

Gloucester City News Obituaries April 2014

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JOSEPH EZZI (April 3)

Funeral services were held at Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City for Joseph Ezzi, 70, of Audubon who passed away on March 22, 2014.

He is the dear companion of Terri Sanders and loving father of Eric, Rochelle, Robert, Patric and the late Joseph, Marie, Michael, Anthony, and Kevin Ezzi. He is also survived by his wife Marie (nee Harris) Ezzi, his sister Rochelle Puzzutiello, eight grandchildren, one great grandchild and daughters-in-law Gina Long and Bianca Torres.

Joe was a retired employee of the City of Camden and was a former member of the ICAC Club. He enjoyed traveling and visiting various baseball fields throughout the country.

Interment private at the request of his family.

LORETTA F. RUTTER (April 3)

Funeral Mass was held at St. Joachim Parish at Annunciation, Bellmawr for Loretta F. Rutter, (nee Stoner), of Bellmawr who passed away on March 24, 2014 at the age of 91 years.

A good hearted and loving woman with a wonderful sense of humor, Loretta was devoted to her family. She loved to tend to her flower gardens, keep a warm and inviting home, and share articles with her family that she thought they would enjoy as she read the Courier Post from back to back.

Born and raised in Camden, Loretta was a resident of Bellmawr for 59 years and a longtime parishioner of Annunciation Church. She was also involved in the Westville Grove VFW Ladies Auxiliary.

Beloved wife of the late Melvin. Devoted mother of Shirley (Frank) Parisi, Melvin "Joe" Rutter (Diane), Harry "Bud" Rutter (Pat) and Gary Rutter (Sharon). Loving grandmother of Teresa Parisi-Lusardi (Vito), Frank (Karen) Parisi, Michael (Anita) Parisi, Lori (John) McGlinchey, Shawn (Anne) Rutter, Jason (Nicole) Rutter, Tricia (Michael) Lippincott, Colleen (Jim) Carroll, Craig (Maureen) Rutter and Brandon Rutter. Loving great grandmother of 20 and great-great grandmother of three. Also great grandmother of the late Nicholas J. Parisi, dear sister of Mary Chew, Theresa Umosella and the late Luke Sonter.

Interment New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, donations to LARC School, 1089 Creek Road, Bellmawr, NJ 08031 or the Nicholas Parisi Scholarship Fund, 536 Roberts Avenue, Bellmawr, NJ 08031.

SARAH L. SCHAEFFER (April 3)

Private services were held for Sarah L. Schaeffer, 83, (nee Grant), of Gloucester City who passed away on March 23, 2014.

She was the beloved wife of the late Albert I. Schaeffer and dear daughter of the late Howard and Elizabeth Grant. She is survived by her loving children Laverne C. and Albert J. Schaeffer both of Gloucester City.

Her dear sisters, Janice Carpenter of Bellmawr and Gloria Rania of West Deptford and her brother, Bryan Grant of Gloucester City.

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

CATHERINE T. ARMSTRONG (April 3)

Funeral Mass was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City for Catherine T. Armstrong, 75, of Gloucester City who passed away on March 22, 2014.

She was the beloved wife of the late Edward Armstrong. Loving mother of Dolores Evans (Greg) of Kent, OH, Edward Armstrong (Charlette) of Gloucester City, Catherine Pearson (late Steve) of Gloucester City, Leonard Armstrong of Kent, OH and Joseph Armstrong (Dawn) of Gloucester City. She is also survived by her dear sisters Margaret Diehl, Laura Wootten, Leonore Bessell (Ken), 19 grandchildren and 18 great grandchildren.

Catherine was a retired employee of Philadelphia Newspaper Inc. and a devoted parishioner of St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City.

Interment of Ashes at New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers donations to St. Mary's Church, 426 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City, NJ 08030.

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

SHEILA MARIE PRACHT (April 3)

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at Emmaus Catholic Community Church, Mt. Ephraim for Shelia Marie Pracht, 79, (nee Heenan), of Mt. Ephraim who passed away on March 26, 2014.

Beloved wife of the late Theodore Pracht, married in 1957 until his passing in 1995. Beloved daughter of the late John Patrick and Julia Marie (nee Conroy) Heenan. Devoted mother of Susan Theresa (Jack) Cain, Theodore Francis (Lori) Pracht and Theresa Ann Pracht. Loving grandmother of Jack Darin Cain III, Dennis Patrick Cain, Theodore Anthony Pracht, Tori Ann Pracht and Mallorie Ann Pracht. Dearest Aunt of Kevin (Joann) Heenan and George (Donna) Heenan. Loving sister of the late John Thomas Heenan and Patricia Heenan.

Mrs. Pracht was a graduate of John Adams High School in New York. She was also a retired Tax Clerk for the Borough of Audubon, after 19 years of service. She will be greatly missed by her loving family.

Interment New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

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

HENRY A. MCLEOD, JR. (April 3)

Funeral services were held for Henry A. McLeod, Jr., 55, of Gloucester City who passed away on March 25, 2014.

Interment Harleigh Cemetery.

NANCY C. STOCKMAN (April 3)

Graveside services were held at S. Mary's Cemetery for Nancy C. Stockman, 73, of Mt. Ephraim who passed away on March 25, 2014.

Cherished daughter of the late John and Anna Stockman (nee Brophy). Survived by many cousins and friends.

Memorial donations to Msgr. Lucitt's Needy Children Fund: P.O. Box 87, Gloucester City, NJ 08030.

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

THOMAS C. MacADAMS (April 3)

Funeral services will be held Saturday, April 5 at the Brooklawn United Methodist Church, 213 Maude Ave. (at Hannevig), Brooklawn, for Thomas C. MacAdams, 60, of Brooklawn who on March 29, after a long, courageous battle with Lou Gehrig's Disease and Fronto-temporal Dementia (FTD), Tom fell asleep and woke up in heaven with his Maker.

Tommy was the much-loved husband of 34 years to Marie MacAdams (nee Thomas); devoted father of Shane (Becca), Colin (Kyrstlin), and Erin; adored son of Jeep (Helen) MacAdams, predeceased by his mother Norma; cherished brother of Jeanne, Ken (Patti), and Scott (Patty) MacAdams; and caring uncle of many nieces and nephews.

Tommy MacAdams (GHS class of '71) was best known for his sociable, warm personality; first-ready to lend a hand to anyone in need.

He was an active member in the small town of Brooklawn, since 1984, which he liked to call "God's Little Acre." With his giving nature and love of Brooklawn, he was the founder of many organizations that make up the tight-knit community, such as the Brooklawn Christmas Spirit, the Brooklawn Drug Alliance, the Brooklawn Wiffleball reunion, the Brooklawn Bees Basketball League, and the Brooklawn Lady Bugs Summer League.

In addition to serving the Brooklawn council for 18 years, Tom has been an active supporter of the Brooklawn Little League, Legion, and all community events.

With thoughtfulness and enthusiasm, Tom cherished many wonderful years with his family and long-time friends Bruce (Jill) and family, Sharon Harding, along with many more. He was at his happiest when surrounded by loved ones, watching Oklahoma football.

Anyone who wishes to honor Tommy can do so by simply extending care and kindness to somebody else. His contagious personality, kind heart, and radiant smile will never be forgotten.

Relatives, Friends, residents of Brooklawn and all organizations are kindly invited to his visitation on Saturday morning from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Church.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to the Thomas MacAdams Charitable Fund: 229 Nansen Ave., Brooklawn, NJ 08030, which will fund an annual Gloucester High Scholarship and the Brooklawn Christmas Spirit.

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

NICHOLAS J. ANTINONE (April 3)

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Nicholas J. Antinone, 89, of Runnemede who passed away on March 23, 2014.

Beloved husband of the late Tess (Belfiore). Devoted father of James Antinone (John Clark) and Dinae Antinone. Loving Grandpop of Paul Campbell and Daniel Streck and Great-Grandpop of Moriah and Seleste. Dear brother of the late Frank Antinone and Connie Colaizzi. Also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

Nicholas proudly served his country in the U.S. Army during World War II. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus.

Interment St. Joseph's Cemetery, Chews Landing.

In lieu of flowers donations to American Parkinson Disease Association, P.O. Box 214, Elizabeth, NJ 07027.

STEVEN ROBERT PHILLIP (April 3)

Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City for Steven Robert Phillip, 33, of Philadelphia, formerly of Brooklawn who passed away on March 22, 2014.

Cherished son of Deborah Anne Roque and the late Franklin Glen Dill. Beloved brother of Allan Ashenfelter, Jr. (Eileen), Scott Ashenfelter and Ricahrd Phillip. Loving uncle of Allan, III, Noah, Liam and Max Ashenfelter. Also survived by his loving girlfriend, Helena Orthos.

Interment New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers donations to The Last Stop, 2440 Kensington Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19125 or St. Mary's Church, 426 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City, NJ 08030.

SHAWN MICHAEL HEALY (April 3)

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Shawn Michael Healy, 35, of Woodbury who passed away on March 22, 2014.

Beloved son of Diane Healy of New Jersey and his father Kevin Healy (Donna) of California. Dear brother of Chad. Loving grandson of Theresa Hennessey. Dear cousin of Kelly and Godfather of Jonathan O'Brien and Jonathan White. Loving nephew of Noreen, Maureen, Elizabeth, Kathleen and Noelle. Also survived by many family members and friends.

Internment private.

In lieu of flowers donation to Make a Wish Foundation, 1347 Perrineville Rd., Monroe Twp, NJ 08831.

ALICE MARIE BREITENSTINE (April 3)

Funeral Mass was held at Holy Child Parish, St. Maria Goretti Church, Runnemede for Alice Marie Breitenstine, 85, (nee Neuberger), of Runnemede who passed away on March 24, 2014.

Beloved wife of the late Paul Breitenstine and long-time fiancée of the late Charles Kummer. Devoted mother of Maryann D'Andrea (Domenick), Paul (Victoria), Willaim (Linda), Kevin, Kurt (Terri), Janet McCarthy (Michael) and Beverly Forline (Joseph). Loving grandmother of 13 and great-grandmother of three. Daughter of the late Anthony and Irene Neuberger. Dear sister of Eugene Neuberger. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Alice enjoyed working Bingo and was assistant CCD teacher at St. Maria Goretti Church. She loved spending time with her family, chatting with people, animals, shopping, going out to eat, going to church and visiting the casinos.

Internment New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers donations to the Salvation Army, 915 Haddon Ave., Camden, NJ 08103 or to Catholic Charities, Diocese of Camden, Attn: Kevin Hickey, 1845 Haddon Ave., Camden, NJ 08103.

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

PATRICK M. KELLY (April 3)

Mass of Christian Burial was held at Holy Child Parish, St. Teresa's Church, Runnemede for Patrick M. Kelly, 70, of Runnemede who passed away on March 23, 2014.

Beloved husband of Rose (nee Marra). Devoted father of Michael Kelly (Michele), Curt Kelly (Sue) and Rochelle McHugh. Dear brother of James Kelly and Eileen Janunsky. Loving grandfather of Lindsay, Patrick, Caitlin, and Nicole.

Donations to the Alzheimer's Association at ALZ.org

LAURA S. WILLIAMS (April 3)

Catholic services were held at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Laura S. Williams, 64, of Gloucester City who passed away peacefully with a smile on her face on March 28, 2014.

Loving daughter of Betty Jane Langner and the late George Kellum. Loving mother of Heather Lannon, Rachel Lutz, Rhonda Lutz, Lauren Lutz and Michael Emmons (Meghan). Cherished grandmother of Sara-Lena Lannon, Kevin Greenjack, Raven Hull, Randa Yambo, Michael Greenjack and Jaylene Hloznik. Dear sister of Susan Harnack and also survived by her beloved dog, Bailey.

Relatives and friends are invited to her visitation on Wednesday morning from 10 to 11:30 AM in the funeral home Catholic service at 11:30 AM in the funeral home.

RAYMOND J. ASHTON (April 10)

Graveside services were held at Locustwood Memorial Park, Cherry Hill for Raymond J. Ashton, 71, of Gloucester City who passed away on April 2, 2014. Beloved Son of the late Raymond E. and Laura M. Ashton. Loving father of Raymond Ashton and Deanna Ashton. Survived by nieces, nephews, cousins and devoted caregivers.

Memorial Donations in Raymond's memory to Samaritan Hospice: 5 Eves Drive, Suite 300, Marlton, NJ 08053.

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

CHARLES G. AUSTIN (April 10)

At the request of the family, private services were held for Charles G. Austin, 93, of Wenonah, who passed away on March 31, 2014.

Loving father of Terri Wilson, Desnal Fouyolle, Nadine Thurman, Antious Vickers and Tracy McEleew. Predeceased by his grandson, Earjuan Dodd and survived by many loving grandchildren.

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

LYDIA B. ENGLISH (April 10)

Private Cremation and Inurnment was held for Lydia B. English, 89, of Bellmawr. Formerly 65 year resident of Mount Ephraim who passed away on April 3, 2014.

Cherished Mother of Edward English of Bellmawr, Richard English of Stratford and the late Dennis English. Loving grandmother of Justin English of West Palm Beach, Florida. Dear Sister of Eleanor Frantz of Virginia. Survived by nieces and nephews.

Lydia was an avid bingo player.

Cremation and Inurnment in Locustwood Memorial Park with her son and parents is private.

Memorial Donations requested to Voorhees Care and Rehab. Center: 1302 Laurel Oak Road, Voorhees, NJ 08043 ATTN: Lisa, (Resident Activities).

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

JOHN T. PETTIT (April 10)

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at Emmaus Catholic Church, 7 W. Kings Highway, Mt. Ephraim on Friday, April 11 at 10:30 a.m. for John T. Pettit, "Jack", of Mt. Ephraim who passed away on April 7, 2014.

Beloved husband of Barbara J. (nee Spedicato) Pettit for Fifty-five years. Devoted father of Debbie A. (Chuck) Arbenz, Jack T. (Karen) Pettit, Michelle L. (Bruce) Stellato, and Alex A. (Laura) Pettit. Loving grandfather of Aimee (Mario), Tiffany, Nick and Mario. Loving great-grandfather of Ayla and Briella. Mr. Pettit was an Avid Phillies fan, coached baseball, and was on the Planning Board all in Mt. Ephraim. He was also an usher at Sacred Heart Church for many years. He will be greatly missed by his loving family.

Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend his viewing Friday from 8:30 to 10 a.m. at Emmaus Catholic Church.

Interment New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers donations to American Cancer Society, 1851 Cuthbert Road, Cherry Hill, NJ 08034.

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

RICHARD S. KOZIEJA (April 10)

Mass of Christian Burial was held at St. Joseph's Church, Chews Landing, for Richard S. Kozieja, 83, of Bellmawr, formerly of Camden who passed away on April 4, 2014.

Beloved husband of Roberta (nee Dlugosz) for 57 years. Loving father of Thomas Kozieja of Tabernacle, Paula O'Boyle of GA and Marie Swanholm of Haddon Heights. Proud grandfather of eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mr. Kozieja was Colonel in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict.

Richard was a retired Elementary School Administrator the Camden Board of Education for 39 years of service and dedication. He was a former Emergency Management Coordinator in Bellmawr. Mr. Kozieja was a proud member of the P.A.C.C. of Camden County where he served as a Board of Director and Editor in Chief for the club newsletter. Richard was a member of the Camden Lions Club where he was named Lion of the Year in 2003.

Interment St. Joseph's Cemetery, Chews Landing.

Contributions to St. Joseph's Restoration Fund or Samaritan Hospice, 5 Eves Drive, Suite 300, Marlton, NJ 08053.

ROBERT W. MCLERNON (April 10)

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Robert W. McLernon, 55, of Glendora, formerly of Runnemede who passed away on April 2, 2014.

Beloved husband of Dee (nee Schmal). Devoted stepfather of Kevin Emmett, Matthew Emmett and Nicole Emmett.

He will be truly missed by his Runnemede VFW family. Brother of Pat, Mike, Jeanette and Donna Jean.

Also survived by many nieces and nephews and close friends in Plymouth, MA.

Robert was a member of the VFW Post 3324 in Runnemede and the APA Pool League.

Interment private at the request of the family.

In lieu of flowers, donations to VFW Post 3324 Wounded Warrior Fund, PO Box 212, Runnemede, NJ 08078.

RONALD DAVID BENDEL (April 10)

Funeral services were held for Ronald David Bengel, 67, of San Antonio, who passed away at Frank Tejada State Veteran Home in Floresville, Texas, on April 1, 2014.

Born October 10, 1946 the son of Raymond Earl Bengel and Anna Riding in Camden and lived in Gloucester, till he joined the United States Air Force on February 24, 1966 serving 26 years retiring at Brooks Air Force Base, San Antonio on May 31, 1992 as a Chief Master Sergeant.

Chief Bengel was Chief of Logistics at the time of retirement. Chief Bengel during his long and distinguished career was awarded the Meritorious Medal with two oak leaf clusters, Air Force Commendation Medal with one oak leaf cluster, Vietnam Service Medal with one silver and one bronze star, Vietnam Gallantry Cross with device and Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal and various other medals and ribbons. Ron was a life member of VFW Post 837, American Legion, Air Force Sergeant Association, NRA, Armed Forces Top Enlisted Association, Air Force Association, Non-Commissioned Officers Association and Society of the Strategic Air Command, Fifteenth Air Force Association, Brooks Enlisted Retiree Association and a Charter member of History. Ron was active in pursuing knowledge in military history and science.

Survivors include his friend and neighbor for 21 years, Leo and Nori Silva. He was preceded in death by his father, mother, and aunt and was an only child. Interment Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery. Memorial contributions, in Ronald's name are welcome and should be mailed to VFW Post 837, 4436 Valleyfield Street, San Antonio, TX 78222.

Visit www.heritageoaksmortuary.com to view online obituary and express personal condolences.

SHEILA MARIE PRACHT (April 10)

Mass of Christian Burial was held at Emmaus Catholic Community Church, Mt. Ephraim for Sheila Marie Pracht, 79, of Mt. Ephraim who peacefully passed away on March 26, 2014.

Beloved wife of the late Theodore Pracht, married in 1957 until his passing in 1995. Beloved daughter of the late John Patrick and Julia Marie (nee Conroy) Heenan. Devoted mother of Susan Theresa (Jack) Cain, Theodore Francis (Lori) Pracht and Theresa Ann Pracht. Loving grandmother of Jack Darin Cain III, Dennis Patrick Cain, Theodore Anthony Pracht, Tori Ann Pracht and Mallorie Ann Pracht. Dearest Aunt of Kevin (Joann) Heenan and George (Donna) Heenan. Loving sister of the late John Thomas Heenan, and Patricia Heenan.

Mrs. Pracht was a graduate of John Adams High School in New York. She was also a retired Tax Clerk for the Borough of Audubon, after 19 years of service. She will be greatly missed by her loving family.

Interment New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

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

SUSAN M. CAMPISE (April 10)

Funeral services were held for Susan M. Campise, 93, (nee Congialdi), of Brooklawn who passed away on April 1, 2014.

Beloved wife of the late Salvatore R. Devoted mother of Lorraine R. Ferry (Frank Anello), Dennis A. (Janice), Marilyn Heimerl (Carl) and Audrey R. Schmidt (Bernard). Loving grandmother of Donna Marie, Kenneth, Kevin, Jason, Jillene, Melanie, Craig, Keith, Julia, Matthew and Gregg. Proud great-grandmother of Abigail, Andrew, Connor, Jessica, Mia, Gabrielle, Gianna, Natalia Alodia, Brady and Tent.

Entombment Calvary Cemetery, Cherry Hill.

In lieu of flowers donations to American Heart Association, 1 Union Street, #301 Robbinsville, NJ 08691-4183.

VINCENT J. DIGIACOMO SR. (April 10)

Private services were held for Vincent J. DiGiacomo, Sr., 71, of Lindenwold who passed away on March 25, 2014.

Loving father of the late Jodi DiGiacomo, Angela DiGiacomo, Jennifer DiCiacomo, Vincent J. (Lora) DiGiacomo Jr., stepdaughter Lisa (Albert) Nunziato, step-son John (Joanne) Ferry, eight grandchildren, Vincent Nicholas, Dominic, Alex, Anthony, Samantha, Ashley and John. Brother of the late Alfred (Claire) DiGiacomo Jr., Helene (Bill) Rettig, cousin Joe DiGiacomo and many loving nieces, nephews and friends. Vince retired after many years of service from the UA Local 322 Plumber and Pipefitters Union in Winslow. He served in the United State Air Force during the Vietnam War. Vince loved fishing, music, dancing and making people laugh with his jokes.

FREDERICK WAGNER (April 10)

Frederick Wagner, 89, of Woodbury, formerly of Gloucester City, passed away on April 3, 2014.

Fred was born in Camden to the late Walter and Helen (nee Baile) Wagner. He is preceded in death by his loving wife of 60 years Lois J. (nee Rouser), his sister Charlotte (Polly) Falcey and brother Harry Wagner. Mr. Wagner graduated from Gloucester City High School in 1942 and enlisted in the US Army where he served with distinction from 1943-1946. He served under Gen. George S. Patton in the 106th Army Infantry, 3rd Army, 4th Armored Division 51st Armored Infantry Battalion, Company B. He was wounded in Czechoslovakia and received both the Bronze Star and Purple Heart. He returned home to marry his one and only true love Lois and to work for United Technologies for 38 years.

Mr. Wagner was a very active member of the Church of the Ascension in Gloucester City, serving on the Vestry, as a Lay Reader, as Church Treasurer, as well as on numerous committees and church outreach programs. He was also a life-long Gloucester City Lions sports fan and would often walk to the field to watch a football game. He was a member of the Gloucester City Old-timers Club and Cloud Lodge #101 F&AM.

Mr. Wagner is survived by many nieces and nephews including Rhea Marshall (Donna), along with his surrogate children Gail Carey (David Plummer), Carol L. Carey-Lee (William), Grant J. Carey (Kathy), and Colleen Rosa (Elbert), several great nieces and nephews and 1 great-great niece.

The family would like to thank Life Choice Hospice for their assistance in caring for Fred, especially Jeanna, Diana and Melissa. The aid and comfort they provided to Brenton, Gail and Carol during the final months of Mr. Wagner's life has been exceptional.

The family is happy knowing that Fred is now at peace with his "little girlfriend" for eternity.

Donations may be made in lieu of flowers to The Church of the Ascension, 110 Sussex Street, Gloucester City, NJ 08030.

Funeral arrangements were entrusted to Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, Gloucester City.

ANDREW J. MARTINAC, JR. (April 17)

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Andrew J. Martinac, Jr., 64, of Westville, formerly of Runnemede who suddenly passed away on April 6, 2014.

Andy suffered from heart failure and cancer.

He was and still is loved by many, especially his wife of 36 years Rose (nee Connor). Devoted father of Ryan Martinac, Richard Rafferty, Ronald Rafferty, Rose Marie Rafferty and the late Janine Rafferty Knopp. Loving grandfather of Skye Martinac, William Beckett, Alacee Beckett Friars, John B. Redrow, Jackie, Jessica and Joshua Smith and Nicki Rafferty. Dear brother of Marie West, Joan Welch, Josie Wilson and Joseph Martinac. Also survived by many nieces and nephews and his beloved dogs Sapphire and Ruby Tuesday, whom he called "Daddy's Girl's".

Andy was an Army Veteran of Vietnam and a member of American Legion Post 133 Woodbury. Andy worked for Beaverbrook Motors for almost 40 years, never taking time off for himself. He was most recently employed by Reihls Towing. He loved his job and the people he worked with. He was a kind, witty and loving family man who never let anyone down.

Interment Harleigh Cemetery, Camden.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Animal Welfare Assoc., 509 Centennial Blvd., Voorhees, NJ 08043 and the Wounded Warrior Project, 4899 Belfort Rd., Suite 300, Jacksonville, FL 32256.

BLANCHE C. BORGER (April 17)

Funeral Services were held at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Blanche C. Borger, 91, of Gloucester City who passed away peacefully on Monday, April 7, 2014.

Beloved wife of the late Dallas Borger. Loving mother of Blanche Mortimer (late Kenneth), Dallas W. Borger (Kathleen) and Kenneth J. Borger (Jacqueline).

She was predeceased by her sisters Jane, Hazel, Florence, Emily and her brothers Fred, Herman, Robert Sr., William, Robert Jr. and George. She is survived by her sister Doris Wall. Also, she is survived by her wonderful grandchildren, Staci, Suzanne, Ken, Kevin, Karen, Stacie, Kimberly, Kenny and predeceased by her granddaughter Lauren. Adding to her legacy are her thirteen wonderful great grandchildren, Travis, Chad, Kameron, Shea, Ava, Kiley, Chad, Evan, Joseph, Kara, Hayden, Trevor and Jayden.

Blanche truly enjoyed her afternoon lunches with all her friends, family and kind staff at the Bellmawr Burger King. She will be greatly missed by all.

Interment New St. Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

KENNETH D. COLEMAN (April 17)

Born on July 19, 1966 to George Bowman and Jean Loretta Coleman.

Graveside services were held at Land of Canaan Cemetery, Elk Township for Kenneth D. Coleman, 47, who passed away on March 26, 2014, at his residence, Sterling Manor Nursing Home in Maple Shade. Formerly of Camden.

Loving father of Shawanna McColloughbey,

Predeceased by the late Allen Bowman, Eric Bowman, Nequell Frazier.

Survived by Arron Bowman, Rose R, Vertell Mitchell-Minus, Husain Shabazz, little George, Diann Mitchell-White, (Nephews) William Mitchell, Robert Smith, (Niece) Tiffany Mitchell; there are also many nieces, nephews, cousins and a host of friends.

Kenneth enjoyed life, being a comedian, making people laugh and playing basketball and socializing with his friends.

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

DOMENICA MINNIE SANTILLI (April 17)

Private services were held for Domenica Minnie Santilli, (nee Zagame), 90, of Runnemede who passed away on April 12, 2014.

Beloved wife of the late Edward Santilli Sr. Devoted mother of Antonia Wnorowski (Thomas) and Edward Santilli Jr. (Janet). Loving nana of Matthew, Jessica, Angela, Brian and Elizabeth. Great grandmom of Sean, Andrew, Timothy, Ryan, Alyssa and Ethan; Dear sister of Florence Intellisano and the late Gus, John, George, Joe, Paul and Rose. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

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

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

JOANNE LINDNER (April 17)

Funeral services will be held at Colonial Manor United Methodist Church, 56 Elberne Ave., West Deptford on April 18 at 3 p.m. for Joanne Lindner, 51,(nee Alestra), of West Deptford who passed away on April 12, 2014.

Loving wife of the late Hank Lindner. Loving mother of Stephanie Helms (Scott), Jessica Larwa and Kate Larwa. Cherished daughter of Vincent B. and Marion M. Alestra (nee Cuthbertson). Cherished grandmother of Carly. Also survived by her two sisters, two brothers and seven nephews.

Relatives and friends are invited to her viewing on Friday afternoon from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Church.

Interment private.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Joanne Lindner Memorial Fund: P.O. Box 358, Gloucester City, NJ 08030.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth St., Gloucester City. Ph: 856-456-1142

DAVID CHARLES MUNN (April 17; see also April 24)

Memorial services were held at Etherington-Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City for David Charles Munn, 72, of Gloucester City who passed away on April 12, 2014.

He was the beloved father of Melissa Medina (Todd) and Ward Munn (Lauren), dear brother of Bruce Munn and loving grandfather of Sophia and Mia Munn and Natalie and Charlie Medina.

Dave's intense interest in local history led him to obtain an undergraduate degree in history from Rutgers University and a Masters in Library Science at Drexel University. He then pursued a professional career as a librarian, working for a number of years at the New Jersey State Library, Bureau of Archives and History, before becoming the director at the Cherry Hill Public Library.

Subsequently, he joined the Atlantic County Library System, working at the main library in Mays Landing before becoming the branch manager at the library system's Hammonton Branch. He continued fulfilling that role until his retirement.

He also served as the president of the Camden County Historical Society and in a number of other capacities at this organization.

An accomplished author, during the nation's bicentennial, Mr. Munn wrote a pamphlet titled, *Battles and Skirmishes of New Jersey*, published by the New Jersey Bureau of Geology and Topography, Department of Environmental Protection, to accompany a map about the Revolutionary War in the state that Dave and Kemble Widmer prepared and published by the same state agency.

Mr. Munn also wrote *A Partner in Protection Since 1880*, a history of the Philadelphia Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company in 1981 as well as articles and pamphlets about Pomona Hall and the Cooper family.

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Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at St. Joachim Parish, 601 West Browning Road, Bellmawr on Wednesday morning, April 9 at 10 a.m. for Edward J. Sedlak, 70, of Gloucester City who was called to Eternal life on April 12, 2014.

Edward was born in Philadelphia and later moved to Kennett Square before relocating to South Jersey. Edward had battled with numerous illnesses with patience and exceptional courage.

He is predeceased by his parents, Edward and Julia. He is survived by his life partner of 30 years David; his daughter Julianne Moore (Christopher); brothers Richard (Christine), Ronald (Kathleen), James (Barbara); his sisters Cheryl, Patricia, Jacquelyn Stout (Edward), Margaret Nason (Ray) and Barbara Satterfield (Jon).

As Senior Probation Officer at the Woodbury office, he dedicated over 16 years of service. He will be dearly missed but remembered always by 6 grandchildren, many uncles, aunts, cousins, nephews and nieces.

Relatives and friends are invited to his viewing on Wednesday morning from 8:30 to 9:45 a.m. in the church.

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

In lieu of flowers, mass cards are requested as well as donations to Operation Smile: Operation Smile, 3641 Faculty Blvd. Virginia Beach, VA 23453

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GEORGE E. WOODALL, JR. (April 17)

Funeral services were held at Brig. Gen. William C. Doyle Veterans Cemetery Shelter, Wrightstown for George E. Woodall, Jr., 68, of Brooklawn and most recently Clementon who passed away on April 9, 2014.

Survived by his sons, David T. and Brian M. Woodall (Christine); his previous wife of 32 years, Sally Woodall; his grandchildren, Emily, Ryan, Brandon and Brian Jr.; and his sister Georgeann Woodall.

Predeceased by his daughter, Christina Woodall.

George proudly served our country in the U.S. Navy on the USS Independence during the Bay of Pigs Invasion. He will be remembered as a very giving charitable donor to many non-profit organizations.

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JOAN M. BURGESS (April 24)

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, April 23 at 8 p.m. at Etherington-Creran Funeral Home, 700 Powell Street, Gloucester City for Joan M. Burgess, 77, (nee Harrington), a lifelong resident of Gloucester City who passed away on April 19, 2014.

She was the beloved wife of the late Ernest Burgess and loving mother of Albert Brangan (Robin) and Beverly Johnson (Jim). She is also survived by her dear grandchildren Albert (Janine), Jennifer (Jon), Andrea (Dennis), Erica (William) and great grandchildren Austin and Maya Paras and Aubree and Baby Brangan.

Joan was a loving and caring person. She loved her family and the time she spent with them especially at family barbecues and luaus. Joan was known for always mixing up her granddaughters' names and was also very fond of butterflies.

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

STEVEN LEO CARR, SR. (April 24)

Eulogies and Prayers will be held on April 25 at 2 p.m. at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester for Steve Carr, loved by all, went home to our Lord in Heaven on April 19, 2014.

He is survived by his wife, Pattie (nee Rink); his sons Nate and Leo; mother Marion Carr; father James (Bert) Carr and brother James. Predeceased by sister Diane Benner. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Relatives and friends are invited to his viewing on Friday from 12 Noon to 2 p.m. at the funeral home. Cremation will be private.

CHARLES W. (CHICK) HESBACKER (April 24)

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 S. Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Charles W. (Chick) Hesbacker, 91, of Bellmawr who passed away on April 6, 2014.

Charles was born in Blackwood. He met and married Mary Rollins after she moved from Chambersberg, PA to New Jersey. Together they raised six children that complemented the love they share for each other. Charles was the beloved husband of 71 years to Mary. Dear father of Luann, Louise, and the late David, Charyl, Charles, Jr. and Tonya. Grandfather of 13 and great grandfather of 21.

He was a retired member of Carpenter Local 1823 of Philadelphia.

Interment New S.t Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the Bellmawr Volunteer Fire Company.

DONALD FRED BOKER (April 24)

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Donald Fred Boker, 78, of Gloucester City who passed away on April 15, 2014.

Beloved husband of 47 years to Margaret (nee Hart). Devoted father of Linda Angelo (Ron). Loving grandfather of Matthew, Ian, Mikey and Eric, all of whom he doted on. Dear brother of Harold (Betty), Fred (Lorraine), Charles, Arthur (Jackie), John, Eileen Tortual (Bill), Irene Clark (Frank), and Arlene Johnson (Bob).

Donald was a pipefitter at NJ Zinc, Gulf and Western, and Coastal Eagle Point, from where he retired in 1998. During those years he worked part-time as a mechanic for Penn Jersey Auto Stores and Korvette Auto Center. Mr. Boker proudly served his country during the Korean Conflict with the US Marine Corps. Interment private at the request of the family.

In lieu of flowers, donations to St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, 230 N. Evergreen Avenue, Woodbury, NJ 08096.

MATTHEW J. HILDEBRANDT (April 24)

Catholic Funeral services were held at McCann-Healey Funeral Home, 851 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Matthew J. Hildebrandt, 31, of Williamstown, formerly of Gloucester City who passed away on April 17, 2014.

Loving father of Matthew J. Hildebrandt, Jr. Cherished son of John W. and Kathleen C. Hildebrandt (nee Pearce). Beloved brother of John W. Hildebrandt, Jr. (Jessica) and David P. Hildebrandt (Kirsten). Loving boyfriend of Alexis Fowler. Cherished uncle of John W. III, Tyler A., Natalie C. and David P. Jr. Beloved grandson of Marian Hildebrandt. Also survived by many loving aunts, uncles and cousins.

Matthew excelled in sports in Gloucester City throughout his youth. He was a loving and caring father to his son and will be forever missed by all who loved him.

Cremation will be private.

In lieu of flowers, donations to Matthew J. Hildebrandt, Jr. Educational Fund: PO Box 358, Gloucester City, NJ 08030.

MARY CHRISTOPFFERSEN (April 24)

Funeral services were held at Gardner Funeral Home, 126 South Black Horse Pike, Runnemede for Mary Christoffersen, 94, (nee Gezzi), of Bellmawr, formerly of Paulsboro and Camden who passed away on April 16, 2014.

Beloved wife of the late George, Sr. Devoted mother of George, Jr. (Patricia). Loving grandmother of Eric (Allyson). Dear great grandmother of Gavin. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Interment Locustwood Memorial Park, Cherry Hill.

In lieu of flowers donations to the charity of your choice.

MATTHEW DENIS MORAN (April 24)

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Wednesday, April 23 at St. Mary's Church, 426 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City for Matthew Denis Moran, 22, of Gloucester City who suddenly, on April 16, 2014, returned to Our Lord, surrounded by his family and friends.

Loving Son of Denis J. Moran and Maureen A. (nee Saunders). Devoted brother of Abby Moran and Emily Moran. Cherished Grandson of Mary A. Moran (nee Tyrrell) and the late Thomas F. Moran. Cherished Grandson of Ralph Saunders and Marge Saunders (nee Pine). Survived by many loving uncles, aunts, cousins, friends and K-9 friend Cody.

Matt was a lifelong resident of Gloucester City.

Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend his viewing on Wednesday from 9:30 am to 12:30 pm at Saint Mary's Church No viewing at the funeral home and no evening viewing.

Interment New Saint Mary's Cemetery, Bellmawr.

Family respectfully prefers memorial donations in Matthew's memory to Saint Vincent DePaul Society c/o Saint Mary's Church: 426 Monmouth Street, Gloucester City, NJ 08030. Please write in memo: Matthew Moran or My Father's House: P.O. Box 230, Gloucester City, NJ 08030. Please write in memo: Matthew Moran.

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SCARLETTE K. WILSON (April 24)

Funeral services were held at Antioch Baptist Church, Camden for Scarlette K. Wilson, 42, of Gloucester City who passed away on April 13, 2014.

Interment Harleigh Cemetery, Camden.

ELMER F. WREN, JR. (April 24)

Funeral services were held for Elmer F. Wren, Jr., 62, of Westville, who passed away on April 19, 2014. Husband of Dawn A. (nee Schmutz).

WILMA J. CHAMBERS (April 24)

Funeral services were held for Wilma J. Chambers, 80, of Bellmawr (nee Hartman), who passed away on April 16, 2014.

Beloved wife of the late Elmer F. Chambers. Devoted mother of Doug Chambers (Joann), Steve Chambers (Johanna and Terri Clark (Jon)). Dear sister of David Hartman, and the late Betty Michael, Doris, Michael, Russell Hartman and Earl Hartman. Proud grandmother of Bianca Clark, Marissa Chambers, Brain Chambers and Erica Chambers.

Interment William C. Doyle Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Arneystown.

In lieu of flowers contributions to Solid Rock Baptist Church Building Fund, 420 S. White Horse Pike, Berlin, NJ 08009.

ALICE HARROLD (April 24)

Funeral services were held at Gardner funeral Home, Runnemede for Alice Harrold, 90, (nee Devlin), of Bellmawr who passed away on April 12, 2014.

Beloved wife of the late Harry J. Harrold. Devoted mother of John Harrold and Lois Osborn (David).

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Interment private.

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