

Gloucester City News Obituaries July 2017

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ARTHUR F. "BUTCH" HERMAN (July 6th)

Celebration of Life will be held on Thursday, July 6 at 6 p.m. with service at 8p.m. at Mahaffey-Milano Funeral Home, 11 E. Kings Hwy., Mt. Ephraim, for Arthur F. Herman, 86, of Mt. Ephraim, who passed away peacefully on June 25th, 2017.

Beloved son of the late Arthur and Barbara Herman. Dearest brother of Peggy (Bill) Schemel, Ronald (Joanne) Herman, Robert (Mary) Herman, and the late Doris (Charles) Whitman, and the late Lillian (Joe) Hunter. Also many nieces and nephews, great nieces and great nephews.

Mr. Herman was employed at NDI. He also assisted the Camden Diocese to build missionaries in Brazil for 2 years, and was a member of the S.J. Enduro Riders.

Interment of Cremains will be private at New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers donations may be sent to Mt. Ephraim Fire Dept., 200 Bell Rd., Mt. Ephraim, NJ 08059 in Butch Herman's memory

CHESTER KUCZYNSKI (July 6th)

A Memorial Mass of Christian Burial was held at St. Ann's Church for Chester Kuczynski, 90, of Westville, who passed away peacefully on June 25, 2017 in the home he built 66 years ago and lived with his late wife, Mary.

Survived by his daughter, Mary (Frank) Fravel, Cherished granddaughter, Dorothy Emma (Robert) Hoskins. Loving great granddaughter, Tiffany Ann Hoskins, sister, Ann Kobylinski, also several nieces and nephews. Predeceased by his siblings, Leon, Helen Kondreski and Kay Merriel

He was born and raised in Gloucester City, NJ and was an Army Veteran of WWII.

Chester was a carpenter for Scarborough Construction, a member of St. Joachim's Parish, attending St. Ann's Church in Westville and enjoyed his visits to the YMCA in Woodbury.

He loved gardening, hunting, fishing and was an avid crabber.

Inurnment with Military Honors was held at Hillcrest Memorial Park, Pitman.

Contributions in his memory to Heartland Hospice, 190 N. Evergreen Ave. Ste 122, Woodbury, NJ 08096 would be appreciated.

Louise M. Coppola (July 6th)

Funeral services were held at McCann-Healey Funeral Home for Louise M. Coppola (nee Santarsiero), 79, of Bellmawr, who passed away surrounded by her loving family on June 28, 2017.

Born in Brooklyn, NY on April 2, 1938 to the late Vito and Carmella Santarsiero.

Loving wife of 34 years to the late Orlando Coppola. Loving mother of William Anzalone (Anna), Steven Coppola (Jennifer), Felice Coppola, Antoinette Freeman and Orlando Coppola, Jr. (Jean). Cherished grandmother of Josh, Brandon, Denise, Felicia and Christina and great-grandmother of Adriana. Dear sister of Leonard Santarsiero, Marie Gama, Catherine Millstein, Theresa LaVista and the late Margaret Caruso.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth St., Gloucester City

Interment was at New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

Elizabeth Norcross DeLuca (July 6th)

Funeral services were held June 29, 2017 at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester, for Elizabeth Norcross DeLuca, 83, of Gloucester City, formerly Philadelphia. Who passed away on June 25, 2017.

Loving mother of Robert Bjork, Betty Buinicky (James), Jean Smith (John), Tammy DeLuca (Jimmy Mano), Joseph DeLuca (Kelly) and Matthew DeLuca. Predeceased by her children, Joyce Bjork and Mark DeLuca.

Also survived by many loving grandchildren, great grandchildren and her sister, Ruth Buck.

Interment at Cedar Grove Cemetery, Gloucester City.

GERRY STEPNEY (July 6th)

Memorial mass was held at Sacred Heart Church, Camden, for Gerry Stepney, 63, of Brooklyn, NY, formerly of Camden, who passed away.

HELEN BOCHANSKI (July 6th)

Private funeral services were held at Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell St., Gloucester City for Helen Bochanski (nee Krammes), 91, of Mt. Ephraim, who passed away on June 23, 2017.

She is the beloved wife of Felix C. Bochanski and dear sister of Joann Barnett.

Helen was a 1943 graduate of Schuylkill Haven High School. She also graduated from St. Luke's Nursing School in 1946 and worked at St. Luke's and Children's Hospital for many years.

MARY JANE "JEANIE" CAHILL (July 6th)

Funeral services were held at Budd Funeral Home, Woodbury, for Mary Jane "Jeanie" Cahill (nee Rossi), 90, of Westville, who passed away June 25, 2017.

She was predeceased by her husband, Daniel Cahill and grandson John Eckel. Survived by her daughters Marie (Rick) Sadler, Jennifer (Joseph) Paskill, Sandra (John) Kustner, siblings Anita Sherfel, Carmen (Connie) Rossi, Joe Rossi, Gloria Mariano, Diane (Dan) Nickerson, grandchildren Richard Eckel, Jayme (Erik) Anderson, Johnny Kustner (Katrina Fowler), Alaina (Fran) Molloy and great grandchildren Asher Anderson, Francis and Reese Mae Molloy.

Jeanie owned and operated Fran Dan's Restaurant in Westville for 32 years. Jeanie loved her life at Fran Dan's with her husband Dan, and enjoyed all the Woodbury High School 50's kids at her restaurant. Jeanie loved to cook and most of all, loved being with her grandchildren.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to Budd Funeral Home, Woodbury.

Interment at New St. Mary's Cemetery

Jeanne P. Matey (July 6th)

Funeral services were held at McCann-Healey Funeral Home for Jeanne p. Matey, 84, (nee Pellegrino) of Gloucester City, formerly of Haddon Heights, who passed away surrounded by her loving family, on June 26, 2017.

Beloved daughter of the late Peter and Alice Pellegrino. Loving mother of William D. Matey Jr. (Kathy), Michele McEvoy (Tom) and Melanie McDonald (Bill).

Cherished grandmother of William D. Matey III, Melissa Sue Matey, Jason Ryan Matey, Samantha Jean McDonald, John L. Reader IV, Jessica Lauren Reader and Zachary James McDonald.

Cherished great-grandmother of Scarlett Taylor Zelinack, Jacob Koa Matey, Nathan Peter Matey, Landon Ty Zelinack, Addison McKenzie Zelinack and Drew Ariana Payne.

Predeceased by her siblings, Sara Bowers, Dr. Peter Pellegrino (surviving Bobbi) and Alice Fleig.

Jeanne was a graduate of Gloucester High School's class of 1950.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCANN-HEALEY FUNERAL HOME, 851 Monmouth St., Gloucester City.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or online at www.stjude.org Please memo: Jeanne P. Matey.

ROSEMARY LOUISE PERRY (July 6th)

Mass of Christian Burial was held at St. Mary's R.C. Church in Gloucester for Rosemary Louise Perry (nee Koppen), 75, of Gloucester City, formerly of North East, MD. who passed away surrounded by her loving family, on June 30, 2017.

Loving wife of the late Kenneth F. Perry, Sr. Loving mother of Kenneth F. Perry, Jr. (Robin) and the late Amanda S. Perry. Dear sister of Werner O. Koppen, Jr. and Kristin R. Meyer.

Rosemary was born on June 3, 1942, in Camden, NJ to the late Werner O. Koppen, Sr. and Rosemary Koppen (nee Keegan). She was a school teacher for many years at the Good Sheppard School in Perryville, MD. Rosemary was a member of the Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the USA.

Interment will be private in Eastern Shore Veterans Cemetery, in Hurlock, MD.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Alzheimer's Association, 3 Eves Drive, Suite 310, Marlton, NJ 08053 or to Chapter 703 Purple Heart, 815 Turkey Point Road, North East, MD 21901. Please memo: Rosemary L. Perry.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth St., Gloucester City

ANNA H. RAMSBOTTOM (July 6th)

Private services were held for Anna H. Ramsbottom, 82, (nee Irvin) of Camden, NJ who passed away on June 22, 2017.

She was the beloved wife of the late Earl C. Ramsbottom, Sr., Loving mother of Earl J. Jr. and David Ramsbottom. Dear sister of Irene Allison and the late Theresa Dickinson, Mary Ann Carey and Helen Schlueter.

She is also survived by her dear granddaughter Nicole and many dear nieces and nephews.

Funeral service will be private at the request of her family.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City

HARRY J. BLYMER JR. (July 13th)

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at St. Mary's Church, 426 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City on Friday, July 14 at 11 a.m. for Harry J. Blymer, Jr., 79, of Deptford formerly of Gloucester City who passed away on July 8, 2017.

ord. Formerly of Gloucester City. Loving husband of Judith Redrow Blymer (nee Beckett). Beloved brother of James Blymer (Maryann), Cathy Fritz, Barbara Ridge and the late William Ridge. Cherished uncle of Jeanette Dembinski (Matt) and James Blymer (Kellie). Beloved step-father of William Redrow (Gina), Robert Redrow (Pamela), Lawrence Redrow (Michele) and Michael Redrow. Also survived by many loving nieces, nephews and members of the Blymer and Redrow families.

Harry proudly served our country in the U.S. Army in Germany. He retired from Elevator Union Local 5 in Philadelphia. Harry was a longtime member of the Gloucester City American Legion Post 135 and Townsend C. Young VFW Post 72.

Relatives and friends are invited to his viewing on Friday morning, 9 to 10:30 a.m. at the McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth St., Gloucester City.

Interment with Military Honors at Gloucester County Veterans Cemetery, Monroe Twp.

Memorial donations may be made to Gloucester City American Legion Post 135, Cumberland and Atlantic Sts., Gloucester City, NJ 08030.

SUSAN L. COLLINS (July 13th)

Funeral services were held at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Susan L. Collins, 53, of Gloucester City who passed away on June 30, 2017.

Loving mother of Jeffrey, Justin and Andrew Widman, Stephanie Collins and Austin Piliro. Step-mother of Candice Piliro. Cherished grandmother of Joshua and Julius Piliro, Mason, Seamus and Riley Widman. Beloved sister of Danny, Timmy, Robert and Dawn Collins. Predeceased by her brother, William and sister, Diane. Loving aunt to many nieces and nephews.

Interment Bethel Memorial Park, Pennsauken.

DOMENIC J. SPADEA JR. (July 13th)

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 200 South Black Horse Pike, Bellmawr for Domenic J. Spadea, Jr., 88, who passed away on July 5, 2017.

Devoted father of Domenic Spadea, III. Loving brother of Rosemary Haubrich and the late Terry Bono, Frank and Nick Spadea. Also survived by nieces and nephews.

Mr. Spadea proudly served in the U.S. Army.

Interment Calvary Cemetery, Cherry Hill.

Family requests in lieu of flowers, donations to Vitas Healthcare, 1300 Wolf St., 2nd Floor, Phila., PA 19148.

HELEN REINHARDT (July 13th)

A Memorial Celebration will be held on July 20 at 5 p.m. at the Metro Diner in Brooklawn for Helen Lorraine (Fish) Reinhardt, 91 of Clermont, Florida, formerly of Gloucester City, who passed away Tuesday, May 23, 2017 in Clemont.

Helen was born July 20, 1925 in Elmyra, NY the daughter of Woodford "Woody" Fish and Margaret "Maggie Fish. She married Robert Reinhardt September 30, 1961 in Bayonne, and made their home in Gloucester City in 1968. Helen worked during WWII at the Corning Glass Works as a glass cutter. She held many jobs over the years, including a waitress at Topps Diner in Bayonne and a cashier at the Coast Guard Exchange in Gloucester City. She was known as the "Candy Lady" at the Berlin Farmers Mart where she was a vendor at the outside flea market for 30 years. Her proudest job was being a mom and she was a homemaker for many years while her daughter was young.

She moved to Florida in 2014. She was preceded in death by her husband Robert Reinhardt in Dec 2009, by her parents and two brothers Henry Fish and Robert Fish. Survivors include her daughter and son-in-law Debbie and Dave May, three brothers Bill Fish, Carl Fish and wife Carol and Roger Fish; two sisters Thelma McMullen and Nel Hayes and husband Hank; and many nieces and nephews. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society or the Alzheimer's Association.

CHARLES EMMANUEL IEPSON III (July 13th)

At Charlie's request private services were held for Charles Emmanuel Iepson, III, 64, of Davenport, FL, formerly of Stratford and North Camden who passed away on July 4, 2017.

Loving husband of 23 years to Debbie Iepson (nee McCleery). Loving father of Charles E. Iepson, IV (Sarah), Kenneth Iepson (Cheryl), Anthony DeRemigi (Alexis) and Kerri DeRemigi. Cherished grandfather of 8 precious grandchildren, Nick, Ava, Kennedy, Chase, Jackson, Mia, Lucca and McKayla. Dear brother of Carol Keyek and Linda Keyek. Also survived by many loving nieces, nephews and sister and brother-in-laws. Predeceased by his parents, Charles E. Iepson, Jr and Virginia Iepson (nee Witthuhn) and sister Geraldine Riess.

Charlie was a graduate of Union College in Kentucky. For 32 years, he was a Health and P.E. Teacher at Woodrow Wilson High School in Camden where he coached varsity baseball, volleyball, and soccer & varsity swimming at Haddonfield High School. Charlie was a member of the North Wildwood Beach Patrol for 30 years as a lifeguard and captain. He also served as the director of the annual Beschen-Callahan Memorial Lifeguard Races and the Around the Island Row.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to aid in the research and education of pancreatic cancer to: Ralph H. Hruban, M.D. c/o Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, 600 N. Wolfe St., Carnegie 417, Baltimore, MD 21287.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

JOSEPH R. DIGIACOMO SR. (July 13th)

Funeral services will be held in The Chapel at Boucher Funeral Home, 1757 Delsea Drive, Deptford on Thursday, July 13 at 10 a.m. for Joseph R. DiGiacomo, Sr., 77, of Deptford, formerly of Gloucester City who passed away on July 9, 2017.

Beloved husband of Catherine M. DiGiacomo (nee Davidson). Father of Tricia DiGiacomo (Kevin) of Westville, Susan DiGiacomo of Deptford and Joseph DiGiacomo Jr. (Laura) of Blue Bell, PA. Brother of Edward DiGiacomo of Gloucester City and the late Frank DiGiacomo. Grandfather of Elise, James, Samuel and Caroline.

Joe was a long time employee at Camden County Health Care Services in Lakeland.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend a viewing on Wednesday, 7 to 9 p.m. and Thursday, 9 to 10 a.m. at the funeral home.

Entombment St. Joseph's Cemetery Mausoleum, Chews Landing.

MARIE D. BISIRRI (July 13th)

Funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Joachim Parish, Bellmawr for Marie D. Bisirri, 95 (nee Coppola), of Bellmawr who passed away on July 8, 2017.

Beloved wife of the late Joseph M. Bisirri. Devoted mother of Joseph Bisirri (Denise), Dominic Bisirri (Alison), and Maryann Bisirri. Loving Nanny of Sophie, Talia, Gabriella, Dominic, Joseph, and Felicia. Dear sister of Rose Barbarito and the late Joseph Coppola. Sister-in-law of Roseann Chambers. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Marie was a member of the Bellmawr Ladies' Auxiliary.

Entombment New St. Mary's Mausoleum, Bellmawr.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted by Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede.

MARY C. VOGELSONG (July 13th)

Funeral Mass will be held at Holy Child Parish Church, Bellmawr on July 14 at 11 a.m. for Mary C. Vogelsong, 91, (nee Hunter), of Runnemede who passed away on July 7, 2017.

Beloved wife of Robert Vogelsong for 65 years. Devoted mother of Robert Vogelsong, Jr. (Pauline), William Vogelsong (Norma), and Teri Coe (William). Loving grandmom of Bree, Liz, Jennifer, Erin, Colin, Jack, Kerry and great grandmom of 7. Dear sister of the late Michael and William Hunter and Kathleen Dougherty. Also survived by nieces and nephews.

Mary was a member of the Altar and Rosary Society at St. Maria Goretti.

There will be a viewing Friday 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede.

Interment New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, donations Samaritan Healthcare and Hospice, 5 Eves Drive, Suite 300, Marlton, NJ 08053.

DIANE J. MILLS (July 13th)

Funeral Burial was held at Cedar Grove Cemetery, Gloucester City for Diane J. Mills, 66 of Deptford, formerly of Bellmawr who passed away on July 2, 2017.

Beloved mother of Charles Mills, daughter of James Evridge, sister of Glen Evridge and Carolyn Evridge. Predeceased by her husband, Charles F. Mills, Jr.; mother, Margaret Dowdney- Evridge and brothers John, Kenneth and James Evridge.

Diane worked as a file clerk for Keystone Industries in Cherry Hill.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

STEPHEN JOSEPH PHILLIPS (July 13th)

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City for Stephen Joseph Phillips, 62, of Collingswood who passed away on July 2, 2017.

Loving husband of 32 years to Barbara Phillips. Loving father of Joshua and Zachary Phillips. Cherished grandfather of Sadie Jane and Marvin. Beloved brother of Michael, Christopher and Mark Phillips. Predeceased by his brother, Robert Phillips.

Stephen was the longtime owner of U.S.S. Carwash in Edgewater Park. He recently retired in January, after 10 years at the New Lisbon Developmental Center.

Interment will be private.

In lieu of flowers, donations to The Tyanna Foundation at www.tyanna.org. Please memo: Stephen Joseph Phillips.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

WALTER W. PINE JR. (July 13th)

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, July 12 at 8 p.m. at Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City for Walter W. Pine Jr., 74, of Woodbury who passed away on July 7, 2017.

He is the beloved son of Elizabeth Pochipin, loving father of Theresa, Joseph, Joyce, Lorraine, Michael, Donna and Walter, cherished grandfather of 16 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren, dear brother of Laura Mertz and Catherine Bintliff and predeceased by his brother Clarence.

Relatives and friends are invited to meet Wednesday evening from 6 to 8 p.m. at the funeral home.

Interment will be private and held at the convenience of the family.

RICHARD "DICK" J. HORAN SR. (July 13th)

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Joseph the Worker Parish, Oaklyn for Richard "Dick" J. Horan, Sr., 83, of Audubon Park who passed away on July 3, 2017.

He was the beloved husband of the late Eleanor A. (nee Conroy), loving father of Kathleen Schmincke (Fred) of Oaklyn, Richard J. Horan, Jr. (Debbie) of Audubon, Jacqueline Jones (Selby) of Gloucester City and Barbara Vennell (Bob) of Bellmawr. He is also survived by his dear grandchildren Fred Jr. (Jennifer), Jennifer (Dana), Daniel (Sara), Richard III (Shannon), Selby III (Christine), Alison (Brian) Kevin (Erin) and Shauna (Kevin) and great grandchildren Emma, Valerie, Molly and Connor.

Dick was a Navy Veteran of the Korean War where he served on the aircraft carrier USS WASP. He was a member of the Brooklawn American Legion Post 72, Townsend C. Young VFW Post 3620, the Audubon Park Fire Dept. and was a life member of the ICAC. He was also a member of the Independent Umpires Assoc. and the South Jersey Basketball Officials. Along with officiating sports Dick also enjoyed coaching. He was a former coach for Fairview, Oaklyn and Mt. Ephraim Midget Football Leagues, Audubon Park and Mt. Ephraim Little Leagues and Girls Softball Leagues. Dick was a Phillies Fan and a diehard Eagles Fan. He enjoyed going to the games in the "winavega" and his favorite summer spot was Crabby Jack's in Somers Point.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Creran Funeral Home, Oaklyn.

Interment at New St. Mary's Cemetery in Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations to Richard J. Horan, Sr. Memorial Fund, Audubon Board of Education, 350 Edgewood Ave., Audubon, NJ 08106.

VIRGINIA SZARKOWSKI (July 13th)

Memorial Mass was held at Holy Child Parish, Runnemede for Virginia Szarkowski (nee Orbaczewski), 96, of Glendora who passed away on July 2, 2017.

Devoted wife of the late Leon. Beloved mother of Leonard Szarkowski (Joanne) and Patricia Ferguson.

Loving grandmother of Vince Jr., Judy, Leonard Jr., and Mark. Great grandmom of three. Caring sister of Laura Miller (Hubert) & Felicia Safko (Edmund) and the late Walter (Lillian), Theodore (Lucy), & Frederick (Mildred). Beloved Ciocia of eleven nieces and six nephews. Virginia loved gardening, cooking, baking, and crocheting. She also loved spending time with her family.

Inurnment New St. Mary's Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Lutheran Crossings, 255 E Main St, Moorestown, NJ 08057.

EMIL LASALLE BAEHR IV (July 20th)

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City for Emil LaSalle Baehr, IV, 30, of Gloucester City who passed away on July 10, 2017.

Loving son of Emil L. Baehr, III and Mary K. Baehr (nee Kain). Beloved brother of Jessica Pease (Rob), Michael Baehr and James Baehr. Cherished uncle of McKenna. Loving boyfriend of Gia. Also survived by many loving aunts, uncles, cousins, great aunts, great uncles, his dog Nala and many great friends.

Emil was a graduate of Gloucester High School class of 2005 and received his Associate's from Stockton University. He was a member of the Sportsmen A.C. and an avid Flyers fan.

Interment will be private in New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Msgr. Lucitt's Needy Children's Christmas Fund: PO Box 87, Gloucester City, NJ 08030 or St. Mary's Church Debt Reduction Fund, 426 Monmouth St., Gloucester City, NJ 08030 or to My Father's House, 104 N. King St., Gloucester City, NJ 08030.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

BARBARA JEAN SMITH (July 20th)

Funeral services were held at 10th Street Baptist Church, Camden for Barbara Jean Smith, 71, of Brooklawn who passed away on June 30, 2017.

She leaves to cherish her memory her children Geraldine Sanders, Wayne (Charmaine) Smith, Pearl Smith and Frances (Marlon) Smith-Bonds, siblings Robert Shelton, Kathleen Hammond, James Stewart, Lucille Banks, Bernadette Green and Edith Johnson, 9 grandchildren, a host of great grandchildren, nieces, nephews and family and friends.

Interment Sunset Cemetery.

ROBERT H. BENNETT, SR (July 20th)

Funeral services were held at Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City for Robert H. Bennett, Sr., who passed away on July 12, 2017.

He is the beloved husband of Harriet (nee Reven), loving father of Robin Rickards, Robert H. Bennett Jr., Raymond Bennett, Peggy Greene, and James, John and Deborah Bennett. He is also survived by 10 dear grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. Bob was an active and involved member of Trinity United Methodist Church in Gloucester City. He was a former employee of Kmart in Brooklawn and was a school crossing guard both for more than 20 years. He also was a member of the Gloucester City Board of Education for more than 30 years, a member of the Sportsmen AC and was a coach for Gloucester City Little League and the Basketball Leagues.

Interment will follow at Cedar Grove Cemetery, in Gloucester City.

In lieu of flowers, contributions to Bob Bennett, Sr. Funeral Assistance Fund, through GoFundMe would be appreciated.

CATHARINE B. "CASS" THOMASSON (July 20th)

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City for Catharine B. "Cass" Thomasson, 80, (nee Hopkins), of Woodbury who passed away on July 9, 2017.

Cass was predeceased by her beloved parents John and Edna Hopkins. She was the beloved wife of the late Harold H. Thomasson, loving mother of Harold H. Thomasson Jr. (Carol) and Colleen Chiu and cherished grandmother of Madison, Sarah and Zachary.

Cass was born in Camden and raised in Gloucester City. She was a 1954 Grad of Gloucester Catholic HS and loved getting together with her sorority sisters and fellow alumni. She was a long time secretary at St. Mary's Church, and also enjoyed being a member of the Gloucester City and West Deptford Sr. Citizens Clubs.

Interment held at the convenience of the Family.

In lieu of flowers donations to the St. Mary's Needy Childrens Fund, P. O. Box 87, Gloucester City, NJ 08030, the Food Bank Of South Jersey, 1501 John Tipton Blvd., Pennsauken, NJ 08109 or the Cathedral Kitchen 1514 Federal Street, Camden, NJ 08105.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to the Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City.

ELSIE DOCKER (July 20th)

Private services will be held for Elsie Docker, 75, of Bridgeton, formerly of Oxford, who passed away on July 9, 2017

Loving daughter of the late Hayden and Florence Docker (nee Broad). Predeceased by her siblings: Claude and Dee. Survived by one nephew and three nieces.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

ELIZABETH A. GARTLAND (July 20th)

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City for Elizabeth A. Gartland, 81, (nee Underwood), of Gloucester City who surrounded by her loving family, passed away on July 13, 2017.

Loving and devoted wife of 52 years to the late William E. Gartland. Loving mother of Timothy (Sharon), William Jr., Patrick (Nancy), Christopher and Joanne (Shawn). Cherished grandmother of 21 and great-grandmother of one. Beloved sister of William, Michael and Thomas Underwood.

Inurnment private, New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Msgr. Lucitt's Needy Children's Fund: PO Box 87, Gloucester City, NJ 08030. Please memo: Elizabeth A. Gartland.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

KAREN CALZONETTI GIZZIE (July 20th)

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City for Karen Calzonetti Gizzie, 55, of Gloucester City who passed away on July 11, 2017.

Loving daughter of the late Frank and Frances Calzonetti. Loving mother of Anthony Gizzie and Erica Wiese (Brian). Cherished grandmother of Paul, Charles, Brandan, Brian III and Anthony. Loving fiancée of Edward Beebe. Beloved sister of Carmine (Ramona), Francis (Joann), Dennis (Joyce), Kevin (Amy), Gregory (MaryJo) and Mark (Shannon) Calzonetti. Also survived by many loving nieces and nephews, great nieces and great nephews.

Interment New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Msgr. Lucitt's Needy Children's Christmas Fund: PO Box 87, Gloucester City, NJ 08030. Please memo: Karen Calzonetti Gizzie.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

HELEN T. HOPLINS (July 20th)

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on July 22, at 11 a.m. at St. Mary's Church, 426 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Helen T. Hopkins, 84,(nee Smith) of Gloucester City who passed away on July 13, 2017.

She was the beloved wife of the late Joseph J. Hopkins, Sr., loving mother of Joanne Boyer (David), Michael Hopkins (Victoria), and the late Joseph J. Hopkins, Jr. (Phyliss). She is the dear sister of James Smith and Carol O'Brien. She is also survived by her dear grandchildren Daniel, Timothy, Denise, James, Joseph III, Jason, Jessica, Katie, Erin, Faith and 12 great grandchildren.

Helen was very active in her husband and son's accounting business. She was a former volunteer for the Gloucester/Brooklawn Chapter of the Deborah hospital and was a very active member and former Treasurer of the Gloucester City PTA. Helen and her husband also ran the Gloucester City Senior Citizens Christmas Special and she also enjoyed working at Clementon Park.

Relatives and friends are invited to meet Friday evening from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Creran Funeral Home, 400 White Horse Pike, Oaklyn and again Saturday morning from 10 to 11 a.m. at the Church.

Interment will follow at New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers donations to Heartland Hospice, 190 N. Evergreen Ave., Suite #122, Woodbury, NJ 08096-1862.

JAMES M. MCCABE (July 20th)

Funeral services were held for James M. McCabe, 84, of Bellmawr, formerly of Sewell who passed away on July 12, 2017.

Beloved husband of the late Betty Jane (nee Burr) McCabe. Dear father of Jimmy (Diane) McCabe, Beverly (Michael O'Connor) McCabe, Russell McCabe, and Pamala McCabe. Also survived by 6 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren.

Mr. McCabe served in the US Army during the Korean Conflict. He was a veteran of the Forklift Industry. Interment will be in Hillcrest Cemetery, Hurffville.

The family requests memorial contributions to Bellmawr Fire and Rescue, 29 Lewis Avenue, Bellmawr, NJ 08031.

LILLIAN E. CARR (July 20th)

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Joachim Parish, Bellmawr for Lillian E. Carr, 92, (nee Abbatelli), of Mt. Ephraim who passed away peacefully on July 14, 2017.

Beloved Wife of the late William J. Jr. "Bill". Devoted Mother of Joan Alcott (Lou Colavecchi), David (Shelly) Carr, Robert, William III, & Steven (Carol) Carr. Loving Grandmother of 11. Loving Great Grandmother of 26, and 1 loving Great Great Grandson. Dear Sister of Peter Abbatelli. Also many nieces, nephews, & dear friends.

Mrs. Carr was a long time member of the Altar & Rosary Society.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Mahaffey-Milano Funeral Home, 11 E. Kings Highway, Mt. Ephraim.

LUCILLE F. PINCUS (July 20th)

Private services were held for Lucille F. Pincus, 68, (DiFronzo) of Bellmawr who passed away on July 5, 2017 in Camden.

She is survived by her beloved son Christopher Pincus (Linda) and loving grandson, Aiden Pincus.

In lieu of flowers or Mass cards the family is requesting donations to autismspeaks.org.

EVELYN MASSENGALE (July 20th)

A Service of Celebration of life will be held on July 22, at 11 a.m. in West Lawn United Methodist Church, 15 Woodside Ave., West Lawn, PA for Evelyn ("Ker") Kerr Adams Massengale, 73, of Wyomissing who passed away July 14, 2017 in the Reading Hospital and Medical Center.

She was the beloved wife of Alexander T. Massengale, MD, with whom she celebrated 50 years of marriage this past year.

She was born on March 20, 1944 in Philadelphia and was the daughter of the late Ellwood W. Jr. and Evelyn Kerr Adams.

She graduated in 1962 from Gloucester City School, Gloucester, NJ. In 1965, she graduated from the Philadelphia General Hospital School of Nursing. She also attended Albright College. During her working career, she was employed by the Montefiore Hospital, NY, The Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, and for over 30 years, she was the office manager of her husband's medical practice.

She was a member of the West Lawn United Methodist Church, where she had served as a chairperson of the Staff-Parish committee, as a Sunday School teacher, and as a participant in the annual vacation bible school program. She developed the Safe Haven Lighthouse after school program for children at the church.

She also developed the Raggedy Ann and Andy Visitation Program at the Reading Hospital and Medical Center; a program whose volunteers made over 250,000 visits during the life of the program.

In addition to her husband, Ker is survived by her two children, Christopher E. Massengale of Rehoboth, DE, and Jennifer L., wife of Darrell A. Denny of Wernersville, PA. She has two grandchildren, Alexa Savannah Denny and Jack Andrew Denny who were the loves of her life, as well as several grand-dogs. She is also survived by a sister, Ellyn Wendy Adams of Burr Ridge, IL; and a loving family of five brothers-in-law, four sisters-in-law, and an extended family of cousins, nieces, and nephews.

Ker loved the Lord, her family, and her community. She was a doting mother and grandmother; she truly lived for her family. She was a mentor to many men and women. One of her greatest gifts was words of encouragement, and many lucky recipients received her thoughtful and personal letters, which often arrived at just the right time. Her life was one of selfless devotion to the people, the causes, and the church she loved.

A viewing will be held Friday, July 21, 6 to 8 p.m. at the church, and there will be a visitation from 9 a.m. Saturday prior to the celebration service.

In lieu of flowers, contributions, in honor of Ker, to the Memorial Fund of the West Lawn United Methodist Church see address above or to the McGlenn Cancer Center at the Reading Hospital and Medical Center, 6th Avenue and Spruce Street, West Reading, PA 19611.

THOMAS PRICE (July 20th)

Funeral services were held at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Thomas Price, 67, of Delran who passed away suddenly on July 11, 2017.

Thomas Price was born June 28, 1950 in Boston, Massachusetts. He lived in various places including Johnstone and Woodbridge Developmental Center located in New Jersey. Thomas entered Kelsch Associates in June 1986 and resided at the Delran Group Home until his passing.

He was predeceased in death by his parents. Tom leaves to mourn his beloved roommate, Lester Whitman and other housemates: William Fry, William Jackson, Michael Sawello, Justin Whalen, Lucjan Grodzki, Kelsch Residential Staff and Administrators. Thomas established other relationships at Edgewater ARC Day Program and a special relationship with Katie Lanne and his Case Manager Jodi Kerney. Thomas also considered Richard Freeman not only his Guardian but a special friend who never missed a birthday.

Thomas did not allowed blindness to be a barrier in his life. He over came obstacles by enhancing his independence. Tom was a member of Calvary Church in Delran. He enjoyed going for walks, to the movies, and listening to oldies on the radio. Tom enjoyed attending recreational activities, eating hoagies and chocolate cake. He had a knack for recalling special past events and recognizing voices. Thomas would also navigate the Group Home despite staff's prompts to utilize his cane. Thomas will truly be missed. Sadly, The Kelsch Family.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

RAMON A. SOTO (July 20th)

Private cremation was held for Ramon A. Soto, 56, of Pennsauken who passed away on July 11, 2017.

Loving father of Patricia Soto. Beloved brother of Ray Cases, Jose Ortiz and Laura Soto. Ramon was born in San Juan, Puerto Rico. He moved to the United States and was a maintenance worker at McDonald's in Franklinville. Cremation is private and there are no services.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

RONALD A. FAIRFIELD (July 27th)

Funeral services were held at Mahaffey-Milano Funeral Home, 11 E. Kings Highway, Mt. Ephraim for Ronald A. Fairfield, 73, of Gloucester City who passed peacefully on July 19, 2017.

Beloved Husband of Marie J. (nee Kustner) Fearfield. Devoted Father of Ashley Fearfield, & Hector Fearfield. Also survived by Grandchildren, Brothers, Sisters, Nieces, and Nephews. Ronald proudly served in the United States Navy for 20 years, and retired from Coca Cola, Pa.

LORETTA E. FILE (July 27th)

Funeral Mass was held at Holy Child Parish, Runnemede for Loretta E. File, 77, (nee Wilson), of Blackwood, formerly of Bellmawr who passed away on July 21, 2017.

Beloved wife of the late Allen P. File. Devoted mother of David M. File, Deanna File-Kennedy (John), Deborah A. File, and Denise E. File. Loving grandmom of Jennifer Kennedy. Dear sister of Sissy (Bill) and the late John, Matthew, and Dolly. Also survived by nieces and nephews.

Interment private.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the Animal Welfare Association, 509 Centennial Blvd, Voorhees NJ 08043. Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede.

JOHN F. MULL (July 27th)

Celebration of Life will be held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede on July 29, 1 p.m. for John F. Mull, 72, of Gulfport, FL, formerly of New Port Richey, FL and Stratford who passed away after living 9 years with Cancer on June 28, 2017.

He was born in Camden, NJ September 27, 1944, son of Jack & Gertrude Mull. He was the beloved husband of Carol (nee Pierce) for 54 years. Devoted father of Lisa Purton (Clay) and Karen Morris (Robert). Loving Grandfather of Cameron, Samantha, Jordan, and Joshua. Also, survived by sister, Jackie Mull and stepmother Helen Mull, as well as many nieces & nephews.

John was a member of the Masonic Friendship Lodge #56 of West Union, WV, where he lived for several years before retiring to Florida in 1997.

Interment private at the request of the family.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the Moffitt Cancer Center Foundation, Attn: MBC-FOUND, 12902 Magnolia Drive, Tampa, FL 33612 or via www.Moffitt.org/give.

BERNICE NOWLAND (July 27th)

Funeral Mass was held at St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish, Collingswood for Bernice Nowland, 83, (nee Cummings), of Collingswood who passed away peacefully at Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital in Camden on July 16, 2017.

She was predeceased by her parents Joseph M. Sr. and Helen (nee Quigley) as well as her brother Joseph Jr. Bernice is lovingly survived by her nephews Michael of Haddon Twp., Patrick (Kim and daughter, Gianna) of Cherry Hill and Sean of Haddon Twp. Beloved great aunt to Aidan and Molly as well as many cousins.

After graduating from Camden Catholic, she attained her nursing degree from Misericordia Hospital in Philadelphia where she worked for 10 years. Bernice then worked for Doctors Lenahan and Ritchie in Upper Darby, PA for the next 27 years. She finished her career at the Saunders House assisted living facility at Lakenau until her retirement. Bernice loved to bake Christmas Cookies and her famous Irish Potatoes for St. Patrick's Day. She along with her cousin, Jack Kerner hosted many Christmas Day parties for family and friends. Bernice loved to travel, driving with friends cross country several times. She enjoyed Ireland and traveling throughout Europe. Her happy places were Maine, Lancaster, PA and Surf City on Long Beach Island. Bernice was an avid knitter and cross stitcher and was famous for her afghans. Devoted in her faith, she was a lifelong parishioner of St. John's in Collingswood as well as St. Vincent Pallotti and St. Aloysius.

Interment Calvary Cemetery, Cherry Hill,.

In lieu of flowers donations to Catholic Charities, 1845 Haddon Avenue, Camden.

ALBERT L. BRANDT JR. (July 27th)

Private funeral services were held for Albert L. Brandt Jr., 77, of Saint John, Florida, died on July 21, 2017 at the Community Hospice Care, Jacksonville.

Formerly of Gloucester City, he graduated from Gloucester City High School, Class of 1960. He was the owner of Colt Concrete and a member of South Jersey Carpenters Union, Local 393, Gloucester City.

Mr. Brandt is survived by his loving children Albert L. Brandt III, Cindy L. Fallows, and Barry T. Brandt. He adored his four grandsons, Brandon Fallows, Dylan Fallows Chase Barry Brandt and Carson Vincent Brandt. Also survived by his brother Sam Brandt, of Mullica Hill. Predeceased by his sister, Barbara Brandt and his parents Albert Brandt Sr., and Marie Brandt.

BERNICE RAYMOND (July 27th)

Funeral services will be held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Bernice Raymond, 97, (nee Marsden), of Bellmawr, formerly of Gloucester City who passed away on July 22, 2017.

Beloved wife of the late Edward Raymond. Devoted mother of Edward Raymond (Ethel) and Bernice Rutter (late William). Loving Mommom of Kathy Barbieri, Carol Smith (Brian), and David Kramer (Karlean) and great grandmom of Kurt Sateriale and Giovanni Barbieri. Dear sister of Isabel Daubert, Blanche Baker, Olive Rumbol, Marion Snyder, and the late Catherine Conrad, Elizabeth Rondeau, James Marsden, and John "Pete" Marsden. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

There will be a viewing Thursday 10-11 a.m. at the funeral home.

Interment Lakeview Memorial Park, Cinnaminson.

EDWARD L. BERNOSKY JR. (July 27th)

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City for Edward L. Bernosky, Jr., 74, of Magnolia who passed away on July 19, 2017.

Loving husband of 48 years to the late Florence A. Bernosky (nee Wachter). Devoted father of Mark J. Bernosky and Edward L. Bernosky, III. Beloved brother of Jeanette (Joe) Theurer, Rita Nicholas and Marie Caldwell

Cherished grandfather of Mark J. Jr., Emma , Gabriel, Alexander and Malcolm. Dear great-grandfather of Mark III.

Edward was born in Philadelphia, PA and a resident of Magnolia. He worked as a service technician for Sears in Pennsauken.

Interment New Saint Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr with his late wife.

Family requests donations to Saint Jude's Children Research Hospital: Memorials Processing : 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105-9959. Please write in memo: Memory of Edward L. Bernosky, Jr.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City.

DIAMOND J. MORRELL (July 27th)

Funeral Mass was held at St. Teresa Church, Runnemedede for Diamond J. Morrell, 94, of Runnemedede who passed away on July 19, 2017.

Beloved husband of the late Pauline (nee Poleshchuk). Cherished father of Thomas (Brenda), Robert, and Raymond. Loving grandfather of Sherri Taylor, Thomas Jr. Morrell, Michelle Klimek, Heather Hager, and Neil Morrell. Great grandfather of Brianna, Kylie, Gavin, Keith, Dax, Abigail, and Gabriella and great great grandfather of Valentina. Dear brother of the late Charles, Joseph, Michael, Paul, and John. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Diamond was a longtime parishioner of Holy Child Parish. He retired from PGW as a Customer Relations Representative and then worked as a Mailer at the Philadelphia Inquirer.

Interment Brigadier General William C. Doyle Veteran Memorial Cemetery, Arneytown.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemedede.