

Deceased Name: Joseph E. Fitzpatrick

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Joseph E. Fitzpatrick 1947 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL - Joseph E. Fitzpatrick, 69, passed on to eternal life on Sunday, April 30, 2017, at 5:21 p.m. at Memorial Medical Center in Springfield. Visitation will be held at Holy Family Catholic Church from 5-8 p.m. on Wednesday, May 3, 2017. A rosary will be held at 4:45 p.m. at the church. An Elks memorial service will follow the visitation at the church. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, May 4, 2017, at Holy Family Catholic Church in Lincoln. The Rev. Jeffrey G. Laible will officiate. Burial will follow at St. Mary's Cemetery in Lincoln, Military rites to be accorded by Lincoln American Legion Post #263. Joseph Edward Fitzpatrick was born Oct. 15, 1947, in Lincoln, the son of Greg and Evelyn Fitzpatrick. He married Peggy Fitzsimmons on Oct. 20, 1979. She survives. Joe is also survived by his parents and children: Shawn (Kristen) Fitzpatrick, Andy (Hannah) Fitzpatrick, Katie (Justin) Overbey, and Shane Fitzpatrick. Joe was the first child of Greg and Evelyn. His surviving siblings include: Louie (Sue) Fitzpatrick, Mary (Phil) Ripa, Deb Curry, Joni (Galen) Marten, and Peg (Greg) Morrow. Joe was a loving grandfather to Justin, Alex, and Emma Fitzpatrick; Haylee and Mikayla Overbey, and Aiden and Edward Fitzpatrick. Joe was preceded in death by two infant brothers, William Paul and James Gregory. Also preceding him in death were his grandparents: Joseph and Agnes Fitzpatrick, and Louis and Marie Ryan. Joe grew up in Lincoln, and graduated first from St. Mary's School and then from Lincoln Community High School. He served in the U.S. Navy during the Vietnam War. He owned and operated Fitzpatrick Electric for the last 40 years. Joe was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, Lincoln Elks Lodge #914, Lincoln American Legion Post #263, and was a 4th Degree Knight with Lincoln Knights of Columbus Council 1250 (also having served as Grand Knight during three separate time spans). Joe was an avid Cubs fan and enjoyed playing and watching golf. He also enjoyed the traveling he was able to do with Peggy. Joe was the 2012 Lincoln/Logan County Chamber of Commerce Volunteer of the Year, which speaks to the amount of time he donated to the various festivals in town. Memorials may be made to: Knights of Columbus Council 1250, or Carroll Catholic School. Final arrangements are entrusted with Peasley Funeral Home of Lincoln.

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Deceased Name: John Joseph Kapik 1921 - 2017

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John Joseph Kapik 1921 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL - John Joseph Kapik, 96, passed away at 6:40 p.m. on April 29, 2017, at The Christian Village of Lincoln, Ill. John was born April 17, 1921, in Lincoln, Ill., son of Valentine and Marie (Krotz) Kapik. He married Ruth Evelyn Riggs on April 10, 1949, in Lincoln, Ill. She preceded him in death on Oct. 15, 1997. Surviving John are his daughters: Carol (Stan) Kuhn of Yantis, Texas, Janice Kapik of Lincoln, Ill., and Sharon (Rick) Lunn of Spring Hill, Kan.; two grandchildren, Michael and Michelle Pepper; and two step-grandchildren, Keri (Charles) Wallace, and Jenni (Ethan) Stover. He was preceded in death by his parents and siblings: Amelia Casstevens, Albert Kapik, and Rosemary Provin. John was a U.S. Navy veteran, who proudly served his country during WWII. He retired from the light company after 35 years of service. He was a member of the American Legion Post #263. He enjoyed spending time outdoors especially hunting, fishing, gardening, and camping. Services for John will be at 10 a.m., Thursday May 4, 2017, at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln, Ill., with Ryan Edgecombe officiating. Visitation will be from 5-7:30 p.m., Wednesday May 3, 2017, also at the funeral home. Burial at New Union Cemetery will follow the service where full military rites will be accorded by American Legion Post# 263. Memorials may be made in John's name to: The Christian Village.

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Deceased Name: Leo Paul Pushala 1925 - 2017

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Leo Paul Pushala 1925 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL - Leo Paul Pushala, 91, of Lincoln, passed away Saturday, April 29, 2017, at Memorial Medical Center in Springfield, surrounded by his loving friends and family. Visitation will be from 10-11 a.m., Wednesday, May 3, 2017, at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday also at the funeral home. Burial will follow at St. Mary's Cemetery with full military rites provided by the American Legion Post 263. Leo was born Dec. 12, 1925, in Lincoln, Ill., the son of Stanley and Catherine Theresa (Pelc) Pushala. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Army during WW II. He was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church. Mr. Pushala retired in 1985 from Pittsburg Plate Glass after many years of service. He was a gentle man who always had a smile. Leo was a life long Chicago Cubs fan. He will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved him. Leo was the last living member of his immediate family. Survivors include: loving companion and dear friend Elaine Klockenga of Lincoln and her family: Kevin (Millie) Klockenga, Aaron (Ashley) Klockenga, Lexee Klockenga, and Adrienne Klockenga; local niece and nephew Diane (Bob) Farmer and Richard Caplinger. Also surviving are several other nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and his siblings: John Pushala, Stanley Pushala, Genevieve Caplinger, Joseph Pushala, Catherine Gaffney, Ann Kutahn, Margaret Hagen, and Josephine Gorence. Memorial donations may be made to the organization of the donor's choice and will be accepted at the funeral home.

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Deceased Name: Alberta Frances Wheeler 1931 - 2017

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Alberta Frances Wheeler 1931 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL - Alberta Frances Wheeler, 85, of Lincoln passed away on Wednesday, May 3, 2017 at her home, surrounded by her family. Alberta was born on October 31, 1931 in Leroy, IL, the daughter of Roscoe and Cora Virginia (Satterfeal) Bailey. She married Robert Snowden Wheeler on July 20, 1947 in Farmer City, IL. He preceded her in death. Alberta is survived by her children, Robert (Deb) Wheeler, Alice (Mac) McCarthy, Janice (Jim) Adye, Betty (Jack) Renfrow, and Mitch (Barb) Wheeler; her brothers and sisters, Martha Embry, Larry Bailey, Rosie Rogers, Deon (Donna) Bailey, Gail (Jerry) Denney, Terry (Alene) Bailey, and A.J. (Diana) Bailey; her nine grandchildren, eighteen great-grandchildren, and one great-great grandchild. Alberta was preceded in death by her parents, husband, five brothers, and one sister. Alberta was a member of Open Arms Christian Fellowship. She was also a member at the Oasis Senior Center. Alberta enjoyed spending time in her flower garden, watching the Food Network, and visiting with her family and friends. Services for Alberta will be held at 10:00 A.M. on Monday, May 8, 2017 at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln. with Larry Crawford officiating. Visitation will be held from 9:00-10:00 A.M. on Monday, May 8, 2017 also at the funeral home. Burial will take place at Camp Butler National Cemetery, Springfield, IL. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made in Alberta's name to The United Kidney Foundation.

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Deceased Name: Mary Frances Kimbrough Webb 1918 - 2017

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Mary Frances Kimbrough "Kim" Webb 1918 - 2017 LINCOLN- Mary Frances Kimbrough "Kim" Webb, 99, of Lincoln, IL, passed away on Thursday, May 4, 2017 at her home. She was born at home in rural Hancock County near Joetta, Illinois on January 29, 1918, daughter of Edward Wyatt and Edna B. Seipel Kimbrough. She received her B.A. from Carthage College in 1939 and taught home economics at Blandinsville High School until her marriage to John L. Webb. They were the parents of four children: Susan of Lincoln, IL; David (Mary Jane Moffat) of Walton, OR: Carol of Lincoln, IL and Melbourne, Australia: and Jean of New Haven, CT, All of them survive, After the death of John Webb, she returned to school at SIU-E and received her master's degree in counseling and guidance. She served as a counselor at North Junior High School in Godfrey, IL, until her marriage in 1977 to her childhood friend G. Albert Webb and moved, along with her mother, Edna B. Kimbrough, to Lawndale. Mr. Webb died in 1998. From this marriage, she gained two sons Alvin (Barbara) of Louisville, KY and Allen (Gayle) of Springfield, IL. They survive. Upon their retirement, Kim and Albert moved to the Christian Village in Lincoln. Throughout their life together in Lawndale and Lincoln, they were active in the St. John UCC Church. Kim is also survived by 5 grandchildren (Jeff, Dawn, Jaixen, Debbie & Becky) and eight great-grandchildren (Stephanie, Nathan, McKenna, Haley, Mariah, Phoenix, Hannah, and Eli) and preceded in death by one great-grandson, Jacob. Services will be held at 11:00 A.M. Thursday, May 11, 2017 at St. John United Church of Christ in Lincoln, with Rev. Kenneth Kramer, Ryan Edgecombe, and The Rev. Patti Meyer officiating. Visitation will be held from 5:00-7:00 P.M. on Wednesday, May 10, 2017 at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln. There will also be a visitation one hour prior to service on Thursday (10:00-11:00 A.M.) Burial will take place at Moss Ridge Cemetery in Carthage, IL at 12:00 P.M. on Friday, May 12, 2017.

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Deceased Name: Dorcas Nedra Hall 1921 - 2017

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Dorcas Nedra Hall 1921 - 2017 Dorcas Nedra Hall, 95, of Lincoln, passed away May 6, 2017 at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital surrounded by her family. Visitation will be from 10:00 AM until 11:00 AM Wednesday, May 10, 2017 at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home, Lincoln. Funeral services will follow at 11:00 AM also at the funeral home with Ryan Edgecombe officiating. Burial will take place in Rushville Cemetery, Rushville, IL. Dorcas was born August 24, 1921 in Skylar County, Woodstock Township, Illinois, the daughter of Robert E. Dean and Gladys D. (DeWitt) Dean. She married Lyle R. Hall on October 1, 1939 in Palmyra, MO. He preceded her in death November 4, 2011. She was a member of Jefferson Street Christian Church. She was formerly employed at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital in Dietary. Surviving are her children: Robert R. "Bob" (Louise) Hall of Lincoln, IL. and Janet (Bob) Vogt of Monticello, IL.; 6 grandchildren; 14 great grandchildren; and 6 great grandchildren also survive. She was preceded by her parents, husband Lyle R. Hall, son Lyle D. Hall, great grandson Brian Hall, and sister Marjorie Howell. Memorial donations may be made to Jefferson Street Christian Church and will be accepted at the funeral home.

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Deceased Name: Donald L. McCubbin

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Donald L. "Chub" McCubbin 1940 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL - Donald L. "Chub" McCubbin, 76, of Lincoln passed away at his home on May 1, 2017 at 3:37 p.m. A Memorial Service for Mr. McCubbin will be held on Thursday, May 11, 2017 at 11:00 a.m. at the Jefferson Street Christian Church in Lincoln with Mr. Michael Mallick and Mr. Henry Johnson officiating. No Visitation is scheduled. A Luncheon will be held following the service in the church fellowship hall. Cremation rites have been accorded. Donald Lee McCubbin was born on August 17, 1940 in Clinton the son of Albro W. and Elizabeth Veloa Bush McCubbin. He was united in marriage to Barbara Foster on March 8, 1969. She survives. He is also survived by his sister: LaVera Perce of California. Chub graduated from the Lincoln High School in 1958. He farmed east of Lincoln for 24 years and also worked for Mitchell Newhouse Lumber for many years. Chub was one of the Charter Members of Jefferson Street Church. Memorials may be made to the Jefferson Street Christian Church or American Cancer Society. Peasley Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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Deceased Name: Jean A. Curtis 1931 - 2017

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Jean A. Curtis 2017 Jean A. Curtis, 86, of Lincoln, IL passed away on Tuesday, May 9, 2017 at Memorial Medical Center, Springfield, IL. She married John "Jack" Curtis on November 17, 1984. He preceded her in death on November 23, 2003. She is survived by: her children: Sharon (Bill) Clark of Grand Rapids, MI; Kathie (Tom) Vincent of Lincoln, IL; David (Anna) Fisher of Pekin; John (Tim Green) Fisher of Middletown, IL; her 12 grandchildren, and 16 great-grandchildren. A private family graveside service will be held at a later date at New Union Cemetery in Lincoln. Memorial donations may be made in Jean's name to The Wounded Warriors Project. Services have been entrusted to Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, Lincoln, IL.

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Deceased Name: Charles Leonard Moore 1945 - 2017

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Charles Leonard Moore 1945 - 2017 SAN DIEGO, CA - Charles Leonard Moore, 72, died of ALS, Saturday evening, May 6, 2017 in San Diego, California. Charles was born March 15, 1945 in Grand Haven, Michigan, son of Carle and LaVara Moore. Charles (also known as C.Moore, Jake or Chuck) grew up in Lincoln, III. and enlisted in the Navy in 1965. Following his service he received his engineering degree at San Diego State University. He worked briefly at General Dynamics and continued to work as an electronics engineer for the Dept. of the Navy, Naval Aviation Depot, North Island, CA where he received numerous accolades and awards for his work on Test Program Sets for the E-2C Hawkeye. He also enjoyed building cars, playing Over-the-Line softball, silk-screening, and building his own home. He is survived by his niece, Jacqueline Roecker of Naples, Fla., and nephew, Richard Roecker of Chicago, III. He was preceded in death by his parents and sister, Margaret. He was cremated and will be scattered by friends and family in Lincoln III. at a later date.

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Deceased Name: Ronald Sprague 1937 - 2017

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Ronald Sprague Sr. 1937 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL - Ronald Sprague Sr., 79, passed away at 8:20 p.m. at St. John's Hospital in Springfield on May 12, 2017. Ron was born Oct. 9, 1937, in West Liberty, Ill., son of Robert and Ilma (Franklin) Sprague. He married Mary King on Aug. 9, 1957. She survives him. Also surviving are his children, Beth (Russell) Wright, and Ronald Sprague Jr., both of Lincoln, Ill.; three grandchildren: Kassie Henrichsmeyer of Clay City, Ill., Colt (Haley) Wright of Sunset, Texas, and Chase Wright of Lincoln, Ill.; and seven great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents; one grandson, Joshua Sprague; and one sister, Glenys McWilliams. Ron was a warehouse supervisor at PPG in East Peoria, Ill., before he retired. He was a member of St. John's United Church of Christ, was a member of the Eagles Lodge #2708 in Lincoln, Ill., was an avid St. Louis Cardinal fan, and was in the Mazda Miata Club. Services for Ron will be at 10 a.m., Wednesday, May 17, 2017, at St. John's United Church of Christ with the Rev. Kenneth Kramer officiating. Visitation will be from 4-7 p.m., Tuesday, May 16, 2017, at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln, Ill. Burial at New Union Cemetery will follow the service. Memorials may be made in Ron's name to: The American Heart and Lung Association, or St. John's United Church of Christ.

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Deceased Name: Barry A. Coddington: passed away May 7, 2017 Coroner seeks information on Coddington

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The Logan County Coroner's Office is seeking information on the family members of the late Barry A. Coddington, 57, of Lincoln who passed away May 7, 2017 due to natural causes. Logan County Coroner Robert Thomas said he is searching for the family of Coddington in order to complete the death certificate. Coddington was born in Lincoln and was the son of Barrett Gene Coddington and Vicki Sharon (Hazelwood) Coddington. For those with information are asked to contact Thomas by calling (217) 732-9322 or (217) 737-2325.

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Deceased Name: Sandra K. Hurst 1951 - 2017

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Sandra K. Hurst 1951 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL—Sandra K. Hurst ,65, passed away at her home on Saturday, May 13, 2017. Sandra was born Aug. 10, 1951, in Beebe, Alaska, daughter of Paul Lee and Beatrice Cox Johnson Osborne. Sandra is survived by her father; her children: Paul Scheurer of Lincoln, Ill., Jamie (Joe) Scheurer Skelton of Lincoln, Ill., and Angie Scheurer Daniels of Lincoln, Ill.; five siblings: Paula Osborne, Vickie (Jim) Bowen, Donnie (Mary Ann) Osborne, Gary (Kathy) Osborne, and Billy Jerald (Sue) Osborne; six grandchildren: Christian Skelton, Caleb Skelton, Jacquelyn Scheurer, Bryson Scheurer, Chelsey Scheurer, and Jacob Scheurer; and ten great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her mother; stepmother, Marie Osborne; grandmother, Viola Cox; and one great-grandchild, Cyannah Skelton. Sandra graduated from Capital Area Nursing School in 1996. She has worked various places including Maple Ridge, Lincoln Christian Village, and was a registered nurse at the Department of Corrections in Lincoln, Ill. Sandra was a member of Full Gospel Tabernacle in Lincoln, Ill. She loved her family and enjoyed spending time with them especially her grandchildren. Her favorite hobbies included knitting and crocheting. Services for Sandra will be at 6 p.m., Thursday May 18, 2017, at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln, Ill., with the Rev. Oscar Owens officiating. Visitation will be two hours prior to service from 4-6 p.m. Memorials may be made to: The Family of Sandra K. Hurst.

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Deceased Name: Margaret A. Eimer 1930 - 2017

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Margaret A. Eimer 1930 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL—Margaret A. Eimer, 86, passed away at 3:05 p.m. on May 13, 2017, at Abraham Lincoln Memorial Hospital. Margaret was born June 15, 1930, in Berlin Center, Ohio, daughter of Charles and Blanche (Wilson) Coleman. She married Thomas Eimer on June 14, 1975, in Lincoln, Ill. He survives her. Also surviving are her children: Charlotte Baldwin of Mt. Pulaski, Ill., Michael Eimer of Hallandale, Fla., Kathy McKinley of Texas City, Texas, Scott Eimer of Lincoln, Ill., and Craig Eimer of Lincoln, Ill.; seven grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, two sisters, three brothers, one grandson, and two great-grandchildren. Margaret was a member of Jefferson Street Christian Church in Lincoln. She was a seamstress and enjoyed sewing and crafts. She loved her family and enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and great- grandchildren. Services for Margaret will be at 11 a.m., Thursday, May 18, 2017, at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln, with Michael Mallick officiating. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m., Wednesday, May 17, 2017, also at the funeral home. Burial at St. Mary's Cemetery will follow the service. Memorials may be made in Margaret's name to: Holy Family Food Pantry; Alzheimer's Association; or donor's choice.

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Deceased Name: Jacqueline J. Berger 1962 - 2017

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Jacqueline J. Berger 1962 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL—Jacqueline J. Berger, 54, of Lincoln, passed away at 5:15 a.m. on Saturday, May 13, 2017, at her home. A Memorial Service will be held at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, May 17, 2017, at Peasley Funeral Home in Lincoln. Visitation will be held on from 5-6 p.m. on Wednesday, May 17,2017, at the funeral home. Cremation rites have been accorded. Jacqueline Jean Berger was born May 29, 1962, in Lincoln, the daughter of Floyd Eugene and Bettie Greathouse Turner. She was united in marriage to Ronald Berger. He survives. Also surviving are her mother; one daughter, Elyse Berger; one son, Christopher Paul Berger; two grandchildren, Cayden Beaber and Brook Beaber; and five sisters: Barbara Hower, Becky (Jeff) Mullican, Judy (Tim) Koger, Patty (Dale) Detmers, and Kelly (Mike) Sorensen. Jacqueline graduated from Lincoln Community High School in 1980. She was a Licensed Practical Nurse at Meyrricks Nursing Home. Her hobbies included doing needlepoint, crocheting and crafts. She especially enjoyed spending time with her children and grandchildren. Memorials may be made to: The American Kidney Foundation.

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Deceased Name: Charles Mounce 1928 - 2017

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Charles Mounce 1928 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL—Charles Mounce, 88, of Bloomington, Ill., formerly of Lincoln, Ill., peacefully entered into Heaven's gates on Tuesday morning, May 9, 2017. He was born in Lincoln, Ill., on May 19, 1928. He was preceded in death by his wife, Pat; sister, Maxine Voyles; parents, Mike and Johanna Marie (Nagle) Mounce; and two grandsons. Charles is survived by his four children: Charlotte (Mike) Horath of Atlanta, Ill., Linda (Dale) Rogers of Heyworth, Ill., Rodney Mounce of Gifford, Ill., and David (Lyn) Mounce of Downs, Ill. He was also blessed with 12 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, and five great-great-grandchildren. Charles "Charlie" grew up in Lawndale, then Lincoln. He married Patricia Jane Scott on Sept. 13, 1947. He started working as a Ford Mechanic at Langelliers on S. Chicago St. in Lincoln. He retired from there after 42 years, and was known for his superb ability to "fix what was broken". He was involved in stock car racing and streets rods. He was a member of The National Street Rod Association for 25 years. He also enjoyed camping and fishing. He was a member of The Lincoln Christian Church. After Charles and Pat moved to Bloomington they joined The Eastview Christian Church and were instrumental in starting The Eastview Spirit Lifters for Seniors. They enjoyed many years of traveling with that group around the United States. A Celebration of Life for Charles will be held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, May 20, 2017, at Fricke-Calvert-Schrader Funeral Home, 127 S. Logan St., Lincoln. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the service on Saturday from 9-10 a.m. Burial will follow the services at Zion Cemetery in Lincoln. Memorial donations may be made in Charles' name to: Heritage Health, 700 E. Walnut St., Bloomington, IL.

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Deceased Name: Timothy Ray Kelley 1958 - 2017

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Timothy Ray "Tim" Kelley 1958 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL—Timothy Ray "Tim" Kelley, 59, of Lincoln, passed away May 13, 2017, at his home. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m., Friday, May 19, 2017, at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home. Cremation rites will then be accorded. There will be no burial at this time. Tim was born March 12, 1958, in Brazoria, Texas, the son of Sam J. Kelley and Nettie (Ferguson) Kelley. He married Debbie Reinhart on March 25, 1995, in Lincoln, Ill. He proudly served his country in the U.S. Air Force. Mr. Kelley was House Advocate of Residential Developers and worked as a CNA for many years. He was an avid gardener and enjoyed nature. Surviving are his wife, Debbie Kelley of Lincoln; children: Crystal Tungate of Lincoln, Katrina Kelley of East Peoria, and Ryan Kelley of Lincoln; grandchildren: Kasey Tungate, Alexa Kelley, Matthew Kelley, and Phoenix Miller; nephew, Randy Kelley of Texas; and several other nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents and several siblings.

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Deceased Name: Donald Wayne Goforth 1945 - 2017

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Donald Wayne "Don" Goforth 1945 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL—Donald Wayne "Don" Goforth, 72, of Lincoln, went Home to Heaven on May 14, 2017. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m., Wednesday, May 17, 2017, at Full Gospel Evangelistic Center in Lincoln. Funeral services will be at noon on Thursday, May 18, 2017, also at Full Gospel Evangelistic Center, with Pastor Steve Owens and Pastor Jessie Cavness officiating. Burial will follow at New Union Cemetery in Lincoln. Don was born Jan. 8, 1945, in Shawneetown, Ill., the son of George and Edna Mae Goforth. He made the decision to spend the rest of his life with Carolyn Richardson on Dec. 31, 1971, (second time around to each other). He was a member of Full Gospel Evangelistic Center. Don proudly served his country in the U.S. Army. He was a truck driver for many years. He was a jack of all trades and used his handyman skills to help others. He hand made equipment for the Special Education Department at District 27; was always willing to help his family with projects; and was always caring and giving. He was a special man and he will be missed by all who knew and loved him. Surviving are his wife, Carolyn Goforth; daughters, Debbie (Steve) Owens and Cheri (George) Leverton, all of Lincoln. He was affectionately called Papaw by 10 grandchildren: Jared (Mandy) Owens, Aubrey Joseph (Andrew Galligos), Jordan Owens, Austin Curry, Dalton Goforth, Brayden Curry (Morgan Eads), Josalyn Owens, Sydney Goforth, Laci Miller, and Justin Goforth; great-grandchildren, Abigail Curry and Cayden Curry, and one great-grandson on the way. Greyson Galligos. Also surviving are step-granddaughter, Tiffany (Kyle) Thomas; step-great-grandchildren, Kaylie Thomas and Brylie Thomas; and nephews, Charlie Smith and Gary F. Goforth, both of Arizona. He was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Gary Lee Goforth; daughter, Brenda Goforth; and son, Jeff Goforth. Memorial donations may be made to: Full Gospel Evangelistic Center. Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home is assisting the family.

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Deceased Name: Robert W. Wallace 1952 - 2017

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Robert W. Wallace 1952 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL—Robert W. Wallace, 64, of Lincoln passed away at 1:50 p.m. on Monday, May 15, 2017, at Memorial Medical Center in Springfield. Cremation rites have been accorded. No services are currently planned; however, a Celebration of Life Service will be scheduled at a later date. Robert Wayne Wallace was born June 12, 1952, in Lincoln, the son of Wayne L. and Ruth Huelskoetter Wallace. He was united in marriage on Oct. 17, 1987, to Carolyn Mattson. She survives. Also surviving are his siblings, Ron (Diane) Wallace of Galva, and Joan (Howard) Jackson of Bloomington; and nieces and nephews: Allison Becker, Marti Pierce, Courtney Wallace, Whitney Wallace, Cody Jackson, and McKee Jackson. He was preceded in death by his parents; one sister, Donna Becker; and one brother, Jerry Wallace. Bob graduated from Lincoln Community High School in 1970. He attended Lincoln College and Illinois State University. He retired from the Illinois Department of Corrections as a Correctional Officer at Logan Correctional Center. He was a musician who played: steele guitar, mandolin, violin, and saxophone. He also was a member of the Midnight Riders Band. Memorials may be made to the charity of the donor's choice. Peasley Funeral Home is assisting the family with arrangements.

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Deceased Name: Ellen E. Gramley 1932 - 2017

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Ellen E. Gramley 1932 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL—Ellen E. Gramley, 84, of Lincoln, Ill., formerly of Plano, Ill., passed away Saturday, May 13, 2017, at St. John's Hospital in Springfield, Ill. She was born May 20, 1932, in Aurora, Ill., the daughter of Lee J. and Marion (Stone) Hershey. Ellen was united in marriage on April 10, 1954, in Aurora, Ill., to Mr. Wendell "Tom" Gramley, and they spent the next 55 happy years together until his passing on Sept. 25, 2009. Mrs. Gramley was a member of First Christian Church in Aurora, Ill. She was a volunteer first at Copley Hospital and later at Rush-Copley Medical Center in Aurora, Ill. Ellen was also the Chairwoman of its gift shop and served as President of the White Cross Auxiliary. Ellen had been a resident for the last six years of Castle Manor in Lincoln, Ill. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister and aunt who will be deeply missed by her family and friends. Ellen is survived by her children, Clare (Paula) Gramley of Lincoln, Ill., and Catherine (Randy) Miller of Chico, Calif.; grandchildren: Rebecca (Andrew) Brant of Terre Hill, Pa., Thomas (Heather) Gramley of Peoria, Ill., Lyndelle Miller of Chico, Calif., Rand (Erin Oswald) Miller of New York City, N.Y., and Aubrey Miller of Healdsburg, Ca.; and three great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, Lee and Marion Hershey; husband, Tom Gramley; two brothers, Leo J. and Jesse L. Hershey; and sister and brother-in-law, Geraldine and Richard Moyer. A funeral service will be held at 6 p.m. on Thursday, May 18, 2017, at Nelson Funeral Home & Crematory, 1010 West South Street, Plano, IL. Interment will take place at the Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood, Ill. Friends may visit from 4 p.m. until the hour of service on Thursday, May 18, 2017, at the Larson-Nelson Funeral Home in Plano, Ill. Arrangements by Nelson Funeral Homes & Crematory: www.NelsonFuneralHomes.com or 630-552-7211.

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Deceased Name: Doris Waneta Howell 1925 - 2017

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Doris Waneta Howell 1925 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL—Doris Waneta Howell, 91, of Lincoln, formerly of Lombard, Ill., passed away May 22, 2017, at the Christian Village. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m., Tuesday, May 30, 2017, at Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m., Wednesday, May 31, 2017, also at the funeral home with Chaplain Ryan Edgecombe officiating. Burial will follow at Zion Cemetery in Lincoln. Doris was born Sept. 8, 1925, in Lincoln, Ill., the daughter of Elmer L. Gehlbach and Alma C. (Werth) Gehlbach. She married Floyd Richard Howell on June 11, 1950, in Lincoln, Ill. He preceded her in death on Oct. 29, 2005. Mrs. Howell graduated from Lincoln Community High School in 1943 and graduated from Lincoln College in 1945 with an Associate of Arts Degree. She was a charter member of the Women's Auxiliary of Central DuPage Hospital in Winfield, Ill., and a member of the Green Valley Unit of the DuPage County Homemakers Extension Association. Survivors include her son, Bruce G. Howell of Morton, Ill.; grandsons, Jason Howell and Andrew Howell, also of Morton, Ill.; and sister, Norma Rankin of Urbana, Ill. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Floyd; and son, Brian K. Howell. Memorial donations will be accepted at the funeral home and may be made to: The Christian Village.

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Deceased Name: Bruce D. Wagner 1933 - 2017

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Bruce D. Wagner, Sr. 1933 - 2017 MASON CITY, IL—Bruce D. Wagner, Sr., 83, of Mason City, Ill., passed away at 2:21 a.m. on May 25, 2017, at his residence. He was born Aug. 14, 1933, in Green Valley, Ill., the son of George and Myrtle (Halsey) Wagner. He married Ruby Langenbahn on Oct. 21, 1961, in Lincoln, Ill. She survives. Bruce is also survived by one daughter, Christina Schrick; six sons: Michael Wagner, Larry Wagner, James Severtson, Douglas (Donna) Meaker, Christian Bolen, and Chayne Bolen; 17 grandchildren: Bruce D. "Chip" Wagner III. Tyler Schrick. Alyse Schrick. Dr. Jamie Severtson. Jessica Meaker. Jennifer Meaker. Jeremy Meaker. MaKayla Meaker, Noah Meaker, Dakin Bolen, Dustin Bolen, Cody Bolen, Brandon Bolen, Danielle Bolen, Jeffrey Bolen, Kyle Owens, and Zach Owens; eight great-grandchildren: Kalli Wagner, Spencer Schrick, Mitchell Miles, Jaden Flores, Caleb Flores, Emerson Bolen, Kenzley Bolen, and Bentley Owens; one sister, Darlene (Robert) Meskimons; and one brother, Cornelias "Keek" Wagner. He was preceded in death by his parents; one son, Bruce "Skip" Wagner, Jr.; one great-grandson, Grayson Wagner; one foster son, Brian Nance; four brothers, and three sisters. Bruce served in the Army, was an employee of Corn Products for 28 years, and was an avid Cardinals fan. Through the years Bruce and Ruby opened their home to 12 foster children whom they loved as their own. Bruce also raised hogs and later in life showed Polled Hereford Cattle. He loved the fairs and the people he met there. Bruce never met a stranger. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, May 31, 2017, at Hurley Funeral Home in Mason City, Ill. Father Tim Nolan will officiate. Burial will follow at the Green Valley Cemetery in Green Valley, Ill. A visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday, May 30, 2017. Memorials may be made to: Mason City St. Jude Run. Hurley Funeral Home in Mason City, IL is assisting the family with arrangements. Online condolences may be left for the family at www.hurleyfh.com.

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Deceased Name: Robert Clyde Strotheide 1943 - 2017

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Robert Clyde Strotheide 1943 - 2017 Lincoln, IL—Robert Clyde Strotheide, 74, of Lincoln, died Wednesday, May 24, 2017, at his home. He was born Jan. 27, 1943, in Bloomington, the son of L.G. and Doris Elizabeth (Eigsti) Strotheide. He married Sarah Marie Crum on Sept. 3, 1964, near Monmouth. He is survived by his wife; two children, Joshua (wife, Julie Slater) and Erin (husband, Mohamed Sobih); seven siblings, Sandra (Jim) Benner, Janet Bertsche, Larry (Cass), Carol (Bill) Schmidtgall, Terry (LeRoy) Block, Paul, and Randy; and many nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents. He graduated from Flanagan High School, attended Bluffton College in Ohio, and received his B.S. and M.S. from Illinois State University. He taught math and sciences at Hartsburg-Emden schools for more than 20 years, then taught for Richland Community and MacMurray colleges at Lincoln and Logan correctional centers until retirement in 2007. He enjoyed fishing and hunting with his dad. He was in the Boy Scouts and later was the scoutmaster for his son's troop. He took part in several Lincoln Community Theater shows and attended countless productions with his family. He coached basketball and was a class sponsor at Hartsburg-Emden. His favorite author was James Michener, and he read and collected translations of the Bible. He enjoyed playing golf and could frequently be spotted bargain hunting at auctions, garage sales, thrift stores. An avid traveler, he took trips to Vietnam, Ireland, Egypt, Malaysia, Norway, Portugal, Toronto, and many Canadian border water camping trips. Being an adventurous foodie, he often inspired his family and friends to try exotic foods. He loved chatting with old friends and strangers alike and was known as a practical joker. With a true servant's heart and as a consummate host, one had only to mention a need and he was there to provide. He was a member of the Lincoln Church of the Nazarene, serving on the board and participating in many ministries. He had been a member of and held several offices with Gideons International since 2008. A funeral service will be held 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 31, at Lincoln Church of the Nazarene (2501 Woodlawn Road, Lincoln), with a dinner after the service at the church. Burial will be 2p.m. at Waldo Township Cemetery near Flanagan. Visitation will be 5-7 p.m. Tuesday, May 30, at the church. In lieu of flowers, donations are requested to Gideons International or Lincoln Church of the Nazarene. Fricke Calvert Schrader Funeral Home in Lincoln is in charge of the arrangements.

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Deceased Name: Virginia May Presswood 1933 - 2017

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Virginia May Presswood 1933 - 2017 LINCOLN, IL—Virginia May Presswood, 83, of Lincoln, passed away May 30, 2017, at St. Clara's Manor. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m., Friday, June 2, 2017, at Harmony Cemetery in Beason. There will be no visitation. Virginia was born Oct. 5, 1933, in Lincoln, Ill., the daughter of Howard and Irene (Hardy) Rigg. She married George Presswood on Nov. 11, 1953, in Lincoln, Ill. He preceded her in death on March 18, 2013. Surviving are: her son, Garron (Judy) Presswood; grandchildren: Brittani Kimmel, Stacy Peacock, Amanda (Deron) Logan, and Shane Presswood; six great-grandchildren; brother, Charles (Shirley) Rigg; and sister, Joan (James) Sheley. She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband, George. Virginia enjoyed knitting and reading. She was a loving mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. She retired from Lincoln Developmental Center after many years of service as a technician and an LPN. Memorial donations may be made to: The American Heart Association. Holland Barry & Bennett Funeral Home has been entrusted with her care.

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