

LATTA

see Christiana Latta Yocum

LATTA, CARL L.

B August 26, 1915 in Palestine, Indiana

D. Dec. 15, 1987 Warsaw, Indiana

Parents: Bonnie and Blanche (TINKEY) LATTA

Married: Oct. 1, 1971 to Helen JONES

Survived by: Wife; 1 step son: Max Jones; 1 step  
daughter: Marylou McFarren; 5 step grandchildren; 1  
sister: Mary Wolford; 2 brothers: James and Paul.  
Preceded in death by: 4 brothers and 1 sister.

The Akron Mentone News Dec. 23, 1987

LATTA , EDWIN R.

B. December 7, 1902 Kosciusko County, Indiana

D. May 19, 1986 Warsaw, Indiana

Parents: Bonnie and Blanche (TINKEY) LATTA

Married: December 24, 1921 to Rosa A. CLABAUGH who  
died in March 1976.

Survived by: 1 son: Wilmer ; 3 daughters: Mrs. H.  
G. (Betty) Robinson, Mrs. Wallace (Phyllis) Kirken-  
dall & Mrs. Ormond (Dolores) Smith; 8 grandchildren,  
6 great grandchildren; 3 brothers: Carl, James & Paul  
and 1 sister: Mary Wolford.

Preceded in death by: 1 sister and 3 brothers.

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LATTA, John  
November 14, 1849--April 18, 1905  
Wabash County, IN--Fort Wayne, IN  
Son of John and Elizabeth Latta  
Married Jane Kesler October 3, 1872  
1 son  
Palestine funeral

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE April 27, 1905

LATTIMER

Marion M. Lattimer (husband of Ready Bybee Lattimer)

LAUGHLIN, David  
Columbia City, IN--Atwood, IN  
Died March 31, 1921, aged 59 years  
Leaves wife, 1 son (William Laughlin), 2 daughters (Mrs  
Mary Guy and Mrs. Marie Gessinger), 3 brothers (Andrew,  
Ephram and John)  
Pleasant View Cemetery

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE April 7, 1921

LAUGHLIN, Earnest Erastus  
May 8, 1899--July 15, 1899  
Son of David and Irene Laughlin  
Pleasant View cemetery

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE July 27, 1899

Name: Millard J. Laughlin  
Birth: 03/28/1922  
Place of Birth: Syracuse, Indiana  
Parents: Millard Sr. and Lafern McKinley Laughlin  
Death: 10/15/1991  
Married: Retha M. King  
Survivors: Wife, Retha M. King; one daughter, Mrs. Pedro  
(Joyce) Pederson, Mentone; two sons, Jim Laughlin,  
Tippecanoe, and Gary Laughlin, Columbus, Ohio; 7  
grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren; one sister,

Mrs. Charles (Aline) Reed, Syracuse; and three brothers, Bill  
Laughlin, Oceanside, CA., Robert Laughlin, Syracuse, and  
Marvin Laughlin, Japan.

**Name:** Laughman, Opal E.

**Birth:** Sept. 2, 1914

**Parents:** Albert and Leona Ruth Bryant Smoker

**Death:** Nov. 12, 2009

**Married:** Donald L. Laughman

**Survivors:** two brothers, Ernest (spouse Esther) Smoker, North Manchester, and Wayne (spouse Chaume) Smoker, Louisiana, MO; seven nephews: Ernie (spouse GeNelle)

Smoker, Ed (spouse Lottie) Smoker, Dick (spouse Janice) Smoker, Jim (spouse Joanie) Smoker, Dennis Smoker, Matt Smoker, Mike Smoker; four nieces: Shelby (spouse Cliff) Wogoman, Phyllis (spouse Emory) Smith, Susan (spouse Larry) Beauchamp, Patricia Trower and Joyce Smoker.

Burial in Akron Cemeter

**NAME:** Retha M. Laughlin

**DEATH:** May 28, 2011

**BIRTH:** December 1, 1923

**PARENTS:**

**MARRIED:**

**SURVIVORS:** Daughter, Joyce Pedersen, Mentone; two sons, Jim Laughlin, Tippecanoe, and Gary Laughlin, Dublin, Ohio; and her brother Dennis King, Marino Valley, Calif.

Buried at King Memorial Home, Mentone.

LAUTT, ELNORA

B. May 10, 1912 Plummer, Minnesota

D. April 30, 1985 Plymouth, Indiana

Parents: Dominac & Wilhelmina (BADTON) McCULLOUGH

Married: March 22, 1947 to Gottlieb LAUTT who died  
March 2, 1974.

Survived by: 2 daughters: Mrs. Rick (Tina) McKnight,  
Mrs. John (Judith) Sutton, 1 son: George, 2  
step-sons: Ray & Glenn, 15 grandchildren, 7  
great grandchildren, 1 sister: Edna Nimgern,  
2 brothers: Charles & Edward.

The Akron/Mentone News May 8, 1985

LAVO, CLARENCE

B. May 27, 1913 South Bend, Indiana

D. November 13, 1985 Rochester, Indiana

Parents: Clarence F. and Lottie (BAHNEY) LAVO

Married: Jan. 30, 1939 to Helen Marie MAY

Survived by: Wife & 1 sister: Willodean Lavo

The Akron/Mentone News November 20, 1985

LAWRENCE

See Clara Lawrence Hire

Anna Lawrence (wife of Andrew Edward Babcock)

Name: Charles, Lawrence E.

Birth: 9/6/25

Place of Birth Pikeville Ky

Parents: : Glover and Albba Pinson Charles

Death: 10/29/1991

Married:

Survivors: 2 brothers Lanze Charles, Billington W VA and  
James Russell Charles Burket one sister Mrs Carl (Sylvia)

Helton Silver Lake

LAWRENCE, EVA M.

B. March 6, 1914 Battle Creek, MI

D. January 29, 1991 Warsaw, IN

Parents: Herbert & Ada (YAWER) SMITH

Married: Roy LAWRENCE.

Preceded in death by: Husband; 1 sister: Gertrude Irene Smythe.

The Akron/Mentone News February 6, 1991.

LAYNE, GROVER

B. Oct. 15, 1927 Tullahoma, Tennessee

D. February 17, 1988 Larwill, Indiana

Parents: Paris and Eileen LAYNE

Married: Sara F. SIDES who died Nov. 26, 1959

Survived by: his mother; 3 sons: Roger, Richard and Grover Jr.; 4 brothers: Paris, Francis, Benjamin and Keith; 2 sisters: Jeri Sheets and Shelby Dolby.

Preceded in death by: 1 son, 1 daughter and 1 sister.

The Akron/Mentone News Feb. 24, 1988

LEAMON, William

June 30, 1828--January 21, 1894

Born in Starke County, Ohio

Married Mary Cox

Died of consumption

IOOF cemetery, Mentone

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE      January 25, 1894



**Name:** Gladys M. Leap

**Death:** July 13, 2011

**Birth:** June 15, 1917

**Parents:** Jonas Mathias and Mae (Lunsford) Shidaker

**Married:** Manson W. Leap

**Survivors:** Three children, Patsy (and husband Jerry) Holcomb, Anderson, John (and wife Debi) Leap, Rochester,

and Ann Blair, Mentone; six grandchildren, Cami (and husband Andy) Lewis, Bartlett, Tenn., Shannon (and husband James) Hartzell, Indianapolis, Chad (and wife Erin) Leap, Rochester, Scott (and wife Lisa) Blair, Rochester, Dulcie Holcomb, Anderson, and Tammy (and husband Todd) Ellinger, Culver; and nine great-grandchildren.

Buried in the Moon Cemetery, Rochester.

LEAVELL

see Geilla Pearl Leavell Fisher



LEAVELL, Frank  
Fulton County, IN--Detroit, MI  
July 3, 1872--March 13, 1944  
Cause of death: heart ailment  
Son of Henry and Susan Leavell  
1 son: Donald  
1 daughter: Cleo  
1 brother: Delbert  
6 sisters: Mrs. Eva Umbaugh, Mrs. Elmer Hodge, Mrs. Gela  
Fisher, Mrs. Emma Borden and Mrs. Josie Dewald  
Walnut Cemetery

NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP NEWS March 21, 1944

LEAVETT, Henry  
Father of Mrs. Frank Fisher, Mentone  
Died Near Tiosa July 2, 1909, aged 65 years  
Cause of Death: Fell-hit head on barn floor

TRI-COUNTY GAZETTE July 15, 1909

LECHLITNER

Dora Lechlitner (wife of Alexander Mikel)

Name: Leckrone, Archie L.

Birth: 6/01/1938

Place of Birth: Warsaw

Parents: A. Lowell and Catherine Alexander Leckrone

Death: 4/04/1992

Married: Sandra Ballenger

Survivors: Wife, Sandra Ballenger; His parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Lowell Leckrone, Claypool; Two sons, Jeff Leckrone,

Columbus, Ohio, and Todd Leckrone, Deal, N.J.; Three sisters,

Mrs. Gerald (Patricia) Johnson, Bloomington; Mrs. Randy

(Barbara) Dickey, Claypool; and Beverly Zolman, Warsaw.

LECKRONE

see Mary Etta Leckrone Drudge

LECKRONE, CHARLOTTE

B. April 25, 1910 San Diamas, California

D. Sept. 10, 1987 Winona Lake, Indiana

Parents: Irvin and Rosa (METZGER) LECKRONE

Survived by: 1 brother: Lowell; 1 sister: Mrs. Dane  
(Donna) Snoke; neices & nephews.

Preceded in death by: 1 brother and 1 sister.

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LEE

S. A. Lee (husband of Elizabeth Ayerman Lee)

Susan Lee (wife of O.B. Sears)

John Lee (husband of Hannah M. Wileman Lee)

Anna Lee (1st wife of Harvey L. Poulson)

LEE, Adam

September 8, 1889--February 15, 1890

Son of John and Hannah Lee

Mentone funeral

MENTONE GAZETTE

February 22, 1890

**Name:** Reah Maxine Lee

**Birth:** May 19, 1920

**Parents:** Charles M. and Pearl Grace  
Murphy Sensibaugh



**Death:** June 12, 2013

**Married:** Jack Lee

**Survivors:** A daughter, Jennie Earl, Atwood; a daughter-in-law, Rosalie Lee, Warsaw; eight grandchildren: Dawn

(and husband Kevin) Harris and Amie Rogers, all of Warsaw; Robin Lee (and friend Lyle Hoffer), Huffman Lake; Tim (and wife Cathy) Lee, Mentone; Kim Lee, Ballston Sta, N.Y.; Shawnee (and husband Mark) Hughes, Mentone; Alan (and wife Luella) Earl, Argos; and Angela (and husband AJ) Himes, Atwood; 19 great-grandchildren; and 13 great-great-grandchildren.

Buried in Harrison Center Cemetery, Etna Green.

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