Obituaries

Ida Ramsey

Ida Ramsey, 92, of 100 Sand Springs Road, Mt. Vernon, died Wednesday, November 6, 2002, at her home. She was born on October 2, 1910, in Rockcastle County, the daughter of the late John Robert and Nancy Elizabeth Pitman Logsdon. She was a housewife, loved to travel, enjoyed history, writing and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors are two daughters, Betty French and husband, Bob of Mt. Vernon and Sadie Broyles and her fiancee, Charles King of Dayton, Ohio; six grandchildren, Karen Pitts and husband, Dana, Susan Simmons and husband, Gregg, Mary Anderberg, Dwayne Ramsey and wife, Traci and Libby and Patsy Ramsey; six great grandchildren, Sonya Vallance, Andrew Whiteted, Jamie and Phillip McFerron, George Bradley and wife, Charlene and Crystal Carlton and husband, Kevin and three great great grandchildren, Elizabeth Dooley, Kelsey Carlton and Evan Bradley. She was preceded in death by her husband, Arthur Ramsey; a son, Arthur Ramsey, Jr.; seven brothers; seven sisters; a grandson, Terry Bradley and a granddaughter, Cheryl Broyles.

Services were November 9, at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Eddie Nation officiating. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

Edward Sowder

Edward Sowder, 68, of 65 Davis St., Mt. Vernon, died Thursday, November 7, 2002 at his home. He was born on April 9, 1934 in Mt. Vernon, the son of the late Shirley and Meada Durham Sowder. He was a member of the Baptist faith.

Survivors are a son, Dwayne Sowder of Brodhead; three daughters, Tammy Davis of Somerset, Tracy Shelton and Denise Sowder, both of Brodhead; two brothers, Virgil Sowder of Richmond and Leroy Sowder of Mt. Vernon; three sisters, Irene Thomason, Martha Cox and Shirley Cox, all of Mt. Vernon; three grandchildren; a special friend, Dorthy Cain of Mt. Vernon and her children, Darlene Payne, Tina Bullock, Lewis Vanwinkle and Eugene Vanwinkle and 11 grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a brother, Ernest and a sister, Virginia Nicholas.

Services were Sunday, November 10, at the Cox Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Denton Sears officiating. Burial was in the Elmwood Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Eugene Vanwinkle, Lewis Vanwinkle, Scotty Vanwinkle, Dusty Payne, Jim Cox and Lewis Cox.

John Baldwin

John Baldwin, 69, of 14545 Brodhead Road, Crab Orchard, died Wednesday, November 6, 2002 at the Rockcastle Hospital. He was the husband of Dayne Blanton Baldwin, whom he married on May 26, 1956. He was born January 17, 1933 in Parrot, the son of the late Coy and Ella Fields Baldwin. He worked as a mechanic at Southern States in Berea for more than 20 years and was a farmer. He was a member of the Cupps Chapel Holiness Church and a Veteran of the United States Army.

Survivors are his wife, Dayne Baldwin of Crab Orchard; two daughters, Joann Rouse and husband, Carl and Susie McGuffey and husband, Jim of Cabot, Arkansas; two sons, Johnny Baldwin and wife, Jeanny of Crab Orchard and Joe Baldwin and wife, Kathy of Crab Orchard; four brothers, Walter, Paul and Estill Baldwin of Crab Orchard and Marion Baldwin of Middlesboro; seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Besides his parents he was preceded in death by a daughter, Mildred Lynn Baldwin and a brother, Wayne Baldwin.

Services were Friday, November 8, at McKnight Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Vernon Doan and Bro. Ira "Speedy" Miller officiating. Burial was in the Freedom Church Cemetery in Mt. Vernon.

Pallbearers were Regal, Philip, Chris and Eugene Baldwin, Sherman Allen and Bobby Dean Caldwell.

Honorary pallbearers were John Haarman and Bro. Ira "Speedy" Miller.

Cards of Thanks

Ed Sowder

The family and friends of Ed Sowder would like to thank everyone for all they did during the loss of our loved one. We personally want to thank Hospice for their service and their nurse, Mary Hill for all she did for my mother. Thanks to Dr. Rowe and Rockcastle Hospital and Rockcastle Ambulance service. Thanks to Cox Funeral Home for their service and kind words. Thanks to all for the prayers, cards and flowers. A special thank you to Bud and Shirley Cox and Jim and Martha Cox for their generosity and being supportive to our mother.

Thanks again,
Dorothy Cain & family

Ida Ramsey

The family of Ida Ramsey would like to thank all of our friends and family for sharing in our sorrow in the loss of our loved one. Your love for mom was reflected in your presence, your prayers, the food you sent and the floral arrangements. For those of you who could not be with us we thank you for being Mom's friend. Our special thanks to Cox Funeral Home (Lewis), Bro. Eddie Nation, the dinner furnished by the First Baptist Church, Phyliss Holbrook and the ladies from Rockcastle Health Department and anyone who we may have left out.

Thanks and may God bless,
Betty French and family,
Sadie Broyles and family,
Libby, Dwayne and Patsy Ramsey

In Loving Memories

Missing You Son on Your Birthday

Tears roll down my face son
As I think of you everyday
It's been a long hard road
Since you have gone away.

I feel so lonely and empty
Since I've lost you and your dad
Because you see my son
You were all that I had.

Mommy misses you so dearly
Oh how I do pray
That I could see your lovely face
To say happy birthday.

This poem is in loving memory of Rickey Lee Lawrence, whose 41st birthday would have been November 16th, 2002
(died May 17, 2002)

You are sadly missed and loved by, Your mom, aunts, uncles, cousins and friends

In Memory of Ida Elizabeth Ramsey

She said, when I was a child,
I could run faster than anyone.
I could chase the cows and jump over a ditch."
I could now, she said, if it were not for my body!
On her brow 92 summer suns have shone
And yet she was so valiant in her spirit, – it spans the heights…
The troubles she has known.
They taught her to face life and never fear it.
She has walked away from her mortal body and will run,
A girl again, beyond the shining sun.
She has served God so long in love and truth.
He has given her back her youth–

Sadly missed by her family

Laura Louella Doan
Nov. 13, 1962-Mar. 23, 2002

Sissy, we love you and miss you everyday that goes by. We know you're in a better place, but it hurts so much not getting to see your loving face. You're gone, but will never be forgotten by the ones who love you most down here. Remember we love you and some day we'll see you up there.

Happy Birthday,
Your Mom, Lillie Bullock; Dad, Jerry Bullock, daughter, Lula Chelle Doan; son, Michael Joseph Doan; sisters, brother and granddaughter

To The Voters of Division Three:

I truly appreciate all who contributed to my campaign. To those of you who made calls, talked to friends, or helped in any other way—THANK YOU. Thanks especially to the voters. I will do my best to represent you well.

Thanks again,
Tina Hasty

"What Saith the Scriptures"

In our day and time there is an dreadful plague among many nations, and that is the problem of abortion, the killing of innocent human beings. Let's look at Luke 2:12, *"And this shall be a sign unto you; Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger."* Now this text is talking about our Lord the night he was born there in Bethlehem. Would not we all agree that to kill this "babe" would be murder? Yes, verily! Now let's look at Luke 1:41, *"And it came to pass, that, when Elisabeth heard the salutation of Mary, the babe leaped in her womb; and Elisabeth was filled with the Holy Ghost."* Now here we see that Elizabeth was about 6 months along in her pregnancy, yet notice by inspiration, the unborn child was called a "babe." It is the same word in English and in Greek. Now if we can all see that it is wrong to kill a "babe" just born, surely we can see it is wrong to kill a "babe" that is not yet born, that is still in the womb. Some seek to vainly reason about the matter, by calling it pregnancy tissue, or fetal tissue, and that "removing it" would be about like removing a polyp or a unwanted wart. No, let's call abortion what it is, killing a babe.

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Thank You!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the people of the 80th district including Lincoln, Rockcastle and Pulaski Counties for allowing me to continue to serve as your representative.

The confidence you have placed in me is gratifying and I commit to you that I will strive to make improvements and stand for principles that I believe our district embraces.

I also would like so commend my opponent, Mr. Long, for a very effective and clean campaign. I wish he and his family the very best.

To all those who assisted me in my re-election, by whatever means, I will forever be grateful.

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