

Deadline for submitting obituaries is 10:30 a.m. Monday through Friday

Wednesday, November 1, 2017 3A

## Louise Hackworth

MENTONE — Louise Hackworth, 86, Raymore, Mo., formerly of Mentone, died at 3:37 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 26, 2017, at Beautiful Savior Nursing Home, Belton, Mo.

She was born Nov. 16, 1930, in Beaver Dam, to Andrew Jackson and Audrey Irene Lackey Konkle. On Sept. 1, 1953, in Warsaw, she was married to Gordon Hackworth; he preceded on Nov. 12, 2011.



She had been the classified ads manager for the TIMES-UNION, Warsaw.

She was a Mentone High School graduate and attended First Baptist Church, Mentone. She was very active in the Kosciusko County Republican Party, serving as committeeman. She also was a member of the Palestine Busy Bees.

Survivors include a daughter, Debra (husband Mark) Hunter, Port Huron, Mich.; a son, Brett (wife Sue) Hackworth, Raymore; grandchildren: Shane and Heather Hunter, Lauren (Hackworth) Hitchens and Trevor Hackworth; and great-grandchildren: Zoey, Eliot and Finlee Hunter and Gabby Hunter.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Andrew and Audrey Irene Konkle; a sister, Doris Summers; and a brother, the Rev. Earl Konkle.

Services will be at 3 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 4, at King Memorial Home, 101 N. Tucker St. Mentone. The Rev. Jerry Walden will officiate. Burial will be in Mentone Cemetery.

Visitation will be from 1 to 3 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home.

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Memorials to Serenity Care Hospice, 1626 East Elm, Harrisonville, MO 64701.

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Nov 1, 2017*

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Times Union  
July 19, 2017

### **Rhonda Hackworth**

Rhonda Hackworth, 48, Burket, passed away at 12:55 p.m. July 16, 2017, in her residence.

She was born Nov. 17, 1968, in Warsaw, to Tom and Lula Foley Burkett.

A lifetime resident of Kosciusko County, she was a student at Ivy Tech, Warsaw.

Survivors include her mother, Lula Burkett, Burket; birth daughter, Cora Warner, Warsaw; sisters, Sondra (Robert) Warner, Burket, and Suzanne (Brad) Bibler, Warsaw; and brothers: Tom Burkett, Warsaw; Glenn (Donna) Burkett, Barbee Lake; and David Burkett, Tippecanoe.

She was preceded by her father.

Private family services will be conducted.

McHatton-Sadler Funeral Chapel, Warsaw, is entrusted with arrangements.

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Memorials to K21 Health Foundation, 2170 North Pointe Drive, Warsaw, IN 46582.

To sign the guest register or leave condolences electronically, go to [mchattonsadlerfuneralchapels.com](http://mchattonsadlerfuneralchapels.com).

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States. It covers the period from  
1783 to 1800.

### **Jacalyn Haist**

MENTONE — Jacalyn L. Haist, 62, Mentone, died at 4:35 p.m. Wednesday, July 19, 2017, in Mentone.

She was born March 11, 1955, in Adrian, Mich., to Paul R. and Eva Mae Loker Haist.

She was a 1973 graduate of Mentone High School.

A memorial service will be at 5:30 p.m. Monday, with calling one hour prior, at Mentone United Methodist Church, 116 E. Main St., Mentone. Pastor Jason Rice will officiate.

Arrangements are entrusted to King Memorial Home, Mentone.

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July 21, 2017

## Obituaries

### Jacalyn L. Haist

Jacalyn L. Haist, 62, Mentone, died Wednesday in Mentone.

Survivors include her daughter, Meredith Adams, Mentone; her mother, Eva Mae Haist, Mentone; and her brothers, Herb Haist, Mentone, and Randy Haist, Brookville, Ohio.

Her memorial service is 5:30 p.m. Monday at Mentone United Methodist Church, 116 E. Main St. Visitation is 4:30 p.m. to the time of the service Monday at the church. Arrangements

are handled by King Memorial Home.

## Paul R. Haist

MENTONE — Paul R. Haist, 92, Mentone, died at 9:20 a.m. Nov. 22, 2016, at Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne.

He was born Aug. 24, 1924, in Hersey, Mich., to Herbert and Lena Haist Haist.

On Oct. 5 1946, in Hersey, he married Eva Mae Loker. She survives.

He was farmer, agri-businessman and real estate agent. He owned the Agri-Center feed and grain elevator, Mentone, for 25 years.

He was a graduate of Hersey High School and attended Michigan State University. He was a 4-H leader and a Sunday school teacher. He was a member of Mentone United Methodist Church and the Mentone Lions Club. He hosted the Michigan Beef Tour and had received MSU awards for agricultural output.

Survivors include his wife, Eva Mae Haist, Mentone; a daughter, Jacalyn Haist, Mentone; two sons, Herb Haist, Mentone, and Randy Haist, Dayton, Ohio; and a granddaughter, Meredith (husband Travis Adams), Mentone.

He was preceded by a son; his parents; and a brother, Glen.

A memorial service is planned for 10:30 a.m. Monday at Mentone United Methodist Church, 116 E. Main St., Mentone, with Pastor Jason Rice officiating.

A graveside service will take place at a later date in the Hersey Village Cemetery.

Arrangements are entrusted to King Memorial Home, Mentone.

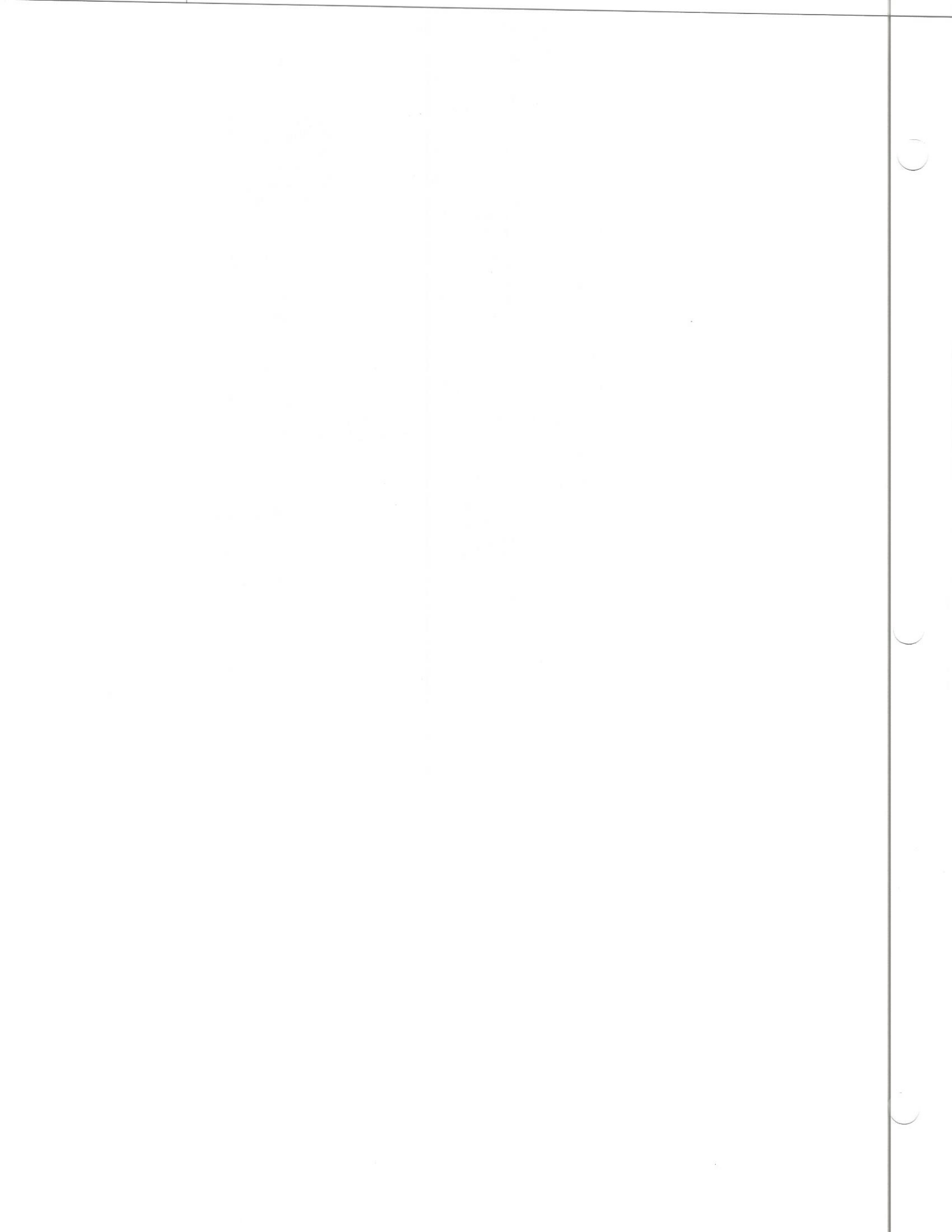
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Memorials to Heifer International, Attn: Donor Services, P.O. Box 8058, Little Rock, AR 72203, [fundraise.heifer.org/paulhaist](http://fundraise.heifer.org/paulhaist).

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Nov 25, 2016





## Frances Hampshire

Frances Hampshire, 70, Warsaw, passed away at 9:50 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 20, 2018, in her residence.

She was born July 26, 1947, in Louisville, Ky., to Sherman and Irene Hack Hack, who both preceded her.

A 41-year resident of Warsaw, she was united in marriage to Marvin L. Hampshire in Fort Wayne on April 12, 1964. Marvin preceded her on Sept. 24, 2006.

She was formerly employed by Dalton Foundries, Warsaw, as a core maker, and was self-employed as a baby sitter and home cleaner.

Survivors include her daughters, Pamela S. (spouse Roland) McFadden, Burket, and Tina (spouse Steve) Leiter, Boulder City, Colo.; and sons, Bryan (companion Rachel Skinner) Hampshire, Warsaw, and Anthony (spouse Tuttie) Hampshire, Ville Platte, La. In addition, a brother, Gary (spouse Giselle) Hack, Houston, Texas, and a sister, Linda (spouse Leroy) Jones, Coldwater, Mich., survive. She was blessed with 10 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Services will be private with J. Brian Lowe officiating. Interment will be in Oakwood Cemetery, Warsaw.

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Memorials to Kosciusko Home Care and Hospice, 1515 Provident Drive, Warsaw, IN 46580.

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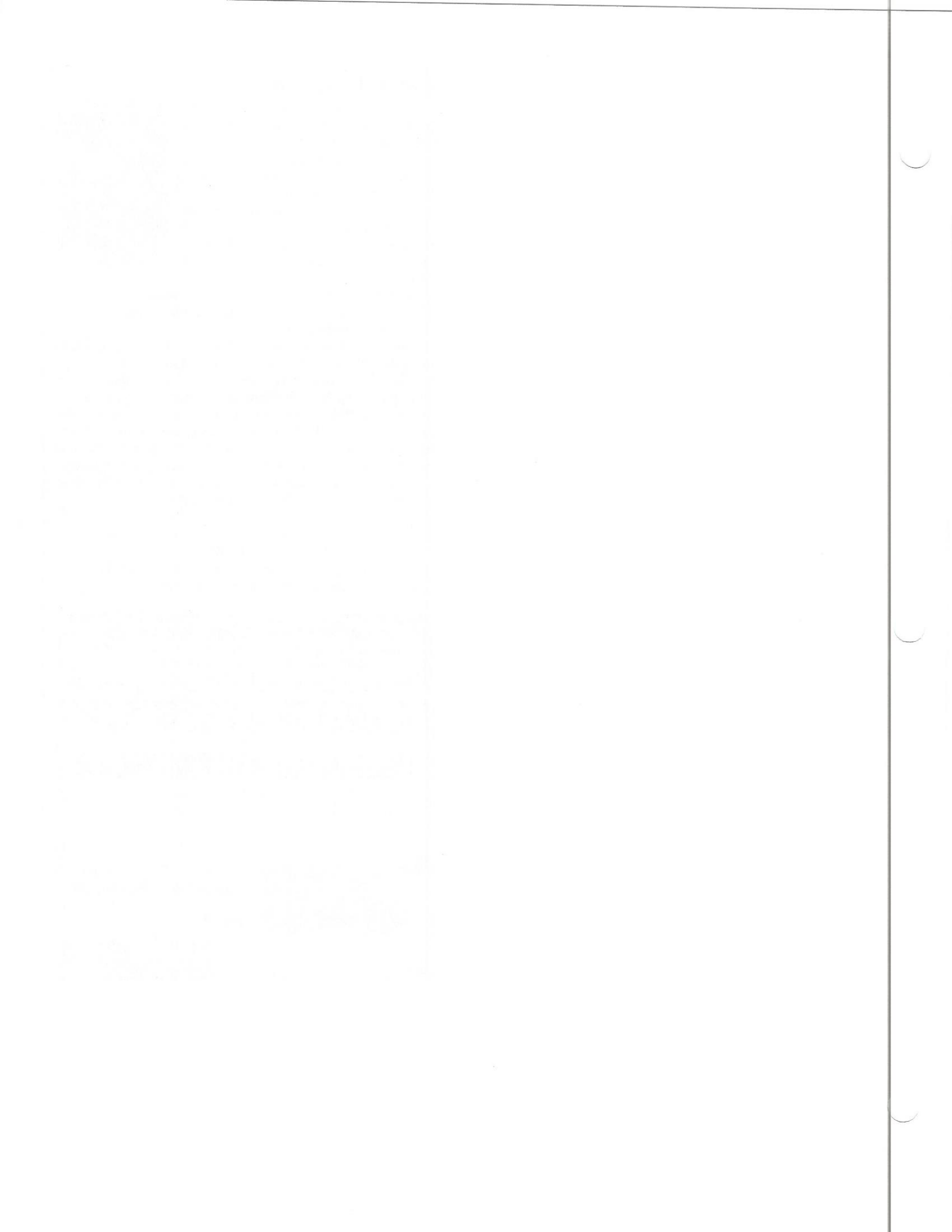
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## William F. 'Bill' Hand

William F. "Bill" Hand, 89, Winona Lake, passed away at his residence surrounded by family at 10:55 a.m. Nov. 23, 2016.



He was born in Elkhart on Sept. 27, 1927, to Charles E. and Minnie Helbling Hand. He was married on June 30, 1948, to Mary Leedy, who preceded him in 1969. On Dec. 5, 1987, he was married to Elaine L. Stoner, who survives.



While growing up, he attended Atwood, Claypool and Mentone schools. He served in the U.S. Army at the end of World War II, and was stationed in Fort Lewis, Wash., serving in the military police. After his honorable discharge, he returned to Indiana and began a nearly 20-year career at Zimmer. In 1956, he founded Hand Industries in Warsaw, and remained on the board of directors after his retirement in 1992.

During his career, he was involved in starting many new businesses. He always had an entrepreneurial spirit and enjoyed working with people.

He was an active member of the Free Methodist Church in Winona Lake for nearly seven decades; he loved attending church and served on many boards there. Throughout his life, he served the Lord joyfully and shared Christ with friends and employees. He had a passion for helping those less fortunate.

He will be remembered by many for his hunting and fishing adventures. In his later years, Bill and Elaine enjoyed wintering on the Alabama coast, where they formed many special friendships.

He will be lovingly missed by his wife, Elaine Hand, Winona Lake, and his three children: a daughter, Sharon Hand, St. Louis, Mo.; and two sons, Ron (spouse Susan) Hand Orlando, Fla., and Terry (spouse Terese) Hand, Warsaw. Also surviving are his brother, John E. (spouse Shirley) Hand, Warsaw; five grandchildren: Lydia (spouse Chris) Vaughn, Auburn, Wash.; JoAnna (spouse Paul) Williams, Orlando; Christine Hand, Meggett, S.C.; Cara Hand, Kanab, Utah; and Elizabeth Hand, Philadelphia, Pa.; and three great-grandchildren: Isabelle, Regent and Julianna Williams.

He was preceded by his parents; three brothers: Ferdinand, Leon and Edward; and his sister, Dorothy.

His funeral will be at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Winona Lake Free Methodist Church, 902 College Ave., Winona Lake, officiated by Pastor Henry Church assisted by Pastor Paul Parker. A private graveside service will be held at a later date at Oakwood Cemetery, Warsaw.

Visitation will be from 2 to 4 and 5 to 7 p.m. Tuesday at Redpath-Fruth Funeral Home, 225 Argonne Road, Warsaw, and an hour before the service Wednesday at the church.

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Memorials to Winona Lake Free Methodist Church, 902 College Ave., Winona Lake, IN 46590, and would be appreciated by the family.

Online condolences may be sent at [www.redpathfruthfuneralhome.com](http://www.redpathfruthfuneralhome.com).

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Nov 28, 2014

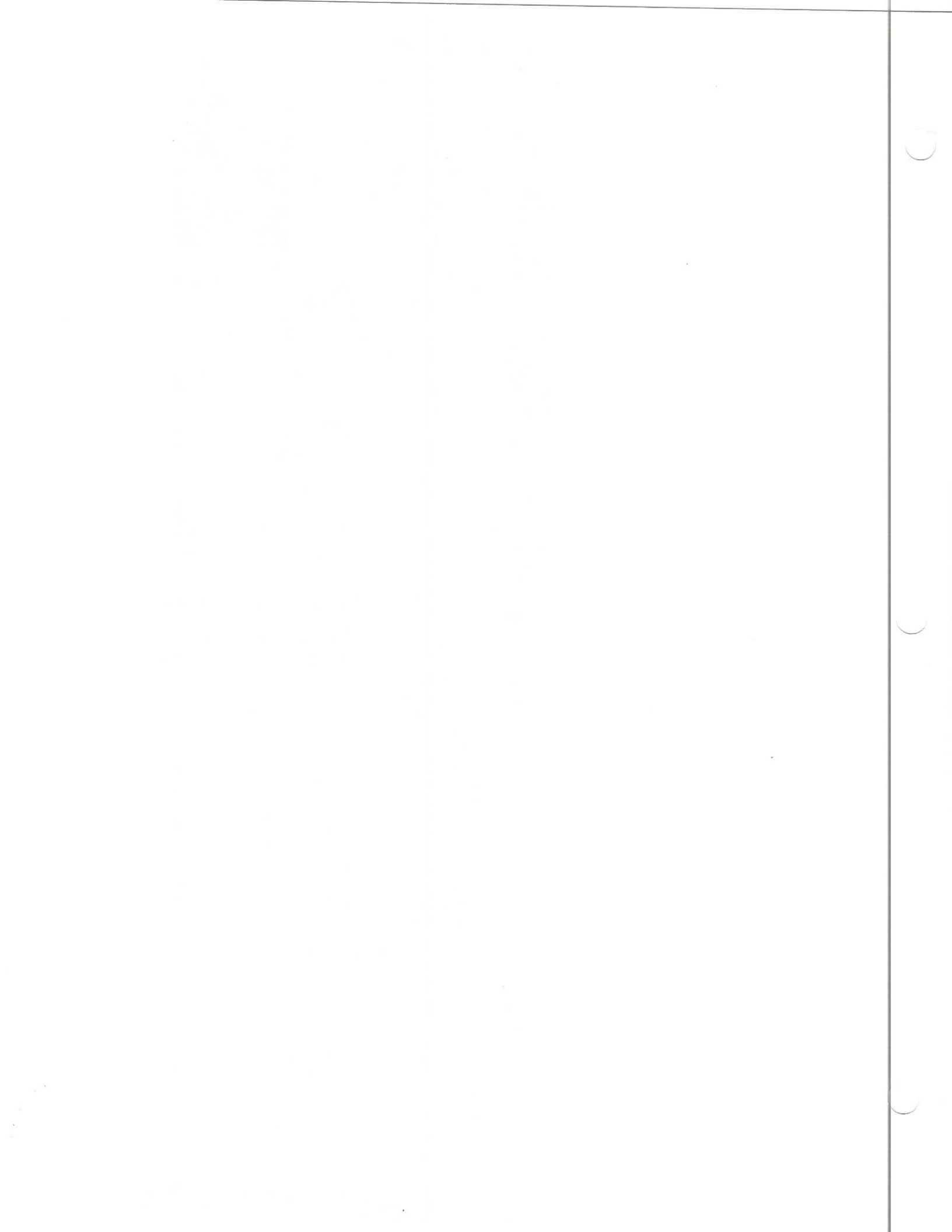
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### **Jennifer Kay Hanish**

Jennifer Kay Hanish, 45, Akron, passed away at 6:34 a.m. July 18, 2016, in her home.

She was born March 24, 1971, in Valparaiso, to John and Dorothy Hoagland Hanish.

She was a 1989 graduate of Hebron High School. She was an Akron resident for 16 years, coming from Hebron, and a homemaker.



She enjoyed cooking and decorating, socializing and dancing. She was a gifted poet; was non-judgmental and accepting of others; was big-hearted and always willing to help in any way she could; most of all, she loved her family and being a part of family functions.

Surviving are her best friend and soul mate of 22 years, Troy Denton, Akron; two sons, Tyler (and companion Tori Furnivall) Hanish, Rochester, and Cody Denton, at home; a daughter, Angela Denton, at home; three grandchildren, Johnathan and Adrien Hanish and Cayden Furnivall; her parents, John and Dorothy "Dottie" Hanish, Beaver Dam; a father-in-law, David Denton, Hebron; five sisters: Sharon Prentice, Hobart; Roxanne (and spouse Mike) Collins, Fair Oaks; Minnie (and spouse Kevin) Trump, Warsaw; Melinda (and spouse Mark) Opachan, Hawaii; Beth Ann (and spouse Mario) Valtiera, Lowell; three brothers: Ray Hanish, Claypool; Ron Furst, Crown Point; John (and spouse Rhonda) Hanish, Jasonville; maternal grandparents: Russell and Lois Hoagland, Hebron; and paternal grandparents, Chuck and Myrtle Hanish, Schererville.

Her life will be celebrated at a gathering beginning at 2 p.m. today in Jennifer and Troy's home, 405 E. Rochester St., Akron, IN 46910.

Titus Funeral Home, Warsaw, is in charge of arrangements.

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Memorials to the family c/o Titus Funeral Home, PO Box 705, Warsaw, IN 46581-0705.

Times Union July 22, 2016

## Obituaries

### Jennifer Kay Hanish

March 24, 1971 – July 18, 2016



Jennifer Kay Hanish, 45, Akron, passed away Monday, July 18, 2016, at 6:34 a.m. at home.

She was born March 24, 1971, in Valparaiso, to John and Dorothy (Hoagland) Hanish. She was a 1989 graduate of Hebron High School, Hebron, and moved to Akron 16 years ago from Hebron.

Jennifer Hanish was a homemaker and enjoyed cooking, decorating, socializing and dancing. She was a gifted poet, nonjudgmental and accepting of others and big-hearted and always willing to help in any way that she could. Most of all, she loved her family and being a part of family functions.

Jennifer is survived by her best friend and soul mate of 22 years, Troy Denton, Akron; two sons, Tyler (companion Tori Furnivall) Hanish, Rochester, and Cody Denton, Akron; daughter Angela Denton, Akron; three grandchildren, Johnathan Hanish, Adrien Hanish, and Cayden Furnivall; parents John and Dorothy "Dottie" Hanish, Beaver Dam; father-in-law David Denton, Hebron; five sisters, Sharon Prentice, Hobart, Roxanne (Mike) Collins, Fair Oaks, Minnie (Kevin) Trump, Warsaw, Melinda (Mark) Opachan, Hawaii, and Beth Ann (Mario) Valtiera, Lowell; three brothers,

Ray Hanish, Claypool, Ron Furst, Crown Point, and John (Rhonda) Hanish, Jasonville; maternal grandparents Russell and Lois Hoagland, Hebron; and paternal grandparents Chuck and Myrtle Hanish, Schererville.

Jennifer's life will be celebrated at a gathering beginning at 2 p.m. today, Friday, at Jennifer and Troy's home, 405 E. Rochester St., Akron.

Memorials may be made to the family via Titus Funeral Home, P.O. Box 705, Warsaw, IN 46581. Arrangements are handled by Titus Funeral Home, Warsaw.

Rochester Sentinel July 22, 2016

## John E. Hanish

John E. Hanish, 81, Beaver Dam, Claypool, passed away at 3:08 p.m. Friday, April 14, 2017, in Kosciusko Community Hospital, Warsaw.

He was born June 29, 1935, in Hammond, to Chuck and Myrtle Shavey Hanish. He married Dorothy Hoagland on Dec. 14, 1968, in Crown Point.

He was an assembler for Ford Motor Co. in Chicago Heights, Ill., for 32 years, retiring in 1988.

He was a member of Beaver Dam and Loon Lake Conservation Club and an avid fisherman. He loved to hunt and enjoyed landscaping his yard.

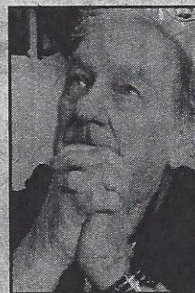
Survivors include his wife, Dorothy "Dottie" Hanish, Beaver Dam, Claypool; five daughters: Sharon Prentice, Hobart; Roxanne (Mike) Collins, Woodleaf, N.C.; Minnie (Kevin) Trump, Warsaw; Melinda (Mark) Opachan, Honolulu, Hawaii; and Beth Ann (Mario) Valtierra, Lowell; three sons: Ray Hanish, Claypool; Ron Furst, Crown Point; and John (Rhonda) Hanish, Jasonville; a son-in-law, Troy Denton, Akron; 18 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; a sister, Darlene McHugh, Valparaiso; and a brother, David Hanish, Hammond.

He was preceded by a daughter, Jennifer Hanish, July 18, 2016; and three brothers: Carl Hanish, Don Hanish and Kenneth Hanish.

Visitation will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday at Titus Funeral Home, Warsaw. The service will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at Titus Funeral Home, with Pastor Dennis Bollenbacher, chaplain, Mason Health and Rehabilitation Center, Warsaw, officiating.

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Memorials to Beaver Dam and Loon Lake Conservation Club, 7271 West Bensart Drive, Claypool, IN 46510.



April 20, 2017  
Times Union

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## Obituaries

### Martha Harding

AKRON — Martha Harding, 82, Peru, Ind., formerly Gilead, died at 7:15 a.m. July 3, 2017, at Blair Ridge Health Campus, Peru.

She was born July 30, 1934, in Russiaville, to Carroll and Lydia Bennett Broadley. On Oct. 6, 1971, in La Puente, Cal she married Richard F. "Mick" Harding Jr, who died Sept. 2012.

Survivors include stepdaughters, Lesa Petrosky, Akron and Cindy Harlow, Rochester; and stepsons, Richard Harding, Mentone, and Charles Harding, Rochester.

Services will be at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Hartzler Funeral Home, 305 W. Rochester St., Akron, with burial in Gilead Cemetery.

Visitation will begin at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

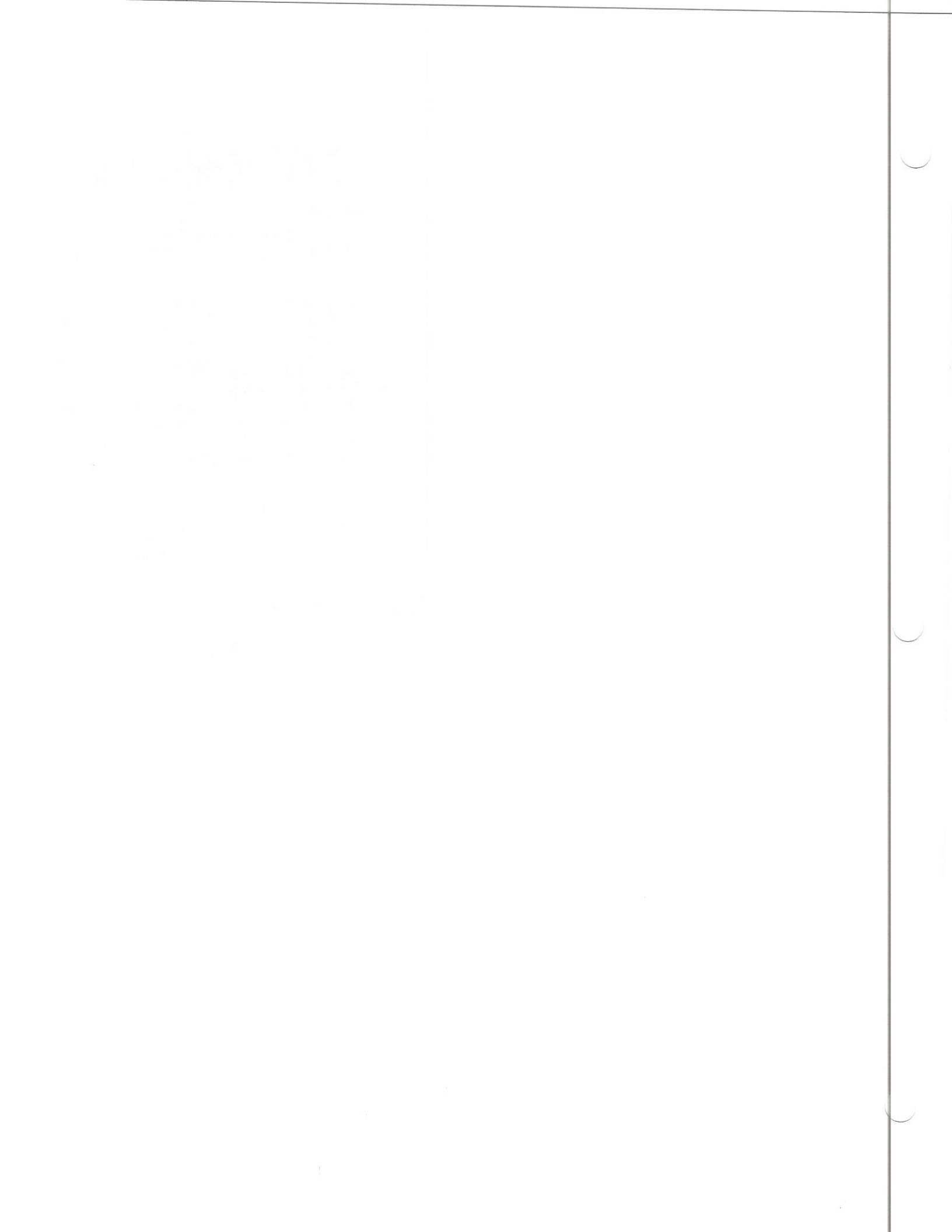
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Memorials to Gilead Cemetery.

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Times Union

July 4, 2017



### **Lyal Harman**

The funeral service for Lyal Harman, 96, Etna Green, was Nov. 20 at Deaton-Clemens Funeral Home, Bourbon, with Elder Ramon Salazar of the Warsaw congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses officiating.

Pallbearers were grandchildren Heather Jernigan, Amanda Baker, Jared Boggs, Justin Crouse, Kristina Crouse and Justin Harman.

Graveside services and burial were at the Etna Green Cemetery.

Lyal is the father of David and Daniel (Debra) Harman, Etna Green, and Mrs. Gary Boggs (Rachel), Columbia City.

The families want to thank those who offered their love, sympathy and support during the loss of our beloved father.

### **Doris Mae Gordon Cummines**

BOONE, N.C. — Doris Mae Gordon Cummines, 93, formerly of Warsaw, died Dec. 8, 2017.

She was a native of Petersburg, Indiana. Her husband, Harold Anson Cummines, is deceased.

*Times Union  
Dec 14, 2017*

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## Linda A. Harney

HUNTINGTON - Linda A. Harney, 75, Huntington, died at 10:20 p.m. June 7, 2016, at Parkview Huntington Hospital.

She was born July 10, 1940, in Andrews, to J. Claude and Sarah Miller Garretson. On June 25, 1960, in Andrews, she married Kenneth L. Harney, who preceded her in death Nov. 11, 2004.

She was a 1961 graduate of Andrews High School and earned a bachelor of science degree in education from Huntington University and a master's degree from Ball State University. She taught for the Huntington County Community School Corporation, Horace Mann Elementary, and at Huntington Catholic School. She worked at Wabash Technologies, Huntington, as the office secretary for 20 years. She was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church, Huntington, where she taught kindergarten Sunday school for 20 years. She was a member of VFW Post 2689 Ladies Auxiliary, in which she was former secretary-treasurer, and she was a member of Huntington Genealogy Club. She enjoyed bowling and traveling.

Survivors include three daughters: Renee (and spouse Tony) Downing, New Berlin, Wis.; Lisa (and spouse Charles) Bremer, Claypool; Julie Fields, Huntington; a brother, Michael Garretson, Mishawaka; a sister, Claudia (and spouse Harry) Machall, Roanoke; five grandchildren: Craig Tackett, Brandon Tackett, Kenyon Green, Branson Green, Preston Downing; and five great-grandchildren. Her parents preceded her in death.

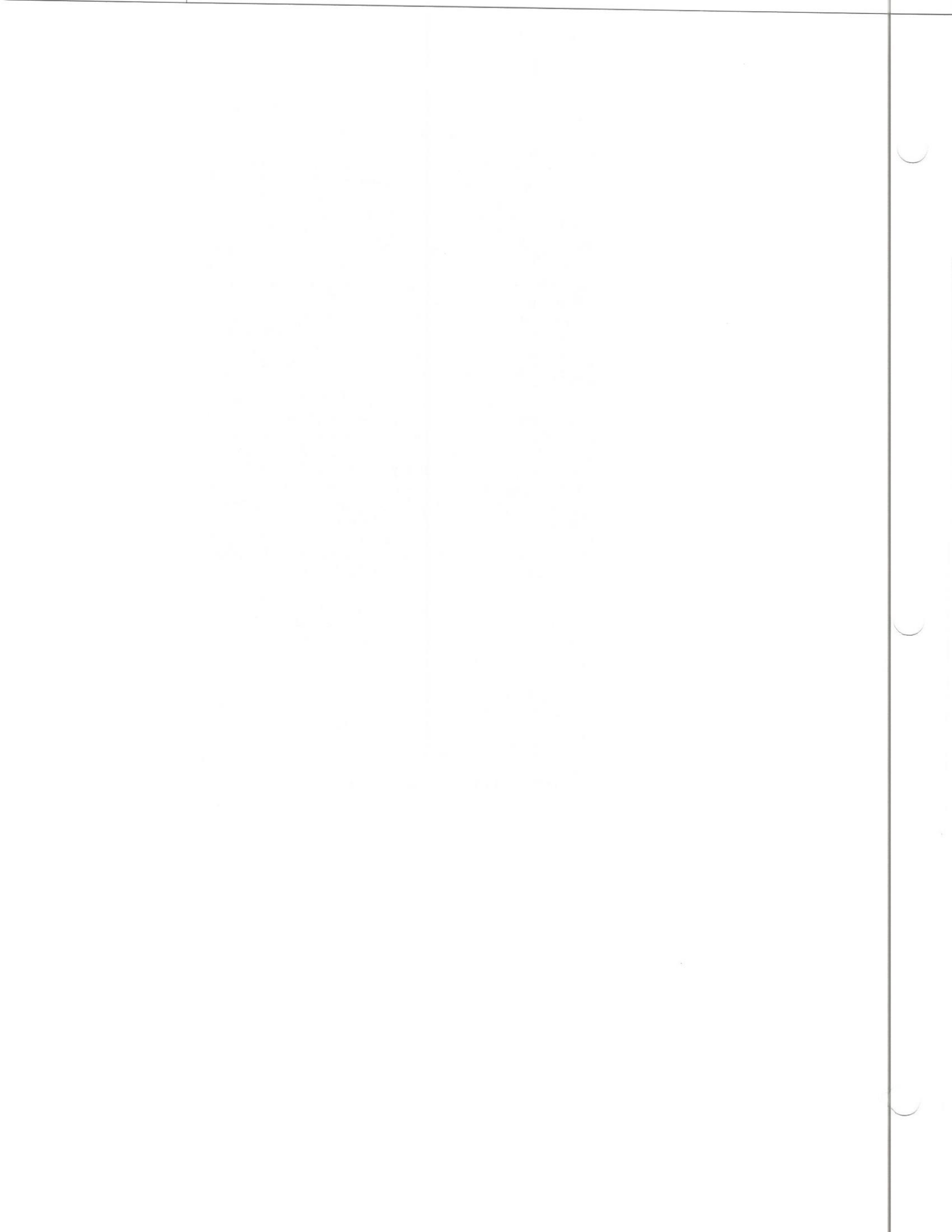
Services will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Bailey-Love Mortuary, Huntington, with the Rev. Raymond Scribner officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Huntington.

Calling is one hour prior to the service Monday and from 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home. VFW Post #2689 Ladies Auxiliary evening services will be at 5 p.m. Sunday immediately following calling.

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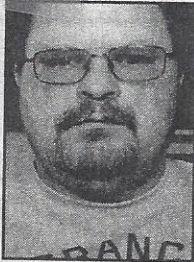
Sign online guestbook at [www.baileylove.com](http://www.baileylove.com). Those unable to attend may view the service on the Bailey-Love Mortuary channel at [www.livestream.com](http://www.livestream.com)

Times Union June 9, 2016



## Bennett Lloyd 'Benny' Harrison

Bennett Lloyd "Benny" Harrison, 50, Fort Wayne, formerly of Burket, passed away at 8:08 p.m. Friday, Jan. 5, 2018, at Parkview Regional Medical Center, Fort Wayne.



He was born Nov. 20, 1967, in Washington, D.C., to James Gilbert "Gil" and Odetta K. Gault Harrison.

He grew up in Burket/Warsaw area, graduated from Tippecanoe Valley High School and lived most of his life in the Fort Wayne area.

He was married on June 4, 2004, to Kimberly "Kim" Fothergill, who survives.

He was a truck driver for USF Holland, Fort Wayne, for several years, and an assistant plumber with his father when he was younger.

He is survived by his wife, Kim Harrison; three stepdaughters: Brandi Riley, Fort Wayne; Holly Kline, Monroeville; and Jessica Carter, Fort Wayne; his father, Gil (Janet) Harrison, Burket; mother, Odetta Gass, Markle; step-sister, Kathy (Kevin) Smith, Silver Lake; and stepbrother, Brandon (Rhonda) Prater, Warsaw.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Lena Dean, and stepfather, Jim Gass.

Memorial services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 20, at Warsaw Family Worship Center, 1250 Husky Trail, Warsaw, with Pastor Bill Whitaker officiating.

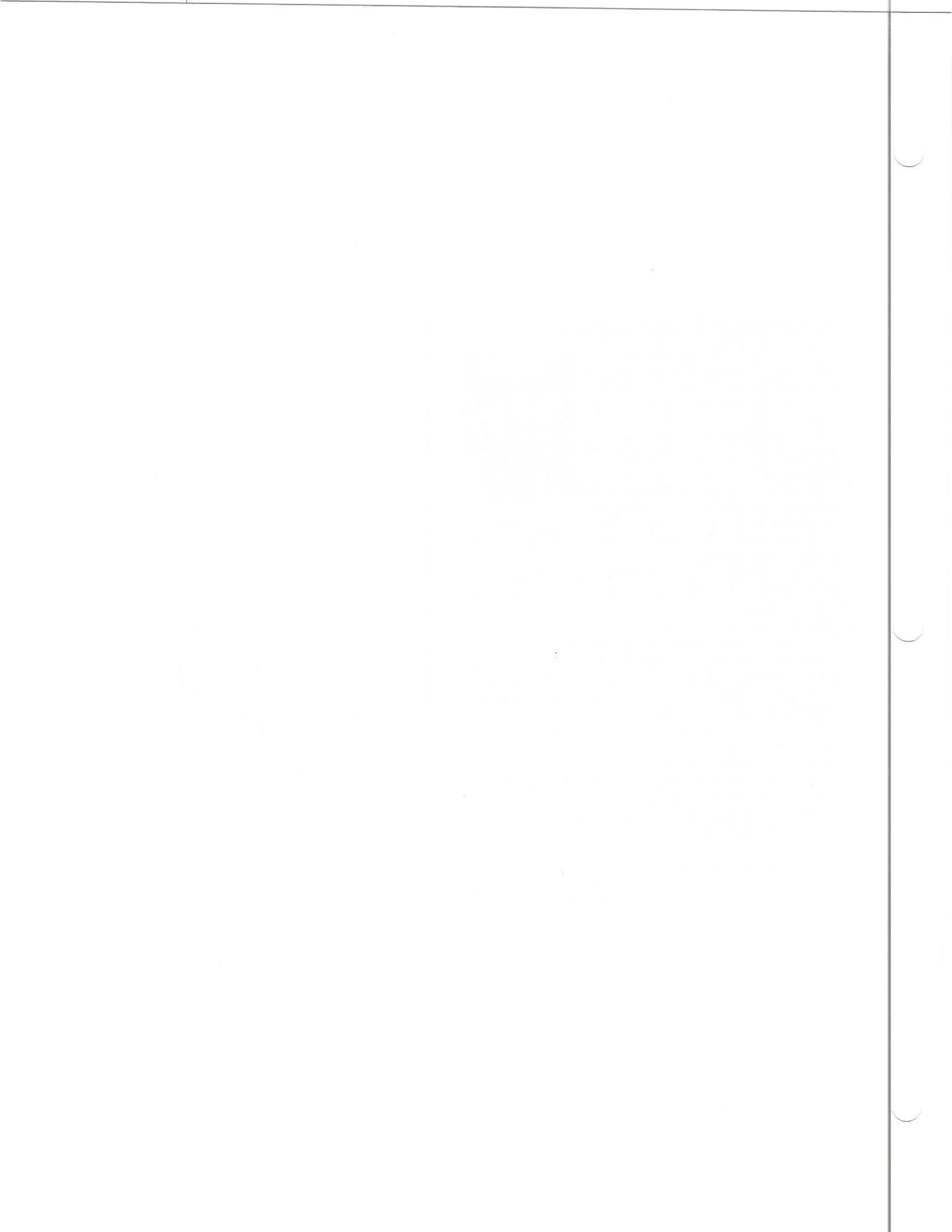
Cremation Services of Kosciusko County, Warsaw, is in charge of arrangements.

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Memorials to the donor's choice.

To send condolences to the family in memory of Benny Harrison, visit [www.creamtionserviceskc.com](http://www.creamtionserviceskc.com).

*Times Union  
Jan 17, 2018*






## Obituaries

### Michael D. Harrold

COLUMBIA CITY - Michael D. Harrold, 69, rural Columbia City, died unexpectedly at 3:22 a.m. Jan. 9, 2016, in the emergency room of the Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne.

 He was born Sept. 28, 1946, in Warsaw, to Merl E. and Lucille Stamper Harrold. On Sept. 28, 1982, he was united in marriage to Cathy Jean Beachboard Hannah, who survives.



They moved to their home in rural Columbia City in June 2009 from New Holland, Pa.

His formative years were spent in Akron. He attended Beaver Dam School and graduated from Akron High School. After high school, he lived in Fort Wayne, Akron, Rochester (where he operated a photography studio), Mentone and Warsaw before moving to Lancaster, Pa.

From 1964 until 1968 he served in the United States Army Reserves.

He was employed at R.R. Donnelley for 43 years, retiring in April 2008.

He was a member of Grace Point Church of the Nazarene in Fort Wayne and formerly New Holland Church of the Nazarene. He enjoyed riding his motorcycle and was a member of the Patriot Guard and Christian Motorcyclists Association. He inspired youth and in addition to working with the youth group in New Holland, he was the general manager at Bones Theater in Columbia City for the past several years. He also enjoyed photography, fishing, woodworking, music, drama and theater but especially spending time with his family.

Also surviving are a son, Michael Gail (and spouse Julie) Harrold, Columbia City; four grandchildren: Melanie, Quentin, Ian and Danica Harrold; two daughters: Sarah Hannah, Metuche, N.J., and Catheran "Cat" Hannah, Los Angeles, Calif.; and a sister, Kathy (and spouse Steve) Tucker, Mentone. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Services will be at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday at Smith & Sons Funeral Home, Columbia City. Burial will be at a later date.

Calling is from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

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Memorials to American Heart Association or Shriners Hospitals for Children.

Condolences may be sent via [www.smithandsonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.smithandsonsfuneralhome.com)

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### **Mildred O. Harrold**

AKRON — Mildred O. Harrold, 97, Akron, died at 11 p.m. Monday, Oct. 9, 2017, at her residence.

She was born Dec. 19, 1919, in Kosciusko County, to Oren and Grace Cook Craig. On Nov. 26, 1942, she was married to Dorris L. Harrold, who died June 9, 2009.

She taught in the Franklin, Beaver Dam and Warsaw school systems.

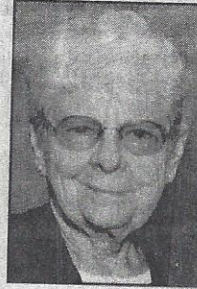
Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, with visitation one hour prior, at Hartzler Funeral Home, 305 W. Rochester St., Akron. Pastor Evelyn Haney will officiate, and burial will be in Akron Cemetery.

Visitation also will be from 4 to 7 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

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Memorials to Kosciusko Community Foundation, Camp We Can and Kosciusko County Hospice.

Share a memory or send a condolence at [www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com](http://www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com).



*Times Union  
Oct 11, 2017*

**Mildred O. Harold**  
Mildred O. Harold, 97, Akron, died  
Monday at home.  
Survivors include her son, Richard  
Harold, Akron; and her daughter,  
Sharon Sommers, Silver Lake.  
Her funeral service is 10:30 a.m.  
Saturday at Hartzler Funeral Home.  
Visitation is 4-7 p.m. Friday and 9:30  
a.m. to the time of the service Saturday  
at the funeral home.

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Oct 11, 2017

PHOTOS

## Obituaries

### Carolyn Sue Hartman

CLAYPOOL - Carolyn Sue Hartman, 78, of Claypool, passed away at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 29, 2017, at her home.

She was born on January 28, 1939, in Kosciusko County, to Everett and Frances Brown Warren.

She attended Burket Public Schools and lived most of her life in Burket and Warsaw area before moving to Claypool five years ago. She was formerly employed as a nurse's aide at Murphy Medical Center, Korth Furniture Factory, and Owens-Illinois / Kimball Glass, all in Warsaw.

She was a former member of the V.F.W. Auxiliary, American Legion Auxiliary and Moose Lodge, all of Warsaw.

She is survived by two sons, Jack "Bub" (Cookie) Hartman, Claypool, and Jimmy Hartman, Warsaw; four grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; and a brother, Everett Warren, Mentone.

She was preceded in death by her parents and son, Mickey.

A private family gathering will be held. Cremation Services of Kosciusko County, 4356 N St. Rd. 15, Warsaw is in charge of arrangements.

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Preferred memorials may be directed to the family. To send condolences to the family in Mrs. Hartman's memory, please visit [www.cremationserviceskc.com](http://www.cremationserviceskc.com)

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## Kathryn I. Hartzler

AKRON – Kathryn I. Hartzler, 82, Akron, passed away unexpectedly and peacefully at 8:40 a.m. July 13, 2015, in her residence.

She was born April 27, 1933, in Marshall County, to Harold E. and Carrie Irene McGriff Walters. On June 17, 1951, in the Athens EUB Church, she married Stephen L. Hartzler, who survives in Akron. They were married for 64 years.



She raised her family while managing and working in the home and on the farm. After her family was raised, she managed the Fulton County License Branch and was a greeter at her son's funeral home.

She moved from the Richland Center community to the Akron area while in grade school. She graduated in 1951 from Akron High School where she was a class officer and a high school cheerleader. She enjoyed raising Hereford cattle with her husband, her high school sweetheart who she married right after graduating. She was a 10-year 4-H member and she was a driving force to her children to follow and do the same.

She started her political career as the vice precinct committeeman in Fulton County. She always worked hard to get many good candidates elected, but never ran for an office herself. She was known in the county as well as the state for her Republican politics, serving as vice chairman and county chairman for many years as well as secretary of the Fifth District and being a delegate to the National Convention in 1988.

Although she had lost most of her sight she always stayed in the political loop. She was awarded two Sagamores of the Wabash and a Distinguished Hoosier by three different governors. She and her husband held season tickets at Tippecanoe Valley High School for the boys' basketball games since the school's inception as well as having season tickets for the Notre Dame Women's Basketball for many years.

Also surviving are: two daughters, Stephenia Barkman and Melinda (and spouse Pete) Pratt, all of Rochester; a son, Mark (and spouse Deb) Hartzler, Akron; five grandchildren: Melea Powell-Hoffer, Stephen and Ashley Heinzmann, Stacey McGriff and Blaine Hartzler; four step grandchildren: Stacy and Scott Barkman, Tara Wolfe and Tabitha Floor; 19 great-grandchildren; a sister, Jean Ann Deaton, Bourbon; and a brother, Lloyd (and spouse Linda) Walters, Rochester. She was preceded in death by her parents; an infant brother, Richard Walters; a brother, Herschel Walters; and a son-in-law, Jim Barkman.

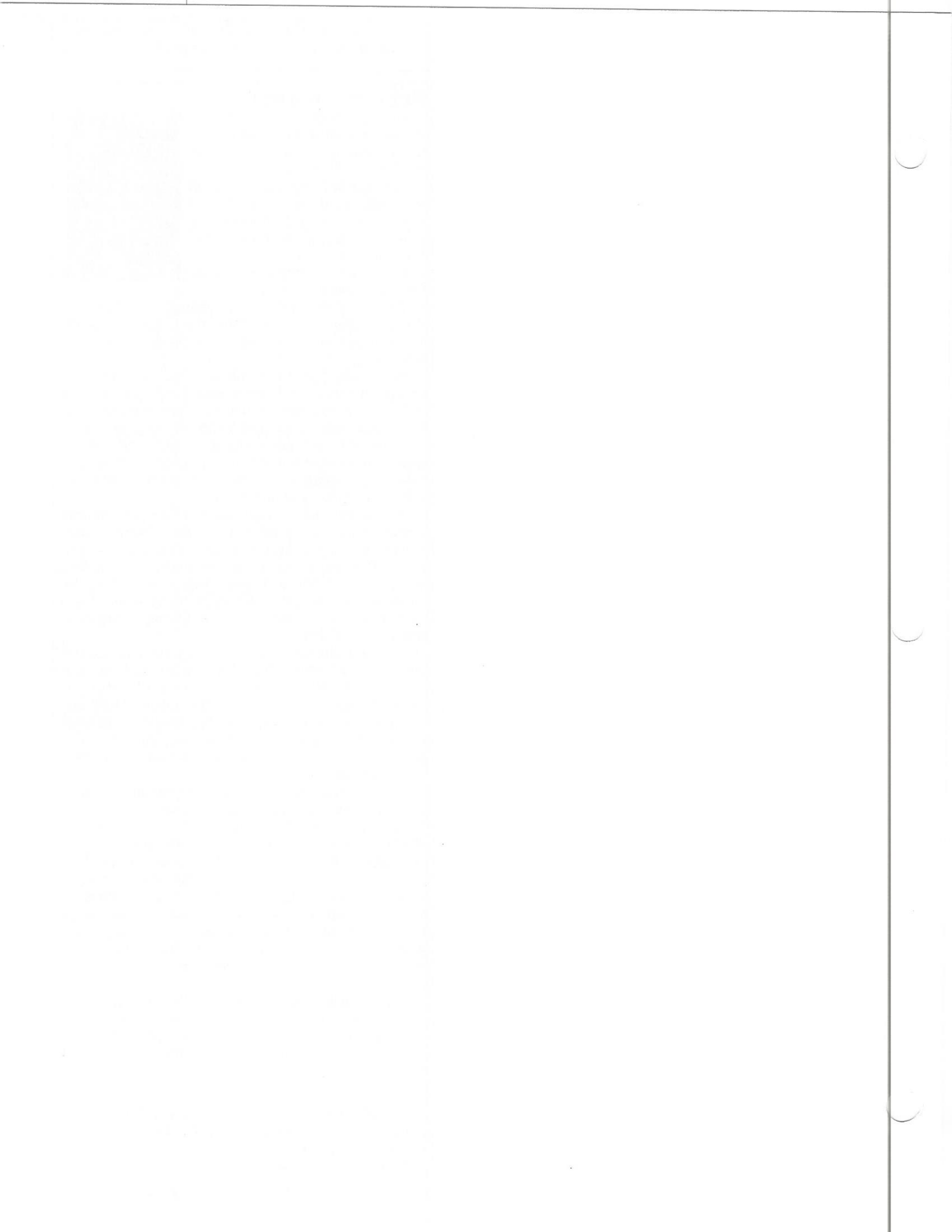
Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday at Hartzler Funeral Home, 305 W. Rochester St., Akron, with Pastor Phil Pratt officiating. Burial is in Akron Cemetery.

Calling is from 2 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

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Contributions to Stephen and Kathryn Hartzler Memorial Scholarship, entrusted at the Northern Indiana Community Foundation.

Condolences via [www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com](http://www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com)

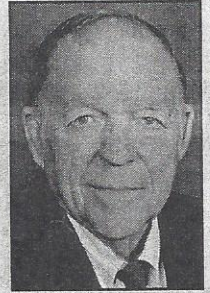




## Larry T. Hartzler

AKRON — Larry T. Hartzler, 84, rural Akron, died at 11:04 p.m. Monday, March 26, 2018, at Vibra Hospital, Fort Wayne, as a result of a traumatic fall at his home on March 2.

He was born Jan. 18, 1934, in Miami County, to Lester "Joe" and Helen Marie Thompson Hartzler. On July 27, 1951, in Disko, he was married to Beverly A. Pearson. She survives.



Larry was a lifetime farmer. He was a school bus driver and owned and operated Hartzler Excavating, where he did ditching, septic, tiling, and hauling dirt and limestone. Also in earlier years he operated an egg route in the area.

Larry was a longtime member of Akron Church of God, where he was an active member. He also was a member of the Farm Bureau and the Wally Byam Airstream Club International. He and his wife, Bev, traveled many years in their Airstream to Florida. They also traveled to many rallies with close friends and neighbors the Youngs, Smokers and Slaybaughs. He always enjoyed in the morning drinking coffee and catching up on the latest news at the Mini-Mart in Akron.

Survivors include his wife, Bev Hartzler, Akron; a son, Chad Hartzler, Akron; a sister, Patsy (husband Channing) Utter, Akron; a sister-in-law, Evelyn (husband Charles) McDonald, Muncie; and a brother-in-law, Chris (wife Diane) Pearson, North Manchester.

He was preceded in death by his parents and three brothers: Stephen, Richard "Jack" and Jerome Hartzler.

Services will be at 11:30 a.m. Saturday, March 31, at Akron Church of God, 301 S. West St., Akron. Pastor Kathy Nelson will officiate. Burial will be in Akron Cemetery.

Visitation is from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday at the church.

Arrangements are entrusted to Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron.

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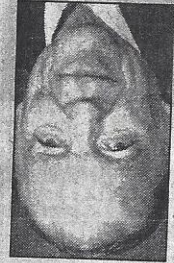
Share a memory or send a condolence at [www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com](http://www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com).

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March 28, 2018

# Obituaries

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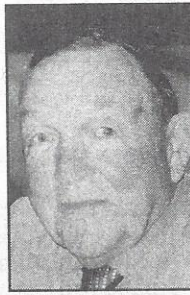
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Arrangements are entrusted to Hartzler Funeral Home, 305 W. Rochester St., Akron. Memorial contributions may be made to Akron Church of God or to Cideons International. Family and friends may share a memory or send an online condolence at [www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com](http://www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com).

March 28, 2018  
Rochester Sentinel

## Stephen L. Hartzler

AKRON – Stephen L. Hartzler, 83, Akron, following a valiant effort to live, passed on to join his wife of 64 years at 6:35 p.m. Jan. 19, 2016, at Memorial Hospital of South Bend.



He was born May 14, 1932, in Miami County, to Lester "Joe" and Helen Marie Thompson Hartzler. On June 17, 1951, in the Athens EUB Church, he married Kathryn I. Walters, who preceded him in death July 13, 2015.

He was raised on the farm, and his first job was at General Tire, Wabash. He worked his way on to Sonoco Products Company, Akron, where he retired as plant superintendent. During his 32 years at Sonoco, he and his wife raised their family while working their successful livestock and farming operation. His family's involvement in 4-H led to a Hereford herd that they maintained throughout their lives.

He moved from Gilead to the Akron area the summer before his senior year. He continued to play basketball and baseball at Akron High School before graduating in 1950. There he also met his future wife, Kathryn Walters.

He started his political career as a Republican precinct committeeman. In 1980, he was elected as a Fulton County councilman and later, a Fulton County commissioner, where he served as president. He served on numerous political boards and was a current member of Fulton County's Alcoholic Beverage Board. He was awarded a Sagamore of the Wabash. He also served on the 4-H Fair Board and Community Foundation Board.

Steve and wife, Kathryn, were avid sports fans, having held season tickets at Tippecanoe Valley High School for the boy's basketball games since the school's inception, as well as having season tickets to the Notre Dame women's basketball games for many years.

Surviving are two daughters, Stephenia Barkman, Rochester, and Melinda (and spouse Pete) Pratt, Rochester; a son, Mark (and spouse Deb) Hartzler, Akron; five grandchildren: Melea Powell-Hoffer, Stephen Heinzmann, Stacey McGriff, Blaine Hartzler and Ashley Marrs; four step-grandchildren: Stacy Barkman, Scott Barkman, Tara Wolfe and Tabitha Floor; 19 great-grandchildren, anticipating the birth of a great-granddaughter; a sister, Patsy (and spouse Channing) Utter, Akron; and a brother, Larry (and spouse Bev) Hartzler, Akron. He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers, Richard "Jack" and Jerome Hartzler.

Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, with Pastor Phil Pratt officiating. Burial will be in Akron Cemetery.

Calling is from 2 to 8 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.

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Memorials to Stephen and Kathryn Hartzler Memorial Scholarship entrusted at the Northern Indiana Community Foundation

Send an online condolence at [www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com](http://www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com)

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# Obituaries

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Stephen Hartzler

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He was preceded in death by his wife,

Kathryn I. Hartzler, on July 13, 2015;

his parents, Lester "Joe" and Helen

Marie Hartzler; and brothers Richard

"Jack" and Jerome Hartzler.

His funeral service is 10:30 a.m.

Monday, Jan. 25, 2016, at Hartzler

Funeral Home, 305 W. Rochester St.,

Akron. Pastor Phil Pratt will officiate.

Burial will be at Akron Cemetery.

Visitation is 2-8 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 24,

2016, at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be

made to Stephen and Kathryn Hartzler

Memorial Scholarship entrusted at

the Northern Indiana Community

Foundation.

You may share a memory or send

online condolences at [www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com](http://www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com).

Photo by Sentinel Jan 23, 2016

## Vickie Lynn Harvey

WABASH - Vickie Lynn Harvey, 58, rural Claypool, died at 3 p.m. Feb. 8, 2016, at her home.

She was born April 11, 1957, in Fort Myers, Fla., to Billy Ray Bragg and Imogene Wade Arone. On Sept. 19, 2009, in Claypool, she married Kit W. Harvey, who survives in Claypool.

She attended Sarasota County Technical Institute in Sarasota, Fla. She was a licensed practical nurse for 20 years and worked as a LPN for South Bend Memorial Hospital Home Healthcare the past 10 years.

She was a member of the Humane Society of America, the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and a member of ABATE. She enjoyed crafts and rescuing animals. She lived in the Claypool area since 2002, but spent most of her life in Venice, Fla.

Also surviving are her mother, Imogene Arone, Claypool; five children: Rebecca Atwell and Keandra Williams, both of Claypool; William "Bill" Kelley, Jamestown, N.Y.; Derrick (and spouse Celeste) Hebert, Simpsonville, S.C.; and Olivia "Libby" Hebert, Madison, Ind.; her sister, Christine Roe, Lima, Ohio; nine grandchildren; and one great-grandson. She was preceded in death by her father, Billy Ray Bragg; and her sister, Gwendolyn Amstutz.

Funeral services will be 2 p.m. Saturday at Grandstaff-Hentgen Funeral Service, Wabash. Burial will be in Falls Cemetery, Wabash.

Calling from 5 to 8 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

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Condolences via [www.grandstaff-hentgen.com](http://www.grandstaff-hentgen.com)



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Condolences may be expressed at [www.zimmerman-brosfh.com](http://www.zimmerman-brosfh.com).

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## Obituaries

### Ryan L. Hatfield

Ryan L. Hatfield, 54, Akron, passed away at 7:50 a.m. Thursday, May 25, 2017, at Mason Health and Rehabilitation Center, Warsaw.

He was born April 4, 1963, to Billy Lee and Janice Perry Hatfield, Plymouth.

Ryan enjoyed racing and truck pulls.

He is survived by his mother, Janice Hatfield, Mentone; his children, Laura Twigg, Charleston, Ill.; Patrick Hatfield, Martinsville, Ill.; and Shane Hatfield, Mattoon, Ill.; a sister, Sherry (spouse Alan) Shepherd, Mentone; a brother, Rick (spouse Lesa) Hatfield, Warsaw; seven grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded by his father and his grandparents.

No services are planned.

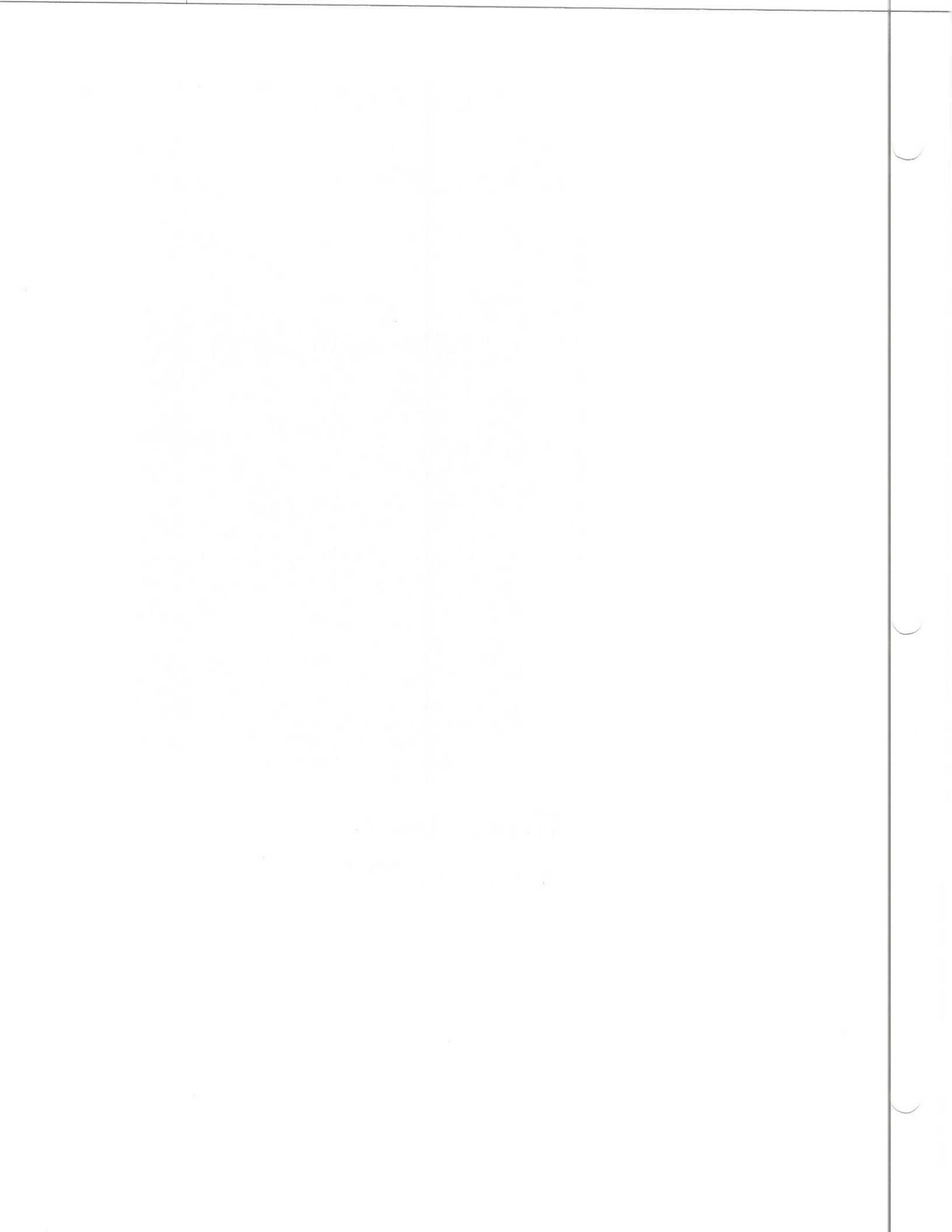
McHatton-Sadler Funeral Chapel, Warsaw, was entrusted with arrangements.

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Memorials to the family c/o McHatton-Sadler Funeral Chapel, 2290 Provident Court, Warsaw, IN 46580.

To sign the guestbook or send a condolence, go to [www.mchattonsadlerfuneralchapels.com](http://www.mchattonsadlerfuneralchapels.com).

Times Union  
May 26, 2017





## Linda Mae Hathaway

Linda Mae Hathaway, of Grace Village Retirement Community in Winona Lake, formerly a longtime resident of rural Claypool, passed away at 11:30 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 17, 2018, at Grace Village Health Care at the age of 76.



She was born on Jan. 9, 1942, in Goshen, to Charles Walker Smoker and Mary Kathryn Kline Smoker. On June 1, 1960, she married Perry Ray Hathaway, who survives.

Linda was a resident of Kosciusko County for the past 68 years. She was a 1960 graduate of Leesburg High School. After her marriage, she moved to the family farm in rural Claypool and resided there until 2017 when they moved to Winona Lake. She was actively involved in the Kosciusko County Fair and 4-H leadership for many years. Linda was a member of the Extension Homemakers for over 50 years. She enjoyed baking, gardening, needle work, but most of all she especially enjoyed her family, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

She will be lovingly remembered by her husband of 57 years, Perry Ray Hathaway, Winona Lake; two sons, Donald (wife Harriet) Hathaway, North Manchester; Douglas Hathaway, Claypool; and three daughters: Darlene (husband John) Lash, Mentone; Diane (husband Lee) Kenyon, Wimberley, Texas; and Dorothy (husband Stephen) Miller, Osceola. Also surviving are 16 grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren; two brothers: Robert (wife Helen) Smoker, Leesburg; Roger (wife Jane) Smoker, Warsaw; and her sister, Debra (husband Salah) Smoker-Ali, Virginia. She was preceded in death by her parents, and her sister, Jean Kistler, who passed away in 2013.

Visitation will be held Tuesday, Feb. 20 from 4 to 7 p.m. at Redpath-Fruth Funeral Home, 225 Argonne Road, Warsaw, Indiana.

Her funeral service will be at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 21, at Redpath-Fruth Funeral Home and officiated by Chaplain Bryan Benjamin. Burial will follow with a graveside service at Graceland Cemetery in Claypool.

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Memorial donations may be directed to Mary and Jerry's Helping Hands, 10274 W. 600 S., Mentone, IN 46539; or to Kosciusko County 4-H, 202 W. Main St., Warsaw, IN 46580 and would be appreciated by the family.

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