

Friday snowmobile wreck on Warren Wagon Road kills local man, 51

A man was killed on Friday when the snowmobile he was riding crashed on Warren Wagon Road north of McCall, the Idaho County Sheriff's Office said.

Darrell G. Hinkley, 51, was killed when the snowmobile he was driving south toward his home in Secesh Meadows struck a tree that had fallen across the road about 9:51 p.m., the sheriff's office said.

Hinkley and his wife, Sheryl, were thrown from the snowmobile.

Idaho County Deputy Mike Brewster and Valley County Search & Rescue volunteers responded to the scene 37 miles north of McCall and found Hinkley dead from unspecified injuries, a news release said.

Sheryl Hinkley refused medical treatment. Neither rider was wearing a helmet, the release said.

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**MARK KENDALL
JENSEN**

Mark Kendall Jensen, 61, a resident of The Dalles, Ore., and formerly of Cascade, died at his home on Oct. 1, 2006.

A memorial service was held on Oct. 5 at Calvary Baptist Church in The Dalles.

A service in Cascade will be held at 3 p.m. Oct. 22, at Cascade High School.

He was born in Shawnee, Okla., on March 18, 1945 to Lester Tobias and Betty Jane (Mercer) Jensen. He was the oldest of three children.

He grew up in The Dalles and graduated from The Dalles High School. He later attended the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, Md., and Eastern Oregon State College.

He married Donna L. Reiman in The Dalles on Dec. 29, 1967.

He was the owner of Lakeview Chevron in McCall and had lived in Cascade for 27 years.

During that time, he also served for more than a decade on the Cascade School Board, coached junior high and junior varsity basketball at Cascade High School and was one of the prime movers responsible for



the construction of the Cascade Sports Park.

Those athletic endeavors reflected his own high school years, where he was a standout football and baseball player at The Dalles.

Survivors are his wife, Donna Jensen; sons, Greg (Pam) Jensen and Jeff (Jodie) Jensen; grandsons Jaegar and Jacek; sisters, Helene (Fred) Fremstad and Chris (James) Wallace; and his parents, Lester and Betty Jensen; and numerous nephews and nieces.

A memorial scholarship fund in Mark's memory has been set up at Camp Ida-Haven in McCall to allow any child to attend the camp.

Donations should be sent to Camp Ida-Haven, PO Box 4330, McCall, ID 83638

Please note on the donation that it be given to the "Mark Jensen Scholarship Fund."

KENNETH A. JOHNSON

Kenneth A. Johnson, 93, formerly of McCall, died May 9, 2006 at Washington Terrace Nursing Center in Layton, Utah.

Interment will be at McCall Cemetery at a later date.

He was born Nov. 4, 1912, in

McCall, the son of Ben T. and Stella May Sandidge Johnson.

He grew up in McCall and went to grade school there. He graduated from high school in Moscow in 1931.

After graduation from high school he carried mail for Eston Freeman, who had the mail contract to Warren and also from New Meadows to Grangeville.

He and a friend, John D. Gillmore opened "McCall Cash Market" in McCall in 1939. He didn't enjoy the grocery business so his partner bought him out and he went to work as a carpenter



building houses in Payette.

In April 1941 he went to Wake Island to work as a carpenter for Morrison-Knudson Co. Inc. out of Boise, building a submarine base and an airfield there for the U.S. Government.

He was taken prisoner by the Japanese on Dec. 23, 1941, and spent three years and nine months as a prisoner of war in China and Japan.

After the war ended in October 1945 he returned to McCall. In May 1946 he met Naoma Stephens. They were married Sept. 20, 1946 and made their home in McCall, where he was a distributor for Westcot Oil Co. and later Continental Oil Co.

He became a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in 1963, and in September 1976 their marriage was sealed in the Idaho Falls Temple.

He had been an active member of the church in McCall and Coeur d'Alene and in St. George, Utah. He was a member of the Oak Hills Ward, Valley View Stake in Layton.

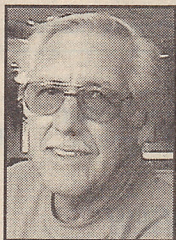
He is survived by his three sons, all of whom have served on missions for the LDS Church: Rex S. Johnson of Layton; Ben M. Johnson of Puyallup, Wash.; and Morris F. Johnson of Spokane; 12 grandchildren and 24 great grandchildren.

Also surviving are two brothers, Stewart (Lloyd) Johnson of Fruitland and Leroy M. (Bus) Johnson of McCall; and one sister, Ione Clara Johnson Gordon of Boise.

Send condolences to the family at www.myers-mortuary.com.

Terrell "Terry" Johnson

Terrell "Terry" Johnson, 64 of McCall, passed away peacefully in his sleep at 9 a.m. Sunday, January 1, 2006, at the McCall Memorial hospital. He will be remembered as a loving and understanding husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle and great friend to many.



Terry was born on April 15, 1941, in Paul's Valley, Okla. He married Patricia Ann Carlson on April 17, 1976. The couple moved to McCall in May 1980, where Terry worked as an electrician for Jefferies Contracting, drove a logging truck for the JI Morgan Company and worked for Valley County, in the Road and Bridge Department.

He is survived by his immediate family; wife Pat of McCall and children Patti Ramos and Craig Carlson of North Carolina, as well as numerous grandchildren, family and friends.

In lieu of flowers the family is requesting donations be made to the McCall Fire Departments EMT program, P.O. Box 1595, McCall or to the McCall Memorial Hospitals Hospice program, 1000 State Street, McCall, Attention Judy Cantu, for all their caring and assistance.

Services will be conducted 3 p.m. Saturday January 7, 2006, at the McCall Nazarene Church with burial to follow in the McCall Cemetery under the direction of the Heikkila Funeral Chapel. A celebration of Terry's life will be held in the fellowship hall following the burial.

Judith A. Junkin

Judy Junkin 68, of Cascade passed away June 20, 2006, at her home. Funeral services will be held at 5:00 pm, today, at Cloverdale Funeral Home, with private burial at Terrace Lawn Memorial Gardens. Services are under the direction of Cloverdale Funeral Home.



Judy was born Sept. 3, 1937, to Philip and Gratia Mathews in Omaha, Neb. She grew up in Southern California before moving to San Francisco. She married Duane R. Junkin in 1961 and they raised their three girls in the Bay area. She was a very active parent and grandparent. In 1993, they moved to Meridian, Idaho then moved to Cascade, Idaho in 1999. Judy loved the outdoors and enjoyed living in the mountains. Her favorite part of that was the snow!!

Judy is survived by her husband, Duane of Cascade; her daughters, Linda (Jeff) Beese, Tandra Junkin, and Shelley Fuqua; her grandchildren, Derek, Brian, Jason, Leanna, Kristina, Steven, Anna, Jeffrey, and Celeste; her great grandchildren, Chance and Kaylee; her sisters, Miriam Bullock and Jean Buckley; her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Don and Dolores Junkin; her sister-in-law, Shirley Gallagher; and many nieces and nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made, in her name, to the American Diabetes Association, PO Box 1132, Fairfax, VA 22038.

Elsie Koskie

Elsie Koskie, 96, of Boise, Idaho, passed away Sept. 25, at a local care center. She was born to Edward and Mary Poro on March 4, 1910, near McCall, Idaho, where she grew up. After graduating from McCall High School, she married Ray Koskie on April 21, 1929, in New Meadows, Idaho. Elsie worked as a sales clerk at CC Anderson's in McCall, as a teller in the McCall post office, and also as a cook in logging camps near McCall. The family lived in McCall until 1944



when she and Ray relocated to Boise, Idaho. She served as a leader both in the Girl Scouts and 4-H. Elsie and Ray were active in the Maple Grove Grange for many years. As a homemaker she enjoyed cooking, canning, gardening and crocheting.



Survivors include son Edward and Daughter-in-law Elaine of Pepper Pike, Ohio, daughter Betty and son-in-law Forrest Twitchell of Nampa, Idaho, and daughter Marilee and son-in-law Robert Downer of Boise, four grandsons Mike (Marge) Twitchell, Shawn (Vickie) Twitchell, John (Sally) Koskie, and Steven Downer; four granddaughters, Julie Downer, Sarah Koskie, Jennifer (Bob) Ritter and Kerry (Alex) Gonzales. There are also six great-grandchildren, eight great-great grandchildren, one nephew and three nieces.

Preceding her in death were her parents; brothers John, Andrew and Gust Poro; sisters Fanny Johnson, Martha Hentley, and Jean Jarvis; and her husband of 67 years, Ray Koskie.

The family wishes to thank the staff at Diamond View Assisted Living Center for their excellent care the past two years.

Funeral services will be held for Elsie at Cloverdale Funeral Home on Saturday, Sept. 30, 2006 at 2 p.m.

Memorials are suggested to the Boise Rescue Mission, 520 W. Front St., Boise, Idaho, or a charity of your choice.



**Alvin
O. Leaf**

LEWISTON
– Alvin O. Leaf, 87, a longtime resident of Donnelly and

formerly of Lewiston, ID/Clarkston, Wash., rejoined his beloved wife, Bea, in heaven in the early morning hours of Nov. 2, 2006.

He was residing in the Lewiston Veteran's Home. Internment of the cremated remains of Alvin and

his wife Bea will be at the Finn Cemetery on Saturday, Nov. 18 at noon. At Alvin's request, there will be a brief graveside service.

Alvin was born to Finnish immigrant parents, Fred and Ida Lehti, (Leaf) on January 18, 1919. He and his sister grew up on the family farm one mile north of Donnelly where Alvin began working in the fields at a very young age. He learned to speak English in first grade while attending Donnelly Grade School, and continued his education at the Donnelly High

School.

During World War II, Alvin joined the US Marine Corps and saw combat during the invasion of Okinawa. As a member of the 1st Marine Amphibious Corps, he transported the officers of the 1st and 5th Marines ashore at 2:30 a.m. on D-Day, at the beginning of the assault. He served throughout the Okinawa Campaign until the island was secured, then went to China for guard duty assignment after the surrender of Japan.

Upon discharge in 1946, Alvin returned home to Long Valley, took over the family farm and began working for the Valley County Road Department. He maintained a philosophy of "always leave something better than you found it" in his work and in his life. That was demonstrated by his ranch with fences that were a picture of perfection, as were the buildings and the fields.

His philosophy was also evident in the time and care he took to build roads in our Valley. To this day, some of the roads he built are some of the best ones in the County. He remembered every last detail of working on them and his stories were always a welcome treat. Alvin helped take care of his Dad and Mother as they grew older, even when Ida developed crippling

arthritis and became bedfast.

Alvin retired from the County in January 1981 and moved to Lewiston for the winter months, returning to his small ranch in Donnelly for the summers.

Late in life, Alvin met the love of his life, Beatrice Davis, at a Marine Corp Ball in Lewiston. They were married on May 20, 1998 and lived in Clarkston. Bea preceded him in death on July 25, 2006 in an Ontario, Oregon care center.

Alvin was a good neighbor, brother, Uncle and husband. He continually "worried" over his nephews, nieces, great nieces and great nephews as they grew up. He was very kind, honest and believed in always making conditions better for the "next guy." He faced his final days with the same courage and determination that a soldier faces battle.

Alvin is survived by his sister, Inez McKenzie of Donnelly; his "kids": niece Sylvia (Ken) Tinsley of New Meadows; nephews Ralph (Rhonda) McKenzie and Ron McKenzie of McCall; and their children.

Memorial donations may be made in Alvin's name to the Finn Cemetery or the Finn Church, c/o Mitch Ruska, 1385 Elo Rd., McCall, ID 83638.



Scott (George) Lemberes

MCCALL – Scott (George) Lemberes, 66 of McCall, died Monday August 28, 2006, in the McCall hospital.

Services will be conducted 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 2, 2006, at the Mountain Life Church in McCall with Pastor Larry Terherst officiating. Masonic Rites will follow at the Finnish Cemetery in Lake Fork under the direction of the Heikkila Funeral Chapel, McCall.

Scott was born on June 26, 1940, in Yerington, Nev., to Louie G. And Jean T. (McAllep) Lemberes. He was reared, attended schools and graduated from high school in Ogden, Utah. He married Dalene Stathis on Sept. 7, 1967, in Elko, Nevada.

Scott and Dalene moved from Cedar City, Utah to McCall, on July 24, 1969.

Scott worked for the USFS as a map maker, retiring in 1994. He enjoyed reading, working crossword puzzles, tinkering with electronics, computers and Corvette cars. He was a member of Elks Lodge #2569, an active member of

the Masonic Lodge #91 and was past secretary of the Lodge. He was a member of the Scottish Rite, 32nd degree and a Shriner.

Scott volunteered in many community activities and was a 10-gallon blood donor.

Scott is survived by his wife, Dalene of McCall; a daughter, Kathy (Rob) Hancock, and children Alex (7) and Max (3) of Boise; a son, Andrew and partner, Anna Martin

and Hailey (3) Lemberes of McCall; his mother, Jean T. Lemberes of Ogden, Utah; a brother, Bob (Georgeanne) Lemberes of Ogden, Utah; and a sister, Carol (Larry) Griffin of Scottsdale, Ariz.; an uncle, Al (Mary) Lemberes of Reno, Nev.; a brother-in-law, Harry (Nancy) Stathis of McCall; and a cousin, Dula (Bill) Talbott of Reno, Nev.

Also surviving are 20 nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father, Louis Lemberes, and his aunt, Dula Lemberes.

The family has asked that in lieu of flowers that gift certificates from Cloverdale Nursery in Boise, or High Mountain Nursery in McCall, be donated to the family so Scott's grandchildren can remember him with plants in their yard.

WILLIAM "BILLY" LENNON

The footsteps of one of the most authentic human beings that have walked the earth will be sorely missed. Bill Lennon, formerly of McCall, died the evening of Wednesday, June 7, 2006 while working on one of his latest endeavors, a hydroelectric power plant located at the base of Little Cottonwood Canyon near Alta Utah.



He was mysteriously electrocuted even though all safety protocol was followed and he had disconnected all the power sources to the lines he was troubleshooting.

A potluck to honor his life will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 6, at the pavilion at Ponderosa State Park beginning at 6 p.m.

He leaves behind his wife, Elizabeth Coyle O'Reilly, who he loved immensely, sharing 21 years of marriage.

Bill was born in Suffern, N.Y. on Nov. 19, 1957. He attended the University of North Carolina at Greensboro and graduated from Appalachian State University in Boone in 1978.

As a rank and file member, Bill had many roles in the Alta Ski Community. He was an Alta Ski Patroller

for 25 years, worked with Wasatch Powderbird Guides as a heliguide, and served as a member of the Alta Town Council for 10 years.

He was the owner operator along with his wife of a local business, Wasatch Mountain Massage, for over 20 years. Together they built their own home in Alta.

He was successful in resurrecting the Whitmore Oxygen hydroelectric power plant at the mouth of Little Cottonwood Canyon and sold the power to UP&L. Bill's entrepreneurial pursuits included many other components too numerous to list. He had true vision of what could be accomplished, an appetite to figure it out and the gift to make it happen.

He loved the outdoors and movement. Bill spent much of his time attached to skis, a mountain bike or kayak over the years, along with pursuing studies in T'ai Chi. And his wife thought he was a fabulous dancer.

Bill's dry humor, infinite generosity, and direct bold manner will be missed. Children loved to play with Bill as he easily invited them into games. All will remember Bill as an enthusiastic spirit on this earth. Known for his kindness and acceptance of all, a curiosity to learn and the incredible focus he brought to his diverse activities, Billy truly lived every day, each minute to the fullest.

Bill and Ellza (Beth) made their home in the McCall during the summer months in the late 1980s and early 1990s where they cultivated many dear and lasting friendships. Billy was in full play mode during his summers in McCall, wherein he would manage to play tennis, mountain bike and kayak (yes, all three!) on a daily basis.

Many summer days ended with Bill organizing a potluck at his home followed by a volleyball game at Mill Park. When Billy wasn't playing he often donated massage work at community sporting events.

Since leaving the area Bill made annual visits to McCall to stay connected with the region and friends and occasionally worked the fire season with his potable water business. His quick wit and easy smile will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

If you feel the need and wish to make a contribution in Bill's honor, Alta Community Enrichment is a non-profit local arts organization that Bill and Ellza helped create over 10 years ago. See www.altaarts.org or write to ACE P.O. Box 8142 Alta, UT 84902-8142.

Gilbert N. "Gil" Marcum

BOISE – Gil was born Nov. 24, 1923, in Clauson, Idaho to Nettie Ruth and Chester Arthur Marcum. He passed away on Nov. 13, 2006, in Boise, Idaho.

Gil was number eight out of a family of twelve children. He was raised, educated and worked in the Teton

Valley area. He graduated from the eighth grade and never did finish his schooling.

He worked for many local farmers in the valley, milking cows, and working the fields. He joined the CCC and worked on the Anderson Ranch Dam. In 1941, Gil met and married Virginia Johnson and from this union

came two children, Diana and David.

In the mid-forties he worked on and serviced slot machines in Boise and the surrounding area. In 1947, he started his bartending years at the Esquire Bar. On New Year's Eve in 1950 he opened and started Gil's Bar which he operated until 1953.

In 1954, Gil moved his family to Coeur d' Alene, Idaho, where he sold encyclopedias and also worked in a creamery. He returned to Boise in 1957 where he owned and operated the now famous Gil's K-Nine Bar.

He married Lil "Babe" Roberts in 1961 and with this marriage he gained another daughter and son, Robin and Marty. In 1962, Gil moved his bar to 23rd and Main Street and in 1982 Gil and Babe purchased property and built a new bar at 2506 Main Street, Boise. Gil continued to work and operate the bar until 1999 when he decided to sell. When Gil sold the bar he was proud to say that he had maintained that liquor license for over 50 years.



Gil and Babe retired and moved to their home on West Mountain in Cascade, Idaho in 1992. In 2002 they moved to Eagle, Idaho. The summers spent on West Mountain held great memories for Gil, particularly memorable was 4-wheeling with his three buddies, Neal, Rich, and Jeff. They covered all of West Mountain and places only known to them. He never forgot those happy times, and they always brought a good laugh or a tear to his eye.

He loved to fish and hunt with all of this many good buddies and friends. He made several trips to Alaska to fish for halibut and spent many hunting trips on Dry Buck Mountain. The Gil's K-Nine bus was a gathering place for breakfast, supper, jokes, card games and the tall stories about the one that got away.

He always commented on Boise being 25,000 people when he came to the Boise Valley and was overwhelmed by today's population. He loved Boise and all the friends he had made and

loved. In Gil's younger years he also worked for Alumbaugh Dairy and delivered bakery goods to the small towns surrounding Boise.

Gil is survived by his wife Babe; daughters Diana (Jere) Burke and Robin Mills. He also leaves granddaughter Kathlene Schweitzer, and grandsons Robert P. Bell, Zachery Creech, Dwayne Blackaller and Kyle Marcum and great-grandchildren Tabitha, James and Morgan McCullough and Geoffrey Jack Blackaller.

He was preceded in death by his sons, David E. Marcum and Martin K. Marcum; his parents; one brother; and two sisters.

It was Gil's wish to have a private family service. There will be a gathering of friends and family on Nov. 24, 2006 at Gil's K-Nine Bar, 2506 Main from 4 to 6 p.m. Services are under the direction of Bowman Funeral Parlor, Garden City. Gil's family wishes to thank all the beautiful and patient people that took care of him at the Life Care Center. You have our sincere thanks.

Anthony Robert "Bob" Marion

Anthony Robert "Bob" Marion, Jr. 69, of Cascade, died Friday Dec. 3, 2006 at his home in Cascade from cancer. Services will be conducted 12 Noon Sat. Dec. 9, 2006 at the American Legion Hall, in Cascade, under direction of the Heikkila Funeral Chapel, McCall.



Bob was born Aug. 20, 1937 in Philadelphia, Pa., to Anthony Robert and Eva May Tarpy Marion. Bob was raised in Haddonfield, N.J. Following High school, he joined the U.S. Navy. While he was in the Naval Reserves, he attended Trinidad St. Jr. College, Trinidad, Colo. From 1958-60, graduating with a degree in engineering. Bob lived for a time in Alaska, working for the FAA, and later came to Cascade in 1964, working as an electronics technician on Snow-Bank Mt. For the FAA until retiring in 1992. One of Bob many hobbies, was as a beekeeper, which provided many with Local Blend honey.

Bob was a member of the Ionic Lodge #82 A.F. & A.M., Valley Chapter OES #74, Cascade Community Church, El Korah Shrine and the Scottish Rite. Surviving are five children, Rod (Nancy) Marion, Mesa Ariz.; Connie (Mike) Roark, Cascade, Idaho; Bryan Marion, Nev.; Becky (Pat) Mallet, Layton, Utah; Bobbie Eric Henderson, Layton, Utah; 12 grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, two brothers, Art Marion, N.C.; and Albert Marion, Va.,

Memorials may be made to the Cascade Masonic Family Scholarship Fund, P.O. Box 911, Cascade, ID, 83611 or the Cascade Community Church, P.O. Box 218, Cascade, ID, 83611.



Velma Verdelle Marker

BOISE – Velma Verdelle Marker, born May 9, 1913 in Emmett, passed away Sept. 8, 2006, at the age of 93 in a Boise care center.

A viewing was held Sunday, Sept. 17, at the Heikkila Funeral Chapel in McCall, from 5 – 8 p.m. Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Monday Sept. 18, at the Meadows Valley Cemetery.

Velma was the first of six children born to James and Mable Crank Howard. The family, including siblings Allen, Jim, Dick, Lucille, and Joe, homesteaded on the Emmett bench. Velma graduated from Emmett High School in 1931. She married Earl E. Marker Dec. 31, 1933, and they had two children, Ronald E. Marker and Susan E. McCarty.

Earl worked in logging for 42 years, in the mountains of central Idaho. Their first home was a board-floored tent. They later lived in Cabarton and McGregor before moving to “Company Town” in New Meadows, Idaho.

Velma was preceded in death by her parents, four brothers, and

her husband of 55 years. She is survived by her sister Lucille and husband Jack Noland of Boise; her two children, Ron and wife Marilyn Marker of Watsonville, Calif., and Susan and husband Richard McCarty of New Meadows; five grandchildren, Max, Michael, and Matthew Marker, and Todd McCarty and Amie VandDerWall, and nine great-grandchildren; two sisters-in-law, Ruth Allen of Caldwell and Viola Howard of Emmett; several cousins and many nieces and nephews.

Velma always put family and home first. She was a true and faithful friend, as well as a generous, intelligent and beautiful woman, and will be greatly missed.

The family wishes to extend their thanks to her care-givers at Valley View Nursing Home and to St. Lukes Hospice, and especially to her grandson Todd McCarty, who gave so much to his “Granny.” If you wish, donations may be made to the Meadows Valley Cemetery Fund or St. Lukes Hospice.

Keith Edward Moore

Keith Edward Moore, 78, of McCall passed away Sunday, Oct. 22, 2006 following an extended illness. Graveside memorial services will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, Oct. 27 at Parma Cemetery, Parma. Cremation and services are under the direction of Dakan Funeral Chapel, Caldwell.



Keith was born Feb. 1, 1928 to Arthur and Merle Moore at Parma. He graduated from Parma High School and attended the College of Idaho in Caldwell. Keith found the love of his life, Eloise "Lois" Crocker of Adrian, Ore. and was married on May 9, 1951 at Boise and made their home in Notus. This union was blessed with two children. Keith enlisted in the Idaho National Guard and served his country for eight years as a tank commander.


Keith was a partner in Moore's Grocery in Notus until 1979 when he and Lois moved to McCall. He loved the mountains and this move also gave him the opportunity to use his woodworking skills. Keith cherished spending time with his family, friends and neighbors.

Keith is survived by his wife, Lois Moore of McCall; his son, Gary Moore of Pattaya, Thailand; his daughter and son-in-law, Jona and Randy Foster of Nampa; three grandchildren, Tyson, Bryson and Caylee Caldwell all of New Jersey; two sisters, Lila Anderson of Provo, Utah and Elaine Jones of Bend, Ore.; a brother, Joel Moore of Fort Worth, Tex.; and several nieces and nephews.


He was preceded in death by his parents, Arthur and Merle Moore; and two brothers, Blake and Fred Moore.

Memorials may be made to a favorite charity.

Alfred Conrad Nitzel



CASCADE – On Friday, Sept. 1, 2006, Alfred Conrad Nitzel of Cascade passed peacefully from this world. He was born May 13, 1918, to Adam Adolph and Emma Dubarko Nitzel in New Plymouth, Idaho.



Alfred moved with his family to Sweet and Banks, and then to Emmett, where he attended schools. He worked in the Civilian Conservation Corp (CCC) throughout Southwest Idaho, and then served in the United States Army during World War II.

During his four years with the military (1941-1945), Alfred served at Normandy, France, Germany and Italy, among other locations. After his discharge, he returned to Idaho where he married Ethel Charlene Cutbirth on May 7, 1947, in Emmett.

Alfred & Charlene moved to the Cascade area where Alfred worked at the H&H sawmill, and for a short time was a deputy sheriff of Valley County. He later worked for J.I. Morgan, Inc., logging in the beautiful mountains of central Idaho, retiring in the early 1980's. After his retirement, Alfred and Charlene spent many wonderful years together living at Cascade, hunting, fishing, gathering huckleberries, and generally enjoying life.

The coffee pot was always on to welcome visitors who come to "sit a spell." Alfred seemed to take great delight in teasing the youth who came to visit, but as we grew up, we realized his spitfire sense of humor and unusual method of showing attention for what it really was – love and affection. His grandchildren, nieces and nephews always looked forward to spending time at the Nitzel home, riding horses and playing.

Charlene passed away June 25, 2001, after a courageous battle with cancer. In addition to his beloved wife and his parents, Alfred was preceded in death by his six sisters, Frieda Helmick, Lena Jamison, Johanna Rinker, Rosa Flowers, Alma Averett, Adeline Cross, and his five brothers, Lawrence, Frank, Clarence, George, and Ludwig (Louie) Nitzel.

Alfred is survived by his sons and their spouses Ronald and Judy, and Donald and Leann, all of Cascade; eight grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and numerous in-laws, nieces, nephews, and good friends.

At Alfred's request, there will be no funeral. However, a memorial service will be held at the Nitzel family home in Cascade at a later date.

LAS VEGAS, Nev. – Howard Osborne, former operator of the Cascade Lodge, and whose wife ran the local store, died Jan. 21, 2006, here.

The couple had lived in Las Vegas the past 12 years and celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary last year.

Howard is survived by his wife Mary; daughters Sandy, and Sharon; a son, Bill; and many grand and great grand children.

Howard raced Midgets and Sprint cars for many years, also worked as a mechanic on Johnny Rutherford's Indy car.

Howard worked for many years driving truck for Georgia Pacific. He loved the time he spent in Cascade and around the area.

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KATHERINE "KAY" H. KEETON PARKINSON

Katherine "Kay" H. Keeton Parkinson, 88, formerly of Cascade and McCall, joined our Lord on Aug. 16, 2006, surrounded by her family on the island of Guam.

Katherine's ashes will be returning home to Idaho in the spring or summer of 2007. There will be a memorial at that time with the specific day and date to be announced and published at a future date.

Kay was born in St. Maries on Nov. 24, 1918, the daughter of William D. and Ruth Keeton.

She graduated from St. Maries High School in 1934. She attended both the University of Idaho and University of New Mexico in Albuquerque.

She was working in Boise when she met the true love of her life, W. Lee Parkinson, on the Statehouse steps. They were married in October of 1941 in Seward, Alaska, and set up their first home in Wasilla, Alaska, where Lee was a school teacher.

With the outbreak of World War II, she and Lee returned to Idaho in the summer of 1942. They moved to Cascade in 1962, and in 1966 Katherine started her teaching career at the junior high in Donnelly after obtaining her bachelor's degree from the College of Idaho in Caldwell.

She continued to teach in the McCall-Donnelly school system until 1973 when she returned to Boise State University and obtained her master's degree in Learning Disabilities.

She taught at Horseshoe Bend in 1974, becoming principal in 1975. In 1977, she was hired as superintendent of schools of the Worley School District, becoming the first female school superintendent in Idaho, an achievement she was very proud of.

She retired in 1980, and she and Lee returned to McCall where they made their home until Lee's death in 1984. In 1985, she moved to Guam where she assumed an active roll in the family business until her death.

She was preceded in death by her husband, W. Lee Parkinson; her parents, William D. Keeton and Ruth Keeton; her sister, Virginia Keeton Gale and Billie Keeton Turner (deceased Nov. 11, 2006).

She is survived by her sister, Joyce Keeton Walker of Santa Rosa, Calif.; her sons, William Don Parkinson and wife Marina of Guam, and Warren K. (Bill) Parkinson and wife Fritzie of Guam; her grandchildren, William Mark Parkinson, Clarissa Nicole S.N. Parkinson, Brian Jerome S.N. Parkinson, Katherine A. Parkinson, William Don Parkinson Jr., Johnny Parkinson, Alexander Parkinson, Warren Lee Parkinson and Orlando Lander Parkinson as well as many nieces and nephews.

Kay will be greatly missed by all those who knew her; and she will live with us in our hearts forever.

**HOWARD ORVILLE
PICKETT**

Howard Orville Pickett, 46 of Donnelly, passed away Monday, May 8, 2006, in an accident near Donnelly.

Memorial services will be held at the Lower Boise Cemetery in Parma at a later date.

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Donnelly man dies in motorcycle wreck

A Donnelly man died on Sunday when he apparently was thrown from his motorcycle and drowned in a pool of water near the Gold Fork River south of Donnelly, Valley County Sheriff Patti Bolen said.

The body of Howard O. Pickett, 46, was found about 2:30 p.m. Monday by a fisherman in about three

feet of water, Bolen said.

The cause of death appeared to be drowning, although more tests were scheduled on Pickett's body, she said.

Pickett had been riding his motorcycle in the area and was last seen about 6:30 p.m. The motorcycle was found on a road near the body, Bolen said.

Archie D. Potts

Archie D. Potts, 85, formerly of Cascade, passed away of natural causes Nov. 1, 2006 at the Idaho State Veterans Home in Boise. He has resided there since June 2005. At his request, no funeral services will be held. Internment will be at Margaret Cemetery at Cascade.

He was born Dec. 4, 1920, nine miles South of Cascade in a house previously known as the "Humphrey Place" on Skunk Creek. His parents were William Guy and Mahala (Winings) Potts. He was the fifth child of nine children.

Archie attended school at Grassy Flat, Lower Alpha and Cascade. He joined the CCC's in 1937 and was stationed at Smiths Ferry and McCall, where he assisted in the erection of log buildings. He was inducted into the U.S. Army in 1942 and served in England with the 939th Engineer Battalion for 3 years.

He worked in the timber industry and also at Stibnite and Cinabar Mines.

Archie was preceded in death by his parents, four brothers, Roy, Floyd, Curt and Ivan, and three sisters, Zina, Lelia, Freda and is survived by a sister Patricia Haskins of Cascade, and numerous nephews and nieces.

Bessie Lewis Rayne, 56, McCall,
died Saturday at a McCall hos-
pital. Memorial services will be
conducted at 3 p.m. Saturday at
Mountain Life Church, McCall.
Arrangements under the direc-
tion of Heikkila Funeral Chape
McCall. 10-29-06

Laurence "Larry" Remaklus

Laurence "Larry" Remaklus---
"nice guy" died on Dec. 24, 2006
in Arizona. "Larry" was born in
1927 in Buffalo, Mont., and raised
in McCall, Idaho. Larry was an
exceptional skier and competed
in downhill and jumping events in
the northwest as a young man.
Larry had a strong love for Idaho
and the mountains. He and his
brother, Bob, own the Deadwood
mine. Larry was President of the
Sons and Daughters of Idaho
Pioneers. Larry lived life as most
of us would like to. He worked
when he wanted and got a lot of
enjoyment out of life. He spent
most of his summers in the moun-
tains, he snow skied most win-
ters, and in later life he loved
white water rafting. He outlived
three wives: Beverly Strike, Myr-
tus, Blanche, and then Beverly
again.

He was preceded in death by
his parents and two brothers, Phil
and Theo. He is survived by his
brother Bob, of Cascade, his
daughter Kris Strike of Carefree,
Ariz. and McCall, grandson Ever-
ett DePue and wife Nicole of
Cave Creek, Ariz. and a great-
grandson who will be born in
January.

Larry will be missed by those
who knew him. His quick wit,
sense of humor, stories, and his
knowledge of the history of Boise
and McCall will be sorely missed.
There will be a memorial for Larry
in McCall at the Strike cabin in
late June. Contact Dan Sharp,
Dee Remaklus, or Kris Strike for
exact dates.

**EVELYN
RUSKA**

Evelyn Ruska, 84, of Grants Pass, Ore., former of McCall, died Sunday, April 16, 2006, at her home.

Visitation will be from noon to 2 p.m., Saturday, April 22, 2006, at Hull & Hull Funeral Directors in Grants Pass.



A celebration of life will begin at 2 p.m.

Saturday, April 22, 2006, at Hull & Hull Funeral Directors Chapel. Interment will follow at Hawthorne Memorial Gardens in Grants Pass.

Evelyn was born July 6, 1921, in Troy, S.D., to Lena and Albert Folger. In 1937, she was married and had six sons and one daughter and was later divorced.

On Nov. 7, 1952 in McCall, she married Jack H. Ruska and they had one son. In 1956, the family moved from McCall to Grants Pass.

In 1969, she received her GED. In 1983, she retired from Greater Oregon Health Services.

Her hobbies included sewing, knitting, crocheting and Bible study.

She is survived by her children, Leo Noahr of Livingston, Texas; Richard Noahr of Lacey, Wash.; Jerry Noahr of Stanwood, Wash.; Keith Ruska of Grants Pass; Don Ruska of Pasco, Wash.; Evelyn Benson of Grants Pass; Bob Ruska of Lynchburg, Va.; and Kevin Ruska of Grants Pass; 26 grandchildren, 51 great-grandchildren and five great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to her husband, Jack Ruska, she was preceded in death by three brothers, George, Jim, and Bud; two sisters, Margaret and Mildred; and two grandsons, Randy Noahr and Kevin John Ruska Jr.

Remembrances may be made to Lovejoy Hospice, 939 SE 8th Street, Grants Pass, OR 97526.



Lester Scheline

tank mechanic. During his military service he traveled throughout Africa and Italy. He was critically wounded by enemy shell fire near Minturno, Italy, for which he was awarded the Purple Heart.

Lester lived most of his life near Donnelly. He married Hazel Downing on June 25, 1949. He did some farming, logging, bridge building and hay chopping, but was primarily known as a mechanic and machinist.

He worked for Lakefork Lumber Company and Rowland Brothers Ready-Mix Concrete. After 1959 he operated his own repair and machine shop and dealt in antiques. He also wrote several articles for newspapers and magazines, and is the author of the book *Thirty Years of Confusion*.

He was a member of the Upper

Long Valley Grange, Veterans of Foreign Wars and the American Legion.

Lester passed away Jan. 18, 2006 in Keizer, Ore. He was preceded in death by his parents, three brothers, two sisters, and his wife Hazel. He is survived by his daughters, Geneva Trent of Eagle, Irene Ragan of Independence, Oregon, and Barbara Davis of Rigby.

He is also survived by his brother Vernon Scheline of Meridian and sisters Fern Howard of Donnelly and Lorene Loftin of New Plymouth, four grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Viewing was on Sunday at the funeral chapel. Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Monday, Jan. 23, in the Heikkila Funeral Chapel. Interment followed in the Holmes Cemetery in Donnelly, Idaho.

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KEIZER, Ore. — Lester Donald Scheline was born Jan. 10, 1917, near Norwood, Idaho, to George and Louise Scheline.

His education began at the Pine Grove Grade School. He graduated from Donnelly Rural High School in 1936.

He served four years in the US Army during World War II as a



James L. "Larry" Schoenhut

Larry attended Annapolis Naval Academy where he was a member of the swim team and acquired his love of sailing.

He enlisted in the Army and served in Korea for 2 years. Upon his discharge he attended the College of Idaho for pre-law. During this time he met and married Marilyn Gifford. They moved to Salem, Ore., where he received his Juris Doctorate from Willamette Law School. He was admitted to the Idaho State Bar in 1957.

Larry and Marilyn then moved to Cascade where he opened his law office.

He had a diverse career as Prosecutor, Public Defender, private practice, and Magistrate until his retirement in 1996.

During his lifetime he wore many hats as Scoutmaster, Commander of the American Legion Post in Cascade, Member of the Masonic Lodge, Chairman of the Idaho State Young Republicans, President of the Idaho Prosecuting Attorney Assn., Battery "A" Assn 300th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, U.S. Naval Academy Alumni Assn. and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 63.

He had many interests; he was an avid reader, enjoyed skiing, sailing, swimming and spending time in Warm Lake.

Larry was an active participant and performed in many plays for the McCall's Alpine Players. He also was a strong supporter of the McCall Summer Music Festival and Idaho Public TV & Radio.

He is survived by Marilyn Schoenhut, daughter Catherine (Paul) Tonks, son Michael, daughter Christine Diehl, son Douglas, Aunt Betty Nortune, numerous cousins and his beloved Chow Ted E. Bear. While living in Cascade he took on the responsibility of raising two of his grandsons, "Andy" Mark Despeaux and Steve Schoenhut. He enjoyed this challenging time in his life. He always

enjoyed watching all of his grandchildren and great grandchildren play in sports. He is also survived by 12 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

He touched the lives of many and will be greatly missed by all.

Memorial services will be Saturday, Sept. 23, 2006, at 2 p.m. at the American Legion Hall in Cascade. Inurnment will follow the memorial services at the Finn Cemetery in Lake Fork, Idaho. Arrangements are by Summers Funeral Homes, Boise Chapel.

Mary G. Shore-Hooker

MCCALL – Mary G. Shore-Hooker, 89, of McCall, went home to be with her Lord on Friday Jan. 13, 2006.

She was born in Birmingham, Ala., on April 16, 1916, to William L. Baker and Mabel C. Jordan. They moved to Idaho when Mary was four years old, and she graduated from Boise High School.

Mary married Kenneth W. Shore on Nov. 19, 1935, in Boise, Idaho. She was mother of a daughter, Lillian M. Lewis, residing in McCall and a son, Donald W. Shore, residing in Bend, Ore.

She lived in Mountain Home for 20 years, prior to moving to Seattle, Wash., where she stayed in an assisted living home until she moved to the Sun Bridge Care Center in McCall in 2002.

Mary was an active Christian, dedicating many hours and much love to her church and people around her. Music was her life. She sang professionally early in her life and continued to sing for funerals, weddings, in nursing homes and wherever she could lift her voice in song. She began singing with her mother at an early age and they sang together through the years, until her mother died in 1965.

She will forever be remembered for her favorite Christmas song “Sweet Lil’ Jesus Boy” which she sang for more Christmas services than we can count.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Kenneth, in 1989 and her second husband, Larry Hooker in 1995, and brother, Charles Ross Baker in 2004. She is survived by her two children, 8 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

Graveside services will be held at 2 p.m Thursday, Jan. 19, at the Cloverdale Cemetery under the direction of the Heikkila Funeral Chapel, McCall.

The family has requested no flowers.

Winifred Mary Smith

Winifred Mary Smith, 80, of Prairie City died Monday July 10, 2006 at the Holy Rosary Medical Center in Ontario, Ore. A graveside will be Saturday July, 15 at 2 p.m. at the Prairie City Cemetery with Pastor Duane Cheadle officiating.

Winifred Mary Weller Smith was born June 24, 1926 in Arling, Idaho to E.A. and Verda (Emerson) Weller. She grew up and attended school in Cascade and New Meadows, graduating from New Meadows High School and later graduating from Boise Beauty School. She married Robert E. Sterling in 1945. They lived in New Meadows and later settled in Bates, OR. From this union came Melody Ann and Donald E. They divorced in 1957.

She later married Richard C. Smith. They liked to fish, ride three-wheelers, and visit their grandchildren, Stacey and Justin. They lived in Bates until the mill closed and then moved to Prairie City where she retired from Blue Mountain Nursing Home. Richard passed away in 1981.

Winnie then met her great friend, Faye Burrill. She learned all about being a cowboy from him. They had a great time going to rodeos and watching him rope and brand. She missed him greatly when he passed away in 2003. She also adored her sister Jackie and spent lots of time with her. They traveled to Washington D.C. and Nashville, talking politics and bragging about their families. She has especially missed Jackie since she died.

Winnie was always full of fun. She liked to make home brew and wine. She enjoyed a good story or joke and could tell a few of them herself. She also liked to fish, knit, walk, play cards and paint. She was known for her smoked turkeys, rum cakes, and TV crunch at holidays. She also played the electric guitar and was named the most improved bowler. She was affiliated with the Ladies Auxiliary, Red Hat Society, Episcopal Church, and Senior Citizens.

She is survived by her son Donald Sterling and his wife Cindy of Payette, Idaho; granddaughter Stacey Sanders and her husband Kyle of Payette, Idaho; grandson Justin and his wife Lisa Sterling of Boise, Idaho; and great-grandchildren Carlie Sanders, and Makayla and Chelsie Sterling; three nieces and two nephews and their families.

She is preceded in death by her parents E.A. and Verda Weller; daughter Melody Ann; brother Dean Weller; sister Jackie Widman; and nephew Andrew Widman; and her very special friend Faye Burrill.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Ladies Auxiliary of Prairie City through Driskill Memorial Chapel 241 S. Canyon Blvd. John Day, Oregon 97845.

Hazel Jennie Spickelmire

Hazel Jennie Spickelmire, 91 of Riggins, died July 19, 2006 of congestive heart failure at Grangeville Health and Rehabilitation in Grangeville.



She was born Sept. 2, 1914, in Roseberry, Idaho to Willie and Cynthia (Jasper) Pottenger. She graduated from Roseberry High School. Hazel married Dick Spickelmire Oct. 28, 1934 in Caldwell and the couple raised four children.

Hazel is remembered for her quick wit, sharp memory and willingness to help out and become involved wherever she was needed.

She was active in many church and civic organizations, and was a charter member of the Garnet Rebekah Lodge, Salmon River Community Church, and the Riggins Red Hat Society. She could always be counted on to help care for sick friends and relatives. Hazel worked at many jobs throughout her life, from school lunch cook to representative for the Area Agency on Aging.

At her death, she was the matriarch of a large extended family that included many nieces and nephews. Hazel was passionate about her family and enjoyed attending annual family reunions of the Pottenger and Fields families in the Donnelly area.

She was preceded in death by her husband Dick; sisters, Viola Fields, Opal McDougal, Rose Anderson and Georgia Pottenger; her brother, Bill Pottenger; son Jerry Spickelmire; and granddaughter, Jennifer Spickelmire.

She is survived by daughters Jane Voss and husband Lawrence of Susanville, Calif.; Joyce Barnard and husband Larry of Riggins; son Jim Spickelmire and wife Betty of Grangeville; brother Ben Pottenger and wife Doris of Eagle; daughter-in-law Judy Spickelmire of Boise; 15 grandchildren; 38 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

Memorial services will be held Monday, July 24, 2006 at Salmon River Community Church in Riggins at 10 a.m. Mountain time, Pastor Harold Gott, officiating. Burial will follow at Crown Point Cemetery at Cascade. Arrangements are under the direction of Blackmer Funeral Home, Grangeville.

Memorial donations may be made to Salmon River Community Church, 1102 S. Main, Riggins, ID 83549; Grangeville Christian Church, 402 W. S. 1st, Grangeville, ID 83530; or to a charity of your choice. Send condolences to the family at: Blackmerfuneralhome.com.

George Edward Strode

George Edward Strode, 91 of McCall, has changed his address to Highway 55, in Heaven as he departed this world on Jan. 4, 2006. A celebration of his life will be held on June 30th, when he would have been 92 years old. There will be no services at this time and the place of the celebration will be announced later. Cremation arrangements are under the direction of the Heikkila Funeral Chapel, McCall.



George was born in Jordan Valley, Ore, specifically Mahogany Mountain, on June 30, 1914. He was the second of three children born to Jack and Anna Strode. George attended schools in Roseberry and Donnelly, Idaho, graduating in 1934. In 1939, on September 14 he married Marie Blackwell of Lewiston, Idaho. Marie was the granddaughter of a prominent McCall pioneer family. For most of his adult life, he worked in the Timber and Lumber industry, highlighting a 36 year career, employed at Brown Tie and Lumber and Boise Cascade. As Sawmill foreman, he was admired and respected by his fellow co-workers and superiors. He will always be remembered for his quick wit and humor, which even to the end Alzheimers couldn't take away. George was a life time member of Masonic Lodge #91 and a charter member of the Weiser Elks Lodge #1683.



His hobbies and recreational pursuits included skiing, snowmobiling, wood-cutting, camping, RVing, hunting, dancing, watching U of I football games and spending time with his many, many friends.

George is survived by his wife Marie of 66 years, a daughter Georganne (Will) Spaulding of Glens Ferry, a son Kenneth (Jackie) Strode of McCall and five grandchildren; Mark Spaulding of Eagle, Marcy Spaulding of Boise, Kollie Strode of McCall, Katie Strode of Boise and Kasey Strode of McCall. Additionally, he has two great-grandchildren; Nicklaus Spaulding and Hailey Spaulding. He was preceded in death by his parent, one brother and one sister.

If you desire, you can give to a charity of your choice or contribute to the Alzheimers Foundation.

In closing, special thanks go to Don & Mary Willis, Ethyl Howard and Mark Spaulding for of their special caring. *7 Jan 2006*



Rowdy Lewis Titus

CASCADE – Rowdy Lewis Titus, 42, of Cascade, died Tuesday, Dec. 5, 2006, at his home of natural causes.

Inurnment services will be conducted at a later date.

Cremation under direction of the Heikkila Funeral Chapel, McCall.

Rowdy was born March 14, 1964, in Amarillo, Texas. He went to school in Happy Valley, Texas, and Cascade, Idaho. After school

he worked in construction. He moved back to Cascade in 1991 where he worked in concrete and construction.

Rowdy is survived by his son, Skye Titus, Cascade (the love of his life); his parents LeMoyne "Butch" and Theda Titus, Cascade; his mother Jeanine Holland, Amarillo, Texas; brothers and sisters, Lonnette Mogg, DaLana Reeves, Tim Lawrence, Sue Reed, Tine Bryant, Shelley Fletcher, and Wyatt Reed; his grandma, Retta Cook, Boise; and aunts, Shannon (Jerry) Peterson and Connie (Bill) Love.

Rowdy had many cousins, friends and family who will miss him. He was preceded in death by his Grandpa Titus, Grandpa and Grandma Burgess; a nephew, Random Lawrence; and a stepbrother, Rich Reed.

Our love and laughter of your memories will never pass.

Mary Jean Price Troxel

Mary Jean Price Troxel, 76, of Boise and Donnelly, passed on in the late evening of Oct. 27. By her side in her last hours, her family shared their tears, laughter, and memories, but most of all their tremendous pride in having known this great Idahoan.

Born Jan. 24, 1930 in Nampa, Idaho to Naomi Amelia Price and John Morgan Price, Jr., she was the oldest of the four Price kids and distinguished herself as one of Nampa High's most beautiful Bulldogs and as Idaho's first "girl lifeguard" at the Nampa Municipal Pool. Among the many kids attracted to the pool on hot summer days was a Boise High boy named Ed Troxel. Soon, when Mary Jean and the other members of the secret sorority DGTP (Delta Gamma Theta Phi) took a drive in whichever of Mr. Price's automobiles was operable that day, they would steer toward Boise on the off chance that they might happen to encounter this boy, later described in the Nampa Growl as her "steady fellow" and a "prominent Boise High School athlete."

Upon becoming Mrs. Edwin N. Troxel in 1948, she left her studies at the College of Idaho to accompany her husband on his football scholarship to University of Oregon, the first move of dozens to follow during Ed's career as a U.S. Air Force pilot. She and Ed were stationed in, among other places, Phoenix, Ariz.; Big Spring, Texas; Las Vegas, Nev.; Honolulu, Hawaii; Hampton Roads, Va.; Montgomery, Ala.; Verona, Italy; and Ft. Walton Beach, Fla.



By refusing to live on military bases during her Air Force years, she experienced the rich culture of every town and acquired a vast constellation of lifelong friendships, persuading some of them to settle here on the strength of her recommendation and Idaho's obvious charms. She attended at least seven colleges and universities over the years, serially majoring in accounting, finance, art, geology, and speech therapy while working as, among other things, a lifeguard, movie theater cashier, telephone repair service clerk, assistant librarian, mortgage loan clerk, and tour guide at the Idaho Legislature. When Major Troxel was killed in Laos during the Vietnam War, she returned with her two children to Boise and the comforting arms of Idaho family and friends.

She married contractor and real estate developer Max Boesiger in 1972, becoming stepmom to four grown children and stepgrandma to eight wonderful grandchildren. Thanksgiving dinners and family reunions became logistical challenges on the scale of invading Normandy, but Mary Jean managed the Boesiger household with grace and abundant love. Her talent for remembering names and faces and her experience as a world traveler served her well among visiting dignitaries and state government officials when Max served as Idaho's Commissioner of Public Works under Governor Cecil Andrus. She also worked at First Security Bank during those years and finally received a degree (in accounting) from Boise State University.

Mary Jean Price Troxel - Cont'd

Mary Jean's marriage to Max ended in divorce in 1981, and she started her own business in Boise, a children's clothing store called The Red Balloon. In 1990 she announced her so-called "retirement," which, while it involved closing The Red Balloon to the dismay of gift-hunting grandmothers throughout Treasure Valley, it also meant opening a seasonal antiques and collectibles shop in Donnelly called Whatever, traveling, and devoting herself full-time to volunteering on behalf of many fine organizations.



She was a resourceful gal on the road, whether browsing flea markets and yard sales along Highway 55 with her little dog Bailey and her big dog Meghan or using her poco Italiano and un peu francais to bridge the language barrier on recent trips with daughter Kris to Barcelona, Madrid, Prague, Vienna, Singapore, and Hong Kong. But there was no place like home, meeting with her lunch groups, the DGTPs (yes, those DGTPs), the Go-Gos, the Tuesday Talkers, and the Native Daughters. A representative sample of the good causes Mary Jean served over the years includes Gold Star Wives of America, POW-MIA, the Democratic Party, Assistance League of Boise, Elks Hospital Auxiliary, Red Cross, Girl Scout Council, Heart Fund, United Way, and the March of Dimes. Her service and her sacrifice are emblems of what makes our nation strong.

Mary Jean's only two regrets in life were that she never got to dance as one of the Rockettes to further impress her granddaughter and that this great ride had to end so soon. Her brothers, her sister, and both of her children were able to be with her in her final hour. She is preceded in death by her parents, John and Naomi Price, and by her husband, Major Edwin N. Troxel, USAF. She is survived by her brothers Dr. Donald D. Price (Rosie) of Caldwell and John P. Price (Sarah Phillips) of Seattle; her sister Naomi Ann Anawalt (Doug) of Middleton; her daughter Kristen Kay Troxel of Nampa; her son Mark Edwin Alleman Troxel (Jennifer Gold) of Seattle; and her best beloved granddaughter Sylvie Alleman Troxel of Seattle.

A memorial service celebrating her life will be held at 1 p.m., Nov. 10, 2006, in the Cathedral of the Rockies, 717 N. 11th St. in Boise. Commemorative donations may be made in Mary Jean's name to the Canyon County Historical Society & Museum in Nampa or to the Idaho Humane Society. Arrangements are under the direction of Relyea Funeral Chapel.

Catherine L. Waldron

Catherine L. Waldron, 93 of Cascade, Idaho, died Sunday March 26, 2006 in Boise, Idaho. Service will be held 11 a.m.

Thursday
March 30,
2006 at St.
Katherine of
Drexel Catholic
Church in Cas-
cade, with
burial to follow
in the Margaret
Cemetery
under the
direction of the



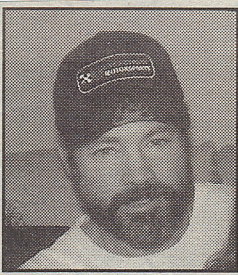
Heikkila Funeral Chapel, McCall. She was born Sept. 21, 1912 in Meona, Neb. to Edmund L. Rourke and Mary Estella Rourke. She married Harry A. Waldron July 5, 1932 in Bassett, Neb. They lived in Callaway, Neb. for a time before working their way to California, where they lived and worked during the war years of WW II. They moved to Klamath Falls, Ore. in 1946 where they did some farming. They moved to Boise, Idaho in 1952, and had a small dairy in the Ustick area. In 1958, they moved to Round Valley Idaho, in the Cascade area, where they farmed. They moved again in 1961 to continue farming and raise some cattle. They bought a home later in Cascade and Catherine was a cook in the Cascade School cafeteria. It was said she made the best yeast rolls!! She also cooked at the Cougar Mountain Lodge during that same time.

Later she cleaned at the Forest Building for a time. She traveled on bus tours after her husband of 50 years died in 1982. She and her sister Helen Gibson had many a good time on these tours. She really did like to go, and at an instant she was packed and ready! She was an avid reader and really liked football. Catherine was a member of St. Katherine of Drexel Catholic Church for over 40 years.

Catherine is survived by sons; Stephen D. Waldron of Cascade, Michael H. Waldron of Donnelly, a daughter Freida F. Sibley and her husband Reddick I. Sibley of Cascade, Mont. Sisters Helen Gibson of Meridian, Arletta West of Portland, Ore. A brother Joe Rourke and his wife Leolla of Oregon, and grandsons; James Waldron, Harry Waldron, Kyle Waldron and granddaughters

Lodi Soreoano, Layna Goodman, Carrie Waldron and Krista Waldron. Four great grandsons, and two great-granddaughters. Also many nieces and nephews and dear friends. She was preceded in death by her husband Harry and a daughter Linda M. Griffith Wood and a brother Harold Rourke and a sister Mary Litty.

Memorials may be made to a favorite charity.



Bradford James Wallace

BOISE – Bradford James Wallace, 44, of Boise, Idaho, passed away suddenly Friday, Dec. 8, 2006.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 14, at the Community Congregational Church, 901 First Street in McCall, with burial to follow in the McCall Cemetery under the direction of the Heikkila Funeral Chapel, McCall.

Brad was born Feb. 20, 1962, to Francis E. And Dolores Wallace in McCall.

He attended grades K-12 in McCall and after graduation, he continued his education in Laramie, Wyo., earning a technical degree in auto mechanics.

Brad married Mona Myers in 1983 and had two sons, Trevor Donavon and Tanner Quaid Wallace. While raising his family, Brad worked in the local logging industry. Brad and Mona parted ways in 1995, and Brad then moved to northern Idaho, where he continued working in the logging industry.

While there, he met Darcie Waller (Taylor). They became parents of a daughter Treeya Lenai. Brad moved to the Boise Valley in

2001 and was employed by Motive Power at the time of his death.

Brad's love of the outdoors was reflected with each season of the year. From the first mushrooms of spring to those last huckleberries of summer, he was always out traipsing about. On a warm summer day, you could find him on the bank of the nearest fishing hole, camped out for the weekend. Always with a smile on his face and a colorful story to tell, Brad was either the life of the party or could tell you all about it. Brad had friends in nearly every corner of the state and his presence will be greatly missed by those who knew him.

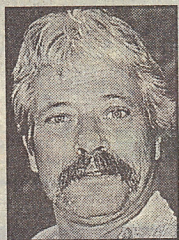
Brad is survived by his mother, Dolores Wallace; his sons, Trevor and Tanner and a daughter Treeya; two sisters, Debbie Fereday (Rick, Scott and Todd) of McCall and Diane Green (Dan, Casey, Chris, Jesse, Nick and Hailey Swanson) of McCall; an uncle, Jeff Roberson of Boise; and aunts, Jane Penrod of Boise and Joy (Larry) Gallagher of Santa Clara, Calif.

He was preceded in death by his father, Francis E. Wallace, a sister, Penny Elizabeth, and grandparents Stanley E. and Faye Wallace, and Opal McDougale and Jim Roberson.

Memorials can be made to The Humphries Diabetes Center, attention: Jeanette Germain, 1226 River Street, Boise, ID 83702 or IDPY-Idaho Diabetic Youth Program, in care of Don Scott, RN, 1701 N. 12th Street, Boise, ID 83702.

James Melvin Warden

James Melvin Warden, 51, of Reed Point, Montana, formerly of Cascade, Idaho, passed away at his home Thursday Dec. 28, 2006. Jim, affectionately known as "Peanuts" to his siblings, was born Dec. 5, 1955 in Laurel, Mont. Jim was the fifteenth of 17 children born to Melvin and Ruth (Albin) Warden.



Jim moved to Cascade in October, 1980 where he began his career with what is now known as Frontier Communications. Jim loved the outdoors and shooting the breeze with anyone he came in contact with. Jim will always be remembered for his infectious laughter.

Jim is survived by his two sons, Daniel James (20) of Boise, Seth Joseph (16) of Cascade; his daughter Gracie Elizabeth (4) of Donnelly; brothers Boyd, Dave, Daryl, Stan, and Jerry; sisters Jane, Barbara, Jeannette, Berdine, Carol, and Susie. He is preceded in death by his daughter Della Charmaine, his parents, four brothers, Donnie, Dale, Steve and Dick, and one sister, Darlene. A private family memorial is planned for a later date. Jim's sons would like to thank all of Jim's friends and family for their continued support over the years.

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Arley J. Weaver

Arley J. Weaver was born in Grangeville Id. on Oct. 4, 1927 to Arley J. Sr. and Eva Oliver Weaver.

He attended schools in Grangeville and graduated from Linfield College in McMinnville, Ore. with a degree in Accounting. He worked for Stein McMurray Insurance for over 30 years and belonged to a number of professional organizations.

Arley married Lavona Shawver in Boise in 1953. After military service in Indiana, Arley and Lavona returned to Boise where they had two children, Janet and Bruce. Arley and Lavona retired to Cascade in 1988, where they belonged to the Cascade Baptist Church and Alpha Grange. Arley served as State Master for the Grange from 1992-1996 and was a member of the Boise Rescue Mission Board of Directors for 25 years.

Arley is survived by his wife Lavona, children Janet, Bruce and Brenda Weaver, two granddaughters, Kelsey and Carly, and several nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that contributions be made in memory of Arley to Boise Rescue Mission or City Light Home for Women and Children.

A Memorial Service and Potluck will be held Feb. 27, 2006 at noon, at the Maple Grove Grange, 11692 W. President Dr., Boise.

**MARVIN E.
WHITEMAN III**

Marvin E. Whiteman III, 45, of McCall, passed away Wednesday, Nov. 29, 2006, at his home.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, Dec. 16, 2006, at noon at Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church in McCall. Services are under the direction of Summers Funeral Homes, Boise Chapel.

Marvin was born July 10, 1961, in Los Angeles, Calif. He spent the first 18 years of his life in California and then moved to Idaho to be closer to his father.

Marvin loved animals and nature and received high honors working with animals. He loved fishing, camping in the woods, and water and snow skiing.

In the early 1980s, his favorite hobby was to drive Super Modified Stock Cars at Meridian Speedway and he was a three-time champion for three years in a row. Among all of these things, the joy in his life was his daughter, Sara Whiteman Hansen.

Even though he suffered from depression, he always put on a happy face for others and was willing to help anyone at anytime. He had a wonderful heart and will be sorely missed by all.

Marvin is survived by his mother, Patricia E. Whiteman; his father Marvin Whiteman, Jr. and his wife Carol; his sister and brother-in-law Cindy Whiteman Moore and Tim Moore; his daughter, Sara Whiteman Hansen; and his favorite animal, our beloved cat, Twinkie. He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Marvin Whiteman Sr., and grandparents Jack and Evelyn Schwartz.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to MCPAWS Cat Adoption, 831 S. Third St., McCall, ID 83638.