

REGINA WALDORF

Earned master's degree at Notre Dame

Regina M. Waldorf, 72, of Dallas, died Sunday, July 29, 2007 at Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, she was a graduate of Dallas High School, College Misericordia and Notre Dame University with a master's degree in music. Before retiring, she was a teacher in the Wilkes-Barre School District. Prior to that, she was a teacher in Jackson Heights, N.Y.

She was the organist at Firwood United Methodist Church. She was a member of St. Therese's Church, Shavertown, had served with the Sisters of Mercy, was a volunteer at John Heinz, Wilkes-Barre; a Home Instead caregiver and a piano teacher.

Surviving are a son, R. John Waldorf, Dallas; a daughter, Joy Ann Kennedy, Dallas; two grandchildren; sisters, Lois Siepmann, Long Island, N.Y.; and Maureen Yankoski, Dallas.

Memorial donations to the American Cancer Society.

LEROY SMITH

Was veteran of Korean War

Leroy J. Smith, 75, of Dallas Township, passed away Saturday, July 28, 2007 at home.

Born in Larksville on March 19, 1932, he was a lifetime resident of Dallas and enlisted into the military directly from school. He served during the Korean War as a Sergeant Regular Army with Company K 180th Infantry regiment and was honorably discharged on July 16, 1954.

During his enlistment, he received many distinguished awards, including the Korean Service Medal with one Bronze Star, United Nations Service Medal and Combat Infantry National Defense Service Medal. His most honorable awards are the Purple Heart and the Silver Star.

He was a lifetime member of the Korean War Veterans of the Wyoming Valley.

Surviving are his wife of 27 years, Beverly E. Smith; his children, James, Killeen, Texas; Michael D., Dallas; Beverly C, Ithaca, N.Y.; Timothy M. Sr., Hunlock Creek; Bethanne M. DeAngelo, Dallas; Georgia Simon, Plymouth; and William D., Wilkes-Barre; sisters, Coral Superak, New Jersey; Evelyn Lewis, Freehold, N.J.; Betty Ann Spencer and sister-in-law Elda Smith, Hunlock Creek; brothers, Edwin, New Jersey; and Arthur; 21 grandchildren; six great-grandchildren.

JOAN CHRISTIANSON

Recently celebrated 70th birthday

Joan Grace Christianson, a native of Dallas, died on July 11, 2007. She celebrated her 70th birthday on May 26, 2007.

After graduating from Dallas High School, she lived in New Jersey for many years before moving to New York in 1979. She was employed for many years and recently worked at The Bida Home for

Adults in Oxford, N.Y.

Surviving are her children, Alan Greco, Joyce Moore, Tammy Russell, Donald Greco; nine grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; sisters, Gladys, Inez and Joyce; brothers, Stanley, Phillip, Todd and Glenn; nieces and nephews; and her dear friend, Nettie.

ELEANOR KRASHKEVICH

Founding member of Cousteau Society

Eleanor E. Krashkevich, 88, of Dallas, died on Wednesday, July 25, 2007, at the Meadows Nursing Center, Dallas.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, she was a graduate of the Wilkes-Barre schools. She was a founding member of the Cousteau Society, a member of Greenpeace, and a supporter of the A.S.P.C.A. She was a former cub pack den mother and served on the Back Mountain Library Antiques Committee.

Surviving are her son, David G., of Dallas. Memorial donations to the Luzerne County S.P.C.A.

CHARLES WERKHEISER

Owned Charley's Tree Service

Charles Werkheiser, 53, of Sweet Valley, died Sunday, July 29, 2007, at his home.

Born in Kingston, he was the owner of Charley's Tree Service and was associated with Redeye, Revival and Legend bands.

He attended Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Wilkes-Barre.

Surviving are sons, Dale C. and Mark, of Edwardsville; Carl, Wildwood, N.J.; daughter, Margy Werkheiser, Edwardsville; brothers, Donald, Shavertown; Daniel, Hartford, Conn.; sister, Lynn Muchler Stash, Edwardsville; and one grandson.

WILLIAM JAMES

Owned James' Nursery & Garden Center

William David James, more fondly known as "Dave" or "Jamesie" to his family and friends, died on Thursday, July 26, 2007 at Wilkes-Barre General Hospital.

A resident of Centermoreland for more than 40 years, he was born in Larksville, spending his early years there, then moving to Kingston, where he later graduated from Kingston High School in 1962. After graduating, he founded James' Nursery & Garden Center, which he successfully ran for many years. He also worked side-by-side with his wife in her business of Old Mill Crafts.

He was a member of the Dr. Edwards Memorial Church, Edwardsville, and was also an associate member of the Centermoreland United Methodist Church, Centermoreland, where he was a co-teacher with his wife in Sunday school and nursery church, a youth leader, and was active in mission projects.

Surviving are his wife of 24 years, the former Debra Race; sister, Catherine Price; a niece and several nephews.

Memorial donations to the Centermoreland United Methodist Church, Heifer Project International, or the American Cancer Society.

PRINCE OF PEACE MEMBERS VOLUNTEER AT SOUP KITCHEN



Members of the Outreach Committee of Prince of Peace Church Dallas and friends spent Saturday, July 7, as volunteers at the Wilkes-Barre St. Vincent DePaul Kitchen. They prepared items for a meal, served and cleaned up after the noon meal. Shown in the front row is Josh, a soup kitchen volunteer. From left, second row, Lois Hartman, Lisa Kasarda, Dee Cory. Third row, Dan Plashinski, Mary Jillson Stout, The Reverend Mary Lou Divis, Denise Gilbert, Renee Blasi, Jadi Willison, Jenn and Sandy Sheehan..

GATE OF HEAVEN VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL HELD



Children who attended Vacation Bible School at Gate of Heaven Church enjoyed a week of learning about how much Jesus loves them and all the children of the world. The program, directed by Sonya Cesarini, Religious Education Coordinator, was available to pre-school through eighth grade students. Some of the participants are, from left, first row, Melanie Selner, James Frederick, Grace Aiello, Christina Cikowski, Kaitlyne Patla, Morgan Patla and Brendan Frederick. Second row: Hailey Sobocinski, Andrew Grabowski, Megan O'Brien, Catechist; Sara Kopczynski, Catechist; Emily Malak, Catechist; Rachel Malak, Tabby Grabowski and Liam Frederick. Third row: Amanda O'Brien, Catechist; Megan Grabowski, Catechist and Eric Yurko, Catechist. Fourth row: Rita Good, Music Director; Missy Malak, Arts & Crafts Director; and Quinn Crispell.

THERESA ANN SWIDA

Worked for URS

Theresa Ann Marie Swida, 69, of Tunkhannock, passed away Friday, July 27, 2007 in Tunkhannock.

She was born in Wilkes-Barre and later moved to Tunkhannock. Theresa worked for numerous years at United Rehabilitation Services, Tunkhannock.

Surviving are a daughter, Debbie Macri, and her dear housemates for the past 11 years, Gayle, Becky, David, Virginia and Bobby.

LEOPOLD WODASKI

Former resident of Harveys Lake

Leopold Wodaski, 87, of Madison, N.J., formerly of Harveys Lake and Mount Pocono, passed away Tuesday, July 24, 2007.

Born in Wilkes-Barre, he was employed by the U.S. government as a maintenance foreman for the U.S. Air Force prior to his retirement. He was a U. S. Navy veteran of World War II and a member of the American Legion.

Surviving are his wife of 61 years, the former Helen Sasko; daughter, Gloria Cracovia, of Madison, N.J.; one grandson; sister, Harriet Muzyka; brother, Carl.

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