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Lewie Arnold Overlander

AKRON - Lewie Arnold Overlander, 81, Akron, died at 11:35 p.m. Friday, Jan. 31, 2020, at his residence.

He was born on April 4, 1938, in rural Miami County, to Edward and Catherine Kamp Overlander.

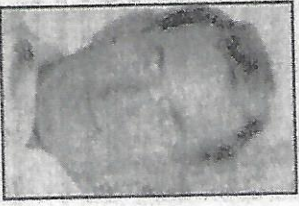
Lewie married Joan Williams on April 3, 1967, and she died on June 22, 1987. He then married Kathie Ann Swain on Nov. 5, 1993, in Paintsville, Ky.; she sur-

vives.

He served his country in the United States Marine Corp. Visitation will be Wednesday, Feb. 5 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Earl-Love Funeral Home, Akron.

The funeral service will follow visitation at 1 p.m., officiated by the Rev. Phil Pratt. Burial will be at the Akron IOOF Cemetery, Akron.

Memorials to the Fulton County Animal Center and Shelter, 1540 N. Wentzel St., Rochester, IN 46975. Online condolences may be sent to earllovefuneralhome.com.



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OBITUARIES

Kurt K. Kruger

NORTH WEBSTER - Kurt K. Kruger, 66, of Cromwell, passed away at 2:29 a.m. on Friday, Jan. 31, 2020, at his home.

He was born on March 16, 1953, in Warsaw, to Loren and Betty Barker Kruger. He graduated from Wawasee High School in 1971 and was a lifetime Kosciusko/Noble County area resident.

He formerly owned and operated Kruger's Jewelry in Ligonier, Goshen and Elkhart, and Cruiser's in North Webster.

He was a talented musician and played with many local bands, including Short Term Memories, The Relics, and The Night Shift. He was a member of the Clunette Methodist Church and the American Legion Post 253 in North Webster.

He is survived by his daughter, Keri (Adam) Whitmer, of North Manchester; two sons: Kurt (Jennifer) Kruger Jr., of Pierceton; and Chad (Rachel) Kruger, of Silver Lake; six grandchildren: Annika Whitmer, Hunter Dillon, Evan Kruger, Taren Kruger, Elise Kruger and Kaylee Kruger; sister, Kay (Yut) Promkniec, of North Webster; and fiancée, Linda Ozler, of Claypool. He was preceded in death by his parents; and his son, Kris Kruger.

Visitation will be from 2 to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 5 at Owen Family Funeral Home, Ind. 13 and CR 500N, North Webster. A memorial service will take place at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, Feb. 6 in the funeral home, with Pastor Mike Beezley officiating.

Memorials to the Kurt Kruger Funeral Fund, c/o Owen Family Funeral Home, P.O. Box 72, North Webster, IN 46555. To send condolences to the family in memory of Kurt Kruger, visit www.owenfamilyfuneralhome.com.



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Vicki Sue Dunithan

SYRACUSE - Vicki Sue Dunithan, 53, of Syracuse, passed away on Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2020, at her home.

She was born on July 5, 1966, in Columbia City, to Calvin and Alma J. Prater Ousley.

She attended high school in David, Ky, moved to Syracuse area in the mid 1980s from Kentucky and attended Goshen College. She formerly worked at Dunnico in Syracuse, Starcraft in Goshen and was an in-home babysitter.

She is survived by three sons: Dylan Dunithan, Derek Dunithan and Daniel Dunithan, all of Syracuse; mother, Alma Ousley, of Silver Lake; sister, Jullie (Sam) Powers, of Syracuse; and two brothers: Rick (Cindy) Ousley, of Pierceton; and George (Rose) Ousley, of Silver Lake.

She was preceded in death by her father.

Cremation will take place at Cremation Services of Kosciusko County, 4356 N. Ind. 15, Warsaw. Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 3 at Owen Family Funeral Home, 1001 S. Huntington St, Syracuse. Memorial services will follow at 7 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 3 in the funeral home with Pastor Lewis Wedstel Shepherd of the Freewill Baptist Church in Claypool officiating. Private family burial will take place at a later date.

Memorials to the Vicki Dunithan Funeral Fund, c/o Owen Family Funeral Home, 1001 S. Huntington St., Syracuse, IN 46567.

To send condolences to the family of Vicki Dunithan, please visit www.owenfamilyfuneralhome.com.



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Duane 'Hack' Hackworth

ROCHESTER - Duane "Hack" Hackworth, 65, Akron, died at 3:10 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 29, 2020, at his home.

On March 30, 1954, Duane was born in Kosciusko County, to Oliver and Ora Lee Marsillett Hackworth.

In Akron United Methodist Church, Duane married Janet L. Sheetz on Aug. 25, 1973.

A celebration of the life of Duane Hackworth will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 1 at Olive Branch Church, Roann. Pastor Jeff Sumner will officiate. Friends may visit with the family from 4 to 8 p.m. in the church on Friday, Jan. 31 and one hour prior to the service on Saturday. Interment will be in the Akron Cemetery.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the Good Family Funeral Home, Rochester.

Memorials to the Marcus Hackworth and Scott Sechrist Memorial Scholarship Fund through the Northern Indiana Community Foundation, 227 E. Ninth St., Rochester, IN 46975; or the Henry Township Fire Department, 206 W. Rochester St., Akron, IN 46910.

Electronic expressions of sympathy may be made to his family at www.goodfamilyfh.com.



Arthur L. 'Art' Harper

ROCHESTER - Arthur L. "Art" Harper, 89, Rochester, died at 4:05 a.m. Monday, Jan. 27, 2020, at the Peabody Retirement Community of North Manchester.



On April 9, 1930, Arthur Leroy Harper was born in Akron to George L. and Mildred G. Shriver Harper.



Arthur served in the United States Army during the Korean War. Private 1st Class Arthur L. Harper was a member of Company G, 35th Infantry Regiment, 25th Infantry Division. He was wounded in action on September 19, 1951, near Hill 127, Korea. He was honorably discharged on April 30, 1952, earning the Purple Heart, combat infantry badge and Korean service medal.

Art and Betty Lou Floyd were married on March 28, 1953, in Akron.

A celebration of the life of Arthur L. Harper will be at 11 a.m. on today, Jan. 30 in the Good Family Funeral Home, Rochester. Veterans Service Officer Ric Foust will officiate. Friends may visit with the family one hour prior to the service in the funeral home. Military honors will be conducted by the Fulton County Veteran's Honor Guard and the U.S. Army Honors Team.

Interment will be in the Akron Cemetery.

Memorials to Fulton County Veterans DAV Van, Veteran's Service Office, 815 Main St., Rochester, IN 46975.

Electronic expressions of sympathy may be sent to his family at www.goodfamilyfh.com.

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Jerry Allen Zolman

MENTONE - Jerry Allen Zolman, 71, of rural Mentone, passed unexpectedly at 8:06 p.m. Monday, Jan. 27, 2020, at his residence.



Jerry was born on Feb. 14, 1948, in Warsaw, to the late Carl D. and Emma W. Kepler Zolman. He married on March 11, 1967, in Warsaw, to Connie J. East; she survives.

He worked for UPS in earlier years and then for Sprint North Supply for over 20 years. He retired from Zimmer Orthopedic in 2013.

He was a 1966 graduate of Mentone High School. He served his country in the U.S. Navy. Jerry was a former member of the Mentone Lions Club and the former Mentone American Legion. He attended the Warsaw Community Church.

He enjoyed keeping book and stats for the girls and boys basketball programs at Tippecanoe Valley and had been involved for over 22 years. He was a regular at Teel's Restaurant, socializing with many good friends. He was always a big sports fan and loved fishing with his grandkids. He also enjoyed golfing, hunting and traveling. Jerry lived life to the fullest.

He is survived by wife, Connie Zolman, Mentone; daughters, Amy and husband Matt Cohagan, Warsaw; and Alissa and husband Dean Trippiedi, Warsaw; son, Aaron and wife Kacie Zolman, Warsaw; brother, John and wife Sue Zolman, Mentone; grandchildren, Dayton and wife Tisha, Emmalee, Taylor, Olivia, Tanner, Gwen, Gia and Gentry; and nephews and nieces, Chris, Tina, Chad, Angie, Bruce, Melissa and Chris.

He was preceded in death by parents, Carl D. and Emma W. Zolman; infant son, Brent; an infant brother; an infant sister; and father-in-law and mother-in-law, Harold and Mary East.

Visitation hours will be from 2 to 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 30 at King Memorial Home, 101 N. Tucker St., Mentone. The funeral service will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday, Jan. 31 at the funeral home.

The burial will take place following the funeral service in the Mentone Cemetery, Mentone.

Memorials the Burket Fire Dept. or to the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation, 733 Third Ave., Suite 510, New York, NY 10017.

Share a memory or send an online condolence at www.hartzlerfuneralservices.com.



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Jerry Lynn Baumgartner

AKRON - Jerry Lynn Baumgartner, age 66, of Mentone, died on Sunday, Jan. 26, 2020, at 10:55 p.m. at his residence.

He was born on Sept. 28, 1953, to Wilbur and Margaret Relue Baumgartner in Rochester. Jerry graduated from Akron High School in 1971.

He married his high school sweetheart Debbie Beasley on July 22, 1972, at Beaver Dam United Methodist Church.

Jerry moved from Akron to Mentone in June of 1987. He worked at Sprint (North Supply), which was a telephone warehouse in Warsaw, and retired there.

He attended the W.C.C. church in Warsaw. Jerry had an interest in many things and enjoyed hunting, fishing, camping and a variety of sports. He especially liked NASCAR racing and his love for farming.

Surviving Jerry is his wife, Debbie Baumgartner, of Mentone; son, Ryan (spouse Marti), of Bargserville; daughter, Shari (spouse Rod) Rudd, of Rochester; mother, Margaret Baumgartner, of Warsaw; two sisters: Carol (spouse Bill) Sisk, of Claypool; and Virginia Tuttle, of Rochester, Mich.; and five grandchildren: Sierra, Kailey, Rachel, Jakob and Benjamin.

Preceding Jerry in death is his father and a niece.

After four years of not feeling well and many illnesses and avenues researched, Jerry's death was diagnosed as a rare degenerative brain disease called (PSP) Progressive Supranuclear Palsy.

For those who want to pay their last respects and express your condolences to the family, a gathering of friends and loved ones will be on Friday, Jan. 31 from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Earl-Love Funeral Home, 811 E. Rochester St., Akron.

The memorial service will follow at 7 p.m. Friday, Jan. 31, officiated by Pastor Jeff Pfeifer and Chaplain Bob Jarboe. Burial will take place at a later date.

The staff of Earl-Love Funeral Home considers it a privilege and an honor to care for the family and friends of Jerry Baumgartner.

Memorials to "Cure PSP" or Kosciusko Home Care & Hospice. Envelopes will be available at the funeral home.

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Robert 'Jon' Shoemaker

Robert "Jon" Shoemaker, age 86, of Larwill, passed away on Saturday, Jan. 25, 2020, at 8:30 p.m. at his daughter's residence.

Jon was born on Feb. 3, 1933, in Claypool, to Robert and Willodean Rager Shoemaker. He was united in marriage to Patricia Louise Lemler on Dec. 8, 1951, in Bourbon.

He graduated from Claypool High School. During his lifetime he was a professional truck driver for many companies with a total of 60 years of service. Jon enjoyed being on the road and he was especially fond of his little buddy, "Gomer." Gomer went everywhere with him.

Jon is survived by his children, Kim Shoemaker; Debra (Jim) Kibby, James (Lisa) Shoemaker, Robert (Darnell) Shoemaker, and Jon (Jami) Shoemaker; and sister, Alinda Ann Skea, of Warsaw. In addition, he is survived by 15 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; and two nieces and two nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Patricia (Lemler) Shoemaker; and son, Brian Shoemaker.

Services will be private. Interment will be at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Bourbon.

Memorials to Parkview Hospice, 1900 Carew St., #6, Fort Wayne, IN 46805; or St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-9959.

To sign the guestbook or send a condolence, go to www.mchattonsadlerfuneralchapels.com.



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Eugene H. Sarber

Eugene H. Sarber, age 95, passed away at Mason's Healthcare in Warsaw, on Tuesday, Jan. 21, 2020.

He was born in Mentone, to Esther and Elmer Sarber. He married the former Betty Jean Cain on June 1, 1946. She died on July 29, 1990. He married Maria Brack on Aug. 30, 1991. She died on Jan. 31, 2019.

Eugene was a chicken farmer in Mentone until he retired. Upon retirement, he moved to Warsaw. He farmed with his dad and they had about 180 acres in corn and beans, as well as the chickens. He attended Faith Assembly for many years. After he retired, he ministered in various home churches. In his younger years he was an avid bowler and bowled in leagues. He always enjoyed playing ping-pong, and in his later years, he would frequently travel to Battell Center in Mishawaka to play. He also loved fishing and took trips to Canada, Minnesota and Lake Erie to fish. He liked to fish for blue gill and walleye.

He is survived by his sister, Faye Whetstone, of Mentone; two daughters, Diana Romine, of Columbia City; and Luanna Keim, of Mishawaka; three stepchildren: Tim (Bobby) Porter, of West Lafayette; Dawn (Dean) Hance, of Warsaw; and Heidi Seabourn, of Milton, Pa. He also had nine grandchildren, eight step-grandchildren and many great-grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his parents; both wives; his sister, Zelda Blackford; son-in-law, Dan Romine; one grandson, Joel Romine; and one great-grandson, Jaxon Lantz.

Private burial entrusted to Titus Funeral Home, Warsaw, will be in Warsaw's Oakwood Cemetery.



Times Mirror Herald

David A. Ohlwine

MENTONE - David A. Ohlwine, 75, North Manchester, died at 8:50 a.m., Monday, Jan. 20, 2020, at the Visiting Nurse and Hospice Home of Fort Wayne.



David was born on May 9, 1944, in Columbia City, to the late Charles and Virginia Kemery Ohlwine. He was married on June 13, 1974, in Chicago, to Jean Rinehart; she survives.

He served his country in the U.S. Air Force during Vietnam.

Following his wishes, no visitation or service will be held at this time.

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