Obituaries

Ruby Carter

Ruby Hazel Carter, 83, of Brodhead, died Friday, September 8, 2000, at the home of her daughter, Roberta Taylor, after a lengthly illness. She was born on November 25, 1916, the daughter of the late John F. and Elizabeth Hurst Soard. She was a retired pastry maker in Hamilton, Ohio and a member of the Union Chapel Holiness Church.

Survivors are two daughters, Roberta Taylor of Brodhead and Betty Wilson of Hamilton, Ohio; two sisters, Daisy Brock of Batavia, Ohio and Edith Wilson and husband, Chester of Hamilton, Ohio; seven grandchildren, Larry Taylor and wife, Ann, Harold Taylor, Sherry Asher, Patty Kirby and husband, Ricky, all of Brodhead, Donna Cox and husband, Randy of Monroe, Ohio, Debbie Wilson of Hamilton and David Wilson and wife, Debbie of Hamilton; 12 great grandchildren, Johnny, Samuel and Katie of Ohio and Erica, Benjamin, Brittany, Natalee, Neisha, Jessica, Abraham, Seth and Patrick, all of Brodhead and one great great granddaughter, Alexis Kayla Miller of Ohio. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by three brothers, Francis, Esmer and Charles Soard; one brother-in-law, Clarence Brock and one son-in-law, E.J. Taylor.

Services were Monday, September 11, at the Marvin E. Owens Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Randal Adams and Bro. Buford Parkerson officiating. Burial was in the Saylor Cemetery on Brindle Ridge.

Casketbearers were Harold Taylor, Larry Taylor, Ben Taylor, David Wilson, Johnny Miller and Samuel Miller.

Robert Thacker

Robert Frank Thacker, 95, of Mt. Vernon, died Sunday, September 10, 2000 at the Berea Hospital. He was a farmer, school bus driver for the Rockcastle County School System and a member of the Scaffold Cane Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife, Ethel Hensley Thacker of Mt. Vernon; six children, Beatrice Gore of Gas City, Indiana, Geneva Howard of Richmond, Arthur "Cap" Thacker and wife, Ruth of Dayton, Henrietta Gabbard of Mt. Vernon, Sylvia Gabbard and husband, Bart of Mt. Vernon, Jack Thacker and wife, Bernadine of Paint Lick; three brothers, Augustus "Gus" Thacker of Dayton, Troy Thacker of Dayton and Kenneth Thacker of Berea; 22 grandchildren, several great grandchildren and several great great grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday, September 12, at the Scaffold Cane Baptist Church with Rev. Levi Lainhart officiating. Burial was in the Scaffold Cane Cemetery.

Ramona Carpenter

Ramona Carpenter, 45, of Livingston, died Thursday, September 7, 2000, at her residence. She was born January 5, 1955 in Cincinnati, Ohio, the daughter of the late Wallace and RoseAnne Hoskins Delph. She was a member of the Pine Hill Holiness Church.

Survivors are her husband, Bentley Carpenter of Livingston; three sons, David Carpenter and wife, Ernestine, Adam Carpenter and wife, Peggy and Raymond Carpenter, all of Livingston; four brothers, John Dammeron, Ricky Biggs, Pete Biggs and Michael Biggs, all of Cincinnati; three sisters, Ruby Dammeron and Joyce Curtis, both of Cincinnati and Elizabeth McKibben of Honolulu, Hawaii and five grandchildren.

Services were Sunday, September 10 at Dowell & Martin Funeral Home with Bros. Jack Carpenter and Bill Carpenter officiating. Burial was in the Mountain Cemetery in Jackson County.

Pallbearers were Ronald Powell, Ronald Tankersley, Marty Mullins, Stacy Mullins, Bruce Hilton and Walter Gilbert.

Jesse Baker

Jesse D. Baker, 66, of Clarkson, died Saturday, September 9, 2000, at the Hardin Memorial Hospital. He was born in Colorado on November 21, 1933 and was a heavy equipment operator and an Army Veteran of the Korean War.

Survivors are his wife, Betty Baker of Clarkson; five sons, Gary Baker of Bowling Green, Larry Baker of Leitchfield, Michael Baker of Clarkson, Neal Baker of Kuwait and Donnie Baler of Wilmore; one daughter, Lisa Baker Graas of Elizabethtown; two brothers, Bill Baker of Texas and Tim Baker of Cincinnati; 10 grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Services were Tuesday, September 12, at the Rogers Funeral Home in Clarkson with Rev. George Smith officiating. Burial was in the Clarkson Cemetery.

This obituary courtesy of the Dowell & Martin Funeral Home.

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Sarah Spoonamore

Sarah Elizabeth Spoonamore, 81, of New Lebanon, Ohio, died Thursday, August 31, 2000 at Grandview Hospital following an extended illness. She was born September 12, 1918 in Rockcastle County, the daughter of the late Howard and Martha Bradley Owens. She was a member of the Union Pentecostal Church in Trotwood, Ohio.

Survivors are her children, Joyce Adeline Mayes of Toledo, Ohio, Katie Lucille Norman of Trotwood, Patricia Dianna Hollon of Trotwood, Barry Lee Spoonamore of New Lebanon, Martha Jane Spoonamore of New Lebanon, Ricky Eugene Spoonamore of Dayton, Ohio and William Arvin Spoonamore of West Alexandria, Ohio; five sisters, Beulah McKinney of Berea, Minnie Kidwell of Crab Orchard, Mattie Hignite of Fairborn, Ohio, Jewell Milburn of Union, Ohio and Ida Brown of Englewood, Ohio; two brothers, Howard Owens of Beavercreek, Ohio and Egbert Owens of Morrow, Ohio. nine grandchildren and nine great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, William E. Spoonamore and two brothers.

Services were held Monday, September 4, at the Barnes Funeral Home in West Alexandria with Pastor James Whorton officiating. Burial was in the Memory Gardens Cemetery in West Alexandria.

This obituary courtesy of Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals.

"Jimmy" Neal

James "Jimmy" Neal, 77, of Brodhead, died Tuesday, September 12, 2000.

Visitation was held Wednesday, September 13, at 6:00 p.m. at the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals in Brodhead.

Services will be (today) Thursday, September 14th at 2:00 p.m. at the Marvin E. Owens Funeral Home Chapel.

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

Paul Singleton

Paul K. Singleton, 70 of Louisville and formerly of Livingston, died Friday, September 8, 2000 at the Norton Hospital Southwest. He was born in Livingston, the son of the late William O. and Ellen Langley Singleton. He was a retired supervisor for Louisville Gas & Electric for 36 years, and Air Force Veteran of the Korean War, a member of Masonic Lodge #951, the Scottish Rite and the Shiveley Heights Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife, Elva Jean McHargue Singleton of Louisville; two daughters, Jean Steffans of Louisville and Donna Lewis of Crestwood; one brother, Charles E. Singleton of Louisville; two sisters, Ruby McNutt of Louisville and Mary E. Leach of Livingston.

Services were Monday, September 11, at the Owen Funeral Home with Rev. Earl McNutt officiating. Burial was in the Loiusville Memorial Gardens West.

This obituary courtesy of Cox Funeral Home.

Cards of Thanks

Thank You

Thank you Lord for going with me through surgery. Not any cancer. God bless you all.

Diamond Dave.

P.S. Thank you everybody for praying for me.

Delta Brown

The family of Delta Brown would like to thank each person who showed such love and kindness during the sickness and death of our loved one. We want to extend special thanks to the ER nurses and Dr. Patel at Rockcastle Co. Hospital, Ambulance staff, Sowder Nursing Home, Berea Skilled Nursing and Dr Griffith.

We would also like to thank Don Roberts for the comforting words, Penny Hensley for the beautiful songs, Marsha's Florist for the beautiful flowers, Dowell and Martin for such a beautiful service. We also want to thank everyone for the prayers, food, and flowers. Thank you all again for your comfort during our loss.

Britt Stamper

To the many friends of High Britt Stamper and family you will never know just how much your support, understanding and friendship meant to all of us in our time of need. We all felt the presence of God in your love.

A special thanks to the Dowell and Martin Funeral Home. Your kind words and deeds helped saying goodbye to our loved one much easier than it might have been.

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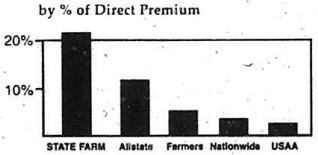

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