

Wm. McCarville

William R. McCarville, 92, Darlington, died Tuesday, June 29, 1993 at Memorial Hospital of Lafayette County, Darlington.

He was born in Darlington, Dec. 19, 1900, the son of Francis P. and Mary T. (Sreenan) McCarville. They farmed in the area. William was the Postmaster at the Darlington U.S. Post Office until his retirement in 1970.

Funeral services are pending at the Steil Camacho Funeral Home, Darlington.

Vincent Mongold

Vincent G. Mongold, 74, Shullsburg, formerly of the Calamine area, died Monday, June 21, 1993.

Survivors include two daughters, Marilyn Mongold Armstrong, Stoughton; and Jane Mongold, Madison; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Mass of Christian Burial was held Friday, June 25, 1993, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Mineral Point. Interment was in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Paul Speth

Paul "Shooter" Speth, 74, Belmont, died Friday, June 25, 1993, in the Southwest Health Center Nursing Home, Cuba City.

Paul was born Jan. 7, 1919 in Elk Grove Township, the son of Elmer and Agnes Schuldt Speth. He farmed in the Belmont area until 1976 and then worked at the Platteville Golf and Country Club until retiring in 1992.

He was a member of the Platteville Area Bowlers Hall of Fame and a member of the bowlers "700" Club.

Paul is survived by two brothers, Orville "Buck" (Evelyn) Speth, Dodgeville; and Raymond "Dick" (Alice) Speth, Belmont.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 28, 1993 at the Belmont Peace Lutheran Church. Burial was in the Belmont Cemetery. The Bendorf Funeral

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Lynn H. Carns

Lynn H. Carns, 90, Platteville, and formerly of Big Patch, died Sunday, July 4, 1993 at Gray's Nursing Home, Platteville.

He was born June 18, 1903, in Grant County, the son of Edward and Glendora VanNatta Carns. He married the former Laura Hoffman on October 10, 1938. They farmed near Big Patch until retiring in 1971.

Lynn attended the Big Patch Primitive Methodist Church and was a member of the State and National Holstein Fresien Association.

He is survived by his wife, Laura, Platteville; two daughters, Jane Carns, Platteville, and Jean (Jim) Voigts, Belmont; two sons, Bob (Nancy) Carns, Cuba City and Wayn (Anita) Carns of Big Patch; 11 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Thursday, July 8, from the Bendorf Funeral Home, Platteville. Burial was in Big Patch Cemetery.

Cleo S. Heins

Mrs. Hubert "Cleo S." Heins, 53, rural Belmont, died Tuesday, June 29, 1993 in Moab, Utah, after an extended illness.

She was born May 31, 1940 in Dubuque, Iowa, the daughter of William and Elizabeth Cross Gregory. She was married to Hubert Heins June 2, 1962 in Cuba City. Cleo was a homemaker and was a member of the Belmont Peace Lutheran Church and the Life and Breath Club at Mercy Health Center, Dubuque.

Survivors include her husband, Hubert, rural Belmont; two daughters, Janet (Bruce) Borcharding, Arlington, Va.; and Jeanne Heins, rural Belmont; her mother, Elizabeth Olson, Colorado Springs, Colo.; her father, William Gregory, Rockford, Ill.; two sisters, Chloe (Robert) Birkett, Benton; and Nannette Olson Wilt, Burnsville, Texas; three brothers, Curtis and Noel Olson of Florida; and Kevin Olson, Colorado Springs, Colo.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 3, 1993 at the Peace Lutheran Church, Belmont. Burial was in the Belmont Cemetery. The Bendorf Funeral Home, Platteville, was in charge of arrangements.

Wm. McCarville

William R. McCarville, 92, Darlington, died Tuesday, June 29, 1993, at Memorial Hospital of Lafayette County, Darlington.

He was born Dec. 19, 1900 in Darlington, the son of Francis P. and Mary T. (Sreenan) McCarville. He married Ethel R. Richards Sept. 26, 1921 at St. Michael's Catholic Church in Calamine.

They farmed in the Willow Springs Township area. William was the past postmaster at the U.S. Post Office in Darlington until his retirement in 1970.

William was a lifelong member of Holy Rosary Catholic Church, Darlington; a past worthy grand knight of the Msgr. Doyle Knights of Columbus Council 1080; a former director of the REA; and past town clerk for Willow Springs

Township. He was also an avid fisherman. He taught his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren the "skills of fishing".

Survivors include his wife, Ethel, who resides at Lafayette County Manor, Darlington; three sons, Kenneth (Geri), Beloit; Jerome (Nina), Tucson, Ariz., and James (Ardeh), Hemet, Calif.; three daughters, Mrs. John (Audrey) Fitzsimons, Janesville, Mrs. Ronald (Patricia) Black and Mary E. Oechslein, Darlington; 34 grandchildren, 70 great-grandchildren, two great-great-grandchildren; two step-grandchildren and five step-great-grandchildren.

Mass of Resurrection was Friday, July 2, 1993, at Holy Rosary Catholic Church, Darlington. The Rev. Tom Coyle officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

The Steil Camacho Funeral Home, Darlington, was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Alan Black, Richard Black, William Fitzsimons, Jack Fitzsimons, David McCarville, Brian Hastert and Dean Dalton. Honorary pallbearers were Grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren. Music was provided by Arlene Kluesner, Sara Lange, Diego Camacho, Jr., Ed Fitzsimons and Jane Olson.

Birgetta Sweeney

Birgetta A. Sweeney, 79, Leadmine, Wis., died Tuesday, July 6, 1993, at Southwest Health

Center Hospital, Platteville, Wis.

She was born July 26, 1913 at Leadmine, Wis., to Michael and Clara (McGuire) Sweeney

Birgetta was a member of St. Patrick's Council of Catholic Women, and had worked at Micro-Switch in Warren for a number of years.

Survivors include one sister, Meletta Casper, Belmont; one brother, Philip (Ferne) Sweeney, Cuba City; niece and nephews.

Visitation will be held from 4-8 p.m. Friday, July 9, from the Casey-Siegert Funeral Home, Benton, Wis. with a parish scripture wake service at 7:30 p.m.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 10, 11 a.m. from St. Patrick's Church, Benton, Wis., with burial in the church cemetery.

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David Bredeson

David S. Bredeson, 50, Madison, died Sunday, July 18, 1993.

He was born March 28, 1943, in Darlington, the son of Sherman and Hildred Bredeson. He was baptized and confirmed in the Darlington United Methodist Church. He graduated from Darlington High School in 1961. He served in the Seabee Division of the United States Navy from 1963 to 1967, which included a tour of duty in the Viet Nam War. On Aug. 18, 1967, he was united in marriage to Judy Gilbertson.

Survivors include his wife, Judy and daughter, Jennifer, both of Madison; his parents, Sherman and Hildred Bredeson, Darlington; and a brother Robert Bredeson, Platteville.

A memorial service will be held at Asbury United Methodist Church, 6101 University Ave., Madison, on Friday, July 23, 1993 at 3 p.m. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the David Bredeson Memorial Fund.

The Fitch-Lawrence Sanfillippo Funeral Home, 6021 University Ave., Madison, was in charge of arrangements.

Joseph Connolly

Joseph M. Connolly, 69, Darlington, died Thursday, July 15, 1993, at Memorial Hospital of Lafayette County, Darlington.

He was born in Kendall Township, April 4, 1924, the son of James and Mary (Deery) Connolly. He graduated from Belmont High School in 1943. He was married to the former Arlene M. Murray on June 27, 1951 at Holy Rosary Catholic Church, Darlington.

Joseph was employed at Darlington Motor Sales for 36.5 years; and at Engstad Chevrolet from 1985 until his retirement in 1992. He also owned and operated Econo Wash Laundry, Connolly Car Wash, and Dairyland Drive Inn, all in Darlington; Mineral Point Laundry; and Connolly Highlander in Argyle.

He was a member of Holy Rosary Catholic Church, Darlington; and past financial secretary for the Msgr. Doyle Knights of Columbus Council #1080.

Survivors are his wife: Arlene; two daughters: Colleen Martin, Richland Center, and Kay (John) Paulson, Edgerton; two grandsons; two brothers: Fr. Robert V. Connolly, LaCrosse, and Charles (Ethel) Connolly, Darlington.

Mass of Resurrection was held

Sunday, July 18, 1993, at Holy Rosary Catholic Church, Darlington. Fr. Tom Coyle officiated. Burial was at the Church Cemetery. The Steil Camacho Funeral Home, Darlington, served the family.

Pallbearers were: John G. Deery, James Gibson, Michael Connolly, Donald Murray, James Connolly, Robert Leahy and Jerry Hytry. Honorary pallbearers were: Charles Hartman, Richard McGinnis, Carl Ehrich, Homer Evenstad, William Purcell, Lee Furrer, Former Darlington Motor Sales Employees and Engstad Chevrolet Employees.

Brent Ostby

Brent Aaron Ostby, infant son of Aaron and Julie Ostby, Monroe, was stillborn Friday, July 9, 1993, at St. Clare Hospital, Monroe.

Survivors include his parents and a sister, Kelsey, at home; grandparents, LaVerne and Virginia Ostby, Monticello, and Richard and Mildred Douglas, Brodhead; and

great-grandparents, Sylvia Grossen, Monroe, and Charles and Delorus Douglas, Orfordville.

Private family services were held at St. Clare Hospital.

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Leo Gallagher

Leo Lee Gallagher, 51, formerly of Apple River, Ill., died Friday, July 23, 1993 at Stephenson Nursing Center, Freeport, Ill.

He was born May 26, 1942 in Freeport, Ill., the son of Leo and Doris (Kent) Gallagher.

Leo worked for the Apple River Feed Mill for ten years and then the City of Apple River for four years.

Survivors include four daughters, Michelle Kruser, Hazel Green; Marjorie and Connie Gallagher, Apple River; and Jennifer Gallagher, Lake George, Colo.; a son, Lee, Shullsburg; his parents of Apple River; a brother, Donald R. Gallagher, Apple River; and a sister, Mrs. Merlin (Donna Kay) Bussan, Benton.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, July 27, 1993, at Bartell-Leamon Funeral Home, Warren, Ill. The Rev. Alvin Sigafus officiated. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery, Warren, Ill.

A memorial fund was established in his name.

Merle L. Pickett

Merle LeRoy Pickett, 64, Beverly Hills, Fla., formerly of Darlington, died Monday, July 19, 1993 at his home in Beverly Hills, Fla., after a short illness.

He was born in Waukesha, April 4, 1929, the son of Floyd and Thelma (Poppa) Pickett. He attended and graduated from Darlington High School, class of 1947.

Merle married Eileen Holland Dec. 28, 1949 at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Truman. They lived in Darlington

where Merle and his father owned and operated Pickett's Center Service, the Western Auto Store, The Texaco Station and Pickett's Buick. Merle and his family also lived in Belleville from 1957 to 1959, where they operated Pickett's DX Station. Merle and Eileen moved to Beverly Hills, Fla. in 1970. He first worked for Walter Buntz from 1970 until 1976. In 1976, he joined Father Michael Leap and Margaret Policastro on the staff of Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church in Beverly Hills, where he has been employed for the last 17 years.

Merle and Eileen shared over 43 years together. Family and friends will remember his sense of humor and easy going manner.

Survivors include his wife Eileen, Beverly Hills, Fla.; two sons, Stephen (Debra) Pickett, Darlington and Gregory Pickett, Iowa City, Iowa; his mother, Thelma Pickett, Beverly Hills, Fla.; and four grandchildren.

Visitation and a requiem mass were held in Beverly Hills, Fla., July 22, 1993.