

OBITUARIES

NAOMI BOHLANDER
Former Dallas resident and visiting nurse

Naomi J. Bohlander of Lithia Valley Road, Factoryville, and formerly of Tunkhannock, died Saturday March 23, 2002 at Allied Skilled Nursing Center, Scranton.

Born June 22, 1923, in Dallas, she was a daughter of the late Claude and Mary (Gregory) Shaver. She was a 1941 graduate of Dallas High School and a 1950 graduate of Mercy Hospital School of Nursing. She was a visiting nurse.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Roy, and brother, Robert. Surviving are her sons, Scott, Aston, and Glenn, Scranton; two grandchildren; and sister, Carol, Dallas.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Muscular Dystrophy Association, Taylor.

RITA HAVARD
Daughter lives in Sweet Valley

Rita A. Havard, of Harkins Lane, Wilkes-Barre, died Tuesday March 5, 2002 at home.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, she was a daughter of the late Frederick and Mae (Milham) Schumacher. She was a graduate of Coughlin High School.

She formerly worked in the cigar industry. She was a member of St. Boniface Church, Wilkes-Barre. She was preceded in death by her husband, David J.; sisters, Mary Nat and Dolores Walsh; grandson, Scott Bell; and granddaughter, Shannon Bell.

Surviving are her sons, David, Lawrence, Gerald "Hoagie" and Richard "Chicky," all of Wilkes-Barre; and Robert, Pittston; daughters, Regina Tittel, Colleen Parise and Michelle Trathen, all of Wilkes-Barre; Cathy Morio, Hanover Township; and Nancy, Sweet Valley, Ross Township; 26 grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren; and sister, Regina Gallagher, Plains Township.

JOSEPH KOUPINAS
U.S. Army veteran of World War II

Joseph Koupinas, of Sweet Valley, Lake Township, died Wednesday March 20, 2002 at the Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Born in Luzerne, he was a son of the late Carl and Mary (Norsavage) Koupinas. Before retiring, he worked at Petroplast. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II, serving with the 109th Division. He was preceded in death by his sisters, Constance Bocwinski and Helen; and brothers, Augustas, Louis, Frank, Edward and Carl.

Surviving are his wife, the former Carol Taylor; son, Edward, Florida; daughter, Bonnie Douie, New Jersey; Rita Joyce, Nevada; Anne Monroe, Berwick; and Rose Kopcha, Sweet Valley; seven grandchildren; and sister, Anna Sarsala, Exeter.

ANNA ONDEK
Resident at Meadows Nursing Center

Anna A. Ondek, 89, died Wednesday March 20, 2002 at Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas, where she was a resident.

Born Feb. 8, 1913 in Nanticoke, she was the daughter of the late Charles and Antoinette (Vilkelis) Kvedarovicz. She resided at The Meadows Manor Assisted Living Home, Dallas, since 1997. She held positions in the Pentagon, Washington, D.C., the Veteran's Administration, Wilkes-Barre, and the Veteran's Administration, Washington D.C. She received several awards for outstanding achievement while employed by the Veteran's Administration. She retired to Culpeper, Va., where she was a member of the Precious Blood Catholic Church and its Altar Society. She was recognized for her dedication as a volunteer at the Culpeper Memorial Hospital. She was preceded in death by her first husband, John "Jake" Zanowicz; second husband, Andrew Ondek; brother, Bolish; stepson, John E. Zanowicz; and step-grandson, Edward J. Kruska.

Surviving are her brother, John Kvedarovicz, Manassas, Va.; stepdaughters, Dorothy Gribb, Wilkes-Barre; and Marie Kruska, Dallas; stepson, Michael Ondek, Florida; four stepgrandchildren and one stepgreat-grandson. Memorial donations may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

BERNARD GRIESHABER
Coast Guard veteran of the Korean War

Bernard C. Grieshaber, 72, of Upper Demunds Road, Dallas, died Friday March 22, 2002 at the Inpatient Unit of Hospice Care of the VNA at the Heritage House, Wilkes-Barre.

Born March 8, 1930 in Greensburg, he was a son of the late Richard and Paula (Vogel) Grieshaber. He was a 1948 graduate of Meyers High School and a graduate of the New York Institute of Dietetics. He owned the former Continental Inn, Luzerne, and founded Maitre'D Foods Inc.

He was a Coast Guard veteran of the Korean War. He was formerly active with the Luzerne Lions Clubs, Masonic Lodge 61 and numerous other civic organizations. He was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Dallas.

Surviving are his wife of 51 years, the former Catherine Jacobsen; daughter, Catherine Susan Policare, Lake Ariel; two grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Memorial donations may be made to St. Paul's Lutheran Church, P.O. Box 802, Dallas, 18612.

JAMES BERTRAM
Member of the Huntsville United Methodist Church

James R. Bertram, 80, of Dallas, formerly of Hillside Road, Shavertown, Kingston Township, died Friday March 22, 2002 at Hospice Care of the VNA Inpatient Unit at Heritage House, Wilkes-Barre.

Born Nov. 26, 1921 in Jackson Township, he was a son of the late Theodore and Eleanor (Major) Bertram. He attended Lehman schools. Before retiring, he was a machinist with the Nicholson Co. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Huntsville United Methodist Church. He was preceded in death by his wife of 50 years, Lois E.; brother, Harold; and sisters, Ruth Slimak and Grace Gabel.

Surviving are his daughter, Donna Milius, Dallas; sons, Eugene, Luzerne; and Ronald, Dallas; and one granddaughter. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Huntsville United Methodist Church, 2355 Huntsville Road, Shavertown, 18708; or to Hospice Care of the VNA, 80 E. Northampton St., Wilkes-Barre, 18701.

ERIC JETER

Staff Sergeant in 92nd Air Force Reserves Battalion, Forty Fort

Eric S. Jeter, of Oaklawn Avenue, Lee Park section of Hanover Township, died Wednesday March 6, 2002.

Born in La Plata, Md., he was a son of Harry J. Jeter and the late Jan R. (Wible) Jeter. He worked for Barber Ford, Hazleton. He was also a staff sergeant in the 92nd Air Force Reserves Battalion, Forty Fort.

Surviving are his son, Eric, Hanover Township; daughter, Sophia, Dallas; brothers, Donald, Hughesville, Md.; Robert and Thomas, both of Hanover Township; sisters, Stacey Howe and Jamie Morgan, both of Fort Washington, Md.; grandmother, Audrey Wible, Fort Washington, Md.; and several nieces and nephews.

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