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Thought for the Week: Nothing is a waste of time if you use the experience wisely. Rodin

PORK CHOP SUPPER

Your friends from the CHURCH AT MCNATT invite you to join us for a PORK CHOP SUPPER, SEPTEMBER 16 from 4:30 till 7:00 p.m. This annual event provides funding for various local needs. The meal features custom cut smoked pork chops accompanied by cheesy potatoes, green beans, applesauce, cookies and hot or cold drinks. The building is handicapped accessible. Come for good food and have a great time meeting old friends and making new friends. Pay what you wish. We are looking forward to your visit!

PLANT SALE

The Huntington County Master Gardeners will have a Fall Plant Sale on Saturday September 16 from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Forks of the Wabash. All are welcome to stop and see the selection of plants available as well as to learn more about fall planting. Proceeds from the sales of these plants will go for both scholarships and local projects throughout Huntington County. Ongoing projects for the Huntington County Master Gardeners include displays at Forks of the Wabash and Salamonie Reservoir.

SPIRITUAL RENEWAL

Van Buren UMC Fall Spiritual Renewal Sunday, September 17, through Tuesday, September 19 Van Buren United Methodist Church – 108 South Second Street, Van Buren, Indiana

The Master's Own Quartet - Chuck and Dottie Rhodes and Bernice Nelson from Fairmount Indiana, will be with us Sunday, Morning Sept 17 at 9:30 a.m. We will have a carry-in meal at 11:15 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall at Van Buren UMC. Plan to join us for worship, bring a covered dish and join us for lunch. Master's Own will be with us at 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, September 17. We will receive a love offering at each service to support the ministry of The Master's Own

The Kramers – Scott, Rachel West-Kramer, and Maria Kramer- Wolfe will join us Monday and Tuesday Evenings at 7:00 p.m. at Van Buren UMC. The Kramers will also be singing for the J.O.Y Club {Just Older Youth} on Tuesday afternoon at 12:45 p.m. We will receive a love offering on Monday and Tuesday evenings to also support the work of The Kramers.

Please invite your friends to come and join your for great music and to be renewed and inspired in your journey with Jesus Christ.

STREET FAIR PANCAKES

4-H Association volunteers have been busy making some final improvements on their Pancake & Sausage Booth for the annual Bluffton Street Fair, September 19–23.

2017 will mark the 68th year that 4-H has operated the booth. Through the years, the menu has remained the same, buttermilk pancakes, locally grown whole hog sausage and ham. The booth also sells grilled cheese sandwiches and sausage / ham sandwiches.

Of course, the booth could not exist without the numerous 4-H parents, grandparents, youth and other volunteers who give of their time to work in the booth.

With many people working during the day, 4-H relies on those 4-H alumni, retired grandparents, and home school families to assist with daytime shifts.

This year's booth will open at 5 PM on Tuesday evening. As the fair continues, the booth will open at 7 AM Wednesday through Saturday.

On Saturday, September 23, 4-H will also be serving sausage sandwiches at the Pony and Draft Horse Pull which begins at 11 AM at the Wells County 4-H Park.

Profits from the 4-H booth will once again go toward the purchase of ribbons for the fair and sending youth on educational 4-H trips and camps.



TWELVE ANGRY MEN

12 ANGRY MEN: Front Row (L-R) Tony Schafer, Dillon Higginbottom, Dylan McIntosh, John Cole
Back Row (L-R) Matt Stephenson, Michael Blaugher, Matt Smith, Jonathan Kierman

"Twelve Angry Men" runs September 15, 16, 17, 22, 23, 24. Friday and Saturday shows begin at 8:00 pm. Sunday shows begin at 4:00 pm. Tickets are \$15 for general admission and \$5 for children 12 & under. Reservations may be made at pulseoperahouse.org or by calling (260) 375-7017 and leaving a message. The Pulse Opera House is located at 127 1/2 N. Wayne St. in Warren, Indiana.

Anyone interested in volunteering with the booth should contact the Wells County Extension Office, 824-6412 or visit the web page at www.extension.purdue/wells. Volunteers can assist with a specific club or township shift or assist on the Thursday or Friday day shifts which includes volunteers from anywhere. If you can't assist but want to help, consider a donation to help with the cost of the pancake flour and syrup. Checks

should be made to: Wells County 4-H, 1240 4-H Park Road, Bluffton.

So enjoy this year's Bluffton Street Fair and be a part of the tradition by enjoying some 4-H Pancakes and Sausage.

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LIFE IS SHORT, LIKE A VAPOR THAT VANISHES AFTER A LITTLE WHILE

A old man stomped angrily into a jewelry shop and waved his wristwatch in the face of the owner.

"You said this watch would last me a lifetime," he yelled.
 "Yes, I did," the owner acknowledged. "But you looked pretty sickly the day you bought it."

Taking a guess at how long someone might live is risky business. Read the obituary page of any newspaper and you find that people of every age are leaving this side of eternity every day. Some are young. Some are middle-aged. Some are elderly.

The Bible speaks into every human issue, including longevity, concluding that even if we live to very old age, life is short.

"What is your life? It is a vapor that appears for a little while and then vanishes" (James 4:14).

People who live into their 80s, 90s and beyond all tell you the same thing, that it seems like just yesterday that they were children, chasing fireflies, catching crawdads, fishing with their fathers, doing all the fun things kids do.

Some people might consider such a discussion as this as morbid, but for followers of Christ, it's anything but, because they have the promise of life after death in a place called Heaven. Scripture tells us what a beautiful and peaceful place it is.

"Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither has entered into the heart of man what God has prepared for those who love Him" (1 Corinthians 2:9).

Jesus has made clear that good things await those who follow Him. My friend Junior Grisham lived his life as a follower of Christ. And, in his final days on this earth, he took great comfort in knowing that he would soon be in Heaven.

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www.hillcrestnazchurch.org
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
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 Wed. Midweek Service..... 6:30 p.m.

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 Contemporary Service - Wed 6:30 p.m.
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 Youth Meetings-Wed 6:30 p.m.
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 Worship 10:15 a.m.
 Wed Bible Study 6:00 p.m.
- FARRVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH**
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 Sunday Worship..... 10:30 am
 Sunday School Classes9:30 am
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 Sunday Adult Bible Study..... 6:00 pm
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AREA NEWS

FREE PHONE BOOKS

Hot off the Press! New copies of your local 2017-2018 AdamsWells Phone Book are NOW available at the Warren Pharmacy. This Adams & Wells Counties Telephone directory covers Berne, Bluffton, Craigville, Decatur, Geneva, Keystone, Liberty Center, Linn Grove, Markle, Monroe, Monroeville, Montpelier, Ossian, Petroleum, Pleasant Mills, Poe-Hoagland, Preble, Tocsin, Uniondale, Warren & Zanesville. What a great resource of Business and Residential phone numbers to have at home and in your vehicle.

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FALL BAZAAR

Please come and enjoy "Sweetest Day" on October 21, from 9am-2pm at Solid Rock UMC, located at 485 Bennett Drive, Warren. Local Crafters will be hosting booths and displaying their products. Jewelry & Pottery by Liz Bolinger, Painted Slates by Cindy Boxell, Soy Wax Candles & Melts by Martina Cocklin will be there for your purchasing. Stay tuned

weekly...Highlighting more Craft Vendors! Please bring your "Sweetest" to Lunch starting at 10am, and purchase a dessert and more from the Baked Goods Booth! Please call 375-3873 if you have any questions.

PHARMACY HOURS

Your Pharmacist, Terry Daniels, is required to routinely complete Continuing Education. He will attend the Indiana Pharmacists Alliance Annual Convention. Due to this Pharmacy Continuing Education event on Saturday, September 30th, the Warren Pharmacy will not be open that day.

The Warren Pharmacy will be OPEN normal hours FRIDAY September 29th and MONDAY October 2nd, 9AM - 5:30PM but will not be open on SATURDAY September 30th

Every Pharmacist, licensed in the State of Indiana, must acquire 30 hours of continuing education credit every 2 years. Ask your pharmacist about these topics, or what (s)he's been researching recently.

PLEASE call the Pharmacy (260) 375-2135 or home, and leave a message your refill order and phone number.

We thank you for bearing with this inconvenience. It is a privilege to serve the Warren community.

HP POOL

Congratulations to Heritage Pointe pool winners last week who were Bud and Wilma Lee. Runners-up were Phil Boxell and Ruth Swanson. There were 26 players this week.

Good luck to all for next week.

SENIOR GOLF

Thursday Sept. 7th Senior Golf League Results:

1st Place : Dave Stamper, Steve Laymon, John Jones posted a -5 score of 31

2nd Place : Dave Scheib, Richard Bradford, Don Bauer, Mark Laymon also posted a -5 score of 31

(backed-up from #6 hole for tie breaker)

Closest to #3 pin winner : Mark Laymon

Closest to #6 pin winner : Don Carroll

Longest Drive on #7 (over 70) winner : Dave Stamper

Longest Drive on #8 (under 70) winner: Don Bauer

Thanks to "East of Chicago Pizza" for sponsoring this weeks golf ball giveaway prizes. There were 30 participants with 3 "Smiley" award chances available, which went unclaimed. Sign up begins @ 8:30 with tee-off @ 9:00. Everyone is Welcome.

DARE TO DREAM

Dare to Dream Youth Ranch has announced the date for its annual fall festival fundraiser.

The event will be held October 21st from 1:00-4:00 p.m., at Dare to Dream Youth Ranch, 6020 West Wallen Road, Fort Wayne, IN 46818, and will feature a wide range of activities and opportunities for families to experience the facilities and benefits the ranch and its programs have to offer.

"The festival is always a great time for families and each year is bigger, so we're expecting a great turnout," said Jim Buck, Executive Director at Dare to Dream Youth Ranch. "We'll have horse rides, hayrides, prizes, games, a silent auction and

more. Longtime supporters John Curran and Renegade will be here to provide live music, too. It's a great opportunity for families to come, have fun and catch the vision of our ranch and how it can help kids who need it most."

At the conclusion of the event, ranch volunteers will lead the horses in a runway walk with the horses wearing special costumes for the event. The event is open to the public and media are invited.

About Dare to Dream Youth Ranch

Dare to Dream Youth Ranch serves Fort Wayne and the surrounding area by offering children the opportunity to experience a horse ranch, learning the values of integrity, leadership and compassion, through hard work, cooperation and caring for horses in a supervised and supportive environment. The ranch rescues and rehabilitates abused and neglected horses and integrates them into the ranch program.

www.daretodreamyouthranch.com

BIRTHING CENTER OPEN HOUSE

The prospect of becoming a mom – for the first time or again – can be joyous, but a bit intimidating as well. It helps to have a supportive team around you to guide and encourage you.

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Sep 18	6:30p	KBC Board Meeting at KBC
Sep 20	7:00p	V - Town Council Meeting
Oct 2	5:00p	Veteran's Banquet @ Banquo Christian Church
Oct 4	Noon	W - Chamber Luncheon at Assembly Hall
Oct 4	7:00p	V - Town Council Meeting
Oct 9		Columbus Day
Oct 9	5:00p	W - Town Council Meeting, Assembly Hall
Oct 16	6:30p	W - KBC Board Meeting, at KBC
Oct 18	7:00p	V - Town Council Meeting

Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 2 - 4:00pm & 6 - 8:00p.m. at KBC
 Bargain Basement - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC ; Cancer Support Group - 3rd Tuesday 6:30-8p.m. at Bluffton Regional South Campus
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and women considering motherhood in the near future, to an informal open house on Thursday, September 28, from 4 to 6:30 p.m.

Guests at the event can tour the hospital's Family Birthing Center and meet the team of dedicated, compassionate nurses, including birth planner and lactation consultant Angie Swanson. In addition, moms-to-be can chat with two clinical professionals who are seeing new female patients of all ages (and delivering babies):

Ryan Allen, DO, Parkview Physicians Group – Family Medicine
Shelly Boone, NP, CNM (certified nurse midwife), Parkview Physicians Group – OB/GYN

Establishing a relationship with caring healthcare providers is key to fostering a healthy pregnancy for both mom and baby. Good nutrition and exercise are, too, so a clinical dietitian and an exercise specialist will offer helpful eating and exercise tips.

And what mom doesn't need a little pampering? Guests will enjoy a chair massage courtesy of a Parkview Huntington physical therapist, as well as delicious sweet and savory

treats. They can even create a take-home aromatherapy favor and enter to win a prize drawing.

The Family Birthing Center offers free childbirth and breastfeeding classes, as well as sibling classes to help big brothers and sisters understand their new role when baby comes home. Information will be available on these classes, as well as comfort measures during labor, ways to personalize each mom's birthing experience to reflect her wishes and needs, and many other maternity-related topics.

The open house will take place in the lower-level classrooms at Parkview Huntington Hospital, 2001 Stults Road, Huntington.

Space is limited. Reservations are required. Call 260-355-3311 by noon on September 27 to reserve a spot so you can find out about the benefits of becoming a Parkview Mom.

HARVEST SEASON IS COMING

Be Alert. Slow Down. Share the Road. That's the important safety message coming from several state agencies, who are urging motorists to watch out for slow-moving farm

equipment this harvest season.

"There are 57,700 farming operations in Indiana and more than 14 million acres of farmland," said Lt. Governor Suzanne Crouch. "It's important for all motorists, especially those that live in rural areas, to take their time and drive carefully around slow-moving farm equipment. This harvest season, our goal is to make sure that every Hoosier reaches their destination safely and with plenty of time to spare."

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, farm equipment vehicles (other than trucks) were involved in 87 fatal crashes across the nation. In addition, a survey conducted by the Census Bureau claims that while less than 20 percent of the U.S. population lives in rural areas, more than half of all traffic fatalities nationwide occurred in those parts.

"Harvesting crops, hauling grain or transporting other agricultural products makes this a busy time of the year

for rural Indiana," said Ted McKinney, Indiana State Department of Agriculture Director. "Farmers on roadways are going to and from work just like everyone else, and far too often incidents occur that could've been avoided if people just exercised a little caution, courtesy and common sense."

The following list includes several safety tips for motorists approaching large farm equipment:

Be alert. The red triangle on the back of an implement, farm machinery or other vehicle indicates a slow-moving vehicle (under 25 mph).

Be patient. It only takes five seconds for a motorist driving 55 mph to close a gap the length of a football field when approaching a tractor moving at 15 mph. Avoid tailgating, as some farm equipment might have to make sudden stops along the road.

Share the Road. Farm equipment is wide, sometimes taking up most of the roadway, so be careful and slow down when passing.

Do not try to pass a slow-moving vehicle on the left without ensuring that the vehicle is not planning a left turn. It may appear that the driver is pulling over for you to pass when it is actually preparing to turn. You will drive right into its path, endangering yourself and the farmer.

Do not pass if you are in a designated "No Passing Zone" or within 100 feet of any intersection, railroad grade crossing, bridge, elevation structure, or tunnel.

"Being prepared is a great way to avoid the tragedy and expense of a collision with farm equipment," said Indiana Department of Homeland Security Executive Director Bryan Langley.

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GENEALOGY REPORT

WILEY

H. Joan Wiley, 92, of Warren, IN, died Thursday, Sept. 7, 2017, at Heritage Pointe of Warren.

Mrs. Wiley attended the First Baptist Church, in Warren.

She was born Sept. 18, 1924, in Amboy to Ezra Wendell and Esther Josephine Lamb. She married Harmon D. Wiley in 1945, and he preceded her in death in 2001.

Survivors include a son, Rex (Diane) Wiley, of Indianapolis; a sister, Marilyn Fordyce, of Tallahassee, FL; a granddaughter, Carli (Reid) Thompson, of Maple Grove, MN; and five great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held on Sunday, Oct. 1, 2017, at 11:30 a.m. at Heritage Pointe's Applegate Chapel, in Warren, with Rev. Edwin Clark officiating.

Memorial gifts may be made to Disabled American Veterans online at DAV.org or by mail to DAV, PO Box 14301, Cincinnati, OH 45250.

Glancy-H. Brown & Son Funeral Home, Warren, is in charge of arrangements.

WILHELM

Thais R. Wilhelm, 87, of Huntington, IN, died Saturday, Sept. 9, 2017, at 4:50 a.m. at Tipton Place, in Huntington.

Mrs. Wilhelm served as Huntington County sheriff for 10 years and was the first elected female sheriff in Indiana. She retired from the Huntington County Sheriff's Department, where she had worked for a total of 36 years. She had also served as Huntington County assessor and Huntington Township assessor and worked at the Huntington License Branch.

A 1947 graduate of Huntington High School, she was a lifetime member of Central Christian Church. She served on the boards of directors for The Salvation Army, Youth Service Bureau, REMC and ABWA of Huntington County.

She was born Dec. 19, 1929, in Huntington to Homer Sr. and Leila Getz Carl. She married Ivan E. Wilhelm on

June 19, 1949, at Central Christian Church, in Huntington, and he survives.

Additional survivors include three daughters, Leslie (Allen) Myers, of Fishers; Jennifer (Ken) Koch, of North Royalton, OH; and Lisa (Rick) Fusselman, of Huntington; two sisters, Janice Eller, of Mentone, and Catherine Stayner, of Huntington; eight grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Calling is Saturday, Sept. 16, 2017, from noon to 4 p.m., with a service following at 4 p.m., at Central Christian Church, 500 MacGahan St., Huntington. Rev. Chris Hayden will officiate. Burial will be at Mt. Etna Cemetery, Huntington County.

Memorial gifts may be made to Central Christian Church in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 W. Park Drive, Huntington, IN 46750.

WINEGART

Katharine June Winegart, 98, of Warren, IN, passed away on Sunday, September 10, 2017 at Heritage Pointe in Warren, IN.



She was born on Monday, June 23, 1919, in Roanoke, IN. Katharine was a 1937 graduate of Roanoke High School and a 1938 graduate of International Business College of Ft. Wayne. She loved to fish, sew and

crochet. She made beautiful table cloths and clothing throughout her lifetime. Katharine was a member of the Zanesville United Methodist Church, and was a long time organist there. She was a former member of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include: Daughter - Ellen S. (Gary) Bowersock, Yoder, IN, Daughter-in-law - LaVonne Smith Sparrow, Crown Point, IN, 5 Grandchildren and 9 Great Grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her: Father - John C. Nussdorfer, Mother - Edna Fern (Crabbs) Nussdorfer, Husbands-Maurice Barnes, Max W. Smith, and Elwood "Al" Winegart, Sons - Durand L. "Randy" Smith and Walter Brooks Smith, Sister - Betty J. Short.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Heritage Pointe Applegate Chapel 801 Huntington Ave. Warren on Friday, September 15, 2017 from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM.

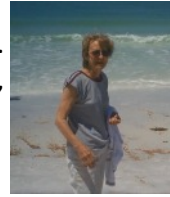
A service to celebrate Katharine's life will be at Heritage Pointe Applegate Chapel at 10:00 AM on Saturday, September 16, 2017 with Chaplain Gerald Moreland officiating. Interment will follow in the St. Peters 1st. United Church of Christ Cemetery in Huntington.

Preferred memorials: Heritage Pointe, 801 Huntington Avenue Warren,

IN 46792 or Zanesville United Methodist Church, 11811 Wayne St. Zanesville, IN 46799

MCCOLLUM

Paula L. McCollum, 74, of Keystone Township, Wells County),



passed away at 3:04 p.m. Monday, Sept. 4, 2017, at River Terrace Estates in Bluffton.

She was born Wednesday, May 5, 1943, in Happy, Ky. She married Arthur L. McCollum on Saturday, May 13, 1961, in Angola; he passed away on Jan. 12, 2012.

Paula formerly worked at CTS and Berne Apparel, and Peyton's in Bluffton. She enjoyed walking and attended the Church of the Living God in Dunkirk.

Survivors include brother, Phillip (Beatrice) Burns of Rydal, Ga.; brother, Adrian (Doris) Burns of Bluffton; brother, Denver (Tammy) Burns of Georgia; brother, Danny (Lisa) Burns of Warren; sister, Eunice (Donald Lee) West of Bluffton; sister, Joyce Morgan of Pennville; sister, Mary (Roger) Raugh of Geneva; sister, Christine Eisenhut of Bluffton; sister, Charlene Gobernatz of Markle; sister, Cora Meadows of Bluffton; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Polly Combs Burns; father, Fred D. Burns Sr.; husband, Arthur L.

McCollum; sister, Margaret Bailey; brother, Fred D. Burns, Jr.; and sister, Carol Hurt.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember from 5 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7, and from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8 at Downing & Glancy Funeral Home in Geneva.

A service to celebrate Paula's life will be at 1 p.m. Friday at Downing & Glancy Funeral Home, with Pastor Keith Prough officiating. Interment will follow in the Riverside Cemetery in Geneva.

Preferred memorials to Bluffton-Wells County Animal Shelter, 1613 W. Cherry St., Bluffton, IN 46714

FREDS

Bryce S. Freds, 94, of Fort Myers, Fla., passed away on Tuesday, Aug. 22, 2017, at Joanne's House at Hope Hospice in Bonita Springs, Fla.

He was born Feb. 28, 1923, in Huntington, to Carl and Murial Summers Freds. He married Avis L. Allred on April 22, 1943, in Warren; she preceded him in death on July 22, 2010.

He graduated from Rockcreek High School, Class of 1941. A lifelong farmer, he sold seed corn, and was a DeKalb dealer and district manager.

He was a member of Turnpointe Community Church of the Brethren in Markle.

Bryce enjoyed playing cards

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every day, and also going fishing for bluegills. He spent the last 30 years of his life living in Florida.

He is survived by a son, Larry (companion, Roberta McKinley) Freds of Fort Myers, Fla.; eight grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

An only child, Bryce was preceded in death by two sons, Darrell Freds in 1996, and Mark Freds in 1976.

A service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, at Turnpointe Community Church of the Brethren, 500 W. Logan St., Markle, with Pastor Mike Schroyer officiating. Friends will be received at the church one hour prior to the service. Burial will be in the Star of Hope Cemetery.

Memorials to the Salvation Army and the Markle Fish and Game Club.

PEREZ

Judy Perez, 57, of Fort Wayne, IN, passed away at 6:12 AM on Tuesday,

September 5, 2017 at Hospice Home in Fort Wayne, IN.

She was born on Sunday, September 20, 1959, in Fort Wayne, IN.

Loving Survivors Include: Sons - Mercy Perez, Fort Wayne, IN, Thomas Perez, Fort Wayne, IN, Daughter - Percilla Agular, Fort Wayne, IN, Sisters - Ann Narvaiz, Benita Ortiz, and 2 Grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her Father - Daniel Perez, and Mother - Maria (Gonzalez) Garcia.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Glancy - H. Brown & Son Funeral Home 203 N Matilda St. Warren on Saturday, September 16, 2017 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM. A memorial service to



celebrate Judy's life will follow at 12:00 PM with Pastor Mike Ridsen officiating.

SMITH

Sherrie L. Smith, 57, of Marion, IN, passed away on Friday, September 8, 2017 at her residence in Marion, IN.

She was born on Sunday, November 8, 1959, in Grant County, IN. She married Greg Smith on Wednesday, May 18, 1977 in Marion, IN. Sherrie graduated from Marion High School. She had worked at Dunham's Distribution in Marion. Sherrie enjoyed reading, sewing, and working with her flowers.

Loving Survivors Include: Husband - Greg Smith, Marion, IN, Son - Greg Alan Smith, Jr., and Daughter - Amanda Lane Smith.

She was preceded in death by her Mother - Jackie (Burr)



Brown and Father - Richard P. Brown.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Grace Community Church 1810 E. Bradford Pike Marion, on Monday, September 11, 2017 from 11:00AM to 1:00PM. A service to celebrate Sherrie's life will follow at 1:00PM with Mark Hummel officiating. Interment will follow in the Farrville Cemetery in rural Grant Co.

Arrangements are being handled by Ferguson & Glancy Funeral Home in Van Buren.

SMITHLEY

Joy Yvonne Smithley, age 63, of Huntington, died at 4:08 p.m. Sunday, September 10, 2017 at Visiting Nurse and Hospice Home in Fort Wayne.

Visitation will be from 3 - 7 p.m. on Wednesday, September 13, 2017 at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana. Funeral services will be held

at 10 a.m. Thursday, September 14, 2017 at Bailey-Love Mortuary with Pastor Charles Moore officiating. Burial will be in Gardens of Memory in Huntington County.

Preferred memorials are to Tree of Life Ministries, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Joy was born on October 6, 1953 in Corona, California, the daughter of Billy and Laura Mae (Stanley) Smithley Sr. She graduated from Huntington North High School in 1972 and worked as a winder at Square D in Huntington for over 35 years. Joy was a member of Tree of Life Ministries in Marion and loved helping people. She enjoyed cooking and had a knack for matchmaking. She was very loving.

Survivors include two sons - Ronald (Alissa) Smithley and Gary (Sarha) Smithley, both

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KIDS CLUB
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of Huntington; four brothers – Jerry (Carol) Smithley of Logansport, Rex (Cheryl) Smithley of Fort Wayne, Bob (Patty) Smithley of Markle, and Tim (Lynn) Smithley of Huntington; a sister – Greta (Bill) Lesh of Huntington; a sister-in-law – Carolyn Smithley of Markle; seven grandchildren, and a great grandchild. Her parents and a brother, Bill Smithley Jr., precede her in death.



80 YEARS

Homer and Jane Kline (currently of Warren, Indiana) will be married for 80 years on September 15, 2017.

They both grew up near Andrews where they met as young adults and married September 15, 1937.

Homer Kline is a retired physics teacher from the Fort Wayne schools. He is also a World War II Veteran.

Jane Kline is retired from the Singer Company and was the owner of the Double Dip in Lagro, Indiana in the late 1930's and 1940's.

Niece: Vickie Kline Craker and Ron, Granger, Indiana

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“Allow plenty of time to get to your destination, be aware of alternate routes and avoid distractions, such as eating and cell phone use that may take your focus away from the road and any farm vehicles that are traveling near you.”

Most farmers will pull over when they are able to let you pass, but it may take time for

them to get to a safe place to do so.

“Motorists, farmers, and transportation workers all share the road and we all share a common goal – arrive home safely every day,” said Joe McGuinness, Commissioner of the Indiana Department of Transportation. “Hoosiers should be prepared to encounter slow-moving farm vehicles, especially on rural, two-lane roads now through November.”

By state law, farm equipment must have the nationally designated slow-moving vehicle sign – a red triangle-shaped reflector – to warn oncoming drivers that their equipment is on the road. These vehicles often travel at speeds no higher than 25 mph.

Indiana State Police Superintendent Doug Carter said, “It’s easy to take for granted the food we want is always at the grocery store.” Carter continued, “So when you see farmers out working and moving from field to field, be patient as they work to harvest the food and grain needed to help feed our communities and the world.”

OWL WORKSHOP

Learn about owls and ways to help with their conservation at the Autumn Owls Workshop at Ouabache State Park on Saturday, Sept. 23.

The workshop runs from 2 to 5:30 p.m. at Campview Shelter in the middle of Campground A.

Participants can attend as many workshop activities as they’d like. The workshop’s activities are:

—2 p.m., Ouabache Owls: Learn about three common owls in Indiana; meet live owls up close; and make an owl call to take home.

—3:30 p.m., What a Hoot: Play a game that combines tag with true-false trivia questions about nature. All ages are welcome.

—4:30 p.m., In Your Own Backyard: Build a screech owl nest box to take home. Each family should register in advance by Sept. 16 by contacting interpretive

naturalist Teresa Rody at trody@dnr.IN.gov or (260) 468-2127. Cost per family is \$15. Supplies are limited.

Regular park entrance fees of \$7 per in-state vehicle and \$9 per out-of-state vehicle apply.

The workshop is free and does not require registration except for the screech owl box building activity.

Ouabache State Park (stateparks.IN.gov/2975.htm) is at 4930 E. St. Rd. 201, Bluffton, 46714.

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The hope he had was in God’s word, which says: “Let not your heart be troubled: you believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father’s house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there you may be also” (John 14:1-3).

We may not know whether we’ll outlive our wristwatches on this side of eternity. But we can know that we will have everlasting life if we have placed our trust in Jesus.

Roger Alford offers words of encouragement to residents of America’s heartland. Reach him at rogeralford1@gmail.com.

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