

Obituaries



Timothy Taylor

Timothy Eugene Taylor, 50, of Mount Vernon, died Thursday, October 24, 2013 as the result of a tragic automobile accident. He was born March 13, 1963 in London, a son of A. Eugene and Sarah Moore Taylor. He was a Tool maker and V.P. of EST Tools. He was of the Christian faith, and he found great joy in motorcycles, gardening, boating, cooking and canning. He had a great love and passion for spending time with his family. He was a member of the Hog Club.

He will be lovingly remembered by: his parents, Eugene and Sarah Taylor of Brodhead; his daughter, Renee Nicole Taylor (Beau) Parker of Richmond; his son Jacob Timothy Taylor of Mt. Vernon; a brother, Steven (Tricia) Taylor of Brodhead; his fiancée, Beverly Sandusky and her grandchildren, Shelby and Chase of Brodhead; two nephews, Bradley and Bailey Taylor of Brodhead; as well as aunts/uncles/cousins, friends and neighbors.

He is preceded in death by: his maternal grandparents, Basil and Maxine Moore; and his paternal grandparents, Arnel and Mary Taylor.

Funeral services were conducted Monday, October 28, 2013 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Shannon Franklin officiating. Burial was in Piney Grove Cemetery.

Casketbearers are: Steven Taylor, Beau Parker, Bailey Taylor, Brad Taylor, Bobby Moore and Jacob "JT" Taylor.

Condolences to the family may be made at his online registry at www.marvineowensfuneralhome.com.

Bob J. McKinney

Bob J. McKinney, 86, widower of Mary Pearl "Pug" Absher McKinney, died Monday, October 28, 2013 at the Clermont Nursing Care Center in Milford, OH.

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday November 2, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals. Burial will follow in the McKinney Cemetery.

Visitation will be held Saturday, November 2, 2013 from 12:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals.

A complete obituary will be published in next week's Signal.

Destie M. Harris

Destie M. Harris, 89, of Brodhead, widow of James David Harris, died Saturday, October 26, 2013 at Rockcastle Health and Rehabilitation in Brodhead. She was born in Stinking Creek, June 26, 1924, a daughter of the late Noah and Mary Mills Messer. She was a housewife, enjoyed embroidery, visiting people and the ministry at Rockcastle Health and Rehabilitation. She was a member of the Brodhead Baptist Church and a member of the WMU at the church. On January 17, 1946 she was united in marriage to James David Harris and from that union came two sons.

She is survived by: her children, Doug (Judy) Harris and Harold (Carol) Harris, all of Brodhead; her grandchildren, James Clifton "JC" Harris, and Dana Renee' (Andy) McKinney; her great grandchildren, Shelby Harris, Bailey Harris and Jaimey Harris; a sister, Daphne (Howard) Owens of Dayton, OH; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and neighbors.

Besides her parents and husband, she is preceded in death by: three brothers, Kermit Messer, Arthur Messer and Leman Messer; and one sister, Hester Lawrence.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, October 29, 2013 at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals with Bro. Don Jones officiating. Burial was in the Piney Grove Cemetery.

Casketbearers were: Andy McKinney, Troy Harris, Austin Harris, Mike Owens, J. Harold Messer, Wendell Lawrence and J.C. Harris.

Expressions of sympathy can be made in the form of contributions to the Brodhead Baptist Church or Rockcastle Health and Rehabilitation activities.

Condolences to the family may be made at her online registry at marvineowensfuneralhome.com.

Alexander Caryk, Jr.

Alexander Caryk, Jr., 70, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, October 27, 2013 at the Hillcrest Nursing Home in Corbin.

Funeral services will be conducted (today) Thursday, October 31, 2013 at 1 p.m. at Pine Hill Holiness Church by Bro. Allen Hensley and Bro. George Baker. Burial will follow in the Red Hill Cemetery.

A full obituary will appear in next week's Signal.

Please visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.

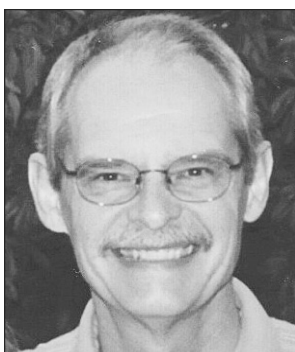
Classified deadline is 10 a.m. Tuesday

William M. "Bill" Gentry

William M. "Bill" Gentry, 86, husband of Jean, died Tuesday, October 29, 2013 at his residence in Brodhead.

Arrangements are incomplete and have been entrusted with the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's Signal.



Sammy Olan Roberts

Sammy Olan Roberts, 63, died Wednesday, October 23, 2013 at his home. He was born in Covington, December 30, 1949, a son of Gladys Clark Roberts of Brodhead, and the late Nathaniel Roberts.

He was a loving husband, father, grandfather and son.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by: his loving wife of 39 years, Mary Anderson Roberts; children, Jessica Roberts (Anthony) Citro of Gastonia, Theresa Ailene (Rondald) Samagaio of Concord, NC, Mary Elizabeth Roberts of Boone, NC, Philip Michael Roberts of Gastonia and Laura Katherine Roberts of Charlotte; grandchildren, Eric Anthony Citro and Vincent Michael Citro; brother, Ted Roberts of Brodhead; and several extended family members.

A Funeral Mass was held Monday, October 28, 2013 at Queen of the Apostles Catholic Church with Father Frank Cancro officiating.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Daniel Stowe Botanical Gardens, 6500 S. New Hope Rd., Belmont, NC 28012.

McLean Funeral Directors of Belmont is serving the Roberts family.

Share condolences with the family by visiting www.mcleanfuneral.com and signing the guestbook.

Brenda Lee Saylor

Brenda Lee Saylor, 57, of Mt. Vernon, died Tuesday, October 29, 2013 at the UK Medical Center in Lexington.

Funeral services for Ms. Saylor are incomplete at this time.

Arrangements are by Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

A full obituary will appear in next week's Signal.

Please visit www.DowellMartin.com to view online obituary.



Harold Robinson

Harold Robinson, 75, of Brodhead, died Saturday, October 26, 2013 at the Rockcastle Regional Hospital. He was born March 24, 1938 in Rockcastle County, the son of late Milton and Dorothy French Robinson. He was a retired foreman at Roberds Converting Company, and was a member of the Pentecostal faith.

Survivors are: his wife, Viola York Robinson of Brodhead; one daughter, Lisa Ann (Steve) Hoffmann of Fairfield, OH; seven step-brothers, Lee, and William Robinson, both of Hamilton, OH, Charles, Paul, and Carlos Robinson, all of East Bernstadt, Arnold Robinson of Anville, and Jim Bob Robinson of London; one grandson, Christopher (Emily) Hoffmann; one great grandson, Benjamin Hoffmann; and Sandy, his dog.

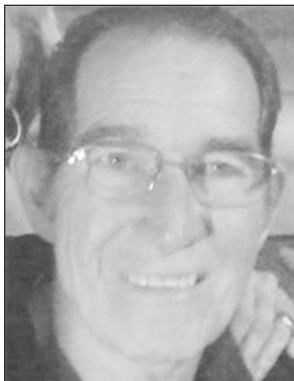
Funeral services were held Wednesday, October 30, 2013 at Cox Funeral Home with Bro. Elzie Doan officiating. Burial was in Saylor Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Steve Hoffmann, Bob Smith, Albert York, Mark McClure, Charles Robinson and William Taylor.

Honorary pallbearer was Christopher Hoffmann.

View the complete obituary, sign the guest registry, or send condolences to the family online at www.coxfuneralhomeky.com.

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Billy Ray Price

Billy Ray Price (Willie) 68, of Rockholds, and formerly of Mount Vernon, died Wednesday, October 23, 2013 at his home surrounded by his friends and family. He was born October 17, 1945 in Rockcastle County, to Marie Price Alcorn and the late, James Price.

Following his graduation from Rockcastle County High School, he married his wife of 46 years, Phyllis Zigos Price. He bravely served his country in Vietnam achieving the rank of Staff Sergeant in the U.S. Army, before returning home to build a family and successful career. He loved nothing more than spending time with a tool in his hand, fixing something in his garage or watching the Kentucky Wildcats play basketball.

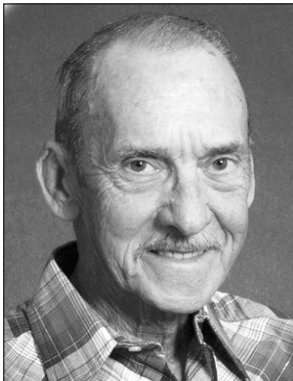
Including his wife and mother, he is survived by: a daughter, Angela Kirgan of Rockholds; a grandson, William Kirgan; a brother, Lee Price of Shelbyville; and a nephew, Terry Price of Louisville.

He was preceded in death by his father and a brother, Kenneth Earl Price.

Having recently celebrated his 68th birthday, Bill's family has decided to honor his final wish and not have a visitation or funeral service.

Croley Funeral Home of Williamsburg in charge of arrangements, J. Andrew Croley & Jerry W. Croley Directors.

Condolences may be made to the family at www.croleyfuneralhome.com.



Gary Wayne Baker

Gary Wayne Baker, 67, of Copper Creek, died Monday, October 28, 2013 at his home. He was born in Berea, October 8, 1946. He was the son of the late John and Lorene (Jones) Baker. He was a retired machine operator for the Trane Company having worked for the company for 35 years. He was a member of the Valley Baptist Church.

He is survived by: four daughters, Connie (Jeff) Thompson, Terri (Dennis) Foster, Jenny (Tommy) Schuler and Kimberly (Billy) Adams; best friend and former wife, Sue Chasteen Baker; four grandchildren, Scott (Samantha) Thompson, Kayla (Kyle) Isaacs, Brett Foster and Christopher Foster; and one great granddaughter, Kalisie Foster.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by two brothers, Jeff and Johnny Ray Baker and one sister, Sherry Turner.

Funeral services will be at 12 noon (today) Thursday, October 31, 2013 at Valley Baptst Church with Bro. Greg Lakes and Bro. Bobby Turner officiating. Burial will be in Wilmot Chapel Cemetery.

Visitation will be after 10 a.m. (today) Thursday at the Church.

Pallbearers are: Shane Miracle, Mike Callahan, John Nathan Baker, Rodger Linville, Mike McFerron, Brett and Christopher Foster and Anthony Anglin.

Honorary pallbearers are: Steve Rice and Bill Benge.

McKnight Funeral Home in charge of arrangements

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