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<p>Cabot, Carole J.</p>	<p>Carole J. (Antes) Cabot, 58, of Daytona Beach, Fla., formerly of York, died Monday at her home. She was the companion of Arthur Lawshe.</p> <p>Following cremation, a Mass of Christian Burial will be at the convenience of the family at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church, 950 W. Market St., York. Burial will be in Holy Saviour Cemetery. The John W. Keffer Funeral Home Inc., 2114 W. Market St., York, is in charge of arrangements.</p> <p>Mrs. Cabot was born Nov. 12, 1941, in York. She was the daughter of Kathryn M. (Kelly) Antes of Dover and the late Earl "Bud" Antes.</p> <p>She was a master sergeant and Air Force technician in the 335th MAS U.S. Air Force Reserves, retiring after 32 years of service. She was stationed at McGuire Air Force Base and also served in Desert Storm.</p> <p>Mrs. Cabot also is survived by a son, Kevin B. Cabot of Daytona Beach, Fla.; a daughter, Karen Ludzieski of Daytona Beach, Fla.; a grandson; a sister, Marilyn Schenkel of York; and a niece and nephew.</p> <p>Source: York Daily Record, York, PA, May 5, 2000, extracted May 28, 2007</p>
<p>Cagen, Edward</p>	<p>Services for Dr. Edward Cagen, a longtime Homestead family practitioner and surgeon who died March 10, will be at 11 a.m. today at Christ Congregational Church, 14920 SW 67th Ave.</p> <p>The cause of death is still unknown. He died at his desk in his Homestead office. He was 37. His life mixed surgery and sword fighting, fighter jets and racing motorcycles, kung fu and theology. He gave up sword fighting after "one injury too many," he told The Herald in 1996. In 1989, he received a master's degree in Taoism from the International University of Chile. The next year he earned a doctorate in theology and a year later, a doctorate of divinity.</p> <p>Cagen was a field surgeon during Operation Desert Storm, and as a Reserves captain still jumped from planes during periodic training. He flew a Czech-built fighter jet, an L-39 Albatross, reaching speeds of up to .82 Mach - around 550 mph.</p> <p>"We burn holes in the sky," Cagen said in 1996.</p> <p>His quest for adventure, combined with his desire to help people, landed him in a dangerous situation after Hurricane Andrew hit in 1992.</p> <p>Cagen and his neighbor Paul Barrow headed to Miami-Dade County's most devastated areas with supplies for storm victims. The philanthropists were met by a starving mob who shot at them.</p> <p>Not that dodging bullets deterred Cagen. He returned with more relief supplies - and a 9mm semiautomatic pistol, two assault rifles and another Desert Storm veteran. Mission accomplished.</p> <p>The men delivered food, water and other aid to storm-stricken neighborhoods</p>

	<p>with a well-thought-out strategy: feed and run. "Those people almost killed us when they saw food," Cagen told The Herald at the time. "I didn't think we were going to make it out of there the first time. Desperate people will do anything."</p> <p>Cagen was elected to the board of the Dade County Medical Association in 1995. Soon after, he directed a study on clot-busting drugs. His findings later helped save lives.</p> <p>"No question about it," said Winston Townsend, a Herald photo editor who credits Cagen with saving his life. "And I was the icing on his study."</p> <p>Cagen was on call the day Townsend came into the emergency room at Homestead Hospital suffering from a heart attack.</p> <p>"I happened to be at the right place at the right time," he said at the time.</p> <p>Cagen used the clot-busting drug TPA.</p> <p>The Brooklyn, N.Y.-born doctor joined the Army as a Ranger when he was a teenager. Two months later, he was parachuting. "Wonderful. Tons of fun," he said in 1996. Six months later, he was bored.</p> <p>"I told them I wanted to go to college," he said. The Army paid the tuition for his first two years of medical school.</p> <p>Cagen is survived by his wife, Debbie, and daughter, Lauren.</p> <p>Source: The Miami Herald, Miami, FL, Mar. 25, 2000, extracted May 26, 2007</p>
<p>Calciano, Daniel S.</p>	<p>Daniel J. Calciano Sr., 62, of Bristol Boro, died Friday at Temple University Hospital after a lengthy illness. He was the husband of the late Lenore C. (Bradley) Calciano.</p> <p>Born in Dunmore, Mr. Calciano was a resident of Fairless Hills for many years until moving to Bristol Boro four years ago. He was a career military man who served in the Army in Vietnam and Desert Storm. He served in the National Guard from 1980 until 1996, and for a brief period, he worked at U.S. Steel.</p> <p>He was a loving husband and father and will be sadly missed.</p> <p>Surviving are a daughter, Lee Ann Reichard, Bristol Boro, with whom he resided; a son, Daniel J. Calciano Jr. and wife, Samantha, Raleigh, N.C.; two grandchildren, Erin and Morgan Calciano; a brother, James Calciano, Morrisville; several nieces and nephews.</p> <p>A funeral service will be Saturday at 1 p.m. at the James J. Dougherty Funeral Home Inc., 2200 Trenton Road, Levittown. Interment will be private.</p> <p>Family and friends may call Friday, 7 to 9 p.m., and Saturday, noon to 1 p.m.</p> <p>Source: The Times-Tribune, Scranton, PA, Feb. 22, 2006, extracted August 22, 2007.</p>

<p>Calderon, Alfredo L. "Fred"</p>	<p>WEST END - Alfredo L. "Fred" Calderon, 37, of Route 1 died July 24, 1992.</p> <p>Funeral will be at 3 p.m. Monday at Fairview Baptist Church in Carthage. Burial will be in the church cemetery.</p> <p>A native of El Paso, Texas, he was director of environmental services with UNC Hospitals, a captain in the N.C. National Guard and had served in Operation Desert Storm in the Persian Gulf.</p> <p>Surviving are wife, Diane W. Calderon; son, Stephen Calderon; daughter, Beth Calderon; stepdaughters, Ms. Kenya McInnis, Mrs. Wendy White of West End; parents, Alfredo and Martha Calderon of El Paso, Texas; brothers, Robert Calderon, Jamie Calderon, both of El Paso, Texas; sister, Mrs. Terri McGuffin of Dallas; one grandchild.</p> <p>The family will be at Powell Funeral Home in Southern Pines 7-9 tonight.</p> <p>Source: Greensboro News &amp; Record, Greensboro, NC, July 26, 1992, extracted May 27, 2007.</p>
<p>Caldwell, John Brawner</p>	<p>SHREVEPORT, LA - Funeral services celebrating the life of John Brawner (J.B.) Caldwell, Jr. will begin at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, March 14, 2006, at Broadmoor United Methodist Church. Officiating will be Reverend Ken Irby. Assisting in the service will be Dr. Mark Martin, Reverend Kathy Wafer, Reverend Conrad Edwards, and Reverend Cecil Marr. Interment will follow at 12:30 p.m. at Oak Grove Cemetery in Converse, LA.</p> <p>Visitation will be Monday, March 13, 2006, at Rose-Neath's Southside Chapel from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m.</p> <p>Col. Caldwell was born July 22, 1951, in Collinston, LA. He entered into God's presence at his home on March 11, 2006, following a courageous battle with esophageal cancer. Col. Caldwell was a graduate of Northeast State University in Monroe. He retired after 24 years of service in the U.S. Army Reserves. He was a Preconstruction Manager for Picerne Military Housing at Fort Polk, LA. Col. Caldwell served in active duty during Desert Storm and the Bosnian Conflict.</p> <p>He was a member of Broadmoor United Methodist Church and was active in the Chancel Choir and the Searchers Sunday School Class. His hobby was spending time with his family. He enjoyed supporting the Louisiana Methodist Children's Home in Ruston, LA and was involved with their Outdoor Wilderness Learning Center.</p> <p>He is preceded in death by his parents, John Brawner Caldwell, Sr. and Sarah Elizabeth Harris Caldwell. He is survived by his wife of 22 and one-half years, Mary Caldwell; daughters, Michelle Caldwell, Christie Jagot and her husband, Brian; grandson, Nathan Jagot; numerous cousins; two aunts; and a host of friends.</p> <p>Pallbearers will be James White, Larry Guin, Ralph Summers, Robert Lewis, Mark Capovani, and Eric McFarland.</p> <p>His family would like to extend a special thank you to Dr. Gary Burton, Dr. Vanaya Potluri and the wonderful staff at Feist - Weiller Cancer Treatment Center, Dr. Kenneth Manas and our Broadmoor United Methodist Church</p>

	<p>family.</p> <p>Memorials may be made to Broadmoor United Methodist Church, Music Ministry, 3715 Youree Dr., Shreveport, LA, 71105 or Louisiana Methodist Children's Home, PO Box 929, Ruston, LA, 71273. Rose-Neath Funeral Home</p> <p>Source: The Times, Shreveport, LA, March 14, 2006, extracted September 22, 2007.</p>
Caldwell, Roger Lee	<p>MSGT Roger Lee Caldwell, age 56, of Blacklick, died Monday, April 16 in a plane crash in Lakeland, FL.</p> <p>Born December 8, 1950, in Columbus, OH. Preceded in death by parents Mildred Leslein and Lawrence Caldwell and step-father Ralph Leslein.</p> <p>Survived by loving wife of 34 years, Mary; sons, Christopher and Daniel; daughter, Kelly and her fiancée, Christian Freimuth; granddaughters, Cara and Abbey; sister, Judy (Tom) Riffe; mother-in-law, Nancy Birtcher (Gale); brothers and sisters-in-law, Terrie and Mike Hoyer, Kathy and Tim Hard, Hal and Michele McClaine, Diane and Tony Smith, Laurie and Tim Sutton; numerous nieces and nephews.</p> <p>He was a MSGT in 121st Air Refueling Wing at Rickenbacker Air National Guard Base, and a Veteran of Operation Desert Storm and Iraqi Freedom.</p> <p>Friends will be received 2-5 and 7-9 p.m. Sunday, at SCHOEDINGER NORTHEAST CHAPEL, 1051 E. Johnstown Road, Gahanna, Ohio 43230. A Prayer Vigil will be held at 8:45 p.m. Sunday evening. Mass of Christian Burial, 10 a.m. Monday, April 23, 2007, at St. Matthew the Apostle Catholic Church, 807 Havens Corners Road, Gahanna. Father Paul A. Noble, Celebrant. Entombment to follow, St. Joseph Cemetery. Perhaps with time we'll know the why and make it through the clouds that daunt our way. There will never be another you.</p> <p>Source: The Columbus Dispatch, Columbus, OH, April 21, 2007, extracted September 23, 2007.</p>
Callagee, John "Pete"	<p>Marine Corps Sgt. Maj. John "Pete" Callagee, 50, a former Syracuse resident, died Thursday at his home in Henrietta.</p> <p>Sgt. Maj. Callagee was a native of Syracuse. He had served in the Marine Corps since 1962 and was serving in the Marine Corps Reserve 8th Tank Battalion in Rochester at the time of his death. He served in Saudi Arabia during Operation Desert Storm. He also retired from Eastman Kodak Co. in Rochester.</p> <p>Sgt. Maj. Callagee was a former commander of Eli Fagan Post, American Legion, and a former commandant of G.V.D. Marine Corps League. He was a member of the Trott-Emerick Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and chairman of the Henrietta Veterans Memorial Committee.</p> <p>Surviving are his wife, the former Kathleen Delaney; a son, Sgt. Sean P., serving with the Marine Corps in Athens, Greece; four daughters, Kelly M. Callagee and Erin Norselli, both of Rochester, Kathleen A. Callagee of Henrietta and Shannon Eschenbrenner of West Longbranch, N.J.; his mother,</p>

	<p>Genevieve Callagee of Syracuse; two grandchildren; an uncle; and several nieces and nephews.</p> <p>Services will be at 11 a.m. Monday in the Church of the Transfiguration, Mendon, where a Mass will be celebrated by his uncle, Monsignor Jeremiah McCarthy. Burial will be in Maplewood Cemetery, Henrietta.</p> <p>Calling hours will be 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and Sunday at Miller Funeral Homes, 1625 Mount Hope Ave., Rochester.</p> <p>Contributions may be made to the Eli Fagan Post, American Legion, or the building fund of the Church of the Transfiguration, 50 W. Bloomfield Road, Pittsford 14534.</p> <p>Source: The Post-Standard, Syracuse, NY, Dec. 25, 1992, extracted May 27, 2007.</p>
Callahan, Gary E.	<p>Gary E. Callahan, 35 died Thursday, Nov.22 at Georgetown, KY as a result of an automobile accident.</p> <p>Born June 6, 1966 in Savannah he was a U.S. Army veteran serving in Desert Storm. He is preceded in death by his father, Eugene Callahan.</p> <p>Survivors: wife, Kay N. (Holmes) Callahan of Greenville; sons, Jacob Nathaniel Callahan and Ethan Ryan Callahan of Greenville; daughter, Alexandria Elizabeth Callahan of Greenville; mother and step-father, Brenda (Patrick) and Oscar Criswell of Bloomingdale; brother, Barry Criswell of GA; sister, Amber Thomas of GA.</p> <p>Visitation: 6:00 - 8:00p.m. Monday, Nov. 26, Zechar Bailey Funeral Home.</p> <p>Funeral: 2:00 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 27, Zechar Bailey Funeral Home, Greenville, Rev. Dr. John Person officiating.</p> <p>Zechar Bailey Funeral Home</p> <p>Source: Savannah Morning News, Savannah, GA, Nov. 25, 2001, extracted May 30, 2007</p>
Calloway, Kevin Lee	<p>Pfc. Kevin Lee Calloway: <b>SERVICEMAN DIES</b> A Wisconsin serviceman was killed in a vehicle accident while serving with the Army in Saudi Arabia, officials said Monday.</p> <p>Pfc. Kevin Lee Calloway, 20, of the Wood County community of Arpin, was killed in a crash early Saturday morning Saudi Arabian time, said Capt. Mark Marszalek.</p> <p>Calloway was serving with the Army's 628th Transportation Unit in Operation Desert Shield. Marszalek, of the Army ROTC program at UW-Stevens Point, confirmed the death and said funeral services were pending.</p> <p>Source: Wisconsin State Journal, Madison, WI, Nov. 27, 1990, extracted May 27, 2007.</p> <p><b>WISCONSIN SOLDIER WHO DIED IN MIDEAST IS BURIED</b> Army Pfc. Kevin Calloway, the first Wisconsin soldier to die while serving in</p>

the Persian Gulf, would "walk a mile for you, give the shirt off his back," a friend and colleague recalled Monday.

About 80 mourners, including Army Spec. Richard Naus, battled a blizzard-like snowstorm to attend Calloway's funeral.

Calloway, 20, of Arpin, died in a truck accident in Saudi Arabia Nov. 24, becoming the 49th American killed during Operation Desert Shield.

A second Wisconsin serviceman, Airman 1st Class Rocky Nelson, 21, died Friday when a truck he was directing struck him. Nelson, of New Auburn, was serving with the Air Force in the 4th Tactical Wing Command of the Civil Engineering Squadron.

On Monday, an honor guard from Fort Sheridan, Ill., offered military rites and a 21-gun salute for Calloway.

Burial was in Restlawn Memorial Cemetery after a brief military ceremony in which the family was represented by Calloway's brother, Kevin, the slain soldier's mother, Judith said.

Naus, formerly of Waukesha, accompanied Calloway's body back to the United States.

"He would walk a mile for you, give the shirt off his back and make you laugh in the saddest cases," Naus said. "He could laugh at anything. ... He was my partner through thick and thin. Lord knows I'm going to miss him."

Naus said he met Calloway, a truck mechanic, two years ago while both were stationed Fort Hood, Texas, in the 628th Transportation Unit.

Naus said he wanted to accompany Calloway's body to Wisconsin "for my own heart, for personal reasons. You don't just watch someone die out there and say goodbye. That becomes personal." More than 250,000 U.S. troops, including more than 2,000 from Wisconsin, have been sent to the Persian Gulf region following Iraq's Aug. 2 invasion of Kuwait.

A United Nations resolution passed last week authorizes the use of force if Iraqi troops don't withdraw from Kuwait by Jan. 15.

Calloway, who joined the Army in 1988 to earn money to study computers in college, was stationed about 30 miles from the Kuwait border at the time he was killed, his family said.

The Rev. John Corcoran of Victory Christian Church called Calloway's death "tragic, unexpected, senseless."

Calloway never let things get him down and he was very close to his family, the minister told mourners.

When the soldier's father suffered a heart attack in January, Calloway went AWOL - absent without leave - from his unit in Texas to be by his dad, the minister said. "It showed where his priorities were, to be next to his family."

Arpin, a community of about 360 people, is between Wisconsin Rapids and Marshfield.

	<p>Source: St. Paul Pioneer Press, St. Paul, MN, Dec. 4, 1990, extracted May 27, 2007</p>
<p>Calonaheskie, Joseph</p>	<p>Cherokee -- Joseph Calonaheskie Jr., 44, of Cherokee, died Sunday, April 22, 2007, at Cherokee Indian Hospital.</p> <p>He is the son of Joseph Calonaheskie Sr. and Lwezie Tushka. Joseph is preceded in death by his father, Joseph Calonaheskie Sr.; grandfather, Phillip Calonaheskie; and uncle, Charles Calonaheskie. Mr.</p> <p>Calonaheskie is a member of the Pentecostal Faith in Cherokee, enjoyed golf, taking his son to Motorcross races and going to the fitness center.</p> <p>He was a veteran of Desert Storm, serving 8 years in the Navy and worked in maintenance at the Cherokee Indian Hospital for 14 years.</p> <p>Survivors include his mother, Lwezie Tushka Calonaheskie; one son, Anthony Benson Calonaheskie of Cherokee; two brothers, Raymond Calonaheskie of Waynesville, and Anthony Wayne Calonaheskie of Independence, Mo.; one sister, Delores Ann Queen of Cherokee; maternal grandmother, Elizabeth Calonaheskie of Cherokee; and five nieces and three nephews.</p> <p>The funeral service will be held 2 p.m. Thursday at Wolfstown Community Center in Cherokee with the Revs. Betty Drake and Donald Ensley officiating. Visitation will be from 5 p.m. Wednesday until the service hour at the Pentecostal Church. Interment will be in Queen Family Cemetery following the service. Arrangements are being handled by Moody Funeral Home and Crematorium, 714 West Main Street, Sylva, N.C. (828) 586-4014.</p> <p>Source: Asheville Citizen-Times, Asheville, NC, April 15, 2007, extracted September 23, 2007.</p>
<p>Calton, Renneth J. II</p>	<p>Renneth "Ren" J. Calton, II, 43, of Huntersville passed away at his home Sunday, February 4, 2007. Ren was born March 14, 1963 in Rocky Mount NC to R. J. Calton, Sr and Lillian Daughtridge Truitt. His family moved to Greensboro in 1965 and graduated from Western Guilford High School in 1981.</p> <p>He attended Admiral Farragut Naval Academy in Pine Beach, NJ graduating in 1982. Ren entered the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis, MD in 1982, graduating in 1986 with a degree in Electrical Engineering and entered active service in the Navy as an Ensign. His flight training began in 1986 at NAS Pensacola, FL and he received his Naval Aviation Wings in Meridian, MS in 1988. Ren was assigned to an A-6 Squadron in Whidbey Island, WA from 1988 until he was deployed on the USS Midway CV-41 in 1990 and later their squadron moved to the USS Independence-both were stationed in Yokosuka, Japan.</p> <p>From January 1991 through April of that year he flew sorties in the Desert Storm War. He returned to Greensboro in May 1991 and married Cameron Reece on July 27, 1991. They moved to NAS Atsugi, Japan where he flew in the post Southern Watch until he completed his military career and was honorably discharged May 1994.</p> <p>Following his military career he joined the family business, North</p>

	<p>Carolina Equipment Company as Vice President and Branch Manager of the Charlotte, Asheville, Greenville, Columbia and Summerville Operatons. In 2002 he started a new venture in partnership with this father, Cal-Corp, LLC which was a commercial Real Estate Investment firm.</p> <p>He was a devoted and loving father to his sons, Austin and Landon and his wife, Cameron. And a devoted son, brother and son-in-law to all of his extended family in Greensboro and Raleigh. He is survived by his wife, Cameron Reece Calton and his sons, Renneth Austin and Landon Javan Calton of the home, his father R.J. Calton, Sr. of Raleigh, his mother, Lillian Truitt of Greensboro, his grandmother, Mary Calton of Raleigh, his sister, Lari and her husband, Mike Young of Burlington VT and brother, Chris and his wife, Karen Calton of Holly Springs.</p> <p>The family will receive friends on Wednesday February 7, 2007 from 7-8:30 p.m. at Raymer Funeral Home on the corner of Hwy 73 and Old Statesville Road (Hwy 115). Funeral service to celebrate his life will be conducted 2 p.m. Thursday, February 8, at Huntersville First Baptist Church, 119 N Old Statesville Road (Hwy 115) Huntersville, NC. Burial services will be immediately following at the Mt. Zion Community Cemetery, Hwy 115, Cornelius, NC.</p> <p>Memorials in his name can be made to the First Baptist Church of Huntersville, 119 N. Old Statesville Road, Huntersville, N.C. 28078. Arrangements by Raymer Funeral Home, Huntersville, NC.</p> <p>Source: The News &amp; Observer, Raleigh, NC, Feb. 8, 2007, extracted Sep. 25, 2007</p>
<p>Calvin, Franklin G.</p>	<p>Calvin G. Franklin, 71, a retired Army major general who as commander of the D.C. National Guard oversaw the mobilization of its units during Operation Desert Storm and Desert Shield, died of congestive heart failure at the home of his son in San Diego.</p> <p>Gen. Franklin had served at various commands and staff positions in the California Army National Guard when President Ronald Reagan appointed him commander of the D.C. Guard in 1981.</p> <p>In that capacity, he commanded more than 4,000 national guardsmen and support staff, and he managed a budget of more than \$800 million in facilities, resources and equipment.</p> <p>His other responsibilities included oversight of the Guard's support role with law enforcement agencies in counternarcotics operations. He also initiated a program combining Guard duty with community service. In one instance, the graves registration unit of the D.C. Guard worked at reerecting fallen and vandalized tombstones at Washington's historic Congressional Cemetery.</p> <p>After retiring from the military in 1991, he founded Engineering Systems Consultants Inc., which develops technologies in telecommunications engineering and resource management among other fields. He was the company's president and chief executive officer until his death.</p> <p>Gen. Franklin, a Mitchellville resident, was born in De Queen, Ark. He graduated magna cum laude from National University with a degree in</p>

	<p>engineering technology and received a master's degree in human behavior from the U.S. International University, both in San Diego.</p> <p>He enlisted in the California National Guard in 1948 and was sent to Korea during the Korean War with the 1402nd Engineer Battalion. Upon his release from active duty, he returned to the California Guard, where he was commissioned a second lieutenant.</p> <p>He graduated from the Army Command and General Staff College, the Industrial College of the Armed Forces and the Army War College.</p> <p>His military honors included the Legion of Merit.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, Betty Franklin of Mitchellville; three children, Steven Franklin, Kevin Franklin and Gail Franklin, all of San Diego; three brothers; five grandchildren; and a great-granddaughter.</p> <p>Source: The Washington Post, Washington D.C., June 23, 2000, extracted May 25, 2007</p>
Camacho, Alfredo Sgt.	<p>Life stories: Sgt. Alfredo Camacho posted June 8, 2004</p> <p>Staff Sgt. Alfredo Camacho brought laughter to Columbia's U.S. Army Recruiting Station and was dedicated to his family as well as his own physical fitness.</p> <p>"Sgt. Camacho had a great sense of humor," said Sgt. 1st Class Chad E. Hester. "He had this serious side to him, but at the same time he would always come in and tell these jokes. He was just a funny guy."</p> <p>Sgt. Camacho, of Columbia, died Saturday, May 29, 2004, in a car accident on U.S. 63. He was 39.</p> <p>He was born Sept. 9, 1964, in New York and entered the Army on April 30, 1984. In 20 years of service, he served in various positions at locations including Texas, Germany, Saudi Arabia and Croatia.</p> <p>Most recently, he was assigned to the Columbia recruiting station as a U.S. Army Reserve recruiter and assistant station commander.</p> <p>Hester, who takes pride in saying he is the first person Sgt. Camacho met when he arrived in Columbia, said he got to know the Gulf War veteran when the two would go out on buddy teams and ride together as recruiters.</p> <p>Sgt. Camacho was able to develop strong relationships with his recruits.</p> <p>Erich Rahm, a psychological operations specialist in the Army Reserve, said that when he decided to join the reserves and go active in 2002, he began working closely with Sgt. Camacho.</p> <p>He would go out on a limb for people he was recruiting, Rahm said. "He would always try to get them good benefits."</p> <p>In addition to his work at the recruiting station, Sgt. Camacho was highly dedicated to his personal fitness.</p>

	<p>Most of the time we'd work out on the MU campus, at the rec. center, Hester said. "If we'd do physical training in the morning at 6 or 6:30 a.m., Sgt. Camacho would get there around 5:30 a.m. He'd be there on the track or in the weight room working out."</p> <p>He was even more dedicated to his family.</p> <p>Any time that he could get off, the first thing Sgt. Camacho would do is go home to his family, Hester said. "I don't think I ever recall seeing Sgt. Camacho on the weekend without his family."</p> <p>Sgt. Camacho is survived by his wife, Rita Michelle Camacho; and four children: Christopher, Stephanie, Matthew and Marissa.</p> <p>Memorial services were held Saturday in Rosenberg, Texas. Burial was in Needville, Texas.</p> <p>-- Aaron Richter Source: Columbia Missourian, Columbia, MO, June 9, 2004</p>
<p>Cambridge, Lyle J.</p>	<p>Lyle J. Cambridge, a Navajo Nation member and soldier serving his fourth year in the Army, was killed while on patrol in Iraq this week.</p> <p>Cpl. Cambridge, 23, of Shiprock was one of two soldiers killed Tuesday when a homemade bomb was detonated near their vehicle. The other soldier, Staff Sgt. Scottie L. Bright, 36, was from Montgomery, Ala., the Army announced Wednesday.</p> <p>Cambridge's parents learned of their son's death Wednesday morning. Dwayne "Chili" Yazzie, president of the Shiprock Chapter House, said he spoke with Cpl. Cambridge's father shortly after an Army detail delivered the news. Cambridge's family was planning a birthday party for their youngest son Tuesday when they saw a government vehicle pull up at their home. The soldier's father, Joe Cambridge Sr., saw a soldier get out of the vehicle. "That's when it hit me," he told The Daily Times of Farmington. "My heart just went." The elder Cambridge is a veteran of Desert Storm and one of his other sons also serves in the military. "I'm really proud of my kids, but what happened here, I don't like," he said. "Why are we fighting this war? It's not ours." He said that once Iraqi leader Saddam Hussein was removed from power, American soldiers should have been withdrawn from the country. Cambridge's family gathered Wednesday to celebrate the soldier's life in a traditional Navajo way.</p> <p>The explosion that claimed Bright and Cambridge detonated near their Humvee. The two were assigned to the 3rd Armored Cavalry Regiment's 3rd Squadron at Fort Carson, Colo. Cambridge was serving the second half of his deployment to Iraq, said Navajo Nation spokesman George Hardeen.</p> <p>In addition to his parents, Cambridge is survived by his wife, Evonne, and sons Wyatt, 3, and Nick T., 1, Hardeen said. Cambridge joined the Army in May 2002, two years after graduating from Aztec High School. Navajo Nation officials withheld a public statement Wednesday. Another soldier from the Arizona side of the reservation has been listed as missing in action, Hardeen said. Until further news of that soldier's fate is known, Navajo President Joe Shirley isn't planning a statement, Hardeen said.</p>

	<p>Cambridge is the 12th serviceman with New Mexico ties killed in Iraq and the second one of them from the Navajo Nation. On April 6, 2004, Army Sgt. Lee Todacheene, 29, who grew up in Farmington, was killed by a mortar attack in Balad. At least 59 soldiers from Fort Carson have died in Iraq. Another 68 soldiers from the 2nd Brigade Combat Team, which will move to the base when its current tour in Iraq is over, have died there. Every weekend, the Navajo Nation has held ceremonies offering both Christian and traditional prayers across the reservation in honor of its soldiers. Material from The Associated Press was used in this report.</p> <p>Source: Albuquerque Journal, Albuquerque, NM, Jul. 7, 2005, extracted Sep. 5, 2007</p>
<p>Cambron, David T.</p>	<p>Cambron, David T.</p> <p>David T. Cambron, age 43, formerly of Aurora, went home to be with the Lord on Oct. 7, 2001. He served in the U.S. Navy for almost 20 years and was stationed in the Gulf during Desert Storm.</p> <p>David leaves behind a loving and devoted wife, Judith (Waterhouse) Cambron, formerly of San Diego, CA; his mother, Ruth Butler of Aurora; a sister Vicki (Robert) Snipes of Aurora; and nephew Jason (Sondra) Newberry of Addison.</p> <p>A military service will be held Thursday, Oct. 18, 2001, at 1:30 p.m. at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery, 27034 S. Diagonal Rd., Elwood, IL. A memorial service will follow at 5:00 p.m. at Trinity Baptist Church in Aurora.</p> <p>Arrangements handled by Heritage Funeral Home, 3117 S. Oak Park Ave., Berwyn, IL. For more information, call (708)788-7775</p> <p>Source: The Beacon News, Aurora, IL, Oct. 17, 2001, extracted May 30, 2007</p>
<p>Campbell, Bryan L.</p>	<p>Bryan L. Campbell, 45, of New Straitsville, passed away Wednesday, April 11, 2007, at Hocking Valley Community Hospital.</p> <p>He was born May 13, 1961, in Lancaster and was the son of the late George Roger and Lois Karen (Cofman) Campbell.</p> <p>Bryan served in the U.S. Army during Desert Shield and Desert Storm and participated in the Kuwait Liberation.</p> <p>He is survived by a son, Bryan L. Campbell Jr. of Jacksonville, N.C.; daughters, Amanda Campbell of Circleville and Amber and Alisha Campbell, both of Lancaster; brothers, Roger W. (Tracy) Campbell of Latrobe, Pa., and Rodney W. Campbell Sr. of New Straitsville; maternal grandfather, Orville Cofman of Lancaster; several aunts and uncles, including Larry and Janet Cofman, who raised Bryan after his mother's death in 1974. He is also survived by several nieces and nephews.</p> <p>In addition to his parents, he was also preceded in death by a brother, Greg Campbell.</p>

	<p>Services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Taylor Funeral Home in Amanda with the Rev. Erladean Heffner officiating. Burial will be in Amanda Township Cemetery where military honors will be provided by AMVETS Post 2256, Circleville. Friends may call one hour prior to service at the funeral home.</p> <p>In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions be made to Taylor Funeral Home to assist with expenses.</p> <p>Source: Lancaster Eagle-Gazette, Lancaster, OH, April 13, 2007, extracted September 23, 2007.</p>
<p>Campbell, James Monroe</p>	<p>SHREVEPORT, LA - James Monroe Campbell III, 42, of Shreveport, Louisiana, beloved husband of Kim Leone Campbell and father of Tyler, Chance and Kaylee Campbell passed from the loving arms of his family into the loving arms of his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on July 1, 2007 after a 6 month battle with cancer.</p> <p>Jay was born on July 1, 1965 in Tuscaloosa, Alabama to Butch and Melba Jean Campbell. He received the most wonderful gift of being with Jesus on his 42nd birthday.</p> <p>As a devoted husband and loving father, Jay had a special love for his family. He will be missed and remembered as a kind, encouraging and special person. Jay was a difference maker in the lives of many people that he touched.</p> <p>Jay served his country as a ten year veteran in the U.S. Air Force and served in Desert Shield/Desert Storm.</p> <p>"Coach Jay" as he was affectionately called by his players in the Cavalier Youth Football program was a Christian example and role model to the young men that he instructed. Jay Campbell's life was reflected by the words of the Apostle Paul in 2 Timothy 4:7 "I have fought the good fight; I have finished the race; I have kept the faith." Praise be to the Lord for the salvation of his saints!</p> <p>There will be a memorial service to celebrate Jay's life at Calvary Baptist Church at 1:00pm on Wednesday, July 4th, 2007 with internment to follow at Centuries Memorial on Mansfield Road. Visitation will be from 5:00-8:00pm on Tuesday, July 3rd at Calvary Baptist Church at 9333 Linwood Ave, Shreveport, Louisiana.</p> <p>Jay is survived by his wife of 16 years, Kim Leone Campbell, son Tyler Campbell (12), son Chance Campbell (6), daughter Kaylee Campbell (4). He is also survived by his mother Melba Jean Burt Campbell, his father Butch Campbell, brothers Jeff and wife Joy Campbell and brother Joey Campbell, all of Tuscaloosa, Alabama. Jay is also survived by his father-in-law Joe Leone and mother-in-law Verda Leone, brother-in-law Kenny Leone and wife Cherie, brother-in-law Stephen Leone and wife Shannon, sister-in-law Susan Burkett and husband Ben, all of Shreveport, Louisiana. Jay also leaves behind a host of nieces, nephews and a large extended family.</p> <p>Officiating the service will be Rev. W. D. "Step" Martin. Assisting will be Rev. Spencer Lovitt.</p> <p>Pallbearers include Rev. Spencer Lovitt, Leland McNabb, Dr. Bob Martin, Walter Copeland, Gary Thompson and Kenny Hester.</p>

	<p>Honorary pallbearers include Kenny Leone, Stephen Leone, Jeff Campbell, Joey Campbell, Ben Burkett, Bo Fong, Randy Jackson and Tracey Lovitt and the 2006 11 year old Cavs Offensive Line, son Tyler Campbell, Tyler Craig, Brandon Duncan, Alexander Moody, Jordan DePrang, Kaylon Marshall, Josh Hunt and Justin Hester.</p> <p>The family would like to express their heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Jonathan Glass, Dr. Michelle Self and the staff at Shreveport/Bossier City Hospice Company and Medical Care. Also, the family would like to thank their Calvary Church family and the many, many friends who gave so much of their time, money and prayers over the last few months. Words cannot express our appreciation. May God bless you all. Rose-Neath Funeral Home Marshall St. Chapel 222-0348</p> <p>Source: The Times, Shreveport, LA, July 3, 2007, extracted September 28, 2007.</p>
Cannon, Michael James	<p>Michael James Cannon</p> <p>Memorial service for Michael "Mike" James Cannon, 49, Lawton, will be at 2 p.m. Saturday at Lawton Ritter Gray Funeral Home Chapel.</p> <p>Mr. Cannon died Monday, Dec. 26, 2005, in Lawton</p> <p>He was born April 29, 1956, in Chicago, Ill., to Jim and Sally (Obitz) Cannon. He graduated from Lawton High School in 1974. He attended the University of Oklahoma his freshman year and transferred to Cameron University after his father, Brigadier General James W. Cannon, died in 1975. While at Cameron, he wrote for the Cameron Collegian. His column was called "The Mountain Man." Mike enlisted in the United States Navy and served for 12 years with Navy Seal Team 1. He traveled the world aboard the U.S.S. Enterprise and the Catawba. He served during the Gulf War and returned stateside to marry Shirley in 1983 in San Diego, Calif. He completed his 20 years with the United States Naval Reserve in Chicago, where he started his owned computer business until the attacks during Sept. 11, 2001. He returned to Lawton, where he worked with Bobby Whitehead in his computer business until he took a position with the Assurant Group.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, of the home; mother, and his brother, Mark Cannon, Lawton; and many aunts and uncles in Detroit, Mich.; and Florida.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by his father.</p> <p>Memorial contributions may be made to the Mike Cannon Memorial Scholarship at Cameron University. Please join the family in a celebration of Mike's life at his mother's home after the service.</p> <p>Source: Lawton Constitution, Lawton, OK, Dec. 28, 2005</p>
Cantrell, Virgil Lee	<p>CANTRELL, VIRGIL LEE, of Hialeah, Fl., passed away Saturday, April 21, 2007.</p> <p>Survived by beloved son of Lois Marie Cantrell of Okeechobee, Fl.; beloved husband of Grissell Freijo-Cantrell; beloved brother of Micheline Cantrell-Ellis of Miramar, Fl., Robert Wesley Cantrell of Lawrenceville, Ga., Barbara Bradham of Leesburg, Fl., Clyde Cantrell-Harris of Okeechobee, Fl., Linda Cantrell of Leesburg, Fl. and beloved uncle and friend.</p>

	<p>He served honorably as a SSG. for the U.S. Army in Viet Nam and Desert Storm.</p> <p>Memorial Services will be held on Saturday, April 28 at 3 PM at Lowe-Hanks Funeral Home, 4850 Palm Avenue, Hialeah, Fl 33012, 305-823-3411.</p> <p>Source: The Miami Herald, Miami, FL, April 28, 2007, extracted September 23, 2007.</p>
<p>Caole, Nicolas D.</p>	<p>Nicolas D. "Nick" Caole, 46, of the 4700 block of Brompton Drive, died Feb. 15, 1994, in Virginia Beach.</p> <p>Mr. Caole was born in the Philippines and was formerly employed as a restaurant manager at Days Inn Oceanfront. He was retired from the Navy after 22 years, a veteran of the Desert Storm Gulf War. He was a member of the Fleet Reserve and former member of the Knights of Columbus, Rhode Island. He was a Roman Catholic.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, Julia C. Caole; a daughter, Nicole Caole of Virginia Beach; three sons, Chris Caole of Virginia Beach and Oscar Miranda and Richard Miranda, both of Newport, R.I.; his parents, Eustaquia D. Caole and Jacob Caole of Virginia Beach; and three sisters, Jean Gorimo, Lilia Monterro and Lina Juanillo, all of the Philippines.</p> <p>A prayer service will be conducted at 7 p.m. today at Kellum Funeral Home, Pleasant Hall Chapel, by Father Luke Policicchio. The body will be sent from Kellum Funeral Home to O'Neill/Haoes Funeral Home, Newport, R.I., for services and burial. The family asks that donations be made to the American Cancer Society.</p> <p>Source: The Virginian-Pilot, Norfolk, VA, Feb. 17, 1994, extracted June 15, 2007.</p>
<p>Carafano, Mark Steven</p>	<p>Carofano, Mark Steven, passed away August 24, 2005.</p> <p>He was the beloved son of Maureen Carofano of East Haven, Conn., and the late Louis Carofano, formerly of Guilford, Conn.; husband of Lynn Marie Carofano of Valrico; father of Meagen Marie and Christopher Steven Carofano, both of Valrico, Jason Alexander Carofano of East Haven, Conn., and Dezaray and Mark Carofano Jr. of Jacksonville; grandson of the late William and Ethel (Zemke) McCarthy, and Alexander and Rose (Gallucci) Carofano; brother of Craig and Steven Carofano, both of East Haven, Conn.; brother-in-law of Ellen Carofano of East Haven, Conn., Michael and Sue Pergolatti of Florida, and James and Julie Pergolatti; and uncle to Krystina, Colleen Carofano of East Haven, Conn., Jessica and Steven Jr. of Jupiter, Fla., and Michael, Nicholas and Angela Pergolatti of Florida.</p> <p>Graduate of East Haven High School, employed by the former City Printing Co. in North Haven, Conn., and Northeast Graphics. He was a lifelong resident of East Haven, Conn., and spent the last four years residing and working in Valrico, where he was employed as a journeyman for Hartz-Hanks Tampa Flyer, Inc.</p> <p>He proudly served his country as a private first class, 1st Battalion 64th Armour, and was awarded numerous certificates of achievements for</p>

	<p>Tank System Recovery Specialists. Mark received an honorable discharge from the United States Army after proudly serving his country during Desert Storm.</p> <p>Amongst Mark's many achievements in life, by far his most cherished is the life he made here with his best friend and wife, and his children. Mark leaves behind many lifetime friends with whom he shared many special times with in East Haven, Conn. A funeral Mass will be conducted 10:30 a.m. Monday, August 29, 2005, at Nativity Catholic church. The family will receive friends one hour prior to services at the funeral home. Stowers-Brandon Dignity Memorial</p> <p>Source: The Tampa Tribune, Tampa, FL, Aug. 27, 2005, extracted Sep. 9, 2007</p>
Carbon, Glenn	<p>GLEN CARBON, 48, died Monday. He was an Air Force veteran of Desert Storm. No visitation. Funeral 11 a.m. Friday at St. Mark's Methodist Church in Florissant. No burial service. Memorials to D.A.R.E. Irwin-Scott Chapel is in charge of arrangements.</p> <p>Source: St. Louis Post-Dispatch, St. Louis, MO, Aug, 18, 1999, extracted July 12, 2007.</p>
Cardona, Louis, Jr.	<p>Cardona, Louis, Jr.</p> <p>Louis Cardona Jr., 45, of the 1000 block of Creekview Ridge, died Nov. 15, 1998, at a Virginia Beach hospital.</p> <p>Born in New York, N.Y., he was retired from the U.S. Navy after serving in Vietnam and Desert Storm, and was a security guard.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, Teresa Peralta Cardona; his parents, Sadoth and Noemi Cardona; two brothers, Jose, all of Puerto Rico, and Eddie Cardona of Dorado, Puerto Rico.</p> <p>A funeral Mass will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Catholic Church of St. Mark by Father Daniel Klem. Burial will be at a later date. The family will receive friends at Hollomon-Brown Funeral Home, Kempsville Chapel, today from 7 to 9 p.m. The family requests that memorial contributions be made to the American Red Cross for the Hurricane Victims Relief Fund.</p> <p>Source: The Virginian-Pilot, Norfolk, VA, Nov 17, 1998, extracted June 25, 2007.</p>
Carhart, Dorothy C.	<p>.Services for Mrs. Dorothy C. Carhart, 52, of Union Beach will be at 11 a.m. Friday in the John F. Pflieger Funeral Home, 115 Tindall Rd., Middletown.</p> <p>Mrs. Carhart, who died Saturday in the Bayshore Community Hospital, Holmdel, was a vice president with Low-Dot Associates Inc., Union Beach, for five years. She also was a registered nurse at various hospitals for 15 years.</p> <p>Mrs. Carhart was a captain in the Army Reserve Nursing Corps during Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>She was graduated, with honors, from the Charles E. Gregory School of Nursing in Perth Amboy in 1979.</p>

	<p>Mrs. Carhart was treasurer of the Grace Untied Methodist Church in Union Beach, and a member of the German Club in Clark and the Tuesday Night Idiots Delite Bowling League at Airport Plaza Bowling Center in Hazlet.</p> <p>Born in Iselin, she lived in Keyport and Rahway before moving to Union Beach 27 years ago.</p> <p>Surviving are Lowell, her husband of 23 years; sons, Lowell P. and Russell; daughters, Mrs. Tina Rotondo, Mrs. Laurie Engemann and Mrs. Christine Coyle; brothers, Harry and Thomas Evans, and 13 grandchildren.</p> <p>Source: The Star-Ledger, Newark, NJ, Jan. 3, 2001, extracted Jun. 2, 2007</p>
<p>Carlin, Robert B.</p>	<p>Robert B. Carlin, 66, a veteran of the Vietnam War and Operation Desert Storm, died Sunday (Feb. 27, 2000) in Mount St. Mary's Hospital, Lewiston, after having been ill for several years.</p> <p>Carlin was born in Teaneck, N.J., and graduated from high school in Jersey City. A quarter-century later, he returned to the classroom, earning a degree from Niagara County Community College in 1977. He also attended Niagara University for two years.</p> <p>Carlin joined the Marine Corps in 1951 and stayed for 16 years. At various times he was in the 2nd Marine Air Wing, the 1st and 3rd Marine Divisions, and in reserve duty at Trenton, N.J., and in the Marine Barracks in Brooklyn. His overseas postings included Vietnam and the Philippines, and he was stationed in Hawaii for a time.</p> <p>After discharge and a move to Niagara Falls, he joined the 914th Airlift Wing of the Air Force Reserve and remained a member for 23 years until his retirement in 1992 as a senior master sergeant.</p> <p>Carlin was activated in 1990-91 for service in operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm.</p> <p>Carlin also worked 25 years as a carbon finisher at Airco Carbon, retiring in 1996.</p> <p>He was a third- and fourth-degree member of Niagara Falls Council 247, Knights of Columbus, and a Eucharistic minister and a member of the Holy Name Society of Prince of Peace Catholic Church.</p> <p>His first wife, Dolores Kasper Carlin, died in 1959.</p> <p>Survivors include his second wife of 33 years, the former Judith M. D'Anna; a daughter, Kathleen M. Walsh of Loxahatchee, Fla.; two stepsons, Dana E. Barber of Flower Mound, Texas, and Darrin E. Barber; a stepdaughter, Dawn R. Zarambo of the Town of Tonawanda; two brothers, James E. Jr. of Orlando, Fla., and John J. of Lewiston; and four grandchildren.</p> <p>A Mass of Christian Burial will be offered at 10 a.m. Wednesday in Prince of Peace Church, 1055 Military Road, after prayers at 9:30 in Otto Redanz Funeral Home LaSalle Park Chapel, 2215 Military Road, Town of Niagara.</p>

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<p>Carlton, Frederick Delano</p>	<p>Frederick Delano ``Papa" Carlton, 58, of Perry died Monday in Lake City.</p> <p>The service will be at 11 a.m. today at Joe P. Burns Funeral Home in Perry (904-594-4149). Burial with full military honors will follow at Pisgah Cemetery in Perry.</p> <p>A lifelong resident of Taylor County, he was retired from the Army, and had served in Operation Desert Storm. He was a member of Perry Elks Lodge No. 1851, the Masonic Lodge in West Point, N.Y., and Lakeside Baptist Church in Perry.</p> <p>He is survived by his wife, Mildred Carlton of Perry; two daughters, Deborah Carlton Sibley and Donna Freeman, both of Perry; his mother, Corinne Carlton of Perry; two brothers, Ralph Carlton of Perry and Cecil Carlton of Pensacola; five sisters, Edna Parker, Mildred Meadows and Gay Register, all of Perry, Anita Carlton of Tampa and Reba Blackshear of Mayo; and five grandchildren.</p> <p>Source: Tallahassee Democrat, Tallahassee, FL, June 8, 1994, extracted June 15, 2007.</p>
<p>Carlton, James Leonard</p>	<p>Machinist Mate First Class James "Jimmy Joe" Leonard Carleton, 36, of Port Orchard, Wash., died Jan. 28 as a result of injuries sustained in a snowboarding accident in Calgary, Canada. His paternal grandmother, Angelina Arrighini Carleton, is a resident of North Adams. Born in Burlington, Vt., on June 12, 1963, son of retired Col. John Carleton and Madeleine Ferland Carleton, he graduated from Colchester (Vt.) High School. MM1 Carleton enlisted in the Navy on Feb. 23, 1983. He graduated from Machinist Mate Nuclear School at Naval Training Command in Great Lake, Ill., in 1983. In 1984, he graduated from the Navy Nuclear Power Training Unit in Ballston Spa, N.Y.</p> <p>He served during Desert Storm and completed three deployments, two with the USS Arkansas and one with USS Truxton. He was awarded many campaign medals. He enjoyed being with his family and was active in soccer and dirt biking. Besides his father and mother, of Jeffersonville, and his grandmother, he leaves his wife, Doranne; two sons, Ryan Carleton and Derrick Carleton, both of Port Orchard; four sisters, Theresa Ellen Bower of Spokane, Wash., Carol Jean Beard and Melissa A. Carr, both of Jeffersonville, and Deanna R. Plourde of Burlington, Vt.; three brothers, David John Carleton of Burlington, John Patrick Carleton of Jonesboro, Ga., and Thomas Andrew Carleton of Austin, Texas. Funeral Notice -- Services for former MM1 James Leonard Carleton will take place Thursday at 9:45 at Flynn &amp; Dagnoli Home For Funerals, Central Chapels, followed by a Liturgy of Christian Burial at 10:30 at St. Anthony's Church, North Adams, Mass. Burial will take place in the spring in the Veterans' Memorial Cemetery in Randolph, Vt. Calling hours at Flynn &amp; Dagnoli Home For Funerals, Central Chapels, 74 Marshall St., North Adams, will be Wednesday from 4 to 8. Memorial donations are suggested for the Navy and Marine Corps Relief Society through Flynn &amp; Dagnoli Home For Funerals, North Adams, MA 01247. Mr. Carleton also leaves aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.</p>

	<p>Source: The Berkshire Eagle, Pittsfield, MA, Jan. 31, 2000, extracted May 28, 2007</p>
Carlton, Stephen Donald	<p>CARLTON, Stephen Donald, 36, a lifetime native of Tampa, passed away September 23, 2007.</p> <p>He is survived by his daughter, Adele Star Carlton; father, Donald N. Carlton; mother, Annelore Carlton; sister, Monica Carlton Lockhart, and her husband, Bennie Lockhart; nephew, Eric Lockhart; niece, Kristina Lockhart; many aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.</p> <p>Stephen served in the U.S. Army during Operation Desert Storm. He was employed as the technical service group manager at IT Authorities.</p> <p>A funeral service to honor his life will be conducted 10 a.m. Friday, September 28, 2007, at the Adams &amp; Jennings Chapel. The family will receive friends 6-8 p.m. today, September 27, 2007, at the funeral home. Interment will follow at 12:30 p.m. at Florida National Cemetery in Bushnell.</p> <p>Source: The Tampa Tribune, Tampa, FL, September 27, 2007, extracted October 3, 2007.</p>
Carolus, Michael D.	<p>Michael D. Carolus Chemist WEST WINDSOR — Michael D. Carolus died Tuesday at University Medical Center at Princeton. He was 38. Born in Virginia Beach, Va., he was a graduate of Princeton University, obtaining a doctorate degree. Mr. Carolus was a chemist at Evans Analytical Group, East Windsor. He was a lieutenant junior grade in the Navy, serving in the Gulf War. Son of the late Roger Carolus, he is survived by his mother, Karen Walsh Carolus; wife Julia Owen Carolus of West Windsor; son Augustus Carolus; brother Jacob Paulson; and sisters Tami Audeh and April Johnson. The funeral is scheduled for 10 a.m. Monday at Princeton University Chapel. Arrangements are by Mather-Hodge Funeral Home, Princeton.</p> <p>Mary L. Torre Source: The Princeton Packet, Princeton, NJ, Dec. 2, 2005</p>
Carpenter, Bobby G.	<p>Bobby G. Carpenter, 35, of Monroe died Monday morning in his home.</p> <p>Friends may call from 3 to 9 p.m. today at the Allore chapel of the Martenson Family of Funeral Homes, where services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday. The Rev. Ernest P. Fultz Sr., pastor of Petersburg Missionary Baptist Church, will officiate. Burial will be in Roselawn Memorial Park, LaSalle, where members of Monroe Post 1138, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will confer military honors.</p> <p>Born Nov. 19, 1970, in Ann Arbor, he was the son of Crayton and Wanda (Hurst) Carpenter.</p> <p>A laborer, he had worked at Ford Motor Co.'s Monroe plant.</p> <p>Mr. Carpenter served in the Army's Special Forces, 82nd Airborne Division, in Iraq during Operation Desert Storm. He also had served in Korea from 1990 to 1994. He earned the Army Service Medal, Army Lapel Button, National Defense Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Parachute Badge, Overseas Service</p>

	<p>Ribbon, Overseas Service Bar, Southwest Asia Service Medal with two Bronze Stars, Kuwait Liberation Medal and Sharpshooter Badge.</p> <p>A 1988 graduate of Monroe High School, he was a member of Petersburg Missionary Baptist Church. He enjoyed reading, painting and fishing.</p> <p>Surviving are his father and stepmother, Crayton and Linda Carpenter of Monroe; his mother, Wanda Halliday of Monroe; a son, Bobby Lee of Monroe; two daughters, Megan and Karli, both of Monroe; a brother, Mark (Amy) of Dundee; a sister, Michele (Randy) Palmiter of Monroe; a granddaughter, and a grandmother, Mammie Carpenter of Granger County, Tenn.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by a stepmother, Yvonne Carpenter; a grandfather, Eliga Carpenter, and maternal grandparents.</p> <p>Source: The Monroe Evening News, Monroe, MI, May 24, 2006, extracted September 22, 2007.</p>
Carpenter, Ronald Albert	<p>Ronald Albert Carpenter, 32, 809 S. Main Ave., died Wednesday, Sept. 22, 1999, at home of a self-inflicted gunshot wound.</p> <p>Ronald A. Carpenter was born Jan. 19, 1967, at Fort Polk, La. As a young boy he moved to Sioux Falls and attended Hawthorne Grade School. He attended Axtell Middle School and was a 1985 graduate of Washington High School.</p> <p>He entered the U.S. Marine Corps in 1985. He was sent with the military ground forces to Panama. He then was stationed overseas as part of Desert Shield and eventually Desert Storm. He was one of the last military forces to return home from the desert conflict. Following his honorable military discharge in 1991, he attended South Dakota State University while serving in the South Dakota Army National Guard.</p> <p>He married Jane Fox. While she attended nursing school, he entered gunsmith school near Denver. In 1995, he began working with various plumbing contractors in Sioux Falls.</p> <p>He was a member of the VFW and the Sioux Falls Local Plumbers Union.</p> <p>Survivors include his parents: Ronald and his wife, Linda, of Sioux Falls and Pamela Carpenter and George Brink of Sioux Falls two brothers: Chad and Jason, both of Sioux Falls and two grandmothers: Genevieve Carpenter of Sioux Falls and Frances Vanderbush of Sioux Falls.</p> <p>Services begin at 1 p.m. Monday at Miller Funeral Home Chapel, Sioux Falls, with burial in Hills of Rest Memorial. Visitation begins at 10 a.m. Sunday with family present from 2 to 4 p.m. at Miller Funeral Home.</p> <p>Source: Argus Leader, Sioux Falls, SD, Sept, 26, 1999, extracted July 12, 2007.</p>
Carpenter, Zoe Theresa Clarkson	<p>Zoe Theresa Clarkson Carpenter, 45, of Tallahassee died Sunday.</p> <p>The service will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Old Episcopal Cemetery. Family will receive friends from 6 to 7 p.m. Thursday at Culley's Funeral Home, Riggins Road Chapel (877-8191). Memorial contributions may be made to St. John's</p>

	<p>Episcopal Church, 211 N. Monroe St., Tallahassee FL 32301 or to the American Cancer Society, 241 John Knox Road, Suite 100, Tallahassee FL 32303.</p> <p>A native of Tallahassee, she was an Army veteran of Desert Storm and worked at Florida State University for several years.</p> <p>She is survived by a son, Patrick Wayne Carpenter of Batavia, Ohio; a daughter, Amanda Kay Carpenter of Batavia; her stepmother, Jane S. Clarkson of Tallahassee; a brother, John P. Clarkson of Tallahassee; and a stepsister, Katherine Tredway Scarlett of Tallahassee.</p> <p>Source: Tallahassee Democrat, Tallahassee, FL, Dec. 20, 2000, extracted May 28, 2007</p>
Carr, Jason	<p><b>MEMORIAL SERVICE SET FOR SGT. JASON CARR</b></p> <p>Flags flew at half-staff yesterday at Halifax County Senior High School in memory of Army Sgt. Jason Carr, Class of '85.</p> <p>A memorial service will be held at the school at 11 a.m. Saturday. Carr, 24, was killed in Operation Desert Storm Feb. 27.</p> <p>The service will be open to the public, said Jimmy Carr, Jason's brother. The family learned of Jason's death Sunday.</p> <p>"Because the country has been so supportive of the troops and the community has been so supportive, we felt it only appropriate that we allow everyone to be part of it," Carr said. "It's just a little bit from us to share with the community."</p> <p>Jason Carr, a crew chief gunner and mechanic, was killed along with six others on a troop ferrying mission over Iraq, his brother said. The UH-60 Black Hawk helicopter Carr was flying in was shot down by enemy ground fire.</p> <p>Officials at U.S. Department of the Army had no further information yesterday.</p> <p>Carr, who was student council member at Halifax Senior and a member of Halifax Presbyterian Church, enlisted in the Army soon after graduation. He had been in the Persian Gulf since Jan. 9.</p> <p>He was the son of Brenda and James Carr. A private family service is also planned after the body is returned.</p> <p>Source: Richmond Times-Dispatch, Richmond, VA, March 5, 1991, extracted May 23, 2007.</p>
Carrizoza, Ray G.	<p>Ray G. Carrizoza, Retired Lieutenant Colonel, went to be with our Lord on July 27, 2006. He passed away in his home surrounded by his loved ones after a courageous battle with cancer.</p> <p>He was born on August 1, 1938 in Glendale, AZ to Angel and Juana Carrizoza. At the age of 17, he joined the Army as an Airborne Ranger.</p> <p>He greatly enjoyed military life and honorably served over 20 years including</p>

	<p>service during Operation Desert Storm. He ultimately retired as a Lieutenant Colonel and was an active member of the American Legion during his retirement.</p> <p>He is survived by his wife Luz Alicia, his sister Socorro, brother Raul, and children: Alicia, Frank, Sylvia, Steven, Yvonne, Laurie, Ray, Delia, David, and Vanessa.</p> <p>Visitation will be held Tuesday, August 1, 2006 at the Chapel of the Chimes Mortuary 7924 N. 59th Ave., Glendale from 5-8 pm with the Rosary beginning at 7 pm. Mass will be at 10 am Wednesday at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church 3140 N. 51st Ave., Phoenix.</p> <p>Source: The Arizona Republic, Phoenix, AZ, July 31, 2006, extracted August 22, 2007.</p>
<p>Carroll, Kenneth James</p>	<p>Kenneth James Carroll</p> <p>GEORGETOWN, La. ? Services for Kenneth James Carroll were at 11 a.m. Thursday at Riles Funeral Home with the Rev. Andy McDaniel of Roxie, Miss., officiating.</p> <p>Mr. Carroll died Monday, Dec. 8, 2003, at G.V. ?Sonny? Montgomery Veterans Administration Medical Center in Jackson. He was 38.</p> <p>Born in Urania, La., Mr. Carroll had been a resident of Georgetown, La., most of his life. He retired from the Navy as a logistics specialist, having served in the Persian Gulf War. He was a member of the Baptist faith.</p> <p>He is survived by his mother and stepfather, Don and Susie Davis of Port Gibson; his father, Kenneth Carroll of Georgetown; two sisters, Teresa Earles of Ridgeland and Brandy Davis Chaney of Monroe; a brother, Shannon Davis of Monroe; his maternal grandmother, Oreatice Morstz of Pineville, La.; his paternal grandmother, Betty Davis of Vicksburg; and nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles.</p> <p>Memorials may be made to the Lupus Foundation of Mississippi, P.O. Box 24292, Jackson, MS 39225.</p> <p>Source: Vicksburg Post, Vicksburg, MS, Dec. 14, 2003</p>
<p>Carruthers, James S.</p>	<p>James S. Carruthers, 43, of 9 1/2 East Ave. died Friday at his home.</p> <p>Mr. Carruthers was a native of Cortland. He was employed with Cortland Glass Co. He served 15 years in the Air Force and was a veteran of Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>Surviving are a daughter, Tiffany Carruthers of Conway, S.C.; a sister, Joanne Mattsson of Rutland, Vt.; an aunt and uncle; two nieces; and several cousins.</p> <p>Services will be 2 p.m. Thursday at Wright-Beard Funeral Home. Burial will be in Cortland Rural Cemetery.</p> <p>Calling hours will be 1:30 to 2 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home, 9 Lincoln Ave.</p> <p>Source: The Post-Standard, Syracuse, NY, Nov. 19, 1995, extracted June 20,</p>

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Carter, Gary D.	<p>DALLAS - Dr. Gary D. Carter, 51, a doctor of osteopathy, died Thursday at a Dallas hospital.</p> <p>Funeral: 1 p.m. Monday at Riverside Baptist Church in Fort Worth.</p> <p>Burial: Mount Olivet Cemetery.</p> <p>Visitation: 2 to 4 p.m. today at Lucas Funeral Home on Sylvania.</p> <p>Dr. Carter was born in Fort Worth.</p> <p>He was a graduate of Amon Carter Riverside High School, Texas Christian University and the Kansas City College of Osteopathic Medicine.</p> <p>He was a veteran of the Vietnam campaign and of Desert Storm.</p> <p>He had lived in Dallas since February 1995, where he practiced medicine with the Primacare Division of Presbyterian Hospital.</p> <p>He previously had a private practice in Fort Worth.</p> <p>Survivors: Wife, Chellaon Carter of Dallas; son, Jason Moncrief Carter of Dallas; daughter, Heather Azalee Carter of Phoenix; mother, Natalie Shelton of Fort Worth; and brother, Dr. Grady L. Carter III of Fort Worth.</p> <p>Lucas Funeral Home, 517 N. Sylvania, 838-2336</p> <p>Source: Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Fort Worth, TX, June 25, 1995, extracted June 16, 2007.</p>
Carter, Milford Eugene	<p>PIEDMONT -- Milford Eugene Carter, 43, of 108 Massachusetts Bay Drive, formerly of Summerville area, died Tuesday, Aug. 10, 2004.</p> <p>Born in Greenville, he was currently employed by West Point Stephens as an electrician, he was also a U.S. Navy veteran having served in the Gulf War, Japan and Guam.</p> <p>Surviving are his mother, Odessa Porter Carter of Clemson; and a sister, Jeannie C. Wilkerson of Hartsville.</p> <hr/> <p>He was the son of the late Milford Eugene Carter and was preceded in death by a sister, Thea Carter McCrary; and a brother, Daniel B. "Chip" Carter.</p> <p>Memorial services are at 1 p.m. Friday at Christ United Methodist Church. The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the Liberty Mortuary.</p> <p>The family will be to the home of Mrs. Odessa Carter, 13 Birch Place, Clemson Downs, Clemson.</p> <p>Memorials may be made to Clemson United Methodist Church, 195 Old Greenville Hwy., Clemson, S.C. 29631 or Christ United Methodist Church, 901 Easley Bridge Road, Greenville, S.C. 29611.</p> <p>Memorial messages may be sent to the family by visiting</p>

	<p>www.libertymortuary.com. Source: Anderson Independent Mail, Anderson, SC, Aug. 12, 2004</p>
<p>Carter, Regina</p>	<p>Regina Carter, a National Guard veteran and mother of two who was diagnosed with leukemia Thanksgiving Day in 1992, died Tuesday at age 29.</p> <p>A former corrections officer in Ventura County and member of the National Guard Military Police since 1989, Carter served nine months in the Persian Gulf during Desert Storm and on the streets of Los Angeles during the 1992 riots.</p> <p>Friends remembered Carter on Thursday for her bravery - a devoted mother, wife and soldier who fought for her country as hard as she fought her private battle against a silent enemy.</p> <p>"She lived with the conviction that getting cancer was just a path that God chose her to go down to make her stronger, humble, and to teach her the importance of helping others," said Lynnette Chandler, Carter's friend and regional coordinator for the Ventura County Branch of the National Marrow Donor Program.</p> <p>In Ventura County, Carter was among 117 people awaiting a compatible donor, according to the National Marrow Donor Program in Minneapolis. If Carter had found one perfect marrow donor, her chance at survival would have been 50 percent. The odds of finding that match - 1 in 20,000.</p> <p>But Carter always sneered at the statistics.</p> <p>The day before she checked into City of Hope hospital for treatment in December, Carter was busy recruiting donors at a bone marrow drive at the Ventura County Street Fair.</p> <p>"I'm a Christian. The Lord gives everyone a purpose," Carter said at the time. "I didn't know until I got sick that my purpose was to encourage more people to get tested and help save other people's lives."</p> <p>Throughout her illness, Carter volunteered for Children for Tomorrow, which recruits unrelated marrow donors. She also volunteered for Friends of Wildlife, which cares for hurt or abandoned animals until a permanent home can be found.</p> <p>The brunette with hazel eyes enjoyed the peace in her orchard, where she cared for her family's ducks, doves and pigeons. Most of all, she enjoyed spending time with her husband, John, and two sons - John Jr., 15, and Justin, 9.</p> <p>On the afternoon Carter died, she was surrounded by dozens of friends and family. A doll dressed in a military uniform like the one Carter wore in Desert Storm remained by her bedside.</p> <p>Justin Carter, who colored a picture from his Sunday school book in the hospital waiting room that day, gave the keepsake to his mother before saying goodbye.</p> <p>"She'll be missed," said Chandler, who was with Carter when she died. "She was a fighter to the end."</p>

	<p>Despite occasional night sweats and headaches that began in 1991, Carter continued to engage in physically taxing drills in the National Guard.</p> <p>Over several months, her energy level slowly dropped. But Carter's unflagging patriotism - combined with supporting a family - pushed aside her body's warning signs.</p> <p>By 1992, she was suffering from severe bruising, debilitating weakness and paralyzing headaches. After being diagnosed with lymphoblastic leukemia - a very rare form of the disease - she filed a claim with the Department of Veterans Affairs. Federal officials denied her claim, saying they couldn't connect Carter's leukemia with her Desert Storm duty because she had not been treated for the fatal disease within one year of her service, according to VA documents.</p> <p>Carter appealed the ruling in 1994, claiming she contracted leukemia because her company's water supply was contaminated.</p> <p>Chandler, who met Carter the year she was diagnosed with cancer, believes Carter would have beaten the odds had more bone marrow donors had stepped forward.</p> <p>"Every patient has a match - there's a donor out there for everyone," Chandler said. "So many people say that they've been thinking about being a donor. Stop thinking about it, do it. Stop putting it off. If Regina had a donor early on, she'd still be with us."</p> <p>Now, Chandler is dedicated to fulfilling Carter's last wish.</p> <p>On Dec. 1 - the day of the marrow drive in Ventura - Carter made Chandler promise she would never stop seeking donors.</p> <p>"It was extremely important to her," said Chandler, fighting back tears. "I will keep my promise."</p> <p>For more information about becoming a bone marrow donor, call the Ventura County Branch of the National Marrow Donor Program, (805) 987-6935.</p> <p>A funeral for Regina Carter will be held at 1 p.m. today at First Southern Baptist Church of Santa Paula, 217 N. 10th St. For information, call the church at (805) 525-4436.</p> <p>Source: Daily News of Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA, Feb. 7, 1997, extracted June 25, 2007.</p>
<p>Carthan, Rodney</p>	<p>Rodney Carthan (June 16, 1967- October 29, 2005) — Mr. Rodney Carthan, 38, of 4621-Redding Ct., Columbus, died Saturday, October 29, 2005. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Friday, November 4, 2005 at Life Changing Missionary Baptist Church, 4605 Langdon St., Columbus with the Rev. Tony Banks, Pastor, officiating. Interment will be in Ft. Mitchell National Cemetery according to Sconiers Funeral Home, 836 - 5th Ave., Columbus. Visitation will be from noon until 7 p.m. today at the funeral home.</p> <p>Mr. Carthan was born on June 16, 1967 in Chicago, IL., the son of Jimmie and Evelyn Carthan.</p>

	<p>He was a U.S. Army Desert/Desert Shield Veteran. Also, he worked as a paralegal for Judge Michael Bellamy and Attorney Michael Agnew.</p> <p>Rodney was survived by his mother, Evelyn Carthan of Detroit, MI.; his wife, Sharmain Carthan, two daughters, Ashley Brown and Alexis Carthan; one son, Alan Carthan, all of Columbus; one sister, Collette House of Detroit, MI.; other relatives and friends.</p> <p>Source: Columbus Ledger-Enquirer, Columbus, GA, Nov. 3, 2005, extracted Sep. 21, 2007</p>
Casanova, Raymond	<p>RAYMOND CASANOVA SR., 52, of Mullica Township, died Saturday at his home.</p> <p>Mr. Casanova was a U.S. Army veteran of the Vietnam War and Operation Desert Storm. He had worked for the Longshoreman Association of New York City.</p> <p>He was also a member of the F.A. Funston Post No. 186 of the American Legion.</p> <p>Born in Brooklyn, N.Y., Mr. Casanova was an area resident for 17 years.</p> <p>Surviving are his wife, Sabina; a son, Raymond Jr. at home; two daughters, Lisa and Gracie, both at home; three brothers, John, Mario and Paul, all of Brooklyn; a sister, Marie of Brooklyn; and a grandson.</p> <p>Services will be held 10 a.m. Wednesday at the Carnesale Funeral Home, 202 S. Third St., Hammonton. Burial will follow at Holy Sepulcher Cemetery, Hammonton.</p> <p>Friends may call at the funeral home Tuesday after 7 p.m. and after 9 a.m. Wednesday.</p> <p>Source: the Press of Atlantic City, Atlantic City, NJ, Feb. 1, 1993, extracted May 29, 2007.</p>
Case, Bryan Lee	<p>Bryan Lee Case, 46, of Severna Park, died of cancer Aug. 22 at his home after a two-year illness.</p> <p>Born July 23, 1959 in El Paso, Texas, Mr. Case graduated from Severna Park High School in 1977 and had an associate degree from the community college of the Air Force.</p> <p>He was a sergeant in the Air Force and served in Desert Storm in the first Gulf War in 1991 and the Bosnian conflict. He left the service in 2001 and moved to Suring, Wis., where he was employed with the HVAC Small Business.</p> <p>His hobbies were hunting and fishing.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, Dawn Marie Case; one son, Brandon William Case of Severna Park; one daughter, Christina Marie Case of Suring; his parents, William and Rosalie Case of Severna Park; his grandmother, Helen Broda of Columbia, S.C.; two brothers, Jeffrey Andrew Case of Pasadena and Charles Gerald Frank of Columbia; and one grandchild.</p> <p>Burial will be at 10 a.m. Friday in the Maryland Veterans Cemetery in</p>

	<p>Crownsville followed by a memorial service at 11:15 a.m. Friday at the Evangelical Presbyterian Church of Annapolis, 710 Ridgely Ave.</p> <p>Arrangements are by Hardesty Funeral Home of Gambrills.</p> <p>Memorial contributions may be made to the Evangelical Presbyterian Church of Annapolis, 710 Ridgely Ave., Annapolis, MD 21401 or the Hospice of the Chesapeake, 445 Defense Highway, Annapolis, MD 21401. Source: The Capital, Annapolis, MD, Aug. 25, 2005</p>
Case, Michael R.	<p>Micheal R. Case, age 36, of McKinney, Texas, passed away on Monday, May 15, 2006, in McKinney. He was born on May 30, 1969, in Springdale to L.V. and Erlene Spradling. Micheal was a veteran of the Army National Guard and served as a staff sergeant on active duty during the Gulf War. He was employed by Briggs Equipment.</p> <p>Micheal is survived by his life partner, Russell Anthony Freeman; mother, Jesse Erlene Spradling Tate and her husband, Steve; father, L.V. Case and his wife, Jean; sisters and brothers-in-law, Tammy and Tony Moore, Beverly and Joey Shipp; brother and sister-in-law, Kenneth and Shelia Case; grandparents, Rex and Ava Spradling; half sister, Cassandra and Kenneth Warden; stepsisters, April and Jimmy Richard, Chris Atkinson; extended family, Lynn and Francis Holeman, David and Pam Burkes, Allen and Rhonda Freeman, Alton and Maria Freeman, Joe and Michelle Melorine, Roger and Shonda Walker; numerous uncles, aunts, nieces, nephews and many friends.</p> <p>He is preceded in death by his grandmothers, Pearl Spradling and Evon Marcos; great-grandfather, Clyde Spradling; and uncle, Henry Spradling.</p> <p>Visitation was held on Wednesday, May 17, 2006, at Turrentine-Jackson-Morrow Funeral Home, 8520 Main St., Frisco, Texas, from 6 to 8 p.m. Funeral services will be held today at Grace Pointe Church, 499 King Road, Frisco, TX 75034 with pastor Allan Freeman officiating. Interment will follow at Little Elm Cemetery.</p> <p>Source: Southwest Times Record, Fort Smith, AR, May 19, 2006</p>
Cashiola, Robert E.	<p>Robert E. Cashiola June 19, 1973 — Jan. 19, 2001</p> <p>NAVASOTA — Services for Robert E. Cashiola, 27, of Plantersville are set for 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at St. Mary’s Catholic Church in Plantersville.</p> <p>The Rev. Edward C. Kucera Jr. of St. Mary’s Catholic Church will officiate. Burial will be in the church cemetery.</p> <p>Visitation will be from 5 to 9 p.m. Monday and from 8 a.m. to the time of services Tuesday at the church.</p> <p>A vigil service will be at 7 p.m. Monday at the church. Arrangements are under the direction of Lindley-Robertson-Holt Funeral Home in Navasota.</p> <p>Mr. Cashiola died Friday at his home.</p>

	<p>He was born in Houston and lived in Plantersville for 21 years. He was a 1991 graduate of Navasota High School and worked in commercial construction. He served in the U.S. Army during the Gulf War and was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church.</p> <p>Survivors include his parents, Charles and Dianna Cashiola of Plantersville; three brothers and a sister-in-law, Charles Jr. and Sethanna Cashiola of California, Thomas Cashiola and Jonathan Cashiola, both of Plantersville; six sisters and a brother-in-law, Kelley and Greg Mock of Navasota, Katheryn Cashiola, Marianne Cashiola, Dianna Rose Cashiola, Stephanie Cashiola and Peggy Jo Cashiola, all of Plantersville; and his grandmother, Rose Mary Cashiola of Houston.</p> <p>Source: Bryan-College Station Eagle, Bryan TX, Feb 14, 2004</p>
Castro, Rafael Angel, Jr.	<p>Services for TSgt. Rafael Angel Castro Jr. (USAF, Ret.), 48, will be held at 2 p.m. Monday at Greenlawn Funeral Home Chapel, with interment in Greenlawn Memorial Park. Mr. Castro died March 27, 2002. Born in Vega Baja, Puerto Rico, on March 22, 1954, he was a son of Rafael Castro-Silva and Minerva Castro. Mr. Castro retired as a U.S. Air Force technical sergeant and served in Desert Storm. At the time of his death, he was a blood courier for the American Red Cross and a site supervisor at Belk Distribution Center in Blythewood. Mr. Castro was a member of the SC Troopers Association and a former employee of the Richland County Sheriff's Department. Surviving are his parents of Columbia; Cynthia Bowman, the mother of Ryan Castro and Justin Castro; stepdaughter, Lauren Bowman; Margaret Daniels, the mother of Raphael Castro and Lydia Castro; sisters, Carmen Amick and Yolanda Castro.</p> <p>Source: The State, Columbia, SC, Mar. 31, 2002, extracted Jun. 23, 2007</p>
Caylor, Jimmie Lynn	<p>Jimmie Lynn Caylor, 45, a lawyer with the General Accounting Office, died Oct. 23 at the Hospice of Washington. He had AIDS.</p> <p>Mr. Caylor, who lived in Washington, was born in Durango, Colo. He graduated from Brigham Young University, received a master's degree in international relations from the University of Southern California and a law degree from Pepperdine University.</p> <p>He served in the Air Force in California from 1971 to 1975, and then in the Air Force Reserve. He was recalled to active duty for Operation Desert Storm, then retired from the Reserve as a major.</p> <p>In 1977, Mr. Caylor moved to Washington and joined the legal department of the GAO. He specialized in issues related to national security and international relations.</p> <p>His 14-year marriage to the former Debra A. Spring ended in divorce.</p> <p>Survivors include his companion, Kenneth Wentzel of Washington; four children, Jennifer, David, Jana and Andrew Caylor, all of Kensington; three sisters, Lane Lindburg of Sandy, Utah, Diane Smith of Torrington, Conn., and Carol Ann Caylor of Taylorsville, Utah; his father, Duain Caylor of Salt Lake City; and a grandmother, Helen Caylor of Cortez, Colo.</p> <p>Source: The Washington Post, Washington, D.C., Oct. 28, 1992, extracted May 27, 2007</p>

<p>Cebrowski, Arthur Karl</p>	<p>Vice Adm. Arthur K. Cebrowski U.S.N. (Ret.), 63, died on Nov. 12, 2005, surrounded by his beloved family. He had endured a long fight with cancer.</p> <p>Vice Adm. Cebrowski was born in Passaic, N.J. and was raised and schooled in Hasbrouck Heights, N.J. He graduated from Villanova University in 1964, received his master's in computer systems management from the Naval Post Graduate School in 1972 and attended the Naval War College in 1981.</p> <p>He entered the Navy through the Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps in 1964, so he could be a Navy pilot. As a naval aviator he commanded Fighter Squadron 41 and Carrier Air Wing Eight, both embarked in U.S.S. Nimitz, He later commanded the assault ship U.S.S. Guam. During Desert Storm, he commanded the aircraft carrier U.S.S. Midway.</p> <p>Following promotion to flag rank, he became Commander, Carrier Group Six and Commander, America Battle Group.</p> <p>As a naval aviator he flew 154 combat missions during his two tours in Vietnam. In addition to combat deployments to Vietnam and the Persian Gulf, he deployed in support of United Nations operations in Iraq, Somalia and Bosnia. Admiral Cebrowski flew multiple aircraft, principally fighters, from several carriers and deployed to all ocean areas.</p> <p>His tour of duty included service with the U.S. Air Force; the staff of Commander-in-Chief, Atlantic Fleet; on four occasions, the staff of the Chief of Naval Operations; and the Joint Staff as Director for Command, Control, Communications and Computers.</p> <p>Vice Adm. Cebrowski's personal decorations include the Defense Distinguished Service Medal, the Distinguished Service Medal, five awards of the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, two Meritorious Service Medals, 10 Air Medals and two Navy Commendation Medals with combat "V." He was also the 1991 winner of the John Paul Jones Award for Inspirational Leadership.</p> <p>Vice Adm. Cebrowski served his country for more than 40 years and dedicated his life to faith and family. He was best known as the father of Network Centric Warfare, the intellectual and conceptual underpinnings for modern warfare in the information age. He wrote and lectured extensively and was regarded as one of the nation's principle National Security futurists and the intellectual leader of a movement that transformed the Department of Defense in an age of radical change and uncertainty.</p> <p>He solidified his position as a leading defense intellectual as the President of the Naval War College from July 1998, to September 2001. During his tenure, he reshaped the course of Naval Defense Strategy. Upon his retirement in 2001, the Secretary of Defense appointed him as the first director of Force Transformation.</p> <p>As director, Vice Adm. Cebrowski was the focal point and catalyst for implementing the President and Secretary of Defense's vision for defense transformation. He linked transformation to strategic functions, evaluated the transformational efforts of the military departments and recommended steps to integrate numerous transformational activities. He re-established the linkages between force building and force operations and uniquely brought together operational concepts with emerging technologies.</p> <p>His influence and analysis contributed directly to improved Naval and</p>
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	<p>Defense Force structure. His vision helped institute resolute policies, processes, and examples that profoundly enhanced the strategic posture of our nation.</p> <p>Vice Adm. Cebrowski decades' long leadership provided the Department of Defense and the nation with the means to face unknown challenges for years to come. He fathered and nurtured the most compelling new thoughts in warfare in the last century and provided the intellectual foundation and a strategic framework with modern solutions for the issues of our time.</p> <p>Sailors remember him for the intellectual vigor that he instilled in their hearts. Future generations and countless allies will bear witness to the freedom he helped secure on their behalf.</p> <p>His family and many friends will sorely miss his wisdom and grace. The Naval Service will miss his integrity and stewardship, and the nation will miss his courage and counsel.</p> <p>Arthur Cebrowski was a devout Catholic and invested much of his time and energy into the church, his family and his community.</p> <p>He is survived by his beloved wife of 40 years, Kathryn; his mother and father John and Helen; his two daughters, Kristin and Julie; his brother and sister, John and Carol; and seven grandchildren.</p> <p>A funeral Mass took place Nov. 15 at St. John the Evangelist in Warrenton. A memorial service will take place at 10:45 Jan. 9, 2006, at the Ft. Myer Chapel followed by interment with Full Honors in Arlington National Cemetery.</p> <p>Memorial contributions may be made to the American Life League, P.O. Box 1350, Stafford, Va. 22555</p> <p>Source: The Fauquier Citizen, Warrenton, VA, Nov. 17, 2005</p>
<p>Chafin, Richard Paul</p>	<p>Richard Paul Chafin, 58, Springfield, went to be with the Lord at 6:14 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 30, 2004, in Cox South Hospital, surrounded by his loving family. Richard was born on March 26, 1946, in Blossom, Texas. He proudly served his country for over 20 years both in the Air Force during the Vietnam War and Army Reserves during the Gulf War. Richard was united in marriage to Linda Lawson on July 29, 1966, in Springfield. His hobbies included fishing and working in the yard. He enjoyed reading about biblical and military history. Richard was a member of the South Gate Baptist Church, where he worked as Building Supervisor after he retired from the Springfield News-Leader after eighteen years of service. Richard will be sadly missed by all who knew him. He was preceded in death by his mother, Thelma Randolph and his father-in-law, Alvie Lawson. Survivors include his loving wife of 38 years, Linda; daughter Jeanne Trantham and husband Craig; son Bradford Chafin and wife Lori, all of Springfield; his granddaughters, Alexa and Kaitlen, his (Sugar Dolls) as Richard affectionately called them; father Calvin Randolph and wife Lillian; brother Don Randolph and wife Becki of Marshfield; sisters Betty Wright, Shirley Randolph of Springfield, Linda Vernon and husband Mike of Kansas, and Brenda Randolph of Carthage; mother-in-law, Virginia Lawson of Springfield; and many other relatives and friends. Funeral services will be held on Friday, Sept. 3, 2004, at 10 a.m. in Thieme-ShadelHicks Funeral Service at White Chapel. Burial will follow in White Chapel Memorial Gardens. The visitation will be held today from 6 to 8 p.m. in the funeral home. Memorial donations may be made in Richard's name to South Gate Baptist Church Building Fund with envelopes provided at</p>

	<p>the funeral home.</p> <p>Source: Springfield News-Leader, Springfield, MO, Sept. 2, 2004</p>
Chambers, Corwin E.	<p>Col. Corwin E. Chambers USAF (Ret.), 60, a resident of Albuquerque for 16 years, died Saturday, June 8, 2002. He is survived by his wife of 38 years, Carol Ann Chambers of Albuquerque; daughters, Christie Chambers of Albuquerque, and Trish Chambers Bump and husband, David of Gilbert, AZ; and sister, Karen Coddington of Huber Heights, OH. He was preceded in death by his parents, Russell and Lucile Yonally Chambers. Corwin Chambers was born in Wichita, Kansas and graduated from East High in Wichita in 1959. He graduated from Oklahoma State University in 1964 with a BA in Social Sciences, and was a member of Kappa Alpha Fraternity. Corwin Chambers received his Air Force Commission through the ROTC program. He married Carol Ann Weaverling on May 31, 1964. During his 26-year career Col. Chambers was stationed in Germany, Greece, and England and was a veteran of Desert Shield and Desert Storm, where he received the Bronze Star. Col. Chambers served at Kirtland Air Force Base for five years at DNS and then as Commander of 3098 AVDS and retired from RAF Lakenheath in England in 1991. Since retiring he played tennis at High Point and served as president of the Board of Directors at Christ Unity Church. Services will be held Thursday, June 13, 2002, 10:00 a.m. at Christ Unity Church, 9800 Candelaria Rd NE, with Reverend Guy Lynch officiating. Interment will take place at 1:00 p.m., at Santa Fe National Cemetery. Friends may visit French Mortuary, 10500 Lomas Blvd. NE Wednesday, June 12, 2002 from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 5800 Lomas, NE, 87110 or Christ Unity Church, 9800 Candelaria Rd NE, 87112. Arrangements by French Mortuary, 10500 Lomas Blvd. NE.</p> <p>Source: Albuquerque Journal, Albuquerque, NM, Jun. 11, 2002, extracted Jun. 25, 2007</p>
Chambers, Danny Ray	<p>DANNY RAY CHAMBERS, 40, passed away Saturday, July 15, 2006 near Tunica, MS. Services will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday, July 19 in the Chapel of Pate-Jones Funeral Home with burial to follow at Longtown Cemetery in Longtown, MS. Visitation will be from 6-9 p.m. Tuesday, July 18 at Pate-Jones Funeral Home.</p> <p>He worked in the Maintenance Department of Hollywood Casino near Tunica, MS, and was a member of Askew Baptist Church in Askew, MS.</p> <p>Mr. Chambers was a twenty year veteran with the Mississippi National Guard, having attained the rank of Sergeant E5. He volunteered for deployment in 1985 for Desert Storm and served in Bosnia in 2001 and in Iraqi Freedom 2004 and 2006.</p> <p>He leaves his son, Colton Daniel Chambers; his parents, Ray and Nancy Chambers, all of Sarah, MS; and a sister, Tammy Pickett of Siloam Springs, AR.</p> <p>Source: The Commercial Appeal, Memphis, TN, July 18, 2006, extracted August 25, 2007.</p>
Champlain, John Clayton	<p>JOHN CLAYTON CHAMPLAIN, 40, of Ray City, Ga., formerly of Memphis, Air Force mechanic for 19 years, died of cancer Tuesday at Lake</p>

	<p>City, Fla. Costanzo Funeral and Cremation in Lake City has charge. He was a Desert Storm veteran. Mr. Champlain, the husband of Emma Champlain, also leaves a daughter, Jeannette Champlain of Georgia; three sons, Jeremy Champlain of Tennessee, Jayson Champlain of New York and John Champlain Jr. of Georgia; his mother and stepfather, Linda Sue Champlain and Gerald Baxter of Tennessee; his father, William Champlain, and two sisters, Kendall Merritt and Leslie Dickerson, both of Mississippi.</p> <p>Source: The Commercial Appeal, Memphis, TN, May 20, 1999, extracted July 12, 2007.</p>
<p>Chand, Michael K.</p>	<p>Michael K. Chand was born on December 24, 1954 in Suva, Fiji Islands. He immigrated to the United States as a young boy.</p> <p>He enlisted in the Marine Corps in January 1976. Upon completion of recruit training as a Series Honor man at MCRD San Diego, CA, he completed infantry training and was assigned to C Company, 1st Battalion, 9th Marines in Okinawa, Japan. His next assignment was with Division Schools, Camp Pendleton, CA as a Leadership Instructor for NCO School. In June 1980, he was assigned to A Company, 1' Battalion, 3rd Marines, Kaneohe Bay, HI as a Platoon Sergeant and Guide. While living in Hawaii, he became a U.S. citizen in May 1983.</p> <p>In June 1983, he was transferred to the Correctional Custody Facility, Camp Pendleton, CA as a Section Leader and Counselor. Following that tour, he was reassigned to the West Coast Instructional Management School where he was the Primary Instructor for the Formal Schools Instructor Course and as the Course Coordinator for the Instructional Management Course. In April 1990, he was ordered to Special Operations Training Group in the Republic of the Philippines during MAGTF 4-90. Later that year, he was reassigned to 4th Marine Regiment, Regimental Combat Team-4 as the Company Gunnery Sergeant and Security Chief for Task Force Grizzly while deployed to Southwest Asia during Operation Desert Storm. Following the completion of combat operations, he was selected to participate as a Leadership Instructor with the Royal Saudi Marines in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. In June 1993, he was ordered to L Company, 3rd Battalion, 3rd Marine Regiment, Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii, where he served as the Weapons Platoon Sergeant and Company Gunnery Sergeant.</p> <p>Upon promotion to First Sergeant in May 1995, he was reassigned to Combat Assault Company, 3rd Marine Regiment and later to Headquarters and Service Company, 1st Force Service Support Group, Camp Pendleton, CA. Michael was promoted to Sergeant Major in March 1999 and served his first tour as the Battalion Sergeant Major for Assault Amphibian School Battalion, Camp Pendleton, CA.</p> <p>His last assignment in the Marine Corps was with Marine Medium Helicopter Squadron 163, at MCAS Miramar, CA where he deployed to Afghanistan during Operation Enduring Freedom. His personal decorations include the Navy Commendation Medal with Gold Star, Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal with Gold Star, and the Combat Action Ribbon. Upon Michael's retirement in August 2002, he worked with the U.S.D.A. in Riverside, CA.</p> <p>In September 2003, he accepted a government contracting position in Iraq where he supported U.S. Security and Reconstruction efforts in the country of</p>

	<p>Iraq until his death in August 2007.</p> <p>Michael was an avid outdoorsman; he loved camping, fishing, swimming, playing soccer and football, going to the beach, barbequing with his family, and teaching his children the importance of helping one another. He was extremely loyal, fair, compassionate, generous with his time, and absolutely dedicated to his God, Family, Country, and Corps.</p> <p>Michael is survived by his wife of 27 years, Sally Provencio-Chand, his children, Christina A. Mahon, 2nd Lt Michael K. Chand Jr., Brenda M. Chand, and Ryan R. Chand. He was preceded in death by his parents Ram and Fatima Jalan and brother Ramesh Chand, from San Francisco, CA. He is also survived by his brothers Ali, Baduh, Bobbi, Wes, and his sisters Margaret Razak, Premila Samugh, Maureen Ali, and Nazareena Raj.</p> <p>A Funeral Mass will be on Friday, October 5, 2007, 11:00 a.m. at Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, 4540 El Cerrito Dr., San Diego, CA 92115. Full Military Honors will be conducted following the Funeral Mass at 1:00 p.m. at Fort Rosecrans National Cemetery, Pt. Loma, CA.</p> <p>In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Navy Federal Credit Union, C/O Michael K. Chand Children's Memorial Fund, P.O. Box 3001, Merrifield, VA 22119-3001.</p> <p>Source: San Diego Union-Tribune, San Diego, CA, September 30, 2007, extracted October 6, 2007.</p>
Chandler, Tracy Lee	<p>Tracy Lee Chandler, 40, formerly of Scranton passed away at his home unexpectedly on Saturday, October 29, 2005.</p> <p>Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, November 3, 2005 at the Church of Christ in Scranton, with Pastor Bob McKnight officiating. Friends may call at the Dahn &amp; Woodhouse Funeral Home in Scranton after 5 p.m. on Wednesday where there will be a prayer service held at 7 p.m. The casket will be moved to the church at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday to lie in state until the time of service. Burial will be in the Scranton Township Cemetery with military honors by the Scranton American Legion.</p> <p>A memorial fund has been established in Tracy's name for the Girl's Softball Program at South Hamilton School and memorials may be left at the funeral home or the church. Pianist for the service will be Mrs. Laura McKnight and the soloist will be Roger Hoyt. Casket bearers will be Don Christian, Todd Arnold, Troy Gibson, Chris Forest, Matt McDonald, Shawn Ludwig, and Brad Onstott. Honorary casket bearer will be D.J. Byerly.</p> <p>Born on August 25, 1965 at Iowa City, Iowa, he was the son of Ellie (Byerly) Chandler. He attended and graduated from Scranton High School in 1983.</p> <p>He served in the United States Air Force including combat service during Desert Storm. In 1988, he graduated from Iowa State University with a degree in Earth Science and lived in Ames for seven years. During that time, Tracey taught science at South Hamilton in Jewel, Iowa, and before</p>

	<p>that at Blairsburg, Iowa.</p> <p>He was married to Janet Sharp on October 26, 1996 in Ames. The couple moved to Bozeman, Montana two and a half years ago, and he taught science at Willow Creek High School. Tracy enjoyed introducing the wonders of science to young learners, creating unusual and appetizing food dishes, hiking through the national parks of Montana, and building his strength with weight-training.</p> <p>Surviving are his wife, Janet Sharp of Bozeman, Montana; his parents, Orvie and Ellie Umbaugh of Scranton; a brother, Troy Chandler, and his wife Lisa and their son Jack of Nevada, Iowa; his mother-in-law, Rosalie Sharp of El Dorado, Kansas; his grandmother, Leona Byerly of Jefferson; and several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and cousins. He was preceded in death by his grandfather, Mike Byerly and his father-in-law, Wayne Sharp.</p> <p>Source: The Des Moines Register, Des Moines, IA, Nov. 1, 2005, extracted Sep. 9, 2007</p>
Chao, Cornell	<p>U.S. Army pilot Cornell Chao, 36, died Sunday when his Apache helicopter crashed in Iraq, according to his mother, Jasmine Crowl, of Orange.</p> <p>Chao grew up in Fullerton, and graduated from Sunny Hills High School in 1988. He played on the Sunny Hills golf team.</p> <p>It was the third tour of duty in Iraq for Chao, a pilot and chief warrant officer third class. He served in the infantry during the first gulf war – Operation Desert Storm – in 1991. He returned in 2003 as a helicopter pilot. On March 23, 2003, his Apache Longbow took more than 25 rounds during a deep attack, 100 miles behind enemy lines. One of the 33 helicopters in his task force that night was shot down, and two pilots were taken prisoner.</p> <p>During that tour, Chao became pen pals with dozens of residents at Kirkwood Assisted Living Residence in Orange, where his mom worked as an activities director. "You made me feel proud again to be an American," an 84-year-old woman wrote him. When Chao returned stateside in February 2004, he visited his new "family" at Kirkwood, where they held a welcome home party for him.</p> <p>Source: Fullerton News Tribune, Fullerton, CA, Feb. 1, 2007, extracted Sep. 24, 2007</p>
Chapman, Michael E.	<p>ST. BERNICE - Michael E. Chapman, 34, of St. Bernice died at 10:41 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 23, 2005, in the emergency room of West Central Community Hospital in Clinton from injuries sustained in a motorcycle accident.</p> <p>He was employed by Auto Zone in Terre Haute and was previously employed as a groundskeeper for Geneva Hills Golf Course in Clinton.</p> <p>He was born Jan. 1, 1971, in Clinton to Bruce Chapman and Janet Skiver Chapman.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, Tammy L. Bino Chapman, whom he married May 26, 1994, in Clinton; his mother and stepfather, Janet and John Gibbons of St.</p>

	<p>Bernice; two sons, Greg Chapman of Missouri and Michael Kelsheimer of St. Bernice; one daughter, Ashley Kelsheimer of St. Bernice; one brother, Bruce E. Chapman of Clinton; two stepbrothers, John Gibbons Jr. of Terre Haute and Jason Gibbons of St. Bernice; one sister, Melissa Slutz of Nineveh; three stepsisters, Lori Gibbons of Staunton, Dawn Gibbons of New Jersey and Jackie Gibbons of St. Bernice; his mother-in-law and father-in-law, Bill and Rosella Ramsey of Centenary; and two brothers-in-law, Tom Bino of St. Bernice and Billy Ramsey of Paris, Ill.</p> <p>He was a 1989 honor graduate of South Vermillion High School and an honors graduate of Ivy Tech Community College with a computer programming degree.</p> <p>He served with the U.S. Army during the Persian Gulf War and later served with the Indiana National Guard.</p> <p>He was a Phi Beta Kappa and listed in the Indiana Who's Who. He received his black belt in Tae Kwon Do. He was an avid NASCAR race fan.</p> <p>Services are 1 p.m. Saturday in Overpeck-Gooch Funeral Home in Dana, with the Rev. Keith B. McIntyre officiating. Cremation was chosen following services. Visitation is 5 to 8 p.m. Friday and before services Saturday in the funeral home.</p> <p>Source: Tribune-Star, Terre Haute, IN, Aug. 25, 2005</p>
Chapman, Michael S.	<p>Michael S. Chapman, of Kalamazoo, MI, died Saturday afternoon, October 30, 2004. Michael was born July 4, 1971 in Chicago, Illinois, a son of Douglas and Edith (Reichard) Chapman. He grew up and attended high school in Sturgis, after which he joined the U.S. National Guard and was activated for service in the Persian Gulf War. Michael lived in Coldwater for several years until he moved to Kalamazoo in 2004. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Heather; and by his grandmother, Diane Edith Reichard. Surviving are his wife, Christina A. (Ludwick) Chapman of Coldwater; 6 children, Michelle Lock-Chapman and Nickole Lock-Chapman, both of Sturgis, Zachary Michael Chapman of Quincy, Corey Chapman of Sturgis, and Kyle and Mason Chapman, both of Coldwater; his mother, Edith (Fred) Higgins of Kalamazoo; his father, Douglas Chapman of Middlebury, IN; 2 brothers, Matthew (Beth) Chapman of Paw Paw, and Fred A. Higgins of Kalamazoo; 2 sisters, Melissa (Keith) Marcinkowski of Kalamazoo, and Dawn Higgins of Portage; and several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and cousins. Services will be held at 1:00 o'clock Monday at the Langeland Family Funeral Homes, Memorial Chapel, 622 S. Burdick St. with Pastor John Vick officiating. Graveside services with military honors will follow at 2:30 p.m. in Fort Custer National Cemetery. Visitation will be Saturday from 6-8 p.m. and Sunday from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials may be directed to the charity of your choice. <a href="http://www.langelands.com">www.langelands.com</a></p> <p>Source: Kalamazoo Gazette, Kalamazoo, MI, Nov. 5, 2005</p>
Charette, Gary G.	<p>Gary Charette, at 41; veteran of Desert Storm</p> <p>Gary G. Charette, 41, of 36 Wilmont St., a retired master sergeant with the Air Force, and a quality control assurance specialist for DPRO, a division of Pratt &amp; Whitney, died Saturday in Baystate Medical Center.</p> <p>He began his 20-year military service career with the Army and later transferred to the Air Force, and was the recipient of the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal.</p>

	<p>He was in the 439th U.S. Air Force Reserve out of Westover Air Force Base since 1987. He was called to active duty in Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm.</p> <p>Born in St. Francis, Maine, he lived most of his life in Springfield and was a communicant of Holy Family Church.</p> <p>He leaves his wife, the former Carolyn H. Deschaine; his father, Gilbert Charette of Brattleboro, Vt.; two sons, Kevin W. and David G., both of Springfield; a brother, Wayne F. of Agawam; a sister, Gilma C. Kirchner of Springfield; and three nieces and nephews.</p> <p>The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at the Toomey-O'Brien Funeral Home and in St. Thomas the Apostle Church in West Springfield, with burial in Paucatuck Cemetery. Calling hours are Tuesday afternoon and evening.</p> <p>Source: Union-News, Springfield, MA, Aug. 10, 1992, extracted May 27, 2007.</p>
<p>Chase, Rodney Dwayne</p>	<p>Rodney Dwayne Chase, a fourth-grade teacher at Percy Priest Elementary School, said "thank you" to the entire faculty 10 days before he died Thursday of complications from liver disease.</p> <p>Mr. Chase, 44, wrote a note to his colleagues: "Thanks for your support and love through these times in my life. All of you are so supportive. I am blessed to know you all."</p> <p>They, too, felt blessed.</p> <p>Mr. Chase came to the school in 1991 after serving in Desert Shield and Desert Storm. He was in the U.S. Army Reserve and had been stationed at Fort Campbell. He was also in the Tennessee Army National Guard and was involved with Operation Joint Endeavor, the Bosnian peacekeeping mission.</p> <p>"He was a patriot," said Principal Teresa Dennis. "He instilled in his students the love of the country and the desire to be the very best they could be."</p> <p>Mr. Chase was a graduate of Point Loma Nazarene College in San Diego. He taught for four years in California before moving here. He was a member of the school's site-based management team and a Metro Nashville Education Association representative.</p> <p>He is survived by his father, Howard Chase mother and step-father, Judy and Bob Lehtinen grandmother, Modeana Braden two sisters, Deana Johnson and Leah Ensign a brother, Jimmy Chase, all of Bakersfield, Calif. and three sons, Seth, Caleb and Zacariah.</p> <p>A memorial will be held at 6:30 p.m. Jan. 27 at Woodmont Baptist Church. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Rodney Chase Memorial Fund, Percy Priest Elementary School, 1700 Otter Creek Road, Nashville, Tenn., 37215.</p> <p>Source: The Tennessean, Nashville, TN, Jan. 19, 2000, extracted May 26, 2007</p>

<p>Chauvin, Armand J.</p>	<p>Armand J. Chauvin, Sr., Sergeant Major, United States Marine Corps Retired, age 59, passed away December 20, 2006, in Diamondhead, MS.</p> <p>He was born in New Orleans, LA, December 21, 1946, and has been a resident of the MS Coast since 1995. He attended St. Augustine High School and graduated from JS Clark High School in New Orleans.</p> <p>He was employed by Securiguard, INC. at NCBC in Gulfport, MS after serving 30 years in the Marine Corps.</p> <p>He joined the Marine Corps at the young age of 18, and earned numerous honors during his service. Sergeant Major A. J. Chauvin enlisted in the United States Marine Corps on 12 July 1965. After completing Recruit Training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot San Diego he was assigned to 1st Battalion, 9th Marines in Vietnam. In February 1967, he rotated back to the Continental United States and was assigned to Headquarters, Fleet Marine Force Atlantic. After eighteen months on station, he was transferred to Headquarters, 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, El Toro. In October 1969, the Sergeant Major once again saw duty in Vietnam, this time with Headquarters, III Marine Division. In the latter part of this tour he was assigned to Headquarters, III Marine Amphibious Force. Upon completing his tour in October 1970, he returned to the Continental United States and was assigned to 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing at Cherry Point, NC.</p> <p>During the next several years, Sergeant Major Chauvin saw duty with Headquarters Commander In Chief, U.S. Pacific Command, Camp Smith Hawaii. Sergeant Major Chauvin was promoted to First Sergeant in November 1980, and assumed the duties as First Sergeant of B Battery, 1st Battalion, 12th Marines, 1st Marine Brigade, Hawaii. In July 1983, he saw duty with the Inspector-Instructor Staff, Company F, 2nd Battalion, 25th Marines in New Rochelle, NY, where he was promoted to his present rank in October 1985. In January 1986, Sergeant Major Chauvin joined Marine Medium Helicopter Squadron 163, Marine Aircraft Group 16, 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, Marine Corps Air Station Tustin.</p> <p>In May 1990, he was transferred to 1st Surveillance, Reconnaissance and Intelligence Group, 1st Marine Expeditionary Force, Marine Corps Base Camp Pendleton, CA. Deployed with the Group to Saudi Arabia in August 1990, where he participated in Operation Desert Shield and Desert Storm, rotating with the Group to the Continental United States in April 1991, and joined Marine Aircraft Group 16, in April 1992. Sergeant Major Chauvin assumed the duties as 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing Sergeant Major on 10 February 1993. His personal decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal, Navy Achievement Medal with Combat "V" and the Combat Action Ribbon.</p> <p>Preceding him in death were his parents, Raoul V. Chauvin, Sr. and Inez (Prudeaux) Chauvin; grandparents: Raoul Joseph and Cecelia (Diaz) Chauvin; maternal grandparents: George and Louise (Casimere) Prudeaux.</p> <p>He leaves to mourn, his beloved wife, Vickie L. Chauvin of Diamondhead, MS and his children: Armand Chauvin, Jr. with wife (Shelley) of Beaumont, TX, Dyke Johnson of Beaumont, TX, Kim Conard with husband (Chuck) of Jacksonville, NC, Shawn Beagle with wife (Elena) of Cornelius, NC and Joshua Beagle of San Diego, CA; one brother Raoul V. Chauvin, Jr. of Harvey, LA; three sisters: Belvia Isabelle of New Orleans, LA, Athalia Piernas with husband (Henry Jr.) of Pass Christian, MS, Aveline Kimbell with husband (Willie) of</p>
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	<p>Los Angeles, CA; one "lil" brother Jack Dugue with wife (Jacqueline) of Sacramento, CA; 14 grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews and other family members and many dear friends.</p> <p>Visitation is on Wednesday, December 27, 2006, from 1p.m. until 3 p.m. at Riemann Memorial Funeral Home U.S. 49 north in Gulfport, MS with services to follow at 3:30 p.m. in the funeral home chapel. Full Military Honors will be provided by the United States Marine Corps.</p> <p>In lieu of flowers the Family prefers monetary memorial donations sent to the Navy and Marine Corps Relief Society at NCBC, 5301 Snead St., Gulfport MS 39501.</p> <p>Source: Sun Herald, Biloxi, MS, Dec. 24, 2006, extracted September 22, 2007</p>
Chiavacci, John	<p>John "Jack" Chiavacci, 38, an anesthesiologist who recently returned to Philadelphia to work and teach at Temple University Hospital, died of an apparent heart attack Friday in his home in South Philadelphia.</p> <p>His wife, Marjorie, said he went upstairs to take a shower and, she thought, to bed. When she went upstairs later, she found him slumped over in the bathroom. His wife, who is a nurse, said she could find no pulse. She said an autopsy was being performed.</p> <p>Dr. Chiavacci was born and raised in Wilkes-Barre. He got an undergraduate degree from the University of Pittsburgh and graduated from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1985.</p> <p>He then served in the Navy for five years as a lieutenant commander and flight surgeon, stationed in Florida, then North Carolina. He also served in Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>After leaving the Navy, Dr. Chiavacci was an anesthesia resident at Temple University Hospital until 1995. During that time, he met his wife-to-be and fell in love with South Philadelphia, where she was living.</p> <p>"He's Italian, and he couldn't get over the cheese store on one corner, the Italian specialty shop on another, and 10 good restaurants within walking distance," Marjorie Chiavacci said.</p> <p>He then worked for a year and a half as a staff anesthesiologist at the Harford Memorial Hospital in Havre De Grace, Md. In December, he returned to Philadelphia to be an attending anesthesiologist and associate professor of anesthesia at Temple University Hospital and Medical School.</p> <p>In addition to his wife, Dr. Chiavacci is survived by a 20-month-old daughter, Nicia; two brothers; a sister; and a grandmother.</p> <p>A viewing will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. today at the Pennsylvania Burial Co., 1327 S. Broad St. A Mass of Christian Burial will be said at 10 a.m. tomorrow at St. Monica's Roman Catholic Church at 17th and Ritner Streets. Burial will be at the New Cathedral Cemetery at Second and Butler Streets.</p> <p>Source: The Philadelphia Inquirer, Philadelphia, PA, Jan. 6, 1997, extracted June 25, 2007.</p>

<p>Childers, James E.</p>	<p>Services for James E. "Jimmy" Childers, 56, of Cragford, will be 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Benefield Funeral Home chapel in Ashland with Rev. Braden Morrison and Wendell McLain officiating. Burial with full military honors will be in County Line Baptist Church Cemetery in Clay County. The family will receive friends 5-8 tonight and until service time Tuesday at the funeral home.</p> <p>Mr. Childers died Friday at VA Hospital in Birmingham. Survivors include his wife, Sonja Childers; two daughters, Tina Hannah and Lori Starnes, both of Franklin, Ga.; a sister, Joyce Andrews, of LaGrange, Ga.; seven grandchildren, Josh Hannah, Shane Hannah, Brandi Hannah, Lisa Mashburn, J.C. Starnes, C.J. Starnes, and Jake Starnes.</p> <p>Mr. Childers, a Randolph County native, lived in Germany and Washington before returning to Clay County in 1992. He was employed with Wellborn Cabinet Company. He served in the Army for 17 years, including Desert Storm. He was awarded many decorations and medals for his service, including the Bronze Star.</p> <p>Source: The Anniston Star, Anniston, AL, Jan. 3, 2005, extracted Sep. 9, 2007</p>
<p>Childers, Therrel</p>	<p>2ND LT. THERREL "SHANE" CHILDERS, USMC, age 30, was the first American killed in combat in the war with Iraq on Friday, March 21, 2003. He was born on June 19, 1972, in West Hamlin, W.Va., to Joseph and Judy (Rose) Childers. He graduated from Harrison Central High School in Gulf Port, Miss. in 1990. He joined the Marine Corps in July of 1990, completing Basic Training at Parris Island, S.C. He then attended the Light Armored Vehicle Drivers Course at Camp Pendleton, California. He served in the Persian Gulf during Desert Storm, and following his return to the United States, he was stationed at Camp Lejeune, N.C. He was then assigned to Marine Security Guard Duty, serving at the American Consulate in Geneva, Switzerland and then the American Embassy in Nairobi, Kenya. He then returned to Camp Pendleton, Calif. where he served with the 1st Light Armored Reconnaissance Battalion. While stationed there, he completed a Western Pacific Cruise. He then attended the Citadel after being selected for the Marine Enlisted Commissioning Education Program. Upon graduation, he was commissioned as a 2nd Lt. on June 15, 2001. Later he was transferred to Quantico, Va., where he attended the Basic School and the Infantry Officer Course. He then was assigned as the 2nd platoon commander of Company A, 1st Battalion, 5th Marine Regiment. He deployed to Kuwait on February 4, 2003, with his assigned unit and was killed in action while leading his men during an assault on a pumping station on March 21, 2003. His family shared that he always was very inquisitive and that he loved to learn from others. They also stated that he was very proud to be a United States Marine. He is survived by his parents, Joe and Judy Childers of Powell, Wyo.; a sister, Sandra Brown and husband, Richard, and their children, Autumn and Aiden of Ft. Hood, Texas; a brother, Samuel Childers and wife, Cori, and their children, Aksel, Hannah and Marta of La Salle, Ill.; paternal grandparents Wilton and Alma Childers of Salt Rock, W.Va.; uncles and aunts, Mary and David Bias of Salt Rock, Donald and Brenda Childers of Salt Rock, Richard and Anita Childers of Huntington, W.Va., Judy and Mike Hayes of South Point, Ohio, Natalie and Greg Walker of Aid, Ohio, Kathy and Randy Templeton of Arnold, Mo., Donald and Agnes Rose of Powell, Wyo., Zenda and James Eby of Lubbock, Texas; 17 first cousins and numerous friends. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents Doug and Mae Rose of</p>

	<p>Weston, Idaho. Visitation will be held on Monday, 3 to 9 p.m. at Miratsky-Easton Funeral Home, Powell, Wyo. Funeral Services are scheduled for Tuesday, 1 p.m. at the Cabre Gymnasium located at Northwest College, Powell, Wyo. Burial will follow in Crown Hill Cemetery with full military honors being provided by the United States Marine Corps. Should friends desire, a memorial fund has been established at First National Bank and Trust, Powell, Wyo., with the memorials to be used by the family to honor the memory of their son, Shane.</p> <p>Source: The Herald Dispatch, Huntington, WV, Nov. 1, 2003</p>
<p>Childs, George Bernard</p>	<p>Mr. George Bernard Childs of 8536 Snow Fire Drive, died Saturday, Aug. 1, 1998, at his residence.</p> <p>The funeral will be at 3 p.m. Thursday at Jerusalem Baptist Church, Augusta, with the Rev. Tommy Burgess officiating. Burial will be in Walker Memorial Park.</p> <p>Mr. Childs, a native of Augusta, was employed by the FMC Corporation. He was an Air Force veteran of Desert Storm. He was a member of Victorious Living Fellowship Church where he was treasurer, a Sunday school teacher and a member of the Praise and Worship Team. Mr. Childs was also on the Pastor's Aide Board and the Men Fellowship Board.</p> <p>The family said he was a quiet, gentle, kind and humble person who loved his family and friends. He was a devoted servant of God.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, Laverne M. Childs; one son, Brian B. Childs, Orlando; one daughter, Tara M. Childs, Orlando; his parents, Frank Childs and Margie S. Childs, both of Augusta; one brother, Frank Childs, New Jersey; and two sisters, Jacqueline Wilson and Tonya Childs Fleming, both of Augusta.</p> <p>Pallbearers will be Sam Dent Jr., Bernard Edwards Sr., Herman O'Bryant Sr., Gary Williams, Luther McDaniels Jr. and Michael Mims.</p> <p>Honorary pallbearers will be members of Victorious Living Fellowship Church.</p> <p>Friends may call at 315 Walker St., Augusta, or Dent's Funeral Home.</p> <p>Source: The Augusta Chronicle, Augusta, GA, Aug. 5, 1998, extracted June 25, 2007.</p>
<p>Chinburg, Michael L.</p>	<p>Service Honors First Utah Who Died in Desert Shield</p> <p>HILL AIR FORCE BASE - The memorial service Thursday brought back the grief but was "part of the healing process" for Ellen Chinburg whose son Capt. Michael L. Chinburg was the first Operation Desert Shield fatality from a Utah military base.</p> <p>Pete Chinburg, the F-16 pilot's father, lifted a cloth, revealing the plaque honoring his son and all other Desert Shield and Desert Storm participants as his wife clutched cloth, revealing the plaque honoring his son and all other Desert Shield and Desert Storm participants as his wife clutched a bouquet of roses while holding back tears.</p> <p>The Chinburg's also posthumously accepted a meritorious service medal</p>

	<p>honoring their son who died Jan. 8 during a training mission in Saudi Arabia.</p> <p>"We are glad to be here. It is part of the healing process for us," Mrs. Chinburg said after the service. "It has been a hard six months."</p> <p>Still squeezing the red roses presented to her by Maj. Gen. Dale W. Thompson Jr., Mrs. Chinburg recalled having four sons in four years, including Michael. "My other sons would have liked to be here," she said.</p> <p>Nearly 60 people gathered for the dedication service on a grassy field located between the base officer's club and family support center, including 12 of Capt. Chinburg's fellow fighter pilots. Among them was Capt. Mick McGuire, holding Alexandra, his 7-month-old daughter born while he served in the Persian Gulf. Alexandra was three months old when he arrived home to meet her.</p> <p>Capt. Chinburg was a highly skilled F-16 pilot who paid the ultimate sacrifice by giving his life, said Maj. Gen. Thompson, Ogden Air Logistics Center Commander, as he dedicated the plaque to 1,500 Hill employees who served in the Persian Gulf.</p> <p>The young man represented the best and brightest the United States has to offer, said Col. Michael Navarro, the 388th Tactical Fighter Wing Commander, who presented a meritorious service medal to Mr. and Mrs. Chinburg.</p> <p>Source: The Salt Lake Tribune, Salt Lake City, UT, July 5, 1991, extracted May 25, 2007.</p>
Chislom, Robert Wynn	<p>Robert Wynn Chislom, 27, died May 10, 1992, in a Tacoma, Wash., hospital.</p> <p>Mr. Chislom was born in New York City. He was in the Army stationed at Fort Bragg and was a veteran of Desert Storm. He was a member of Galatia Missionary Baptist Church, Hertford.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, Tina Louise Denby Chislom; a son, Antoine Chislom; and a stepson, Martel Chislom, all of Bridgeton, N.J.; his mother, Emma W. Chislom of New York City; his father, Anderson Chislom of Barnwell, S.C.; three sisters, Denise James of Linden, N.J., Frances Williams of Myrtle Beach, S.C., and Delores Wynn of Barnwell; five brothers, Johnney Chislom and Anderson Chislom, both of Barnwell, Tommy Chislom of Tacoma, Tony Chislom of Syracuse, N.Y., and Jerard Harrell of Washington, D.C.; and a grandfather, Jermiah White of Elizabeth City.</p> <p>The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in Galatia Missionary Baptist Church by the Rev. George Munden. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Viewing will be from 5 to 8 p.m. today in Stallings Funeral Home, Elizabeth City. Friends may join the family at 615 Alton St., Elizabeth City.</p> <p>Source: The Virginian-Pilot, Norfolk, VA, May 15, 1992, extracted May 27, 2007.</p> <p>Laundardt, Charles Gustav</p> <p>Charles Gustav Launhardt, 39, died April 22, 1992, in a hospital.</p> <p>Mr. Laundardt was born Plainfield, N.J. A chief petty officer, he served in the Navy for 20 years and was a veteran of Desert Storm. He was a member of Lutheran Brotherhood..</p>

	<p>Survivors include his wife, Patricia Ann Launhardt; a daughter, Tiffeney L. Launhardt of Virginia Beach; his parents, Ruth and Walter Launhardt of Port Charlotte, Fla.; and a brother, Bruce Launhardt of East Brunswick, N.J.</p> <p>The funeral will be at 1 p.m. Sunday in Hollomon-Brown Funeral Home, Bayside Chapel. Burial will be at sea. Friends may join the family in the funeral home from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday.</p> <p>Memorial donations may be made to Navy Relief.</p> <p>Source: Virginian-Pilot, Norfolk, VA, April 24, 1992, extracted May 27, 2007.</p>
<p>Christensen, Paul Andrew</p>	<p>BELMOND Communications Petty Officer 1st class Paul Andrew Christensen passed away Dec. 8, 2003, at his home in Brentwood, Mass.</p> <p>Funeral service for Paul Christensen will be held 1:30 p.m. Friday at the United Methodist Church in Belmont with Pastor Mike Druhl officiating. Burial will take place in Belmont Cemetery. Military graveside rites are under the direction of the U.S. Navy funeral detachment from Great Lakes Naval Base in Chicago, Ill.</p> <p>Friends may greet the family from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday at the Dugger Ewing Funeral Home, 111 Luick's Lane S., Belmont, and one hour prior to the service at the church.</p> <p>Memorials may be made to the Navy Relief Society.</p> <p>Paul was born on Jan. 22, 1965, the son of Paul E. and the late Etta Ann (Leonard) Christensen at the U. S. Naval Hospital in Oakland.</p> <p>He attended schools in Albuquerque, N.M., Manassas, Va., Dixon, Mo., and Loyal, Okla.</p> <p>Paul attended the University of Oklahoma in Norman prior to entering the U.S. Navy.</p> <p>During his career in the Navy, Paul received his bachelors degree in history from the University of Maryland, and a masters degree in international business from Troy State University.</p> <p>He attended many service schools, including the Defense Language School (Russian) in Monterey, Calif., and communications school in Pensacola, Fla., four times.</p> <p>While in the Navy, he served throughout the world including Keflavik, Iceland; Edsel, Scotland; Sasebo Japan; Yokosuka, Japan; Washington, D.C.; Pensacola, Fla.; San Diego, Calif., and too many other places to remember.</p> <p>Paul served on the flagship USS LaSalle in the Gulf of Bahrain for the flagging of Kuwaiti freighters; and served in the first Gulf War.</p> <p>Paul was a life member of the Belmont VFW.</p> <p>Paul is survived by his wife, Rachel, and stepdaughter, Rosemary, who reside</p>

	<p>in the Philippines; father, Paul E. and stepmother, Alice C., of Belmond; sister Paula (Joe) Powell of Eagle Grove; stepsisters, Paulette (Tom) Bridges-Crane of Dows, Carolyn (Steve) Meinke of Iowa City; stepbrother, Dennis (Sherri) Leach of Spirit Lake; many aunts, nephews, nieces, and cousins.</p> <p>Paul is preceded in death by his mother, Etta Ann Christensen of Belmond; his maternal and paternal grandparents, and an uncle.</p> <p>Dugger Ewing Funeral Home, (641) 444-3248.</p> <p>Source: Waterloo-Cedar Falls Courier, Waterloo, Iowa, Jan. 21, 2004</p>
<p>Christian, Jonathan Nicholas</p>	<p>HAMPTON - Jonathan Nicholas "Nick" Christian of Hampton, Va., age 30, was killed in an airplane crash on Sept. 10 in West Point, Va. He was a 1983 graduate of Haslett High School, received an associate of science in Aviation Flight Technology from Lansing Community College in 1986 and a bachelor of science in Professional Aeronautics from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University in 1993. He was a sergeant in the United States Marine Corps and served during Desert Shield/Desert Storm. He was a member of the Chief Okemos American Legion Post 269.</p> <p>He is survived by his parents, Dr. Ken and Ellie Christian of Haslett, Mich., and his sister, Lisa, of Hampton, Va. He died during what he loved - flying.</p> <p>There will be a memorial service in Lawrence B. Wood Funeral Home Chapel on Sunday, Sept. 17, 1995, at 2 p.m. The family will receive friends afterward.</p> <p>Please omit floral tributes.</p> <p>Source: Daily Press, Newport News, VA, Sept. 15, 1995, extracted June 16, 2007.</p>
<p>Christy, Randy Lee</p>	<p>Randy Lee Christy, 51, of Ridgecrest, Calif., formerly of Leipsic, died at 9:23 a.m. Feb. 3, 2002, at Bakersfield Heart Hospital, Bakersfield, Calif. He was born July 20, 1950, in Findlay to Paul and Bernadine Wilcox Christy. His mother survives in Leipsic. On April 3, 1977, he married Melanie Hill, who survives in Ridgecrest, Calif. Mr. Christy worked in the quality assurance division of Lockheed-Martin, Ridgecrest, Calif., and retired from the Air Force, where he was a veteran of the Vietnam War and Desert Storm. He was a member of Leipsic United Methodist Church. He was a life member of the Air Force Association and the Air Force Sergeants Association. He was a 1968 graduate of Leipsic High School. Survivors also include two sons, Paul (Amy) Christy of Point Mugu, Calif., and Ronald Christy of Ridgecrest, Calif.; a stepson, Joe Stottmann of Yuba City, Calif.; two daughters, Joi Christy of Ridgecrest, Calif., and Dorothy Christy at home; and five grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a brother, Kenneth Christy. Services will begin at 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Love Funeral Home, Leipsic. The Rev. Mary Bushong will officiate. Burial will be in Sugar Ridge Cemetery, Leipsic, with military rites by Leipsic American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars posts. Friends may call from 2 to 9 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association or the Christy children's education fund. Condolences may be expressed at <a href="http://www.lovefuneralhome.com">www.lovefuneralhome.com</a>.</p> <p>Source: The Lima News, Lima, OH, Feb. 6, 2002, extracted Jun. 24, 2007</p>

<p>Church, Samuel Lee</p>	<p>Burley, Gregory John SSgt. (Greg) died March 11, 2004. He is predeceased by his father John (Jack) P. Burley.</p> <p>He is survived by his wife, Lisa Marie Burley; mother, Margaret (Peg) Burley; son, Eric Burley and daughter, Laura Burley; brothers, Mark (Rachel), Brian (Kathryn), Timothy (Mary Beth), Chris (Mary Ellen) and Steve (Carol) Burley and several nieces and nephews.</p> <p>Greg was a member of the 7207th Army Reserve Division and served in Desert Storm as well as serving state side in Operation-Iraqi Freedom.</p> <p>Friends may call Tuesday 2-4 and 7-9 at New Comer Family Funeral Home, 6 Empire Blvd. His funeral service will be Wednesday 10:00AM at Covenant United Methodist Church, 1124 Culver Rd. Interment Riverside Cemetery.Samuel Lee Church, of RR 5, Montrose, died Saturday at his home. Born on Sept. 5, 1963, in Rochester, N.Y., he was the son of the late Clara Miller and Rodney Church of Cagayon de Oro, Philippines.</p> <p>He was a graduate of Montrose High School, class of 1981.</p> <p>He was a U.S. Army veteran, who served during Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>He was employed by Inderlied Hardware, Endicott, N.Y.</p> <p>Surviving are his wife, the former Rhoda Hendley; sons, Micah Andrew and Joshua Lee, at home; a daughter, Christanna Krista, at home; brothers, Randy Carterette, Montrose; Billy Joe, San Antonio, Texas; sisters, Lila Mae Wallace, Nicholson; Melody White, U.S. Army, Fort Hood, Texas; Lorrie Marie Robinson, Mehoopany; several nieces and nephews.</p> <p>Funeral services will begin at 11 a.m. Saturday from the Sheldon-Kukuchka Funeral Home, 73 W. Tioga St., Tunkhannock, with the Rev. Rowan Fay, pastor of the Binghamton Pilgrim Holiness Church, Binghamton, N.Y., officiating.</p> <p>Interment will be in Sunnyside Cemetery, Tunkhannock.</p> <p>Source: The Times Leader, Wilkes Barre, PA, Oct. 14, 1995, extracted June 16, 2007</p>
<p>Ciarlo, Michael J.</p>	<p>MSGT Michael J. Ciarlo, U.S.M.C., age 46, of Steger, IL, passed away on Jan. 30, 2006.</p> <p>Michael is survived by his mother, Flora Ciarlo of Chicago; two sisters, Michele Glazewski of Clinton Twp., MI and Mari Jo (Ken) Hanson of Chicago. He was preceded in death by his father, John Ciarlo, on March 3, 1976.</p> <p>Visitation Thursday, Feb. 2 from 3 to 9 p.m. at the Smits Funeral HomesSteger Memorial Chapel, 3045 Chicago Rd., Steger, IL. Funeral Mass Friday at 12 noon at the St. Liborius Catholic Church in Steger, IL. Interment at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery, Elwood, IL.</p> <p>MSGT Michael J. Ciarlo was deployed to Bahrain as Legal Services Chief, Marine Corps Forces Central Command under Gen. Tommy Franks for planning stages of Operation Iraqi Freedom. Deployed to Iraq as Combat Operations Chief for 1st Service Support Group, responsible for operational and administrative needs and the welfare of more than 300 Marines. Michael</p>

	<p>received the Navy Commendational Medal, Combat V. for Valor, Combat Action Ribbon and the Meritorious Service Medal. MSGT Michael J. Ciarlo served in Operation Desert Shield 1990, Operation Desert Storm 1991, Operation Enduring Freedom 2002 and Operation Iraqi Freedom 2003.</p> <p>Memorials to the Disabled Veterans Foundation or the Marian Catholic High School Scholarship Foundation would be appreciated. Information, 708-755-6100 .</p> <p>Source: Chicago Tribune, Chicago, IL, Feb. 2, 2006, extracted September 22, 2007.</p>
Clark, Beverly	<p>Beverly Clark: Town copes with death of reservist ARMAGH Mention of Beverly Clark's name still brings grim looks to faces here.</p> <p>Two months after it was unwillingly thrust into the national spotlight, this Indiana County community is recovering from the death of one of its own in the Persian Gulf War.</p> <p>Specialist Beverly Clark was one of 13 reservists from the Greensburg-based 14th Quartermaster Unit killed Feb. 25 when an Iraqi Scud missile slammed directly into their barracks in Dhahran, Saudi Arabia. An additional 39 reservists of the 69-member unit were wounded. Fifteen other soldiers from other parts of the United States also were killed in the explosion. It was the worst military disaster suffered by U.S. forces in the entire Gulf War.</p> <p>While thousands of Harrisburg-area residents turned out yesterday for a rousing celebration of the return of the troops, a sense of grief is still obvious here and in the other small communities across this region from which the 14th Quartermaster drew many of its troops. Eighty percent of the unit's dead and wounded came from the same geographic area: the Pennsylvania counties of Allegheny, Cambria, Clarion, Indiana, Washington and Westmoreland.</p> <p>The 13 who were killed ranged in age from 20 to 44. In civilian life, the victims had been clerks and secretaries, a mail-truck maintenance man, a forklift operator, college students, a boxer, a trumpet player and a future teacher. They left behind nine children.</p> <p>The small unit suffered more deaths than any other, and it was particularly hard for friends and family of the dead because it came so near the end of the war and because the unit had been in Dhahran only five days when the attack came.</p> <p>For people in these towns, who have seen bad economic times because of the dying steel and declining coal industries, the war isn't tied neatly up in a yellow ribbon. There are some loose ends.</p> <p>In Armagh, instead of parades and welcome-home parties, the end of the war has spawned support groups and a fund-raising effort to erect a memorial in Clark's memory.</p> <p>The death of the 23-year-old Clark shocked this tight-knit community, where a sign proudly proclaims "We support our home-town troops," and where a yellow ribbon and small American flag adorn each utility pole.</p>

"You talk to people who are bitter, who say it was a senseless thing to happen," said Armagh resident Lorraine Hinton. "But I think people are getting along with their lives." Members of Clark's 1985 graduating class have placed cartons covered with black letters and yellow ribbons in local businesses to raise money.

The form for the salute still hasn't taken shape, but suggestions range from a lighted flagpole at a local municipal building to a memorial inside United High School, her alma mater.

There also are plans for a monument in Greensburg to remember those in the 14th killed in the missile attack.

When the attention paid the town finally subsided after Clark's death, the community and the family suffered another tragedy: Clark's cousin was killed in an auto accident.

The two were buried in the same cemetery.

"Not everyone knew her, but you still feel that it is a terrible loss," said Lynn Luther, who operates a beauty shop. "A lot of people that didn't know her knew [her cousin]. It's kind of like a double dose."

The Los Angeles Times contributed to this report.

Source: The Patriot-News, Harrisburg, PA, May 12, 1991, extracted May 24, 2007.

#### **HERE ARE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE DISTRICT'S WAR DEAD SPEC. BEVERLY CLARK**

Spec. Beverly Clark, one of 13 area soldiers killed Feb. 25 in the missile attack in Dhahran, Saudi Arabia, was buried with full military honors today.

Her funeral was held this morning at the Kenneth Stuart Funeral Home in New Florence, Indiana County. Burial followed at Bethel Cemetery in New Florence.

Spec. Clark, 23, resided in Armagh, Indiana County. At the time of her death, she was serving in Operation Desert Storm as a member of the 14th Quartermaster Detachment of the 99th Army Reserve Command.

She was a 1985 graduate of United Area High School and was employed as a quality-control supervisor at Season-All Industries Inc. in Indiana, Pa. She was a member of Mt. Tabor United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her parents, Robert L. and Connie E. Clark; three sisters, Sherry Lynn Hawk of Lancaster and Bobbie Lee and Michelle Clark, both at home; a brother, Robby, at home; her paternal grandmother, Ruth Clark of New Florence, Indiana County; her maternal grandmother, Theda Kitchen of New Florence; and her maternal grandfather, Clifford F. Brendlinger of South Fork, Cambria County.

	<p>Source: Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, Pittsburgh, PA, March 5, 1991, extracted May 24, 2007.</p>
Clark, Stephany Ann	<p>Stephany Ann Clark, 25, Arkansas City, Kan., formerly of Olathe, died Oct. 17, 1992, near Udall, Kan.</p> <p>Services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at St. Paul's Catholic Church, Olathe; burial in Mount Calvary Cemetery, Olathe. Friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the Frye Chapel, Olathe. Miss Clark was born in Amarillo, Texas, and lived in Olathe before moving to Arkansas City earlier this year. She was a nurse at St. Luke's Hospital in Ponca City, Okla., for four months. She graduated from the Mid-America Nazarene College nursing school this year. She graduated from the Olathe North High School in 1985. She was a member of the church. She was an Army veteran and served in Operation Desert Storm. Survivors include her parents, Francis J. Clark Sr. and Sharon R. Clark, and two brothers, Francis J. "Buddy" Clark Jr. and Matthew R. Clark, all of Olathe; three sisters, Patricia Given, Oak Grove in Jackson County, and Gina A. Sehon and Bridget Clark of Olathe; her paternal grandmother, Mary K. Clark, Wellington, Kan.; and her maternal grandparents, Floyd and Shirley Mawhiney of Kansas City, Kan.</p> <p>Source: The Kansas City Stat, Kansas City, MO, Oct. 20, 1992, extracted May 29, 2007.</p>
Clark, Steven Michael	<p>Steven Michael Clark, 41, of Virginia Beach, died Oct. 10, 2001 as the result of an aircraft accident off the coast of Spain. Born in Kansas City, Mo., he retired from the U.S. Navy as a first class petty officer in May of 2000. Steve spent his career as a NAVY SEAL, graduating Basic Underwater Demolition School (BUDS), Class 107, May 9, 1980. Following BUDS he reported to UDT 11, Oct. 1979 to May 1980. In March 1985, he reported to Seal Team 5, Coronado, Calif. Transferring to the East Coast, Steve was assigned to Red Cell, where he served as a member of the Fast Attack Vehicle Detachment during Desert Shield/Desert Storm. He returned to Coronado, Calif., in Nov. 1991, serving as a basic underwater demolition instructor.</p> <p>In Dec. 1993, Steve was assigned to Naval Special Warfare Development Group Dam Neck, Va. from where he retired in May 2000. During his 20-year career, Steve received numerous awards and citations including: Joint Services Commendation, Combat Action Ribbon and the Navy Achievement Medal with Combat "V" for valor. After retiring, Steve was employed as the production superintendent for Consolidated Restoration Systems.</p> <p>In addition to his loving wife, Leslie Ann Clark, he is survived by his two sons, Anthony Michael and Dillon James; his daughter, Amanda Michelle Rose, all of Virginia Beach; his parents, Gary and Roslyn Clark of Kansas City; a brother, David Clark and wife Rhonda, and their children Gary and Nicole of Cabot, Ark.; grandfather, Charles M. Adams of Wichita, Kan.; uncles, Marshall Clark and wife Rita of Casey, Ill., Mike Clark and wife Angie of Sussex, Wis.; aunts, Marilyn Scott and husband Charles of Toledo, Ill. and Joyce Collins of Kansas City; his mother-in-law, Alice Joy Vise of Seattle, Wash.; sisters-in-law, Sue VanSenus and husband Ronald of Edmonds, Wash., Misty Lewis and husband Steve of Coronado, Calif., Donna Lee of Seattle, Wash.; and brother-in-law, Rick Vise of Everett, Wash.; seven nieces and nephews, two great-nephews, and a host of teammates, friends and neighbors.</p>

	<p>A memorial plaque will be dedicated in Steve's memory at Arlington National Cemetery. A memorial service will be held Thursday at the Dam Neck Chapel at 1:30 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Clark Family Memorial Fund, c/o Bank of the Commonwealth, 1124 First Colonial Road, Virginia Beach, VA 23454.</p> <p>Source: The Virginian-Pilot, Norfolk, VA, Oct. 17, 2001, extracted Jun. 1, 2007</p>
<p>Clearwater, Carl Jerome</p>	<p>STG1 Carl Jerome Clearwater, USN, died Sept. 19, 1998.</p> <p>Carl was born Nov. 10, 1964, in Catskill, N.Y. He graduated from Catskill High School in 1982.</p> <p>Carl entered the Navy in 1982. Upon graduation from Recruit Training, he was assigned to the USS Joseph Strauss and the Shore Intermediate Maintenance Activity (SIMA) in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, where he worked as an electronic equipment repairman for three years. Carl left the Navy in 1986, and then re-enlisted in 1989. His first assignment after re-enlisting was the Naval Special Warfare Center, Coronado, Calif., where he completed Basic Underwater Demolition/SEAL training. Carl was subsequently assigned to SEAL Team EIGHT.</p> <p>While at SEAL Team EIGHT, Carl forward-deployed to the European Theater two times. His first deployment was aboard the amphibious dock-landing ship USS Trenton, where he conducted operations in support of Desert Shield/Desert Storm in Iraq and Operation Eastern Exit in Somalia. His second deployment was aboard the aircraft carrier USS John F. Kennedy, where he conducted operations in support of the NATO effort in Bosnia. Carl also deployed to the Caribbean while at SEAL Team EIGHT, where he was involved in counter-drug and nation-building efforts in that region.</p> <p>In June 1994, Carl accomplished what fewer than 100 of the 2,000 active duty SEALs today have when he successfully screened, passed the difficult and demanding six-month training program and served in the Naval Special Warfare Development Group (NSWDG). This was a significant achievement, demonstrating that Carl had mastered the war-fighting skills required for the conduct of the most challenging special operations missions. While at NSWDG, Carl was assigned as part of a Joint Special Operations Task Force for several deployments to the European Theater of Operations.</p> <p>During his service, Carl was awarded the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Joint Service Achievement Medal, two Navy Achievement Medals, the Combat Action Ribbon and numerous other medals and awards.</p> <p>Carl is survived by his parents, Alfred and Annette Clearwater of Catskill, N.Y.; his three sisters, Cindy, Elaine and Amy; and numerous other family and friends.</p> <p>The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Twiford Colonial Chapel, Great Bridge, Chesapeake. A funeral will be conducted at 8:30 a.m. Thursday at the Chapel in the Woods Church, Little Creek Amphibious Base. Interment will be at Arlington National Cemetery at 3 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 24.</p> <p>Source: The Virginian-Pilot, Norfolk, VA, Sept. 23, 1998, extracted June 26, 2007</p>

Cliff, Myrna Ann	<p>Myrna Ann Cliff, who was born in Kalispell, Mont., died Friday. A memorial service for Mrs Cliff, 63, will be Thursday at 7 p.m. at Pilgrim Lutheran Church. Riplinger Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.</p> <p>She moved to Spokane and attended the Sacred Heart School of Nursing. She was a nurse for more than 40 years, with 26 at Sacred Heart Medical Center.</p> <p>As an officer in the Army Reserve, Mrs. Cliff served during Desert Storm in Riyahd, Saudi Arabia.</p> <p>She enjoyed gardening and birdwatching.</p> <p>Survivors include two sons, David and Michael Cliff; a daughter, Jennifer Hall; her father, Claire Martin; a sister, Linda Camp; and one grandchild.</p> <p>Source: The Spokesman-Review, Spokane, WA, June 9, 2004, extracted August 13, 2007.</p>
Clifton, Dick L.	<p>Clifton, Dick L.</p> <p>Dick L. Clifton, 57, of the 3200 block of Southwest Eighth Street died of cancer Saturday at Iowa Methodist Medical Center. Services will be at 3 p.m. Wednesday at Hamilton's Funeral Home, with burial at Altoona Cemetery in Altoona. Mr. Clifton was born in Des Moines and had lived in Dallas Center before moving to Des Moines 33 years ago. He was a heavy mobile equipment mechanic for the U.S. government. He had served in the Army and Army Reserves in Korea, Germany, Vietnam and Operation Desert Storm. He enjoyed woodworking and camping. He is survived by his wife, Louise of Des Moines a daughter, Shelley Doyle of Pleasant Hill two sons, Christopher of Ankeny and Matthew of West Des Moines his father, Robert Sr. of Perry three brothers, Robert Jr. of Rio Rancho, N.M., Edward of Long Beach, Calif., and Donald of Pleasantville a sister, Lolita Huth of Des Moines and four grandchildren. Friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.</p> <p>Source: The Des Moines Register, Des Moines, IA, May 13, 2002, extracted Jun. 24, 2007</p>
Clinch, Edward James	<p>Edward James Clinch, 35, of Albuquerque, N.M., formerly of Peoria, died at 6 p.m. Sunday, July 21, 1991, at his home.</p> <p>Born July 17, 1956, in Peoria to Robert H. and Josephine O'Reilly Clinch, he married Regina Hawkes. She survives.</p> <p>Also surviving are one daughter, Erin Margaret Clinch, and one son, Richard Adam, both at home; his parents; two brothers, Dan of Moriarty, N.M., and John of Cedar Crest N.M.; and three sisters, Mrs. Rex (Kathy) Harrison of Warner-Robbins Air Force Base, Ga., and Barbara Griego and Laura Clinch, both of Albuquerque.</p> <p>He received the Meritorious Service Award while serving in the Air Force during Operation Desert Shield.</p> <p>Services will be at 10 a.m. today at Kirtland Air Force Base East Chapel in Albuquerque. Chaplain Larry Fedor will officiate. Burial will follow in Santa Fe National Cemetery, with military honors. Fitzgerald and Son Funeral</p>

	<p>Directors in Albuquerque is in charge of arrangements.</p> <p>Source: The Peoria Journal Star, Peoria, IL, July 24, 1991, extracted May 25, 2007.</p>
<p>Clonch, Donald M.</p>	<p>NORTH MYRTLE BEACH - Donald M. Clonch, 50, died Sunday, April 18, 1999, at Marion County Medical Center after an illness.</p> <p>He was born in Richardland County, a son of Coleen Rogers Clonch and the late James M. Clonch.</p> <p>He was a member of the S.C. National Guard, formerly with the 132 Military Police and most recently with 4-178 Field Artillery. He was a veteran of Desert Storm.</p> <p>Survivors, in addition to his mother of Lake View, include two daughters, Kenna Clonch of Charleston and Ashley Clonch of North Myrtle Beach; a brother, Mike Clonch of Lake View; and his fiancée, Janie Nolan of Florence.</p> <p>The funeral will be at 2 p.m. today at First Baptist Church of Lake View. Burial will be in Lake View Cemetery.</p> <p>Cook Funeral Home of Lake View is in charge.</p> <p>Source: The Sun News, Myrtle Beach, SC, April 21, 1999, July 13, 2007.</p>
<p>Close, Arthur V.</p>	<p>WILMOT -- Arthur V. Close, 41, died Friday, Dec. 3, 2004, in Massilon Community Hospital from injuries received while flying his gyrocopter near his home in Wilmot.</p> <p>Art was born August 22, 1963 in Millersburg, the son of Robert Dean and Sandra Lynn (Spangler) Close of Loudonville. He was a 1981 graduate of Loudonville High School and resident of Loudonville most of his life living in Wilmot the past 2-3 years. He was a US Army and Ohio National Guard veteran of the Persian Gulf War, serving in the 1486 Transportation Company of Ashland. Art was a former self-employed carpet and tile installer, contractor and landscaper. He was recently employed with a Czech gyrocopter manufacturing company to test pilot the aircraft.</p> <p>Art was an avid tournament pool and billiards player, but his true love was flying his gyrocopter.</p> <p>He is survived by his son, Cody Christopher Close of Bolivar; his parents Robert and Sandra Close of Loudonville; his brother and sister-in-law, Rob and Rhonda Close of Loudonville; his 2 sisters and brothers-in-law, Tina and Gary Hart of Loudonville, and Tammy and Butch Phillips of Perrysville; his girlfriend, Barbi Scali of Columbus; 2 nieces, Abby Voltz and Demi Hart; 3 nephews, Cory (Tiffany) Voltz, Adam and Brett Close; and 2 great-nieces, Taylor Voltz and Alexis Heffelfinger.</p> <p>Funeral services will be held Wednesday, December 8, at 11 a.m. in New Hope Community Church, Loudonville with Rev. Charles Hill officiating. Friends may call Tuesday from 1-3 and 6-8 p.m. in Byerly-Lindsey Funeral Home, Loudonville. The Close family requests that friends write favorite "Art" stories and bring them to the funeral home so they may compile a story album.</p>

	<p>Online condolences may be sent to the family by visiting <a href="http://www.byerly-lindsey.com">www.byerly-lindsey.com</a>.</p> <p>Source: Lancaster Eagle-Gazette, Lancaster, OH, Dec. 5, 2004</p>
<p>Cloutier, Ronald P.</p>	<p>Ronald P. Cloutier, 38, of Ellensburg died Monday, Dec. 25, 2006, at Providence Mt. St. Vincent Care Facility in Seattle.</p> <p>He was born in Seattle on Sept. 3, 1968, one of five children of Paul and Marcia (Dobson) Cloutier.</p> <p>He moved with his family to Ellensburg in 1987, attended local schools and, following high school graduation in 1987, he enlisted in the U.S. Army. He spent his military years in Germany, Kuwait and Saudi Arabia and was part of Desert Storm.</p> <p>He and Ute Schweininger were married in Germany and had one daughter, Joann. Following an automobile collision in Germany, Ron returned to Ellensburg and resided with his parents until moving recently to the care facility in Seattle.</p> <p>In addition to his parents of Ellensburg, he is survived by his daughter Joann of Germany; brother Len of Yakima; three sisters Margaret (Ray) Cedeno of Ellensburg, Janet of Sequim and Terri Smith of Ilwaco; grandmother Berniece Arcadipane of Kent; nephew Wyatt and a number of aunts, uncles and cousins.</p> <p>Visitation will be Tuesday, Jan. 2 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Affordable Funeral Care. A rosary will also be held Tuesday at 6 p.m. at St. Andrew's Catholic Church. A mass of Christian burial will be Wednesday, Jan. 3 at 11 a.m. at Mount St. Vincent Church, 4831 35th Avenue S.W., Seattle with burial with military honors following at Tahoma National Cemetery, 18600 S.E. 240th Street, Kent. A memorial mass will be on Thursday, Jan. 4 at 9 a.m. at St. Andrew's Catholic Church.</p> <p>In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to the Paralyzed Veterans, 7 Mill Brook Road, Wilton, N.H. 03086 or to the Brain Injury Association of Washington, 800 Jefferson St., Ste. 600, Seattle, WA 98104.</p> <p>Source: Daily Record, Ellensburg, WA, Dec. 28, 2006, extracted August 22, 2007.</p>
<p>Coate, Derek Welch</p>	<p>Derek Welch Coate, age 30, passed away Thursday, December 27, 2001 at McKay-Dee Hospital.</p> <p>He was born March 1, 1971 in Bend, Oregon the son of Jim Coate and Vickie Huenergard Martin.</p> <p>Derek married Rebecca Ann Lisonbee on October 30, 1992 in Albuquerque, New Mexico.</p> <p>He was employed at Musgrove Family Bowl as a Bowling Alley Supervisor.</p> <p>Derek served in U.S. Air Force during Desert Storm.</p>

	<p>Surviving are his wife, Rebecca Coate, one son, Derek W. Coate Jr., Layton; parents, Jim and Paula Coate, Alaska; Vickie Martin, Colorado Springs, CO; in-law-parents, Rick and Melody Saxton, Roy; Larry Lisonbee, Layton; grandparent, Bea Kimball, Elko, NV; six brothers, Robert Martin, Colorado Springs, CO; Jason Martin, Guffey, CO; Vance Lisonbee, Layton; Brandon Stauffer, Roy; Tyler Graham, Colorado Springs, CO; Mark Lisonbee, Elcanlante, four sisters, Shelby Martin, Guffey, CO; DeDe Graham, Colorado Springs, CO; Laura Lisonbee, Escalante; and Valerie Stauffer, Roy.</p> <p>Memorial services will be held Monday, December 31, 2001 at 11 a.m. at Lindquist's Layton Mortuary, 1867 No. Fairfield Road.</p> <p>E-mail condolences to the family at <a href="mailto:llm@lindquistmortuary.com">llm@lindquistmortuary.com</a>.</p> <p>Source: Standard Examiner, Ogden, UT, Dec. 29, 2001, extracted Jun. 1, 2007</p>
Coates, James Randolph	<p>COPPER HILL - James Randolph Coates, II, 27, died Tuesday. He was a veteran of Desert Storm. Surviving are his parents, James R. and Joyce Coates; three sisters and brothers-in-law, Kathy and Charles Tankersley, Cindy and Ricky Sutphin, Lisa and Curtis Hassells; four nieces and nephews, Stormy and Chad Tankersley, Melissa and Leanna Sutphin; maternal grandmother, Fannie Conner, all of Copper Hill. Funeral will be Friday 2:00 p.m. at Wood Funeral Home, Floyd, with Elder Lane Carter officiating. Interment in the Restvale Cemetery. There will be a graveside military honors service by the 4th Highland Brigade of the Virginia State Defense Force.</p> <p>Source: The Roanoke Times, Roanoke, VA, Oct. 18, 1991, extracted May 23, 2007.</p>
Cobb, Douglas Kevin	<p>MSgt. Douglas Kevin Cobb, Sr., 53, passed away Monday, June 18, 2007 at home after a valiant battle with liver cancer.</p> <p>Visitation will be 5-8pm today at Wright and Ferguson Funeral Home on Highland Colony Parkway in Ridgeland and 10 am Wednesday at St. Peter's By the Lake Episcopal Church in Brandon. Funeral services will be 11:00am Wednesday at the church with graveside services at 3:00pm Wednesday at Silver Cross Cemetery in Tallulah, LA.</p> <p>MSgt. Cobb served in the US Air Force from June 1972 to April 1974. He joined the Mississippi Air National Guard 172nd Air Wing in April 1974 and served until his death in June 2007. He served his country during the Vietnam Conflict, Operation Desert Storm, Desert Shield and the Iraq Conflict.</p> <p>He was active in the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Youth baseball and softball. An avid fisherman, he loved the outdoors. He was very supportive of his dearly loved grandchildren.</p> <p>He leaves behind his mother, Dorothy Sarah Bradley of Jackson; wife, Lisa Cobb of Ridgeland; daughters, Alecia Wasson and husband, Perry of Brandon and Pamela Cobb and fiancé, Josh Martin of Richland; son, Douglas Kevin Cobb, Jr., and wife, Stacy of Baton Rouge, LA; grandchildren, Jace, Ashleigh, Brennon, Abigail, and Jack; sister, Rebecca Wilkerson and husband, Terry of Jackson; mother and father-in-law, Charles and Lucy Davis of Pontotoc; and best friends, Gerald and Melanie Thornhill.</p> <p>The family would like to express sincere appreciation to Dr. Bobby Graham</p>

	<p>and Odyssey Healthcare and their special staff members at both facilities for their loving and professional care.</p> <p>The family requests that memorials be made to Liver Cancer Research /American Cancer Society, 1380 Livingston Ln., Jackson, MS 39213, or St. Peter's By the Lake Episcopal Church, PO Box 5026, Brandon, MS 39047.</p> <p>Source: The Clarion-Ledger, Jackson, MS, June 19, 2007, extracted September 26, 2007.</p>
Coble, Ricky Dale	<p>PRINCETON, Ky. -- Ricky Dale Coble, 45, accidentally drowned Saturday, June 5, 1999, in Spring River, just south of Imboden, Ark.</p> <p>He was a meat cutter for Winn-Dixie in Princeton.</p> <p>He was a 13-year Army veteran with service in Europe and in Operation Desert Storm and was a member of Highland Baptist Church in Princeton.</p> <p>Surviving are a daughter, Dana Lee Coble of Princeton; two stepdaughters; two sons, Robert Edward and Rudy Gwinn Coble, both of Paragould; a stepson; his mother, Wanda Lee Peek Coble of Princeton; a brother, Bobby of Granite City, Ill.; a grandmother, Mrs. Jesse Peek of Princeton; and nieces and nephews.</p> <p>Services will be at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at Morgan's Funeral Home, with burial in Lance Nichols Cemetery in Caldwell County, where the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars will conduct military rites.</p> <p>Friends may call from 5 to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home.</p> <p>Source: Evansville Courier &amp; Press, Evansville, IN, June 7, 1999, extracted July 12, 2007.</p>
Coffey, Trebor Dalin	<p>HUTCHINSON - Trebor Dalin Coffey, 38, died Oct. 15, 2006, at Hutchinson Hospital.</p> <p>He was born June 5, 1968, in Hutchinson, the son of Robert Owen and Caroline Faye Stewart Coffey. A longtime Hutchinson resident, he was a certified optician, working the last 15 years at Payton Optical.</p> <p>He belonged to Crossroads Christian Church, was a member, past master and past district deputy grand master of the Hutchinson Reno Masonic Lodge No. 124. He was a York Rite Mason, past patron of the Silver Leaf Chapter No. 464 Order of the Eastern Star and past president of the Optician Association of Kansas.</p> <p>He served in the U.S. Army Reserve during Desert Storm.</p> <p>On Oct. 30, 1994, he married Alicia Kay Leonard in Hugoton. She survives.</p> <p>Other survivors include: two sons, Kevin James, Hutchinson, and Dalin Owen David, of the home; three daughters, Jamey Lee Tipton and her husband, Michael, Hutchinson, and Kalin Nadine Faye Coffey and Taylor Kay Coffey, both of the home; his parents, Hutchinson; three brothers, Robert II, Palmer, Alaska, Brian C., Martinez, Ga., and Henry E. Huebner, El Dorado; grandmother, Itha G. Henson, Holdenville, Okla.; father and mother-in-law,</p>

	<p>Kenneth and Patricia Leonard; and a grandson, Razez Tipton.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by a brother, Kevin Jack Coffey.</p> <p>Funeral will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at Crossroads Christian Church, Hutchinson, with Pastor Wayne Pittman presiding. Visitation will be from 5 to 9 p.m. Tuesday and from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Wednesday at Elliott Mortuary, Hutchinson. Burial will be in Fairlawn Cemetery, with Masonic graveside rites conducted by the Hutchinson-Reno Masonic Lodge No. 124.</p> <p>In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to the Coffey Children's Education Fund, in care of the funeral home.</p> <p>Source: The Hutchinson News, Hutchinson, KS, Oct. 17, 2006, extracted August 25, 2007.</p>
<p>Cohen, Gerard A.</p>	<p>St. Louis Soldier Is Buried ... Full Military Honors For Gulf War Veteran</p> <p>As a lone bugler played taps in the distance, Army Spc. Gerard A. Cohen was buried Monday afternoon in a brief, simple ceremony at Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery.</p> <p>"He was one of the unsung heroes of the war," said Maj. Lloyd Sweet, casualty assistance officer for the Army.</p> <p>"Without these guys getting food, fuel and arms to the front line, you wouldn't have had an operation," Sweet said.</p> <p>Cohen, 30, was a St. Louis native. He died March 1 in Saudi Arabia when a load of plywood shifted on a truck and he was crushed. He was a member of the 586th Combat Support Co. and had been stationed in Germany until Dec. 9, when he left for the Persian Gulf.</p> <p>Cohen was buried in Section N of the cemetery, not far from the main entrance. He was buried in the same row as veterans of World War II, Korea, Vietnam, Lebanon and Grenada.</p> <p>His flag-draped gray and silver casket was given a police escort into the cemetery. The flag was presented to his mother, Retha Cohen, after the ceremony.</p> <p>Ralph Church, cemetery director, said family members had asked that they not be interviewed either before or after the service. Photographers were asked to stay behind a white ribbon that had been laid on the ground, about 60 feet from the gravesite.</p> <p>Cohen attended Mark Twain Elementary School and graduated from Northwest High School. His mother had described him as a "gentle, caring person" who stayed away from fights. She said he planned to one day leave the military and become a minister.</p> <p>Killed in the same accident was Army Spc. David Heyman, 28, a native of Hazelwood. A service for Heyman has yet to be held.</p> <p>Cohen was the first person from the St. Louis area buried in the cemetery with full military honors since the end of the Persian Gulf War. Two others</p>

	<p>who died while involved in Operation Desert Shield - former St. Louisans Carol McKinney and Alexander Jones - were buried there in December, Church said.</p> <p>Meanwhile, an ecumenical memorial service for servicemen and servicewomen who died in the Persian Gulf has been set for 7 p.m. Wednesday at St. John African Methodist Episcopal Church, 1908 North Kingshighway. The public is invited.</p> <p>Source: St. Louis Post-Dispatch, St. Louis, MO, March 12, 1991, extracted May 25, 2007</p>
<p>Cole, James Timothy</p>	<p>James Timothy "Tim" Cole, 46, of Pleasant Valley died Feb. 6 at Walter Reed Army Hospital.</p> <p>Born April 28, 1959 in Hanover, Pa., he was the son of the late Richard S. Cole and Mary L. "Mamie" Hargett Cole. He was the beloved husband of Erica D. Weiss Cole.</p> <p>He graduated from Westminster High School in 1978.</p> <p>He retired from the U.S. Navy in 2003, after having served more than 20 years as an electronics technician chief petty officer. His last tour of duty was at the Annapolis Naval Base. He served on the USS Enterprise, USS Hunley, USS LaSalle and the USS Bellknap, and served in Desert Storm.</p> <p>He worked for the Carroll County Times as a independent contractor and newspaper carrier for 10 years.</p> <p>He attended St. Matthew United Church of Christ.</p> <p>He was a member of the National Wild Turkey Federation, and was an avid hunter and fisherman. He loved trains and was a Civil War buff, especially interested in Gettysburg. He loved boating and the sea and enjoyed watching his children's sporting events.</p> <p>Surviving him, in addition to his wife, are children Joshua E. Cole, Melanie G. Cole and Colby T. Cole, all of Taneytown; his children's mother Mary Kathleen "Kathy" Tillman of Taneytown; sister Judy A. Basham of Pleasant Valley; and uncle Truman L. "Bud" Haines of Pleasant Valley. He is also survived by several aunts, uncles and cousins.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by brother Richard S. Cole Jr.; and by uncle Raymond E. Cole.</p> <p>Funeral services were held Feb. 11 at Fletcher Funeral Home, Westminster, with the Rev. Lois Ann Furgess-Oler officiating. Interment was in Pleasant Valley Cemetery with full military honors.</p> <p>Memorial contributions may be made to Immune Deficiency Foundation, 40 W. Chesapeake Ave., Towson, MD 21204.</p> <p>Source: The Westminster Eagle, Westminster, MD, Feb. 15, 2006, extracted August 25, 2007.</p>

<p>Cole, John C.</p>	<p>John C. Cole, 27, of Main Street died Saturday in Shapleigh.</p> <p>He was born in Portland, a son of Lawrence R. and Grace Cluff Cole. He attended schools in Sanford and Waterboro, and was a 1987 graduate of Wells High School.</p> <p>He served with the U.S. Marine Corps in Saudi Arabia during Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>He returned to this area, and was employed by Wal-Mart in Sanford part time on weekends, and worked with his father at Factory Bleacher Service, a family business.</p> <p>He is survived by his father of Springvale; his mother of Kennebunk; a brother, Ethan C. of Buxton; a sister, Melissa A. Rodriguez of Alfred; a paternal grandmother, Jessie Cole of Sanford; and a maternal grandmother, Ruth Cluff of Kennebunkport.</p> <p>A funeral service will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the Heald Funeral Home, 61 Main St., Springvale, with the Rev. Kenneth D. Ketaing officiating. Cremation will follow at Laurel Hill Crematory, Saco.</p> <p>Source: Portland Press Herald, Portland, ME, April 9, 1996, extracted June 20, 2007.</p>
<p>Coleman, Andre Pierre</p>	<p>Andre Pierre Coleman, age 37, of Grand Junction, CO, passed away with his family by his side on Friday, December 1, 2006 from colon cancer. He was born on April 18, 1969 in Chicago IL the son of Ernestine Coleman.</p> <p>Andre graduated from Proviso East High School and received a Bachelor of Science in computer science from Northern Illinois University in Dekalb, IL. He married Rashell R. Anderton on July 17, 1991 in Maywood, IL.</p> <p>Andre was a United States Marine Corps veteran serving from 1989 -1991 during Desert Storm. He worked as a Sr. Software Engineer at Mover's Suite Software</p> <p>He loved comic books, computer programming and most importantly his wife and three children. He was a wonderful father and he believed strongly that everyone should exercise their right and responsibility to vote. Andre was a member of Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.</p> <p>He will be deeply missed by his wife Rashell, his three daughters, Andriana, Janell and Jenna Coleman all of Grand Junction; his mother, Ernestine Brown and sister, Denise Stokes both of Schaumburg, IL; his father and mother-in-law, Dick and Debbie Anderton of Grand Junction; his brothers-in-law and their wives: Jay and Jennifer Anderton of Lehi, UT, Ryan and Cindy Anderton of Grand Junction, Toby Anderton of Syracuse, NY, and Tim and Suzi Becker of Grand Junction, nephews: Andre Russell, Hunter Anderton, Forest Becker and Nathaniel Stokes; and two nieces, Emerson and Baylor Becker. He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Charlena and George Coleman, and one aunt, Florence Williams.</p> <p>Funeral services were held Saturday, December 2, 2006 at the LDS 11th Ward Church. Graveside services will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 7, 2006 at Veterans Memorial Park of Western Colorado. Military honors will be provided by the Grand Valley Combined Honor Guard. A</p>

	<p>memorial service will be held at 10:00 a.m. on December 16, 2006 at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints in Gurnee, IL.</p> <p>A memorial fund is being established for the educational needs of his children. Donations may be sent to Rashell Coleman c/o Callahan-Edfast Mortuary, 2515 Patterson Road, Grand Junction, CO 81505.</p> <p>Source: The Daily Sentinel, Grand Junction CO, Dec. 5, 2006, extracted August 24, 2007.</p>
Coleman, Keith Cardell	<p>LOUISVILLE -- Funeral services for Keith Cardell Coleman were held Jan. 3, 2004 at Mount Bell Missionary Baptist Church. Burial was in the Oliver Cemetery in Winston County.</p> <p>The Rev. Roosevelt Gage officiated.</p> <p>Mrs. Coleman died Monday, Dec. 29, 2003, at Valley Medical Center in Benton, Wash. He was 33. A Starkville native, he was a customer service representative with Qwest Communications and a member of Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church. He was a U.S. Navy veteran, having served in the Persian Gulf War until his honorable discharge in 1992.</p> <p>Survivors include his mother, Mary Coleman of Louisville; two daughters, Zhantaysia and Dejiriannah Coleman; one son, Shaquille Coleman; his grandmother, Mary Gladney; an adopted sister, Denise Yarbrough; his life companion, Cindy; six aunts, three uncles, four great aunts and two great uncles.</p> <p>Source: The Starkville Daily News, Starkville. MS, Jan. 11, 2004</p>
Coles, Thomas Frederick	<p>Thomas Fredrick Coles, 34, died suddenly in Shamrock, Texas.</p> <p>He is survived by his wife, Patricia; daughter, Caitlyn; sons, Thomas and Christopher; parents, Tom and Marilyn Coles of Brentwood, Tenn., formerly of Park Ridge; and sister, Mari (Dennis) O'Neill of Chicago.</p> <p>Mr. Coles served for 10 years in the U.S. Navy and was a decorated Desert Storm veteran.</p> <p>A funeral service was conducted April 26 in the Church of the Advent Episcopal, Brentwood. Burial was in Woodlawn Memorial Park.</p> <p>Brentwood Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.</p> <p>Source: Niles Herald-Spectator, IL, May 8, 1997, extracted June 25, 2007.</p>
Collette, Duane Gregory	<p>Duane Gregory Collette, 28, an Albuquerque resident since 1980, died Sunday, January 20, 2002. He is survived by his wife, Patsy Collette; son, Jacob Sedillo; daughter, Stephanie Sedillo; step father, Joe Sievert, all of Albuquerque; father, David Collette and wife, Crystal of Colorado Springs, CO; grandmother, Elvira Trujillo of Las Cruces, NM; grandfather, Denzil Collette, Sr. of El Paso TX; mother-in-law and father-in-law, Alice and Alfonso Baca of Albuquerque. His mother, Velma Trujillo-Sievert preceded him in death. Mr. Collette served in the US Army during Desert Storm. Cremation has taken place and a Memorial Rosary will be recited at 7:00 p.m., Wednesday, January 23, 2002 at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, 1860 Griegos NW. Memorial mass will be celebrated at 10:00 a.m.,</p>

	<p>Thursday, January 24, 2002, at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church, 1860 Griegos NW. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Cystic Fibrosis Association, 4004 Carlisle, NE, Albuquerque, NM 87107. Arrangements by French Mortuary, 1111 University Blvd NE.</p> <p>Source: Albuquerque Journal, Albuquerque, NM, Jan. 23, 2002, extracted Jun. 24, 2007</p>
<p>Collier, Philip Michael</p>	<p>SMYRNA - Philip Michael Collier of Smyrna died Friday, June 11, 2004, after a long battle with esophageal cancer. He was 38.</p> <p>Mr. Collier was a 1984 graduate of Smyrna High School and a member of the first graduating class of the Kent Vocational and Technical School in 1984. While in school he received the Billy Mitchell Award given by the Civil Air Patrol for outstanding leadership abilities. He was also honored with the David Livingston Award from Smyrna Wesleyan Church.</p> <p>He was an Army veteran of the Persian Gulf War, and served for a total of seven years with the rank of sergeant before being honorably discharged.</p> <p>He was employed by the Delaware Department of Transportation for the last three years as an equipment operator and was chosen to take part in a cooperative effort with several state agencies in the Newport Marsh Reconstruction Project.</p> <p>He enjoyed hunting, canoeing, camping, and especially spending time with his children.</p> <p>Mr. Collier was a member of Smyrna Wesleyan Church, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the American Legion.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by his maternal grandmother, M. Ernestine Archer; his paternal grandparents, Frank L. and Louise Collier; his mother-in-law and father-in-law, Bonnie and Andrew Elardi; and his uncle, Kenneth Foster.</p> <p>He is survived by his wife of seven and a half years, Arlene E. Collier of Smyrna; a son, Alek Collier of Smyrna; a daughter, Martie Collier of Smyrna; his parents, Larry and Joyce Collier of Smyrna; a brother and a sister-in-law, Mark and Michelle Collier of Magnolia; his maternal grandfather, Benjamin Archer of Smyrna; a sister-in-law, Darlene Herritt of Trevoise, Pa.; his father-in-law, Arlan "James" Zettle-moyer; three nephews, Bobby Herritt, Nicky Herritt and Nicholas Collier; a niece, Piper Collier; and a host of aunts, uncles, and cousins.</p> <p>Friends may call from 6 to 9 p.m. Thursday in the Matthews-Bryson Funeral Home, 123 W. Commerce St., Smyrna.</p> <p>Services will be 11 a.m. Friday in Smyrna Wesleyan Church, 433 W. Commerce Street, Smyrna. Burial will be in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Smyrna.</p> <p>Instead of flowers, contributions may be sent to "The children of Philip Collier," c/o Arlene Collier, 1364 Twin Willows Road, Smyrna, DE 19977.</p> <p>Source: Clewiston News, Clewiston, FL, June 16, 2004</p>

Collins, Bob J.	<p>Bob J. Collins of Hallsville died Sunday, Nov. 30, 2003, of injuries suffered in an automobile accident near Columbia. He was 34.</p> <p>Mr. Collins was born June 27, 1969, in Moberly to Bob F. Collins and Hazel Smith Collins. He married Stephanie G. Thomas on May 11, 1997, in Hester.</p> <p>Mr. Collins was a systems administrator for the Columbia Missourian and co-owned Carpenters Computers in Hallsville.</p> <p>He served in the U.S. Navy from 1987 to 1994. During the Gulf War, Mr. Collins was an E5 yeoman aboard the aircraft carrier USS Carl Vinson.</p> <p>Mr. Collins attended the Grandview Baptist Church in Murry, where he was the Sunday School director, co-coordinator of AWANA, a nondenominational ministry that assists churches in reaching children and teenagers, a Vacation Bible School teacher, worship director and a member of the missions and evangelism committees.</p> <p>Mr. Collins is survived by his wife; two children, Joshua Seth Thomas of Ashland and Kari Ann Thomas of Springfield; his mother, Hazel Collins of Madison; mother-in-law Penny Larenson and father-in-law Dewayne Larenson, both of Philadelphia, Mo.; godmother Betty Dick of OFallon; and several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.</p> <p>His father and his godfather, Robert Dick, died earlier.</p> <p>Visitation is from 6 to 8 p.m. today at Million and Taylor Funeral Home in Madison, 101 W Broadway St. Services, conducted by the Rev. Dewayne Larenson, will be at 2 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Burial will follow at Sunset Hill Cemetery in Madison.</p> <p>Erin Foote Pursell Source: Columbia Missourian, Columbia, MO, Dec. 3, 2003</p>
Collins, Clint Joseph	<p>Clint Joseph Collins, 42, of Great Falls, a carpenter and Army Desert Storm veteran, died of kidney failure Thursday at a local care facility.</p> <p>Visitation is 1 to 5 p.m. today and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday at Schnider Funeral Home. Graveside services with military honors are 3 p.m. Monday in Highland Cemetery. Schnider Funeral Home is handling arrangements.</p> <p>Survivors include his children, Amanda Christian Collins of Queen Creek, Ariz., Jonathan William Collins of Missoula, and Harleigh Rebecca Collins of Joplin, Mo.; his mother, Terry Salois of Browning; his father, Jesse (Joyce) Collins of Deer Lodge; a brother, Jesse (Wendy) Collins III of Butte; and a sister, Taryn Dana Collins.</p> <p>Clint Joseph Collins was born March 23, 1965, to Terry V. (Salois) and Jesse Francis Collins Jr. at Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Washington, D.C. He attended various schools while his father was in the military before moving to Great Falls, where he finished his education.</p> <p>He married Bobbie Milton in Great Falls and they had one daughter, Amanda Christian. They later divorced.</p> <p>Clint then entered the Army and completed basic training at Fort Benning, Ga., before being stationed at Fort Riley at Manhattan, Kan. He served in</p>

	<p>Desert Storm in 1990 for a year and a half with the 101st Airborne Division. He was honorably discharged and lived in Missoula with Janette Hallam. They had a son, Jonathan W. Collins.</p> <p>Clint moved to Salt Lake City, where he met and married Leslie Pendley and they had a daughter, Harleigh Rebecca Collins. They later divorced.</p> <p>Clint divided his time between South Dakota and Montana and had recently moved to Great Falls, where he passed away.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by his grandparents, George and Rebecca (Whitford) Salois, Jesse Collins Sr., and Adeline (Upham) Collins.</p> <p>Source: Great Falls Tribune, Great Falls, MT, May 6, 2007, extracted September 24, 2007.</p>
Collins, Jefferey	<p><b>CAR CRASH KILLS GULF VET WHO SURVIVED TANK BLAST</b></p> <p>A Persian Gulf War veteran who survived when his tank hit a land mine in Kuwait died in a car wreck two days after arriving home.</p> <p>A funeral was set for Friday for Jeffery Collins, 25. Collins and his half-brother Donald Pearl, 21, were killed after being thrown from their car, which crashed on Ohio 93 south of Shawnee on Monday.</p> <p>Collins returned Saturday from the Persian Gulf and 13 hours before the crash was one of three Operation Desert Storm troops honored with a parade in New Straitsville, a community of 865 about 60 miles southeast of Columbus.</p> <p>The young men's mother, Betty Jean Miller McClelland, had to be hospitalized after learning of the crash. The men also are survived by their fathers and three brothers.</p> <p>"There's not a whole lot you can do but try to help the family through this," Mayor Alfred Bookman said.</p> <p>Shane Collins, 16, a nephew of Jeffrey, said his uncle described his front-line experience as "pretty gruesome."</p> <p>"He was in a tank five days (while) they were fighting," he said. "On the way back, they ran over a land mine that blew tracks up over it."</p> <p>Floraul King, who helped organize the parade, said Collins "was just so full of life. He was so happy to be home."</p> <p>Collins had a fiancée, who was studying nursing at Hocking Technical College and worked as a meat cutter at a Kroger grocery store in Logan.</p> <p>Pat Mace, assistant manager of customer service at Kroger, said that although Collins was in the Army Reserve, he volunteered to go to Saudi Arabia. "He said he felt kind of obligated," Mace said.</p> <p>Source: The Deseret News, Salt Lake City, UT, April 9, 1991, extracted May 24, 2007.</p>
Collins, William Michael	<p>Collins, Mr. William Michael (Mike) - age 48 or Maynardville, passed away at 3 a.m., Monday, August 27, 2001 as a result of brain cancer. He was a member of V.F.W. having served in Desert Storm with the 489th United</p>

	<p>States Army Reserve. On Active Duty he served in the Marine Corp. from 1975 until 1978. Mike was employed with Boruff Realty Auction. Preceded in death by; step-father, Robert C. Collins; father-in-law, W.E. Lawson; sister, Bobby Lansden; and grandparents, Fonzie and Vileto Wood. He is survived by loving wife, Kathy Collins; father and step-mother, Darrell and Carolyn Lansden; brother, Bill Lansden; sister, Mellisa Roberts; mother-in-law, E. Pressley; uncle, Ken Vandergriff; aunts, Wanda Vandergriff, Clara Ramsey, Zena Monroe, and Barbara Kelly; one grandson, 4 granddaughters; special friends, Denise and Pat; along with a host of other relatives and friends.</p> <p>Funeral service will be held at 8 p.m., Wednesday evening in Ailor's Chapel with Rev. Jimmy Davidson and Rev. Glen Suffridge officiating. Interment will be at 2 p.m., Thursday in Monroe Cemetery, Maynardville. Full military honors will be conducted by 489th Civil Affairs Battalion. Pallbearers, Ronnie Irick, Jerry Oliver, Leon Harmon, John Webster, Bob Koho, and Jay Cummings. The family will receive friends 5-8 p.m. Wednesday at Ailor Mortuary, Maynardville <a href="http://www.mcbeeweb.com/ailormortuary">www.mcbeeweb.com/ailormortuary</a>.</p> <p>Source: Knoxville News-Sentinel, Knoxville, TN, Aug. 29, 2001, extracted May 30, 2007</p>
Collins, Samuel Thomas, II	<p>Collins, Samuel Thomas, II</p> <p>COLLINS, Samuel Thomas II, 33, of Roanoke, died Friday, November 9, 2001 at his home. Mr. Collins was born on October 16, 1968 in Martinsville, the son of Samuel Thomas Collins and Janeise Burks Collins of Hampstead, N.C. He was preceded in death by his paternal grandfather, William A. Collins, Sr.. A graduate of Bassett High School, he participated in both the stage and marching bands there, and he attended Ferrum College and Coastal Carolina College. He served with the U.S. Marines in Desert Storm and was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Disabled American Veterans.</p> <p>In addition to his parents, survivors are one son, Avery Michael Collins of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; one sister, Shanna C. Cockram of Ridgeway; his paternal grandmother, Mildred J. Collins of Bassett; maternal grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. James Burks of Bumpass; and one niece. A graveside service will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Rocky Mount Hermon Church of the Brethren Cemetery in Bassett. The Rev. Jim Meredith will preside. The family will receive friends at Collins Funeral Services from 9 a.m. until 10 a.m. Wednesday prior to going to the cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Bassett High School Band Boosters Club, 85 Riverside Highway, Bassett, Va. 24055. Lotz Funeral Home, Roanoke is handling the arrangements.</p> <p>Source: The Roanoke Times, Roanoke, VA, Nov. 13, 2001, extracted Jun. 2, 2007</p>
Comly, Edward Frank	<p>Edward Frank Comly, Jr., age 58, of Milford, DE, passed away suddenly on January 23, 2007 in Elkton, MD. Ed was born in Wilmington, DE, to the late Edward F. Comly, Sr. and Jeanette L. (Walls) Comly. Ed was a 1966 Graduate of Christiana HS.</p> <p>He served in the Delaware National Guard for 28 years and served in Desert Storm.</p> <p>He was a former member of 4-H. Ed enjoyed flying and spending time</p>

	<p>with his family.</p> <p>In addition to his parents, his stepmother, Gertrude B. Comly, also predeceased him. Ed is survived by his daughter, Amy A. Hardy and husband, Brian of Camden-Wyoming, DE; son, Edward F. Comly, III, of Bethany Beach, DE; 2 sisters, Susan C. Davis and husband, Robert, of Nottingham, PA, Mary L. Farmer and husband, Ron of Elkton, MD; brother, Samuel L. Comly and wife, Diane of Bear, DE; aunt, Marion C. Krapf , of New Castle, DE; former wife, Ellen M. Comly, of Newark; and 3 grandchildren, Ryan, Emma and Abigail.</p> <p>Family and friends are invited to attend a visitation in celebration of Ed's life from 5-7 pm, Wednesday, February 7, followed by a memorial service at 7 pm, at Beeson Funeral Home, 2053 Pulaski Hwy,(Rt. 40), Newark, DE. Burial will be private.</p> <p>In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Ed's name may be made to Home of the Brave, 6632 Sharks Rd., Milford, DE 19963. Condolences may be made by visiting: <a href="http://www.griecofuneralhomes.com">www.griecofuneralhomes.com</a> Beeson Funeral Home Of Newark 302-453-1900 "A Grieco Family Funeral Home"</p> <p>Source: The News Journal, Wilmington, DE, Feb. 4, 2007, extracted Sep. 24, 2007</p>
<p>Compotaro, Edward F.</p>	<p>Compotaro, Edward F., 53, of Rockway, died Wednesday in the St. Claire Hospital in Denville. Ed was born &amp; raised in Vineland and had resided in Vineland for 40 years. He was a 1967 graduate of Vineland High School.</p> <p>Ed was a U.S. Air Force Veteran of the Vietnam War serving for eight years. He later enlisted in the US Navy in 1981 serving for 12 years. He served during Desert Storm aboard the U.S.S. Sarotoga. At one time, he had worked as a projections operator at the Landis Theatre where he had also worked a manager for ten years. He was a member of the Local Union #462 of the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees &amp; Moving Pictures Machine Operators of the United States &amp; Canada,</p> <p>He is survived by one son: Michael Edward, Rockway; one daughter: Cherie Compotaro, Denton, Texas; mother &amp; step-father: Nellie &amp; Frank Garretson, Vineland; brother: David L. Weller, Vineland; several nieces &amp; nephews.</p> <p>Funeral Services will be conducted on Tuesday at 1 PM in the Pancoast Funeral Home, 676 South Main Road, Vineland, where friends will be received from 11 AM. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Deborah Hospital Foundation, NJ Region, P.O. Box 820, Browns Mills, NJ 08015-0820.</p> <p>Source: The Press of Atlantic City, Atlantic City, NJ, Mar. 26, 2001, extracted Jun. 1, 2007</p>
<p>Connelly, Charles T., Jr.</p>	<p>Connelly, Charles T., Jr.</p> <p>A memorial service for Charles T. Connelly Jr., 48, a lifelong resident of Summit, will be at 11 a.m. Saturday in St. John's Lutheran Church, Summit. Arrangements are by the Brough Funeral Home, Summit. Mr. Connelly died Tuesday in Hackensack Medical Center. A licensed master plumber, Mr. Connelly was vice president of the Charles Connelly Plumbing Corp. in Summit for 15 years. He was a member of the Essex</p>

	<p>County, New Jersey and National associations of Plumbing, Heating and Cooling Contractors. An Army veteran of Desert Storm, he was a member of the New Jersey National Guard. Mr. Connelly was a member of the National Rifle Association. Surviving are his parents, Charles T. Sr. and Millie Connelly; sisters, Frances Rice and Susan Colombo, and a brother, George.</p> <p>Source: The Star-Ledger, Newark, NJ, Jul. 25, 2002. extracted Jun. 24, 2007</p>
<p>Conner, Bradley</p>	<p>Sgt. Maj. Bradly Conner: Cynthia Conner knew little of what her husband did in the Army Special Forces, an elite, clandestine group skilled in unconventional warfare, such as building relationships in foreign countries to collect intelligence or attack strategic targets.</p> <p>But she knew everything else about Army Sgt. Maj. Bradly Conner, a Tacoma native and career soldier who was gung-ho about serving, yet modest about his many awards.</p> <p>"I think he considered himself a warrior," she said Friday from their home at Fort Lewis. "And so did the rest of us. We thought he was invincible."</p> <p>Conner died Wednesday when a roadside bomb exploded while he was riding in a Humvee during a patrol outside of Al-Hillah. The 41-year-old Green Beret was on his fourth deployment to Iraq - a sergeant major of Company C, 2nd Battalion, 1st Special Forces Group.</p> <p>On Thursday, the war claimed another soldier stationed at Fort Lewis. Sgt. Jason Vaughn of Iuka, Miss., died when a roadside bomb detonated near his vehicle in Baqubah. He was assigned to the 3rd Stryker Brigade, 2nd Infantry Division.</p> <p>May now is one of the deadliest months for members of the armed forces connected to Washington by hometown or military communities. The 32 casualties this year equal the number killed in all of 2006. The month also is on a pace to exceed the worst year for Washington state military casualties in Iraq: 2004, when 53 were killed. The 11 killed so far in May represent the highest monthly toll since 12 died in December 2004.</p> <p>Conner's awards included three Bronze Stars, a Purple Heart and three Meritorious Service medals.</p> <p>"He was a true American," said his father, William, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. He said his youngest son, a devout Christian, gave "his life for something he believed in. He was a soldier."</p> <p>When Bradly Conner was about 4, his family moved from Tacoma to Kellogg, Idaho, where he grew up. He participated in ROTC at Kellogg High School, where he graduated in 1984. He briefly attended the University of Idaho, then transferred to North Idaho College.</p> <p>Conner studied math and engineering and thought about becoming a teacher. But when his money ran out, he enlisted in the Army in June 1987, intending to stay in long enough to gain college aid. Instead, he served for nearly 20 years. After completing basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala., Conner was stationed at Redstone Arsenal in Huntsville, Ala., where he met his future</p>

	<p>wife.</p> <p>They were married the next year, in 1989. He served in Operation Desert Storm in 1990, the first of four trips to Iraq before the current war started.</p> <p>"He loved what he did. He believed in the cause," his wife said. "If you could talk to him today, he'd say they're really making progress, and we need to be there. He was extremely intelligent and well-spoken. He had quite a rapport with people he'd meet."</p> <p>The couple would have celebrated their 18th anniversary May 27. They have three children: Aaron, 14, Katherine, 12, and Rachel, 6. Other survivors include his parents, William and Kay Conner; brothers Bruce Conner, of Rathdrum, Idaho, and Brian Conner, of Canby, Ore.; and a sister, Brenda Day, of Spokane. A service for Conner will be Wednesday at Fort Lewis.</p> <p>He had called his wife for the final time May 4 and sent his children e-mail earlier this week.</p> <p>"He was notorious for not calling me as often as he should, but it was always good when he did," Cynthia Conner said. "That's one reason why it was such a shock. We felt like we had just spoken to him. Like he had just been there."</p> <p>Source: Seattle Post-Intelligencer, Seattle, WA, May 12, 2007, extracted September 24, 2007.</p>
<p>Conner, Michael R., Sr.</p>	<p>Marine Staff Sgt. Michael R. Conner Sr., the first Bay Area resident to die in Operation Desert Storm, is home for the last time this weekend.</p> <p>A service for Sgt. Conner, 32, who lived in Fremont with his wife and two children, is scheduled for 11 a.m. Monday at the Holy Spirit Catholic Church at 37588 Fremont Blvd. in Fremont. Visitation is scheduled from 2 to 8 p.m. today at the Fremont Memorial Chapel, 3723 Peralta Blvd. Rosary will be recited at 3:30 p.m. today.</p> <p>Mayor Bill Ball of Fremont is scheduled to speak at the service.</p> <p>Full military graveside honors are planned for 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Hartley Cemetery in Lakeport.</p> <p>Members of Sgt. Conner's family said they have been overwhelmed by the outpouring of sympathy and support.</p> <p>"This is a community situation," said his sister Patti Thomas of Hayward. "People of the Bay Area are feeling for Michael and his family. It's hit. We're at war. It's happening."</p> <p>She said she is thinking of her brother's comrades.</p> <p>"My heart goes out to every single (military) family member in the country." Sgt. Conner died Jan. 26 while retreating from a raid in an effort to avoid an Iraqi attack in the first ground battle of Operation Desert Storm. His armored artillery truck collided with another, killing Sgt. Conner and two other Marines, and injuring seven.</p> <p>Sgt. Conner was a 15-year Marine veteran. He served as a vehicle commander in the 1st Light Armored Infantry Battalion from Camp Pendleton.</p>

	<p>He expressed his hopes for peace in a letter to his sister mailed Dec. 13, 1990: "I have often wondered how neat the world would be if no nation needed a military. How easy it could be done: no borders, just caring people. Our world isn't anywhere near that, however. Shame."</p> <p>Sgt. Conner is survived by his wife, Sylvia; sons Michael R. Jr. and Mitchell; mother, Marjorie Glynn and stepfather Jerry Glynn of Lucerne; sisters Patti of Hayward, Kathy of Mojave, Kelly Ann of Seattle and Michelle of San Francisco; brothers Jerry of Fremont and Marcel of Yuma, Ariz.; and many nieces and nephews.</p> <p>A trust fund has been set up for Sgt. Conner's children.</p> <p>Source: San Jose Mercury News, San Jose, CA, Feb. 3, 1991, extracted May 20, 2007</p>
<p>Conners, Dicky Wayne</p>	<p>NEWPORT NEWS - Dicky Wayne "D.W." Conners, 52, died Tuesday, April 27, 2004. Born in Amarillo, Texas, he had been a Peninsula resident since 1999. Having served in the U.S. Air Force for 21 years including Vietnam and the Gulf War. He retired as a MSgt. Mr. Conners then worked for Internosis as a computer engineering consultant to Verizon. He had done volunteer work for veterans in Washington State and loved his many hobbies which included, NASCAR, computers, fishing, carpentry, auto repair, boating, reading, music, and r/c cars. Mr. Conners, lovingly known as "Slick" to many, is survived by his wife, Jacqueline Conners; children, Amanda Conners and Kristopher Michael Conners; brothers, David Conners and Michael Conners; grandson, Cody Brethauer; cousin, Jerry Rutherford; six nieces, nine nephews and six step-brothers and sisters. The center and happiness of DW's life were spoiling his wife and son and helping his friends and family in every imaginable way. His love, wisdom and kind heart will forever be missed yet his memories will live on in our hearts forever. He was a one-of-a-kind friend, sibling, dad and "uncle." Every life he touched he made better by being himself. The family will receive friends from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, May 1, at R. Hayden Smith Funeral Home.</p> <p>Source: Published in the Daily Press, Newport News, VA from 4/29/2004 - 4/30/2004</p>
<p>Conners, Stephen Patrick</p>	<p>Conners, Stephen Patrick</p> <p>A memorial will be held today for Stephen Patrick Conners of Santa Rosa, a decorated pilot and retired Air Force officer who died Aug. 3 when his airplane crashed into a mountain in southwest Montana. He was 43.</p> <p>Conners, who was recognized with a Humanitarian Service Medal for his actions after the Mount St. Helens eruption of 1980 and who had marked two aviation speed records, was on his way from Santa Rosa to Oshkosh, Wis., for an experimental aircraft Association fly-in when the accident happened.</p> <p>His body was recovered Thursday when the wreckage of his single-engine Cessna was found during a multi-state search.</p> <p>Conners was a retired Air Force major who was a nuclear physicist, electronic warfare officer and an Air Force intelligence analyst, said his father, George Conners of Santa Rosa.</p> <p>After Stephen Conners was honorably discharged in 1993 on permanent disability, he was awarded a combat readiness medal for Operation Desert</p>

	<p>Shield and Desert Storm, his father said.</p> <p>The president of C2 Enterprise Inc. of Santa Rosa, he was one of the world's leading experts on single-engine Cessnas.</p> <p>He was a volunteer in the Flying Santas Program for Minot, N.D., area hospitals.</p> <p>During his career in the Air Force, Conners was stationed at Fairchild Air Force Base in Spokane, Wash.; Wright Patterson Air Force Base in Dayton, Ohio; Offutt Air Force Base in Omaha, Neb.; and Minot Air Force Base in North Dakota.</p> <p>He was a member of the Air Force Association, Experimental Aircraft Association, Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association, Cessna Pilots Association and the Cardinal Club.</p> <p>An experienced pilot who started flying his own plane in 1976, Conners graduated from Duquesne University in Pittsburgh in 1976 on an ROTC scholarship with a bachelor's degree in physics. He later received a master's degree from the Air Force Institute of Technology.</p> <p>A memorial service will be held at 9 a.m. today at St. Eugene's Cathedral on Montgomery Drive in Santa Rosa.</p> <p>Internment will be in Arlington National Cemetery in Arlington, Va.</p> <p>In lieu of flowers, his family requests donations be made to the St. Vincent De Paul Society or the National Head Injury Foundation.</p> <p>Conners is survived by his wife, Ceecy Nucker of Minot, N.D.; mother, Barbara Conners of Graysville, Pa.; father, George Conners of Santa Rosa; two brothers, Kevin Conners of Roy, Wash., and Brian Conners of Pacific Palisades; and his sister, Maureen Conners of Baltimore, Md.</p> <p>Source: The Press Democrat, Santa Rosa, CA, Aug 17, 1998, extracted June 26, 2007.</p>
<p>Connolly, Gerald W.</p>	<p>BOSCAWEN - Gerald W. "Bill" Connolly, 52, of Eel Street, died Friday, Feb. 11, 2005, at his home.</p> <p>Born in Newton, Mass., in 1952, he was the son of Gerald W. and Ann (Malone) Connolly. He lived in Boscawen for the past 15 years.</p> <p>He graduated from Glenbard East High School in Lombard, Ill., the class of 1972. He also attended Hudson Valley Community College as well as Cape Cod Community College.</p> <p>Following graduation from high school, he enlisted in the U.S. Navy, where he proudly served as a combat corpsman. He was known as "Doc" to his fellow servicemen. During his tour of duty, he assisted in the evacuation of United States citizens and allies from South Vietnam. His Coast Guard service also included deployment as part of the United States humanitarian response to the Cuban boat crisis. His meritorious service also included a port security assignment with a special unit of the Coast Guard stationed in the Persian Gulf during the first Gulf War. Mr. Connolly also took on the Mayaguez incident in 1975 that took place off the coast of Cambodia.</p>

	<p>In recognition of his service and valor, he was awarded a Coast Guard Meritorious Unit Commendation Ribbon with two gold stars, a Navy Commendation, a National Defense Service Award and a Republic of Vietnam Humanitarian Medal. He was also publicly recognized for his participation in search and rescue missions at sea with the Coast Guard.</p> <p>He was a decorated veteran and currently serving with the U.S. Coast Guard as a chief petty officer stationed in Boston, Mass. He was serving under the direction of Cmdr. Steven Little, awaiting overseas duty.</p> <p>He is survived by his father, Gerald Connolly Sr. of Stratham; and a brother, Mark Connolly of New Castle.</p> <p>He was predeceased by his mother, Ann "Nancy" Bekins.</p> <p>CONNOLLY - Gerald W. "Bill" Connolly, 52, of Eel Street in Boscawen, died Feb. 11, 2005. There will be no calling hours. He will be buried with full military honors. A memorial service will be held on Wednesday at noon at the Congregational Church on Main Street in New Castle, after which the U.S. Coast Guard will conduct a private burial service at sea with family members and service comrades. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his name to the U.S. Coast Guard Moral Fund, PSU-301 Building 5205, Air Station, Cape Cod, MA 02542. His service will be honored by a grateful nation, and he will be fondly remembered by all his military family as well as loved by Mark and Gerald and so many others.</p> <p>Source: Portsmouth Herald, Portsmouth, NH, Feb. 20, 2005</p>
<p>Connor, Patrick Kelly</p>	<p>Graveside military services for Navy Lt. Patrick Kelly Connor, 25, Virginia Beach, Va., formerly of Columbia, Mo., whose body was recovered March 31, 1991, in the Persian Gulf, will be at 1 p.m. Thursday at the Fort Myer Chapel of Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Va.</p> <p>Memorial services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at the Oceana Naval Air Station Chapel, Virginia Beach.</p> <p>Connor was a navigator-bombardier on an A-6E aircraft that was lost to hostile action Feb. 2. Navy authorities say Connor's plane was on a mission near the Kuwaiti coast when it was shot down. He had been listed as missing in action since then.</p> <p>Connor was born in Columbia and graduated in 1983 from Hickman High School in Columbia, where he was a member of the National Honor Society and was a varsity soccer player.</p> <p>He received a bachelor's degree in business, with honors, from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1990. After graduation he became a Navy officer and was deployed from the USS John F. Kennedy and later the USS Roosevelt during Operation Desert Storm. Survivors include his parents, William and Marsha Connor of Marcellus, N.Y.; two brothers, Navy Lt. Jeffrey W. Connor, Pensacola, Fla., and Scott H. Connor, Glenside, Pa.; his maternal grandparents, Robert Kervyn and Caroline Kelly Kervyn of Carthage, Mo.; and his paternal stepgrandmother, Sophie Connor, Webster Groves, Mo.</p> <p>The family requests no flowers and suggests contributions to the Lt. Patrick Connor Scholarship at the First Christian Assembly Church, Syracuse, N.Y.;</p>

	<p>the University of North Carolina Navy ROTC Alumni Association, Chapel Hill, N.C.; or the Lt. Patrick Kelly Connor Leadership Award at Hickman High School, Columbia.</p> <p>Source: The Kansas City Star, Kansas City, MO, April 10, 1991, extracted May 24, 2007</p>
<p>Converse, Michael Lee</p>	<p>Michael Lee Converse, 52, of Santee, Calif., died Sunday, June 13, 2004, at his home in Santee.</p> <p>A prayer service will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday at the Saratoga Moravian Church, Wisconsin Rapids.</p> <p>Mr. Converse was born Aug. 12, 1951, in Wisconsin Rapids to Richard and Frances (Kemp) Converse.</p> <p>He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, serving for 25 years, and during Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>After his discharge, he was employed as a computer engineer.</p> <p>He is survived by his wife, Allison of Santee; his mother, Frances of Wisconsin Rapids; his three daughters, Michelle (David) Strangfeld, and Jennifer and Connie Converse, all of Wisconsin Rapids; his stepdaughter, Debbie of Santee; two grandchildren; one stepgranddaughter; two brothers, Rodrick (Patti) of Indianapolis, and Fredrick (Linda) of Springfield, Mo.; and his grandmother, Audrey Trull of Fountain Valley, Calif.</p> <p>Source: The Daily Tribune, Wisconsin Rapids, WI, June 15, 2004, extracted August 13, 2007.</p>
<p>Conway, David Peter</p>	<p>DAVID PETER CONWAY, 25, of Inverness died of injured sustained in a motorcycle accident Tuesday. A native of Bridgeport, Conn., he moved to this area a year ago from Camp Lejuene, N.C. He was a cook at the Cove Pub and Riffy's Pub, both in Inverness, a veteran of Desert Storm serving in the U.S. Marine Corps and a member of Inverness VFW Post 4337. He is survived by his father, David Patrick Jr.; his mother, Kandi LeBlanc of Lecanto; and his maternal grandmother, Margaret Koolis of Lecanto . Chas. E. Davis Funeral Home, Inverness.</p> <p>Source: The Tampa Tribune, Tampa, FL, Dec. 9, 1993, extracted May 29, 2007.</p>
<p>Cook, Gordon Joseph</p>	<p>Second-generation Fairbanksan Gordon "Gordy" Joseph Cook, 36, died July 2, 2006, in Sadr City, Iraq, while working as a civilian contractor.</p> <p>Gordy was born Nov. 18, 1969, in Fairbanks, the youngest son of Billie and Cornelius "Bud" Cook. Gordy was a star center football player while attending West Valley High School. After graduating in 1988, Gordy enlisted in the Marines.</p> <p>Throughout his military career, Gordy served in the Marines, Air Force and Army. He was stationed in several locations overseas including Subic Bay in the Philippines, North Korea and he served in Iraq during Desert Storm.</p> <p>Gordy and Michelle Coben were married in 1999. They have two children, Kameron and Emmy.</p>

	<p>In 2003, Gordy decided to work as a civilian contractor during Operation Iraqi Freedom and spent most of the last three years in Iraq.</p> <p>Gordy was a partner with his sister, Heidi, in the Old F.E. Gold Camp in Chatanika.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by his father Cornelius Cook and grandmother, Gertrude Crosman.</p> <p>He is survived by his mother, Billie of Fairbanks; wife Michelle and children Kameron and Emmy, currently of Olympia, Wash.; brothers, David, wife Linda and their children Aidan and Aisla of Ames, Iowa, Art of Seattle and Walter of Fairbanks; sisters, Heidi Cook and children, Kyle and Meighan of Fairbanks; Sandra Boatner of North Pole and Marnie Sheridan and husband Mick and their children, Karl, Heidi, Brian and Julie, of Dublin, Ireland; aunts and uncles, Carl Crosman, Carol Cornelius, Aileen Marsh and Marnie Metz.</p> <p>Services will be announced at a later date.</p> <p>Source: Fairbanks Daily News-Miner, Fairbanks, AK, July 4, 2006, extracted August 25, 2007.</p>
<p>Cook, James Marcus</p>	<p>LDCR JAMES MARCUS COOK (Ret.) passed away at his residence on July 10, 2007.</p> <p>A native of Memphis, he was born November 5, 1955. Marc was a 1973 honors graduate of Sheffield High School and received a full NROTC Scholarship. Marc graduated from the University of Mississippi in 1976 with a BBA and from Christian Brothers University with an MBA in business. While at Ole Miss, Marc was in the NROTC program and lettered as Captain of the University Rifle Team.</p> <p>Upon graduation Marc was commissioned an Ensign in the U. S. Navy. After completing Naval Supply School, Marc was stationed at various Supply Corps assignments including Naval Station Midway, USS Fahrion FFG22, USS Wichita AOR1, Naval Reserve Force, New Orleans, NSA Souda Bay Crete, McGuire AF Base, N.J., and NAS Memphis. He participated in Operation Desert Shield and Storm. Among his awards are the Meritorious Unit Commendation Naval Expeditionary Force Medal, Naval Achievement Medal, and Expert Marksman, as well as numerous commendations.</p> <p>He retired in 1997 at the rank of Lieutenant Commander. He also held his private pilot license. Marc was preceded in death by his parents, James L. and Virginia Cook, Jr.</p> <p>He is survived by his sister, Semra Parks and her husband, Robert of Southaven, MS; nephews, Bobby and Dalton Parks; and niece, Shelby Parks. The visitation will be held from 10 a.m. until service time on Thursday, July 19. The funeral service will be held at Seven Oaks Funeral Home in Water Valley, MS on Thursday, July 19 at 11 a.m. The committal will be held in Oak Hill Cemetery.</p> <p>Source: The Commercial Appeal, Memphis, TN, July 17, 2007, extracted September 28, 2007.</p>

Cook, Paul E.	<p>Cook, Paul E.</p> <p>Cook, Paul E., 36, of Tampa, died July 18, 2001. Survived by a loving family. He was an Army Veteran of Desert Storm.</p> <p>Veterans Cremation &amp; Burial Society, Clearwater</p> <p>Source: The Tampa Tribune, Tampa, FL, July 23, 2001, extracted May 29, 2007</p>
Cooke, Eric	<p>Eric Cooke , age: 43, branch of service: Army, Date of death: Dec. 24, 2003.</p> <p>Command Sgt. Maj. Eric Cooke grew up in Tempe and Scottsdale, but the Army was his home, and he spent most of his career overseas.</p> <p>He had been in trouble as a youth and enlisted in 1978, when a young man joined the Army to straighten out his life. "The U.S. Army did for that boy what I could not have done for him," said his mother, Georgia Cooke. "They turned him into a man among men." He finished college while in the service and met his wife of 23 years while stationed in Germany. Eric was awarded the Bronze Star in 1991 during Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>On Christmas Eve 2003 he was killed by a roadside bomb while on convoy near Baghdad.</p> <p>Source: The Arizona Republic, Phoenix, AZ, Mar. 9, 2007, extracted Sep. 27, 2007</p>
Cooke, Scott Alan	<p>Scott Alan Cooke, 32, of Waynesburg, Pa., formerly of Morgantown, died Saturday, June 7, 2003, at Ruby Memorial Hospital.</p> <p>He was born May 1, 1971, in Franklin Township, Greene County, Pa., son of Katherine Phillips Patterson, of Charleston, and Gerald A. Cooke, of Waynesburg.</p> <p>He was affiliated with the First Christian Church of Waynesburg. He was a member of the VFW Post 4793, Waynesburg Elks Lodge 757 and Waynesburg Moose Lodge 461. He was a life member of the James Farrell American Legion Post 330 and a life member of the DAV 123, both of Waynesburg. He was a veteran, having served with the U.S. Air Force during the Persian Gulf War. He was working for Aurora Flight Sciences in Bridgeport as a global hawk lead composite technician.</p> <p>He is also survived by his stepmother, Linda Cooke, of Waynesburg; one brother, Jerry Lee Cooke, of Waynesburg; and one stepbrother Jim Hinebaugh, of Chesapeake, Va., serving with the U.S. Navy; one sister, Jennifer Nicole Patterson, of Charleston, S.C.; and two stepsisters, Deborah Spacht, of Mount Morris, Pa., and Nicole Kennedy, of Pursglove; paternal grandparents, Melvin and Dorothy Cooke, of Hargus Creek, Pa.; two nieces, Gerilynn Cooke and Shelby Cooke; a nephew, Marcus Cooke.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by a son, Jerald Raymond Cooke.</p> <p>Friends may call Milliken and Throckmorton Funeral Home, 197 N. Maiden St., Waynesburg, from 7-9 p.m. Wednesday, and 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Thursday.</p>

	<p>Services will be at 11 a.m. Friday, June 13, 2003, at the funeral home, with the Rev. Edward Woods officiating. Burial will be in Beverly Hills Cemetery.</p> <p>Source: Dominion Post, Morgantown, WV, Nov. 1, 2003</p>
<p>Coombs, Guy Jr</p>	<p>Guy "Bubba" Coombs, Jr., 38, of San Benito, Texas (formerly of Texas City) passed away Friday, June 14, 2002, in Harlingen, Texas. Funeral services will be held 10 a.m. Thursday, June 20, at Emken-Linton Funeral Home with Pastor Doug McBrayer officiating. Burial will follow at Grace Memorial Park in Hitchcock, Texas. Visitation will be 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Bubba was born January 2, 1964 in Texas City. He was an electrician. He served his country in the U. S. Marine Corp. and proudly participated in Operation Desert Storm. He is preceded in death by his grandparents Ordell and Esther Coombs and Woodrow and Lucille Perren. Survivors include his wife Trena Coombs of Texas City; parents Guy and Wanda Coombs, Sr. of Medina, TX.; son Nico Coombs of Friendswood; daughters Amber and Alicia Coombs of Texas City; sister and brother-in-law, Sheri and Kevin Husband of Texas City; mother and father-in-law Tim and Ann Neiderhofer; numerous other relatives and friends. Pallbearers are Jerry Mullins, Damon Marks, Richard Moss, J. D. Hancock, Randy Osborn, John Gastain, John Bednarik, and Randy Lilly. Donations may be sent to a memorial fund for Guy "Bubba" Coombs, Jr. at Texas First Bank - Texas City.</p> <p>Source: Texas City Sun, TX, Jun. 19, 2002, extracted Jun. 24, 2007</p>
<p>Cooper Sr., Ray Allen</p>	<p>Ray Allen Cooper Sr., passed away Feb. 26, 2007, at home surrounded by his wife, Dodie; and remaining two sons, Ray Jr. and Alvin.</p> <p>He is predeceased by his son, Destin Joseph. He leaves his grandchildren, Kevin Cooper and Jennifer Lee (Ray), Tessa and Eustacia (Alvin and Jill). He has six living siblings, Wanda Glenn, Mary Stahl, Gerald Cooper, Donald Cooper, Kathy May and Judy Ulrich.</p> <p>He had a long and rewarding career in the Air Force, retiring with the rank of chief master sergeant. During his career, he served in Vietnam and Desert Storm, earning many commendations.</p> <p>His heart was closest with his family, even though they were separated much of the time. His last two years were spent in a close and joyful reunion with his family. Ray and Dodie remarried for the third time on Oct. 18, 2006. He was a gentle soul and deeply loved. Ray was born in New Mexico and was educated in Petaluma City schools.</p> <p>Family and friends are invited to attend the funeral service, at 10 a.m. Monday at the Parent-Sorensen Mortuary &amp; Crematory, Magnolia Ave. and Keokuk St., Petaluma. A visitation will be held on Sunday, from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the mortuary. Interment will be at Cypress Hill Memorial Park.</p> <p>The family prefers memorials be made to the American Cancer Society.</p> <p>Source: The Reporter, Vacaville, CA, Mar. 4, 2007, extracted Sep. 27, 2007</p>

<p>Cooper, Ardon B.</p>	<p><b>SOLDIER KILLED IN COMBAT HONORED AT CAPITOL</b></p> <p>Gov. Booth Gardner and some lawmakers Friday consoled the family of a Washington soldier killed in combat during Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>Army Pfc. Ardon B. "Brad" Cooper, 23, of Ballard, was killed one week before President Bush ordered a cease-fire in the Persian Gulf War.</p> <p>Cooper and two other 1st Cavalry Division soldiers died Feb. 20 when an Iraqi artillery shell destroyed their anti-aircraft vehicle.</p> <p>"There's no greater tragedy than the death of a young person," a somber Gardner told about 20 persons at a brief ceremony in the state Capitol.</p> <p>Cooper's mother, Susan; father, Don; and 21-year-old sister, Dannelle, attended the service.</p> <p>"We can imagine all too well how much this hurts," Gardner said. "None of us will forget Brad Cooper." Gardner presented a Washington state flag that had flown over the Capitol to Cooper's mother, who wore her son's dog tag around her neck.</p> <p>"It does offer some solace that he was taken from us for a greater purpose," Don Cooper said. He said he hoped his son's death would be remembered as helping to preserve peace and freedom on a "global scale."</p> <p>Source: The Oregonian, Portland OR, March 2, 1991, extracted May 23, 2007.</p>
<p>Cooper, Darrell F.</p>	<p>Darrell F. Cooper, 34, of Whitehall Township, died March 7 in Montgomery Hospital, Norristown, Montgomery County. He was married to Alberta (Scarfaro) Cooper for five years in December.</p> <p>A graduate of Drexel University, Philadelphia, he was an account executive for Dun &amp; Bradstreet, Allentown.</p> <p>Born in Philadelphia, he was a son of Levi and Azaline Cooper of Philadelphia.</p> <p>He was an Army veteran of the Gulf War, serving in Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>Survivors: Wife; parents; son, Christian, and daughter, Madison, both at home; sisters, Pam of Spring City, Chester County, Melinda of Philadelphia; grandparents, Levi Cooper, Estelle Cooper and Margaret Cooper, all of Philadelphia.</p> <p>Services: 11 a.m. Friday, Bachman, Kulik &amp; Reinsmith Funeral Home, 17th and Hamilton streets, Allentown. Call 10-11 a.m. Friday.</p> <p>Source: The Morning Call, Allentown, PA, March 10, 2004, extracted August 13, 2007.  Source: Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Fort Worth, TX, Oct. 6, 2004, extracted August 13, 2007.</p>

Cooper, Francis Harry	<p>Cooper, Francis "Frank" Harry</p> <p>A Mass for Francis Harry "Frank" Cooper, 56, of Edison will be at 11 a.m. tomorrow in St. Mary's Church, Denville, after the funeral from the Norman Dean Home for Services, 16 Righter Ave., Denville. Mr. Cooper, who died Saturday in Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital, New Brunswick, worked for the New Jersey Department of Corrections in Rahway as a manager in the supply division for many years. He served with Marine Corps and Marine Corps Reserves during the Vietnam War and Operation Desert Shield/Storm before retiring as a gunnery sergeant in 1998. The recipient of the Vietnam Combat Action Ribbon and a Presidential Unit Citation, he also received the Gallantry Cross Medal with Palm, the Civil Actions Medal, First Class Color with Palm. He was a member of the American Legion and the U.S. Marine League Middlesex Detachment. Mr. Cooper was a volunteer with the Tri-State Chapter of the Toys for Tots Program for 35 years and also at the Department of Veterans Affairs N.J. Health Care Center at Menlo Park. He was a member of the Marine Corps honor guard for the New York Giants. Born in Paterson, Mr. Cooper lived in West Caldwell before moving to Edison. Surviving are sons, Donald and Jonathan; his mother, Elizabeth Cooper; a sister, Ellen Woloszyneki, and a brother, Edward.</p> <p>Source: The Star-Ledger, Newark, NJ, Dec. 30, 2002, extracted Jun. 23, 2007</p>
Cooper, Micheal A.	<p>Cooper, Micheal A.</p> <p>Micheal A. Cooper passed away March 17, 1997 in Salt Lake City, Utah.</p> <p>He was born January 20, 1964 in Salt Lake City, the son of Alvin Nunn and Gladys Nora Dickens Cooper. A life long resident in the Holladay area who later served his country in the Army serving in Desert Storm. He married Susan Baxter, May 6, 1994.</p> <p>Mike was employed with the Southern Pacific Railroad as a Conductor/Brakeman. He loved the outdoors, his family, friends, his motorcycle and his dog.</p> <p>Survived by his wife, Susan; sons, Chandler and Tory; daughter, Tina; mother, Gladys N. Cooper; sister, Connie J. (Hal) Ford and many other relatives. Preceded in death by his daughter, Pyper and his father.</p> <p>Funeral services will be held at 12 noon, Friday, March 21, 1997 at the Wasatch Lawn Mortuary Chapel, 3401 So. Highland Drive where friends may call on Thurs. evening from 6-8 p.m. and on Friday from 10:45-11:45 a.m. prior to services. Interment Wasatch Lawn Memorial Park.</p> <p>Source: The Salt Lake Tribune, Salt Lake City, UT, March 19, 1997, extracted June 25, 2007.</p>
Copeland, John P.	<p>John P. Copeland, 43, of 2500 Windsor Ave., Dubuque, was escorted by his angels into eternal life on Thursday, May 24, 2007, after a heroic battle with lymphoma.</p> <p>Services will be at 7 p.m. Monday at Egelhof, Siegert and Casper Westview Funeral Home, 2659 Kennedy Road, where friends may call after 2 p.m. Monday. Burial will be at noon Tuesday at Mount Calvary Cemetery, where military rites will be accorded by the Dubuque Marine Corps League.</p>

	<p>He was born on Oct. 1, 1963, in Dubuque, son of Carl and Grace (Westmark) Copeland.</p> <p>John joined the Army in 1981 and was stationed in Virginia with the 119th Transportation Unit. He served in Grenada and Desert Storm. He also was a member of the United States Pistol team.</p> <p>He married Vickie Ball on April 17, 1986, in Newport News, Va.</p> <p>John loved being a truck driver for Flexsteel Industries. He was a loyal Moose and Eagle and was a "Lodge of Leaky's" member. John was a man with a great sense of humor who always had a smile on his face and was always concerned with others before himself. He loved his family and friends and enjoyed golfing, hunting and cooking. He was a NASCAR fan and Dale, Jr. was his favorite driver.</p> <p>Surviving are his wife, Vickie Copeland, of Dubuque; three children, Nicholas, Joshua and Grace Copeland, all at home; eight siblings, Linda (Ralph) Stewart, of East Dubuque, Ill., Connie (Dennis "Pup") Manders, Peggy (Paul) Kaune, Dennis (Cathy) Copeland and Mary (Ron) Martin, all of Dubuque, Mike (Patty) Copeland, of Cuba City, Wis., Pat Copeland, of Freeport, Ill., and Kenny (Barb) Copeland, of Potosi, Wis.; his mother and father-in-law, Ruby and David Rock, of Lancaster, Ohio; a sister-in-law, Sharon (Lou) Noice, of Lancaster; a brother-in-law, Dwight Gardner, of Alabama; and many nieces and nephews.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by his parents.</p> <p>In lieu of flowers, a John P. Copeland Memorial Fund has been established.</p> <p>The family would like to thank Dr. Christian Schultheis and his nurses, the nurses at Hospice of Dubuque, the doctors and nurses at the Mayo Clinic, and all the family and friends for their love and care. John took much pride in serving his country. He would especially like to thank the Veterans Affairs for their unwavering support.</p> <p>Source: Telegraph Herald, Dubuque, IA, May 27, 2007, extracted September 24, 2007.</p>
<p>Corby, Brian J.</p>	<p>VALDOSTA, GEORGIA   Brian J. Corby, age 44, of Valdosta, GA, died Friday, March 19, 2004, at home surrounded by his family.</p> <p>Brian was born in Corning, NY, on June 16, 1959, the son of Donald and Darla (Thompson) Corby. He married Karen Dillenbeck on November 28, 1981, in Corning. Brian entered into the United States Air Force where he served in the Gulf War and retired in 2002 as a Tec Sergeant. He traveled the world extensively during the twenty years he served in the Air Force. He currently worked for Analytical Services, Inc. of Huntsville, Alabama, contracting at Moody Air Force Base in Valdosta as a computer analyst. He enjoyed working with computers, reading books, and golfing.</p> <p>Survivors include his loving wife, Karen, at home; two daughters, Ashley and Tayler Corby of Valdosta; one son, Scott Corby of Valdosta; his parents, Don and Darla Corby of Jacksonville, FL; a sister, Kimberly (Ed) Iocco of Jacksonville, FL; one brother, Kevin (Robin) Corby of Corning; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Paul and Janet Dillenbeck of Corning; grandmother,</p>

	<p>Katherine Johnston of Bath; and several aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.          Calling hours will be held on Thursday, March 25, 2004, from 1-3 and 6-8 PM at Phillips Funeral Home, Inc., 17 W. Pulteney St., Corning, NY. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday at 9:30 AM at St. Vincent de Paul Church, 222 Dodge Ave. in Corning.</p> <p>Memorial donations in Brian's name may be directed to the American Cancer Society, 1316 College Avenue, Elmira, NY 14901.          Source: The Leader, Corning, NY, March 24, 2004</p>
<p>Cornelius, Ronald D.</p>	<p>Cornelius, Ronald D.</p> <p>Mr. Ronald D. Cornelius, Halfway, a retired U.S. Army and Desert Storm veteran, died Tuesday in his home.</p> <p>Services will be at 11 a.m. Friday in Butler Chapel, Bolivar, with burial in Goff Cemetery, Halfway.</p> <p>Visitation will be from 7 to 8 p.m. today in the funeral home.</p> <p>Source: Springfield News-Leader, Springfield, MO, Nov. 15, 2001, extracted May 29, 2007</p>
<p>Corona, Raymond D.</p>	<p>Corona, Raymond D.</p> <p>Raymond D. Corona, 33, a lifelong resident of Albuquerque, died on February 23, 2002. He is survived by his wife, Paula Corona of the family home; one son, Raymond Tyrone Corona Jr. also of the family home; his parents, Raymond and Margaret Corona of Albuquerque; three sisters, Margaret Lee Jones and husband, Jimmy, Jennie Ortiz and Frances Abeyta and husband, Anthony all of Albuquerque. He is also survived by many aunts, uncles, cousins, nephews, nieces and friends. Raymond was a member of Victory Love Fellowship Church and a Navy Veteran of Desert Storm. He was employed by the City of Albuquerque. Raymond was a loving husband, father, son, and brother and will be dearly missed. Service will be held on Thursday, February 28, 2002 at 10:30 a.m. at Victory Love Fellowship Church, 7201 Central NW with Pastor Jack Conner officiating. Burial will follow at Santa Fe National Cemetery at 1:00 p.m. Pallbearers will be Orlando Moraga Jr., Gilbert Rivera, Johnny Rael, Mike Baca, Jonathan Sisneros, and Christopher Sisneros. Honorary pallbearers will be Ernest Granado, Anthony Lovato, Anthony Abeyta and Martin Griego. French Mortuary Westside Chapel, 9300 Golf Course Rd. NW (3 blocks North of Paseo Del Norte).</p> <p>Source: Albuquerque Journal, Albuquerque, NM, Feb. 28, 2002, extracted Jun. 24, 2007</p>
<p>Corrales, Rudy</p>	<p>CORRALES, Rudy (Beak) -- of Galt, died September 13, 2006.</p> <p>Born in Blythe, CA on January 17, 1944, Rudy enjoyed fishing, camping and gardening. He also enjoyed barbequing for family and friends. Rudy loved to tell the stories of his travels and experience with a lot of excitement and joy.</p> <p>He retired from Proctor &amp; Gamble of Sacramento and the U.S. Army after serving in "Desert Storm".</p>

	<p>Rudy is survived by his loving wife of 37 years, Irene Corrales; sons Michael, Paul and Joseph Corrales of Sacramento. He is the son of Angelina Corrales and son-in-law of Lupe Montoya. Beloved brother of Victor, Larry and Steve Corrales, David Martinez, Margie Tomlinson, Rita Heptnar, Christy Acosta, Stella Nicacio and Alice Bain. Preceded in death by a sister, Gloria Meedel.</p> <p>Friends are welcome to attend a Memorial Service Saturday, September 16 at 11:00 A.M. at the Corrales residence, 10155 Van Parker Lane in Galt. In lieu of flowers the family requests outdoor plants, trees and wind chimes. Arrangements by GALT FUNERAL HOME, (209)745-2958.</p> <p>Source: The Sacramento Bee, Sacramento, CA, Sept. 14, 2006, extracted August 22, 2007.</p>
Cortez, Joseph F.	<p>Cortez, Joseph F.</p> <p>EASTTOWN AUDITOR, 67 Joseph F. Cortez, 67, of Berwyn, auditor for Easttown Township, died Monday at Main Line Rehabilitation Center, Malvern.</p> <p>Mr. Cortez, who was born in Hazleton, Pa., graduated from St. Matthew's High School in Conshohocken, and from La Salle University in 1952.</p> <p>He worked in the industrial equipment supply industry and retired as the Delaware branch manager for Kaman Bearings &amp; Supply Corp. in 1992.</p> <p>He had been reelected to a two-year term as auditor in November 1995. He also was committeeman for Easttown's Fifth Precinct and the township's Park and Recreation Board.</p> <p>For 25 years, Mr. Cortez was an usher at St. Monica Church, Berwyn.</p> <p>He was a Fourth Degree member of the Knights of Columbus.</p> <p>Mr. Cortez is survived by his wife of 37 years, Lois Ann Delpino Cortez; a daughter, Annetta, and a son, Joseph 3d.</p> <p>A viewing will begin at 10 a.m. today at St. Monica Roman Catholic Church, 63 Main Ave., Berwyn, followed by a Funeral Mass at 11 a.m. Burial will be in St. Matthew's Cemetery, Conshohocken.</p> <p>In lieu of flowers, the family suggests contributions to Kidney Foundation, 325 Chestnut St., Philadelphia 19106, or American Diabetes Association, 1 Plymouth Meeting Mall, Plymouth Meeting, Pa. 19462</p>
Cortez, Rosalia	<p>Cortez, Rosalia</p> <p>Rosalia Cortez, 40, passed away on Saturday, December 01, 2001. She was a long time resident of El Paso and a member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. She was a 911 operator for the El Paso Police Department. She was also a Desert Storm Veteran for the U.S. Army and active in the reserves. Ms. Cortez is survived by her sons, Solomon Byrd, Julius Sweeney and her mother, Manuela Cortez. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, December 05, 2001 from 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at Martin Funeral Home East Chapel with a Rosary at 7:00 p.m.</p>

	<p>A funeral mass will be held on Thursday, December 06, 2001 at 11:30 a.m. at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. Burial will take place at Ft. Bliss National Cemetery.</p> <p>Source: El Paso Times, El Paso, TX, Dec. 5, 2001, extracted May 30, 2007</p>
<p>Costello, Thomas J.</p>	<p>Retired Brig. Gen. Thomas J. Costello, 61, of Russells Landing, Skaneateles, died Friday at home.</p> <p>Born in New York City, he lived in Skaneateles 19 years. He was a 1963 graduate of LeMoyne College. He retired in 1998 as a pilot with Trans World Airlines. He served more than 35 years in the Air Force and Air National Guard 127th and 174th fighter wings. He was a command pilot and test pilot, and he served as squadron commander, command post chief, wing plans officer, wing director of operations and 174th wing commander. He served during the Berlin Crisis, the Pueblo aftermath and Operation Desert Storm. He retired in 1991 as a brigadier general. He was a communicant of St. Mary's of the Lake Church, Skaneateles, a member of Robert J. Hydon American Legion Post 239, Skaneateles, and was active in the All Sports Boosters Club at Skaneateles Central School.</p> <p>Survivors: Two sons, Michael K. of Camillus and Daniel B. of Skaneateles; three daughters, Kristen A. Costello of Philadelphia, Pa., Emily Costello of Skaneateles and Mary M. Costello of Mexico; three brothers, James P. of Marcellus and Francis M. and Robert V., both of Syracuse; a granddaughter.</p> <p>Services: 9 a.m. Tuesday at Robert D. Gray Funeral Home and 9:30 a.m. in St. Mary's of the Lake Church. Burial, St. Mary's Cemetery, DeWitt. Calling hours, 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Monday at the funeral home, 49 Jordan St., Skaneateles.</p> <p>Contributions: All Sports Boosters Club, in care of Skaneateles Central School, East Street, Skaneateles 13152.</p> <p>Source: Syracuse Herald American, Syracuse, NY, Nov. 21, 1999, extracted July 14, 2007.</p>
<p>Courtney, Steven Walter</p>	<p>Steven Walter Courtney, age 22, died July 10, 1992 resulting from a traffic accident.</p> <p>Born June 25, 1970 in Forthood, Texas to George Millard and Karen Lynn Essing Courtney. Member of the LDS Church. Served in the U.S. Army in Germany, Desert Shield, and Desert Storm. Currently serving in the 419 Transportation Co., U.S. Army Reserve. He was an honor graduate of Tooele Valley High School. He enjoyed fishing and reading.</p> <p>Survived by his mother, Tooele; father and wife, Cheryl, North Carolina; brother, George M. III, and sister, Aimee, both Tooele; a step brother, Anthony, North Carolina; his grandparents, Lloyd and Helen Essing, Wickenburg, Ariz.; uncles, Darryl, of Washington; and Kevin, U.S. Army in Germany; Edward, Needles, Calif.; aunts, Laura Carter and Sallie Strong, both Mocksville, N.C.</p> <p>Funeral services will be 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, at the Tate Mortuary Chapel, where friends may call one hour prior to services. Burial, Tooele City Cemetery.</p>

	<p>Source: The Deseret News, Salt Lake City, UT, July 12, 1992, extracted May 27, 2007.</p>
Cox, Alton Taylor	<p>Cox, Alton Taylor</p> <p>COX, ALTON TAYLOR age 60, of Bessemer died Thursday, April 28, 1994. He was a former employee of Barber Milk Company and retired from the National Guard, serving in Desert Storm, Persian Gulf War. He was a member of the Bessemer V.F.W. Funeral service will be Monday, May 2, at 10:00 a.m. at Angwin Mortuary Centers - Ensley Chapel with burial in Oakland Cemetery. Visitation will be Sunday, May 1, from 4 until 9 p.m. at Angwin Mortuary Centers - Ensley Chapel. Survivors: wife, Mrs. Carlene P. Cox; sons, Mr. David Cox of Vance and Mr. Glenn Speigner of Bessemer; daughter, Mrs. Cindy C. Fianan of Vance; mother, Mrs. Mary S. Hope of Shannon; brothers, Mr. Henry O. Cox of Randolph, Mr. J.W. Spain and Mr. Judson Spain, both of Shannon; sisters, Mrs. Danna Splawn of Hoover, Ms. Janice Cox Vines and Ms. Patricia Cox Minor, both of Clanton. Memorial contributions can be made to The American Cancer Society.</p> <p>Source: Birmingham News, Birmingham, AL, April 28, 1994, extracted June 15, 2007.</p>
Cox, Charles E.	<p>Captain Charles E. Cox, 31, of Sterling, died Nov. 8, 2002, in Sterling. Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Nov. 13 at the Church of the Nazarene with the Rev. Kevin Hopkins officiating. Burial will be at Riverside Cemetery. Arrangements were made by Chaney-Reager Funeral Home. Cpt. Cox was born Feb. 27, 1971, to William and Patricia (Ferguson) Cox in Upland, Pa. He grew up in Marcus Hook, Pa., where he attended school, graduating from high school in 1989. He then enlisted in the Army. He was stationed at Fort Bragg, N.C., serving with the 82nd Airborne in Desert Storm. He was honorable discharged in 1995. Cpt. Cox moved to Sterling, where he attended Northeaster Junior College for two years. In 1997, he moved to Fort Collins, where he attended Colorado State University, graduating in May 2002, receiving his doctorate of veterinary medicine. After graduation he re-enlisted in the Army and attained the rank of captain. On May 29, 1999, he married Debra Ellsworth in Fort Collins. Cpt. Cox is survived by his wife; parents William and Patricia Cox, Marcus Hook, Pa.; and sister Milissa Hess of Delaware. Contributions may be made to the Charles Cox Memorial.</p> <p>Source: Journal-Advocate, Sterling, CO, Nov. 12, 2002, extracted Jun. 24, 2007</p>
Cox, Dennis Samuel	<p>Dennis Samuel Cox, 49, who grew up in Gray, died March 9, after a brief illness at a Bangor hospital.</p> <p>He was born August 26, 1955, in Lubec, the son of Samuel and Norma (Crosby) Cox, of Edmunds.</p> <p>Despite many other achievements in his life, Dennis considered his family and friends his greatest accomplishment. He graduated from Shead Memorial High School and Washington County Community Technology College with an electrical certification. Dennis was a veteran of the Persian Gulf War and retired from the U.S. Navy in 1999. He received many medals, Certificates of Merit and Achievement and Commendations for his service in the Navy.</p> <p>Most recently he enjoyed his jobs at Edmunds Elementary School with the children and Morgan's in Pembroke with the many customers and friends he</p>

	<p>encountered.</p> <p>Dennis was well known for his heart of gold and these famous words: "Take a chill pill-there's no sense in sweating the small stuff." He will be remembered as a hard worker and for his smile and how much he loved to talk. He cared about people and people cared about him. He will be missed by many.</p> <p>He is survived by his wife, Brenda (Seeley) Cox; his son, Adam; his daughter, Brittany; his granddaughter, Amaya; two brothers, Stephen Cox and his wife Cyndy and Paul Cox and his wife Sherri, of Dennysville; three sisters, Jeanne Seavy of Eastport, Debbie Leighton and her husband Glenn, of Edmunds, and Trudy Morrison and fianc Randy, of Perry; several nieces and nephews; his best friend Reggie; his extended Gray "family"; and his many other family members and friends who are too many to list individually but are no less loved and appreciated.</p> <p>The family would like to thank everyone for the many cards, visits, phone calls and support that helped Dennis and his family through this difficult time.</p> <p>Source: The Gray News, Gray, MN, March 18, 2005</p>
Cox, Elizabeth	<p>ARLINGTON - Funeral for Elizabeth "Liz" Cox, 27, of Arlington, who died Tuesday at a Fort Worth hospital of gunshot wounds, was Friday at Clayton Kay Funeral Home in Alvarado.</p> <p>Burial was in Georges Creek Cemetery in Cleburne.</p> <p>Mrs. Cox was born in Fort Worth.</p> <p>She served in the Army during Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>Survivors: Son, James Ross Parrish Jr. of Arkansas; daughter, Megan Marie Cox of Arkansas; mother and stepfather, Betty and Norman Ballard of Arkansas; father and stepmother, D.C. and Martie Pinson of Alvarado; and two sisters, Teresa Michealle Pinson of Alvarado and Brenda Gail Pinson of San Diego.</p> <p>Source: Ft. Worth Star-Telegram, Ft. Worth, TX, Sept. 7, 1991, extracted May 20, 2007.</p>
Cox, Kenneth Wayne	<p>HENDERSON - Services for Kenneth Wayne Cox, 42, of Carthage, will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, September 8, 2007, at Crawford-Crim-Bryan Funeral Home in Henderson. Burial will follow in the Strong Cemetery of Panola County.</p> <p>Mr. Cox died Monday, September 3, 2007, at Overton Brooks VA Hospital in Shreveport, La.</p> <p>Kenneth was born May 18, 1965, in Gladewater. A 1983 graduate of Gladewater High School, he was active in sports (winning many honors with the Bears) school musicals, FFA, choir and other organizations. He attended Kilgore Junior College,</p> <p>He entered the U.S. Navy in 1986, where he received the Outstanding Navy Recruit Medal. He served abroad the U.S.S. Wisconsin during Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>Kenneth was a Catholic, and he was a former member of Friendship Baptist</p>

	<p>Church in Gladewater.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by his brother, John W. Cox Jr.; stepbrother, Tony Woodard; his grandparents, Johnnie and Faye Cox, formerly of Gilmer, and Loyce and Merlene Cannon, formerly of Gilmer; and mother-in-law, Marilyn Powell, formerly of Gladewater.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife of eight years, Su Layne Powell Cox of Carthage; and daughters, Jessica and Kayla Cox, who live with their mother, Lisa, in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Mr. Cox is also survived by his parents, John and Frances Cox of Gladewater, and Peggy and James Woodard of Bettie; father-in-law, James Powell of Gladewater; brothers, David Hanson of Chicago, Ill., and Gary W. Cox of Gladewater; stepbrothers, Connie Gale Woodard of Bristol, Tennessee, J.C. Woodard of Mineola, and Mitchell Woodard of Tyler; and numerous aunts, uncles, cousins and friends.</p> <p>Source: Longview News-Journal, Longview, TX, September 6, 2007, extracted October 6, 2007.</p>
Cox, Paul E.	<p>Master Sgt. Paul E. Cox, 31, died Saturday of an apparent heart attack at Myrtle Beach Air Force Base, S.C., 10 days after returning from duty in Operation Desert Storm.</p> <p>He was a native of Auburn.</p> <p>Master Sgt. Cox returned from Saudi Arabia last month. He was the first of three members installed in the Veterans of Foreign War Post 8552.</p> <p>Surviving are his wife, Kathleen, of Del Rio, Texas.; a daughter Shirley Cox of Del Rio, Texas.; mother and father, Elizabeth and Neal Cox of Auburn; a sister, Linda Cox of Auburn; four brothers, Michael of Phoenix, Ariz., Robert of Syracuse, Richard and David both of Auburn; and aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.</p> <p>Sgt. Dawn McKee, a spokeswoman at Myrtle Beach Air Force Base, said Master Sgt. Cox collapsed from an apparent heart attack. An autopsy was being performed by the Horry County Coroner's Office.</p> <p>Services were today at Laughlin Air Force Base Chapel, Del Rio, Texas. Burial, with full military honors, will be in Oak Lawn Memorial Park Cemetery, Del Rio, Texas.</p> <p>Family members can be reached at G.W. Cox Memorial Funeral Home, (512) 775-2000, 114 Fletcher Drive, Del Rio, Texas 78840.</p> <p>Source: Syracuse-Herald Journal, Syracuse, NY, April 4, 1991, extracted May 23, 2007</p>
Cox, Robert Lee	<p>COX , Robert Lee, 52 years old, a resident of California City, CA., died suddenly on December 15, 2004 after a short struggle with cancer</p> <p>He was the beloved son of George and Dorothy Cox, of Owensville, OH., father of Joseph Robert Cox, brother of Shirley Cox, Ronald Cox, Randy and Terri Cox, Teresa and Tom Vogel, and Rick Cox, uncle of several nieces and nephews.</p>

	<p>Robert was an Air Force veteran. He served in the Vietnam War, Operation Desert Storm, and Operation Iraqi Freedom.</p> <p>Robert was loved and will be greatly missed. A memorial service in his honor will be held on December 21 at 7 P.M. at St. Louis Church, 128 North Broadway, Owensville, OH.</p> <p>The family requests in lieu of flowers, that donations be made to the Ronald McDonald House for Children.</p> <p>Source: The Cincinnati Enquirer, Cincinnati, OH, Dec. 19, 2004, extracted August 13, 2007.</p>
<p>Coy, Anthony S.</p>	<p>ANTHONY S. COY "Tony" Coy, 40 years old, passed from this life Tuesday, May 29, 2007.</p> <p>Tony was Fire Chief of Burbank- Glendale-Pasadena Airport Authority who served 22 years in the fire service.</p> <p>Tony also served his country during operation "Desert Storm" in the Air Force.</p> <p>He will be greatly missed. Tony was born April 9, 1967 in Orange County, California. Loving husband, and soul mate to Jane "Bunny" Coy, married 18 years. Tony was a devoted father of Britni (17), and Isabella (8). Surviving relatives include: parents, Milton and Wanda Gale; brother, Paul Coy; and sister, Kristy Akin, all of Hot Springs, Arkansas; father-in-law, Gordon Ronald Hale and Helen Burnett; sisters-in-law, Bonnie Lou Leona Hale, Jennifer Renee Hale and Alisha Sunshine Hale; brothers-in-law, Ronald Darin Hale, and Daniel Scott Hale, all of Seattle, Washington; and numerous loving aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins. Tony has many accomplishments and achievements.</p> <p>Tony graduated high school from Hot Springs High School in Arkansas and has obtained his Associate degree of Fire Science, and was currently working on his Bachelor degree.</p> <p>In 1986 Tony began his military career in the United States Air Force as a Firefighter. His first assignment was at Zweibrucken, GE, where he met his best friend and wife Jane "Bunny" Coy. March 1990 their first daughter was born, Britni, and shortly after he was sent to Spain to be trained with the Space Shuttle Recovery Team. In 1991 he was transferred to Vandenberg AFB where he supervised crews in structural incidents, wildland fires, airport crash response s, also performed as Station Captain, and Crew Leader on the Vandenberg Hot Shot Crew. Assigned as Assistant Chief of Training and Fire Prevention during tour in Operation Desert Shield/Storm/Calm from December 1991 to April 1992.</p> <p>After leaving the Air Force in March of 1995 Tony was very enthusiastic about starting work with Burbank Airport Fire Department in 1995. He was very motivated to promote through the ranks. His goal was to become Fire Chief and make a difference. Tony achieved this goal on March 9th, 2001. As a Captain and acting Chief for the Burbank Airport fire protection Anthony and Jane "Bunny" Coy attended the San Bernardino Training Center in 1996 for his initial State of California ARFF training. As the professional that he was, he continued to work and study the State curriculum and became an advocate to help others in rewriting the training program.</p>

	<p>Anthony brought professionalism, knowledge and a down to earth common sense to managing and working in the world of aircraft rescue and firefighting. Anthony stepped up when the ARFF WG needed a director in 2005, he has been a strong advocate for the ARFF world. Tony loved to camp, fish, paint ball battles, cooking, coaching and surfing with his family and friends. He was an amazing father and friend who opened his heart to everyone. Coaching Isabella in football brought him great joy. He loved spending time with his best friend and wife walking hand in hand through this life together.</p> <p>Memorial service will be held June 5, 2007, 10:00 a.m., at the Burbank Glendale Pasadena Airport hanger #40, (enter at Sherman Way/ Clybourn) 2800 Clybourn, Burbank, CA 91505. Anthony S.</p> <p>Coy was the active Fire Chief of Burbank- Glendale-Pasadena Airport Fire Department and a friend to all.</p> <p>In his memory we ask in lieu of flowers, please make all donations to: LA Firemen's Credit Union, The Coy Family Memorial Fund, Attn: Jane Coy, 1520 West Colorado Blvd., Pasadena, CA 91105.</p> <p>Source: Daily News of Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA, June 5, 2007, extracted September 26, 2007.</p>
Craddieth, Ralph	<p>Craddieth, Ralph</p> <p>Services for Captain Ralph Craddieth, 42, of Lincoln will be Sunday at 2 p.m. at New Zion Missionary Baptist Church in Steens, Miss., with Rev. John Edwards officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. The family will receive friends 7-8 tonight at Terry's Metropolitan Mortuary in Talladega.</p> <p>Mr. Craddieth died Tuesday at Citizen's Baptist Medical Center in Talladega.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, Shirley Summerville Craddieth of Lincoln; a son, Mykael Craddieth of Talladega; his parents, James and Bernice Dickerson Craddieth of Steens; six sisters, Betty Dickerson of Chicago, Nettie Odgen of Northport, Rachel Jennings and Delois Craddieth, both of Steens, Elaine Humphries of Columbus, Miss. and Jeanette Rawls of Tupelo, Miss.; and six brothers, Joshua Craddieth of Ridgeway, S.C., Andrew Craddieth of Junction City, Kan., Johnny Craddieth of Columbus, Miss., Keith Craddieth of Steens, Otto Craddieth of Chicago and Arvis Craddieth of Richmond, Texas.</p> <p>Mr. Craddieth was a member of New Zion Missionary Baptist Church and Union Lodge 76 of the Free and Accepted Masons. He was a member of the National Guard for nearly 16 years and was a captain with Alabama Army Reserves. He was employed as a correction officer with the Federal Correctional Institution 11 years and was a veteran of Desert Storm.</p> <p>Source: The Anniston Star, Anniston, AL, Aug. 23, 2001, extracted Jun. 14, 2007</p>
Craig, Danny Raye	<p>Danny Raye Craig, 46, of Wheelersburg, Ohio, died Saturday, May 12, 2007, at his residence.</p>

	<p>He was born Sept. 22, 1960, in Portsmouth, to Barbara "Bobbi" Craig, of Wheelersburg, and William Craig, of Sciotoville. He attended Sand Hill Christian Baptist Church.</p> <p>He was a U.S. Army veteran who served in the Desert Storm campaign.</p> <p>Besides his parents, he is survived by three sons, Shane and Danny Craig, and Kyle Shelpman; a daughter, Vanessa McClintic; a brother, Randal (Debbie) Craig; a sister, Rhonda (Brian) Blanton; a granddaughter, Dakota McClintic; a special nephew, Brandon Blanton; and two special nieces, Courtney Myers and Jessica Blanton.</p> <p>Funeral services will take place at 1 p.m. Thursday, May 17, 2007, at Sand Hill Christian Baptist Church with Pastor Ronnie Blevins officiating. Burial will follow in Memorial Burial Park with military graveside services commencing at 2:30 p.m.</p> <p>Friends may call at the church from noon to the hour of the service Thursday. Arrangements are under the direction of Harrison-Pyles Funeral Home in Wheelersburg.</p> <p>Source: Portsmouth Daily Times, Portsmouth, OH, May 16, 2007, extracted September 24, 2007.</p>
<p>Cramer, Jessie Kyle</p>	<p><b>IRON MOUNTAIN</b> — Jessie Kyle Cramer, 30, of 401 Third St., Iron Mountain, died unexpectedly Friday, Nov. 9, 2001, at Dickinson County Memorial Hospital in Iron Mountain.</p> <p>He was born June 4, 1971, in Iron Mountain, son of Donald and Kristine (Dupuis) Cramer. He graduated from Iron Mountain High School in 1989. After high school, Jessie entered the U.S. Navy from 1989 to 1993. He served in the Persian Gulf War and was stationed in Pearl Harbor for three and a half years.</p> <p>Jessie worked at the Four Winns in Cadillac, lower Michigan, from 1994 to 1997, he then went on to work at Selmet Inc., in Albany, Ore., in 1997. He later worked for Systems Control before going on to Cable Constructors, where he was currently working as an assistant supervisor.</p> <p>He was a member of St. Mary and St. Joseph Catholic Church in Iron Mountain.</p> <p>Jessie loved working on Ford cars, car racing, building race cars and snowmobiling. He was the youngest official on record at the Norway Racetrack.</p> <p>He had a very extensive Ford hat collection.</p> <p>Jessie could fix anything and would help anybody. He always put everyone else first, before himself.</p> <p>He loved his family. His God son, Dustin Jacob Schaut was very special to him.</p> <p>Jessie lived for his cats, Tabatha, Chloe, Mindy and Crissy. They were his babies.</p> <p>He will be sadly missed by all those who knew him.</p> <p>Jessie is survived by his parents, Donald and Kristine Cramer of Iron Mountain; a brother, Aaron Cramer of Iron Mountain; two sisters, Holly (Craig) Schaut of Iron Mountain and Cammie Rose Cramer of Iron Mountain; his paternal grandmother, Ruth George of Iron Mountain; his maternal grandparents, Robert and Geraldine Dupuis of Niagara, Wis.; a nephew and God son, Dustin Jacob Schaut, and a special friend and co-worker, Terry</p>

	<p>McIntosh. He is further survived by aunts, uncles, cousins and many friends and co-workers.          Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. today at St. Mary and St. Joseph Catholic Church in Iron Mountain. Fr. Daniel Zaloga offered the Mass of Christian Burial.          Burial will be held at Cemetery Park in Iron Mountain.          The Erickson-Rochon &amp; Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain is in charge of arrangements.</p> <p>Source: The Alpena News, Alpena, MI, March 13, 2006</p>
Cramer, Stephen	<p>BUCYRUS -- Stephen Cramer II, 37, of 260 Wayne Ave., died Monday, Oct. 23, at The Ohio State University Medical Center in Columbus.</p> <p>Stephen was born Dec. 20 1968, in Bucyrus, to Stephen Cramer and Brenda (Sweeney) Melvin, who survive in Bucyrus.</p> <p>He was a sergeant in the U.S. Air Force, successfully completed training as a Dental Assistant Specialist, served in support of Operation Desert Shield/Storm and received the AF Outstanding Unit Award, National Defense Service Medal, AF Longevity Service Award Ribbon, and the Air Force Training Ribbon.</p> <p>Stephen was a member of the Crestline VFW Post 2920 and a Life Member of AMVETS Post 27. Stephen lived his entire life in the community graduating from Colonel Crawford High School in 1987.</p> <p>In addition to his parents, he is survived by his stepfather, Chuck Melvin; aunts, Cherie (Alan) Young, Loretta (Gilbert) Johnson and Julia (Fredie) Dicks, all of Bucyrus; cousins, Albert Johnson, Tami Kreiger, Loretta (Todd) Pennington, Dana (Brent) Rainis, Alana (Tom) Lemmen, Hope (Mike) Wittig and Noah Young.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by his maternal grandparents, Frank and Mildred Sweeney as well as paternal grandparents, Willis and Miriam Cramer.</p> <p>Funeral Services will be at 2 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 27 in the Munz-Pirnstill Funeral Home with burial in Crawford County Memory Gardens. Friends may call at the funeral home from 4 to 7 p.m. on Thursday, where the family will receive friends.</p> <p>Military Services will be provided by the American Legion Post 181.</p> <p>Source: News Journal, Mansfield, OH, Oct. 25, 2006, extracted September 23, 2007.</p>
Cranford, Steven R.	<p>(11/14/1967- 3/18/2007) Steven R. Cranford passed away March 18, 2007. He was born November 14, 1967 in Lebanon, Missouri. He married Charlene, later divorced.</p> <p>He honorably served his nation in the U.S. Marine Corps, Utah Air National Guard and the Air Force Reserves. He was activated for Desert Storm and served with distinction in Saudi Arabia where he was awarded a commenda tion medal.</p> <p>Steven served with the Utah Highway Patrol, before being selected as a Special Agent with the Secret Service. Steven exemplified personal pride</p>

	<p>and dedicated service to his country and community. Steven was the happiest when he was spending time with his daughters who he was very proud of.</p> <p>He will be missed by all that knew and loved him. His quick wit and dry sense of humor personified who he was. He is survived by two lovely daughters, Sabrina and Amanda, sisters, Julie (Douglas) Lindner and Susan Sepe, brothers, David and Alan Cranford. Preceded in death by his father, Albert Cranford. Funeral services will be held Friday, March 23, 2007 at 11 a.m. at Lindquists Layton Mortuary, 1867 No. Fairfield Road.</p> <p>Friends and family may call Friday from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. at the mortuary. Interment, Utah Veterans Memorial Park at Camp Williams, where military honors will accorded.</p> <p>Source: Standard-Examiner, Ogden, UT, Mar. 22, 2007, extracted Sep. 27, 2007</p>
Crapson, John E.	<p>JOPLIN, Mo., John E. Crapson, age 42, of Joplin, passed away at 1:30 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 10, 2005, at his home after a struggle with Gulf War Syndrome/ALS.</p> <p>John was born Nov. 25, 1963, in Mount Vernon, Wash. He grew up in Skagit County, Wash. After graduating from high school he entered the U.S. Navy in 1981. His service to his country took him around the world. His lifelong military service was from 1981 to 2003. He was a veteran of the first Gulf War. He was separated from the service two and a half years ago because of many military connected diseases. He moved to Joplin with his wife in 2003.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, Diane Crapson, Joplin; his parents, Melvin Crapson, Mount Vernon and June Ringhouse, Sedro-Woolley, Wash.; his sister, Alice Kester, Sedro-Woolley; his brother, Michael Crapson, Columbus, Ohio; three half sisters, one predeceased; and two half brothers.</p> <p>Services will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Hedge-Lewis Chapel in Webb City, with Rev. David Thomas and Rev. Kenneth Miner officiating. Burial with military honors will be in Osborne Memorial Cemetery in Joplin. The family will receive friends from 7 to 8 p.m. Monday at the Hedge-Lewis Chapel.</p> <p>Arrangements have been entrusted to Hedge-Lewis Funeral Home, of Webb City, Mo.</p> <p>Source: Ottumwa Courier, Ottumwa, IA, 2005-12-12</p>
Crawford, Jeffrey Alan	<p>SAN JOSE, Calif. - Jeffrey Alan Crawford, 28, died Monday (July 12, 1999) at Las Vegas, Nev.</p> <p>He was born June 25, 1971, at Staunton, a son of Tommy D. Crawford Sr. and Carrie (Kinney) Crawford.</p> <p>He was a resident of San Francisco for four years and San Jose, for two years. He was educated in the Staunton public school system, where he attended Robert E. Lee High School. He graduated with honors from Clover Hill High School at Midlothian, Va. He attended the University of Virginia at Charlottesville, Va., receiving bachelor of arts degrees in both sociology and Afro-American studies, graduating with distinction. He earned his law degree from the University of California, Hastings College of Law, in 1996. He was admitted to the California State Bar in 1997.</p>

	<p>While at Hastings, he received an honorable mention for the best moot court oral argument. From 1995-96, he worked as a law clerk for the State Bar of California, Office of General Counsel. He also completed a judicial externship in the fall of 1996 with the California Supreme Court, Civil Central Staff. He was an attorney at Robinson and Wood Inc. at San Jose, specializing in insurance defense and construction defect litigation.</p> <p>From 1989-93, he served in the Army Reserve, including a tour of active duty at Saudi Arabia (Desert Storm) during the Persian Gulf War in 1991. He was a member of the American Bar Association, Santa Clara County Bar Association Business Law Section and the Association of Defense Counsel.</p> <p>Surviving are his father, Tommy D. Crawford Sr. of Staunton three brothers and a sister-in-law, Tommy D. Jr. of Midlothian, Derek W. of Washington and James L. and Stephanie Crawford of Alexandria a sister, Tammy Nicholas of Waynesboro, Va. a nephew, Tommy D. Crawford III two nieces, Tamara D. and Adria B. Crawford relatives and friends.</p> <p>A service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday at Jones Funeral Home by elder Leon McCauley, assisted by Dr. J. Henry Scott Jr.</p> <p>Pallbearers will be friends attending the service.</p> <p>Public viewing will be from noon to 7 p.m.</p> <p>The family will receive friends at his father's residence, 633 Essex Drive, Staunton.</p> <p>Jones Funeral Home is handling arrangements.</p> <p>Source: Daily News Leader, Staunton, VA, July 16, 1999, extracted July</p>
Crawford, Jeremy Kurt	<p>LAMAR, Mo. - Sgt. Jeremy Kurt Crawford, 32, of Lamar, Mo., died Tuesday, March 7, 2006.</p> <p>He was born Aug. 27, 1973, in Kansas City, Mo., to Patricia Lea Clemmens and Stephen David Crawford. He attended schools in Gardner and Pittsburg and graduated from Pittsburg High School in 1991. He was involved in football and started out playing pee-wee football in Gardner. He later played on the Pittsburg High School Purple Dragons 1990 state championship team as No. 68, a defensive tackle.. He also was involved in Boy Scouts.</p> <p>He married Heather Dawn Burns on Oct. 17, 1992, in Girard. They divorced in 1996. He married Shannon Michelle Woods on May 17, 1997 in Fort Scott. They divorced in 2002. He remarried Heather Burns Duncan on April 5, 2005, in Miami, Okla. She survives of the home.</p> <p>On May 24, 1992, he enlisted in the U.S. Army and graduated from basic training with Company A, 1st Battalion 46th Infantry in Fort Knox, Ky., on Sept. 17, 1992. He served in several military operations including the Persian Gulf, Desert Storm, and Operation Iraqi Freedom. He later transferred to the National Guard and was serving with Company A 891st Engineer Battalion out of Pittsburg. He recently returned on Dec. 9, 2005, from his tour of duty for Operation Iraqi Freedom.</p> <p>He belonged to the International Union of Operating Engineer Local 101 out of Kansas City, Mo. He worked for the Local 101 for many years.</p>

	<p>At the age of 12, he was baptized in the Baptist faith by Rev. Bill Forehand at the Pittsburg Baptist Temple.</p> <p>Additional survivors include one daughter, Cierra Dominique Crawford of the home; two sons, Chance Dakota Crawford and Chase Dalton Crawford of Chanute; two step-sons, Keegan Chandler Duncan and Connor Franklin Duncan of the home; his mother of Pittsburg; his father, of Belton, Mo.; step-father, David Edward Woods of Pittsburg; step-mother, Debra Crawford of Belton; two brothers, Jeffrey Deane Clemmens and Justin David Woods of Pittsburg; two sisters, Misty Dawn Woods of Joplin, Mo., and Jodi Lynn Woods of Pittsburg; four half-brothers, Sgt. David Edward Crawford currently stationed at Fort Riley, Sgt. John Micheal Crawford currently stationed in Iraq, Staff Sgt. Matthew Adam Crawford currently stationed in Saudi Arabia, and Rodney Howe of Belton; paternal grandmother, Louise Crawford of Gladstone, Mo.; 11 nephews; and six nieces.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by two brothers, Jason Riley Clemmens and Jarrett Edward Woods; maternal grandmother, Loleta Lucille Clemmens; maternal step-grandfather, William Otto Woods; and paternal grandfather, David Edward Crawford.</p> <p>Full military graveside services will be 1:30 p.m. Monday, at the Fort Scott National Cemetery.</p> <p>Source: The Morning News, Pittsburg, KS, March 10, 2006, extracted September 22, 2007.</p>
Crawford, Claude J.	<p>CRAWFORD, CLAUDE J., JR. Claude J. Crawford, Jr., age 44, of Rt. 2, Max Meadows, Va., The Hudson Store Community, died Sunday at his residence. He was an employee of the Radford Army Ammunition Plant, a member of the Hillsville Masonic Lodge #193, A.F. &amp; A.M. and the Grover King Post #1115, Veterans of Foreign Wars. He was a veteran of the Vietnam War and the Desert Storm, Persian Gulf Conflict and a member of the U.S. Army Reserve Transportation Unit #424 with the rank of Staff Sergeant. He was preceded in death by his parents, Claude J., Sr., and Bernice Stillwell Crawford. He is survived by his wife, Janice S. Crawford; two daughters, Charlene Jean Crawford, Donalee Gail Crawford, both of the home; two sisters and brothers-in-law, Bobbie and Edward J. Jones of Radford; Jean C. and Wayne Sparks of Sparta, N.C.; two brothers and sister-in-law, Samuel C. and Kelly Crawford; Paul J. Crawford, all of Barren Springs; several nieces and nephews also survive. Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2:00 p.m. at the Riverview Church of God with the Rev. Michael Collins officiating. Interment will be in the Crawford Family Cemetery. Hillsville Masonic Lodge #193 A.F. &amp; A.M. will conduct graveside rites. Military honors will be conducted by U.S. Army Reserve Transportation Unit #424. The body will be taken to the Riverview Church of God Tuesday evening where the family will receive friends from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. Reese Funeral Home in Austinville, Va., is in charge of the arrangements.</p> <p>Source: The Roanoke Times, Roanoke, VA, Jan. 21, 1992, extracted May 27, 2007.</p>
Crawford, Sherman	<p>KANSAS CITY - Crawford, Sherman "Brooks," 74, of Kansas City, Kan., passed away Saturday, Aug. 4, 2007 at Shawnee Mission Medical center.</p>

	<p>Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8, at First Baptist Church of Mission, 5700 Outlook, Mission, KS 66205; burial in Leavenworth National Cemetery. Friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. today at the church. Brooks was born June 15, 1933 in Silver City, Iowa.</p> <p>He retired from the Air Force Reserves with active duties in the Army and Air Force in the Korean War and Desert Storm.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by his father and mother, Bud and Bessie Crawford. Survivors include his wife, Wanda Crawford; children, Sherry Vannattan, Belinda Norman, Marla Ratliff, Marlin Crawford, Sheila Williams, Buck Crawford; stepchildren, Darin Embry, Brian Embry; 18 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; sisters, Priscilla, Donna, Pam; brother, Michael. Arrangements by Charter Funerals 816-921-5555.</p> <p>Source: The Wichita Eagle, Wichita, KS, August 7, 2007, extracted September 28, 2007.</p>
Cronce, Paul E.	<p>CRONCE, PAUL E., 40, of St. Petersburg, died Wednesday (Oct. 27, 1999) at the James A. Haley VA Medical Center, Tampa. He came here in 1965 from his native Easton, Pa., and was a 1977 graduate of Northeast High School. He served with the Army for more than 16 years, achieving the rank of sergeant first class, and was a decorated veteran of Operation Desert Storm. He was a member of Calvary Chapel and was an avid fisherman.</p> <p>Survivors include a son, Timmy, and a daughter, Tonya Cronce, both of Punta Gorda; his parents, Richard W. and Marjory A. Cronce, Spring Hill; two brothers, Rick and John, both of St. Petersburg; and two sisters, Helen Peterson, Palm Harbor, and Sandy Stout, Flemington, N.J. E. Dale Gunter Funeral Home and Cremation Services, St. Petersburg.</p> <p>Source: St. Petersburg Times, St. Petersburg, FL, Oct. 29, 1999, extracted July 13, 2007.</p>
Cropper, Kenneth Steward, Sr.	<p>Cropper, Kenneth Steward, Sr.</p> <p>Sgt. Kenneth Steward Cropper Sr., 49, of Snow Hill, on security detail at the Pentagon, died of a massive heart attack Wednesday, March 20, 2002, while training in Arlington, Va. Born in Salisbury, he was the son of the late Randolph S. Cropper and Ruth White Cropper. Sgt. Cropper was a member of Mount Wesley United Methodist Church in Snow Hill, where he served as an usher, choir member and member of the finance committee. He graduated from Wicomico High School in 1972. He was the co-owner of Dashiell Well Drilling Company Inc. in Fruitland and a staff sergeant with the 200th Military Police Company, which is headquartered at Blair Lee Crockett Armory in Salisbury. Sgt. Cropper was a 29-year veteran in the National Guard, also serving during Desert Storm. In the community, he served in Snow Hill Masonic Lodge 105 F&amp;AM, American Legion Post 145, and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 10159. He was also a member of the X Rated Motor Cycle Club in Princess Anne. He will always be cherished in the hearts of his wife, Laverne A. Dennis-Cropper of Snow Hill; one son, Kenneth S. Cropper Jr. of Middle River, Md.; three daughters, Franzella Cropper of Owings Mills, Md., Natasha Davis of New Haven, Conn., and Deshawn Dennis of Upper Marlboro; three sisters, Joya C. Marshall of Laurel, Annalee</p>

	<p>Cannon of Salisbury and Ginger D. Cropper of Riverside, Calif., father and mother-in-law, Charles and Shirley Dennis of Snow Hill; grandmother-in-law, Katherine B. Dennis of Snow Hill; four grandchildren; and several nephews, nieces, cousins, other relatives and friends. A funeral service will be held Saturday at 11 a.m. at First Baptist Church on the corner of Delaware Avenue and Booth Street in Salisbury. Family and friends may call one hour prior to the service and Friday evening from 6 to 8 at Mount Wesley United Methodist Church on Scotland Road in Snow Hill. The Rev. Thomas Fitchett will officiate. On Friday, the Fraternal Ritual ceremony will begin at 7 p.m. Interment will be in the new section of Mount Wesley United Methodist Church Cemetery. A ministry of comfort and dignity is being provided by Lewis N. Watson Funeral Home in Salisbury.</p> <p>Source: The Daily Times, Salisbury, MD, Mar. 27, 2002, extracted Jun. 25, 2007</p>
Crowder, Albert Steve	<p>Crowder, Albert Steve</p> <p>Funeral: 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home in Gulfport. Albert Steve Crowder, 46, died Tuesday, Feb. 26, 2002, in Coral Springs, Fla. Mr. Crowder was born in Gulfport and had been a resident of Coral Springs for five years. He was active in the National Guard and served in the Army Special Forces. He served during Desert Storm as a paratrooper with over 100 jumps and was an avid outdoorsman and hunter. He was of the Baptist faith. He is survived by his wife, Joyce P. Crowder of Coral Springs, Fla.; a stepdaughter, Michelle Valenti; a stepson, Anthony Valenti, both of Coral Springs; his father and stepmother, Major Albert F. and Emily J. Crowder of Gulfport; his mother, Norma D. Magee of Tucson, Ariz.; two sisters, Carol Reeves of Long Beach, Margie Hamilton of Pass Christian; three stepsisters, Janet Matthews of Long Beach, Mary Morris of New York City and Donna Triplett; and a stepbrother, James Morris, both of Gulfport. Visitation will be from 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Bradford-O'Keefe Funeral Home in Gulfport. Services will be at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday in the funeral home chapel, with burial to follow in Biloxi National Cemetery.</p> <p>Source: The Sun Herald, Biloxi, MS, Mar. 4, 2002, extracted Jun. 22, 2007</p>
Crowe, Mark Alton	<p>ROYSTON, Ga. - Mr. Mark Alton Crowe, 56, of 401 Dovetown Road, Royston, died Wednesday, June 9, 2004, at Greenville Memorial Hospital in Greenville, S.C.</p> <p>Mr. Crowe was born in Burke County, N.C., on Aug. 2, 1947, son of the late Rev. Coy Isaiah Crowe and the late Sadie Evans Crowe. He was a retired insurance agent.</p> <p>Mr. Crowe was a U.S. Navy veteran, having served during Vietnam and Desert Storm.</p> <p>He was presently master of the Primrose Masonic Lodge in Bowman, Ga., and a member of the Harrison McCrary VFW Post in Royston. He served on the board of directors on the National Association of Laryngectomees.</p> <p>Survivors include a son, Donald Alexander Crowe, of Athens; a daughter, Margaret Estelle Crowe, of Carnesville; a brother, Phil Crowe, of Mocksville, N.C.; and Robyne Vonsiatsky of Clemmons, N.C.</p>

	<p>The funeral service for Mr. Crowe will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, June 12, at the Evangelical Methodist Church with the Rev. Elisha Robertson and the Rev. Tim Peek officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery with full Masonic rites. The body is at Pruitt Funeral Home in Royston, where the family will receive friends from 7 to 9 this evening, June 11. The body will be placed in the church at 10:30 a.m. Saturday. The family is at their respective homes.</p> <p>In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the International Association Laryngectomees, P.O. Box 691060, Stockton, CA 95269-1060 or the American Cancer Society, Southeast Division, Inc., 154 Milestone Way, Greenville, SC 29615. Pruitt Funeral Home in Royston is in charge of arrangements.</p> <p>Source: Winston-Salem Journal, Winston-Salem, NC, June 11, 2004, extracted August 13, 2007.</p>
Crownover, Lewis Allen	<p>PRINCETON -- Lewis Allen Crownover, age 67, died Friday afternoon in Kitty Askins Hospice Center.</p> <p>Born October 19, 1937 in Peoria, IL, he was a son of the late Louis Roosevelt and Jennie Hester Chambers Crownover and was preceded in death by a son, Eddie Crownover. A US Army veteran of the Dominican Republic, Vietnam and Desert Storm, Lewis retired as a Command Sergeant Major after having served for 37 years active duty and reserve. Upon completion of his military service he went to work with the Wake County Sheriff's Department from which he also retired and later drove a tanker for Eagle Transport until his recent illness.</p> <p>Funeral services will be conducted at 11:00 a.m. Monday in the chapel of Parrish Funeral Home in Princeton with the Rev. Glenn Griffin and his nephew, the Rev. Mike Morley officiating. Burial, with military honors will follow in the Grace Baptist Church Cemetery.</p> <p>Surviving are his wife, Effie Overman Crownover; son, Gary R. Crownover and wife, Sharon of Smithfield; daughter, Chris Crownover Jones and husband, Jeramy of Sims; brothers, Robert Heath of Bradley, IL and Bill Heath of Mountain Grove, MO; sisters, Helen Johnston of Kenosha, WI, Peggy Dobson of Attica, IN and Etta Crownover of Missouri; and two grandsons, Shawn Crownover and Keaton Jones.</p> <p>The family will receive friends from 7:00 9:00 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home.</p> <p>In lieu of flowers, the family asks that memorial contributions be made to the Johnston Memorial Home Health and Hospice, PO Box 1376, Smithfield, NC 27577 or to Grace Baptist Church, Princeton, NC 27569.</p> <p>Source: The News &amp; Observer, Raleigh, NC, Nov. 22, 2004, extracted August 13, 2007.</p>
Crumble, Gloria J.	<p>Sergeant (Ret) 1998, Gloria J. Crumble of Colorado Springs, CO., born in Milwaukee, WI. Passed after a prolonged illness on Monday, December 2, 2002. Gloria was born December 29, 1950 in Milwaukee, WI, to Patricia and Matthew Crumble Sr., and is survived by her husband David L. Pompili, Her mother Patricia Crumble, her father Matthew Crumble, her</p>

	<p>sister Janis Wakefield and brothers Matthew and Dennis Crumble, her daughters Michelle Whitley, Monique Pompili, Staci Towe, and God daughter Portia D. Reed- Weddle, aunts, Teanna Reed, Rose Lue-Hing, Lucy Phillips, her uncle Edward Reed, her nephews Anthony Wakefield, Richard Wakefield (in memory) and Rahshea Wakefield. Two great nephews Anthony Wakefield Jr., and Jarit Wakefield, her nieces Phyllis Wakefield, Makurra Wakefield, Kameena Bunzy, and great niece Chuntazia Cox, her first cousins Michael Lue-ting, Anthony McCalla, Tamara Weddle and Sharon Ridgeway, as well as host of other cousins, acquaintances and loving friends. Being one of the best soldiers in the service, Gloria has been stationed all over the world in places such as Germany, Panama, and Korea, as well as here in the United States. She was in both Desert Storm, and Desert Sweep fighting for her country to help protect us all. Her awards and medals include eight army commendations, an army achievement, a meritorious unit commendation, and seven army good conducts.</p> <p>Source: The Gazette, Colorado Springs, CO, Dec. 10, 2002, extracted Jun. 25, 2007</p>
<p>Cruppenink, Robert Joseph</p>	<p>Robert CRUPPENINK, Robert Master Gunnery Sgt. Robert Joseph "Nick" Cruppenink, USMC, Ret., 54, of Moncks Corner, S.C., died Saturday in a Charleston hospital. The funeral will be 11 a.m., Wednesday morning, December 29, 2004, in the CHAPEL OF DIAL-MURRAY FUNERAL HOME, MONCKS CORNER. Interment will follow at 2:30 p.m. in the Beaufort National Cemetery with full military honors. Friends may call at the funeral home from 6 until 8 p.m., Tuesday evening. Mr. Cruppenink was born September 14, 1950, in Danville, Illinois, a son of Joseph Louis Cruppenink and Evelyn Jacobs Cruppenink. MGYSGT Cruppenink was a 30 year veteran serving in Grenada, Panama, Vietnam, Desert Storm, and the Gulf War. He was currently serving as a loss prevention officer for Wal-Mart in Moncks Corner and formerly served as a police officer for the Town of Moncks Corner. Surviving are: his wife, Charlotte Teal Cruppenink; two daughters, Arnie Cruppenink of California and Julie Fernandez of Ontario, Calif.; a son, Joseph T. "Joey" Cruppenink of Moncks Corner; three grandchildren, Michael Andreasen, Anthony Fernandez, and Cristien Fernandez; a niece, Brianna L. Mullinax; and a nephew, Christiaan T. Mullinax. Visit our guestbook at <a href="http://www.charleston.net/deaths">www.charleston.net/deaths</a>.</p> <p>Source: Charleston Post &amp; Courier, Charleston, SC, 12/27/2004.</p>
<p>Cucchia, David L.</p>	<p>Cucchia, David L.</p> <p>David L. Cuccia, 25, a 1990 graduate of Washington and Lee High School who served four years in the Naval Air Reserves, died in a traffic accident March 24 in Tallahassee.</p> <p>In the early morning hours of March 24, a pickup truck traveling south on High Road in Tallahassee turned left, crashing into Mr. Cuccia, who was heading north on his motorcycle, according to the Tallahassee City Police. Mr. Cuccia was taken to Tallahassee Memorial Regional Hospital, where he was pronounced dead.</p> <p>Mr. Cuccia, a Washington native, was in his second year at Tallahassee Community College, studying computer science, criminology and political science. He was a member of the Florida National Guard.</p> <p>He entered the Navy in 1991 during Operation Desert Storm and served nearly eight months of active duty before transferring to the Naval Air</p>

	<p>Reserve, where he was assigned to Patrol Squadron 68 at Andrews Air Force Base. Along with his crew, he flew support and relief missions in Bosnia and Haiti.</p> <p>A longtime member of the Boy Scouts of America, he received the organization's Heroism Medal for helping two women escape from a burning car after an accident near Tysons Corner in 1988.</p> <p>He had been a member of the Washington and Lee High School rifle team and football squad.</p> <p>Survivors include his father, retired U.S. Navy Reserves Capt. R.A. Cuccia of Arlington; his mother, Carol M. Cuccia of Arlington; a sister, Amy J. Robinette of Largo, Fla.; and a grandfather, Anthony P. Cuccia of Jobstown, N.J.</p> <p>Source: The Washington Post, Washington, D.C., April 24, 1996, extracted June 21, 2007.</p>
Cully, Paul F.	<p>Mr. Paul F. Cully, 65, of North Andover and formerly of Savin Hill died May 31, 2005, at the Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston. Mr. Cully was born in Boston to the late James A. Cully Jr. and Florence G. (Duris) Cully.</p> <p>He was a graduate from the Massachusetts Military Academy in Boston class of 1962 and an Engineer at Gillette for 30 years. He was also a veteran of the Gulf War and retired from the U.S. Army as a Captain. Mr. Cully was an owner of Cardinal Pools, Inc.,. He loved to travel with family and especially loved his grandchildren.</p> <p>Widow of the late Charlene A. (Budowicz) Cully, he is survived by his daughter Renee M. Conway and her husband Christopher J. of North Andover, two grandchildren Jessica and Ryan Conway, brothers and sisters Joan E. Cully of Milton, James A. Cully III of Quincy, Mary Ellen Manning of Milton, Gerald L. Cully of Norwood and Richard J. Cully of Milton and several nieces and nephews. He was also predeceased by a brother Kevin J. Cully.</p> <p>A funeral mass will be on Saturday, 10 a.m., at St. Michael's Church in North Andover. Burial will follow in Ridgewood Cemetery. Family and friends may call on Friday from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Dewhirst and Conte Funeral Home, 17 Third St., North Andover.</p> <p>Source: North Andover Citizen, North Andover, MA, June 4, 2005</p>
Cunningham, Christopher Andrew	<p>CUNNINGHAM. Christopher Andrew Cunningham, 24, of Gainesville, Ga., husband of Alexandra Cunningham, died suddenly Friday (Aug. 19). Born in Middletown, he was the son of Eugene Cunningham of Cobalt, and Beth Colton-Drake of Fresno, Calif. A veteran of Desert Storm, he served in the U.S. Army as a Combat Engineer, and was currently stationed at Fort Stewart, Ga. He was a member of the class of 1988 at Vinal Regional Vocational Technical School. Besides his wife and parents, he is survived by a daughter, Amanda Cunningham of Gainesville, Ga.; a brother, Eugene M. Cunningham II of Middlefield; a paternal grandmother, Mary (Laverty) Cunningham of Cobalt; a maternal grandfather, Hebert Colton of Glastonbury; and a nephew, Sean Cunningham. The funeral will be Thursday, 11 a.m., at the Biega Funeral Home, 3 Silver St., Middletown.</p>

	<p>Burial will be in the State Veterans Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home today, 7-9 p.m. Those who wish may send contributions to a trust fund for Amanda Cunningham, c/o Liberty Bank, Attention: Sue Prigitano, 315 Main St., Middletown 06457.</p> <p>Source: The Hartford, Courant, Hartford, CT, Aug. 24, 1994, extracted June 15, 2007.</p>
Cunningham, Richard L.	<p>Cunningham, Richard L.</p> <p>Richard L. "Sonny" Cunningham, 55, Kansas City, MO, passed away March 2, 1996. Funeral services will be 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 6, at Sheil Independence Avenue Chapel, where friends may call 6-8 p.m. Burial will be 3 p.m. Thursday, in Glacia Cemetery, Calico Rock, AR.</p> <p>SSGT Cunningham was born September 6, 1941, in Norfolk, AR. He was the owner of Cunningham Contractors, Inc. and was formerly an associate realtor for Lakeview Realtors, Sunrise Beach, MO. He was a Third Degree Mason. He was a U.S. Navy veteran and member of the U.S. Air Force Reserve 77th APS at Richards-Gebaur AFB. He participated in Desert Shield and Desert Storm. He was currently a member of the 88th APS at McGuier AFB and participated in Operation Valiant Warrior.</p> <p>He was preceded in death by his son, Richard Scott Cunningham, and his sister, Carol Atkinson.</p> <p>Surviving are his wife, Nancy J. Cunningham, of the home; daughter, Stacey R. Cunningham, North Kansas City, MO; mother and stepfather, Mildred and George W. Jordan, Sunrise Beach, MO; sister, Loretta Short, Kansas City, KS; seven nieces and nephews; and 10 great-nieces and nephews.</p> <p>Source: The Kansas City Star, Kansas City, MO, March 5, 1996, extracted June 21, 2007.</p>
Cupples, Barry L.	<p>Cupples, Barry L.</p> <p>Funeral services for retired Lt. Col. Barry L. Cupples will be held at noon Monday in Rhoney Funeral Home, Cayuga and South Ninth streets, followed by a service at 1 p.m. in the Niagara Falls Air Reserve Base Chapel. Burial will be in North Ridge Cemetery, Cambria.</p> <p>Cupples, 54, died unexpectedly Friday (Nov. 3, 1995) in Millard Fillmore Hospital, Buffalo.</p> <p>Born in Clearfield, Pa., he was a 33-year veteran of the U.S. Air Force and had been stationed around the country before coming to the 914th Air Lift Wing at the Niagara Falls Air Reserve Base in 1972.</p> <p>He was a veteran of the Vietnam War and received the Bronze Star for his service during Desert Storm. He retired in 1994.</p> <p>He was a graduate of Niagara University.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, the former Bernadine M. Genovese; a son, Barry Jr. of North Tonawanda; two daughters, Sharon of North Tonawanda and Leslie of Philadelphia; his mother, Mary Jane of Clearfield; a brother, William of Jacksonville, Fla.; and three sisters, Barbara Ogden and Linda Harvey, both of Clearfield, and Dorothy Jane Mohny of Warren, Ohio.</p>

	<p>Source: The Buffalo News, Buffalo, NY, Nov. 5, 1995, extracted June 16, 2007.</p>
<p>Curran, John Charles</p>	<p>John Charles Curran, 67, of Castle Rock, CO. died Saturday, April 7 at his home. John was born Oct. 9, 1939 in Canandaigua, N.Y., to Charles and Helen (Blankenberg) Curran.</p> <p>He was a graduate of Kent State University. He married Joan Steinwachs on Feb. 27, 1965 at St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York City. John was retired from the Dept. of Defense as a Contracting and Procurement Specialist.</p> <p>He was a retired Navy Reservist, attaining the rank of Navy Captain. In 1990, Captain Curran served in Desert Storm.</p> <p>He is survived by his wife Joan; four sons, Philip (Chanin) Curran of Denver, Michael (JoAnn) Curran, Littleton, Robert (Christina) Curran, Highlands Ranch, Johnny (Diana) Curran, Castle Rock; 9 grandchildren; brother Thomas Curran of Palmyra, N.Y.; sister-in-law Anne Steinwachs Montague (Norman); brother-in-law David of Rochester, N.Y., several aunts and cousins, and many dear, close friends. Visitation was held 1:00 to 4:00 P.M. and 7:00 to 9:00 P.M. Thursday, April 12 at Olinger Andrews Funeral Home, 407 Jerry St., Castle Rock. Mass of Christian Burial was held 11:00 A.M. Friday, April 13 at Church of the Risen Christ in Denver.</p> <p>Interment at Ft. Logan National Cemetery, Denver, CO. with Full Military Honors was Friday, 1:00 P.M. Memorials suggested to Rocky Mountain Cancer Centers.</p> <p>Source: Rochester Democrat and Chronicle, Rochester, NY, April 22, 2007, extracted September 23, 2007.</p>
<p>Cutcher, Douglas A.</p>	<p>Sgt. Douglas A. Cutcher, at 21; Air Force veteran of Desert Storm Douglas A. Cutcher, 21, of 150 Hillside Road, an Air Force sergeant at McGuire Air Force Base, died Saturday in Pemberton, N.J. of wounds received when he was shot by a car thief.</p> <p>Born in Westfield, he was a graduate of St. Mary's High School class of 1989, and a 4-year member of its baseball team. He was a communicant of St. Mary's Church.</p> <p>He served in Operation Desert Shield and Operation Desert Storm in Saudi Arabia.</p> <p>His father, Robert Cutcher, died in 1976.</p> <p>He leaves his mother, Roberta (Keefe) Cutcher of Westfield; and a brother, Michael with the U.S. Air Force in Texas.</p> <p>The funeral will be Wednesday morning in Firtion-Adams Funeral Home and the church, with burial in St. Mary's Cemetery. Calling hours are Tuesday evening. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Mary's School Endowment Fund, Barlett St., Westfield, 01085.</p> <p>Source: Union-News, Springfield, MA, June 1, 1992, extracted May 27, 2007.</p>

Cutshaw, Willie	<p>Willie Cutshaw, 49, Emerado, died Tuesday, July 23, 1991, in The United Hospital, Grand Forks.</p> <p>Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday in Ascension Lutheran Church, Emerado. Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday with a 7 p.m. prayer service in Bakke Funeral Home, Larimore, N.D. Military honors will be conducted by the 136th Quarter Master Battalion.</p> <p>Willie Cutshaw was born Oct. 23, 1941, in Naples, N.C., the son of Onnie and Edith Cutshaw. He grew up in Arden, N.C., and attended school in Valley Springs, N.C. He served in the U.S. Air Force during the Vietnam War receiving his honorable discharge at Grand Forks Air Force Base. He married Mary Veitch, in Crookston and worked for Ireland Lumber and Bradshaw Gravel, Grand Forks. He was in civil service at Grand Forks Air Force Base working as an automobile mechanic since 1973. He graduated from Area Vocational Technical Institute, East Grand Forks, in 1976. He joined the North Dakota Army National Guard in 1979 in Grand Forks. He had returned from Operation Desert Storm on May 10.</p> <p>Survivors are his wife; sons, Chad, Emerado, and Mark, Grand Forks; brother, Leo "Jerry", Arden, N.C.; and many nieces and nephews.</p> <p>Source: Grand Forks Herald, Grand Forks, ND, July 25, 1991, extracted May 24, 2007.</p>
Cwiklinski, Frank	<p>Frank Cwiklinski, 34, a U.S. Military Academy graduate, Persian Gulf War veteran and an executive editor of the Cleveland State Law Review, died early Saturday after a two-car crash at Fulton Road and Lorain Avenue. He was driving north on Fulton and crossing Lorain shortly before 3 a.m., when a speeding car ran a red light and hit his 1986 BMW. Cwiklinski was taken to MetroHealth Medical Center, where he died at 3:31 a.m. The driver of the other car, Russell Rupe, 23, of Cleveland, was arrested on suspicion of aggravated vehicular homicide, but he has not officially been charged.</p> <p>Cwiklinski, who was planning to graduate from Cleveland State University's Cleveland-Marshall College of Law in December, was ranked in the top 10 percent of his class. Besides writing for the Law Review, an academic journal, he was a columnist for The Gavel, the law school newspaper. "His perception and willingness to dig for news combined with his writing abilities were a great asset to the paper," said Jayne Geneva, director of the law school's office of career planning. "Frank was known at Cleveland-Marshall College of Law for his broad, somewhat impish, grin and friendly manner." Cleveland-Marshall students are planning a gathering to remember Cwiklinski at Becky's on East 18th Street, beginning at 5 p.m. Friday. Francis Scott Cwiklinski was born in Parma and sang with the Ohio Boychoir in his youth. He didn't let being Catholic stop him from responding when a neighborhood Baptist church needed another voice for its choir. That gesture was typical, according to Cwiklinski's mother, Andrea, who said her son helped high school mates overcome drug problems and encouraged friends to pursue their dreams. "He brought home stray dogs and stray kids," she said. "He was always trying to rescue people." The 1985 Valley Forge High School graduate spent a summer interning at the Pentagon before graduating from West Point in 1989. He served in the Army as a first lieutenant in the Middle East during Operation Desert Storm. Since leaving the military in 1993, Cwiklinski had lived in</p>

	<p>Cleveland. He renovated rental properties in the city's Tremont and Ohio City neighborhoods and tended bar at Shooters before entering law school. More recently, he was a law clerk for the Sindyla law firm in North Royalton. In addition to his parents, Frank and Andrea of Fort Myers, Fla., survivors include his sister, Michelle of Colorado Springs, Colo.; and brother, Chris of Westlake. Services will be at 10 a.m. tomorrow at Holy Family Catholic Church, 7367 York Road, Parma. Ripepi Funeral Home of Parma is handling arrangements. To reach this Plain Dealer reporter: abaranick@plaind.com, 216-999-4828</p> <p>Source: The Plain Dealer, Cleveland, OH, Jul. 2, 2002, extracted Jun. 26, 2007</p>
Cyr, Joseph Edmund	<p>Joseph Edmund Cyr, 54, Woodlawn, died Thursday, Nov. 13, 2003, at his residence.</p> <p>The funeral will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday at McReynolds-Nave &amp; Larson Funeral Home with Bob Denman officiating. Burial will be in Blooming Grove Baptist Church Cemetery with full military honors.</p> <p>Visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday and from 11 a.m. until the service Tuesday at the funeral home.</p> <p>He was born April 9, 1949, in Waltham, Mass., son of Arthur R. Cyr and Marian E. Triner Cyr. He was preceded in death by a son, Jonathon Matthew Cyr, a brother, Rick Detrick, and a sister, Mary Cyr.</p> <p>Mr. Cyr was a retired master sergeant with the U.S. Army, a veteran of the Gulf War, a member of VFW Post 11160 and the Special Forces Association, recipient of the Master Parachutist Badge, Special Forces Tab, Meritorious Service Medal and the Army Commendation Medal.</p> <p>Survivors include his wife, Faith Brooks Cyr; two sons, Joseph E. Cyr II, Atlanta, and Michael S. Cyr, Kings Bay, Ga.; two brothers, Arthur Cyr, Temple, Texas, and Steve Cyr, Washington; a sister, Judy Cyr, Kyle, Texas; and two grandchildren.</p> <p>The military will serve as pallbearers. Memorial contributions may be made to the Special Forces Association, Safe House Fund.</p> <p>Source: The Leaf-Chronicle, Clarksville, TN, Nov. 16, 2003</p>
Czertak, David J.	<p>Dr. David J. Czertak, LCDR, U.S. Navy, 37, of San Diego, CA, formerly of Bristol, beloved husband of Susan (McPhail) Czertak, died Sunday (August 22, 1999) at his home. Born in Worcester, MA, May 19, 1962, son of Gwendolyn M. Baker and John J. Czertak, Jr. He attended Bristol schools and graduated from Bristol Central High School, the class of 1980. Dave enjoyed all of his teachers from pre-school throughout high school and he would regularly ask about them and to be remembered by them. Many times he would recall in detail, lessons his teacher instilled in him. Dave enjoyed playing the drums, Boy Scouting, sports and his studies. He achieved the rank of Life Scout before focusing on sports. Although Dave loved baseball, he excelled in football and was Tri-Captain of the Bristol Central High School 1979 football team, and helped lead his team for the first time in the state playoffs. He was honored as a Connecticut Student Athlete and was a member of the Student Honor Society. His passion for sports continued especially for the New York Yankees, the San Diego Padres, and the San</p>

Diego Chargers. Dave selected Yale University, majoring in biology and chemistry and was a member of Davenport College. Again Dave enjoyed music and participated in the Yale Precision Marching Band. He became active in rugby, continuing his sports interest long after his graduation with the class of 1984. Meeting at Mory's with a large group of friends was a favorite evening pastime. Before entering Georgetown Medical School, Dave taught Biology at Montclair Academy, Montclair, N.J and helped coach a successful football team. It was at Montclair that Dave acquired the nickname "coach" a favorite name that became part of his identity.

While at Georgetown Medical School in Washington D.C., Dave entered the U.S. Navy Medical Corps. During this time, Dave attended the U.S. Naval War College in Newport RI, and served as a Medical Officer on the Great Sioux Indian Reservation in South Dakota. Dave graduated cum laude with a special discipline in orthopedic surgery. Upon graduation Dave completed his internship program at the Portsmouth, VA hospital and was a veteran of Desert Storm. He selected the flying branch within the Navy and successfully earned his "gold wings" in Pensacola, FL. The navy commissioned Dave as a flight surgeon and served aboard the aircraft carriers U.S.S Saratoga and the U.S.S. Constellation as part of fighter plane Carrier Wing Seventeen. One of Dave's favorite F-14 Tomcat fighter squadrons was the ATKRON 35 Black Panthers-the U.S. Navy's oldest attack fighter squadron, and was stationed in Virginia Beach, VA. Upon completing two tours of duty aboard the U.S.S. Saratoga during the Bosnian Crisis the Navy appointed Daveto the orthopedic residency program at San Diego, CA. It was there that Dave met and married his wife Susan in May of 1998. Upon completing the four-year residency, he was assigned to the U.S. Navy Hospital in Guam and returned to San Diego in January 1999.

Besides his wife, Dave leaves his father, Jack Czertak and his wife Bernice (Kuzma) Czertak of West Hartford; his grandmother, Eugenia G. Czertak; a brother and sister-in- law, Steve and Donna Czertak; a niece and nephew, Samantha and Jonathan Czertak, all of Bristol; his father-in- law and mother-in-law, Norman and Cathy McPhail; his brothers-in-law and their wives, Tom and Becky McPhail, Norman and Barbara McPhail; and nephew Andrew, all of San Diego; a sister-in-law and her husband, Jennifer and Michael Roloff and nephew Bradley, all of Portland, Oregon.

Funeral procession will be Tuesday, August 31, 9:15 a.m. from the Sheehan-Hilborn-Breen Funeral Home, 1084 New Britain Ave., West Hartford, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial, 10 a.m., in St. Patrick-St. Anthony Church, 285 Church St., Hartford. Burial with full military honors will be in St. Joseph Cemetery, Bristol. Calling hours will be Monday from 4-8 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Dr. David Czertak Scholarship Fund, c/o Webster Bank, 150 Main St., Bristol, CT 06010.

Source: The Hartford Courant, Hartford, CT, Aug, 29, 1999, extracted July 14, 2007.