

Obituaries



Lena McHargue

Lena McHargue, 80, of Mt. Vernon, died Thursday, November 21,



Happy Birthday In Heaven

I wish you were here today
Even just for a little while
So I could say Happy Birthday
And see your beautiful smile.

The only gifts today will be
The gifts you left behind
The laughter, joy and happiness...
Precious memories - the best kind.

Today I'll do my very best
To try and find a happy place...
Struggling to hid my heavy heart

And the tears on my face.
I'll sit quietly and look at your pictures
Thinking of you with love
Hoping you're doing okay in Heaven up above.

May the Angels hold you close and
Sing you a happy song
And I'll be sending wishes to you today
And all year long.

Happy Birthday in Heaven, James
11/7/1990 - 11/30/2011
Dad, Mom, Pete, Mary, Kisha, Ryan, Bobby, Bailee, Brianna, Bobby Lee, Mamaw and Papaw Hensley

Card of Thanks

Ellis Jason Thomas

The family of Ellis Jason Thomas would like to express our sincerest thanks to all those who helped in some way during our time of sorry. Whether you sent flowers, brought food, called, or supported us in other ways, we are very appreciative of your kindness. We would like to especially thank the Marvin E. Owens Home for Funerals for their support and thoughtfulness in this most trying time. Losing a loved one is never an easy undertaking but Mr. Owens and his staff helped to make the tribulations bearable. We would also like to thank our friends and family members for their condolences during our sorrow especially our Mt. Vernon Elementary School family. The wonderful ladies of Flat Rock Missionary Baptist were especially kind to our family. Others who brought food to our homes and prayed with us for understanding helped to console our hearts.

Our acknowledgment goes out to Brothers Zandell Hasty and Randal Adams who offered comfort to us. We wish to thank honorary pallbearers Justin Mullins, Tracy Meadows, Jim Cable, Micah Wyatt, and Brian Hopper. We seek continued prayers for our families in hopes that we will reach a greater understanding of God's plan.

May God bless each of you, Kami Lovell, Debbie Hopper, Billy Joe & Eric Shafer, Tommy Falin, Chris Combs, Ashley Ison, and families

2013 at the St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington. She was born February 14, 1933 in Mt. Vernon, the daughter of the late Bill and Grace Barron Sowder. She was a homemaker and caregiver, enjoyed cooking, gardening, quilting, and was a member of the Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church.

Survivors are: four daughters, Claudette Madison of Bronston, and Cathy Osborne, Jeanne Hayes, and JoAnn Hilton, all of Mt. Vernon; two sisters, Sally Niceley of Hamilton, OH, and Cleo Bustle of Mt. Vernon; eight grandchildren; and six great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by: her husband, Claude H. McHargue; three sons, Charlie Ray, John W., and Jackie Dean McHargue; one brother, Jack Sowder; and one sister, Bessie Bustle.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, November 24, 2013 at the Faith Chapel Pentecostal Church with Bro. Jack Carpenter and Bro. Virgil Bustle officiating. Burial will follow in the Roberts Cemetery.

Arrangements were by the Cox Funeral Home. *View the complete obituary, sign the guest registry, or send condolences to the family online at www.coxfuneralhomeky.com.*



Rockcastle, Somerset and the Logan Whitley Chapters of KSDAR met in Mt. Vernon to commemorate local Native American History. Each November, the DAR recognizes National Native American Heritage Month – celebrating the diverse histories and cultures of American Indian and Alaska Native people.

Mamaw's Kitchen

By Regina Poynter Hoskins

RING-OF-COCONUT FUDGE CAKE

FILLING:

1/4 cup sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 box (8 ounce) cream cheese, softened
1 egg
1/2 cup flaked coconut
1 cup semi-sweet or milk chocolate pieces

CAKE:

2 cups sugar
1 cup cooking oil
2 eggs
3 cups all-purpose flour
1/4 cup cocoa
2 teaspoons soda
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 and 1/2 teaspoons salt
1 cup hot coffee or water
1 cups buttermilk
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cups nuts
GLAZE:
1 cup powdered sugar
3 tablespoon cocoa

2 tablespoon butter
2 teaspoons vanilla
1 to 3 tablespoon hot water
Heat oven to 350°. Generously grease and lightly flour a 10-inch tube pan or Bundt pan.
Prepare the filling by beating sugar, vanilla, cream cheese, an egg until smooth. Stir in coconut and chocolate pieces. Set aside. In large mixer bowl, combine sugar, oil, and eggs; and beat for 1 minute at high speed. Add remaining ingredients and beat for 3 minutes at medium speed, scraping bowl occasionally. Stir in nuts. Pour 1/2 of the batter into prepared pan. Carefully spoon prepared filling over batter; top with remaining cake batter. Bake for 70 to 75 minutes until top springs back when center is touched lightly. Cool

in pan 15 minutes; remove from pan. Cool completely. Make glaze by combining sugar, cocoa, butter, vanilla, and hot water until smooth. Add hot water by tablespoons until drizzle consistency is reached. Drizzle over cooled cake.

LEMON ICEBOX PIE

1 package (8 ounce) cream cheese
1/2 cup lemon juice or 1/2 cup key lime juice
1 tablespoon lemon zest
1 can (14 ounce) sweetened condensed milk
1 container (8 ounce) Cool Whip®, thawed
1 graham cracker crust
Mix the first three ingredients together till smooth; fold in the cool whip. Once the cool whip is completely folded into the mix pour into the pie shell and refrigerate at least 4 hours.

Registration now open for Santa's Workshop

Registration is now open for children, ages 9-16, to attend Santa's Workshop at the Rockcastle County Extension Service.

There will be two workshops - December 19th from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. and December 20th from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Children will make five to six gifts for family and friends. An adult member is welcome to attend with the child

Cost of the workshop is \$10 and each workshop is limited to 15 children.

Please call the Rockcastle County Extension Service at 256-2403 for additional information and to register.

Thanksgiving Blessings To You & Your Family



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