Leonard Hetrick, 85

Leonard Earl Hetrick, 85, died at his home in Kalispell on Saturday,

in Belgrade, Neb., attending grade school and graduating from high Hetrick. He lived his younger years He was born April 6, 1910, in Blue Hill, Neb., to Oliver W. and Dora E. school in 1927.

After high school, he moved with his family to Marceline, Mo. He attended college at Central Methodist of Missouri at Columbia where he graduated with a master's degree in College, graduating from Sweeney Mo. He then attended the University Conservatory of Music in Fayette. music education in 1939

vocal at Breckenridge, Mo., from 1933-1935, then taught band at Marce-line from 1935-1938. During that time He loved music and especially teaching music. He taught band and he also taught summer band in Ansley, Neb., New Cambria and Marceine, Mo. He was also the drum major for the ladies' and men's American Legion Drum and Bugle Corp during the summers of 1935-1936.

On June 11, 1939, he married Ruth Zurcher in Marceline. They traveled

park ranger. He joined the Army in 1942 and served as the principal clarinetist in the Army-Air Force Band at Shepherd Field. Texas and Camp Stoneman, Calif. After his tour of a full-time vocal teacher could be hired.

During the summer of 1941, he worked in Glacier Park as a seasonal duty he returned to his teaching profession in Whitefish in September of 1945.

honors over the years. He was especially proud of the fact his band of 1949 was the last band to receive a superior rating. He also received the distinguished service award from the University of Montana for outstand. He and his bands received many ing contribution to school bands. His musical groups performed at multitudes of civic and community events during his tenure as band director. He believed in supporting the community, especially since he was supported so well by the community.

rick Music Scholarship fund, c/o Whitefish Credit Union or the White-fish Methodist Church. Arrange-ments and cremation by Buffalo Hill Funeral Home of Kalispell.

He was preceded in death by his

He was a dedicated teacher of young people through music and touched many lives in his unique way. He was a loving husband, father

Walter E. Hetland

Walter E. Hetland, 89, former Kalispell resident, died at his home in Portland, Ore., on April 22, 1995. He was born April 4, 1906 in Souris, N.D.

In 1928 he married Esther Naumann and they lived in North Dakota until Walter joined the service during WWII as a medic. They moved to Kalispell in 1945 where Walter was grain buyer at Equity Supply Co. until his retirement in

He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Kalispell and St. John's

Lutheran Church in Portland.

He was preceded in death by his daughter, Dorothea Bradley in 1990 and his

wife Esther in 1991.

He is survived by two sisters, Mildred Adam, Malta, Mont., and Ruth Boettcher, Adam, Malta, Mont., and Ruth Boettcher, Bottineau, N.D.; grandchildren, Steven Bradley, Joan Adelsheim, Colleen Hass, Susie Bradley and two great-grandchildren in Portland. Survivors from the Kalispell area are, Conrad Adam, Virgil, Carl, Ralph, George Naumann, Jean Fredenberg, Liz Jones, Nancy Herrin, Nettie Miller and Joanne Loy.

He is survived by a son, Douglas, and Cathy Hetrick of Kalispell; two daugh-ters, Lynn and Jim Scalf of Kalispell

and Frances Butler of Fayettville, Ark. six grandchildren, Chris and Libby Hetrick of Kalispell, Amy Hetrick of San Antonio, Texas, Ryan Hetrick, serving with the Army in the Republic

ter member of Beta Mu Fraternity. He was very active in his community, belonging to the Lions Club where he directed a men's glee club. Whitefish Lake Golf Club Board of Directors, Masonic Lodge No. 64. AF & AM where he was a life member, and the Methodist Church.

He served as a board member of

of South Korea, and Zach and Katie Butler of Fayetteville; and numerous

other nieces and nephews.

the Whitefish Credit Union from 1960 until his death. He was chairman of

the Whitefish Credit Union for 22 years. He received the Outstanding Citizen Award presented by Chamber of Commerce in 1977.

Memorial services will be held Thursday at 7 p.m. at Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish. Memorials would be appreciated to the Leonard Her

1949 until 1951. He was a 55-year char

Grayce 'Sable' Hicks, 49 Grayce "Sable" Lee Hicks, 49, of

Grayce "Sable" Lee Hicks, 49, of Whitefish, died Friday at Kalispell Regional Hospital of injuries from a motorcycle accident.

A private burial was held at

Glacier Memorial Gardens.

Memorials may be sent to Lamplighter House, 1740 Highway 93 South, Kalispell, MT 59901.

Arrangements were under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.

Kathryn Hieb, 89

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Kathryn Elizabeth Hieb, 89, died Wednesday, April 5, 1995, in Kirkland, Wash.

She was born April 13, 1905, in Harvey, N.D., to Gottlieb and Martha Fleckenstein Leintz. She was a homemaker.

Preceding her in death was her husband, Gottlieb Hieb, on March 23, 1971.

She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Richard (Donna) Welk, of Kirkland; son, David Hieb, of Indianapolis, Ind.; sister, Helen Cullen, of Willmar, Minn.; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

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A funeral mass will be held Monday at 10 a.m. at St. Matthew's Catholic Church in Kalispell. Interment will follow at Glacier Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Kalispell. Arrangements were handled by Green Funeral Home in Kirkland, and Johnson Mortuary.

Margaret 'Marge' Highland, 92

Margaret E. "Marge" Highland, 92, of Kalispell, died at Kalispell Regional Hospital on Thursday, Sept. 28, 1995.

She was born Feb. 10, 1903, in Kalispell to John and Mary Sauser. She attended Kalispell schools and later married Daniel N. Highland.

Her father and her husband were both real-estate and insurance agents; Marge assisted in their offices.

She was a member of St. Matthew's Catholic Church.

She was preceded in death by a brother and her husband, Dan, on

Nov. 12, 1961.

She is survived by a stepsister, Helen Olson, of Salem, Ore., and several cousins, including Stan and Fred Flagg of Kalispell, Bob Flagg of Sacramento, Calif., Frances McAdams of Clyde Park, and Louise Baxter of Billings.

Mass of the Christian burial will be at 1 p.m. on Tuesday at St. Matthew's Catholic Church with Rev. Robert Noonan as celebrant. Burial will be at Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Arrangements are by Johnson Mortuary.

1995 Julia L. Hill, 94

Julia L. Hill, 94, of Columbia Falls, died Friday, Jan. 20, at North Valley Extended Care in Whitefish.

She was born July 17, 1900, in Stites, Idaho, to Charles and Mary Kollenborn.

She married Bert Hill on March 31, 1922, in Lewiston, Idaho. They moved to the Flathead Valley in 1927 and lived in Columbia Falls ever since. They were married for 72 years.

She was preceded in death by her husband.

She is survived by sons Julius Hill and Chester Hill, both of Columbia Falls; brother Lou Kollenborn, of Columbia Falls; sister Beulah Cates, of Issaquah, Wash.; six grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

A graveside service will be 2 p.m., Monday, at the Woodlawn Cemetery in Columbia Falls. Rev. Darrell Newby of the Assembly of God Church in Columbia Falls will officiate.

Visitation will be noon to 5 p.m. today and 9 a.m. to noon on Monday at the Columbia Mortuary in Columbia Falls.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be made to the Columbia Falls Ambulance Association or the Columbia Falls Fire Department.

Samuel B. Higgins

Samuel B. Higgins, 83, of Columbia Falls, died Monday, Oct. 23, 1995, at the

Montana Veterans Home in Columbia Falls.

He was born June 17, 1912 in Elkmont, Alabama to Sam and Lacie Higgins. After graduating from high school, he worked as an electrician and lineman until joining the Marine Corps in 1944. After his separation in 1946, he worked as an electrician on the TVA Dam, the construction of Atomic Power plants and other jobs all over the United States.

He is survived by his wife, Iva Higgin of Florida; a daughter, Betty Veerkamp of Dallas, Texas; two grandchildren and two great grandchildren all of Texas; and a brother, Joseph Higgins of Alabama.

No services are planned at this time. Arrangements are by Columbia Mortuary in Columbia Falls.

Margaret Hill, 85

Margaret Hill, 85, of Dayton, died Thursday, April 27, 1995, at St. Joseph Hospital in Polson.

She was born in Missoula on Feb. 5, 1910, to John Kim and Ella Williamson. Her childhood years were spent in the Darby area.

She married Lloyd "Babe" Hill in Butte on Oct. 19, 1929. They operated the Sally Ann Bakeries in Plains and Hot Springs during the 1930s before moving to California in the early 1940s. They retired in Dayton in 1965.

She attended the Presbyterian Church in Dayton and was active in Chief Cliff Homemakers and Ladies Aid.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lloyd "Babe," in 1993; her

parents, John and Ella, and two brothers, Archie and Herbert Williamson.

Survivors include her son and daughter-in-law, Edmund and Susan Hill, of Dayton; a brother, George Williamson, of Clarkston, Wash.; a grandson, Darren Hill, of Dayton; two granddaughters, Sally Ann Hill of Dayton, and Glenda Halbert of Arlington, Wash.; and five greatgrandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Monday at 2 p.m. at Mosley-Shrider Funeral Home in Polson. Burial will follow at Lakeview Cemetery in Polson

Arrangements are by Mosley-Shrider Funeral Home in Polson.

Martha Schott Hilliker, 88

Martha Schott Hilliker, 88, a longtime resident of Trego, died Saturday, Jan. 28, 1995, at North Valley Hospital.

She was born Oct. 8, 1906, in Stockett, Mont., to Joseph and Mary Schott. She grew up and was educated in Stockett.

She married Henry Hilliker on Sept. 30, 1930, in Great Falls, and resided in Trego since April of 1940.

For many years, she sewed, mended clothing, and made many quilts and rag rugs. She loved to cook and have company at her home.

She was preceded in death by three brothers, a son in infancy, her husband in 1979, and a daughter, Delores Dickinson, in 1983.

She is survived by her daughter,

Peggy Brandon, of Trego; a son-inlaw, Jack Dickinson, of Trego; grandchildren, Marvin Charie Dickinson of Trego, Dean Dickinson of Kalispell, Wade Dickinson of Dillon, Marla Dickinson of Trego, and Amy, Angie, Michelle, and Mellissa Brandon, all of Trego; two brothers, Floren Schott of Stockett, and Otto Schott of Great Falls; two sisters, Helen Johnson of Trego, and Lillian Roedel of Great Falls; and numerous nieces, nephews and friends.

Funeral services will be Tuesday at 1 p.m. at the Austin Funeral Home with Dr. David V. Kauffman of the Whitefish Christian Church officiating. Burial will follow at Glacier Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

Patria 'Pete' Hilling, 85

Patria "Pete" Hilling, 85, of Columbia Falls, died Saturday evening, Jan. 14, 1995, at North Valley Extended Care in Whitefish.

She was born Sept. 9, 1909, in Thiste, Denmark, to Anne and Jens Jensen Tandrup. Her father died when she was 2, and she immigrated to the United States with her mother in 1913. Her mother married Jens K. Norgaard and she was raised and educated in Bainville, Mont., and graduated from high school in 1927.

On July 15, 1933, she married Everett Hilling. The couple lived in Williston, N.D. for many years. She moved to Columbia Falls in 1974 to be near her daughters. She was a member of the Lutheran Church, Eastern Star and a Grand Master in duplicate bridge.

She was a devoted wife, cherished sister, and beloved mother and grandmother.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1968, and two brothers.

She is survived by a son, Dave Hilling, of Bismarck, N.D.; two daughters, Carol Nelson and Tisha LaRoque and her husband, Jerry, of Columbia Falls; three sisters, Dag Simard of Sidney, Karen Schilling of Bismarck, and Amelia Lorenz of Williston; a brother, Harry Norgaard, of Billings; eight grandchildren and a great-grandchild; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Everson Funeral Home in Williston. Local arrangements are by Columbia Mortuary in Columbia Falls.

Rachel J. Hinman, 83

Rachel J. Hinman, 83, a former resident of Whitefish, died Saturday, April 29, 1995, at the Immanuel Lutheran Home in Kalispell.

She was born Rachel Johanna Grunst on Feb. 19, 1912, in Jackson, Minn., the seventh of 10 children. She was raised in Culbertson where she attended school. She married Laurence Hinman in October 1935. They lived in Comertown, Culbertson and Glasgow before settling in Whitefish in 1950.

Before her retirement she was involved in the school lunch program, where she may be remembered by a generation of Whitefish students. She was preceded in death by her husband on Dec. 28, 1992.

Surviving members of the family include a daughter, Sharon Daoura, of Standwood, Wash.; a son, Paul Hinman, of Dana Point, Calif.; a sister, Elsie Sorensen, of Eugene, Ore.; a brother, Robert Grunst, of Portland, Ore.; five grandchildren and one great grandchild.

A funeral service will be 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Christ Lutheran Church in Whitefish with the Rev. John Bent officiating. Interment will follow at the Glacier Memorial Gardens Cemetery under direction of Austin Funeral Home of Whitefish.

Ethel Hockaday, 84

Ethel C. Hockaday, 84, of Lakeside, died Wednesday, March 29, 1995, after a lengthy illness at Brendan House.

She was born April 10, 1910, in St. Louis, Mo., to Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Crane. On Dec. 25, 1937, she married Hugh Bein Hockaday in Chevy Chase, Md. They moved to Montana in 1946 and began an art studio. Mrs. Hockaday assisted in making mechanical displays for local businesses. She was also a talented jeweler.

After the death of her husband in 1968, she went to work at the Delta Gamma sorority in Missoula as a housemother. She went on to enrich the lives of all who knew her for the next 19 years. She retired in 1987.

She was preceded in death by her sister, two brothers, and her hus-

band.

She is survived by her son, Hugh, of Lakeside; two grandchildren, Hugh Bein Hockaday of Bigfork, and Kimberly Hockaday-Dahm of Corvallis, Ore.; and a great-grandchild, Alexis Samantha Hockaday, of Shelby.

Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday at the Lakeside Chapel with the Rev. J. Torrance Harvey officiating. Burial will be at Conrad Memorial Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Hockaday Center for the Arts or to the Delta Gamma Hockaday Scholarship, c/o Mary Therese Bangen, 3460 Jack Dr., Missoula, MT 59803.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.

KALISPELL — Robert L. Hodder, 79, died April 13 at Heritage Place in Kalispell. He was born July 28, 1915, in Cleveland, Ohio, to Leroy and Bessie Hodder. He was raised and educated in Cleveland. On Aug. 24, 1940, he married Ruth Rulon in Cleveland. Bob worked as a cost accountant at the Cleveland Twist Drill Co. until retiring in 1976 as head accountant. He moved to Longmont, Colo. in 1988, and then to the Flathead Valley in December 1994, to be near his family. He was a member of the Cleveland Photographic Society. Survivors include his wife, Ruth, of Cleveland, Ohio; three children, Robert Hodder of Cleveland; Beth Hodder Koss of West Glacier; and Marian Strange of Canton, Conn.; a sister, Frances Richmond of Ohio and four grandchildren. No services are planned.

Lois Ilgen Hodgson

Lois Ilgen Hodgson, daughter of the late Andrew E. and Florence Ilgen, died in Scottsdale, Ariz., August 29th, 1995. Lois was born in Owatanna, Minn., December 9, 1922 and was still and infant when the family moved to Kalispell. She grew up in Kalispell and was graduated from Flathead High School with the class of 1940.

During the second World War Lois went to work in Portland, Ore. She was married there to Lessing Hodgson, also of Kalispell, on September 9, 1943.

Upon their return to Kalispell after the war, the couple became business partners with Mr. Ilgen in Hollingsworth Electric. They later moved to Missoula where they owned and operated the Hub Electric. Upon their retirement in 1976 they made their home in Wickenberg, Ariz.

Lois was preceded in death by her parents and her husband.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Dan Priess (Terry) in Scottsdale, Ariz., and Mrs. Rick Dunham (Judy) in Tempe, Ariz.; her brother, Edward in Port Townsend, Wash.; three grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Memorial services were held at the Greenacres Mortuary in Scottsdale on September 2nd. Cremation has taken place and the ashes forwarded to Kalispell for burial in the Conrad Cemetery.

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Harriet I. Hoefer, 91, of Whitefish, died Wednesday at Colonial Manor Nursing Home.

She was born March 6, 1904, in International Falls, Minn., to Halston and Olga Anderson. She was raised and educated in Minnesota and for the past 30 years has lived in Whitefish to be near her family.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Wilfred J. Hoefer, on Jan. 19. 1966.

Survivors include a brother, Richard M. Anderson and a sister, Alice Brandley, both of Whitefish, and a number of nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be Friday at 2 p.m. at Glacier Memorial Gardens Cemetery. Arrangements are by Austin Funeral

Home. The family suggests memorials to the United Methodist Church of Whitefish Building Fund.

Norma Hoepfer, 65

Norma Hoepfer, 65, died Monday, Aug. 21, 1995 at Kalispell Regional Hospital after a lengthy and courageous battle against cancer.

She was born Nov. 18, 1929 to John and Hazel Kippen in Bottineau, N.D. She attended 12 years of school in Omemee, N.D. She graduated with honors from Minot State Teachers College in 1951.

Her first teaching job was in Great Falls where she married Laurence "Larry" Hoepfer in 1952. They lived in Bigfork from 1953-1957 before moving to Columbia Falls where she taught fifth grade, retiring in 1986. Since 1987 they spent winters in Arizona.

Survivors include her husband; daughter, Janice Hall, of Whitefish; two sons, Don of Pierre, S.D., and Jim of Moses Lake, Wash.; her mother, Hazel Kippen of Bottineau; and two brothers, Gary of Bottineau and Robert of Willow City, N.D.

She was preceded in death by her father and a brother.

She was a member of Columbia Falls United Methodist Church and United Methodist Women, and was a tireless volunteer worker for a number of charities. She was also a supporter of high school athletics, especially Wildkat basketball. She had not missed a Wildkat basketball game, home or away, in the nine years since her retirement.

Cremation has taken place and memorial services are set for 3:30 p.m. on Thursday at Columbia Falls United Methodist Church with the Rev. Ray Davis and Terry Guidi officiating.

The family suggests that memorials be made to Columbia Falls United Methodist Church or a charity of the donor's choice.

Faith Hoerner, 62

Faith Aglow Hoerner, 62, died Monday, Oct. 9, 1995 at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

She was born in Sacramento, Calif., on March 27, 1933, to Richard Dugger and Emma Boughman Dugger. She moved with her family to

Columbia Falls at the age of 12.

In 1949 she married Ronie Hoerner of Columbia Falls. They had three children, Pearla Gonzales, Larry Hoerner and David Hoerner.

She lived in Columbia Falls 50 years. In that time she was a dedicated mother, grandmother and greatgrandmother. She had many friends and loved all people. In the face of illness she always had a willing smile. She is precious and will be missed.



She was preceded in death by her husband, Ronie, her mother, Emma, and father, Harry Fuller.

She is survived by her family, her brother, Richard Fuller of Oak Harbor, Wash.; her daughter, Pearla and husband, Louie Gonzales; her sons, Larry and wife, Debbie Hoerner, of Columbia Falls, and David Hoerner of Kalispell; six grandchildren, Ryan and Bree Hoerner of Kalispell, Cory and Tracy Hoerner, Deserie and Laramie Gonzales of Columbia Falls; and newest great-grandson, Otto Ray Hoerner, of Columbia Falls; and many nieces and nephews. She also has many loved family members in and around the Washington area.

Memorial services will be today at 6 p.m. at Columbia Mortuary of Columbia Falls under the direction of the Rev. Dale Bolz, minister of Jehovah's Witness. Cremation has taken place.

Michael J. Hogan, 25

First Lt. Michael J. Hogan, 25, formerly of Kalispell, was killed during a National Guard annual training exercise at Camp Ripley, Minn., on July 19, 1995.

He was born June 10, 1970, in Elkhorn, Wis., to Leonard and Carol Hogan. His family moved to Montana in 1976. He attended Bissell grade school and graduated from Flathead High in 1988. He was active in debate, winning first in state his senior year. He attended Carroll College on a debate scholarship and graduated in 1991. During the 1990 Legislature, he was an intern for Sen. Bob Brown.

He began serving in the National Guard as a field medic. He was commissioned as a second lieutenant in the Armor Corps in 1991. He was a member of Co. D, Second Battalion, 136th Infantry. He will receive, posthumously, the Meritorious Service Medal.

He planned on entering the ministry. He was a senior at the Associa-

tion Free Lutheran Theological Seminary in Plymouth, Minn. He loved to read, mountain bike, cross-country ski and work with youth. He had recently been certified as a trainer for Evangelism Explosion. His wish for everyone was that they would know Jesus as Savior, as he did.

He is survived by his wife, Diane, his parents, Leonard and Carol Hogan; sister Michelle Kemp and her husband, Dave; niece Jamie; in-laws Patsi and Doug Morton; grandparents, Robert and Donna Kobbervig, all of Kalispell; and grandfather Frank Smith of Lake Geneva, Wis.

A funeral will be 1 p.m., Monday, at Stillwater Free Lutheran Church, Rev. Stephen Snipstead officiating. Burial will be in the Glacier Memorial Gardens, with military honors by the Montana National Guard. The family suggests memorials to Stillwater Lutheran Church, 1401 Church Drive, Kalispell. Arrangements are by Johnson Mortuary.

Dean Hogue, 22

Spec. Dean Hogue, 22, of Libby, died Wednesday at Las Cruces, N. M., as the result of injuries sustained in a vehicle accident. Hogue was serving in the Army there.

He was born June 2, 1972, at Libby to Emery and Phyllis Hogue. He was raised and educated in Libby. He attended Libby public schools, graduating in 1990.

While in high school, he was active in Libby Logger football and Libby Logger Greenchain wrestling.

He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

He entered the Army in 1992 and was serving with the mili-

tary police at White Sands Missile Range at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife, JoAnn, of Dillon; two stepchildren, Joshua and Jacob, also of Dillon; parents Emery and Phyllis Hogue, of Libby; brothers Daniel Hogue, of Libby and Darryl Hogue, of Lake Bluff, Ill.; grandmother Anna Hogue, of Bismarck, N.D.; and many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Visitation will be 4-8 p,m. Tuesday and until noon on Wednesday at Nelson and Vial Funeral Home. A service will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Bishop Jeff Scussel conducting. Interment will be in the Libby Cemetery.

Dolores Holder, 76

Dolores K. Holder, 76, of Libby, died Monday, July 17, 1995, at St. John's Lutheran Hospital of natural causes. She was born at Akron, Ohio, on March 12, 1919, the daughter of Maurice and Ethel Van Cantfort. Dolores married Alton B. Holder in 1946. Alton preceded her in death in 1975.

Survivors include a daughter, Andrea Blanchard, of Libby; two brothers, Robert Van Cantfort, Seattle, Wash., Paul Van Cantfort, Mariposa, Calif.; three grandchildren, Lee Duncan, Shelton, Wash., Doria Jacobs, Kingston, Wash., Darcy Riddle, Marysville, Wash.; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Private arrangements were by Nelson & Vial Funeral Home in Libby.

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Noah Hollingsworth, 43

Noah Sherwood Hollingsworth, 43, died June 5, 1995, at Kalispell Regional Hospital due to multiple complications following a traumatic accident.

He was born Nov. 28, 1951, to Alex and D.J. Raagas in Manila, Philippines. When he was two the family moved to San Antonio, Texas. He attended Jefferson High School and graduated with a double degree in psychology and forestry from Stephan Austin University in Nacogdoches, Texas.

Upon graduation from college he began work with the National Park Service. He enjoyed working at Grand Canyon, Death Valley and Mount Rainier.

In 1981 he moved to Whitefish, where he spent several years in management and as a bartender at The Remington. He enjoyed interacting with people and during his years of employment at Video Cassette Rental, Radio Shack, Cavanaugh's and the Pine Lodge he got to know many people throughout the valley. During the past four years he was employed as night auditor at the Pine Lodge and continued to work at Video Cassette Rental.

On Feb. 10, 1989, he married Kaye

Schuhmacher Preta in Whitefish, where they purchased a family home and lived since.

He was an avid fisherman and greatly enjoyed the company of his daughter, Lorien, on many of his successful excursions.

He enjoyed the finer things in life, such as family activities, jazz and classical music, wine, movies, reading and cats. One of his main concerns in life was ensuring the comfort and contentment of those around him. His thoughtfulness and compassion touched many.

He acquired a varied and vast network of friends and family during his short lifetime. He will be sorely missed by all.

He was preceded in death by his father, Alex.

He is survived by his wife, Kaye; daughter, Lorien, 5; Samuel Preta 16, and Shiloh Preta 13; mother D.J. Raagas of San Antonio; and sister Sue Raagas of Dallas.

An informal memorial service for all of Noah's friends and family will be at Mountain Trails Park in Whitefish on Sunday at 2 p.m.

In lieu of flowers a trust fund has been established at the Whitefish Credit Union for his daughter Lorien.

Lucy Marie Hopkins, 82

She is survived by her husband Wyoming until moving to Orego preceded in death by her daugh She married Sherman Hopkins of 63 years, Sherman, Libby, a Shirley M. Brown, Dayton, Ne Wash. They resided in the Pac son, Jack, Troy, two daughters; Northwest, moving to Portland Ore., in 1956. They moved to Libby in Sept. 1994. She was Nov. 25, 1931, at Vancouver Kay E. Kay, of Salem, Ore. Freel. The family lived in 1995, at Nelson & Vial Salley Ann Jones.

1995 Phil Holmes, Jr. KALISPELL—Phil Holmes, Jr., 71, died Aug. 23 at his son's home in Kila after a lengthy illness with diabetes. He was born June 22, 1924, to Phillip A. and Beryl S. Holmes in Rifle, Colo.

He was a World War II veteran who fought from Omaha Beach to the Elbe River from 1943 to 1945.

He was involved in athletics as a participant, coach and official and was inducted into the Colorado Athletic Hall of Fame.

He married Hilda Irene Hollenbeck on Oct. 20, 1946, in Rifle.

He owned and managed several small businesses in Colorado and Montana. He was a councilman and mayor of Rifle, Colo. He enjoyed the outdoors, hunting and fishing.

Surviving are his wife, of the family home in Phoenix, Ariz.; his son, Philip III, of Kila; a grandson, Gregory, of Kila.

Private family services were held.

Holmgren scholarship to be awarded Jane Hammer Holmgren, 39

planned. A memorial service is scheduled for Tuesday at 7 p.m. at Northridge Lutheran Church. ion of Johnson Mortuary

her brothers and their families, Tripp, Marsha, Kimberly and Bethany Hammer of Helena, and Todd, Elizabeth, Katie, and Ben Ham-mer of Kalispell; a beloved aunt, Joan Hodgson, of Missoula; her husband's parents, Gordon and Donna Holm-gren of Emily, Minn.; her husband's numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins; In addition to her parents, hus band and children, she is survived by our brothers and their families and her close friend, Diane Steele.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Jane Hammer Holm-gren Scholarship Fund, c/o Diane Anfenson, 335 Sherry Lane, Kalispell, or to a charity of the donor's choice.



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loving care of her family on Saturday Nov. 11, 1995, after a long and coura-geous fight with breast cancer.

She was born June 21, 1956, to

Hamilton. As a child, she loved following her big brothers Tripp and Tode, riding her horse, sports, scouts, music, and high school drill Howard and Nancy Hodgson Ham mer in Missoula and was raised in

where she was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority and graduated She attended college at Whitman, with a degree in psychology and elementary teaching. She later did grad uate work in education. team.

doors. She enjoyed biking, skiing, camping, and playing at Flathead Lake with friends and family. During college she worked summers for the U.S. Forest Service which evolved into a love for the out-

She moved to Kalispell in the early 1980s. She began her teaching career at Marion, later joining the Kalispell school district, where she taught at Russell, Elrod and Edgerton schools.

On Oct. 29, 1988, she married Paul Holmgren, also a teacher with School District 5. They are the parents of a daughter, Sara Anne, 6, and a son, Bosom Buddies Cancer Support Group. She greatly appreciated the love and support she and her family received from the people in these organizations as well as from her She was a member of Northridge Lutheran Church, P.E.O., and the Brad Adam, 3.

She was moved that her friends

Kathryn Munro Honnold, 89, of Kalispell, died of emphysema Tuesday, Aug. 22, 1995, at Brendan House.

She was born in Kalispell on May 21, 1906, to Dr. A.T. and Maud Munro. She graduated from Flathead High

School in 1924 and the University of Montana in 1928.

She married Otto Bessey in 1929. They moved to Pittsburgh, Pa., where she tutored while he worked for his doctorate degree in chemistry. They subsequently lived in New York City, Boston, Chicago and Galveston, Texas. They divorced in 1959 and she returned to Montana.

She was a house mother at the Tri

Victor Willis Hoppus

Victor Willis Hoppus, died at his home, March 15, 1995, in The Dalles, Ore. He was born May 13, 1922 in Alix, Alberta to Edward and Minnie (Thew) Hoppus.

He married Mattie Alta Galyan in Whitefish, Mont. April 9, 1946. They lived in Eureka where they had Jim's Bar & Hoppus Cafe. He also did truck driving, logging & work on Hungry Horse and Noxon Dam in Mont. and John Day Dam in Ore. He also hauled logs for Ken Peterson in The Dalles, Ore. He retired because of back injury and heart by passes.

He is survived by sister, Martha Anderson in Walla Walla, Wash.; nieces and nephews; brother, Al Krantz of Kalispell; adopted daughter and son-in-law, Ellen Mae & Pat Knutson of Kalispell and many friends in Mont. & Ore. We'll all miss him for his kindness and love.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mattie September 19, 1988.

At his request no funeral services will be held. His ashes were placed in Conrad Cemetery by Pat Knutson and Conrad Cemetery manager.

Kathryn Honnold, 89

Delt Sorority at the University of Montana and taught home economics at Ronan High School.

She married Harold Honnold, an old high school classmate in 1964. They resided a number of years in Rollins. He preceded her in death in 1969.

In 1985, due to failing health, she returned to Kalispell to live with her sister, Helen Kington, in the old family home on First Avenue East.

She had many wonderful qualities and talents and she will especially be remembered for the many handmade quilts she made as well as her crewel embroidery and knitting. She is survived by two sons, Otto Bessey of Kalispell and Roger Bessey of San Antonio, Texas, a sister, Mabel Fisher of Kalispell; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

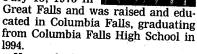
Graveside services will be held on Saturday at 11 a.m. at Conrad Memorial Cemetery with the Rev. Herb Knutson of Bethany Lutheran Church officiating. Friends may call at Johnson Mortuary from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. on Friday for visitation.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be made to the American Lung Association of Montana, P.O. Box 5537, Helena, MT 59604.

Michael S. Horn, 19

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Horn, 19, of
Columbia Fall,
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Swedish Medical
Hospital in Seattle.

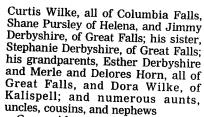




He worked at Bitney Furniture Store as a deliveryman. He loved to hunt, fish, and the outdoors and he loved his friends.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Howard Derbyshire and Carl Wilke.

He is survived by his parents, Debbie and Leonard Wilke, of Columbia Falls; his brothers, Joey Wilke, Jeremy Wilke, Leonard Wilke Jr., and



Graveside service will be held Wednesday at 3 p.m. at Fairview Cemetery with the Rev. Thomas O'Donnell, of Risen Christ Parish officiating.

A pot luck dinner will follow at the Silver Bullet Bar on Montana 206.

Visitation will be today until 8 p.m. and from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Wednesday at Columbia Mortuary.

The family has suggested that memorials be made to the Mike Horn Benefit at Glacier Bank in Columbia Falls.

He was loved greatly by all who knew him and he will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

James Horner, 80

James Raymond Horner, 80, died at Heritage Place on Sunday, Oct. 15, 1995.

He was born in Lambert on June 12, 1915. He lived in Idaho and Nevada.

He was the first paper boy in Boulder City, Nev., and later worked on the

Hoover dam. He was a firefighter for the city of Henderson and a scout master while living in Nevada.

As an adult he worked as a coal miner, chemical plant worker, house painter and owned a bar, gas station and motel in Coram. He was a land-scaper and enjoyed doing bicycle and go cart repair.

He worked at Green Thumb and Flathead Industries after he retired. He enjoyed working with and for disadvantaged people. He was extremely kind and a friend to all. He donated



bicycles to charities at Christmas.

He was a member of Boy Scouts of America and Green Thumb.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mildred, in January 1995, and an infant daughter in 1941.

He is survived by a son, Kenneth Ray Horner of Polson; grandsons Raymond Edward Horner and Jerry Allan Horner and family of Kalispell, grandson Eric James Horner and granddaughter Kimberly Ann Horner of Bakersfield, Calif.; greatgrandsons Levi Herner and Cayden Olsen; brother John Horner of Missoula; and sisters Doris Tooley of Healdsburg, Calif., and Ambie Flager of Tacoma, Wash.

Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. on Friday at Johnson Mortuary Chapel with Carl Clark officiating. Burial will follow in the Glacier Memorial Gardens. Friends and relatives may call at Johnson Mortuary for visitation today until 6 p.m. and on Friday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Mildred Horner, 70

Mildred Horner, 70, of Kalispell, died at Kalispell Regional Hospital on Thursday, Jan. 5, 1995.

She was born Oct. 22, 1924, in Klamath Falls, Ore., to Antonio and Ada Orahood Leonetti.

The family moved to San Jose, Calif., where she received her education. On Dec. 30, 1939, she married James R. Horner in Elko, Nev. They celebrated their 55th anniversary on

The couple lived in Nevada until 1975, when she retired from her work as a clerk for Ronzone's in Las Vegas. They then moved to Kalispell, where she worked in the gift and china department of Kalispell Mercan-

tile.

Dec. 30, 1994.

She was preceded in death by an _59601.

infant daughter.

She is survived by her husband, James, at home; a son, Kenneth Ray Horner, of Kalispell; sister Dolores Bendorf, of Las Vegas; grandchildren Jerry, Ray, Eric and Kimberly and one great-grandchild, Levi.

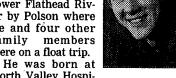
She will be greatly missed by family and friends.

A funeral will be at 1 p.m. Monday at the Church of Jesus Christ of the Latter Day Saints, Bishop Carl Clark conducting. Burial will be at Glacier Memorial Gardens. Friends may all at Johnson Mortuary for visitation 1-4 p.m. today.

Memorials may be made to the American Lung Association of Montana, 825 Helena Ave., Helena, MT

Guy Houston, 19

Guy Houston, 19, of Columbia Falls, died Saturday, Aug. 5, 1995, in a drowning accident on the lower Flathead River by Polson where he and four other family were on a float trip.



North Valley Hospi-

tal in Whitefish on May 30, 1976, and lived all of his life in Columbia Falls. He graduated from Columbia Falls High School in 1994. During high school, he lettered in soccer, played baseball and received his Eagle Scout award.

Following graduation, he attended Flathead Valley Community College, where he was studying premed in preparation for x-ray school and took ski classes and rock-climbing classes.

He led a very active life, enjoying snow skiing, water skiing, rock climbing, hiking, hunting and just about everything.

He is survived by his mother, Carol Houston; his father, Gene Houston; his two brothers. Brett and Larry, all of Columbia Falls; and his sister, Paula, of Sandy, Utah; both of his grandmothers; and many other loved

A memorial service will be held on Saturday at 3 p.m. at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints Chapel on Talbot Road in Columbia Falls. Contributions can be made to the Breast Cancer Society or to the Lake County Search and Rescue and the Salish and Kootenai Tribal Search and Rescue.

Wayne Houston, 43

Wayne Lowell Houston, born March 12, 1952, at Fort Monmouth, N.J., died peacefully at home in Surrey, B.C., on May 19, 1995.

He graduated from Flathead High School in 1970, Montana State University in 1974 and the University of Montana in 1976. He was a much loved and well-respected member of the White Rock Junior and Semiahmoo Secondary School staffs as well as the Canadian and International Arabian Horse Associations. He generously shared his talents, energy and enthusiasm as teacher, coach, mentor and judge.

Sadly missed and lovingly remembered by his parents, Charles and Irene Houston of Kalispell; brother Jeff and sister-in-law Janelle of Kalispell; nieces Michelle and Cynthia of Kalispell; uncles, aunts, cousins, many close friends, colleagues and former students.

Memorial services will be Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Epworth United Methodist Church with Rev. Marvin Northcutt officiating. His life was gentle and the elements so mixed in him that nature might stand up and say to all the world, this was a gentle man.

Olga Howard, 74

Olga I. Howard, 74, of Libby, died Wednesday, Sept. 13, 1995, at St. John's Lutheran Hospital in Libby. She was born Aug. 28, 1921, at Alamo, N.D., the daughter of Lars and Martha Haugen. She was raised and educated at Alamo. She married Donald O. Howard on Aug. 29, 1947, at Williston, N.D.

She and her husband Don came to Libby in 1947, residing here for the past 48 years, where they raised their family. She was a member of Christ Lutheran Church, the Women of the Moose and the Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary. She also was a charter member of the Sons of Norway, Norhaven Lodge 536. She was preceded in death by her husband Don in 1994.

Survivors include two sons: Dan Howard, Libby, and Harlan Howard, Rosalia, Wash.; three daughters, Linda Snow, Bozeman, Gayle Sausedo, Forsyth, and Anita Anderson, St. Helens, Ore.: 11 grandchildren and five greatgrandchildren.

Visitation was Friday, Sept. 15, 1995, at Nelson & Vial Funeral Home. Services were Saturday, Sept. 16, 1995, at Nelson & Vial Funeral Home, with Pastor Les Nelson officiating. Interment was in the city of Libby cemetery. J. Buy

Elaine Hoyem, 74

Elaine Mae Hoyem, 74, of Kalispell, died at Brendan House on Sunday, June 18, 1995.

She was born June 21, 1920, in Kalispell to Lewis and Lillian Dorrah. She attended Kalispell schools and lived in the Rhodes Draw area.

On June 7, 1941, she married Randell "Ray" Hoyem in Kalispell. She loved the outdoors, nature and her family. She enjoyed traveling and cross-country skiing. She was a volunteer for the Kalispell Senior Citizens and taught cribbage to local school children. She also enjoyed bowling. She was past president of the Springcreek Cemetery Board and served on the board of directors of the Kalispell Senior Citizens.

She was preceded in death by her

husband on May 21, 1982; a brother, Bud Dorrah: and a sister. Minnie Hiatt.

She is survived by two sons, Dennis Hoyem and his wife, Cathy, of Idaho Falls, Idaho, and Ron Hoyem and his wife, Kim Marie, of Nikiski, Alaska; a daughter, Jerri, and her husband, Tom Larson, of Kalispell; a sister, Beulah Wagner, of Albany, Ore.; six grandchildren; two great-granddaughters; and numerous nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday at Central Christian Church with the Rev. Terry Vanheyningen officiating. Burial will be at Springcreek Cemetery. Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.

Sandra Hoyt, 52

Sandra G. (Sandy) Hoyt, 52, died Friday, Sept. 15, 1995, at her home in Troy. She was born Dec. 2, 1942, at Canby, Ore., the daughter of Daniel and Elizabeth Anderson. She was raised and educated at Canby. She and her husband came to Libby in 1971. She worked at several area restaurants as a waitress, working most recently at 4B's in Libby. She and her husband moved to Troy in 1986, where she had since resided. She was preceded in death by two sisters, Lois and Eileen.

Survivors include her husband Ken of Troy; four brothers, Kenneth, Jeff, Charles and Robert Anderson; two sisters, Nancy and Marie; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Visitation was Monday, Sept. 18, 1995, and Tuesday, Sept. 19, 1995, at Nelson & Vial Funeral Home. Services were Tuesday, Sept. 19, 1995, at the city of Libby cemetery, with Rev. Gene Bushnell officiating.

, q q 5 Howard Leslie Hoylman, 77

Howard Leslie Hoylman, 77, a longtime resident of Kalispell, died on Friday, April 28, of cancer at his daughter's home in Kalispell, following a bout with cancer.



He was born in Shelton, Neb.,

on Feb. 18, 1918, to Walter and Anna Hoylman. He graduated from high school in Rosalind, Neb., and moved to Kalispell in 1935.

He married Marleen Bundrock on March 5, 1942 and joined the Air Force that August. He served in the 385th Bomber Group in England, France, Germany, Holland, Belgium, Luxembourg and Scotland before receiving a discharge in October, 1945. He was discharged as a technical sergeant, with many medals. In 1991, his bomber group was awarded the Croix De Guerre with Palm, or the Cross of War, 45 years after the war.

He returned to Kalispell after the war and worked as a mechanic most of his life. He operated Standard, Texaco and Exxon stations in Kalispell. He owned the Big Sky Rock and Ceramic Shop, with his wife, Marleen.

They were members of the Kalispell Rock Club. He was a master rock hound and had a large collection of rocks and crystals. He was a charter member of the Eagles Lodge in Kalispell. He was a fisherman, outdoorsman and photographer.

He was preceded in death by his wife in 1984, as well as a brother and a sister, Edna Beller.

He is survived by a son, Lee Hoylman, of Enumclaw, Wash.; daughters Janet Sands and Starlene Puuri, both of Kalispell; sister Elsie Greuter, of Lincoln, Neb., brother Byron Hoylman, of Kalispell; 10 grandchildren and four great grandchildren. He was loved by many and will be greatly missed by all.

A funeral was to be held at 1 p.m. today at Johnson Mortuary Chapel. Burial will be at Conrad Memorial Cemetery, with military honors by the United Veterans Organization.

Belva Hughes, 86

Belva McCown Hughes, 86, died in Tigard, Ore., on April 17, 1995.

Memorial services were held at Calvin Presbyterian Church in Tigard where she was a charter member.

She was born in Potlatch, Idaho. on Aug. 20, 1908, and lived her vounger life in Kalispell. She married Don Hughes in 1926. In 1933, they moved to Oregon where they owned the Thrifty Market in Multnomah and the Ungers Trading Post in Sherwood, Ore.

She was the daughter of Holly and Millie McCown.

She was preceded in death by a sis-

ter, Irene Dukleth Taylor; a brother, Acil McCown; and her husband, Don G.C. Hughes in 1984.

She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Barbara and Dick Schultz, of Tigard; her brother and his wife, Dial and Betty McCown, of Penn Valley, Calif.; and sister-in-law, Buenetta McCown, of Kalispell. She is also survived by two granddaugh. ters; two great-grandsons; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be held at Conrad Memorial Cemetery on Friday 11 a.m. with the Rev. Rick Nelson of Bethlehem Lutheran Church officiating.

Eugene 'Gene' Hullett, 73

Eugene "Gene" H. Hullett, 73, of Bigfork, died at Brendan House in Kalispell on Wednesday, May 10, 1995, after a long, hard battle with cancer.

He was born May 17, 1921, in Lakota, N.D., to Herman and Vi Hullett. He received his education in Lakota schools. He joined the Navy in 1942 and spent five years serving his country. He married Bunnie Bonde on April 11, 1945.

He worked at Anaconda Aluminum Company for nearly 30 years.

He retired in May, 1982. He was an avid golfer, fisherman and hunter. He lived his life to the

fullest He was preceded in death by his parents, his infant daughter, Ellen, a brother, Bill, and a sister, Anna Gar-

He is survived by his wife at the family home; son Steve and his wife, Joan Hullett, and granddaughters Bobbie and Kathy Hullett, all of Bigfork; daughter Shari Isom and her husband, Tom, of Yelm, Wash.; a grandson, Mike Dalager and his wife, Sabrina, and great-granddaughter, Mikayla, all of Kalispell; granddaughter Chelle Dalager, of Fallon, Nev.; brother Richard Hullett and his wife, Harriet, of Bigfork; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be at Buffalo Hill Funeral Home in Kalispell Saturday at 3 p.m. The family suggests memorials to Flathead Hospice, Bigfork Quick Response Unit or Brendan House.

Victor P. Hundahl, 77

Victor P. Hundahl, 77, died at his home on Wednesday, Nov. 8, 1995.

He was born in Kalispell on June 11, 1918, to Andrew and Mabel Hundahl. He graduated from Kalispell schools.

On Nov. 25, 1938, he married Gladyce Evans in Kalispell. She preceded him in death in 1986.

He was a sheet-metal worker and worked on many projects around the Northwest, such as Hungry Horse Dam and Rocky Reach Dam in Wenatchee, Wash.

He also worked and lived in Eugene and Portland, Ore., and loved deep-sea fishing off the coast. He was an avid fisherman and enjoyed hunting. He enjoyed cooking and was

well-known for his sourdough pancakes and biscuits.

He lived in Kalispell since 1981. He was preceded in death by two grandchildren in 1968 and a brother

and a sister.

He is survived by a daughter, Sherri Sonju, and her husband, Jerry, of Kalispell; four sons, Peter Hundahl of Portland, Victor "Skip" Hundahl Jr. of San Francisco, Jess Hundahl of Skokie, Ill., and Gary Hundahl of Tigard, Ore.; and six grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held Thursday at 10:30 a.m. at Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Paul

Taylor officiating.

For those wishing to make a memorial, the family suggests the Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children, P.O. Box 2472, Spokane, 99210 and the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 2411, Great Falls, 59403-2411.

Albert Hunter

SALT LAKE CITY - Albert Hunter, 69, formerly of Missoula, went to be with the Lord Saturday, Sept. 16, at Hill Haven Nursing Home

in Salt Lake City. Albert was born Aug. 20, 1926, in Haywood County, N.C., to Albert and Frances Evans Hunter. He was a veteran of World War II, having served in the U.S. Navy. He was active in 4-H for many years and



Albert Hunter

served on the Missoula County Board of Directors for the 4-H Council for three years. He drove a logging truck by trade and when he was not driving, he loved working on the farm.

On March 3, 1961, he married Marilyn Moore in Missoula.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Alvin; and a daughter, Diane.

He is survived by his wife, Marilyn, Salt Lake City; two sons, Mike, Longview, Calif., and Dean, Salt Lake City: three daughters, Vera Hunter, Salt Lake City; Joanne Krapu, Minot, N.D.: and Marianne Hunter, Bellingham, Wash.; and two very special grandchildren, David and Becky Hunter, also of Salt Lake City.

He is also survived by his beloved mother-in-law: Vera Evenson, Missoula; two brothers, Bob, Asheville, N.C., and George, Waynesville, N.C.; three sisters: Louise Russell, Lois Hunter, and Ruth Fingers, all of Waynesville, N.C.; and several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be noon-8 p.m. Thursday and 9 a.m. until service time Friday at Sunset Memorial Funeral

Funeral services will be at 4 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. Military services will follow at Sunset Memorial Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials in Albert's name to Missoula County 4-H, in care of Missoula County Extension Office, 126 W. Spruce, Missoula, 59802.

Kenneth W. Huso, 74

Kenneth W. Huso, 74, of Bigfork, died at Lake View Care Center in Bigfork on Saturday, Jan. 14, 1995.

He was born Nov. 12, 1920, in Cros-

by, N.D., to Knute and Lulu Huso. When he was a child, his family moved to Shelby then Kalispell, where he attended Flathead County High



On Dec. 7, 1940, he married Pearl

School.

Stearns and moved to Burbank Calif., where he worked for Lockheed Aircraft until joining the Navy. After World War II, he moved back to Kalispell and joined the Montana National Guard. He moved to Helena in 1973 and retired in 1978. He then moved to Bigfork where he spent his summers and his winters in Palm Desert, Calif., until becoming ill. He resided at Lake View Care Center for the past few years.

He was an active member of the Kalispell Golf Association for many years and enjoyed golfing with his friends. He was a lifetime member of the Kalispell Elks Lodge No. 725.

He is survived by his wife, Pearl, at home in Bigfork; a daughter, Susan Newgard and her husband, Ron, of Bigfork; a grandson, Brad Newgard, of Palm Desert and Bigfork; a brother, Eugene S. Huso, of Whitefish and Helendale, Calif.; and two sisters, Dolores Young of Bigfork, and Carol Whelpley of Helendale.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Thursday at Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Wayne Pris, pastor of Eidsvold Lutheran Church,

officiating. Burial will be at Glacier Memorial Gardens where military honors will be conducted. Friends may call at Johnson Chapel from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. on Tuesday and Wednesday for visitation.

The family suggests memorials be made to Alzheimer's Disease Research, 15825 Shady Grove Road, Suite 140, Rockville, MD 20850-4022.