

Christine S. Hadley, 79

Christine S. Hadley, 79, died on Jan. 1, 2001, at North Valley Extended Care in Whitefish.

She was born on July 22, 1921 in Paris, Texas, to H. and Elizabeth Wilkins.

She is survived locally by

son Larry and his wife, Sharon Hadley.

Private memorial services have been held.

Arrangements are under the direction of Buffalo Hill Funeral Home.

Helen Marie Hagen, 85

Helen Marie Hagen, 85, died at Heritage Place in Kalispell on Sept. 22, 2001.

She was born in Great Falls, on Aug. 25, 1916, to William and Anna Mainard.

She was preceded in death by her husband Clarence; an infant daughter, Marie; an infant great-grandson, Christopher McCready; two sisters and three brothers.

She is survived by a son and

his wife; her daughter Shirley Hendrick and husband Jim of Lakeside; four grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and two sisters.

Services will be Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church in Cut Bank. Internment will be in Intermountain Crown Hill Cemetery.

Arrangements are under the direction of Day's Funeral Home in Cut Bank.

Baker H. Hagestad, 82

Baker H. Hagestad, 82, of Polson, died at his home on Thursday, June 21, 2001.

He was born on Feb. 12, 1919, at Wolf Point, to Raymond and Amanda Hagestad.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister.

He is survived by his wife

Elaine of Polson; two sisters including DeYota Petersen of Polson; and a brother.

Cremation has taken place and services may be held at a later date. Arrangements and cremation under the direction of Grogan Funeral Home and Crematory in Polson.

Ruth S. Haggerty, 68

Ruth S. Haggerty, 68, passed away on March 11, 2001 at Brendan House. She was born on June 28, 1932 in McLaughlin, S. D., to Christ and Emily Schlenker. She attended the local school, and graduated from McLaughlin High School in 1950. After high school, she attended the Presentation School of Nursing and received her diploma as a registered nurse in 1956 in Miles City. On Oct. 20, 1956, she married John C. "Jack" Haggerty in Miles City. They made their home in Miles City and raised three children: two daughters, Kim J. Haggerty and Kelly J. Haggerty and one son, Kirk J. Haggerty. After her marriage, she worked as a nurse at the Veterans Administration Hospital, Holy Rosary Hospital and Friendship Villa Care Center, all located in

Miles City. After retiring in 1992, she and her husband John moved to Kalispell. She was very active as a member of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents and five brothers.

She is survived by her husband John; her three children; six brothers, Irvin, Herbert, Clarence, Willard, Ronald and Harold; two sisters, Erma and Betty; and numerous other relatives.

Visitation will be from 4-7 p.m. Wednesday at Buffalo Hill Funeral Home. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church with the Rev. Darold Reiner officiating. Cremation will follow the services.

Arrangements are under the direction of Buffalo Hill Funeral Home.

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Bernice M. Haines, 89

Bernice M. Haines, 89, of Libby died Nov. 9 at her home.

She was born July 22, 1912, in Alexandria, S.D., to Henry Brummer and Peterka Smith Brummer.

Survivors include five children, Charles Haines of Enterprise, Ore.; Wayne Haines of Libby; Betty Ann Decker of Sandpoint, Idaho; William Haines of Libby and James Haines of Odessa, Wash. She is also survived by nine grandchildren

and eight great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Orville, in 1969, as well as by seven brothers and a sister.

Services will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at Christ Lutheran Church in Libby with the Rev. Les Nelson officiating. Interment services will be at the Libby City Cemetery. Visitation will be from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. today at the Nelson & Vial Funeral Home.

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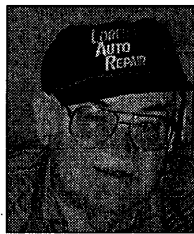
Kenneth Edwin Hall passed into the presence of the Lord Jesus on Saturday morning in Mesa, Ariz., to be reunited with a son Larry

and a host of friends and loved ones who have gone on before.

He was born on Aug. 11, 1921, at Grass Range, to William A. and Jessie Louells Saylor Hall. He spent his early years at Grass Range and Buffalo, where his parents farmed.

He was married on June 18, 1944, to Doris Jean Burch in Lewistown. To this union they were blessed with three sons, Larry (deceased), Gary and his wife Jayne of Columbia Falls, Douglas and his wife Kelly of Palmer, Alaska, and Vicki of San Luis Obispo, Calif.

Also seven precious grandchildren, Matthew and Rebecca Hall, Colby and Kristin Hall, Tyson and Chad Hall and Jessica Price. He is also survived by a sister Ruth and her husband Elmer Strand of



Truth or Consequences N.M.; and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his three brothers and a son Larry.

The family came to the Flathead Valley in 1947, first settling in Stryker where they operated a fish hatchery and resort, raising and selling rainbow trout to the Great Northern Railroad for the Empire Builder. Later they moved to Whitefish, where he and his brother operated a sporting goods store, following which they started in the construction business. Later they moved to Kalispell where he operated Halls Sand and Gravel, later expanding to Halls Concrete Service. They made their home in recent years at Foy's Lake, spending their winters in Mesa.

He is survived by his loving family and a host of good friends in the Flathead Valley.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday at Bethel Baptist Church at 4th Ave. and 9th St. West

Memorials may be sent to Shepherd's Home for handicapped children in Union Grove, Wis., in care of Bethel Baptist Church.

Maxine S. Hall, 61

Maxine S. Hall, 61, passed away on March 1, 2001, at Swedish Medical Center after a most courageous six-year-battle against cancer.

She was born on April 1, 1939, in Kalispell, to Maynard Leroy and Lempi Elizabeth Antila Siblingrud.

She was a 1957 graduate of Flathead High School. She graduated in 1960 from Sacred Heart School of Nursing in Spokane.

She devoted her life to caring for her family and friends. She especially took great pleasure and pride in watching her grandchildren grow. She received tremendous support and comfort and care from her family and friends

throughout her battle against cancer. She will be dearly missed by her loving family, dear friends and those touched by her life.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday at 2 p.m. at Bethlehem Lutheran Church with the Rev. Len Erickson officiating. Burial will be at 1 p.m. at Glacier Memorial Gardens.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to the Kaplan Cancer Research Fund, c/o Swedish Foundation, 747 Summit, Seattle, WA 98104.

Arrangements and cremation are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.

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Jarvis Rue Halverson, 71

Jarvis Rue Halverson, 71, died April 2, 2001, in Mesa, Ariz.

He was born on March 13, 1930, in New Rockford, N.D., the son of Peder and Hilda Halverson. He grew up in Sheyenne, N.D., and later moved to Opheim, where he graduated from high school. He attended Concordia College in Moorehead, Minn.

He married Marketa Opheim Nov. 5, 1950, and this past Christmas they celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with their children and their families in Kalispell.

He was a retired businessman and was active in the Shriners, Elks, Moose and Masonic Lodge of Kalispell.

He was a loving husband, father and grandfather and will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Ronnie Halverson.

He is survived by his wife Marketa of Rollins and Mesa; their five children, Callie and Larry Epstein of Cut Bank, Sandy and Kirk Jarvis Halverson Streit of Kalispell, Rick and Mara Halverson of Whitefish, Patti and John Gallagher of Folsom, Calif., and Janeen and Jeff Winkley of Kalispell; and six grandchildren, Aaron and Ashley Winkley, Taylor and Logan Streit, and Jackie and Maren Gallagher.

A memorial service was held April 5 at the Apache Wells Community Church in Mesa, Ariz. A graveside service will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday at Conrad Memorial Cemetery. A reception will follow at Northridge Lutheran Church in Kalispell.

Howard L. Hammer, 75

Howard L. Hammer, passed away on May 10, 2001, after courageously fighting lung and heart problems and cancer.

He was born in Scobey on March 27, 1926, and grew up on his parents' farm just south of Flaxville. After graduating from Flaxville High School, he enlisted in the Army and served in Korea.

He met Nancy Hodgson, while attending Montana State University in Bozeman. They were married on Aug. 13, 1949, in Helena. After a short time with Rolfe and Wood in Bozeman, he and his wife moved to Great Falls, where he went to work for the International Harvester Company. In 1953, he moved his family to Missoula where he owned Westana Equipment, an International Harvester dealership. He continued in the farm implement business with Bitterroot Equipment, moving to Hamilton in 1959. In 1961, he began a business delivering retail and wholesale dairy products throughout the Bitterroot Valley. He sold the business shortly after being elected Ravalli County Commissioner in 1968.

In 1974, he went into the insurance business and then joined American Express/Investors Diversified Services where he was a district manager. He retired in 1987.

He devoted his life to his wife, children and many charitable, civic and religious organizations. Some of the many groups that he served with included: Five Valleys Mental Health Association; Boy Scouts; Easter Seals; March of Dimes; Ionic Masonic Lodge #38; York Rite; Baghdad Shrine; Kiwanis; Ravalli County Council on Aging (President, 1990 - 2000); Western Montana Area VI Agency on Aging (1991 to present); and

many others. In 1998 he was appointed by Gov. Racicot to serve on the Governor's Council on Aging.

He also served in the Legacy Legislature from 1997 to 2000 and was president in 1999 and 2000. In 1999 he was a representative to the National Silverhaired Congress in Washington, D.C.

His formative years were as a Lutheran, later finding a home with the First Presbyterian Church in Hamilton, where he served as deacon and elder. He helped plan and build the current First Presbyterian Church in Hamilton. In 1998, he was elected to serve as moderator of the Glacier Presbytery.

His daughter, Jane, his parents and a brother, preceded him in his passing.

He is survived by his wife Nancy; sons Tripp, Todd and daughter-in-law Elizabeth Hammer; son-in-law and wife Paul and Sue Holmgren and his grandchildren, Katie and Ben Hammer, Brad and Sara Holmgren; step-grandchildren, several brothers, a sister, brother-in-law and many nieces and nephews.

Family and friends will join in a memorial celebration of his life at the First Presbyterian Church in Hamilton on Saturday beginning at 11 a.m. There will be an inurnment of the cremated remains at C.E. Conrad Cemetery in Kalispell on Sunday at 4 p.m.

The family prefers that, instead of flowers, a memorial donation be made in his name to the Jane Hammer Holmgren PEO Scholarship Fund, in care of: Judy Larson, 366 Cooper Ln., Hamilton, MT, 59840.

Arrangements are under the direction of Dowling Funeral Home and Crematory in Hamilton.

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Selma Hanberg, 107

Selma Hanberg, 107, passed away on May 15, 2001, in Kalispell.

She was born May 31, 1893, in Paullina, Iowa, to Anton and Anna Johnson Torbergson. Her family moved to the Flathead Valley in 1903.

She met and married Einar "Ed" Hanberg on Sept. 16, 1915, in Kalispell. The couple lived in Somers, Half Moon, Columbia Falls, and Kalispell until 1941 when they moved to Snohomish, Wash.

She moved to Eugene, Ore., where she lived until she was 98 years old and moved back to the valley to live with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Loy.

She was of the Lutheran faith but enjoyed her time here going to the First Baptist Church in Columbia Falls. She became ill in the fall of 1998 and was at the Brendan House and went from there to the home of Barbara and



John Williams.

She was treated as part of their family, including their little granddaughters, Marnic and Tavia, and their daughter Nicole. She loved them all dearly.

She was preceded in death by her husband Ed; four children, Gladys, Hazel, Robert, and John.

She is survived by one daughter, Mabel Loy of Kalispell; one son, Kenneth Hanberg of Cosmopolis, Wash.; 15 grandchildren; and many great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday at 10 a.m. at Johnson Mortuary Chapel with the Rev. Jerry Buchanan of the First Baptist Church in Columbia Falls officiating. She will be buried next to her husband at Lane Memorial Gardens in Eugene.

The family requests that memorial donations be sent to Home Options Hospice, 175 Commons Loop, Ste. 100, Kalispell, MT 59901.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.

Roy Hankins, 80

A memorial service for Roy Hankins, 80, will be held at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 11, in the Pentecostal Church of God in Columbia Heights. Hankins passed away on July 23. *o/*

He was preceded in death by one daughter, Wendy Long, and two sisters.

He is survived by a daughter, Denise MacBay and her husband, John, and their children Angela of Washington, and Pvt. Zachary Hallas of Ari-

zona.

He is survived by his wife, Lorraine of Columbia Falls; two daughters, Chisty Olson and her husband, Darrell, of Columbia Falls, and their children Jeremy of Columbia Falls, and Pvt. Yvonne Olson in Korea, and Valerie Parsons and her husband, Carl, and their children Stephen and Stephanie, of Kalispell; and a sister, Alice Durfee of Houston, Texas.

Cecil H. Hansman, 88

Cecil H. Hansman, 88, Sequim, Wash., died July 24, 2001, from heart failure.

He was born June 27, 1913, in Miles City to Henry J. and Iona Hansman. He was married to Thelma C. Curry of Port Townsend, Wash., in 1938, she died in 1990. He married Frances Ellis of Port Angeles on Aug. 13, 1993.

He grew up in Kalispell, and graduated from Flathead High School in 1932, where he was very active in football and track. He joined the U.S. Navy in 1933. He was stationed in Pearl Harbor during the attack and he also witnessed the signing of the surrender in Tokyo Bay. His family lived in Port Angeles while he was in the Navy. He retired after 20 years in the service.

He then worked 20 years for the Port Angeles First National Bank/Seafirst as field manager. He was very active in the Port Angeles Community Players, having several leading roles in 10 plays between 1950-70. He moved from Port Angeles to Sequim in 1988.

He has been a member in the following organizations: Veterans Foreign War Post #4760, Sequim; Fleet Reserve Association, Branch 354; Pearl Harbor Survivors Association Chapter 10, Port Angeles; Elks Lodge #353, Port Angeles; F&A Mason Lodge #107, Hadlock, Wash.; Pleasant Mountain Grange, Port Angeles.

Survivors include his wife Frances Hansman; son Robert Hansman of Cumming, Ga.; daughter Barbara Ellis of Sequim; step-daughter Barbara Morger, Quilcene, Wash., stepsons, William Ellis of Sequim, and Tom Ellis of Port Angeles; nine grandchildren, and 11 great-grandchildren; his sister, Lillian Schneider of Riverside, Calif.

He was preceded in death by brothers, Melvin Hansman, Harold Hansman and Oswald Hansman.

There will be a celebration of life on Aug. 4 at 1 p.m. at 187 E. Sequim Bay Rd. in Sequim.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Salvation Army.

Elizabeth Marie 'Betty' Hanson, 87

Elizabeth Marie "Betty" Hanson, 87, passed away at Immanuel Lutheran Home on July 12, 2001. She was born on Aug. 28, 1913, in McKenzie County, N. D., to Magnus and Mary Fredrickson. She grew up on the family farm with four brothers and one sister.

Her mother died when she was 8 years old, so she helped raise her brothers and sister. She married Walter Maze on April 11, 1932, in the Lutheran Church in Alexander, N.D. They moved to a farm at Williston, N.D., where they lived until 1952.

They moved to Kalispell in 1952. Her husband died in 1967.

She married Harold Hanson in Kalispell on April 26, 1981. He died in 1986.

She was a member of the Sons of Norway and the Eagles Lodge.

She loved to cook, and thoroughly enjoyed going out for breakfast.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Walter, her second husband Harold, and one son, Larry.

She is survived by two daughters, Arlyss Radabah and Karen Seelye, both of Kalispell; one son, Wesley Maze of Great Falls; 11 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be held at 3 p.m. on Monday at the Immanuel Lutheran Home, with the Rev. Peter Ramseth officiating. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Immanuel Lutheran Home.

Arrangements are under the direction of Buffalo Hill Funeral Home and Crematory.

Sarah Jane Hanson, 82

Sarah Jane Hanson, 82, of Sequim, Wash., died July 27, 2001 in Port Angeles, Wash.

She was born June 27, 1919, in Helena to Frank Barclay and Theodosia Brulo.

She is survived by her husband, J.H. "Hib" Hanson of Sequim. Cremation has taken place. A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m., Friday at the Grogan Funeral Home in Polson.

Charles H. Harball, 74

Charles H. Harball, 74, passed away on May 1, 2001, of natural causes at his home in Polson. He was born in 1926 in Morrill, Neb., to Charles Andrew and Helen Fahey Harball. He was schooled in Montana, South Dakota and Nevada. In 1944, he enlisted in the U.S. Marine Corps where he served in the Pacific, Japan and China. Upon his discharge in 1947, he managed a ranch in the Centennial Valley in southwest Montana.

In 1949, he married Sally Mills. Shortly thereafter, they purchased a ranch in Irvine Flats, west of Polson, where they lived, worked and raised their three children for 25 years. In 1961, he began working for Lake County as a deputy sheriff, a vocation he loved until his retirement after 24 years of service. In 1975, he and his wife sold the ranch and moved to an acre of ground on Flathead Lake at Big Arm. They remained there until 1993 when they moved to their current residence in Polson.

He has been a member of the VFW and a member of BPOE for



54 years.

He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Sally of Polson; daughter Sally Franceschina and her husband Albert and their two children, David and Laura, all of Annapolis, Md.; daughter Katherine Harball and her husband Lyle and their three children Kelsi, Karee and KC, all of Kalispell; son Charles Harball and his wife Claire and their two children, Elizabeth and Sarah, all of Kalispell; his brothers Gordon Harball of Whitehall, Jerry Harball of Texas, Larry Harball of Canada, Paul Harball of California, Merritt Murphy and Dale Murphy of Canada; sisters Peggy Cantrell of Texas, Sally Ann Jackson of Pablo, and Vera Perry of Canada; and numerous nieces and nephews.

A funeral mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. on Saturday at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Polson with Rev. Gary Reller officiating. Interment and graveside services will be held at a later date.

His family suggests that any memorials be given to the Polson Elks Lodge Scholarship Foundation or to the charity of the donor's choice.

James 'Jim' Hardman, 82

James "Jim" Hardman, 82, passed away on Saturday, Dec. 1, 2001, at Immanuel Lutheran Home in Kalispell.

Jim was born on Dec. 19, 1918, in Elgin, Ill., to James and Florence Hardman. He graduated from high school in Chicago.

He went to work as a tool grinder for Sloan and Valve. He retired from them in 1978.

He married Wanda Slimack on Aug. 1, 1942. They had a son and a daughter.

He was a member of the Moose Club. He enjoyed walking, reading, dancing, sports and, most of all, being with his family.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his wife Wanda.

He is survived by his son Mark Hardman of Forest Park, Ill.; his daughter Mary McCamley of Whitefish; and two grandchildren.

Burial will be at Queen of Heaven Cemetery in Hillside, Ill. Buffalo Hill Funeral Home is caring for the family's local needs.

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Harold A. Hardy, 85

Harold A. Hardy, 85, passed away Sunday, July 15, at Community Medical Center in Missoula.

He was born Aug. 25, 1915, in Sidney, Iowa, to Homer and Lola Hardy. He was the eldest of three boys. Charles and Edward preceded him in death some years ago. The family moved to Cascade when he was 12 years old. He attended grade and high school in Cascade.

On June 18, 1947, he married Dorma Doyle in Kalispell.

He was employed by Consolidated Freightways for 40 years before retiring in 1981.

He was a member of the Elks Lodge for many years. He loved the outdoors, hunting, fishing and

gardening. His greatest joy was their cabin on Rock Creek.

He is survived by his wife Dorma, two nieces, one nephew, and one grandnephew.

Visitation will be held from noon to 8 p.m. today at the Malletta Family of Funeral Homes, Sunset Chapel, 7405 Mullan Road. Funeral services will be held Friday at 1 p.m. at the Sunset Chapel with burial to follow in Sunset Memorial Cemetery. A gathering of family and friends will be held in the funeral home's community room after the committal service.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials in his name to Camp Mak-A-Dream, 32 Fort Missoula Rd., Missoula, MT 59804.

John Rudd Harp, 72

John Rudd Harp, 72, passed away on Aug. 14, 2001, at his home surrounded by his family.

He was born in Chicago, Ill., on Dec. 29, 1928. After moving to the Flathead Valley in the 1930s, he met and married Donna Dae Parkison on April 11, 1952.

He was an avid sports fan and it wasn't unusual for him to have two baseball games going on at his home at the same time. He had a keen interest in the freedoms and the values that built this country.

He entered the United States Army in November of 1945. He served in Germany in 1946-47, and 1953. He also served in Japan in 1949-50 and in the Korean War in 1950-51. He received the Korean Presidential Unit Citation, Korean Service Medal with five Battle Stars, and the Combat Infantryman Badge. After eight years of service he left the Army as a Sergeant First Class. He was a lifetime member of the 1st Cavalry Division.

He returned home from the war and in 1959 he started Harp Line Constructors with a bonus that he received for his service in the Korean War. With that \$500 bonus he built a company that now operates throughout the western United States.

In 1966, he was instrumental in establishing an apprenticeship program for electrical linemen, which



benefited both the industry and their families. He was a member of the National Electrical Contractors Association since March of 1966.

He was a member of the Scottish Rite Freemasonry and a member of good standings with the Algeria Temple. Other memberships include the Moose Lodge, Elk's Club and the Flathead Shriner's Club.

His wife, Donna Dae Harp; his parents Leonard and Mae Harp; and his sister, Peggy Graham, preceded him in death.

He is survived by his sisters, Joan Miller and Nancy Harp of Kalispell; his daughter, Marsha Ring of Kalispell; his sons, Mike Harp of Alaska and John Harp of Kalispell; grandchildren include Erin N. Johnston, of Longmont, Colo., Brandon Ring of Las Vegas, Ryder Harp of Kalispell, Kelly Harp of Missoula, Zachariah Harp of Kalispell, Chad Harp of Phoenix, Ariz.; great-grandchildren include Kolten Mitchell Harp and Madison Mae Harp of Kalispell; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held today at 9 a.m. at the Christian Center. Burial will follow at the Conrad Cemetery. An "Irish Wake" will be celebrated at the Outlaw Inn at 11:30 a.m.

Memorials may be made to the Flathead Shriner's Club, P.O. Box 762, Kalispell, MT 59903.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.

This paid obituary is being run a second time at the request of the family.

Betty June Harriman, 62

Betty June Harriman, 62, passed away on Thursday, May 10, 2001, at Brendan House in Kalispell.

She was born on Feb. 3, 1939, in Corcoran, Calif., to Richard and Sue Williams White.

She moved to Santa Rosa, Calif., when she was a young woman. At the age of 19, she married Everett Harriman on Nov. 1, 1958, in Santa Rosa. Together, they raised four children.

She was a homemaker, and worked seasonally at a cannery. When her husband retired in 1996, they moved to Somers.

She had a special love for animals, often having many of her own at one time. She enjoyed traveling with her husband in their RV, cooking for her family, and crocheting afghans.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one daughter, Kathy Lynn Rielly; and two grandchildren, Ladonna and Roger Rielly.



She is survived by her husband of 42 years, Everett Harriman of Somers; three children, Yvonne Sue Solanouis and her husband Charles of

Oroville, Calif., Ronney Allen Harriman and his companion, Laurel McDaniels of Somers, and Randy Edward Harriman of Chico, Calif.; three sisters, Nancy Royce of Reno, Nev., Deanie Coltrin of Oroville, and Patricia Kearns of Cloverdale, Calif.; six grandchildren; one great grandchild; and several nieces and nephews.

No services for Betty June Harriman will be held locally.

The family will have a memorial service in California at a later date.

Arrangements and cremation are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.

John Roland Harrington, 84

John Roland Harrington, 84, passed away Dec. 21, 2001, at the Montana Veteran's Home.

A devoted husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather, he touched many lives.

John was born June 20, 1917, at his rural home out of Stanford, to James and Lucy Francis Harrington.

He served his country in the 307th Bomb Squadron in the South Pacific. Battles and campaigns were Northern Solomon Islands, Guadalcanal, Central Pacific, Bismark-Archipelago, Eastern Mandates, Western Pacific, China, Southern Philippines, Luzon and New Guinea.

After the war he came to live in the Flathead where he met his loving wife Laura. They were married on May 31, 1946.

He worked for Equity Supply making ice cream until his retirement.

He enjoyed fly-fishing camping

and hunting.

John was preceded in death by his wife Laura, two sisters, one daughter, Pat, one granddaughter Andie, and two great-grandchildren, Earl and Melinda.

He is survived by daughter Marcia and husband Lloyd Kelch, daughter Laura Jane and husband Randy Horn, and son-in-law Ronald Emert of Weiser, Idaho, and grandchildren Dave and wife Diana Kelch, Tracy, and husband Mike Locker, Tammy and husband Joe Tamburelli and eight great-grandchildren; also one sister, Wilma Bird of Lewistown and several nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be held Thursday at 10 a.m. at Glacier Memorial Gardens with Rev. Tim Bartholomew officiating.

Viewing will be Wednesday from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. at Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.

Evart Glen 'Brownie' Hartman, 76

Evart Glen "Brownie" Hartman, 76, died Sept. 5, 2001, at his home in Kalispell. He was born Jan. 21, 1925, in Somers, to Evart and Mildred Hartman.



He graduated from Flathead High School in 1943. He joined the U.S. Navy and served on the USS Ozark from 1944 to 1946. He returned home from the war and in September of 1949 married Marie H. Todd. In 1955, he started Skyline Dairy which he owned and operated until 1980.

He was an avid golfer and fisherman. His early interest and participation in baseball led to his sponsorship of many Little League teams.

His dignity, humor, considerate nature, and love for life, his family

and friends is the legacy he leaves behind. He will be truly missed by all who were fortunate enough to have known him.

He is survived by his beloved wife, Marie Todd Hartman; his son, Evart Todd Hartman and wife Sumiko; two daughters, Jean Hartman and JoAnn "Jody" Hartman Schweigert and husband Bob; three grandchildren, Todd Glen, Amy Teresa, and Lisa Jo Hartman; one brother, Boyd Hartman and wife Carol; and two sisters, Effie Bradford and Hazel Halsey.

A funeral Mass will be held Saturday at 1 p.m. at St. Matthew's Catholic Church with the Rev. Vic Langhans as celebrant. Committal services will be at Conrad Memorial Cemetery. Visitation will be today from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Johnson Mortuary Chapel.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.

Ray R. Hartsoch, 80

Ray R. Hartsoch, 80, of Polson, died on Nov. 7, 2001, at Evergreen Health and Rehab Center in Polson.

He was preceded in death by one son and several brothers and sisters.

He is survived by his wife Grace of Polson; two daughters including Sandi Alexander of

Kalispell; one son, Chuck Hartsoch of Polson; 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren; six sisters; and one brother.

A memorial service will be held on Monday at 2 p.m. at the Church of Nazarene in Pablo. A military graveside service will follow at Lakeview Cemetery in Polson.

Allen W. Havens 76

Allen W. Havens 76, of Edmonds, Wash., died Nov. 28, 2001, at home after a long struggle with cancer.

He was born in Kalispell, June 24, 1925, to Armon and Lillie Havens and was raised in Essex.

After graduating from Flathead County High School he served in the U.S. Army during World War II in the European Theater, he was a recipient of the Bronze Star.

Allen was a machinist working for Lindmark Machine Works in Seattle for 36 years. He was an

avid wood carver and sculptor in his retirement.

Allen is survived by his wife of 50 years Noreen; daughters, Sharon and husband Joseph Sacco of Carlisle, Mass., Eileen and husband Michael Collins of Snohomish, Wash.; three grandchildren, Geoffrey, Jennifer, Matthew; and a brother, Eugene Havens of Kalispell.

Funeral service will be Dec. 5 at 11 a.m. Beck's Funeral Home, 405 Fifth Ave. S., Edmonds, WA. Visitation will be Dec. 5 from 10-11 a.m. at Beck's Funeral Home.

Louise Katherine Haverlandt, 87

Louise Katherine Haverlandt, 87, died at her son's home in Columbia Falls on Sept. 24, 2001, of natural causes.

She was born Dec. 10, 1913, in Kalispell, to Frank and Ella Wurtz. She married William Haverlandt on Oct. 29, 1934.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William, a grandson; sisters, Marie, Thelma and Dorothy, and a brother, Harold.

She is survived by her brother Leonard Wurtz of Kalispell;

son Gary and wife Kerry Haverlandt of Columbia Falls; a grandson and several nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews.

Visitation will be 4 to 6 p.m. Thursday at the Austin Funeral Home in Whitefish. Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. on Friday at the Glacier Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Kalispell.

Memorials can be made to the Yellowstone Boys and Girls Ranch in her name.

Josephine B. 'Jo' Harvey, 63

Josephine B. "Jo" Harvey, 63, died Dec. 24, 2001, at a Libby hospital following a lengthy illness.

She was born in Harlowton, on Aug. 19, 1938, to Ervin and Dora Clawson.

She was preceded in death by her first husband James David Harvey; an infant son; and special companion, David Clark.

She is survived by four children; five sisters including Linda Carr, Sharon Larson

and Vicky Clawson, all of Libby, and Kathy Stringham of Kalispell; a brother; and three grandchildren.

Services will be Friday at 2 p.m. at the Nelson and Vial Funeral Home Chapel; interment services will be at the City of Libby Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5-8 p.m. today and until noon on Friday.

Arrangements are under the direction of Nelson and Vial Funeral Home.

Naomi Jean Hayes, 69

Naomi Jean Hayes, 69, of Polson passed away on Nov. 29, 2001, at St. Joseph Hospital in Polson from a brief battle with cancer.

She was born April 11, 1932 at Polson, to Walteen and Lena Smith Milner. She attended grade school in Valley View and graduated from Polson High School in 1950. Naomi was the first Carnival Queen of Polson High School. Naomi moved to Bozeman for a period of time before returning to Polson in 1960, she married James Hayes in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, on May 12, 1962.

She worked at Pack River Lumber Co. and at Polson Middle School for the past 22 years retiring in 1992 from the school. She loved needlepoint, crossword puzzles and painting, and loved her family very much. Naomi had aspirations about writing a book about her days at Polson Middle



School.

Preceded in death by her parents, and a sister, Burleen Yexley.

She is survived by her husband James of Polson, her children, Cyndy and Jeff Nelson, Polson, Alan and Connie Frislee of Polson, Terry and Phil Lamping of East Helena, Denise and Cliff Willis of St. Louis, Mo., Arnie and Michelle Hayes of Bozeman, two brothers, Clao Milner of Polson, and Rev. Merle Milner of Paso Robles, Calif.; 13 grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be held on Monday from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Grogan Funeral Home in Polson. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday at 10 a.m. in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Merle Milner officiating. Burial will be at Lakeview Cemetery. For a memorial the family suggest that a book be purchased for the Polson Middle School Library.

Arrangements under the direction of Grogan Funeral Home, Polson.

Mary 'Hazel' Haynes, 97

Mary "Hazel" Haynes, 97, died on Friday, Dec. 28, 2001, at Lake View Care Center in Bigfork. She was born on June 8, 1904, in Racine, Wis. Funeral arrangements are pending with Buffalo Hill Funeral Home.

Bruce A. Healy, 36

Bruce A. Healy, 36, died April 25, 2001, in Anchorage, Alaska from an injury sustained in a fall at his home in Soldotna, Alaska.

He was born March 20, 1965 in San Diego, California to Richard L. and Charlotte Healy.

He was married in 1989 in Ronan. They later divorced.

He is preceded in death by a brother, Brian L. Rosenfield.

He is survived by his mother, Charlotte Packard of Kalispell; his father, Richard Healy of Columbia Falls; a brother, Richard Gordon of Kalispell; two sisters including

Mechelle Anderson of Columbia Falls; his four children including Brian B. Healy and Travis D. Healy of Ronan; and numerous uncles, aunts, cousins, nieces, and nephews.

A funeral service will be held Thursday at 1 p.m. at the Columbia Mortuary in Columbia Falls. Rev. Robert Barclay will officiate. Burial will follow in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Visitation will be Wednesday from 1-8 p.m. and Thursday 10:00 a.m. to noon at the Columbia Mortuary. The casket will not be opened after the service.

Dorothy Nix Heard, 66

Dorothy Nix Heard, 66, of Lampasas, Texas, died July 18, 2001, at Rollins Brook Hospital in Lampasas. She was born June 2, 1935, in Dallas, Texas, to Herbert Hurschall and Avon Jarrett Nix.

She moved to Lampasas from Hickory Creek, Texas, three years ago. For the past two years she owned and operated the Gathering Place, a used-book store in Lampasas.

She is survived by a niece, Debbie Smith and husband Ron of Gatesville, Texas; a nephew, John Rodd and wife Stephanie of Dallas;

great-nieces, Misty Myers and husband Dusty of California, Lynn Smith of Gatesville, and Lindzee Rodd of Dallas; a great-nephew, D.R. Smith of Gatesville; a great-great-nephew, Richard Myers of California; and a sister, Beth Warwick of Hickory Creek; and numerous cousins.

Memorial services will be held Saturday, 11 a.m., at Church of God-Faith of Abraham, 338 State School Rd., Gatesville, with the Rev. Don Johnson officiating.

Briggs-Gamel Funeral Home is handling the arrangements.

Sue Hedrick, 101

Sue Hedrick, 101, passed away at Colonial Manor in Whitefish on April 25, 2001.

She was born in Primghar, Iowa on Dec. 13, 1899, to Susana and Karl Redcher. Her family included two brothers and five sisters, all of whom have preceded her in death.

She began work in a laundry at an early age and left her family at 13 to be a "hired girl" with a local family. She and James "Lee" Hedrick were married in Billings on Nov. 6, 1917. He served in the Army during World War I and she moved to Tacoma, Wash., during this time.

After his discharge, they returned to Billings. He was employed in the grocery business and they moved several times with his jobs. Their daughter, Betty, was born in Sheridan, Wyo., on

Oct. 1, 1920. In 1929, the family settled in Whitefish. She and her husband had many happy years at their home on Second Street. They were both active in civic affairs and had a wide circle of friends. He passed away in 1982 and she continued to live in her home until moving to Colonial Manor in June of 1999. Her positive attitude has been an inspiration to all who spent time with her.

She is survived by her daughter, Betty Elder of Whitefish; three granddaughters, Donna Hale of Helena, Mary Yeats of Whitefish and Cathy Childs of Frenchtown; six great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Cremation has taken place and a memorial service will be held at Austin Funeral Home of Whitefish at 11 a.m. on Saturday.

Margaret Naeseth Hegland, 86

Margaret Naeseth Hegland, 86, died Sept. 13, 2001.

She was born in Valley City, N.D., on Oct. 10, 1914, where her father was a Lutheran pastor.



She was the second child in a family of five. Her childhood was filled with singing, and music was an enjoyable pleasure her whole life.

She earned a bachelor of science degree in biology from Luther College in Decorah, Iowa, and another bachelor's degree in nursing from Fairview Hospital.

On March 14, 1942, she married the Rev. Norval Hegland in Morrisonville, Wis. The marriage was performed by her father, the Rev. C.G. Naeseth.

The couple moved to Moorhead, Minn., where Norval served as professor of religion and Dean of Men at Concordia College. After World War II, the couple served a nine point flying parish based in Newell, S. D., then the Lemon Circuit Air Parish, S.D. Rev. Norval accepted the call to be superintendent of the Lutheran Eskimo Mission—as the “flying pastor”—in Teller, Alaska. He also established a church at Nome.

In Alaska, her skills in nursing, administration and music were essential during their nine years of service. In consultation with doctors in Nome by means of short wave radio, she administered to medical needs of villagers.

She was president of the Ladies Aid, superintendent of Sunday school, choir director and did many other support activities in mission work. During the year when Rev. Norval convalesced from tuberculosis, she held

church services. Along with her husband, she reveled in the challenges and beauty of life in Alaska.

They returned to the lower 48 states to serve parishes in South Dakota. Then in later years she and her husband served as co-administrators for the Lutheran Home, Hermiston, Ore., and St. Francis Nursing Home in Kansas. And finally served a parish in Wibaux. They retired to Hamilton and later to Lakeside.

They raised three children, Paul, who lives in Arlington, Va., Mary, who lives in San Jose, Calif., and Ruth, also of Arlington.

She was preceded in death by her granddaughter, Helen Margarethe Hegland who died Sept. 13, 2000; by her brother Gerhard Brandt Naeseth; and her sister Elaine Naeseth Lee.

She is survived by her loving husband Norval Hegland; her children, Paul Hegland, Mary Hegland and Ruth Hegland; grandchildren Mathew Puckett, Elizabeth and Ben Hegland, Karima Hooglund, Allen Dance; great granddaughter, Nakeysa; her siblings Louise Naeseth and her husband Fred Hubbard, Erling Naeseth and his wife Sally, Milma Naeseth, wife of the late Gerhard Naeseth, and Bob Lee, husband of Elaine.

She is remembered for her love of her family, her kindness to all and her delight in even the small joys of life. Her family particularly appreciates her courageous effort to continue showing her love during her last long illness.

A memorial service will be held Monday at 2 p.m. at Eidsvold Lutheran Church, U.S. 93, south of Somers.

In lieu of flowers, please send memorial gifts to Our Savior's Lutheran Church, P.O. 965, Nome, AK 99762.

01 John Lee Heim, 90

John Lee Heim, 90, of Hemet, Calif., died June 29, at Hemet Valley Medical Center.

He was born in Oklahoma and lived in Hemet for 14 years.

He is survived by his wife Neva; two daughters; seven

grandchildren, six great-grandchildren; two brothers, Fred of Whitefish and Robert of Kalispell; and a sister, Emily Jo Pfrimmer of Whitefish.

Graveside services were held at Riverside National Cemetery.

Heather Grace Henderson, infant

Heather Grace Henderson, infant, quietly became an angel in the loving arms of her mother and father at 12:25 a.m., Jan. 4, 2001 at Community Medical Center in Missoula.

She was born into this world at 11:25 p.m., Jan. 3, 2001, at Community Medical Center.

Though her life on earth was brief, she touched many lives with her quiet grace and blessed us all with a gift of peace and serenity.

She is survived by her parents, Terry and Marisa Henderson, and brother Kayman Henderson of Kalispell; grandparents, Ralph and

Trish Hart of Kalispell, William Henderson of Reno, Nev., and Geraldine Hoppe of Reno; great-grandmother Florence Hurd of Kalispell; and many aunts, uncles, cousins and other close family members of both Kalispell and Reno.

A candlelight memorial service will be held on Thursday at 7 p.m. at Epworth Methodist Church with Rev. Glen Woodson presiding. Those who wish, may make memorial contributions to Epworth Nursery at 329 Second Ave. E., Kalispell.

Arrangements are under direction of Johnson's Mortuary.

Harriet Genevieve Henricksen, 84

Harriet Genevieve Henricksen, 84 passed away on Jan. 28, 2001, at her home in Kalispell. Upon passing from this life she entered into the glorious presence of her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. The family's grief at her death is only matched by the joy of her returning into the presence of her loved ones who have gone on before.



She had many fond memories of her childhood in Scobey, where she was born on Aug. 4, 1916, to Jacoba and Hilda Jacobson. After growing up in eastern Montana, her family moved to the Flathead during the early 1930s. With her two brothers, Oscar and Irvin, serving in the military, and younger sisters still at home, she worked as a telephone operator to help meet the needs of her family.

In 1944, she married Harry M. Henricksen in Kalispell, and she then devoted the rest of her life to meeting the goals of being a loving and faithful wife, daughter, sister, and a good mother. She was a nurturing mother to her four daughters, and a fun and inspirational Nana to her grandchildren and great-grandchildren, and a kind and thoughtful friend.

Towards the end of her life, she shared with her family what she believed were the most important lessons she had learned in life: To be patient; that you can't always have your own way; and that it's worth it to spend time with your mother. Last summer her family from far and near gathered to celebrate her 84 years. She was honored by them for her loyalty, patience, understanding, gentleness, warmth and generosity.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Hilda and Jacoba, and by her sister Delores Fulbright.

She is survived by her loving husband Harry of Kalispell; four daughters, Karen and Steve Breck of Kalispell, Ann and Jack Grimshaw of Dayton, Ohio, Kristin Henricksen of Phoenix, and Sandra and Sid Stryker of Kalispell. She was also blessed with four grandsons, Shaun Grimshaw and wife, Kris, of Denver, Carey Grimshaw of Dayton, Ohio, Justin Breck and wife, Stephanie, of Portland; her five granddaughters, Tracey Hoover of Irvine, Calif., Jessica Scott of Scottsdale, Ariz., Emily Myers of Salem, Ore., Kristin Denning of Coram, and Kimberly Huhn of Loveland, Ohio. Further delight was taken in her great-grandchildren, Zachery, Katelyn, and Matthew Huhn, Carissa and Casey Denning, and Noah Grimshaw. Other surviving family members include her sister, Lorrian Martin of Portland, Oscar Jacobson, and Irvin Jacobson and his wife, Margaret, all of Kalispell; and many nieces, nephews and other family members.

Visitation will be held at Johnson Mortuary on Thursday from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. Funeral services will be held at Bethlehem Lutheran Church at 603 S. Main, Kalispell, on Friday at 11 a.m. to be followed by burial at Conrad Cemetery and a luncheon at Bethlehem Lutheran. In lieu of flowers, she had requested that memorials be given to Focus on the Family, or Compassion International (www.compassion.com) both of Colorado Springs, CO 80935; or the missions organization of the donor's choice.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary.

25 may 01 **Wallace C. 'Wally' Henkel, 78**

Wallace C. "Wally" Henkel, 78, died Friday at St. John Lutheran Hospital in Libby.

He was born at Helena, on Jan. 28, 1923, to George and Ethel Henkel.

He married Ella Mae Jacobson in 1956. She preceded him in death.

He is survived by his long-time companion Nora Sperry of Libby; a son; a daughter, Debbie Munro and her family

of Libby; and two stepsons and their families.

Services will be Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Nelson and Vial Funeral Home Chapel. Interment services with military honors will follow at the City of Libby Cemetery. Visitation will be from 1 to 8 p.m. today.

Memorials may be made to Libby Volunteer Ambulance, P.O. Box 777, Libby, MT 59923.

Palma D. Kushner-Henry, 60

Palma D. Kushner-Henry, 60, passed on to her Heavenly Father on Jan. 17, 2001, in the comfort of her home in Columbia Falls with her family around her.

She was born to Merle and Gladys Greenland in their home in Columbia Falls on Oct. 21, 1940. Columbia Falls being her hometown, she attended the schools in the area. She helped make and build the Ace Powell art gallery in the early 70s.

In the late 70s, she moved to Bremerton, Wash. She started a few small businesses of her own. There she received her cosmetology and real estate licenses.

She loved to attend Rev. Pete Mears of the Destiny Christian Center of Ronan, loving and serving the Lord Jesus Christ.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Merle and Gladys

Greenland, also her brother Clifford Greenland.

She is survived by her husband Robert Henry of Columbia Falls; her six beautiful children, Roxane Lofthus of Polson, Kimi Botts of Reno, Nev., Belle Kushner of Columbia Falls, Mark Kushner of Paradise, Raymond Kushner of Cheyenne, Wyo., William Kushner of Kalispell; her sisters, Joyce Ogdall of Kalispell, and Karen Shephard of Hailey, Idaho; 16 grandchildren; and numerous nephews and nieces and great-nephews and nieces.

A memorial service will take place at the Salvation Army Church of Kalispell, 110 Bountiful Dr., at 3 p.m. today. Dinner will follow the service.

Arrangements are under the direction of Columbia Mortuary in Columbia Falls.

William James 'Bill' Henry, 83

William James "Bill" Henry, 83, died on Oct. 28, 2001, at his home in Bigfork.

Arrangements are pending under the direction of Bigfork Funeral Home.

Luella C. Henthorn, 84

Luella C. Henthorn, 84, of Spokane, Wash., died Dec. 30, 2001, at the Libby Care Center.

She was born March 27, 1917, in Lambert, to Roy and Ida May Clark. She is survived by five sisters and two brothers; four children, Barbara Pariseau and husband Wilbert of Libby, Ron Henthorn of Spokane, Wash., Mary Bursell and husband Myron of Libby, and Bert Hen-

thorn and wife Joyce of Spokane; and numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Graveside services will be Thursday at 2:30 p.m. at the City of Libby Cemetery. Visitation will be from 1 to 8 p.m. Wednesday.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of Nelson and Vial Funeral Home in Libby.

Leonard Herbst, 78

Leonard Herbst, 78, of Kalispell, passed away on April 22, 2001 at the Evergreen Health and Rehabilitation Center in Polson. He was born Oct. 10, 1922 in Mt. Vernon, S. D., to Herman



and Martha Arbeiter Herbst. In celebration of his life, his family would like to present his story.

He spent his early years in a farming community where he developed his intense love for growing things from his father. During World War II, he served in an Army medi-evac unit. He was one of three groups in the European theater who evacuated more than 720,000 wounded American soldiers from the front line. Leaving the war on a Friday, he started college the following Monday at Dakota Wesleyan University in Mitchell, S. D., where he received a bachelor of arts degree in history. While in college, he met and married Thelma Murphy on Sept. 1, 1946 in Sturgis, S. D. His early professional life was spent in Presho, S. D., where he was first coach and then superintendent. It was in Presho that he and his wife became the parents of two daughters, Leanna and Janelle. During this time he also received his master's degree in school administration at the University of South Dakota. The family moved to Kimball where he was superintendent of schools and oversaw the building of a new school complex.

With the desire to return to school, the family moved to Pony so that he and his wife could attend Montana State University during the summer months. Here they fell in love with the moun-

tains' and spent their leisure time exploring the Tobacco Roots in an old Scout International. In 1965, the family moved to Kalispell and he became the principal of Central/Linderman Schools. For 15 years, he worked with the junior high population of Kalispell. During his entire life of educating students, he displayed his philosophy of disciplining with love. There are many residents of the Flathead Valley who either worked with him or were his students. He also oversaw the building of the new junior high system. After his retirement in 1980, he continued to work in community and church affairs.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one sister, Darlene Wiczorek.

He is survived by his wife, Thelma Herbst of Kalispell; two daughters, Janelle Logan and her husband Terry of Somers, and Leanna Konechne and her husband Pat of Tucson, Ariz.; his twin sister, Leona Kaufman of Sioux Falls, S.D.; and his brother Dr. Arnold Herbst of Sioux City, Iowa; four grandchildren, Jordan and Lindsay Reece, and Alex and Jessica Logan; and the remaining members of the Tuesday morning coffee group. He will be remembered with love and respect.

Memorial services will be held on Wednesday at 10 a.m. at Epworth Methodist Church with Rev. Marvin Northcutt officiating. A private burial will be held at Glacier Memorial Gardens. The family suggests memorials be sent in his name to the WWII Memorial Fund, American Battle Monuments Commission, Attn: GR048, P. O. Box 96074, Washington, D.C. 20090-6074.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.

Adeline Schauer Hopkins Herrin, 96

Adeline Schauer Hopkins Herrin, 96, passed away at Immanuel Lutheran Home on March 10, 2001.

She was born Dec. 18, 1904, in Kalispell, to John W. and Minnie Siler Schauer.

She married Royal Hopkins on Nov. 18, 1921. She worked for many years as a bookkeeper at Torbert's Department Store.

She was a member of both the Eagles Lodge and the Kalispell Business Women's Club, and the Central Christian Church. She was an avid rock hound and loved to travel, go fishing and camping. She also enjoyed collecting driftwood.

Her husband preceded her in death in 1966, and she married George Herrin on Nov. 21, 1969. He preceded her in death in February 2001.

She is survived by many nieces, nephews, and friends.

Funeral services will be held at Johnson Mortuary Chapel on Saturday at 2:30 p.m. with the Rev. Peter Ramseth officiating. Visitation will be held on Friday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Johnson Mortuary Chapel.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.

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George Donald Herrin, 86

George Donald Herrin, 86, died on Feb. 22, 2001, at the Immanuel Lutheran Home in Kalispell.

He was born June 28, 1914, in Belgrade, to William Harrison and Nettie Sachs Herrin.

He is survived locally by his wife, Adeline, and a niece.

No services are scheduled at this time.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.

Paul W. Herron, M.D., 73

Paul W. Herron, M.D., 73, died on Jan. 9, 2001, in Salem, Ore.

He was born July 12, 1927, in McCloud, Calif.

He joined the Army, and served in World War II. He served with Special Forces in 1960.

He was a graduate of Washington University Medical School and completed his internship and residency in Seattle. He practiced medicine in Seattle and Kalispell. He also conducted drug research for Sterling Drug.

He enjoyed writing and hiking. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa; the American College of Surgeons; Northwest Pacific Medical Society; Redeemer Lutheran Church of Salem; and the Scottish Rite.

He was married in 1981.

He is survived by his wife, Carol Herron of Salem; three sons, Bruce Herron of Duvall, Wash., Reid Herron of Kingston, Wash., Mark Herron of Bozeman, and step-son Scott Klopp of Culver, Ore.; three daughters, Chris Fuller of Seattle, Shelby Dutter and Jamey Herron, both of Kalispell; a sister, Pat Sullivan of Plymouth, Mich.; and eight grandchildren.

Visitation will be today from 5-8 p.m. at Howell-Edwards-Doerksen Funeral Home in Salem. No services are planned.

Memorials can be made to Redeemer Lutheran Church of Salem.

Gerald Edward Hersman, 86

Gerald Edward Hersman, 86, passed away Dec. 23, 2001, at the Brendan House in Kalispell. Gerald was born July 1, 1915, in Hamilton, to Joseph A. and Mamie L. Iddings Hersman.

After graduating high school, Gerald went to work for Safeway Stores as a meat cutter. For 20 years he worked for various Safeways and even managed two of the meat departments. He left Safeway in Butte and bought a dry cleaning business in Livingston which he ran for a while. Then in 1972, he became foreman for the Jumping Rainbow ranch. Lastly, Gerald had managed the meat market at St. Mary's, retiring in 1982.

He married Delores White in Hamilton on July 11, 1940. Gerald loved anything western, especially western books and John Wayne



movies.

He is preceded in death by his parents, one brother, two sisters, one grandson and a great-grandson.

Gerald is survived by his loving wife, Delores of Libby; son Jerry Hersman and wife Debbie of Libby; daughter Sandra Tecca and husband Ed of Kalispell; three grandsons, Todd Hersman and wife Melodie and Bryan Hersman and wife Kelley of Missoula, Scott Tecca and wife Nicole of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; three brothers, George of Clarkston, Wash., Donald of Sagle, Idaho, and Charles of Spokane, Wash.; two great-grandsons and three great-granddaughters.

Memorial services for will be held on Thursday at 2 p.m. at Christ Lutheran Church in Libby with Rev. Les Nelson officiating. Friends may make memorial contributions to the Rocky Mountain Heart Foundation.

Cremation and arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.

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James Bernard Hetherington, 94

James Bernard Hetherington, 84, passed away Dec. 28, 2001, at Lake View Care Center in Bigfork.

He was born April 30, 1917, in Whitehall, to Walter and Trilby Covell Hetherington. He went to work for the railroad in Livingston, then later transferred to Whitefish, where he worked as an engineer until he retired.

Jim was a lifetime member of the Elks Lodge. He was an avid hunter, fisherman and golfer. He was a born-again Christian, and is

now living a healthy and happy life with the Lord.

He is survived by his daughter Lona Morehouse of Enumclaw, Wash., and Thelma Norskog of Missoula; stepdaughters, Sue Spilman of Seabeck, Wash.; six grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be held at a later date. Arrangements are under the direction of Buffalo Hill Funeral Home and Crematory.

Ella Hewitt, 95

Ella Hewitt, 95, died April 30, 2001, at Heritage Place.

She was born to Adolph and Maria Hegre on June 23, 1905, in Astoria, S.D. The family soon moved to Woodville, Wis., where she received her schooling. She graduated from River Falls Normal School with a teaching degree, and traveled to Angela to teach in a small rural school.

She married John Dana Hewitt on May 8, 1926, and within a few months traveled to Polson, where they lived for the next 45 years. They then lived in Somers. For the past six years, she has been at home at Heritage Place in Kalispell until her death.

She was a life-long member of the Lutheran Church and sang alto in choir until she was 8 years old. She was active in the women's group, and as a Sunday school teacher. She enjoyed quilting with the Cover Girls of Eidsvold Lutheran Church, and crocheted baby sweaters for layettes that were sent with the quilts to Lutheran World Relief.

Her husband, John, passed away in 1976. She was also preceded in death by her parents; brothers Theodore and Arnold; and sisters Mabel Danielson and Judith Hegre.

She is survived by daughters Myrtus Boon of Somers, Leona

Frazier and Gayle Erickson of Moses Lake, Wash., and Delphia Blumenthal of Kalispell; grandchildren Judy O'Boyle, David Boon, and Lydia Buntten of Kalispell, Jan Harness, Wanda Boon, Mac Vinnedge, and Pam Huffman of Bigfork, Lanni Fetveit of Somers, Paul of Centralia, Wash., Dale Erickson of Chehalis, Wash., Joel Erickson of Durham, N.C., Gary Frazier of Moses Lake, Wash., Wendy Schmidt of Bridgeport, Wash., Jonell Block of Cheney, Wash., Steven Vinnedge of Great Falls, and Paula Araujo of Corona, Calif.; 31 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren; as well as several nieces and nephews.

A service to celebrate her life will be held at Eidsvold Lutheran Church on Saturday at 3:30 p.m. Burial will precede the service and take place at the Conrad Cemetery at 2 p.m. under the direction of Johnson Mortuary. There will be a viewing from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. Saturday morning.

The family suggests memorial gifts be given to Heritage Place, where she was so lovingly cared for in her final years.

Arrangements are under the direction of Johnson Mortuary and Crematory.