

## Charles 'Charlie' Ray Haddock, Jr., 50

Charles "Charlie" Ray Haddock, Jr., 50, of Kalispell, died June 20, 1996.

He was born July 13, 1946, in Washington, D.C., to Virginia Marie Williams and Charles Ray Haddock Sr. He grew up in Edmond, Okla., with his father, stepmother Anita and brother, Gary.

A veteran of the Vietnam War, he served in the U.S. Army for nine years. He married Donise Gummer on Dec. 29, 1968, in Chester. They had two children, both born in Germany. They owned Two Medicine Family Wholesalers in Browning, living in Shelby for 12 years before moving to Kalispell in 1987.

He was certified as a LUTCF in the insurance industry. He managed the Kalispell branch office of Bankers Life and Casualty and owned Valley Insurance. He was active in the Shelby Jaycees and was on the board of directors of Flathead United Way. He was a member of Easthaven Baptist Church and later the Flathead Christian Center. He was an active member of the Buffalo Hills Golf Club.

He was remarried in 1995 to Chris Brewer of Kalispell.

He is survived by his son Darin Graf of Bigfork; daughter Angeleka and grandson Nathaniel James Patrick Haddock, of Florida; brother Gary Lee Haddock, of Oklahoma City; and stepchildren May and David Brewer.

He enjoyed training and riding horses, hiking, fishing and many outdoor activities. He was an avid golfer and loved music, recently learning to play the African drums and didgeridoo.

Cremation has taken place. A memorial service will be 3 p.m., Monday at the old 66 Ranch, 1225 Truman Creek Road in Kila. Pastor Daniel Lambert of Easthaven Baptist Church will officiate at the very informal service. Flowers may be brought to the Easthaven Baptist Church prior to the service or directly to the memorial site. Specific directions may be obtained by calling 755-1380 on Sunday and 257-5808 on Monday. Signs will be posted from Kila.

## Marian E. Hagan, 80

Marian E. Hagan, 80, of Kalispell, died in the Immanuel Lutheran Home on Friday, April 26.

She was born Feb. 5, 1916, in Edwall, Wash., to Martin and Jenny Nelson. The family moved to Reardan, Wash., where she graduated from high school in 1934. In May 1937, she married Stanley Hagan in Reardan.

The couple lived in Spokane and in Wallace, Idaho, and returned to Spokane before moving to Kalispell in 1948. They built their home in Kalispell and lived there ever since.

She was a member of Epworth Methodist Church, where she taught Sunday School and coordinated many church functions. She was an excellent seamstress and enjoyed

handwork. She and her husband were members of the Kalispell Square Dance Club for many years.

She was preceded in death by two brothers and two sisters.

She is survived by her husband, of Kalispell; daughters Judy M. Schreuder, of Beaverton, Ore. and Jean Bitz, of Spokane; five grandchildren, David and Julie Bitz and Jack, Joel and Jason Schreuder and one great grandson, Jake.

A memorial service will be 11 a.m., Monday, at Epworth Methodist Church, Rev. Marvin Northcutt officiating. Cremation and arrangements are by Johnson Mortuary. The family suggests memorials in lieu of flowers to the Epworth Methodist Church or Immanuel Lutheran Home.

## Stanley Hagan, 81

Stanley Hagan, 81, died Sunday, June 16, 1996, at his home in Kalispell.

He was born in Jamestown, N.Y., on March 18, 1915, one of four children born to James and Martha Hagan. He graduated from Reardon High School and married Marian Nelson in May of 1937, in Reardon, Wash.

He worked at various farm jobs as a youth, working his way through high school. His last two years of school he worked "for a dear lady who ran a boarding house and became a pretty good housemaid and cook."

After high school he worked in local hardware stores. In 1948, he went to work for Jensen Beyrd Co. of Spokane and worked out of Kalispell as a hardware salesman for 31 years. He retired in 1981, after 33 years. He

felt he had a good life and had made many friends.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Marian, on April 26, 1996.

He is survived by two daughters, Judy Schreuder of Beaverton, Ore., and Jean Bitz and her husband, Bob, of Spokane; five grandchildren, Jack, Joel and Jason Schreuder and Julie and David Bitz; and a great-grandson, Jake Schreuder.

The family suggests, in lieu of flowers, memorials be made to Epworth United Methodist Church, 329 Second Ave., Kalispell, MT 59901 or to Flathead Hospice, 1280 Burns Way, Kalispell, MT 59901.

A memorial service will be Saturday at 10 a.m. at Epworth United Methodist Church with the Rev. Marvin A. Northcutt officiating. Cremation and arrangements are by Johnson Mortuary.

## Berdine 'Sis' E. Hagerman, 63

Berdine "Sis" E. Hagerman, 63, died of natural causes Monday, Oct. 28, 1996, at her home in Ronan.

She was born March 1, 1933, in Verndale, Minn., to Ruben and Elizabeth Beno Morton. She grew up and attended schools in Minnesota.

On Sept. 4, 1948, she married Donald Hagerman in Verndale. They lived in Minnesota until moving to Kalispell in 1951. They moved to Eureka in 1974, and lived there until 1990, and then moved to Ronan.

She will always be remembered for her home cooking.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Survivors include her husband, Donald, of Ronan; a son, Mitchell Hagerman, of Kalispell; a daughter, Vikie Russell, of Deer Park, Wash.; a brother, Willard Morton, of Kalispell; two sisters, Mary Ellen Anderson of Salem, Ore., and June Doran of Dallas, Ore.; and five grandchildren.

Her body was donated to medical science per her wishes and no services will be held at this time.

The family suggests memorials be made to Lake County Home Health, P.O. Box C, Polson, MT 59860.

Arrangements are under the direction of Shrider's Mortuary of Ronan.

## Ruth Horner Hahn, 86

Ruth Horner Hahn, 86, died Tuesday, May 14, 1996, at the Roosevelt Memorial Nursing Home in Culbertson.

She was born in Stark County, Ohio, on Sept. 5, 1909, to William and Lizzie Lichtenwalter Horner, the youngest of three children. Her childhood years were spent on the family farm near East Canton, Ohio. She graduated from high school in Baltic, Ohio, in 1927.

She was a registered nurse, graduating from a three-year course at Bethany Hospital School of Nursing in Chicago in 1940, obtaining her first RN license in Illinois. She was later licensed in Montana, Washington and California.

After 30 years in Ohio, she moved to Whitefish and married Samuel M. Hahn on Sept. 11, 1941, in Kalispell. They moved to California in the fall of 1964.

In the spring of 1988, she moved to Culbertson. She retired from nursing in 1977, but continued to be active in her church and senior citizen groups, serving three terms on

the Reedley, Calif., Committee on Aging.

Survivors include two daughters, Ramona (Jim) Ross of Culbertson and Carol (Larry) Davidson of Clancy; stepson, Stuart Hahn, of Westernport, Md.; two stepdaughters, Blanche (Harold) Deeter of West Salem, Ohio and Geneva Hotel of Whitefish; four grandchildren, Dawn Conat, Kim Rhodes, Cathy Huntley and Douglas Davidson; eight great-grandchildren and many stepgrandchildren; great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband in death in 1977; a brother in 1958; a sister in 1975; stepson, William Roger, in 1945; and stepdaughter, Eva, in 1981.

Funeral services were to be at 11 a.m. today at the Big Sky Church in Froid with the Rev. Arlon Fishburn of Froid officiating. Her body will be donated to science and burial will take place at a later date at Glacier Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Whitefish.

## 28 Jan Joel Lynn Haider, 20 1996

Joel Lynn Haider, 20, a Hungry Horse resident, died of meningitis Sunday morning at North Valley Hospital.

He was raised and educated in the Hungry Horse and Columbia Falls area and graduated from Columbia Falls High School in 1994. He was active in sports in high school and was an all-conference and all-state offensive tackle. He also was active in track and other activities at the school.

Following high school he attended North Idaho College in Couer d'Alene, Idaho for a year. He then transferred to Montana State University in Bozeman where he majored in social and criminal justice.

He was a member of Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Columbia Falls. He was an avid fisherman and enjoyed hunting, computers and sports.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Frank and Mary Haider and by his grandfather, Butch Renken.

Survivors include his parents, Dennis and Brenda Haider, of Hungry Horse; his grandmother, Shirley Renken of Hungry Horse; aunt and uncle, Larry and Karen Berggren, and cousins, Travis and Tara Berggren of West Glacier; and aunt and uncle Peggy and Todd Rosenbaum of Martin City.

Visitation will be 1-8 p.m. Thursday at Columbia Mortuary. Funeral services will be at 2 p.m. Friday at Our Savior's Lutheran Church of Columbia Falls with the Rev. Thomas Gopp officiating. Burial will follow at Woodlawn Cemetery.

The family suggests that memorials be made to Our Savior's Lutheran Church.

## Ann Stavroula Kolizeras Hale, 79

Ann Stavroula Kolizeras Hale, 79, loving wife, mother, grandmother and great grandmother and friend to many died Saturday, Aug. 24, 1996, at North Valley Hospital, in her final battle with cancer.

She was born March 17, 1917, in Whitefish, to Flora and Pete Kolizeras. She graduated from Whitefish High School on May 20, 1936. After the graduation ceremony that evening, she married Arnold S. Hale at the United Methodist Church in Whitefish. They celebrated their 60th anniversary in May.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church, Women of the Moose, the Hospital Guild, and a volunteer worker for the Whitefish Historical Society. She was also past secretary of the Whitefish Ladies Golf Association.

In addition to crafts, she enjoyed many years of hunting, fishing, and camping with her friends and family

and taught many in her skill at cooking wild game.

She was preceded in death by her husband in June, a great-grandson Hunter M. Hale in 1990; a brother in 1919 and another, George, in 1987.

She is survived by a son and daughter-in-law, Martin and Greta Hale, of Whitefish; daughter and son-in-law Sydnie and Paul Watson, of San Bernadino, Calif.; daughter and son-in-law Sandi and Tom Unger, of Whitefish; eight grandchildren; and 10 great grandchildren. She is also survived by sisters Electra Lockridge of Missoula and Jacqueline Nelson of LaGrande, Ore.

A memorial service is planned 11 a.m. Tuesday at Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish. Cremation has taken place.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be made to the Whitefish Moose Lodge or the Stumptown Historical Society.

## Arnold S. Hale, 78

Arnold S. Hale, 78, loving husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather and friend, died Wednesday, June 26, 1996, at North Valley Hospital after a battle with cancer.



He was born to Christina and Sidney Hale on August 24, 1917, in Somers. He moved to Whitefish with his parents when he was 2 and lived there ever since. He graduated from Whitefish High School in 1935 and married Ann Kolizeras at the United Methodist Church on May 20, 1936.

He worked in his father's service station until going to work for the Great Northern Railway at the roundhouse in 1936. In 1942, he went into engine service for the railroad and was promoted to engineer in 1952, retiring in 1978.

He was a 50-year member of the Whitefish Masonic Lodge AF & AM #64; a member of the Whitefish Moose Lodge #642; and was a lifetime member of the engineers local union. He was past president of the Whitefish Ski Club and a member of the Whitefish Lake Boat Club and the Whitefish Historical Society.

He was mobilized with the 143rd medical detachment of the Montana National Guard, 163rd division, during World War II.

He was an avid fisherman and hunter who like being in the outdoors. He especially enjoyed going on camping and hunting trips with his family and friends. He also spent much time in and took great pride in his garden.

He was preceded in death by his father in May 1978 and his mother in August 1978.

He is survived by his wife, Ann, at their home in Whitefish; a son and daughter-in-law, Martin and Greta Hale of Whitefish; daughter and son-in-law, Sydnie and Paul Watson of San Bernardino, Calif., and daughter and son-in-law, Sandi and Tom Unger of Whitefish, as well as eight grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren. He is also survived by brothers Harold Hale of Whitefish and Douglas Hale of Florence, Ariz., his aunt, Ida Painter of Whitefish, and several nieces and cousins.

A memorial service is planned for Saturday at 11 a.m. at Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish. Cremation has taken place.

The family has suggested in lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Whitefish Moose Lodge or the Stumptown Historical Society.

## John Hall, 86

John Q. Hall, 86, whose boyhood home was Kalispell and lifelong summer home was at Camp Tuffit on Lake Mary Ronan, died on Wednesday, April 17, 1996, in Boise, Idaho, where he worked and retired since leaving Montana in 1928.

A graveside service will be held at Morris Hill Cemetery in Boise at 3 p.m. Monday. Flowers or cards may be sent to the Relyea Funeral Chapel, 318 N. Latah, Boise, ID 83706.

Born in Sioux Falls, S.D., he graduated from Flathead County High School in 1926. His father, John A. Hall, was a pioneer farmer in the Proctor valley where he met and married Helen E. Thomas, the daughter of Camp Tuffit founder Charlie Thomas, in 1928.

A correspondence course graduate of the Chicago Art Institute after high school, he made entrance signs and dining room oil paintings for Camp Tuffit and was a popular sign painter for Boise's business district in his early years there. His subjects were the western wildlife, cowboys and Indians that he recalled from his Montana boyhood, done in the style of Charlie Russell.

A career U.S. Postal Service employee, he rose to a supervisory

mail room position and helped manage the transition of Boise's postal operations from its original downtown location to its current site.

He was an expert fly and troll fisherman who fished almost every day of every summer through 1995 on Lake Mary Ronan where the family of his wife's brother, Jerome Thomas, continues to operate Camp Tuffit.

He is survived by his wife, Helen, of Boise; two sons, Charles and his wife, Esther, and Bob and his wife, Terry, all of Boise; three grandchildren, Tomi Grote of McCall, Celia Sage of Picton, Ontario, Canada, and Kari Hall of Pendleton, Ore.

## Esther F. Hall, 76

Esther F. Hall, 76, died Aug. 19, 1996, at Heritage Place.

She was born in Twin Falls, Idaho.

She lived for many years in Hot Springs.

She was preceded in death by her husband.

She is survived by her son, Wayne S. Hall, and his wife, Pat, of Kalispell; a daughter-in-law; grandson; great-granddaughter; great-grandson; and numerous nieces and nephews.

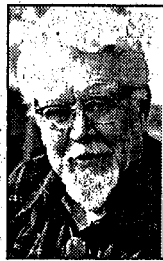
Cremation has taken place. Urn burial will be in Hot Springs Cemetery. Buffalo Hill Funeral Home and Crematory is in charge of arrangements.

## Francis 'Fran' Jaques Hall, 84

Francis "Fran" Jaques Hall, 84, died Friday, June 21, 1996, in Kalispell.

He was born July 9, 1911, in Nevada, Mo., to Arthur and Lulu Hall of Omaha, Neb. His family homesteaded in Golden Valley County, Montana. He was raised in Barber and attended high school in Pittsburgh, Kan., and Rocky Mountain College in Billings.

He married Geneva Emma McKee in 1937 in Beloit, Kan. He worked for Singer Sewing Machine Co. and eventually owned and operated his own business in Great Falls and Halls Service Co. in Kalispell.



"Fran," as he was known to his friends, was a very talented musician, playing the violin and guitar. He faceted precious gems and repaired and collected violins.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Geneva, in 1981 and his oldest son, Fred, in 1985.

He is survived by his daughter, Laurel Petersen, of Kalispell; sons, Robert Hall of Reno, Nev., and Tom Hall of Great Falls; brother, Lester Hall, of Joliet; sisters, Elaine Hazlik of Great Falls, Vera Jane Wallace of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Ellen Nelson of Houston, Texas; grandchildren, Robin, Rick, Shelley, Rob, Jennifer, Travis and Tiffany; and great-grandchildren, Garrett, Jesse, Whitney and Evangeline.

A memorial service will be held later. Cremation and arrangements are by Johnson Mortuary.

### **Evelyn Halvorson, 81**

*11 Aug 1996*  
Evelyn L. Halvorson, 81, of Libby, died Sunday at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

Survivors include two daughters, Sharon Mills and her husband, John, and Brenda Noble and her husband, Tim, all of Libby; three sons, Harlan Halvorson, Ronald Halvorson and his wife,

Jeanette, and Cary Halvorson and his wife, Sheri, all of Libby; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be from 1-8 p.m. today at Nelson & Vial Funeral Home. Services will be Thursday morning at 10 a.m. at the Assembly of God Church; interment will be in the City of Libby Cemetery.

### **Alda P. Hamilton, 77**

*20 July 1996*  
Alda P. Hamilton, 77, formerly of Kalispell, died Saturday at Baptist Hospital East in Louisville, Ky.

Hamilton, a resident of Louisville, is survived by her husband, Thomas A. Hamilton, in Louisville. She is also survived by a daughter, Connie Gustafson, of Olathe, Kansas; son Douglas Hamilton, of Louisville; sister Millie McIntyre, of West Middle-

ton, Ind.; brother Edward Porteous, of Spokane; and four grandchildren.

A funeral service will be at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at Pearson Funeral Home in Louisville. Burial will follow at Zachary Taylor National Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

### ***7 Nov* Daisy 'Evelyn' Hamlin, 85 1996**

Daisy "Evelyn" Hamlin, 85, of Whitefish, died Thursday, at the North Valley Hospital in Whitefish.

She was born Jan. 7, 1911, in Sheridan, Wyo., to Sara Annette and Lorenzo Carskaddon. The family moved to Whitefish in 1913, where she was educated and spent her entire life.

She was married to Delbert Hamlin on March 12, 1931, in Whitefish. They farmed in the Bissell area and later off U.S. Highway 93.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1967 and by her sister Rebecca "Irene" Thompson Hawkes.

After the death of her husband, she moved to Whitefish. She worked at Big Sky Sandwich until she retired.

She enjoyed flowers and her garden, her yard was a colorful display of beautiful flowers.

She was a member of the Whitefish

Rebekah Lodge 78, Ladies Auxiliary of the Whitefish Volunteer Fire Department, Whitefish Women of the Moose Lodge 597. She was an active member of those lodges for approximately 50 years.

She is survived by her brother Samuel "Arthur" Carskaddon, of Spokane; nieces Linda Loveland, of Cascade, Marjorie Oleo, of Anchorage, Alaska; Ann Marie Carlson, of Yakima, Wash., Lynn Marie Attison, of Spokane; nephew Gary Thompson, of Billings, and many great nieces and nephews.

A funeral service will be 1 p.m., Monday, at Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish, with the Rebekah Lodge 78 and the Whitefish Women of the Moose Lodge 597 providing funeral rites. Private burial will follow at Glacier Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

### Gary Nelson Hamblin, 52

Gary Nelson Hamblin, 52, died at his home in Bigfork Thursday, March 7, 1996.

He was born Oct. 11, 1943, in Napa Valley, Calif., to Herschel and Marjorie Hamblin. He graduated from UCLA with a degree in interior design. He worked for many years in the Los Angeles area for an architectural firm. He was an accomplished singer, played piano and clarinet. He moved to Bigfork in October 1995.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Survivors include three sisters, one brother, his stepfather and grandmother.

The body has been cremated, and services will be private.

Bigfork Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

### *6 June* Ralph A. Handford, 66 1996

Ralph A. Handford, 66, of Kila, died Thursday at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

He was born Oct. 17, 1929, in Ronan, to Henry G. and Ruth Cary Handford. He moved to Kalispell in 1941, where he attended school. He graduated from Flathead County High School in 1947.

In 1948 he enlisted in the U.S. Navy and was honorably discharged in October, 1952. On April 11, 1953 he married Doris J. Anderson in Kalispell.

They lived in Kalispell until he was transferred to Missoula in 1988. In 1991, he retired from Consolidated Freightways after 38 years of service. Upon retirement, they moved back to the Flathead Valley. They spent sum-

mers at Ashley Lake and winters in Casa Grande, Ariz.

He was preceded in death by a granddaughter in 1985.

Local survivors include his wife, Doris, at the family home; sons Mike Handford, of Missoula, Bruce Handford, of Lincoln, and Paul Handford, of Kalispell; brother James H. Handford, Kalispell; sisters Ruth Scruggs, of McCrory, Ark., and Beryl Overton, of Portland, Ore., three granddaughters and a grandson.

The family suggests memorials to the charity of the donor's choice.

A memorial service will be 11 a.m., Monday, at Central Christian Church, Rev. Terry VanHayningen officiating. Arrangements are by Johnson Mortuary.

### Metta Hanson, 85

Metta C. Hanson, 85, died Thursday, Jan. 25, 1996, at Immanuel Lutheran Home in Kalispell.

She was born Dec. 28, 1910, to C.D. and Christine Larsen, on the homestead in Westby Township, N.D. She was educated in the Westby, Montana, school and completed nurses' training at Trinity School Of Nursing in Minot, N.D. She was active in nursing all of her life.

She married Eldon H. Hanson in 1935 and they farmed south of Westby until 1964, when they moved to Columbia Falls.

She had a wonderful voice and used it actively in the Lutheran church. She also enjoyed embroidery and painting. Her unswerving faith in God and her cheery disposition blessed those who knew her.

She was preceded in death by her brothers, Ephraim and Henry Larsen, and sisters Bertha Larsen, Mathilda Felland, Elsie Vesterby and Lily Madsen.

She is survived by her husband,

Eldon; brother Ted Larsen, of Scottsdale, Ariz.; son Eldon Hanson and his wife, Shirley, of Missoula; daughters Barbara and her husband, Gene Espeland, Sandra and her husband, Fred McCracken, of Billings, Mary and her husband, Norm Hagen, and Sharon and her husband, Jim Ward, all of Columbia Falls; foster children John Riggs and his wife, Donna, of Billings, Ginger and her husband, Mike Sullivan, of Santa Barbara, Calif., and Robert Irwin Damrose. She is also survived by several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, sisters and brothers-in-law, nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be at 10 a.m. Monday at Immanuel Lutheran Home in Kalispell and 1 p.m. at Our Savior's Lutheran Church in Columbia Falls. Rev. Thomas Gopp will officiate in Columbia Falls. Arrangements and cremation are by Columbia Mortuary.

The family suggests memorials to the Immanuel Lutheran Home Alzheimers wing in Kalispell.

## Donald F. Hanks, 62

Donald F. Hanks, 62, died Saturday, Oct. 19, 1996.

He was born Aug. 13, 1934, in Troy, Idaho. He attended North Central School in Spokane.

He married Edna May Miller. They resided in Kalispell for 12 years and then in Missoula for 20 years. They had recently moved to Spokane.

He is survived by his wife of 35 years, Edna Hanks, of Missoula; two daughters, Myra Wallace of Condon and Merrie Miller of Portland, Ore.; six grandchildren, Nina, David, Sairy, Joslynn, Brianna and Anthony; a great-grandson, Keenan; a brother, Jeff Hanks, of Roosevelt Lake, Wash.; two sisters, Patti Smith of Spokane and Bertie Spencer of

Weippe, Idaho; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was a member of the Elks and Eagles in Missoula.

He was employed at various newspapers as a distributor.

He enjoyed fishing, camping, and family outings and was an avid golfer. He was a friend to everyone and will be missed by all.

Funeral services was to be today at 1:30 p.m. at Ball & Dodd Funeral Home, North 5100 W. Wellesley Avenue, Spokane, with the Rev. Bob Smith officiating. Interment was to be at Riverside Memorial Park in Spokane. Friends who wish may make memorial contributions to the American Diabetes Association, 207 W. Euclid, Spokane, WA 99205.

## James Albert Hardy, 46 1996

James Albert Hardy, 46, a rural Whitefish resident, died at his home on Twin Lakes Road on Friday.

He was a roustabout in the oil fields and a truck driver for most of his life.

Survivors include his wife,

Susan, at the family home; children, William, Loren, Andrea, and Jennifer; two sisters; and one grandchild.

No services are planned. Cremation is under the direction of Austin Funeral Home.

## Freida Isabelle Ayers Jensen Harper, 92

Freida Isabelle Ayers Jensen Harper, beloved wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and great-great-grandmother, was taken into the arms of our Lord on Tuesday, June 11, 1996, at Kalispell Regional Hospital.

She was born of pioneer parents Frank and Lillian Ayers on Dec. 15, 1903, at Bear Creek near Cameron, Mont. She attended school in Cameron, Virginia City and Butte.

She worked all her life as a secretary and bookkeeper in Missoula, Seattle and Hot Springs. She managed the Hot Springs Nursing Home

for several years until she retired.

In 1948, she and her second husband, Jim Jensen, purchased a general merchandise store in Hot Springs. They operated "Jensen's" until he died in 1971. She sold the building to the senior citizens in 1974.

After that, she spent her winters in Arizona and summers on Flathead Lake with her daughter and family. Ill health brought her and her present husband, Edward Harper, back to Montana in 1994.

She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star. She was a free spirit who loved the woods, hiking, and horses.

Her sense of humor never left her.

She was preceded in death by Joseph Selberg and Jim Jensen; two brothers, Arno and Floyd Ayers; and a sister, Ethel Chapman.

She is survived by her husband, Edward Harper, of Maple Creek, Saskatchewan, Canada; a daughter, Shirley Selberg Lincoln, and her husband, Don, of Rollins; three granddaughters, Candace Schmidhuber, Jeri Lincoln and Denise Lincoln, all of Kalispell; great-grandchildren, Beth Schmidhuber of Sacramento, Calif., and Bryce Schmidhuber of Boise, Idaho, Adam Lincoln of Dal-

las, and Matthew, Michele and Bret Lincoln, of Kalispell; three great-great-grandchildren in Sacramento; two sisters, Ruth Gustafson of Missoula, and Marge Marcure of Sonora; and a brother, Oscar Ayers, of Twain Hart.

The family suggests memorials to the Shriner's Hospitals, P.O. Box 2472, Spokane, Wash., 99210, or to the charity of the donor's choice.

Private family graveside services were to be held at Sunset Memorial Cemetery in Missoula on Friday.

Cremation and arrangements are by Johnson Mortuary.



## Robert L. Harper, 71

Robert L. Harper, 71, of Eureka, died Oct. 22 at his home.

Survivors include his wife, Jeanne Harper, of Eureka, two sons, a daughter, seven granddaughters and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services will be Monday at 11 a.m. at Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church in Eureka. Rosary will be Sunday at Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church. Military honors will be rendered by the Veterans of Foreign Wars. Interment will be at the Tobacco

Valley Cemetery. Local arrangements are by Nelson and Vial Funeral Home.

## Mabel Harmon, 90

Mabel E. Harmon, 90, of Whitefish, died Wednesday at Colonial Manor Nursing Center.

She lived most of her life in Ohio. Since November of 1995, she has resided in Whitefish.

She married Herbert Bryce Harmon in 1928, in Toledo, Ohio, and he died in the summer of 1978.

She is survived by three sons, including Jon of Whitefish; one sister; and numerous grandchildren and other relatives.

Funeral services will be Monday at 1 p.m. at Walker Funeral Home in Toledo with burial to follow at the Toledo Memorial Park Cemetery. Local arrangements were made through

Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish.

## Bruce Harris

Bruce Harris, 57, of Nome, Alaska, and Whitefish, died May 24 in Nome of a heart attack.

He was born Jan. 18, 1939 to Trevor and Mildred Harris in Perrysville, Ohio.

He attended Lucas Public School and graduated in 1957. During his school days he developed an interest in music and excelled in playing the drums. He had his own band.

He later worked as a chemist in Mansfield, Ohio, for five years, and then moved to Alaska. After the earthquake of 1964, he returned to Mansfield, purchasing the Anchor Tavern and opening a canoe livery.

He return to Alaska in 1974 and moved to Nome, working for B & R Tug and Barge. He later operated numerous businesses, including

Jakie's Pizza and Harris Consolidated, where he specialized in restoration of many of the tank farms for some of the largest petroleum companies of the Northwest. He also held a commercial fishing license for Norton Sound.

He married Margo Miller of Whitefish on Feb. 1, 1990 in Williston, Fla. They traveled between Whitefish, Nome and Parker, Arizona.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Robert; and a sister, Wanda Smithisler.

He is survived by his wife, Margo, at the family home in Whitefish; a daughter, Kelly Taylor of Florida; two stepsons: Scott Schelling of Nome and Bruce Schelling of Whitefish; a step-daughter, Kelly

Christiansen of Whitefish; two sisters: Shirley Smetzer of Williston, Fla., and LaDonna Lemke of Nome; 10 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

He was a member of the Eagles of Kalispell and the Sons of the American Legion in Wasilla, Alaska. Although not a member of the VFW, he contributed many hours of volunteer service to the VFW Post Home in Whitefish.

Services have taken place in Nome. The family now requests that all his many friends and acquaintances join them in a celebration of his life with a gathering at the VFW Post Home in Whitefish at 5 p.m. June 21, in the main club meeting room.

## Dean W. Harrison, 70

Dean W. Harrison, 70, of Whitefish, died Monday, Dec. 23, 1996, at Brendan House.

He was born on Jan. 25, 1926, in Judith Gap, to Carl A. and Lois Conat Harrison. He moved with his parents to Post Falls, Idaho, where he was raised and graduated from high school. He attended Whitworth College in Washington. While he was serving in the U.S. Navy, he attended Idaho State.

When he received his honorable discharge from the Navy, he moved to Montana in October of 1946, when he was employed on the construction of Hungry Horse Dam as a surveyor. Following the construction of Hungry Horse, he worked at the Columbia Falls Hardware Store for 10 years. In 1956, he moved to Whitefish where he was employed with the Whitefish Hardware Store. For 17 years he was in sales with Beatrice Foods in Whitefish, then employed with DePratu Ford and later Rygg Ford. In 1988, he retired from B & B in Kalispell.

He started his career as a volunteer fireman in Columbia Falls and retired from the Whitefish Volunteer Fire Department in 1980 after 20 years. He was also a member of the Whitefish Moose Lodge and was a past governor of the lodge.

He loved sports and reading and being with his family.

He was married to Clarice Downen on May 10, 1947, in Columbia Falls and is now survived by her at the

home south of Whitefish.

He is also survived by a son, Dan, and his wife, Mary, of Port Smith, Va.; a daughter, Marlene, and her husband, Scott Clayton, of Republic, Wash.; two sisters, Mary May Forman of Portland, Ore., and Ruth Payton of San Francisco; eight grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; and a number of other relatives.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 10 a.m. at Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish with the Rev. David V. Kauffman of Whitefish Christian Church officiating. Visitation will be at the funeral home today from 4-8 p.m. Moose rites will be given by members of the Whitefish Moose Lodge. Casketbearers will be members of the Whitefish Volunteer Fire Department. Military honors to be given by members of the Whitefish V.F.W. Post 276.

## Robert J. Hartman, 74

The Rev. Robert J. Hartman, 74, died at his home in Helena on Monday, Aug. 12, 1996.

He was a priest of the Helena Diocese for 49 years.

He was born in Helena on June 3, 1922, to Peter J. and Elizabeth Doerr Hartman. They moved to Bozeman where he attended Holy Rosary grade school and high school. He then attended Carroll College in Helena and St. Edward Seminary in Kenmore, Wash.

He was ordained a priest on May 31, 1947, in the Cathedral of St. Helena. He served as an associate pastor of St. Patrick Church in Butte until 1949, when he became an associate pastor at the Cathedral of St. Helena until 1956.

From 1956 to 1965, he was the chaplain of the Good Shepherd Home in Helena. He became the pastor of St. Richard Parish in Columbia Falls from 1965 to 1973, pastor of St. Mary Parish in Helena from 1973 to 1977, pastor of St. Catherine Parish in Boulder from 1977 to 1979, pastor of Holy Cross Parish in Townsend from 1979 to 1985, and pastor of St. Catherine Parish in Bigfork from 1985 until he retired in 1994 and was granted Senior Status.

He was always active in the communities where he served. He was the director of St. Helena Cathedral vested men and boy's choir and "Choir Boys" Camp at Legendary

Lodge. He started the first diocese youth camp at Legendary Lodge on Salmon Lake. He also taught theology at the former Girls Central High School in Butte and St. Helena Cathedral High. He brought the Christian Family Movement to the diocese and also served on the board of the Helena Symphony Society and the United Way in Helena. Father "Bob" also directed the United Church Youth Christmas Choirs.

He is survived by two sisters, Cecelia Johnston of Olympia, Wash., and Wilma Morgan and her husband, Robert, of Hayden Lake, Idaho; a brother, Ray Hartman, and wife, Laurine, of Polson; sisters-in-law, Gwen Hartman of Helena, Stasia Hartman of Burson, Calif., and Jean Hartman of Great Falls; plus numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by four brothers, Leroy, Edward, Dutch and Peter L. Hartman.

The services will be held at the Cathedral of St. Helena where public visitation will be Thursday from 1-4 p.m. The vigil service will be at 7 p.m. Thursday and the Mass of the Resurrection will be Friday at 11:30 a.m. Burial will follow at Resurrection Cemetery in Helena.

Memorial donations may be sent to the Carroll College Scholarship Fund or the St. Helena Cathedral Foundation. Retz Funeral Home in Helena is in charge of arrangements.

## Zelda Fern Hartford, 81

Zelda Fern Hartford, 81, died Friday, July 26, 1996, at Central Montana Nursing Home in Lewistown.

She was born March 22, 1915, in Square Butte to George and Blanche Todd.

After her schooling in Lewistown, she married Victor Hartford on Oct. 9, 1932. Her husband worked at mines in Zortman, Pony, Clancy and Helena. They moved back to Lewistown in 1944. He preceded her in death in 1992.

She enjoyed cooking, bread making and her many houseplants.

She was a member of the Eagles Auxiliary and Moose Lodge Academy

of Friendship.

Survivors include three sons, Lester, of Sandpoint, Idaho, Russell of Kalispell and Tom of Lewistown; four sisters, Letha Rous of Denton, Maxine Iona Hoge of Fort Shaw, Donna Staley of Columbia Falls and Mildred Buck of Lewistown; brother Willis Todd of Lewistown; eight grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by two brothers, three sisters and a grandson.

Funeral services and cremation have taken place.

## 1996 John Edward Hashley

John Edward Hashley, 76, a retired teacher, died of heart failure on Jan. 24 at his home in Kalispell.

He was born April 13, 1919 in Hudson, Mich., and graduated from Hudson High School. He was a member of the United States Army, serving as a military policeman in Anchorage, Alaska. After his discharge he worked as a steam fitter in the Swan Island Ship Yards. In 1945 he married Helen Swenson in Vancouver, Wash. That fall they went to college at the University of Wyoming in Laramie.

He graduated with a degree in Animal Husbandry. Moving his family to Palisade, Neb., he managed a large dairy. He later served as director of dairy research at the Montana State University experiment station near Huntley.

He finished his working years as a vocational agriculture instructor at Big Sandy High School in Big Sandy. He taught for more than twenty years before his retirement.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his loving wife Helen, and

four brothers.

He is survived by three sons, David, and his wife Marcia, of Kalispell; Doug and his wife Bekki, of Kalispell; and Fred and his wife, Jane, of Great Falls; a daughter, Sue of Helena; eight grandchildren, Dawn Hashley of Columbia Falls; Dana Hashley and his wife, Sissy, of Kalispell; Margo, Holli, Emilee, and Cassidy Bea Hashley, all of Kalispell; and Paige and Brianne Hashley, of Rochester, N.Y.; two great-grandchildren, Linnea and Noah Hashley, of Kalispell; two brothers, Joe Hashley, and his wife, Ronnie, of Coldwater, Mich.; and Jack Hashley and his wife Jane, of Detroit; a sister, Mary Segraves of Whitehall, and a host of friends.

Funeral services were held at the Rohrer Memorial United Methodist Church in Big Sandy at 1 p.m. Monday, with the Rev. Dick Marine officiating. Burial was in the Big Sandy Cemetery.

Arrangements were made by Buffalo Hill Funeral Home.

## Mildred Irene

'Millie' Haugen, 70

*34 Oct 1996*  
Mildred Irene "Millie" Haugen, 70, a former Plains resident, died on Thursday. She was living at St. Joseph Convalescent Center in Polson.

She was born in North Dakota to Arvey and Clara Wunderlich. On Oct. 4, 1944, she married Kermit Haugen and they moved to Plains.

She was a member of the First Lutheran Church of Plains.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law; six sons, including Kelly and Rosanne Haugen of Libby and Chuck Haugen and

Patty McClenahan of Kalispell; four sisters; 12 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband and companion of 52 years, Kermit Haugen; three sisters, and two brothers.

Visitation will be Friday from 10 a.m. until noon at Coffelt-Bunch Funeral Chapel in Plains. Funeral services will be Friday at 2 p.m. at the First Lutheran Church in Plains with the Rev. Robert Nagy officiating. Burial will follow at Plains Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the First Lutheran Church, St. Joseph Convalescent Center or to the charity of the donor's choice.

## Dean Harrison WP 2 Jan 97

Dean W. Harrison, 70, of Whitefish, died Dec. 23 at the Brendan House in Kalispell.

He was born Jan. 25, 1926, to Carl A. and Lois (Conat) Harrison in Judith Gap, Mont.

As a child, he moved with his parents to Post Falls, Idaho, where he was raised and graduated from high school.

He attended Whitworth College in Washington and while he was serving in the U.S. Navy attended Idaho State.

When he received his honorable discharge from the U.S. Navy in October 1946 he moved to Montana, where he was employed as a surveyor on the construction of Hungry Horse Dam.

Following that he was employed at the Columbia Falls Hardware Store for 10 years, and in 1956 he

moved to Whitefish, where he was employed with the Whitefish Hardware Store.

He spent 17 years in sales with Beatrice Foods in Whitefish and was later employed with DePratu Ford and Rygg Ford. In 1988 he retired from the B & B store in Kalispell.

He began his career as a volunteer firefighter in Columbia Falls and retired from the Whitefish Volunteer Fire Department in 1980 after 20 years.

He was also a member of the Whitefish Moose Lodge and was a past governor of the Lodge.

He loved sports and reading and being with his family.

He was married to Clarice Downen on May 10, 1947, in Columbia Falls, and is now survived by her at their home south of

Whitefish.

He is also survived by a son, Dan and his wife Mary of Port Smith, Va.; a daughter, Marlene and her husband Scott Clayton of Republic, Wash.; two sisters: Mary May Forman of Portland, Ore., and Ruth Payton of San Francisco; eight grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild; and a number of other relatives.

Funeral services were held Dec. 28 at the Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish with Dr. David V. Kauffman of the Whitefish Christian Church officiating.

Moose rites were given by members of the Whitefish Moose Lodge and casketbearers were members of the WVFD. Military honors were given by members of the Whitefish VFW Post 276.

## 1996 Edna L. Hebard, 83

Edna L. Hebard, 83, of Rollins, passed away quietly at the Brendan House on Monday, Nov. 4.

She was born Aug. 22, 1913, in Missoula, to Laura and Edward Henrickson. She married William B. Hebard in Missoula on July 1, 1933.

She attended New York University where she received a bachelor of science degree in 1953 in commerce, accounts and finance; received a master of science degree in 1954 in the school of business administration and in 1957 a Ph.D. in business administration. She went on to teach at New York University and also

taught as an associate professor at the University of Louisville.

The couple retired to the lakeshore of Flathead Lake. Her husband preceded her in death in 1985. Her special interests were the out of doors, animals and playing bridge. She was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of the Later Day Saints.

Graveside services will be 11 a.m., Wednesday, at Missoula Cemetery, under the Squire Simmons & Carr Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to the Edna L. Hebard Scholarship Fund, BYU Foundation, PO Box 27188, Provo, UT, 84001.

## Gene Hayes, 62

Gene Arlin Hayes, 62, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, died Thursday at Kootenai Medical Center in Coeur d'Alene. *10 Oct 1996*

He was born in Richmond, Utah. He retired from the U.S. Air Force in 1973. He was a member of the Church of Latter-day Saints and the V.F.W. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, painting, and metal detecting.

Local survivors include his brother, Allan L. Jones, of Kalispell.

At his request, no services will be held. Yates Funeral Home, Coeur d'Alene Chapel, is in charge of arrangements.

## Ben Hebert, 91

Ben Hebert, 91, former Kalispell resident, died Sept. 10, 1996, in Grand Junction, Mich.

He was born April 12, 1905, in Alberton, to Mack and Victoria Hebert.

He was a woodworker in the Flathead area in the 1930s and 1940s.

He was preceded in death by his parents, several brothers and sisters, and his wife, Anna, in 1980.

Survivors include a stepson, Jim Jensen of Bigfork.

A memorial service will be held at the Blackfoot Bible Church in Lincoln, Mont., at 1 p.m. on Oct. 5, 1996.

## Beulah Lee 'Boots' Hendrickson, 62

Beulah Lee "Boots" Hendrickson, 62, died at her home in Kalispell on Saturday, Nov. 23, 1996.

She was born Oct. 31, 1934, in Sandlake, Minn., to William and Clara Sexton. She received her education in Kelso, Wash., and on Sept. 26, 1953, she was married to George Hendrickson in Kalispell.

She was an avid bowler and was a member of the Queens League, bowling for 40 years.

She served as secretary for the District 5 high school rodeo and secretary for the state high school rodeo.

She enjoyed sewing and made many beautiful clothes for all of her family.

She was a member of the Kalispell Eagles Auxiliary and the Wheeling Eagles Camp Club.

She enjoyed camping and doing crafts with her hands.

She was preceded in death by her parents and five brothers, Clarence,

Kyle, Roland, Fred and Tex.

She is survived by her husband, George, at home in Kalispell; a daughter, Susan Hendrickson of Tolleson, Ariz.; a son, Lee Hendrickson, and his wife, Judy, of Hyrum, Utah; two sisters, Janet Wageman of Tacoma, Wash., and Roxie Snook of Long Beach, Wash.; three granddaughters, Trinity Rodriguez of Buffalo, Wyo., Jennifer Hendrickson and Melanie Anderson of Hyrum; five grandsons, Jayson Smith of Dillon, and Erick, David, Seth and Samuel Hendrickson, all of Hyrum; and numerous nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday at Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Ron Pierce, pastor of Swan Chapel, officiating. Burial will follow at Glacier Memorial Gardens Cemetery. Friends may call for visitation from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. today and Tuesday.

## Verner Hedman, 97

Verner William Hedman, 97, a longtime resident of Whitefish, died Wednesday, Feb. 7, 1996, at North Valley Hospital Extended Care.

He was born Aug. 29, 1896, in Wausa, Neb., to Peter and Fredric-

ka Hedman, who immigrated to the U.S. in 1893 from Sweden. He attended school intermittently in Wisconsin and North Dakota through the eighth grade. He homesteaded with his family in eastern Montana near Opheim in 1916, and came to the Flathead Valley in 1926.

He met and married Edena H. Cleave in 1931 while he was employed as a "smoke chaser" in Glacier National Park and she was teaching at the Nyack School. They married on May 22, 1931. They had four sons and three daughters.

He loved horses, the wilderness and Glacier Park. He spent his years until 1943 as a guide and packer in the park and the wilderness area, and in the logging and hunting camps in the Flathead Valley.

In 1943, he obtained employment with the Great Northern Railway in the bridge and building department as a carpenter. He worked there until his retirement in 1963.

In 1943, the family purchased a 40 acre tract of land on Blanchard Lake Road south of Whitefish, where he lived until moving to the Extended Care in the fall of 1992.



He enjoyed his family and music, in that order. He could often be found strumming his guitar and vocalizing the hundreds of old songs he knew.

He was named resident of the year at North Valley Extended Care in 1994, and was runner-up resident of the year for the state.

He was much loved by his family and a host of friends. His lineal descendants numbered 78 at last count.

His wife, Edena, preceded him in death in January 1991. He was also preceded in death by his beloved daughter, Barbara Koppy, in 1984, his sisters, Anna, Hanna, Emma, and one brother, Edwin.

He is survived by four sons, Cleave, of Cathlamet, Wash., Gene of Whitefish, Allan of Hayden Lake, Idaho, and Wayne of Hamilton; two daughters, Carol Newbury of Whitefish and Joyce Emmert of Hot Springs; sisters Helen Hedman and Lily Wells, both of Whitefish, and Evelyn Stevenson and Grace Young, both of San Diego, Calif.; 25 grandchildren and many great- and great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 4:30 p.m. at Austin Funeral Home with the Rev. Susan Adams-Trembath of the United Methodist Church officiating. Burial will follow in Glacier Memorial Gardens Cemetery. The family suggests memorials to the United Methodist Church, 625 Park Ave., Whitefish, MT 59937.

The family wants to publicly express its appreciation to the staff of North Valley Hospital Extended Care Center for the care he received.

## Shirley Hendrickson, 66

Shirley Marie Hendrickson, 66, died Wednesday at her daughter's home in Kalispell.

She was born Feb. 23, 1930, in Havre, to Gilbert and Verda Young. She moved to the Flathead Valley when she was very young, and attended Flathead High School. After high school, she left the valley, returning here in March.

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

Survivors include a daughter, Jackie Ricks, of Creston; two sons, including Gene Fincher of Whitefish; three brothers; two sisters; and 10

grandchildren.

Cremation has taken place and private family services will be held later. Buffalo Hill Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements and cremation.