years. She enjoyed dancing and sewing, was a member of the Elks Lodge Auxiliary. She attended Blessed Trinity Catholic Church in Ocala. Marcella is survived by her sons, A. Lynn Pittman and his wife, Martha W. of Weeki Wachee, FL and Patrick L and his wife, Terri A. of Wesley Chapel, FL; two granddaughters, Katharine A and Grace L.; sister, Caroline Downey of Tacoma, WA; sister in law, Lake White of Central, SC and loving family. Please join us on Friday, September 9th at 11:00am at the Ocala Elks Lodge located at 702 NE 25th Avenue, Ocala, FL for a luncheon celebrating Marcella. In lieu of flowers, please consider HPH Hospice, 12107 Majestic Blvd., Hudson, FL 34667. See full obit at Brewerfuneral.com 352-688-4991

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# SCROGGIN, JR. WILLIAM, 75

Ocala - William 'Bill' Scroggin, Jr., 75 went to be with the Lord on August 24, 2016 after a long battle with cancer. He was preceded in death by his parents: William A. Scroggin Sr. and Lula Scroggin; sister: Dianne Davenport, natives of Ocala. He is survived by his daughter: Heather Santiago (Steven); grandchildren: Steavin and Gianni, long time love companion and caregiver: Rita; first cousins: Chet, Damron (Carolyn) of Silva N.C., Elizabeth Cason, Bud Neil of Chiefland, Evalyn Cooksy, of New Burg, IN. Bill was a Navy Veteran. He worked as a pressman for the Star Banner and Carlson Color Graphics, he also worked security for Ocala Courthouse, Ocala Regional. He was a long time member of the Eagles and Moose Lodges. Also a member of Cushmond Club or American. Bill was a fan of Nascar. His heart was still in the era of the 50's and 60's. He enjoyed being with his buddies, talking cars and riding his Cushmond scooters. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, September 10th at 10:30 at Fellowship Cemetery, located next to Fellowship Baptist Church, 10500 N. Highway 27, Fellowship, FL. In luie of flowers, donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 4 to Sept. 5, 2016

# No Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 6, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 7, 2016**

# FRANKLIN (BAILEY), RUTH G., 95

Ocala - Ruth G. Franklin (Bailey), age 95 of Ocala, passed away on September 2, 2016. Ruth was preceded in death by her husbands, Peyton 'Sport' Bailey and Robert Franklin: daughter; Dianne Bailey Frank, and grandson, Ryan C. Bailey. She is survived by her son Glenn (Judy) Bailey, grandsons; Ken and Peyton Bailey, granddaughters; Glenda Doyle, Kae Alford, Selena Brown and Shanna Campbell. Ruth is also survived by several great and great great grandchildren. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 AM on Friday, September 9, 2016 at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 South Pine Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34480. Expressions of condolences may be made at www.forestlawnocala.com Share Memories and Condolences 2 Read Obituary

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 8, 2016**

### CAPPADONA, SR., LOUIS J., 86

Ocala - Louis J. Cappadona, Sr., 86, passed away under the loving care of hospices Sylvia's House on September 4th, 2016 after a long battle with cancer. Louis was a retired residential builder, aka Lou Cappy Builders. He was a prior member of the Marion County Builders Association. Lou was preceded in death by his father, Basil Cappadona; mother, Antionette Cappadona; brothers, Thomas, Jack and Sal Cappadona; sisters, Prudy Sangillo, Mildred Everson, Freida Ceresi, Ann Gentile, Katie Salvo, Mary Moss and Angie Bombaci. He leaves behind his wife, Peggy Hamilton-Cappadona; sons, Sean Cappadona of Clemmons, NC, Louis Cappadona, Jr. of Taiwan and a stepson, Daniel Lindsey of Citra, FL; seven grandchildren, Larissa, Reina and Anthony Cappadona of Clemmons, NC, Skyler and Kaylee Lindsey of Citra, Storm Hall of Gainesville, FL and Allison Cappadona of Indiana. We request donations be made to Hospice of Marion County in Louis' memory. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Home, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL 34471 (352) 622-4141. Please sign Louis' online guestbook at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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# HOUCK, MICHAEL LUTHER, 77

Ocala - Michael Houck, 77 years old, of Ocala, FL died Tuesday, August 30, 2016. Born in West Palm Beach, FL., Michael served in the United States Air force, retiring after 20 years of active service. Michael worked as a locksmith in West Palm Beach until moving to Ocala in 1988. His lifelong passion with trains led him to a career as a conductor with Amtrak. He is survived by his wife: Glenda Quattlebaum Houck; three beautiful daughters: Genie Hornsby, Carolyn Patterson and Linda Lisk; his brother: Allen Houck and two sisters, Sharry Sochor and Kathy Jo McClendon. Additional survivors include eight grandchildren: Alex, Sean, RJ, Megan, Nicholas, Lindsey, Breanna, and Zachariah. The family will receive friends from 5:00 PM until 7:00 PM on Wednesday, September 7, 2016 at the Forest Lawn Funeral Home, 5740 S. Pine Avenue, Ocala, FL 34480. Military Honors will be held at 11:00 AM on Thursday, September 8, 2016 at the Florida National Cemetery, Bushnell, FL.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 9, 2016**

### **CARRIER, JOAN MARIE, 54**

Joan Marie Carrier 54 passed away on Sunday, September 4, 2016 to be with her

heavenly father. Joan was born on August 25, 1962 in DeKalb Illinois. Joan Marie Carrier is survived by her sons Jordan Carrier, Quinton Carrier, and Isaiah Williams. A special grandson Jordan Carrier, Jr; Sisters, Barbra Rauman, Alice Hayden, Julie Carrier; Brothers, Jim carrier, Tim Carrier, Jeff Carrier, Dennis Carrier; Joan Marie Carrier viewing will be held on Friday September 9, 2016 at 5pm To 7pm at Countryside Funeral Home Chapel 9185 NE Jacksonville Rd, Anthony, FL 32617. Joan Marie Carrier Funeral Service will be held Saturday, September 10, 2016 at 11:00 pm at Living Waters Worship Center, 3801 N. US Highway 441, and Ocala, FL 34475

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# EDWARDS, GLADYS WILSON, 74

Ocala - Gladys Wilson Edwards, 74, passed away on September 1, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories siblings, Liz Bagley, Alton Dewese, Larry Wilson, James Wilson, Patricia Gregg, and Anita Gaines, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held Saturday, September 10, 2016 at 1:00pm at Antioch Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Winston Dawson, Pastor. Visitation will be Friday, September 9, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10:30am-5:00pm. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 8 to Sept. 9, 2016

# HARRIS, SR., LASTACEY 'CUBE,' 41

Ocala - LaStacey 'Cube' Harris, Sr., 41, passed away on August 29, 2016. He leaves to cherish his memories loving wife, Mecha Harris: children, Stacey Harris, Jr., Teannley Harris, Latitia Smothers, Damechala Harris, and Diamond Harris; mother, Kathy Ann Harvey; siblings, Cedric Smith, Levi Harris, Jr., Leonard Harris, Angela Harris, Joanne Harris, and Alfonso Harris, and a host of other relatives, and friends. Funeral service will be held Saturday, September 10, 2016 at 11:00a.m. at House of God Keith Dominion Church. Visitation will be Friday, September 9, 2016 at Snow's Funeral Ministry from 10:30am-5:00pm. Professional services 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 10, 2016**

#### HICKS, ANTHONY RAY 'TONY,' 56

Ocala - Anthony Ray 'Tony' Hicks, 56, of Ocala, passed away on Tuesday, September 6, 2016. Tony was a physical education teacher and coach in Marion County, having taught at Marion Oaks Elementary, Evergreen, S. Ocala, and as the undefeated freshmen basketball coach at Westport High School. He was a very competitive person and a practical joker. He loved Christmas gatherings, golf, standard bred horse racing, thoroughbreds and basketball. Tony is credited with making a hole in one at the golf course but his greatest achievement was meeting and marrying the love of his life, Kelly Hicks of Ocala, FL. Other survivors include his parents, Donald and Dorothy Hicks of Ocala; sister, Marty (Steve) Nottingham of Alachua, FL; brother, Terry Hicks of Ocala; and nephew, Sean Nottingham of Alachua. Tony's wife and family will receive guests at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala on Saturday, September 10, 2016 from 6 to 8pm. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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### HOUSER, ROBERT L., 99

Ocala - Robert L. Houser, 99, passed away September 2, 2016. He was born on May 19, 1917 in Wooster, Ohio to Earl and Grace (Bahl) Houser. Preceding Robert in death, his wife, Arressee (Brantley); brothers, James and Raymond; sister, Mary Hickin. Survivors include two children, Linda Schmid of Fruitland Park, FL and Michael Houser of Gulf Breeze, FL; and three grandchildren, Michele Snipes, Steven Houser and Austin Houser; and two great grandchildren, Jake Snipes and Luke Snipes. Robert was in the United States Air Force and served in Africa during World War II. Robert enjoyed cars and running his various businesses, Houser's Grocery in Coleman, Eatons' Beach in Weirsdale and Video Warehouse in Ocala. Robert was of the Methodist faith. Visitation will start at 9:30 am with a funeral service at 10:00 am officiated by Rev William Buell at Beyers Funeral Home of Lady Lake, 134 North Hwy 27/441 on Friday, September 9, 2016. Instead of flowers the family request that donations be made to Hospice of Marion 3231 SW 34474. County at 34th Ave. Ocala FL Email Address: info@hospiceofmarion.com. Online condolences be left may at www.beversfuneralhome.com. Arrangements entrusted to Bevers Funeral Home, Leesburg, FL.

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### IHRIG, ANNA T., 88

Belleview - Anna T. Ihrig, 88,of Belleview, passed away Sunday, September 4, 2016. She was born July 12,1928 in Buffalo, NY. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles H. Ihrig. She is survived by sons, Charles H. Ihrig III of Ontario, Canada and Michael of Belleview; and daughter, Charlene Ihrig-Rush of Virginia Beach, VA; four grandchildren, Megan Coccagna, January Lane, Douglas Johnson and Charles Gerald Ihrig and six great grandchildren. She is also survived by sister, Alice Benker of CA. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 8 to Sept. 10, 2016

### MCKEEVER, RICHARD 'DICK' ALLEN, 70

Ocklawaha - Richard 'Dick' Allen McKeever, 70, moved to his eternal home with Jesus on Tuesday, September 6, 2016. Born June 30, 1946 in Jamestown, NY, he was the son of the late James and Frances McKeever. Dick used the gifts God gave him as a handyman, auto mechanic, lawn mower, cat lover, and avid meatball consumer. He served faithfully at Solid Rock Bible Church, as an Air Force veteran and a member of the Marion County CERT team. He was an auto mechanic for over 35 years, achieving the level of Master Technician. Dick was a man who was always ready to give whatever he had to help whoever needed it. His greatest love was Jesus. His greatest desire was to be in heaven with Him. He has achieved his goal. Now, his greatest joy would be to see everyone he knew join him. He is survived by his wife, Ruth McKeever; son, Shawn (Deb) McKeever; daughters, Julie (Mark) Adams, Kim (Brian) Bracy, Dacia (Jack III) Granville, and Ashley McKeever; three brothers; two sisters; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by two siblings. Memorial Celebration will be Saturday, September 10, 2016, 2:00pm at North Lake Presbyterian Church, 975 Rolling Acres Road, Lady Lake, FL 32159. Instead of flowers, it was his wish that donations be made to Blueprint for Revival, PO Box 400, Belleview, FL 34421. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 9 to Sept. 10, 2016

### MOORE, MARCIA D., 68

Ocala - Marcia D. Moore, 68, of Ocala, FL passed away on Monday, September 5, 2016 at M.R.M.C. Marcia was born in Bethesda, MD and moved to the Ocala area 49 years ago from Deland, FL. And as a child, she lived in Maryland, St. Augustine and Deland, FL. She obtained her RN degree as a nurse prior to becoming one of the founders of VAN-MOR Incorporated here in Ocala. She was of the Catholic Faith and was an avid reader and loved snow skiing. Marcia was a friend to everyone and a stranger to none. She is survived by her husband of 50 years, Gary Moore of Ocala, FL; daughter, Laura Laute and husband, Gordon of Ocala, FL; brother, Stanley Meushaw of AZ; granddaughter, Allysen Laute of Ocala, FL; and numerous nieces, and nephews. The family will be having a gathering at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Chapel, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd on Saturday, September 10, 2016 from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm with the celebration of life service starting at 3:00 pm all friends are welcome to attend and celebrate with the family. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL 352-629-7171

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### MORFF, CHARLOTTE ROSALIE WATERS, 90

Charlotte Rosalie Waters Morff, age 90 of Orange Lake, passed away Tuesday, September 6, 2016 at her home. Funeral Services will be held Friday, September 9, 2016 at 10:30 a.m., at McIntosh Christian Church, with Dr. Bob Ritchie officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service, beginning at 9:30 a.m. Interment will take place in McIntosh Cemetery. A potluck luncheon will follow at McIntosh Community Center. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorials to Special Olympics, 1915 Don Wickham Drive, Clermont, FL 34711-1915. Please visit Charlotte's memorial page at www.williamsthomas funeralhome.com. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS DOWNTOWN (352) 376-7556 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 8 to Sept. 10, 2016

# NAZZARI, VINCENT D., 72

Ocala - Vincent (Vince) Nazzari, 72, went to be with the Lord on August 20, 2016 He is survived by his loving wife of 53 years, Patricia; his daughter, Lisa (Dennis); his son, Philip (Jeanette); his grandson, Bryan (Sarah); his granddaughters, Shelby and Payton; and his great grandsons, Jonathon and Lawson. Vince served his country in the U.S. Army, 82nd Airborne. He loved fishing and hunting with his friends and family and the years he and his wife spent summers in N. Carolina on Lake Fontana. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, September 17, 2016 at 6:00pm at Sparr United Methodist Church, 13100 NE Jacksonville Rd. Sparr, FL 32192. In lieu of flowers make donations in his name to Hospice of Marion County or Sparr United Methodist Church. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 8 to Sept. 10, 2016

# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 11, 2016**

# **ERAZMUS, RAYMOND JOHN, 88**

Ocala - Raymond John Erazmus, 88, of Ocala, FL peacefully entered the loving embrace of God on September 8, 2016 after suffering with Alzheimer's for nearly six years. He was born June 15, 1928 in Grand Rapids, MI. He spent several years as a trainer for the minor league White Sox farm team based in Iowa. He married Leona Yozwiak August 21, 1954 in Waterloo, IA and moved to Hollywood, FL in 1955 where they raised their two daughters. He taught mostly English in junior high and high school for the Dade County School System in FL for 35 years. In 1989, he and his wife, Lee, moved to Ocala where he worked at Phoenix House in Ocala teaching former inmates and at the jail helping inmates prepare for their GED. During an interim break between the two, he worked in the A.R.C. program training disabled citizens. He spent many fulfilling years before his illness volunteering with his wife at Monroe Regional Hospital and working as sacristan at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church for 14 years. He is survived by his wife, Leona, of Ocala; his two daughters, Mary Erazmus of Owen, CO and Lisa Erazmus of St. Petersburg, FL; and many nieces and nephews. He is remembered as a gentle soul who had a great affinity for animals and infinite patience as well as a disarming smile and a willing heart. He will be greatly missed.

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### **GUSTAVSON, RICHARD, 91**

Ocala - Surrounded by his family Richard Gustavson passed away on August 21, 2016 at the age of 91. He is survived by his wife, Frances; daughter, Leslie; son, Richard; seven grandchildren, Zachary, Kia, Lindsay, Leah, Seth, Stefan, and Emma; and two great granddaughters, Lanae and Chloe. Richard will be remembered as a loving husband, dedicated father, and doting grandfather. Born the youngest of three brothers in New Jersey in 1924, he served with the 2nd Rangers in World War II. Richard will be remembered most for his compassion and empathy, as well as his private nature and dedication to his wife and children. A committal service, with military funeral honors,

will be held for Richard on September 16, 2016 at 10:30 a.m. at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell.

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# HOFLE, EDWARD MARTIN, 74

Ocala - Edward Martin Hofle, 74, of Ocala, FL passed away August 21, 2016 at his home. His generous and loving spirit will be missed by many. He is survived by his wife, Carol; daughters, Martyne of Ocala and Marcy of Ft. Lauderdale, FL; sisters, Linda Edwards and Mary Bosworth of Pocatella, ID; brother-in-law, Robert Taylor of Bradenton, FL. He was preceded in death by his sister, Patricia Taylor. He was raised in Akron, OH where he graduated from Kenmore High School and the University of Akron, and taught math/science at Thornton Jr. High. He moved to Hialeah, FL in 1970, and became a Hialeah Fire Fighter / Paramedic and eventually Deputy Fire Chief. After retirement in 2005, he relocated to Ocala. He was a devoted member of Grace World Church in Brooksville, FL. A celebration of his life will be held at Baldwin Brothers Funeral Home, 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala, 352-236-5884, on Friday, October 14, 2106 at 3PM. A condolence message may be left at www.baldwincremation.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 10 to Sept. 11, 2016

# WAGNER, SHELDON C.

Ocala - Sheldon C. Wagner passed away on September 5, 2016. He was born on March 27, 1946, in Cumberland, MD, to the late Belmont C. Wagner and Adella Ruth (Boor) Wagner Durrett. He was the oldest of three children with two surviving sisters. He is survived by his wife, Patricia Wagner; and stepchildren, Robert, Kevin and Michael Demase. He also leaves behind a daughter and son-in-law, Connie and John Campitell, of Hedgesville, W.Va.; along with four grandchildren, Christina, Angela, Rose and John Jr. Campitell; and five step-grandchildren. He was a graduate of Hyndman High School and enlisted in the Navy Seabees in 1964. Sheldon was a Vietnam veteran. He held various positions in the construction industry. He started Senior Insurance Agency in 2004 and then retired in 2015. He was very active in the Candler VFW Post 4493 and served as the quartermaster/adjutant. He also served as a finance officer for Amvets Post 10. Sheldon was a member of Belleview American Legion Riders Post 284 and also served in the Honor Guard. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and riding his Harley. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the VFW Post 4493, 11100 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, FL 34472 or to Hospice of Marion County. Funeral Services to be held at Maryland State Veterans Cemetery at Rocky Gap, 14205 Pleasant Valley Rd NE., Flintstone, MD 21530. September 16, 2016 at 11:00 AM- 11:30 AM.

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 12, 2016**

# CHRISTMAS SR., DAVID MARION, 72

Ocala - David Marion Christmas, Sr., 72, passed away September 8, 2016 at home. Born February 14, 1944, in Wilcox Co., GA to James William and Jewell O. Christmas. He moved to Marion County as a small child, graduating from Reddick High School. He retired as a District Supervisor for Marion County Road Department after 27 years of

service. He enjoyed woodworking, fishing and shared his love of reading with his grandchildren. He cherished time spent with his beloved grandchildren and family, He is preceded in death by his parents James & Jewell Christmas, brothers Delmar, Dewitt and Douglas Christmas. He is survived by his loving wife of 51 years, Linda Christmas; sons, David Marion Christmas, Jr. (Sonja), Daniel Christmas (Stephanie); brother, Dennis Christmas (Laura); grandchildren, David 'Kody', Elizabeth, Kaleb, Macy, Evan, Molly and great-grandchild, Braxton. Funeral Service will be 10:30 a.m., Monday, September 12, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home. Visitation will be a half-hour prior to the service. Interment will follow in Millwood Cemetery, Reddick, FL.

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### **DEAL, SHIRLEY BIGGS, 86**

Ocala - Shirley Jean Deal, 86, Ocala, FL passed away September 8, 2016. She is remembered most for her love of her family. She was a member of the Southern Baptist faith. She was preceded in death by her father, Myron Biggs Sr.; her mother, Marion Bement Biggs; her husband, William Deal Sr.; her daughter, Cheryl Deal; her son, William Deal Jr.; her sister, Nancy Trevarthan; and brother, Myron Biggs. She is survived by her children, Patricia Aylward, Richard Deal, Lynn Maynard (Tom) and Pam Deal. She is also survived by many grandchildren, great grandchildren, great great grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She is survived by her brothers, Charles Biggs, and David Biggs (Betty). Services will be held at 1 pm on Tuesday, September 13, 2016 at Forest Lawn Funeral Home, Ocala, FL with the Rev. Charles Biggs officiating. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 11 to Sept. 12, 2016

### **GRAY, RICHARD OBERLIN, 48**

Ocala - Richard Oberlin Gray, 48, of Ocala passed away September 6, 2016 at his home. Born in Paulding, Ohio, he moved to this area in 1969. He was a graduate of Lake Weir High School, head mechanic at Batten Automotive and attended First United Methodist Church of Belleview. Richard was an avid outdoorsman and enjoyed fishing, hunting and golf just to mention a few of his many activities. He is survived by his loving wife, Renee; daughter, Lynikia S. Gray of Summerfield; mother, Margene (Corneliussen) Hopper and her husband, Charles, of Belleview; father, Richard Gray of Ocala; grandfather, Ernest O. Corneliussen of Lady Lake; sisters, Gloria Gray of Belleview, and Sharon Roberts of Ocala; brother, Kent Hopper of Summerfield; grandsons, Gary Lane and Richard Logan Gray; and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins. A Celebration of Richard's Life will be held on Sunday, October 2, 2016 at the family residence. For further details please contact Richard's sister, Sharon, 484-4089. A condolence message may be left at www.baldwincremation.com. Arrangements by Baldwin Brothers, Ocala 236-5884.

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### SHUTTERS, RICHARD GLENN (DICK), 77

Ocala - Richard Glenn 'Dick' Shutters, age 77, of Ocala, FL, passed away on September 5, 2016. He was born in Beech Grove, Indiana, on February 12, 1939. Dick was raised in Greensburg, Indiana. He was married to and survived by Ruth D. Shutters for 56 years. He had lived in Ocala since 1969. In addition to his wife, he is survived by his three sons,

Richard 'Rick' Shutters, Peter G. Shutters, and Patrick K. Shutters; and his siblings, Michael Shutters, Annette Sweat, Linda Williams, Jerry Shutters, Terry Shutters, Phillip Shutters, and Kevin Shutters; as well as twelve grandchildren and twelve great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents, Cecil W. Shutters and Florence 'Lucy' Shutters; his daughter, Kimberly Ann Feehley (Shutters); his brothers, Patrick Shutters and Thomas Shutters. He had 42 years of experience in the construction of roadways, stormwater facilities, water and sewer utilities and public works. He was a Certified Stormwater Management System Inspector, National Utility Contractors Association Certified, and a Certified Underground Utility Contractor. He owned and operated an underground utility company in the 1960s in South Florida and even enjoyed a short stint as a Cowboy for Live Oak Plantation. He enjoyed baseball, football, and softball, especially when his children or grandchildren were playing. He coached for several years in the Marion County Independent Football League. He loved animals and had a 'whisperer' way about him with horses and dogs. He served with the U.S. Army from May 1958 through April 1961. A Memorial Service for Mr. Shutters will be held at 1 pm, family will be receiving at 12:30, on September 16, 2016, at Church of Hope, 3233 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala, Florida, 34471, Pastor Robert Peters officiating. Cremation handled by Florida Cremation, Ocala.

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### VINING, DOROTHY JEAN

Ocala - On August 19, 2016 Dorothy passed away due to diminishing health in Ocala, FL with the company of loved ones attending to her. Born in 1930 in Miami, FL, devoted wife to George H. Vining until his death in 2001. The mother of four, she was preceded in death by her son, Kenneth Vining; and grandsons Jason and Jarrett Vining and Quincy Morris. Survived by children, Dora Emery (Bill) of Boulder, CO, Georgiana Vining of Kauai, HI, Jon Vining and Roxanne (DIL) of Ocala; grandchildren, Justin, Jacob and Jenny Vining, Alysse, Eric and Micah Emery and Josh Vining; great grandsons, Kenny Richardson and Jarrett Vining; and great great grandson, Maddox Patterson. Dorothy was a resolute homemaker and avid reader of mystery novels, was known to have six or eight books open at any given time. A talented seamstress, she passed these skills on to her daughters. She lovingly attended to her grandchildren whenever and wherever needed. A devout LDS Church member, Sister Vining was dedicated to church callings for many years. The family would like to thank Hospice of Marion County and Sylvia's House. Your dedication and sensitivity was greatly needed and warmly appreciated. Moms wish realized, to be quietly cremated and intimately remembered.

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### WILLIAMS, MARILYN ANN, 95

Marilyn Ann Williams, 95, died on Thursday, September 8, 2016 at her residence. She was born on April 9, 1921 in Yonkers, NY to the late Henry and Anna Gronowski. Marilyn moved to Ocala from West Palm Beach. She was catholic by faith and is survived by her daughters, Lynn Castillo and her husband Bill Willett, Barbara Williams, Pershing Williams, Jr. 'Kip' and her husband Jane ; her grandchildren, Pershing Williams, III 'Kip', Marc Castillo and Michael Williams; her great grandchildren, Sophia Castillo and Zachary Castillo. A Memorial ceremony will be held at a later date at Florida

National Cemetery, Bushnell. Online condolences may be left at robertsofdunnellon.com Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon. www.robertsofdunnellon.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 11 to Sept. 12, 2016

# No Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 13, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 14, 2016**

### **BARROW, NONA ELIZABETH, 94**

Ocala - Nona Elizabeth Barrow passed away on September 9, 2016. Born on May 7, 1922, in Oneonta, Alabama, to James and Ollie Barnett, she came to Ocala as a child and has lived her all her life. She was a homemaker. Preceded in death by her husband, John Dye 'JD' Barrow. She is survived by her daughter, Judith Rene Barrow, Ocala; and niece, Sylvia Elaine Hall, Jacksonville. Funeral Service will be today 2:00 pm at Countryside Funeral Home. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow in Highland Memorial Park.

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# HAYNES, BETTY JANE, 89

Ocala - Betty Jane Haynes, 89, of Ocala, passed away on Saturday, September 10, 2016 at Estelle's Hospice House, surrounded by her family. Betty was born in Cleveland, OH to Joseph and Lillian Nyka and moved to Ocala in 1985. She was a parishoner of Blessed Trinity Catholic Church and member of the Council of Catholic Women. In addition, she volunteered with ARC of Marion County and We Who Care in Ocala. Betty was predeceased by her husband Walter in 1985, and daughter Mary Elizabeth Haynes in 2015. Betty devoted herself to loving and caring for the greatest joy in her life, her daughter Mary Elizabeth. She was also a loving mother to and survived by her children, Diane (Steve West) White of Linthicum, MD, Karen (Dr. David) Elliott of Ocala, FL, Thomas (Brady) Haynes of Olive Hill, KY, and Walter 'Buddy' (Gina) Haynes of Walnut Creek, CA; four grandchildren, Ian Elliott, Matthew Elliott, Ryan Haynes, and Tyler Haynes; two great grandchildren, Ethan Elliott and Jocelynn Elliott; and brother in law, Howard (Midge) Haynes of North Royalton, OH. A funeral mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Catholic Church on Wednesday, September 14 at 10:00 am with burial to follow at Highland Memorial Park in Ocala. Visitation will begin at 9:30 am at the church. In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to ARC Marion, 2800 SE Maricamp Rd., Ocala, FL 34471. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# KELLUM, CHARLES EDWARD 'GABBO,' 81

Ocala - Charles Edward 'Gabbo' Kellum, 81, was born April 1, 1935 and passed peacefully at Sylvia's Hospice House, Ocala, FL on September 9, 2016 after an extended illness. Best known to his family as 'Gabbo', he is survived by his loving wife of 55 years, June; son, Christopher (Joy) Kellum, Anthony; daughter, Tammy (Terry) Tatom,

Orlando; daughter, Tina (Marc) Fahey, Ocala; five beautiful grandchildren, Daniel (Kimberly) Fahey, Brian Fahey, Zachary (Natasha) Tatom-Drake, Allison Fahey, Drake Charles Kellum; one precious great-grandson, Ash Parker Fahey; two sisters, Eva Davis, Athens, AL, Betty Sulcer, Milton; and many cherished nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, Boyd and J. Elizabeth Kellum, four sisters, and three brothers. After leaving the Air Force in 1958, Charles settled in South Dade County, Florida and worked as a Deputy with the Miami-Dade Sheriff's Department for 13 years. Later he built and ran a large successful lawn and landscaping company in the area. In 1988, he and June realized a long held dream and retired to Anthony. There they built a beautiful country home and life, filling their days creating wonderful memories with their grandkids. To 'Gabbo', family was everything, and these strong values which he instilled will carry on for generations. Charles was a humble man of true charisma. A master story teller; he was quick-witted, genuine, and caring. He was a Christian man who read the Bible most nights of his last ten years. All who were blessed to know him will forever hold him in their hearts. Charles was fortunate to have enjoyed good health until the final year of his life, allowing him to do the things he enjoyed most, especially doing 'cowboy stuff.' His was a life well lived. In honoring Charles' wishes, there will be no memorial service. Internment of his ashes will take place at a later date. A gathering celebrating Charles' life will take place at their home in Anthony, Saturday, September 17, 2016 at 1 pm. All wishing to pay their respects are welcome to attend.

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### MATCHETT, FLORENCE ROSE CHESHIRE, 90

Florence Rose Cheshire Matchett, age 90, of Lochloosa, Florida, passed away on Wednesday, September 7, 2016, at Gainesville Health Care Center in Gainesville, Florida. She was born May 12, 1926 in Citra, Florida, attended school in Citra and married Fred Matchett on Sept. 8, 1945. Florence was a longtime resident of Lochloosa and member of Lochloosa United Methodist Church. She is preceded in death by her parents, Barney Cheshire and Hattie Mae John, her husband Fred Matchett, daughter Judi Brown, brothers Vernon Cheshire, Barney Cheshire, Ralph Cheshire, and Clark Cheshire, sisters Louise Matchett, and Wanda Matchett. She is survived by her sister Joanne Gibson, sons Michael Matchett, Dennis Matchett, and Steven Matchett, 9 grandchildren, and 10 great grandchildren. A memorial service will be at Lochloosa United Methodist Church in Lochloosa, Florida on Saturday, September 17, 2016, at 11:00AM. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Lochloosa United Methodist Church, 16503 SE 210th Terrace, Lochloosa, FL 32662. Please visit her memorial page at www.williamsthomas funeralhome.com. **FURTHER** INFORMATION WILLIAMS-THOMAS FOR DOWNTOWN 352-376-7556

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### **SMITH, JEFFREY ALLEN**

Ocala - Jeffrey Allen Smith, our beloved father, grandpa, great grandpa and adoring husband to Diane Smith, passed away on Wednesday, September 7, 2016. We are very saddened by his passing at the young age of 55. He was a loving father to his three children Megan, Jennifer & Tyler. He was an amazing grandpa to his grand kids Rachel, Alyssa, Dillon, Serena, Evan & Logan. He will be smiling down from Heaven looking at

his great grand girls, Kyleigh & Mackenzie. He was originally from Chicago, IL before settling down in Ocala, FL in 1989 with his wife Diane and daughters. He worked in the manufacturing business for many years as a supervisor at both Mark III & Closet Maid. For the last few years he spent his time at home enjoying life with his family. He is survived by his mother and her husband, Maxine & Glen Meadows; father in law, Felton Griner; two sisters, Debbie, Laurie Kay, and brother, Joe. He is preceded by his late father Carl 'Pete' Smith. We are having a Celebration of Life for Jeff on September 17, 2016 at 5pm, at his home in Ocala. He will be greatly missed by many & forever in our hearts. As he would say, 'Da Bears!'

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# **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 15, 2016**

# ACKLEY, JEFFREY ALLEN, 42

Ocala - Jeffrey Allen Ackley, 42, passed away on September 4, 2016. Born in Springfield, Ohio to Robert Wendall and Pearl Arlene Ackley on November 26, 1973. Jeff enjoyed fishing, working on cars and he loved the outdoors. He was handy with his hands and a strong man. He was generous, caring and a free spirit living every day to the fullest. Jeffrey was preceded in death by his father, Robert Wendall Ackley. Jeffrey is survived by his mother, Arlene; son, Colton Ackley; daughter, Kaitlin Ackley; and brother, David Allan Ackley. He loved his children more than anything else in the world. He will be missed and always remembered by all who knew him. Memorial services will be handled privately by the family. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home.

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# ANGENOR, ANTONIO

Ocala - Antonio Angenor passed peacefully from this life the morning of September 12, 2016 after a gradual decline in health. He was surrounded and supported by his loving family, friends, and neighbors during the last days of his life. Antonio was born in the Dominican Republic and immigrated to Lawrence, MA in 1968. In 1990, Antonio retired from AT & T to Ocala, FL where he lived the remainder of his life. Antonio will be remembered as a leader in the church faithfully serving God, and his fellow brothers and sisters of the faith. Antonio is survived by his loving wife of 44 years, Ana Luisa; and his children, Angelica, Eunice, Harry, Prisca, Jose, Claudia, and Priscilla; grandchildren; great-grandchildren; and nieces and nephews. Funeral service will be Friday, September 16, 2016 12:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Boulevard. Interment will be followed at Highland Memorial Park, Ocala, FL. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# **BILDERBACK, RYOKO ANTHONY**

Ryoko Bilderback, 83, passed away peacefully at home, September 2, 2016 after a brief illness. She is survived by her loving husband, Lyman 'Ben' Bilderback; son, James and his wife, Cynthia; and daughter, Barbara. She will be deeply missed. Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend the memorial service to be held at 1:00 p.m., Saturday,

September 17, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 14 to Sept. 15, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 16, 2016**

### **BARRON, DEVIN JAMAL, 22**

Citra - Devin Jamal Barron, 22, passed away September 11, 2016. Life Celebration for Mr. Barron will be held on Saturday, September 17, 2016, 11am at United Missionary Baptist Church, 15460 NW 44th Avenue Road, Reddick, Florida. Pastor Elton Bynes, Sr. will be conducting the words of comfort. Reverend Nathaniel Rawls, Pastor. Visitation will be at Sellers Funeral Home on Friday from 9am to 6pm. Family and friends are asked to meet at the Bynes residence, 17355 N.E. 16th Terrace, Citra, Florida at 10:15am on Saturday to form the funeral cortege. No viewing following the eulogy. 'A SELLERS SERVICE DEFINES QUALITY & SATISFACTION.' www.sellersfuneralhomes.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 15 to Sept. 16, 2016

# **BLUNT, DOROTHY LOU, 66**

Ocala - Dorothy Blunt, 66, transitioned from this life to her heavenly home on September 7, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories spouse, Jerome Blunt; children, Serena Stewart, Katin Blunt, Melinda Blunt, Kathleen Blunt, Jerome Blunt, Javia Blunt; stepdaughters, Carmella McCullough, Aunya McCullough; stepsons, Jerrell Davis, Cornelius Blunt; sisters Joan Blunt, Shirley Denmark, Wanda Faye Griffin; brothers Stanley Jamerson, Robert Griffin; and nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Viewing will take place on Friday, September 16, 2016 from 3:00-7:00PM at Historic St. Paul AME Church, 718 NW 7th St, Ocala FL. Celebration of Life will be held on Saturday, September 17, 2016 at 1:00PM at House of God, 2830 NW 27th Ave, Ocala, FL 34475. Arrangements entrusted to Signature Memorial Funeral and Cremation Services LLC, 3401 SE Hawthorne Rd, Gainesville, FL 32641 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 15 to Sept. 16, 2016

# CHATMAN, NORMAN WALLACE 'DOC,' 84

Ormond Beach - Norman Wallace 'Doc' Chatman passed away August 3, 2016 in Ormond Beach, FL. 'Rebound' as his Ocala buddies know him, was born on March 26, 1932 in Bloomingdale, FL and moved to the Ocala at the age of four. He attended elementary and middle school in Ocala and graduated from Ocala High School, class of 1950. Doc immediately enlisted in the Navy and was selected to attend Corpsman School as a surge in medics was needed to support the Marines fighting in Korea. He proudly served for 22 and a half years, one of a very few Corpsmen to earn Submarine Service 'Dolphins' and 'Aviation Wings'. Doc was wounded supporting the mobile riverine forces in Vietnam, witnessed the atomic testing at Bikini Atoll, and was decorated for his service as a Navy rescue swimmer based at Mayport, FL. After retiring as a Chief Hospital Corpsman, he purchased a waterfront lot in Astor, FL and built his home, where he lived the past 40 years. He enjoying fishing, gardening and camping trips across the country. He is survived by his wife, Sheelah Stern Chatman; daughters, Victoria Chatman (Ron) Rondeau, Ormond Beach; Jamie (Don) Goodrich, Covina, CA; adopted daughters, Jennifer Ragan and Jonni Cooper; stepsons, Chuck (Marianne) Nevin and Jay (Denise) Nevin, Jacksonville; five grand children and two great grandchildren. Doc was most proud of his Navy service and of his family who adored him. We miss you Dad. Fish On! Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 15 to Sept. 16, 2016

# FOLLINS, JR., RAYMOND W., 64

Ocala - Deacon Raymond W. Follins, Jr., passed away Monday, September 5, 2016. He was a graduate of Howard High, Class of 1969. He leaves a loving wife of 30 years, Annette 'Freda' Follins; two daughters, Tralonda (Damon) Berkley and Chloe Follins; five grandchildren; a special niece, Nedra Vereen; three sisters, Brenda (Ronald) Graham, Pamela Shelton and Vanessa (Clarence) Williams; a host of aunts and uncles, in-laws, family and sorrowing friends. Public viewing will be held at Summers Funeral on September 16, 2016 at 12:00pm to 5:00pm. Services will be held at 11:00am, Saturday September 17, 2016 at Eighth Street Church of God, 605 NW 8th St, Ocala, FL 34475, Pastor Isiah Johnson. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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# **GRAHAM, MOLLY, 89**

Ocala - Molly Moretta Paulk Graham was called home to her Lord and Savior on Sunday, September 11, 2016 at Ocala Health and Rehabilitation Center. She moved to Ocala, FL as a young woman and married the late Johnnie Graham. Molly Moretta Paulk Graham leaves to cherish her memory children, Betty Broxton, Queen Hamilton, Linda Woodson, Patricia (Jimmy) Stinson, Donna (Joseph) Gary and John Eric Graham; brother, Preston Harry (Katrina) Hopkins; sisters-in-law, Evelyn Graham Tindal and Jetwyn Graham; 13 grandchildren, a multitude of great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and cousins, and a host of friends. Public wake will be Friday, September 16, 2016, 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm, anyone wishing to give reflections will be given the opportunity to do so only during the wake. Homegoing Celebration will be Saturday, September 17, 2016, 3:00 pm, New St. John Baptist Church, 2251 NW 2nd Street, Ocala, FL 34475, Reverend T. L. Brooks, Pastor. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street, Ocala, FL (352) 351-0566 A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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# HENDERSON, PAMELA, 58

Ocala - Pamela A. Walker Henderson departed this life on Wednesday, September 7, 2016. She received her formal education in the Marion County Public School System. She leaves to cherish her loving memory husband, Earl Henderson; daughters, Nicole Henderson and Shekina Henderson; stepdaughter, Shandria; three grandchildren; parents, Hugh and Mary Walker; sisters, Sylvia (Terry) Tribue, Gwendolyn Williams, Dorothea Walker and Denise Walker; brothers, Christopher Walker and Cedric Welch; aunts; great aunts; and a host of family and friends. Public viewing will be Friday, September 16, 2016, 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm. Funeral Service will be Saturday, September 17, 2016, 11:00 am, New Shady Grove Missionary Baptist Church, 9225 SW 27th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34476, Dr. Fred Meaweathers, Pastor. Summers Funeral Home, 2238 NW 10th Street,

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 17, 2016**

### ALBRIGHT, JR., GEORGE JACOB

Ocala - George Jacob Albright, Jr. went to be with his savior on Monday, September 12, 2016. He was born September 24, 1931 in a home in Weirsdale, Florida, the proud son of the late George J. Albright, Sr. and Julie E. Albright (Martin), all of Weirsdale. George graduated from Weirsdale High School in 1950, and attended the University of Florida from 1950 to 1954. George excelled in his college endeavors, joining Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity and Circle K, a Kiwanis organization. He was also elected to Florida Blue Key and the U of F Student Hall of Fame. To this day George loves his Orange and Blue! George is the retired Executive Vice President of National Standard Life Insurance Co. of Orlando, having started with the company out of college in 1954, and rising through the ranks up to his retirement in 1973. George managed over 400 agents in twenty offices throughout Florida, and was selected 'Man of the Year ' by the Florida Insurance Council in 1971. In 1973, George embarked on a new career forming Albright Realty and joining Kiwanis International. His business timing was perfect and Albright Realty provided him and his family with financial success for forty years. In addition, George supported his family by the citrus groves he and his father George, Sr. planted in the Weirsdale area. George and his wife, Aggie's lifelong love for community service blossomed after joining Kiwanis. They were quite a team! George's rise through the Kiwanis ranks includes: 1975 President of the Lake Weir Club; 1981 Lt. Governor Division 18; 1991 Florida District Treasurer; 1992 Governor elect; the Governor for 1993-94. Finally, George capped his Kiwanis journey as the President of Kiwanis International Foundation worldwide, raising millions of dollars for children's causes. George and Aggie's 40 year perfect attendance at Kiwanis included starting the statewide 'Apples for Teachers' program, creating the Annual Florida Kiwanis Cookbook; and beginning the George Albright Charity Golf Tournament, which lasted over twenty years. Both are Hixon Diamond 16 award recipients, Kiwanis Ambassadors, and members of the Kiwanis Heritage Society. George's lifelong love and commitment to the Weirsdale Presbyterian Church began with his baptism in 1931, by his grandfather, the Reverend George Edwin Albright. During his lifetime George served his church as an Elder, Deacon, Finance Committee member and many committee chairs. He always looked forward to selling and delivering over 500 tickets each year to the annual Boy Scout Spaghetti Dinner held at the church. George loved politics and enjoyed supporting many local candidates for office. He served Marion County as its Building and Zoning Committee Chair and was a member of the County's Environmental Land Council aka 'Pennies for Parks.' Many of his happiest times were spent with Aggie at their cabin on Cattail Creek in North Carolina. George's wit and humor will be missed by everyone who had the privilege to know him. Left to cherish his memories are his wife of 43 years, Aggie; his four sons, George III (Tammy), Dr. David (Jackie), Clay (Donna), and Justin; grandchildren, Brandon, Austin, Reagan, Molly, Carly, Jake, Ryan, JJ, and Isabella. All are extremely blessed to live in Marion County. He is preceded in death by his parents, and his infant brother, Billy. In lieu of flowers

please make a contribution to the Lake Weir Kiwanis Club, P.O. Box 725, Ocklawaha, FL 32183. The family will be receiving friends from 5-7pm on Friday, September, 16, 2016 at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, 910 East Silver Springs Blvd. The service will be held at 10am on Saturday, September 17, 2016 at the First Presbyterian Church of Ocala, 511 SE 3rd St, Ocala. Feel free to wear your Orange and Blue to show your support for the Florida Gators and the Florida Kiwanis. Online condolences may be left at www.hiers-baxley.com

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### **BARRINER, JO ANN, 57**

Ocala - Jo Ann Barriner, 57, passed away on September 2, 2016. She leaves to cherish her memories daughter, Joi Barriner; grandchildren, Malik Livingston and Malcolm Williams; mother, Josephine Harmon; brothers, Roy (Bernadette) Jones, Leonard Barriner, Charles (Alfreda) Harmon Sr., Rodney Harmon, Darren (Chiquita) Harmon Sr., Aundrey McNeil, Cecil McNeil, Donald Barriner, and Dhrum Shallah; sisters, Yolanda Faye McNeil Bryant, Rella Ann McNeil, and Kathryne McNeil Hodges. Celebration of Life service will be held Saturday, September 17, 2016 at 1:00p.m. at Welcome Stranger Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. James F. Pullings Sr., Pastor. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Proving a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 15 to Sept. 17, 2016

### FOLLINS, JR., RAYMOND W., 64

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### JARVIS, PAUL WENDELL, 78

Ocala - Paul Wendell Jarvis, 78, passed away September 13, 2016. He was born October 18, 1937, in High Springs, FL, to Rufus and Doris Fowler Jarvis. He has resided in Marion County for over 47 years. Paul was a Southern Baptist Ordained Minister for most of his life. He is preceded in death by his parents; son, Wendell Keith Jarvis, and infant daughter, Patricia Dianne Jarvis. He is survived by his loving wife of 60 years, Rosa Lee Jarvis; daughter, Pat Blanchard (Ron); son, Paul Derrick Jarvis (Marie); brother, Donald Jarvis; sisters, Sarah Lou Hogan, Karen Bryant-Reza; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Funeral Service will be 3:00 p.m., Sunday, September 18, 2016, at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Visitation will be one hour prior to the

service.

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#### JONES, JR., EDWIN MONTEZUMA (BUD), 90

Ocala - Edwin M. (Bud) Jones of Ocala, Florida passed into the arms of his Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ on the morning of September 12, 2016, at the age of 90. Bud was a true Southern Gentleman and a member of the greatest generation, who served his country with honor as a member of the U.S. Armed Forces. Bud was the beloved spiritual leader of his family, a loving husband, father, and Papa. He was born on December 27, 1925 in Atlanta, Georgia, the only child of Edwin M. Jones and Katherine Blake Jones. After his family moved to Pennsylvania, he graduated from Philadelphia High School. Upon graduation, he joined the Army, serving as a combat engineer and reaching the rank of Sergeant. He served in the European theater during WWII and was honorably discharged in 1946. Bud spent most of his career in the financial services industry, retiring from A.G. Edwards & Sons, (New York Stock Exchange), St. Petersburg, Florida in 1988 as VP of Investments. During the time that he and his family resided in Tampa, Florida, Bud was involved in the following civic organizations: member and president of Tampa Interbay Rotary Club, member of Tampa Sales Executive Club, Member of Tampa Presidents Club, member of Tampa Chamber of Commerce, Advisor to Boys Club of Tampa, as well as many other civic organizations. After retiring, Bud moved to Marion County, Florida and resided there until his death. In Marion County, he served as chairman of the Code Enforcement Board, was a member and director of the Ocala Silver Springs Rotary Club, and was a member of the Ocala Boat Club. Bud received many awards and honors during his lifetime, among them being named Father of the Year at Bayshore Baptist Church, and being named a Paul Harris Fellow, by the Tampa Interbay Rotary Club. He was an active member of Rotary International for over 50 years. As a man whose life was guided by his Christian faith, Bud was involved in several churches, including Bayshore Methodist Church in Tampa, Florida, and Highlands Baptist Church in Ocala, Florida. He was also a speaker throughout Florida for Tampa Full Gospel, as well as being founder and president of Jericho Experience Evangelism. Bud loved to travel, visiting 38 countries. His favorite travel destination was Israel, which he visited 14 times, often sharing his love for the country as a leader of tour groups. Bud was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Sandra Anderson Jones; his son, David Blake Jones; and two stepsons, Michael and David Koon. Bud's son, Edwin Gray Jones followed him in death on Wednesday, September 14, 2016. Left to treasure his memory are beloved wife of almost 24 years, Elfreeda Koon Jones; his son, Andy Jones (Liz); daughters-in-law, Martha Jones and Oenita Jones; grandchildren, Matthew Jones (Kim), Michael Jones, Kimberly Jones; and great granddaughter, Kyla Jones. Also, step grandchildren, Jason Birch (Melissa), Christopher Sacauskas (Tina), Angela Stegeman (David), Dr. Demien Forest Obregon (Jasminda), Cynthia Koon, Lesley Kamphaus (Lance), Crystal Horne (Travis), Lisa Decanio, David Ryan Koon. Funeral Service will be 11:00 a.m., Saturday, September 17, 2016 at Highlands Baptist Church, Ocala, FL. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service. Interment will follow the service in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens, Ocala, FL. In lieu of flowers, please consider Bud's support of the ALS Association and Highlands Baptist Church.

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#### **KNOWLES, ANNIE ELAINE PARRAMORE, 91**

Ocala - Annie Elaine Parramore Knowles, 91, of Sebring, passed away on September 12, 2016 in Tampa. She was born in 1925 in Atlanta, Georgia, to the late Dr. Tyson Eldridge Parramore and Bessie Mae Wyche, and grew up in Orange Lake, Florida. Mrs. Knowles was a Christian, a Sunday school teacher and choir member in the Baptist church, and a retired school teacher. She graduated from Reddick High School, Florida State University and the University of Florida. Elaine and her husband David Milton Knowles were married for 57 years, and David preceded her in death on April 4th, 2016. She is survived by son, Richard Knowles, and daughter-in-law, Jill Knowles; daughter, Elizabeth Knowles Cedre and son-in-law, Robert Cedre; and grandchildren, Rachel Knowles, and Elise and Ethan Cedre. A celebration of life will be held at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, Ocala, on Monday, September 19, 2016. The service will begin at 11:00 a.m. and interment will follow at Millwood Cemetery, Reddick, Florida. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 16 to Sept. 17, 2016

### MARTIN, DANNY PATRICK

In the early morning hours of September 14, 2016, Danny passed away peacefully in Belleview, Florida after a short struggle with cancer. He was comforted by family members in his last days. Danny was 56 years old. Danny Martin was born in the town of Kittery, Maine on March 17, 1960. He was the fourth child of Robert and Mary Martin. Danny served honorably in the United States Army for three years. Danny loved riding motorcycles, watching wrestling and enjoyed the company of family and friends. Danny will forever be remembered by his caring daughter, Crystal Martin; three grandchildren, Natalie, Abbigale, Isabella; his beloved mother, Mary Klug; loving sisters, Nancy Henry and Ann Larson; devoted brother, Richard Martin and caring in-law, Dona Martin. Arrangements entrusted to Beyers Funeral Home and Crematory, Lady Lake, FL Online condolences may be left at www.BeyersFuneralHome.com

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 18, 2016**

#### COLE, NORA MINNIS, 91

Ocala - Nora Minnis Cole, age 91, passed away peacefully on September 10, 2016, surrounded by her family in Ocala, Florida. Nora was born in Belfast, Northern Ireland, the daughter of Andrew & May Stevenson Minnis. She married Kenneth Cole on November 29, 1958 in Newark, NJ. Nora held many jobs in her life, including dedicated homemaker, comptometer operator, and sales associate at D.H. Holmes, New Orleans (Dillards). She is survived by her husband, Kenneth Cole; son, Peter Cole (Robert Talbot); son-in-law, John Hoft; grandchildren, Ashley (Malcolm Jr. 'Tony') Autin, Lauren (Joseph) Tyrney, and Andrew Hoft. Nora is preceded in death by her parents; and daughter, Linda Cole Hoft. Family and friends are invited to attend a funeral and celebration of life service, held at Ocala West United Methodist Church in Ocala, FL on Saturday, September 24 at 2:00pm. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be

sent to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Nora. (www.hospiceofmarion.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 17 to Sept. 18, 2016

### **GRAHAM, ELINOR ROSE, 76**

Ocala - Elinor Rose Graham, 76, passed away at her home on Wednesday, August 31, 2016, with her husband, Frank, and daughter, Cheri Craig, at her side. Elinor was born to Howard and Emily (Kunz) Schmidt, both deceased, on January 29, 1940, in Jersey City, NJ. She came to Ocala in 1986. Elinor was a retired businesswoman and she enjoyed painting, especially hand painted shirts. She was active in the Ocala Royal Dames for Cancer Research. In addition to Frank and Cheri she is survived by her sister, Dorothy, of Toms River, NJ, son-in-law Jerry Craig and three grandchildren, Jacob, Hannah and Emilee Craig. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Home, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL, 34471, 352-622-4141. Please sign Elinor's online guestbook at www.robertsfuneral homes.com

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 19, 2016**

### **DELAURENTIS, ANNE M.**

Ocala - Anne M. (née Mascarini) Delaurentis passed away at Legacy House Hospice in Ocala, Florida on August 26, 2016. She was predeceased by her beloved husband, Albert. She is survived by her three stepchildren and several cousins. Anne was born in Parma, Italy in 1935. At the age of three, her parents and she immigrated to join the rest of the family in Philadelphia, PA where she spent her life in the East Falls section of the city until she married her husband Albert 31 years ago. Anne attended St. Bridget's Elementary School and graduated from J.W. Hallahan Catholic Girls High School. Before her marriage, Anne worked as an Administrative Secretary for several companies in the Philadelphia area. Anne and Albert first lived in Hammonton, NJ, and then moved to Ocala, FL. Anne's ashes will be interred with Albert in a private ceremony at the Florida National Cemetery for Veterans in Florida. There will be a Mass celebrated in her memory at her parish church Queen of Peace in Ocala on October 18, 2016 at 8:30 AM. Anyone wishing to honor Anne's memory may make a donation to Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Ocala Florida, Diocese of Orlando, P.O. Box 1800, Orlando, FL 32802-1800; or to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 Saint Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

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# GILPIN, ROBERT GORDON, 76

Ocala - Robert Gordon Gilpin, 76, of Ocala, passed away on Wednesday, September 14, 2016. Robert was born in Pennsylvania and moved to Ocala in 1987. He was a horse trainer and farm manager. Robert was a US Army veteran and enjoyed boating. He was a member of Ocala First Assembly of God. He had a generous loving heart and often opened his home to those in need. He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Joyce Gilpin of Ocala, daughters Tara 'Belle' Gilpin of Sanford, FL and Joyce Baker (Scott) of N. Ft. Myers, FL, grandchildren Casey Belle Siter and Landen Bailey Gilpin, and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. He was predeceased by sons Robert L. Gilpin and Barry

W. Gilpin. Robert will be laid to rest at the Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell, FL on Thursday, September 29, 2016 at 10am with military honors. A memorial service will be held at Ocala First Assembly of God in Ocala at 2:00pm on the same day. In lieu of flowers, Memorial contributions can be made to Pillar/America Ministries. 2659 NE 35th Street. #6. Ocala, FL 34479. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352) 629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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# GORDON, MARY WILSON, 87

Ocala - Mary Wilson Gordon, 87, of Ocala, FL passed away of natural causes on Thursday, September 8, 2016 at Brentwood at Fore Ranch. She was born in Jacksonville, FL on November 9th, 1928. She was laid to rest next to her husband Archie W. Gordon on September 13, 2016 at Highland Memorial Park in Ocala, FL. She is survived by her son, Gregory H. Gordon and wife, Linda; granddaughter, Sarah Beth Gordon; sister, Maryland Land; and brother, Gary Sanders. Arrangements were handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL 352-629-7171

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### **GRIMES, BARBARA ANNE**

Ocala - Barbara Anne Grimes, 74, passed peacefully at Ocala Regional Medical Center on September 11, 2016, with her daughter Teresa Anne at her side. A native of Suffolk Co., NY, she moved to Ocala in 1988 from Phoenix, AZ with her husband Ron (deceased 2003). Married in 1959, they criss-crossed the country many times and moved often. No matter where we wound up, mom always made it home. Survivors include, sister, Bette Wegler (Mike) of Port St. Lucie, FL, brother-in-law, Roger Grimes (Linda) of Ocala, Children, Teresa Kerzner (Barry) of Ocala, Joe Grimes (Venus) of Surprise, AZ, Ordet Klekar (Jim) of Hallettsville, TX, Herb Grimes of Lewisville, TX, seven grandchildren, eight great grandchildren, and beloved companion, John Kemp.

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### KOCH, JOAN M., 81

Ocala - Joan M. Koch, 81, passed away on Tuesday, September 13, 2016 at hospice. She is survived by her husband of 63 years, Frank; her sons, Jim (Pat), Jerry, Michael, and Frank (Joan); her daughter, Suzanne Cannon; and her brothers Jim and Bob (Kathy) O'Shaughnessy. Joan is a native of Philadelphia and worked in the Naval Finance Office for 20 years before retiring and moving to Ocala in 1997. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, September 17, 2016 from 4PM to 6PM at Baldwin Brothers Funeral Home at 954 Silver Springs Blvd. The family will receive friends at their home following the service. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that donations be made to Hospice of Marion County at 3231 SW 34th Ave., Ocala, FL 34474.

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### McCHESNEY, ANNA FRANCES

Ocala - Anna Frances McChesney, 73, passed away September 4, 2016. She was born October 31, 1942, to Leslie Stanton and Helen Albrest Stanton. She has resided in Marion County since August 2001. Anna was born and raised in Alabama. She graduated from Tarrant High School. She studied music at Belhaven College where she met her husband. She graduated from Mississippi State University with a bachelor's degree in education, and later earned a master's degree in special education from UAB. She was a school teacher and a church musician. In addition to her love of music and teaching, Anna loved to read, work in her yard, and walk. She is preceded in death by her brothers, Al and Les Stanton. She is survived by her loving husband of 52 years, David McChesney; daughter, Carol McChesney (Chris Neely); son, John D. McChesney; sister, Louise Gerontakis (Peter); and sisters-in-law, Mimmi Stanton and Doris Stanton. The Memorial Service will be held at Fort King Presbyterian Church at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, September 24, 2016. In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to Fort King Presbyterian Church, 13 NE 36th Ave. Ocala, FL 34470, or the Skill Day Center Inc. (Tutoring Service) of Ocala, 1700 NW 17th Ave., Ocala, FL 34475. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 18 to Sept. 19, 2016

#### MEAD, JAMES GORDON (JIM)

Mount Dora - James Gordon Mead died in Mount Dora, FL on September 10, 2016, following a brief period of declining health. Jim was born in Beacon, NY in 1927 in the front bedroom of the family home that still stands on North Avenue. He was the son of James Van Deusen Mead and Florence Rogers Mead, both sides of the family having deep roots in the mid-Hudson valley. Earlier generations of the Mead family operated a brickyard near Chelsea and a farm that became part of the property now used by Castle Point VA hospital. Jim graduated from Beacon High School, where he played on the basketball team. He turned 18 in June of 1945 and enlisted in the navy. Empty chairs were left for him and another young man who missed their high school graduation for basic training. He served on a destroyer during the occupation of Japan immediately following the end of the war. After his discharge in 1946, like many men of his generation he took advantage of the GI bill to further his education. Jim attended the NY State Teacher's College at Oneonta where he met the love of his life, Barbara Seidel from Troy, NY. After receiving his degree, he began working for the Wappingers Central School District in 1951, and married Barbara in 1953. They were able to purchase land on Michael Drive in the town of Wappingers Falls, located on a hill with sweeping views up the Hudson valley. After saving up a down payment to build a house, the bank turned down their loan request because they were both teachers. So they took their money, loaded the car and spent two months driving across the country during the summer of 1955, beginning a lifetime love of travel in the U.S. In 1957, with the help of family, friends, and his pregnant wife, Jim built his own house where they would live until 1985. Jim started out teaching sixth grade social studies, English and math, but taught seventh and eighth grade social studies for most of his career. When he began in 1951, the entire Wappingers K-12 school system was housed in a single building. When he retired in 1984, that same building was one of two schools in the system for grades seven and eight, just one of the many changes that took place during his tenure. For much of his career, he taught at Van Wyck Junior High School. Jim retired from teaching in 1984, and he and Barbara moved to central Florida in 1985. Jim had a life-long passion for golf, which he continued to play well into his 80's. He also continued his woodworking, making many items for their homes and also taking up wood carving. Jim and Barbara continued to travel, including several cruises to Alaska. Jim is survived by his wife of 63 years, Barbara Seidel Mead. Other survivors are his son, James Steven Mead (Ruth) of Apex, NC; his sister, Jane Cooper of Fishkill, NY; brother and sister in law Ray and Dee Seidel of Ballston Spa, NY; and seven nephews and one niece. He was predeceased by his sister, Denise Arnold, and brothers-in law, Claude Arnold and Dale Cooper. Arrangements have been entrusted to Steverson, Hamlin & Hilbish Funerals and Cremations, 226 E. Burleigh Blvd., Tavares, FL 32778, (352)343-4444. Online condolences may be left on the Tribute Wall at www.steversonhamlin hilbish.com

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### **MULLINS, FLORENCE MAYES, 80**

Dunnellon - Florence Mayes Mullins, age 80, of Dunnellon, FL, passed away on September 14, 2016 at the Legacy Hospice House in Ocala, FL. She was born on January 28, 1936 in Breathitt County Kentucky, daughter of Clarence and Polly Mayes. Florence moved to Dunnellon, FL from Los Angeles, CA in 1968 and resided in Dunnellon until her passing. Florence was of the Baptist faith. She was a devoted homemaker; she enjoyed gardening, traveling and loved spending time with her family. She is preceded in death by her beloved husband of 56 years, Marvin Mullins Sr., on September 27, 2008; daughter, Sherryn Robbins, on November 17, 2014; and her brothers Clarence Mayes Jr. and Jackie Mayes. Florence is survived by her son Marvin Mullins II (Terri) of Crystal River, FL; sisters Edith Middleton (Milford) of Middletown, OH, Lois Eichhorn of Eaton, OH, Judy Thompson (Walter) of Middletown, OH, and Yvonne Mayes of Middletown, OH; and brother Bill Mayes (Julie) of Middletown, OH. She also leaves her grandchildren: Marvin 'Trace' Mullins III (Jenna), Amanda Joplin (Matthew), Matthew Mullins (Corrienne), Jennifer Robbins (Josh Brown), and great-grandson Mattson Joplin. The visitation will be held on Monday, September 19, 2016 from 10:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at the Chapel of ROBERTS FUNERAL HOME, 19939 E. Pennsylvania Ave., Dunnellon. The funeral service will follow at 10:30 a.m. with Reverends Taylor Robertson and Matthew Mullins officiating. Burial will follow at Good Shepherd Memorial Gardens. If you wish to send condolences please visit online at www.robertsofdunnellon.com. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Home of Dunnellon.

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### SCHNEIDER, HARVEY C.

Born March 30, 1935 in Bismark, ND to his parents Christian Schneider and Mary Schockmeyer; died September 16, 2016 in Ocala, FL. He was one of 11 children all but Elsie Hauck has preceded him in death. He faithfully served our country in the US Army during the Korean Conflict. He was preceded in death by his wife Carol J. Schneider; sons Michael, Wayne, and Dennis. Harvey was a mechanical genius who could make or fix anything with a motor. He was retired from being a crane operator in 1996 after working for the local 612. He is survived by his wife Lorraine A. Schneider of Ocala, FL; daughter Rita Noh of Tacoma, WA; grandchildren Tonya, Wendy, Tammie, Amy, Kevin, Christopher, Joshua, and Cameo; several great grandchildren; several nieces and nephews; step-children Dawn, Cindy, Kelly, and Timothy; and his faithful companion Lucky. Funeral service will be held Monday, September 19, 2016 at 11:00 AM at

HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 18 to Sept. 19, 2016

## **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 20, 2016**

## FOWLER, PATRICE DOBSON

Ocala - Patti Fowler went home to God on September 18, 2016 after a long illness. She was born in Burlington Iowa and lived in Hammond Indiana and Pompano Beach Florida until she and Dan moved to Ocala in 1991. For the last 12 years, she worked for Dr. Philip Johnson and her work family was as dear to her as her own family. She is survived by her beloved husband, Dan, to whom she was married for 43 years; her son, Danny (Jessica); daughter, Dawn (Chad); son, Dale (Alicia); and her grand babies, Cody Dale, Aubree Dawn and Caleb William as well as her sister, Pamela Landi. She was the best wife, mother, sister and grandmother a family could ever ask for. She was a superhero to her family, and her cape said Mawmaw. The family is so grateful to the Ted and Diane Brandley House Hospice, who cared for Patti and her family in such a wonderful compassionate way. The family shares its grief with the hundreds of family, friends, neighbors and coworkers who knew and loved Patti. We hope your memories of her will sustain and comfort you as they will us. No service will be held. To celebrate Patti's life, donations Hospice of Marion may be made to County at http://www.hospiceofmarion.com/donations.html.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 21, 2016**

# **BUXTON, LINDA ROCK**

Linda Rock Buxton passed away at her home in Sealy, TX on September 16, 2016. Born in Plattsburgh, NY to Vernon and Helen Rock of Chazy Lake, NY on November 9, 1952. She is survived by her father, Vernon Rock, Ocala, FL and Chazy Lake, NY; twin sister Brenda Mae (Hany) Fathalla, Cedar Park, TX; brothers, Michael Rock (Martha), Ocala, FL; sons, Billy Buxton, Sealy, TX, Keith Buxton, Ocala, FL; daughter, Trina Campbell, Washington State; grandchildren; many uncles and aunts. She was predeceased by her mother, Helen Rock; sister, Elaine Marie Franklin; grandparents; many uncles and aunts. She was loved by all.

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#### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 22, 2016**

### **BOERSTLER, MICHAEL NEWMAN**

Ocala - Michael Newman Boerstler, of Calhoun, GA died on September 13, 2016 when he and a close friend were both killed during a fatal car accident. He was born in Ocala, FL on February 20, 1965, son of William C. Boerstler of Jackson's Gap, AL and Esteene Ward of Dadeville, AL. He was preceded in death by an older brother, John William Boerstler. Survivors include his only sister, Helena Boerstler Agronow Capp, and two nephews, Alex W. Agronow and Cody C. Agronow. Michael grew up in the Ocala, FL area where he was an avid fisherman and hunter. He was an incredible small engine mechanic and operated his own small business, Dadeville Mower, for several years in Dadeville, AL where he was often referred to as the 'Lawnmower Man.' He closed his business and was in the process of relocating from Dadeville, AL to Calhoun, GA as a Construction Manager when the accident occurred. Michael was very loved and will be sincerely missed. A memorial service was held in Calhoun, GA on September 17, 2016, to honor the life of Michael Newman Boerstler. The family has been devastated by this unexpected end to Michael's life and asks that friends and family members take time to say a special prayer for him, his family, and his close friends.

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### **BRIGHT, DOROTHY MARIE SUMMERALL, 90**

Ocala - Dorothy Marie Summerall Bright, 90, of Ocala, Florida, went to be with our Lord on Thursday, September 15, 2016 with many of her family by her bedside. Dorothy was born in LaBelle, FL and spent most of her life in Ft. Myers, FL. She also lived in Hernando Beach, Fort White and Port Charlotte before moving to Ocala to live with her eldest son. She was of the Baptist faith and enjoyed worshipping with her church family at Oak-Griner Baptist Church in Ocala. Early on, Dorothy enjoyed being a stay-at-home mother. But as the children grew she worked part-time in department stores and eventually enjoyed long service as a receptionist in a doctor's office. Dorothy is preceded in death by her two daughters, June Allison Henkel and Agnes Darlene Hathoot. She is survived by her devoted family son, Frank Grant and wife, Barbara of Ocala, FL; son, Danny Grant and wife, Carolyn of Ft. Myers, FL; daughter, Marlena Gibbs of Lake Placid, FL; daughter, Marian Marie Spittler and husband, Mark of Port Charlotte, FL; brother, Herbert Summerall of Ft. White, FL; and 17 grandchildren, 25 great grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren. The family will be having a graveside service celebrating her life on Friday, September 23, 2016 at 1:00 PM at Sarasota National Cemetery. Friends are welcome to attend and celebrate Dorothy's life with her

large family. Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services, Ocala, FL (352) 629-7171 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 21 to Sept. 22, 2016

### LIVINGSTON, JAMES COLONES, 84

Ocala - James Colones Livingston, 84, of Tifton died at his residence surrounded by his family on Monday, September 19, 2016. A celebration of life service will be held in the chapel of Albritton Funeral Directors at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, September 24, 2016 with the Rev. Landon Alberson officiating. A private family burial will be held in Livingston, TN. The family will receive friends on Friday, September 23, 2016 at 6-8 P.M. at the funeral home. Mr. Livingston was born on October 27, 1931 to the late James Elvin and Fannie Mai Livingston in Anthony, Florida. Mr. Livingston was a meat cutter by trade for many years. He loved genealogy, wood working and gardening and was always there to assist friends with projects from remodeling, car repair, to having a cup of coffee and just catching up.. James was a loving father, husband, grandfather and friend to all. In addition to his wife of 42 years, Bonnie Dillard Livingston, Mr. Livingston is survived by one son, James Livingston of Perry; five daughters, Beverly and Bill Hughes of Casselberry, FL, Lori Lynn and Eric Busta of Windsor, CO, Jamie and J.B. West of Sylvester, Vicki Livingston-Ziegler and Frank Ziegler of Woodbine, MD, and Beverly Livingston of Orange Park, FL; ten grandchildren; two great grandchildren and one great great grandchild. Special thank you to Hospice of Tift Area for their support and care. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Tift Area 618 North Central Ave. Tifton, Georgia 31794. You may sign the guest registry at www.albrittonfuneral.com. Albritton Funeral Directors is in charge of the arrangements.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 23, 2016**

### CHAZAL, MARJORIE TRIMBLE, 89

Ocala - Marjorie Trimble Chazal, 89, of Ocala, Florida, passed away on Monday, September 19, 2016 at The Windsor of Ocala. Marjorie Chazal was a native of Moultrie, Georgia and moved to this area in 1950. Mrs. Chazal taught at Ocala High school, volunteered at Munroe Regional Medical Center, taught Sunday school and Training Union for more than four decades at First Baptist Church of Ocala, and served for seventeen years in Bible Study Fellowship. Survivors include spouse, Richard A. Chazal; son, Dr. Richard A. Chazal Jr. wife, Linda; daughter Helen Chazal Leibee husband, Rick; son, Charles P. Chazal wife, Mary; eighteen grandchildren; fourteen great grandchildren; niece Polly Trimble Moore; nephews, Quint Trimble, Stuart Trimble, John Reid; and beloved family friend, Rosie Shell. Marjorie was predeceased by her father, Calhoun Quintus Trimble; her mother, Ruth Lyon Trimble; and her brother Carlyle Trimble. Her parents were co-owners and managers of Trimble Lyon Seed Company, Moultrie, Georgia. A memorial service will be held on Saturday, September 24, 2016 at First Baptist Church of Ocala, 2 pm, followed by a reception in the church hall. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Lung Association or Hospice of Marion County. Online condolences may be sent at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 22 to Sept. 23, 2016

### FLOYD, SHENNA DEON, 39

Shenna Deon Floyd, 39 was born on July 14, 1977 in Ocala, FL. She transitioned to her heavenly home on September 10, 2016 after a long battle with Lupus. She leaves to cherish her memories, sons, Leonardo Edwards, Jr. & Tyrone Pierson, Jr.; daughter, Sa'Nyia Wooden; eight sisters, Ericka (James), Alanna (Anthony), Nataleigh (Andre), Jacquie, Wendy (Chris), Mary, Monique, Becky, Tonya and Shan; brothers, Allen (Carolyn), Eric (VonSheila), Carl (Nikita), Jackie, Billy, Cedric, Marco, Anthony, Tracey, and Kenny. Visitation will be at St. Paul AME Church from 5:00 - 7:00 on Friday, September 23, 2016 and a Celebration of Life will be Saturday at 1:00PM, September 24, 2016 at St. Paul AME Church, 718 NW 7th St, Ocala, FL 34475. Arrangements entrusted to Signature Memorial Funeral & Cremations Services LLC, 3401 SE Hawthorne RD, Gainesville, FL 32641

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### HANNIGAN, RONALD PAUL

Anthony - Ronald Paul Hannigan, of Anthony, FL, passed away September 17, 2016 in his home at the age of 71. His family and close friends were by his side. Ron was born October 10, 1944 in Bronxville, New York, to Nettie and John Hannigan Sr. He is survived by his beloved children, James, Shawn, and Alicia (Preiss); five grandchildren; one great grandchild; his sisters, Shirley, Barbara (Peters), Mary (Dorio); and brothers, Robert and Peter. He was preceeded in death by his much loved daughter, Dorothy (Egert). Ron worked in transportation and warehousing and was a Sales Manager for AAA Cooper when he retired in 2009. Ron loved life, his family, friends, and golf. He possessed a great sense of humor and gave meaning to the word Charisma. A celebration of his life will be held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, September 24, 2016, at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL

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### **MILLEN, GERALDINE, 94**

Ocala - Geraldine Millen, 94, passed away on September 19, 2016 in Lecanto, Florida. She was born on January 5, 1922 in Clinton, New York to Horace and Clara Peters Millen. Geraldine retired from the Department of Defense as a Secretary in Washington, D.C. after having worked for the Defense Intelligence Agency at American embassies in Australia, Sweden and England. She moved to Florida in 1981 and lived most of her retirement years in Ocala. Geraldine was a member of the Blessed Trinity Church in Ocala, Florida and enjoyed bowling, golfing and traveling. She was preceded in death by her parents, Horace and Clara Peters Millen; her sister, Emily Millen Marks, and her brothers, Donald Millen, Bernard Pfendler, Robert Pfendler and his wife, Jean, and Frederick Pfendler and his wife, Norma. Geraldine is survived by her sister-in-law, Blanche Pfendler and numerous nieces and nephews. A memorial mass will be held at Blessed Trinity Church, 5 SE 17th St, Ocala, Florida at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, September 23, 2016. Burial will follow at a later date at Boonville Cemetery in Boonville, New York. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations be made to Hospice of Citrus and the Nature Coast in Lecanto, Florida. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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## MILLS, SYLVESTER, 71

Ocala - Sylvester Mills, 71, passed away September 7, 2016 He leaves to cherish his memories children, Ricky Mills, Randy Mills, Ervin Mills, Lesha Mills, La'Van Mills, Joshua Mills, Sylvester Mills Jr., Cynthia Gibson-Mills, and Calvin Gibson-Mills, ten grandchildren; two great grandchildren; brothers, Rev. Willie Mills, John Mills, Tases Mills, Rev. Elbert Mills, Norris Mills, Edward Mills, and Vaughn Mills; sisters, Ann Hutchinson, Josephine Mills, Berthenia Banks, Joyce Heflin, and Cathy Hawkins, and a host of other relatives and friends. Funeral service will be held Saturday, September 24, 2016 at 1:00p.m. at New Shady Grove Baptist Church. Professional services entrusted to Snow's Funeral Ministry (Providing a memory that will never fade). Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 22 to Sept. 23, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 24, 2016**

### COLE, NORA MINNIS, 91

Ocala - Nora Minnis Cole, age 91, passed away peacefully on September 10, 2016, surrounded by her family in Ocala, Florida. Nora was born in Belfast, Northern Ireland, the daughter of Andrew & May Stevenson Minnis. She married Kenneth Cole on November 29, 1958 in Newark, NJ. Nora held many jobs in her life, including dedicated homemaker, comptometer operator, and sales associate at D.H. Holmes, New Orleans (Dillards). She is survived by her husband, Kenneth Cole; son, Peter Cole (Robert Talbot); son-in-law, John Hoft; grandchildren, Ashley (Malcolm Jr. 'Tony') Autin, Lauren (Joseph) Tyrney, and Andrew Hoft. Nora is preceded in death by her parents; and daughter, Linda Cole Hoft. Family and friends are invited to attend a funeral and celebration of life service, held at Ocala West United Methodist Church in Ocala, FL on Saturday, September 24 at 2:00pm. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be sent to Hospice of Marion County in memory of Nora. (www.hospiceofmarion.com) Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 17 to Sept. 24, 2016

# FITZGERALD, SARAH 'SALLY' A.

Ocala - Sarah A. Fitzgerald 'Sally' passed away on August 30, 2016. Born on October 7, 1934 in Canandaigua, NY. Graduated from Canandaigua Academy High School; worked as a cafeteria employee at French's, Charlotte H.S., Holy Cross grammar school, and Kodak. She belonged to VFW; Moose Lodge 1199; Fraternal Order of Eagles 4251. She enjoyed bingo, casino hopping, raising children, family parties, and playing cards. Preceded in Death by husband, Thomas N. Fitzgerald and grandson, Terry Farley. Survived by daughters, Cecelia Fitzgerald (NY); Pamela Fitzgerald (NY); Kathleen Cole (FL); Margaret Huls (FL); sons, Thomas (Deborah) Fitzgerald (NJ); John (Mary Ann) Fitzgerald (VA); 10 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; brothers, James (Pat) Kidman (NY); Howard (Louise) Kidman (NY); sister, Edith Clark (NV); brother-in-law, John (Elaine) Fitzgerald (NY); sister-in-law, MaryBeth (James) Miles (MA); and several nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers donate to American Cancer Society or Charity of your choice. Celebration of life is at 'Fraternal Order of Eagles' on highway 25 in Belleview on October 8, 2016 from 1pm-5pm.

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### KOCH SR, WILLIAM M. - Detroit

Ocala - William (Bill) M. Koch, Sr. died September, 19, 2016 at his home in Ocala, FL. He was born November 10, 1925 in Brentwood, Missouri. He is predeceased by his wife of 49 years, Margaret (Peg) Carnie Koch. He is survived by his son. William (Bill) Jr., wife, Jen; daughter, Barbara Mahowski, husband, Bob; and son, Randy; five grandchildren; and one great-grandson; and his very special companion of 13 years, Cathy Whitaker and her loving family. Bill served his country in the US Navy during WWll and then began a career that spanned 38 years in St. Louis and Detroit with Chevrolet. He enjoyed his early retirement years in Detroit and eventually relocated to Ocala. In lieu of flowers please consider a donation in his memory to The American Cancer Society, www.cancer.org or call 800-227-2345 or The Nature Conservancy, www.nature.org or mail to 2500 Maitland Center Pkwy Ste 311, Maitland, FL 32751. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 23 to Sept. 24, 2016

# LEWIS, SCOTT WALTER, 39

Ocala - Scott Walter Lewis, age 39, of Ocala, went home to be with the Lord on Monday, September 19, 2016. Scott was a native of Ocala, and a graduate of Forest High School. He was the General Manager of L & J Fire Equipment, LLC. Scott loved Jesus and his family. He enjoyed fishing, being on the water, was an avid Gator fan, and he never missed a workout. Scott's generous decision to be an organ donor will continue to impact many lives. He will be greatly missed by his friends and relatives. Scott is survived by his parents, Eddie and Beth Lewis; his brother, Jeffrey Lewis; his sister, Kellie Cambias and brother-in-law, Robbie; his maternal grandparents, Burgess and Katherine Walter; and his niece and nephew, Emma Rey and Arthur Cambias; and by his many aunts, uncles, and cousins. Scott was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, O.R. and Betty Lewis. A visitation will take place at First Baptist Church Ocala on Sunday, September 25, 2016, from 2:00 pm until service time. A funeral service will also take place at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala on Sunday, September 25, 2016 at 3:00 pm. Interment will follow at Citra Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association at www.diabetes.org. Roberts Funeral Home, E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon, FL is handling arrangements. Condolences may be left for the Lewis family at www.robertsofdunnellon.com. Although Scott will be greatly missed by his family and friends, it is comforting to know that he is now home with Jesus and loved ones that have gone before him.

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### MAYWEATHER, VERA

Ocala - Vera Mayweather was called home to rest on September 15, 2016. She was born on November 2, 1934 in Ocala, FL to the late Samuel Edwards and Thelma E. Adams. She attended Howard Academy in Ocala, FL. She worked as a Certified Histology Technician at Munroe Regional for many years. She was married to Joseph Mayweather for 65 years. To this union, seven children were born. She was a faithful member of Siloam Missionary Baptist Church. In her early years, she was a member of Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church. Vera Mayweather was very active in the community and was associated with many organizations. She leaves to cherish her memories, a devoted husband, Joseph Mayweather; children, Barbara Coleman (Ronald) of Orange Park, FL, Joseph R. Mayweather, Glenda R. Mayweather, Verdie Mayweather (Gwen), Robert Mayweather, Joan Franklin (Curtis) and Warner Mayweather, all of Ocala, FL; grandchildren, Vernesha Mayweather, Vera Nez Josey (Nick), Verdie Mayweather Jr. (Taunesha), Laquandela 'Shay' Mayweather, Robert Mayweather Jr., Jamiera Franklin and Lillie Mayweather; great-grandchildren, Gabriel, Angelique, James, Laila and Joshua; brother, Samuel Edwards Jr. (Ann); sisters, Maxine Osbourne, Shirley Stafford, Ethel Harrell, and Alice Folk all of Ocala, FL; goddaughter, Suzanne Saunders of Jamaica, NY; dear friend, Alice Johnson; special grand pooch, Ashley and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and sorrowing friends. Visitation for Vera Mayweather will be on Friday September 23, 2016 from 10am to 5 pm at Clark Funeral Home. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday September 24, 2016 at 11 am at Mt Moriah Baptist Church, 55 SW 3rd Ave, Ocala, FL 34471. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to Clark Funeral Home.

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### NOVELLO, ARTHUR G.

Ocala - Arthur G. Novello, 86, of Ocala passed away September 21, 2016. Born in Brooklyn, New York, he came to this area 16 years ago from Palm Beach County, FL. He was a retired carpet installer and a member of Berean Baptist Church. He is survived by his loving wife, Lillian; children, Raymond (Lisa) Novello of Kernersville, NC, Arthur (Barbara) Novello, Jr. of West Palm Beach, FL, Debbie Dean of Augusta, GA, Sandy (Bill) Mellonkauf of Cocoa, FL, Pamela (Robert) McAfee of West Palm Beach, FL; cousin, Lois (John) Glaze of West Palm Beach, FL; nine grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. A Celebration of Arthur's Life will be held at Berean Baptist Church, 4800 SW 20th St., Ocala, on Saturday, September 24, 2016 at 9:30AM. A Graveside Service will follow at Forest Lawn Memory Gar-dens, 5740 S. Pine Ave., Ocala, 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 Baldwin Brothers, 954 E. Silver Springs Blvd., Ocala 236-5884.

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### PRIDDY, DOUGLAS J.

Ocala - 'Doug' Priddy, 87, left this world as we know it on September 1st, 2016. He was in the care of the wonderful staff at the Hospice Legacy Home at the time of his passing. His daughter, Elizabeth, was by his side. Doug was born in Sinton, Texas on April 26, 1929 to Douglas Irving Priddy and Katharine Dwight Maitland. His mother passed away when Doug was only five and his father followed in passing when Doug was fourteen years of age. He graduated Coronado High School in 1947. Doug enlisted in the United States Air Force (SAC) in 1948, retiring after twenty years of service in 1968. During his time in the military he served in the Korean War and was stationed in Japan. He was very proud yet humble of his military service. After his retirement, Doug studied computer programming and operations, graduating in 1969. Upon his graduation he landed a job with NCR where he worked for 15 years. Doug then worked briefly in Saudi Arabia on their check cashing system. Doug enjoyed travel and lived many places after his retirement, including Albuquerque, New Mexico, close to his brother, Dwight, and his lovely lady, Barbara. Upon his return to Florida he lived for a time with his daughter, Elizabeth and her incredible husband, Joe Taylor. Doug loved the outdoors and could play a mean round of golf, tennis and racquetball. He was happiest around the water and loved sailing. He enjoyed pets and was a great granddad to his grandpets. He had an incredible memory of details of his life and could tell you such interesting stories. He loved a lively conversation, classical and jazz music, and a shot of scotch now and then. Special thanks to the Harbor House at Ocala staff, Hospice West Team and Hospice Legacy house for your care and dedication. Cremation services were provided by The Neptune Society. Doug was proud of his support of St. Jude Hospital and the Marion County Humane Society.

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### TAYLOR SR., FREDDIE B.

Ocala - Freddie B. Taylor Sr. was born on October 8, 1946, in Marion County Florida, the oldest of eight children to Willie Mae (Taylor) Jackson. He graduated from Howard High School in Ocala. He served in the United States Marine Corps and was a decorated Vietnam Veteran receiving a Purple Heart for honorable services after two tours of duty. After leaving the service he became a Master Carpenter for the Marion County School Board retiring after 46 years there. Among his hobbies he especially enjoyed league bowling, fishing and hunting small game. Freddie is survived by his children, Freddie B. Taylor Jr. and Bruce Crosby; siblings, Mario Taylor (Margaret McInnes), Gigi Ridings (Donald Hickey), Francklyn Debbie Jackson, Jacqueline Gondola, Gwendolyn Leonard (Robert Leonard Jr.) and Robert Jackson III (Deana Simuel-Jackson); numerous cousins; nieces and nephews. Public viewing will be Friday, September 23, 2016, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm. Funeral Service will be Saturday, September 24, 2016, 11:00 am, Progressive Union Missionary Baptist Church,8792 NW 38th Avenue Rd, Ocala, FL 34482, Rev. Derrell Redding, Pastor. A Summers Funeral Service Make The Difference, Our Family Serving Your Family.' Condolences can be signed at summersfh.com.

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# THORESEN, MARY P., 78

Ocala - Mary P. Thoresen, 78 of Ocala, FL passed away on Wed. September 21, 2016 at MRMC. Mary was born in Erie, PA and moved to this area in 1984 from Seminole, FL. Mary enjoyed bowling, playing bridge with friends, and enjoyed being around horses and dogs. She is preceded in death by her parents, Charles and Charlotte (Hill) Palmer; husband, Ralph Edwin Thoresen; daughter, Linda Louise Thoresen; and son, Chuck Thoresen. Mary is survived by her son, Eric and wife, Sherry Thoresen, of Summerfield, FL; daughter, Tracy Bean and husband, Michael, of Olive Branch, MS; son, Ralph and wife, Stephanie Thoresen, of Dunedin, FL; daughter, Sue Lehman and husband, Ron, of Lawrenceville, GA; brother, Charles and wife, Marjorie Palmer, of Polk City, FL; and nine grandchildren, Sally, Travis, Jennifer, Bryan, Chanoah, Autumn, Erin, Riley, Regan; and two great grandchildren, James and Remi. The family will be having a viewing on Sunday, September 25, 2016 at the Hiers-Baxley Funeral Home, 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd, Ocala from 5:00 to 7:00 PM. The family will be having a graveside service celebrating Mary's life on Monday Sept 26th at 10:00 AM and Highland Memorial Park.

Arrangements by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services. Ocala, FL 352-629-7171 Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 23 to Sept. 24, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 25, 2016**

# **BARNES, DIANE FLORA**

Ocala - Diane Flora Barnes, 73, of Ocala passed away on September 9, 2016. She was born on January 14, 1943 in Green Bay, Wisconsin. Diane married her husband of 51 years, Richard L. Barnes, on August 28th. She attended Technical School for training in accounting. Diane worked for 25 years in accounts payable at both Superfoods of Orlando, Florida and Gulf Coast Thermal King in Tampa, Florida. Diane's hobbies included singing in the choir at church, reading, and spending time with her husband and family. She is survived by her husband, Richard L. Barnes; brother, Duane Wussow; sister, Christine Van Asperen; daughters, Stephanie D. Ramirez (Carlos Ramirez) and Sarah C. Leppert (Philip Leppert); and seven grandchildren. Diane is preceded in death by her parents, Herman and Lorena Wussow; brother, David Wussow; and sister, Barbara Conrad. Services will be held at St. Paul's United Methodist Church 800 SE 41st. Ave. Ocala, FL 34471 on October 1, 2016 at 11 am. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in Diane's memory to Hospice of Marion County.

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# **DE HOLL, EDIE**

Ocala - Edie De Holl, 80 of Ocala, passed away on Sep-tember 23rd 2016 at the Legacy Hospice House. The last of her family, she leaves behind her husband, Fritz, of 57 years; a daughter, Michele Shakir; and two grandsons in Las Vegas, NV. Edie was born in 1935 and grew up in Dade City, FL. She has since traveled the world; much of it as part of her profession as an Independent Cruise Travel Agent. Edie resided for many years in Oregon and California before returning to her Florida roots 20 years ago. Edie's passion was golf as a player, spectator and an active volunteer in Junior Golf Programs in Portland, OR and San Diego, CA. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL 34471 (352)622-4141. Please sign Edie's online guestbook at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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# DIANE M. DILDA

Ocala - Diane M. Dilda, 54, passed away September 22, 2016. She was born June 1, 1962 in Wyandotte, MI. She moved to Ocala in the early 80's from Southgate, MI. Mrs. Dilda was a bank teller. She is survived by her husband, David Dilda; son, Roger A. Horvath of Orlando; daughter, Ginger G. Fink of Ocala; daughter, Nancy E. Hamilton of Ocala; mother, Betty Cadmen of Southgate, MI; sisters, Terrie Sicotte of Southgate MI, and Cathy Neylar of ID, and five grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478. Published in Ocala Star-Banner on Sept. 25, 2016

# GEORGE, MARY J.

Ocala - Mary J. (Jackie) George passed peacefully at home, in Ocala, FL on September

11, 2016. She is survived by her loving husband, Larry George of 60 years. She leaves behind her four sons, Daniel George, John and wife, Linda George, William and wife, Terry George and Patrick George. Jackie has six grandchildren and seven greatgrandchildren who she loved dearly. Jackie took great pleasure spending time with her family and friends, she was an active member of her community and Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Some of the hobbies she enjoyed were The Crochet Club, Mahjong, and volunteering with The Ocala Express, a local clown association who devoted themselves working with children in the Ocala community. All who knew her were blessed by her divine ability to always see the best in everyone and all situations and that God has a purpose for all of us. Her strength in her faith was the glue that kept her family together through good times and bad. She gave all of us a beautiful example of God's call to love one another and rejoice always in His love. Her presence will remain close in our hearts forever and always. A private service will be held at Queen of Peace Catholic Church. At the families re-quest, in lieu of flowers a do-nation may be made in her memory to Society of the Little Flower, 1313 Frontage Rd. Darien IL 60561 Published in Ocala Star-Banner on Sept. 25, 2016

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#### MARY ANN WERST

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City, serving in a number of positions including church secretary, choir director, organist, and women's committee member. Mary Ann's church work also included a commitment to social issues. Of primary concern during her Kansas City years was the development and support of interracial and interfaith community. After moving to Florida, she played a key role in her Ocala UCC congregation's choice to be-come an Open and Affirming church, formally embracing all LGBTQ visitors and members. Vocal music was Mary Ann's passion. In addition to church choral work, she was a member of the Kansas City Civic Chorus under the direction of Dr. Eph Ehly and the Central Florida Master Choir under the direction of Rev. Dr. Hal McSwain. During her ten-ure with the Civic Chorus, she had the good fortune to join them in a performance tour of Europe. Mary Ann and Kenneth re-located to Louisville, Kentucky, where she worked for the Presbyterian Church USA until her retirement in 1994. Their final move was to Ocala, Florida, in 1995, where both were active members of First Presbyterian Church and First Congregational United Church of Christ. She is survived by her four children and spouses, Paul (Jayne), Martha (Stuart), James (Glenda), and David (Melanie); seven grandchildren; four great grandchildren; and one great-great grandson. She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth; son-in-law, Jerold; and her grand-son, Brian. Mary Ann's memorial service will be held on Saturday, October 1, 2016 at 2pm. The service will be conducted in her home church - First Congregational United Church of Christ of Ocala (address below). In lieu of flowers, the family requests that you please consider making a donation to Mary Ann's church. This church was central to her life in Florida, a supportive and loving community that be-came her extended family. Please indicate that your do-nation is for their general operations fund, in memory of Mary Ann Werst. First Congregational United Church of Christ of Ocala 7171 SW Highway 200 Ocala, FL 34476

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 26, 2016**

### **BARNES, DIANE FLORA, 73**

Ocala - Diane Flora Barnes, 73, of Ocala passed away on September 9, 2016. She was born on January 14, 1943 in Green Bay, Wisconsin. Diane married her husband of 51 years, Richard L. Barnes, on August 28th. She attended Technical School for training in accounting. Diane worked for 25 years in accounts payable at both Superfoods of Orlando, Florida and Gulf Coast Thermal King in Tampa, Florida. Diane's hobbies included singing in the choir at church, reading, and spending time with her husband and family. She is survived by her husband, Richard L. Barnes; brother, Duane Wussow; sister, Christine Van Asperen; daughters, Stephanie D. Ramirez (Carlos Ramirez) and Sarah C. Leppert (Philip Leppert); and seven grandchildren. Diane is preceded in death by her parents, Herman and Lorena Wussow; brother, David Wussow; and sister, Barbara Conrad. Services will be held at St. Paul's United Methodist Church 800 SE 41st. Ave. Ocala, FL 34471 on October 1, 2016 at 11 am. In lieu of flowers donations may be made in Diane's memory to Hospice of Marion County.

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DE HOLL, EDIE, 80

Ocala - Edie De Holl, 80 of Ocala, passed away on September 23rd 2016 at the Legacy Hospice House. The last of her family, she leaves behind her husband, Fritz, of 57 years; a daughter, Michele Shakir; and two grandsons in Las Vegas, NV. Edie was born in 1935 and grew up in Dade City, FL. She has since traveled the world; much of it as part of her profession as an Independent Cruise Travel Agent. Edie resided for many years in Oregon and California before returning to her Florida roots 20 years ago. Edie's passion was golf as a player, spectator and an active volunteer in Junior Golf Programs in Portland, OR and San Diego, CA. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Homes, 606 SW 2nd Ave, Ocala, FL 34471 (352)622-4141. Please sign Edie's online guestbook at www.robertsfuneralhomes.com

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# DILDA, DIANE M., 54

Ocala - Diane M. Dilda, 54, passed away September 22, 2016. She was born June 1, 1962 in Wyandotte, MI. She moved to Ocala in the early 80's from Southgate, MI. Mrs. Dilda was a bank teller. She is survived by her husband, David Dilda; son, Roger A. Horvath of Orlando; daughter, Ginger G. Fink of Ocala; daughter, Nancy E. Hamilton of Ocala; mother, Betty Cadmen of Southgate, MI; sisters, Terrie Sicotte of Southgate MI, and Cathy Neylar of ID, and five grandchildren. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Marion County, PO Box 4860, Ocala, FL 34478.

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### LEWIS, SCOTT WALTER, 39

Ocala - Scott Walter Lewis, age 39, of Ocala, went home to be with the Lord on Monday, September 19, 2016. Scott was a native of Ocala, and a graduate of Forest High School. He was the General Manager of L & J Fire Equipment, LLC. Scott loved Jesus and his family. He enjoyed fishing, being on the water, was an avid Gator fan, and he never missed a workout. Scott's generous decision to be an organ donor will continue to impact many lives. He will be greatly missed by his friends and relatives. Scott is survived by his parents, Eddie and Beth Lewis; his brother, Jeffrey Lewis; his sister, Kellie Cambias and brother-in-law, Robbie; his maternal grandparents, Burgess and Katherine Walter; and his niece and nephew, Emma Rey and Arthur Cambias; and by his many aunts, uncles, and cousins. Scott was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, O.R. and Betty Lewis. A visitation will take place at First Baptist Church Ocala on Sunday, September 25, 2016, from 2:00 pm until service time. A funeral service will also take place at First Baptist Church, 2801 SE Maricamp Road, Ocala on Sunday, September 25, 2016 at 3:00 pm. Interment will follow at Citra Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Diabetes Association at www.diabetes.org. Roberts Funeral Home, E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Dunnellon, FL is handling arrangements. Condolences may be left for the Lewis family at www.robertsofdunnellon.com. Although Scott will be greatly missed by his family and friends, it is comforting to know that he is now home with Jesus and loved ones that have gone before him.

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### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 28, 2016**

### **BARRETT, IRMA, 54**

Ocala - Irma Barrett, 54, of Ocala, passed away on Wednesday, September 21, 2016. She was born September 28, 1961, in Tulia, Texas, a daughter of Graciano Menchaca Herrera and Juanita Herrera. Irma is survived by her husband, Richard Barrett of Ocala, FL; and children, Sarah Barrett-Sanchez (Wancarlos) of Gainesville, FL, and Richie Barrett of Ocala, FL. Also surviving are her sisters, Rita Vera (Rudy) of Spring Hill, FL., Graciela Holman (Bobby) of Amarillo, TX., Hilda Callaway (Paul) of Watertown, SD., Jessie Wood of St. Louis, MO.; and stepsister, Josepha Herrera Galindo of Austin, TX; sisters in law, Tammy Dunne (Darren) of Raleigh, NC., Rebecca Parsons of Roanoke, VaA, and Jenny Parsons of Boston, MA. Irma's parents and sister, Sandi Burk, preceded her in death. Irma enjoyed reading, movies, cooking, sports, fishing, and spending time with her family. She was a long time volunteer with Special Olympics Marion County and she truly enjoyed working for Marion County School Board and Taylor Bean and Whitaker. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday, September 28, 2016, 6:30pm at Druid Hills United Methodist Church at 1712 SE Lake Weir Ave, Ocala 34471. Dr. Rev. Drew

Parsons and Rev. Sandra Parsons will be officiating. All are welcome to attend and celebrate Mrs. Barrett. The family wishes to thank the staff of Legacy House for their compassion and kindness in care.

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# CATES, JR., ELMER WAYNE

Ocala - Elmer Wayne Cates, Jr., 85, a farmer, of Sparr, FL, passed away on Wednesday, September 21, 2016. Elmer was born in Sparr in 1931 to Elmer and Grayton Cates and lived there all his life. Elmer was predeceased by his wife, Lucille Cates in April of 2016. He is survived by his daughter, Tracy Cruz of Jensen Beach, FL and son, Gregory Wayne Cates of Louisianna. A visitation will be hosted at Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services in Ocala on Thursday, September 29 from 5-7pm. Arrangements are being handled by Hiers-Baxley Funeral Services 910 SE Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 (352)-629-7171. Online Condolences may be expressed at www.hiers-baxley.com. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 27 to Sept. 28, 2016

# HUBBLE, JAMES W.

Ocala - James W. Hubble was born to Lucile Whitham and James Henry Harriss Hubble on July 28, 1932 in Pomona, CA. He died peacefully at home on September 18, 2016 Jim is survived by his wife, Norma Kennedy Hubble; son, Jim W. Hubble Jr.; daughters, Donna Lee Hubble Nichols and husband, Harold C. Nichols, Melissa Hubble Replogle and husband, Norman L. Replogle, Brenda Hubble Brown and husband, Mark Brown; eleven grandchildren, Matt and Kami Nichols, Brian and Laura Van Fleet, Abigail Nichols, Tim and Emily Hines, Brett and Molly Hoehne, Aaron and Victoria Replogle, Jonathan Replogle, David Replogle, Joseph and Rebekah Utley, Ben Brown and David Brown; twenty-four great granchildren; sister, Jean Hubble Knickerbocker and husband, Raymond Knickerbocker; and sister-in-law, Nancy Hubble in NY state. He is preceded in death by his parents, his brother Edgar Hubble, and two great grandsons. The family's address is Box 66, Strang, NE 68444. For memorials farmerandsonfuneralhome.com Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 27 to Sept. 28, 2016

### **Obituaries Published in the Ocala Star-Banner Newspaper, September 29, 2016**

# CRISS, RICHARD D., 90

Silver Springs - Richard D. Criss, 90, of Silver Springs passed away September 24, 2016. Born in Hymera, Indiana, December 8, 1925. He is survived by his loving wife of 66 years, Jeanette; children, Tim (Gladys) Criss of Silver Springs, FL, Tom (Donna) Criss of Tallahassee, FL, Cheryl (Gregg) Schilling of Coldwater, MI; eight grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. Richard served his country in the US Navy during WWII and then had a 35 year career as a tool and die maker while raising his family in Warren, Michigan. He enjoyed his early retirement years in Lexington Heights, MI and eventually relocated permanently to Silver Springs, FL. A visitation will take place at Baldwin Brothers in Ocala on Thursday, September 29, 2016, from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. Memorial service will be at Forest Assembly of God Church on Friday, September 30, 2016 at 4:00 pm.

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#### DUNLAP, MELVIN 'EDDIE' SR.

Ocala - Melvin Eddie Dunlap, Sr, 69, passed away September 12, 2016. Born in Eastman, Georgia, on July 18, 1947, to Jesse M. and Robbie D. (Mullis) Dunlap. He moved to Ocala from Georgia in 1971 and worked as a fuel truck driver for Chevron Oil for 37 years. Eddie is preceded in death by his parents, Jessie M. And Robbie D. Dunlap; brothers, Thurman and Charles Dunlap; sister, Betty Oxley; Eddie is survived by his loving wife of 43 years, Judith A. Dunlap; son, Eddie Dunlap, Jr (Angela); daughter, Tamara Byrd (Martin); sisters, Gloria Hagle (Les), Dorothy D'Onofrio (Jerry), Elizabeth Walker (Ron). Memorial Service will be 1:00 p.m., Saturday, October 1, 2016, at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, Florida.

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### **KENNEDY, NAOMI CAMPBELL**

Ocala - Naomi Campbell Kennedy, beloved mother, grandmother, sister, aunt and friend, died Monday, September 26, 2016 after a brief illness. Nicki, as she was known, was born on August 22, 1923 to Wertha and Murphy Campbell in Louisville, Kentucky. She is survived by sons, Erich Booth (Connie), Boyce Booth, and Paige Booth; her brother, Robert Campbell; and grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. She loved her family and friends, books, and crossword puzzles. She will be greatly missed by all who knew her. Lord and Stephens West, Watkinsville, GA, are in charge of the arrangements. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 28 to Sept. 29, 2016

### MCGILLIVRAY, ANGUS, 68

Ocala - Angus McGillivray, 68, passed away September 24, 2016. Born in Green Bay, Wisconsin on November 24, 1947, to Wilfred and Marian (Lutsey) McGillivray. He moved here from Missouri in 2007. Angus was a navy veteran of four years. He was a Supervisor for Good Humor Ice Cream for 33 years. He was an active scout father, enjoyed outdoor activities such as camping, fishing and being out on the water. He also had a passion food and cooking. He had a wonderful sense of humor with a distinct contagious laugh that could bring a smile to anyone's face. He had a very kind heart full of love for friends and family, especially for his children/grandchildren. Angus will be deeply missed and never forgotten. He is survived by his beloved wife of 40 years, Mary Joann McGillivray; son, Matthew Corey McGillivray; daughters, Angela Boltinghouse, Kimberly Hayley; brother, James McGillivray; sister, Catherine Zimmerman; grandchildren, Brandon, Codey, Laura, Noah; great-grandchildren, Daniel, Maddison, and Brandon, Jr., and nephew Karl Zimmerman. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Hugh McGillivray, and brother and sister twins, Mary and Joseph. Funeral Service will be 4:00 p.m., Saturday, October 1, 2016 at Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL. Visitation will be one hour prior. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL.

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### **OETZEL, THOMAS E.**

Ocala - Thomas E. Oetzel, born in Philadelphia, PA October 21, 1927; died in Ocala, FL September 23, 2016. He proudly served our country in the US Navy during WW II. He

enjoyed golfing with his late wife, Jan. He is survived by his daughter, Patti (Ward) Keller of Shippensburg, PA; grandchildren, Jeni (Jarrett) Droneburg of Hagerstown, MD, and Tracy Pasch of Carlisle, PA; great-grandchildren, Brittanie Harris of Hagerstown, MD, Cory Droneburg of Hagerstown, MD, McKenzie Carter of Carlisle, PA, and Johnny Carter of Carlisle, PA; sister-in-law, Eileen Oetzel of Leesburg, FL. Funeral will be held Friday, September 30, 2016 12:00 PM at HIERS-BAXLEY FUNERAL SERVICES-Timber Ridge with visitation an hour prior. Sentiments may be left online at www.hiers-baxley.com.

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### **REICHENBACHER, RICHARD G.**

Ocala - Richard 'Dick' Reichenbacher, 82, passed away September 25, 2016. He was born in Aurora, IL, on May 18, 1934, to Merle Paxton Reichenbacher and Genevieve Elizabeth Gunzenhauser. He moved here from Michigan 18 years ago. He was a United States Marine Corps Veteran and a member of First Presbyterian Church of Ocala. He is preceded in death by his son, Terry Lee Reichenbacher. He is survived by his beloved wife of 59 years, Nancy Lee Reichenbacher; son, Richard (Charlotte); daughters, Michelle Reichenbacher (George), Stephanie Burke (Chris); sisters, Nancy Jean Winfree, Janet Hutchinson; six grandchildren and fifteen great-grandchildren. Memorial Service will be 11:00 a.m., Thursday, September 29, 2016, at First Presbyterian Church, Ocala, FL with Dr. Cynthia M. Benz officiating. Arrangements under the care of Countryside Funeral Home, Anthony, FL

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# **REILLY, JOAN PATRICIA, 85**

Ocala - Joan Patricia Reilly, 85, of Ocala, Florida, peacefully passed away on September 23, 2016 at Sylvia's House. Joan was a member of Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church. Joan was born on December 25, 1930, in Queens (Rego Park), New York, the oldest of six children of the late Joseph and Mary (Dalton) Campbell. Joan's life was always centered around helping others. During the Korean War, Joan volunteered with the American Women's Volunteer Service (AWVS) where she assisted wounded veterans, as well as, disabled children. Joan worked at J.P. Stevens Textile Company, and the Stork Club in New York before marrying her late husband of 42 years, Michael J. Reilly. Joan is survived by her sister, Regina Fuehrer (Albert) of Roswell, GA; and her brother, Joseph Campbell (Maureen) of Bethel, CT; her children, Mary Smith (Dale) of Ocala, FL, and Michael Reilly of Ocala, FL, and stepdaughter Maureen Reilly of New Hampton, NY; two grandchildren; and two great-children. Joan was a voice for the unborn where she spent over 40 years in the Pro-Life Ministry. She was active in the Gift of Life Ministry at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, Divine Mercy Adoration Group, Eucharist Prayer Group, and many other ministries throughout her life. She was an avid writer to the opinion page of the Ocala Star Banner in defending the unborn, veterans, and causes of the day. Joan spent her life supporting various charities and organizations, and served as an officer of Broward County Right To Life before relocating to Ocala in 1979, where she served as a Republican Committee woman for over a decade with the REC. Joan was a shining example of the graces a mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother can bestow on a family, and will be greatly missed by her family who loved her so dearly. Joan will be laid to rest beside her loving husband at the National Cemetery in Bushnell. A Funeral Mass will be held at Our Lady of the Springs Catholic Church, 4047 N.E. 21st St., Ocala, Fl, 34470, on Friday, September 30th at 11:00 a.m. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Hospice of Marion County. Arrangements are under the care of Roberts Funeral Home. Published in Ocala Star-Banner from Sept. 28 to Sept. 29, 2016

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