

## Obituaries: Surnames A-J

### Submitted by Smerek Group Researchers

#### **ANDERCHIN, Michael S.**

TYRONE - Michael S. Anderchin, 88, of 1700 Columbia Ave., Tyrone, died at 4:45 a.m. Wednesday, Dec. 15, 1999 at Tyrone Hospital. Born Oct. 1, 1911, in Morris Township, Clearfield County, he was a son of Andrew and Mary Anderchin. He was united in marriage in 1932 to Anne Kozak, who survives. He was a life member of the Reliance Fire Co. in Philipsburg, past president and member of SportsVue Hunting Camp, R.D. Bald Eagle; a member of the Tyrone American Legion, the Blazing Arrow Hook & Ladder Fire Co., Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4559 and a life member of the Tyrone BPO Elks Lodge 212. He was a meat cutter in his early years in Philipsburg, then moved to Huntingdon in the 1940s where he was employed as a brakeman for the Pennsylvania Railroad. He also worked at Elsie Smith's Market on Washington Street in Huntingdon. In 1947 he moved to Tyrone and with his wife and operated Mike's Cut Rate Store on Columbia Avenue until he-retired in 1976. In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, Richard Anderchin and his wife, Sue, of Denver Colo.; a daughter Stephanie Medvid and her husband, Dennis, of Carlisle; four grandchildren, Debi Haning and Donna Jacobsen of Littleton, Colo., Michael Medvid of Carlisle, Gretchen Thomas of Woodbridge, Va.; two great-grandchildren, three sisters, Mary Jusick of Carlisle, Margaret Heacock of Ellicot City, Md., and Christine Hartshorn of Tampa, Fla.; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, three sisters and three brothers. Funeral services will be held 10 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 18, 1999 at Derman Funeral Home Inc., 1200 Lincoln Ave., Tyrone, with Rev. Fr. Donald J. Voss officiating. Interment will follow at Blair Memorial Park, Antis Township. Friends will be received at the funeral home on Friday from 2-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. where an Elks Memorial Service will be, held Friday at 7 p.m. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to St. Matthew Church Building Fund, 406 W. 11th St., Tyrone, Pa., 16686. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, December 16, 1999)

#### **ANDRAKO, Carl S.**

Carl S. Andrako, 66, Lakewood, Ohio, formerly of Smokerun, died Sunday, Dec. 3, 1995, at Lakewood Hospital, Lakewood, Ohio. He was born Jan. 23, 1929, in Smokerun, the son of the late Peter and Catherine (Duma) Andrako. He married Victoria Laskowski. Mr. Andrako was a member of St. Barbara's Polish National Catholic Church, Houtzdale. He retired from the maintenance department of the Lutheran Hospital, Cleveland, after 15 years of service. He was employed in the maintenance department of Anderson IBEC Co., Cleveland, during the 1970s. Mr. Andrako served in the Army during the 1950s. He enjoyed hunting and was an avid sportsman. Surviving are his wife; a daughter, Sandra Fraczek; a son, Carl; five sisters: Verna Doehring of Brook Park, Ohio, Anna of Smokerun, Katherine and Millie Moscollic, both of Cleveland, and Margaret Manlet of Lakewood; and three brothers: Stanley, Frank and John, all of Cleveland. Friends will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday and 8 to 9:30 a.m. Friday at Kruse Funeral Home, Ramey. The Garland-Misencik Funeral Home, Amherst, is in charge of arrangements in Ohio. (Wednesday, December 6, 1995 Page B3)

**ANDRAKO, Victoria E. (Laskowsky)**

DEARBORN, Mich. - Services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday at St. Barbara's National Catholic Church, Houtzdale, for Victoria E. (Laskowsky) Andrako, 70, of Dearborn, Mich., and formerly of Whiteside, Houtzdale RD, who died Wednesday in Michigan. Fr. Vincent Cieslewicz will be celebrant. Interment will be at St. Barbara's National Catholic Cemetery in Houtzdale. Friends will be received at the Kruse Funeral Home Inc., Ramey on Sunday from 4-6 p.m. and on Monday from 8:30-9:30 a.m. Vigil services will be held Sunday at 5:30 p.m. with Fr. Cieslewicz. Born July 23, 1931, in Whiteside, she was the daughter of the late James and Mildred (Worzeak) Laskowsky. She was a member of St. Barbara's National Catholic Church in Houtzdale. She was a homemaker. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Stanley (Sandra) Fraczek of Grosse Island, Mich., and one son, Carl J. of Lakewood, Ohio; one grand-daughter, Julia Fraczek of Gross Island, Mich.; two sisters, Mrs. Mike (Catherine) Rusnak, of Fernwood and Madeline Saupp of Houtzdale; and four brothers, Charles Laskowsky of Ginter, James Laskowsky of Maui, Hawaii, Michael Laskowsky of Whiteside, Houtzdale RD, and Francis "Fuzzy" Laskowsky of Houtzdale; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Carl Andrako, a brother, Martin and a sister, Patricia. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, Sat Feb 2, 2002)

**ANNA, Stella (Holobinko)**

ANNA--Stella, 68, Hastings, died Aug. 8, 2001, at home. Born Feb. 11, 1933, in Madera, Pa., daughter of late Wasco and Anna (Dyord) Holobinko. Preceded in death by infant sister; two infant brothers; and brothers, Mike, Andy, John and Samuel. Survived by husband, Joseph; children, Joseph, Hastings; Michael, and wife, Janine Spargo, Hastings; James, Hastings; and Christine, and husband, Brian Lieb, Carrolltown; and grandchildren, Ryan Grove; Stephanie, Melissa and Joshua Anna; and Jacob, Zachary and Breanna Lieb. Sister of Kathryn Bartosh, New Jersey; Frank, Madera; Basil, Northern Cambria; Mary Boone, Fostoria, Ohio; George, Clearfield; Peter Hall, Banning, Calif.; Irene Jones, Houtzdale; and Mrs. Herbert (Annie) Hawkins, Glen Hope. Also survived by several nieces and nephews. Private visitation. Funeral Mass will be held at 11 a.m. Friday at St. Bernard Catholic Church, Hastings. Committal, church cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to your favorite charity. Arrangements by Easy Funeral Home, Hastings. (The Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, August, 2001)

**ARDEN, John**

Valparaiso - John Arden, 80, of Valparaiso, formerly of Tolleston, passed away Monday, December 13, 1999 at his home. He was born January 26, 1919 in Gary the son of Vassily and Kasia (Stachurska) Arden, graduated from Tolleston High School, served in the U.S. Army during WW II and retired as an Industrial Engineer with American Bridge Company in 1974 after 30 years of service. He was a lifetime member of the Sportsman's Club and an avid lifetime golfer. On December 20, 1941 he married Glendora Elliott who survives along with five children, Jan (Jane) Arden of Valparaiso, Glendora (Michael) Spinelli of Springfield, VA, Thomas Arden of Crete, IL, Ronald (Cynthia) Arden of Zion, IL, Sandra (Timothy) Patterson of Valparaiso, two brothers, Frank Arden of Albuquerque, NM, Paul Arden of Richardson, TX, and eleven grandchildren. He was

preceded in death by his parents, two brothers and one sister. Funeral services will be held Friday, 11:00 a.m. at Moeller Funeral Home, Valparaiso with cremation to follow. Visitation Thursday 4-8 PM. Memorials are encouraged to Valparaiso Park Department Golf Program or First Presbyterian Church of Valparaiso. (The Times, Crown Point, IN)

**BABCO, Elizabeth (Kraynak)**

Babco, Elizabeth Kraynak, 86 of Glen Campbell, PA RD 1 died Sun., Jan. 19, 2003 at the Punxsutawney Hospital. She was born April 11, 1916, in Banks Township, Indiana county, the daughter of John and Anna Malisse Kraynak. In 1937 she married John William Babco. Mrs. Babco was a member of the Church of the Resurrection, attending at the Glen Campbell parish site. She belonged to the former Gipsy Senior Citizens. Surviving are her three sons: William M. Babco and wife, Lois, Gipsy; John Babco, Glen Campbell RD 1; Richard D. Babco, Glen Campbell RD 1; eight grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and a brother Martin Kraynak and his wife, Margie, Chagrin Falls, OH. Mrs. Babco was preceded in death by her parents, her husband on Jan. 6, 1969; her daughter, Mary Ann Kemmerer; a daughter-in-law, Laura Belle Babco; four brothers: John, Steve, Elmer, and Joseph; and a sister Helen Grimmit. Friends will be received from 2-4 and 7-9 PM on Wed., Jan 22, at the Rairigh Funeral Home, Hillsdale, Pa. A Mass of Christian burial will be celebrated at 10 AM Thurs. at the Church of the Resurrection, Glen Campbell. Interment will be in the parish cemetery, Glen Campbell, PA. (Indiana Gazette, Indiana, PA)

**BALICKI, Dorothy (Zazwirsky)**

Dorothy Balicki, 80 of Mars, formerly of Ambridge, died Sunday August 24, 2003 in St. John specialty Care Center, Mars. Born Nov 11, 1922 a daughter of the late Alex and Julia Katchur Zazwirsky, she worked for several families in the Sewickley and Edgeworth areas, she was a member of the Good Samaritan Parish St. Stanislaus Church. She is survived by her husband Bernard Balicki, her children Donna Gregor, Mercer, John and his wife Diana Balicki, Baden and Judie and her husband Kevin Schofield, Ambridge, two grandchildren, John Balicki Jr., Chambersburg, and Jessie Balicki, Baden, a brother and sister in law, William and Delores Zazwirsky, Nevillewood, a sister Ann Russin, Ambridge, a sister in law Pearl Balicki, Baden and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a brother, Ted Zazwirsky, and three sisters, Tina Medzianowsky Papinchak, Lucy Gos Anderson and Agnes Pinotich. Per her request, there will be no viewing. A memorial Mass will be held Thursday, August 28, 2003, at 10:00 a.m. in St. Stanislaus Church. Interment will follow in Good Samaritan Cemetery. Memorial Contributions may be made, if desired, to St. John's Specialty Care Center, 401 South Main St., Zelienople, PA 16063 The Paul E. Bohn Funeral Home Inc., 1099 Maplewood Ave., Ambridge is in charge of arrangements.

**BARNA, George**

George Barna, 85 of Aultman died Wednesday, May 9, 1979, at Indiana Hospital. A son of Mike and Anna Patrick Barna, he was born March 9, 1894 in Czechoslovakia. Mr. Barna was a member of UMWA Local 3548. He had been a resident of Aultman since 1931 and was associated with the Rochester and Pittsburgh Coal Co. for 26 years. Surviving are his wife, Mary Varholick Barna; a son Mike Chelosky, North Tonawanda,

N.Y.; four daughters: Mrs. Ronald (Elizabeth) Boehm, Clarence, N.Y.; Mrs. Frank (Anna) Shimp, Blairsville R.D. 1; Mrs. Wayne (Mary) King, North Tonawanda, N.Y.; Mrs. John (Helen) Uhrin, North Tonawanda, N.Y.; a brother Mike Barna, Czechoslovakia; three sisters; Mrs. Andy (Anna) Baelk, Windsor, Ontario, and two sisters in Czechoslovakia; 14 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Friends will be received from 7-9 p.m. Thursday and 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Friday at Robinson-Lytle's, Indiana. Services will be held at the funeral home Saturday at 10 a.m. with the Rev. Fr. Josephat Popovich officiating. Interment will be held in St. Bernard's Cemetery, Indiana. Parastas services will be held Friday at 7 at the funeral home. (Indiana Gazette, Indiana, PA, May 10, 1979)

**BARNA, Mary (Varholick)**

Mary Varholick Barna, 94, of Clarence, N.Y. formerly of Blairsville RD 5, died Monday, March 30, 1998, in Clarence, N.Y. The daughter of Demeter and Anna Libovania Warholick, she was born Jan. 4, 1904 in Czechoslovakia. She was of the Catholic faith. Surviving are two brothers: Frank Varholick, Homer City, and Joe Varholick, Cleveland, Ohio; four sisters: Mrs. Anna Bazala, Chicago; Mrs. Sue Regetz, Mansville, N.J.; Mrs. Helen Yensco, Flint, Mich.; and Mrs. Pauline Burl, Green Valley, Ariz.; 14 grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren, eight great-great-grandchildren, and one great-great-great-granddaughter. She was preceded in death by her parents, first husband John Chelosky, who died in 1931; second husband, George Barna, who died in 1979; two sons, John and Michael Chelosky; and four daughters; Helen Uhrin, Anna Shimp, Mary King, and Elizabeth Boehm. Friends will be received at the Richard L. Shoemaker Funeral Home, Blairsville, from noon until 2 p.m. Wednesday, when a prayer service will be held with Father Elmer A. Kacinko officiating. Interment will be in St. Bernard's Cemetery in White Township. (Indiana Gazette, Indiana, PA, March 31, 1998)

**BANKOWSKY, Helen (Lazeration)**

Helen (Lazeration) Bankosky, 86, formerly of Hicksville, NY and Ginter, PA passed away Thursday, July 20, 2006 at 5:35 am at the Allegheny Lutheran Home of Hollidaysburg, PA. Mrs. Bankosky was born in Janesville, PA on February 27, 1920, the daughter of the late Stephen and Anna (Lashinsky) Lazeration. She was a member of St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church Ramey, PA. She was employed as a Vice President of Quality Control at B & H Aircraft, Long Island, NY., for 20 years. She was a member of the American Cake and Candy Decorating Society of New York. On Dec. 6, 1938 in Maryland she married Andy Bankosky, he preceded her in death on July 12, 1985. She is survived by a son and daughter-in-law Richard P. Bankosky and his wife Barbara of Garden City, NY. A granddaughter, Kara Bankosky of Garden City, NY also survives. The following brothers and sisters survive Mrs. Bankosky; Mary Bendas of Altoona, PA., Christine Bendas of Altoona, PA., Madlyn Kechisen of Twinsburg, OH., Ann Daniel and her husband Paul of Henderson, PA, Frank Lazeration and his wife Mary of Houtzdale, PA., John Lazeration and his wife Esther of Ginter, PA., and Paul Lazeration and his wife Joann of Linden, NJ. A number of nieces and nephews also survive Mrs. Bankosky. She was preceded in death by two sisters, Susan Wasilko and Kathryn Lazeration and a brother George Lazeration. Friends will be received Sunday, July 23, 2006 from 1-5 pm and on Monday, July 24, 2006 from 9-10:30 am at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. 2550

Union St. Ramey, PA. A funeral home Panikhida services will be held at 1:30 pm Sunday in the funeral home with Fr. Poorman. A Great Church Parastas Service will be held at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey, PA, at 11:00 am on Monday, July 24th, with Very Rev. Fr. James E. Poorman officiating. Graveside Services will follow in St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Cemetery Ramey, PA .  
([http://www.kruisefuneralhome.com/funeral\\_notices.html](http://www.kruisefuneralhome.com/funeral_notices.html))

**BANKOSKY, Mike**

Mike Bankosky, 72, formerly of Clymer, passed away Tuesday, November 20, 1962 in Blairsville. Born in Austria, September 6, 1890 he was a son of Andrew and Mary Zinza Bankosky. He is survived by one brother, Charles of Indiana, Pa. Friends will be received at the Bence Funeral Home, Clymer, until 9:30 a.m. Saturday, November 24. Graveside services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday in St. Bernard's Cemetery, Indiana. (Indiana Evening Gazette, Indiana, PA, November 23, 1962)

**BARNEY, Delores J.**

Delores J. Barney, 62, 261 Sarah St., Homer City, died Thursday, Feb. 19, 1998, at her home. Mrs. Barney was a member of the St. Louis Roman Catholic Church, Lucernemines; a Democratic committee member of Indiana County and a former member of the Homer City Women's Club. She is survived by her husband, George M. Barney, Homer City; a son Richard Barney, Homer City; and Theresa Kent and her husband Ronald, Hamilton, Pa., and three grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents. Friends will be received from 6-9 p.m. Friday at the C. Frederick Bowser Funeral Home, Homer City, where a Vigil service will be held at 8 p.m. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Saturday at 10 a.m. at the St. Louis Roman Catholic Church, Lucernemines, with the Rev. Fr. James Goldberg officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. (written on 2-20-1998).

**BARNEY [NEDVID], John**

John Barney of 10407 Elliot Ave., beloved husband of Anne (nee Patrick), dear father of Mrs. Andrew D. (Dorothy) Staursky, Mrs. Robert F. (Ruth) Vorell, John R. Barney, David L. Barney, grandfather of 12, brother of Mrs. David (Sue) Gladish, Mrs. Mary Sladick, Michael, George and Joseph Barney. Friends received at the Hopko Funeral Home, 3601 E. 93d St. south of Union Ave., from 7-10 P.M. Tuesday and 2-10 P.M. Wednesday. Funeral Thursday, Feb. 21 at 9 A.M. Services at St. Joseph Byzantine Catholic Church, 9321 Orleans Ave. at 9:30 A.M. Interment Calvary Cemetery. Member of St. Joseph Holy Name Society. Parastas service at 8:30 P.M. Wednesday. (Barney surname was originally Nedvid) (---died 2-20-67).

**BARNEY, Michael**

Michael Barney, aged 54 years, a resident of Clymer, died from cancer at his home June 7, 1922. He is survived by his widow and five children, Michael, Jr., George, Joe, John, and Mary. Funeral services were held on Friday in the Catholic church of Clymer and burial was made in St. Bernard's cemetery in Indiana. (written on it is June, 1922).

**BARNEY, Nancy (Legdan)**

BARNEY-- On Friday, September 22, in her home in Clymer, Mrs. Nancy Barney. She was born in Austria, November 22, 1888. She leaves her husband Wasco Barney and these children: Mrs. Helen Hartman and Frank Barney, both of Cleveland; Michael Barney of Warren, Ohio; and Mary, George and Charles Barney at home. Funeral services were held Monday by the Rev. Basil Kurutz, pastor of the Clymer Greek Catholic Church with burial in the church cemetery. (Anastazia (Legdan)Barney, Barney surname was originally Nedvid).

**BARNEY [NEDVID], Wasco**

WASCO BARNEY NEDVID, age 82, of Clymer passed away Sunday morning at 2 o'clock in St. Joseph's Hospital, Warren, Ohio. Born December 10, 1878 in Austria, the deceased was a member of St. Michael's Greek Catholic Church, Clymer. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Arnold (Helen) Hartman, Mrs. Mary Kephart, and Frank, all of Cleveland, O.; Michael and Charles, both of Warren, O.; George, U.S. Navy. There are 13 grandchildren. Friends will be received at the Bence Funeral Home, Clymer, until 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, when a brief prayer service will be held there, followed by a Requiem Mass at 10 a.m. in St. Michael's Church, Clymer. The Very Rev. Father Andrew J. Kertis will be the celebrant and interment will follow in St. Michael's Cemetery. Parastas service will be held in the Funeral Home at 7 p.m. Monday. (Indiana Evening Gazette, Indiana, PA, 1-11-60.) (Barney surname was originally Nedvid).

**BASARAB, George**

BALTIMORE - George Basarab, 75, of Baltimore, Md., and formerly of Madera, died yesterday morning at the Church Home Hospital in Baltimore. Born April 5, 1912, in Madera, he was a son of the late Onuphrey (Frank) and Mary (Kypochick) Basarab. Mr. Basarab is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Stephen of Baltimore; Michael of Philipsburg; Mrs. Anna Kochan of Ramey; Mrs. Kathryn Lumanick of Ponce Inlet, Fla., John of San Diego, Calif.; Mrs. Theodore (Mary) Marks of Guilford, N.Y.; Mrs. Michael (Susan) Warholic of Beccaria; Andrew Fenchak of Madera; Paul Fenchak of Baltimore; and a number of nieces and nephews. Mr. Basarab retired in Washington, D.C., as a security guard. He was Ukranian Catholic by faith and was a collector of books all his life. Divine Liturgy will be said Saturday at 10 a.m. in St. Mary's Ukranian Catholic Church, Ramey, with the Rev. James E. Poorman as celebrant. Interment will take place in the church cemetery. (written in 1987).

**BASARAB, Dr. John**

Dr. John Basarab passed away on February 9, 2012 at Lancaster General Hospital after a long illness. He was 92 years old. John was born in Madera, Pennsylvania on December 21, 1919, the sixth child of the late Frank (Onufer) Basarab and Mary (Maria) Kopichak Basarab. He graduated from Bigler Township High School in 1938 earning a scholarship to what was then called the Pennsylvania State College. He graduated from Penn State in 1942 with a degree in Education. He earned membership in Pi Gamma Mu, the National Social Science Honor Society. John served in the US Army from 1942-1946 with the 972nd Signal Service Battalion in the Asiatic Pacific Theater of Operations. He was awarded the American Theater Ribbon, Asiatic-Pacific Theater Ribbon, Good Conduct Ribbon and the World War II Victory Medal. While in the Army he met the love of his

life, Syrna Saliterman. They were married on February 4, 1943 and were together when she passed away on July 9, 2006. After the war, John pursued his master's degree. As part of his studies, he attended Charles University in Prague, Czechoslovakia. He and his wife were one of the few Americans present in Prague in 1948 during the Communist takeover. He received the degree of Master of Arts in Political Science from Columbia University in 1950. Impacted by his experience in Prague, he joined the Central Intelligence Agency in 1950. He served in the Soviet Block Division of the CIA from 1950 to 1970. During this time he was stationed in Germany, Spain and Argentina. After retiring from the CIA in 1970, he pursued his PhD at American University. He was awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in History in 1975. His thesis was the basis of his book titled Perieaslav 1654: A Historiographical Study. Published in 1982, his book is considered to be one of the most authoritative references on the topic. From 1970-1972, John taught political science and history at the University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown. From 1972-1980, he worked as head of the Ukrainian desk of Radio Liberty in Munich, Germany. After leaving Radio Liberty, he returned to the Washington DC area and was the head of the Ukrainian National Information Service. He also taught Soviet and East European History at the University of Maryland. He retired completely in 1983, living with his wife at his beloved farm in Somerset, PA. They also spent time living in Falls Church, VA and San Diego, CA before settling down in Raleigh, NC. After his wife's death he moved to Pennsylvania and lived in Landisville, PA until his death. He loved his 50 acre farm in Somerset and, when younger, spent much of his free time there growing grapes and blueberries. John was an avid reader and scholar all his life. At one time he spoke and understood 11 different languages. He was an active follower of current events and politics and spent much of his later life watching CNN news. When commenting on his hair loss, he would quip "Grass does not grow on a busy street!" His mind was one of the busiest of super highways. He is survived by four children and their spouses: Elizabeth (Basarab) Miles and her husband Larry, Robert Basarab and his wife Rosanne, Richard Basarab, Gregory Basarab and his wife Sheila. He has 3 grandchildren and their spouses: Daryl Basarab, Brett Basarab, Jennifer Basarab-Tung and her husband Ka-Wah Tung. He is also survived by two brothers, Andrew Fenchak, Paul Fenchak and his wife Ellen and by three sisters Anna (Basarab) Kohan, Kathryn (Basarab) Lumanick and Susan (Basarab) Warholic. He was preceded in death by his mother and father, his brothers George Basarab, Stephen Basarab and Michael Basarab, his sister Mary (Basarab) Marks and his wife Syrna (Saliterman) Basarab. The family would like to extend its appreciation to the staff at Oak Leaf Manor North assisted living facility in Landisville for the kind care given to him during the past five years. He considered Oak Leaf his home. Funeral Services will be held on Sat. Feb. 25, 2012 at 12 Noon in the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. 2550 Union St. Ramey, PA. Friends will be received at the Kruse Funeral Home on Sat., Feb. 25. from 11:00 AM until the time of services. In lieu of a donation, the family suggests expressing love or sending flowers to a special person in your life.

### **BASARAB, Stephen**

Stephen Basarab, 87, Accountant for IRS Stephen Basarab, a retired Internal Revenue Service accountant who was active in Ukrainian-American cultural affairs, died Friday of heart failure at his Wyman Park home. He was 87. Mr. Basarab worked as a certified

public accountant for the IRS for 30 years and retired in 1979. He had a lifelong interest in helping immigrants adjust to life in the United States and was a past chairman of the Maryland Republican Heritage Council. He had been secretary of the Ukrainian Congress Committee of America. He was a founder of the Ukrainian Education Association of Maryland and was co-author of "The Ukrainians of Maryland," published in 1977. He lectured widely on Ukrainian and Soviet Union history at area schools. He also championed the rights of the elderly and was a co-founder and board member of Lemko House, a residence for senior citizens in Fells Point. He was born in Madera, Pa., to parents who had immigrated from what was then the Austro-Hungarian empire. He dropped out of high school after the death of his father and went to work in the anthracite coal mines to help support his family. During the 1930s, he was a member of the Civilian Conservation Corps. He served in the Army in Europe during World War II and was recalled to active duty during the Korean War. He was discharged with the rank of staff sergeant. After earning his General Equivalency Diploma, he was awarded a bachelor's degree in business administration and a master's degree in liberal arts, both from the Johns Hopkins University. He was a member of the American Legion, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and St. Michael's Ukrainian Catholic Church in Baltimore, where services were held Monday. He is survived by his wife of 45 years, the former Wanda Gregorius; two daughters, Daria Phair of Charles Village and Lisa Basarab of Wyman Park; three brothers, John Basarab of Falls Church, Va., Paul Fenchak of Lutherville and Andrew Fenchak of Madera; four sisters, Mary Marks of Guilford, N.Y., Susan Warholic of Bellcaria, Pa., and Katherine Lumanick and Ann Kohan, both of Ramey, Pa.; and two grandchildren. ( The Baltimore Sun, Baltimore, MD).

**BATES, Charlene "CB" (Heresco)**

CHARLENE 'CB' BATES, 54 Retired health care specialist Charlene "CB" Bates (Heresco), 54 of Vineland died on Saturday, Feb. 23, 2008 at the South Jersey Healthcare Regional Medical Center in Vineland. Born in Quinton, she was a lifelong area resident. She was a retired health care specialist at the Vineland Developmental Center. Mrs. Bates formerly worked at Heresco's Market in Quinton, which was owned by her parents. Her hobbies were bird watching, shopping and collecting fairies. She is survived by her husband, Ronald R. Bates; her sister, Charlotte Marich of Bridgeton; her mother-in-law, Angelina Bates of Collings Lakes; her aunt, Mildred Fletcher; her best friend and "adopted sister", Vera Butterworth-Bohn of Millville; and her nieces, Lisa and Tammy. A visitation will be held 10 to 11 a.m. Saturday at the Carnesale Funeral Home, 202 S. Third St., Hammonton, where memorial services will be held at 11 a.m. Burial will follow at Fernwood Cemetery. (The Daily Journal, Vineland, NJ, Wednesday, February 27, 2008)

**BELIN, Clara R. (Harnish)**

Clara R. (Harnish) Belin, 92, of Smoke Run, PA passed away Sunday, March 16, 2008 at 3:55 AM at the Clearfield Hospital. Mrs. Belin was born in Bigler Twp., PA on August 16, 1915, the daughter of the late Joseph and Elizabeth (Dudjak) Harnish. She was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey, and was a homemaker. In 1936 she married Larry J. Belin, he preceded her in death on March 19, 1975. Surviving are two sons; Larry E. Belin, Jr. and his wife Delores ; Leroy J. Belin and his wife Phyllis all of



Falconer, NY. Six grandchildren survive; Barry Belin, Cheryl Gunnell, Darlene VanVolkinburg, Donna Mitchell, Lance Belin and Angel Harrower. Two step grandsons, Mathew and Timothy Johnson and 9 great grandchildren also survive. Mrs. Belin was the last of her generation. She was preceded in death by a grandson, LeRoy Belin; four sisters Annie Hamer, Bertha Opalisky, Mary Smith and Helen Peachman; and four brothers, Carl, Henry, Joseph and John Harnish. Friends will be received Tuesday, March 18, from 4-8 PM and on Wed. March 19 from 8:30 - 9:30 AM at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc Madera. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Wed., March 19, 2008 at 10:00 AM in Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey. Fr. Zab Amar will be the celebrant. Interment will follow in Holy Trinity Catholic Cemetery Ramey, PA. (<http://www.krusefuneralhome.com>)

**BELIS, Margaret**

Belis, Margaret, dearly beloved daughter of Mary and Peter Hines, dearest sister of Mrs. Ann Zedack, Mike, Mrs. Mary Stack, John, Mrs. Nancy Kolatsky, Miss Eva Hines, Miss Sue Hines, Mrs. Catherine Skonier, Miss Helen Hines, beloved stepsister of Mrs. Anna Filakowski, Mike Hines, Mrs. Mary Holobinko, passed away suddenly, July 13. The family will receive friends at the Sam Biondo & Sons Funeral Home, 3630 E. 116 St., Tuesday 2-10 P. M. where services will be held Wednesday, July 16, at 8 a. m., and from Holy Family Church at 9:30 a. m. Interment Calvary Cemetery (Cleveland Press, Cleveland, OH, Cleveland Necrology File, Reel #092, Jul 15 1958)

**BELIS, Wasco**

Baden - Wasco Belis, 77, of 39 Anthony Wayne Terrace Baden, a former resident of Madera, died Sunday at 3:45 p.m. at his home following an extended illness. Born Nov. 7, 1883 in Austria, he was a son of Metro and Mary Belis. He came to America in 1905 and resided at Madera until moving to Baden two years ago. Mr. Belis was a coal miner employed by the Yorkshire Trading Co. at Madera. He retired in 1948. Mr. Belis was a member of St. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church at Ambridge, United Mine Workers of America, Loyal Order of Moose at Madera and the Providence Association of Philadelphia. His wife the former Elizabeth Dziordz, who he married in 1905 survives along with four sons: John and Paul, Baden; Stephen, Ravenna, Ohio; Basil D., New Orleans, La.; six daughters: Mrs. Michael (Madeline) Thomas, Ambridge; Mrs. Thomas (Anne) Wolfe, Baton Rouge, La.; Mrs. Richard (Christine) Walters, Stroudsburg; Mrs. Eugene (Eleanor) Ryba, New Britain, Conn.; Mrs. Joseph (Mary) Goldberg, North Hollywood, Calif.; Mrs. Jonathan (Daria) Hutchinson, Oil City. Also surviving are two sisters: Mrs. Christine Strongosky, Cairnbrook, Pa.; Mrs. Katherine Warholak, Madera; and 29 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 9 a.m. from St. Peter and Paul Church at Ambridge with interment in the church cemetery. Friends will be received at the McCabe Funeral Home, Ambridge. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, p. 10, Monday, March 20, 1961)

**BELLINGER, Carol A. (Kushner)**

BELLINGER - Carol A., of Waterford, passed away on June 3, 2002, at 61 years of age. Daughter of Martin and Anna Kushner, Colver, Pa. Dear mother of Joseph Bellinger of Traverse City and Wendy (Michael) Hains of Dexter. Sister of Jim (Norma) Kushner,

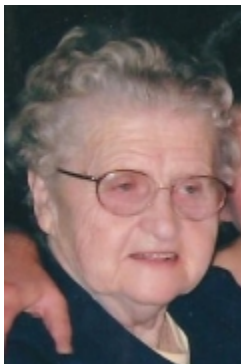
Helen (Louis) Vyhnalek, Martin Kushner Jr., and Eleanor (Mark) Houston. Carol was a registered nurse. She volunteered wherever she was needed. Always helping those in need, Carol was particularly helpful to many residents of her apartment building. A memorial service will be held on Saturday June 8, 2002, at 3 p.m. at Coats Funeral Home, Waterford, Mich. Family will receive friends Saturday from 1 to 3 p.m. Memorial donations may be made to A.C.T. (Assertive Community Treatment), 3075 E. Walton, Auburn Hills, Mich. 48326. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown PA, June 6, 2002)

**BENDAS, Mary (Lazeration)**

Mrs. Mary (Lazeration) Bendas, 86, of Altoona and formerly of Ginter, passed away at 6:10 PM, Thursday, January 21, 2010 at the Altoona Regional Health System, Altoona Hospital Campus. She was born on Sept. 12, 1923, in Ginter a daughter of the late Stephen and Anna (Lashinsky) Lazeration. Mrs. Bendas was a life member of St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey and along with her sister, Christine, was co-owner and operator of the former Cold Stream Coffee Shop in Philipsburg. On Aug. 17, 1946, in New York City, she married Steven Bendas, he preceded her in death on Nov. 15, 1984. Mrs. Bendas is survived by 6 siblings, Christine Bendos of Altoona, Frank Lazeration and his wife Mary of Houtzdale, John Lazeration and his wife Esther of Ginter, Madlyn Kechisen of Twinsburg, OH., Paul Lazeration and his wife Joann of Linden, NJ and Ann Daniel and her husband Paul of RD Houtzdale. She is also survived by a number of nieces and nephews. Along with her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a bother, George Lazeration and three sisters, Susan Wasilko, Kathryn Lazeration and Helen Bankosky. Friends will be received on Sunday, Jan. 24, from 2-4 and 7-9 PM and on Monday, Jan. 25 from 9-10:30 AM in the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. Ramey. Parastas will be held on Sunday at 7:00 PM in the funeral home by Fr. Anthony Balistreri. Funeral Services on Monday, Jan. 25, at 11:00 AM at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey, with Fr. Anthony Balistreri officiating. Interment will follow in St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Cemetery, Ramey. (<http://www.krusefuneralhome.com>)

**BEREZANSKY, Bohdanna (Danyliw)**

WATERVLIET - Bohdanna A. Berezansky, 87, died Sunday, December 12, 2010 at Evergreen Commons in East Greenbush with her family at her side. Born in the Ukraine on May 3, 1923, she was the daughter of the late Rev. Wolodymyr and Stefania Czajkiwska Danyliw. In the Ukraine, Mrs. Berezansky was a kindergarten teacher. She married her beloved husband Michael on September 27, 1948 in Poland. She came to the United States in December, 1964 and settled in Watervliet. She was employed by O'Brien's Dress Factory in Watervliet as a seamstress, Albany Felt Co. in Menands and last for many years by Tek Hughes in Watervliet before retiring. In her retirement, Mrs. Berezansky would babysit her grandchildren and looked after all the kids in her neighborhood on 11th Avenue in Watervliet where she was affectionately known as "Baba". She enjoyed cooking, baking, cross-stitch, gardening and feeding all the kids in the neighborhood. She was a faithful communicant of St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church in Watervliet and was a member of the Ukrainian Women's League and participated in all of the functions of the church.



She is the beloved wife of 63 years of Michael Berezansky, Devoted mother of Eugenia (John) Droczak of Auburn, NY, Luba (Richard) Morin of Charlotte, NC, Stephen (Irene) Berezansky of Lakeland, FL and Bohdan (Roxolana) Berezansky of Melrose, Adored "Baba" or grandmother of Taras and Tania Droczak, Jonathan and Stephanie Whiteley, Michael and Adrian Berezansky, Joshua (Meagan) Berezansky and Corporal Jennifer Berezansky, USMC, Great grandmother of Aidan, Adrianna and Teagan Berezansky and Tyler Whiteley, Loving sister of Luba (late John) Mokey of Watervliet, Myron (Jadwiga) Danyliw of Poland and the late Slavko, Stefan (late Maria) and Wolodymr Danyliw. Also survived by several nieces and nephews. The funeral liturgy will be Thursday at 8:30 am from the Parker Bros. Memorial, 2013 Broadway, Watervliet and at 9:00 am at St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church, Watervliet. Interment St. Nicholas Cemetery, Maplewood. Relatives and friends are invited and may call at the funeral home on Wednesday from 4-7 pm with the Panahyda service at 6 pm. Contributions may be made to the Children of Chernobyl, PO Box 455, Campbell, OH 44405 or the charity of your choice. Condolence book at [www.ParkerBrosMemorial.com](http://www.ParkerBrosMemorial.com). Please sign the guestbook at [rememberingny.us/troyrecord](http://rememberingny.us/troyrecord)

### **BEREZANSKY, Eleanor I. (Flute)**

Eleanor I. (Flute) Berezansky, 75, of Clymer, PA, died Wednesday, June 3, 2009, as the result of injuries sustained in a vehicle accident near Indiana. A daughter of Herman E. and Catherine (Washic) Flute, she was born on April 26, 1934, in Madera, Pennsylvania. Mrs.



Berezansky was a member of Christ Our Savior Orthodox Church near Clymer where she was very active in the church's Ladies' Society. She was a member of the Clymer Board of Elections and the Clymer Borough Vacancy Board. Eleanor was a homemaker and very loving mother and grandmother. She had also been a former employee of the Bence Funeral Home in Clymer.

Surviving are her two sons: John E. Jr. and Michael A. Berezansky, both of Clymer, PA; two grandchildren: Brent and Kelly Berezansky, both of Heilwood, PA; her sister-in-law, Shirley Rhea of Clymer, PA; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, John Edward Berezansky in April 2003; two sisters: Susan Lindahl and Augusta "Gussie" Kochman; and a nephew, Allen Rhea. Friends will be received at the Bence Funeral Home in Clymer from 2-4 and 6-9 p.m. on Monday, June 8 with a Parastas at 7:00 p.m. A Funeral Service will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday at Christ Our Savior Orthodox Church with the Very Rev. Archpriest George Mitchell officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. Her family requests memorial contributions be made to Christ Our Savior Orthodox Church, PO Box 1101, Indiana, PA 15701. ([www.bencefuneralhomes.com](http://www.bencefuneralhomes.com))

### **Clymer woman killed in crash**

A Clymer woman was killed at 1:12 p.m. today in a collision of a coal truck and a car on Route 286 at Airport Road east of Indiana in White Township, officials reported. The victim was Eleanor Berezansky, of Hancock Street, according to Indiana County Coroner Mike Baker. He reported Berezansky, 75, most likely died instantly when the eastbound truck crossed the center line and hit her westbound car nearly head-on. The truck driver

lost control when he attempted to stop behind a line of traffic that was waiting on the road ahead, according to reports. The driver of the truck was not reported to be injured. State police did not release the truck driver's name or report whether charges would be filed. Investigators closed the highway for several hours while troopers collected information. The Indiana Fire Department rescue squad helped to extricate Berezansky's body from the wreckage of her car. Baker reported an autopsy would be conducted Thursday at Memorial Medical Center in Johnstown and that Harry Bence Funeral Home in Clymer would be handling funeral arrangements for Berezansky. (Indiana Gazette, Indiana, PA Wednesday, June 3, 2009)

**BEREZANSKY, Elizabeth H.**

Miss Elizabeth H. Berezansky- A complication of Diseases caused the death in Indiana Hospital at 11:50 p.m. Thursday, of Miss Elizabeth Helen Berezansky aged 18 years & 4 months. Daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Alex Berezansky of Dixonville. She leaves her parents and these brothers & sisters: Michael, William, Harry, Stephen, Annie, Mary, Eva, and Nancy all at home. Funeral services will be conducted in the St. John Greek Catholic Church, Dixonville. Sunday afternoon. Burial will be in the Church Cemetery. (November 12, 1932)

**BEREZANSKY, Frank**

Frank Berezansky, 89, of Clymer, died Sunday, Nov. 26, 2006, at his home. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at the Bence Funeral Home, Clymer, with Parastas at 7 p.m. His funeral service will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home, with the Very Rev. Archpriest George Mitchell officiating. Interment will follow in St. Michael Cemetery in Cherryhill Township. His family requests memorial contributions be made to Christ Our Savior Orthodox Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 1101, Indiana, PA 15701, or to the VNA/Family Hospice of Indiana County, 850 Hospital Road, Medical Arts Building, Suite 3000, Indiana, PA 15701. (Indiana Gazette, November 27, 2006)

**BEREZANSKY, Helen (Truhan)**

Helen Truhan Berezansky 59, of Dixonville passed away Friday, August 24, in Mercy Hospital, Johnstown. Born May 30 1897 in Austria she was a member of St. John's Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Dixonville and a member of the church Alter Society. She is survived by her husband Wasil, and these sons and daughters; John of Dixonville; Metro of Bellview, OH; Frank of Clymer; Alex of Washington, DC; Mrs. Michael (Mary) Lawriski, Mount Pleasant, Mich.; Mrs. Joseph (Helen) Oterson Dixonville; Mrs. Ernest (Sue) Jordan, Los Angeles, Calif.; Kathryn and John at home; eight grandchildren. Friends are received at the family home in Dixonville, where services will be held Tuesday August 29, at 9 am followed by Divine Liturgy at 9 30 a.m. in St. John's Church. The Rev Fr. Loshin Schemetylo will be the celebrant and interment will follow in the Church Cemetery. Parastas Service in the family home 7 p m today. (Indiana Evening Gazette, Indiana, PA, August 27, 1956)

**BEREZANSKY, John Edward**

John Edward Berezansky, 60, of Clymer died Saturday, April 26, 2003, at Indiana Regional Medical Center. He was born May 12, 1942, in Clymer, the son of Frank and Helen Hudak Berezansky. During the Vietnam conflict, he served in the US Army. He was stationed in Germany in special intelligence. He was a self-employed Clymer businessman, owning and operating Glass Unlimited and the Clymer car wash. Most important, John was a member of the Christ Our Savior Orthodox Church where he served as president of the church board. He lived for his church, his family, and then his business. He was influential in establishing the parish community and instrumental in the designing, planning, and building of the new church. Surviving are his wife of 36 years, Eleanor Flute Berezansky; two sons: John E. Jr. and his wife, Chrissy, Clymer, and Michael A., at home; three grandchildren: Brent and Kelly of Heilwood and Sara Gromley, Clymer; his father, and a sister, Shirley Rhea, both of Clymer. He was preceded in death by his mother. Friends were received on Tuesday, April 29 at the Bence Funeral Home in Clymer. A Pascha funeral service was celebrated by Very Rev. Archpriest George Mitchell on Wednesday, April 30, at 10:00 am at Christ Our Saviour Orthodox Church on Tanoma Road. Interment followed in the church cemetery. The family requested memorial contributions be made to the Christ Our Savior Orthodox Church Building Fund, PO Box 1101, Indiana, PA 15701-1101.( Indiana Evening Gazette, Indiana, PA)

### **BEREZANSKY, Michael**

WATERVLIET – Michael Berezansky, 89, died Wednesday, April 27, 2016 at the Evergreen Commons in East Greenbush. Born in Strubowyska, Ukraine on July 28, 1926,



he was the son of the late John and Maria Podolak Berezansky. He joined the Ukrainian underground & was a member until 1947. He was a farmer in Poland and served as treasurer of his village. Along with his wife and children, he immigrated to the United States in December 1964. He left everything they had built for a chance at a better life for his children in America. And he did that through hard work, perseverance, sacrifice & his quiet presence. It was a presence you could always count on, you knew that if & when you needed him he would be there. He was a man of quiet but great strength, forged by tragedy, war, adversity &

challenge. Mike enjoyed gardening and working around his home. He loved to look after his grandchildren, sit on his porch and drive his wife in the car. He was a man of quiet strength that wanted the best for his family. Although his children, grandchildren & great grandchildren now grieve his passing, they will continue to feel his presence in things small & large in their own lives. He was employed by the Bendix Corporation in Green Island as a factory worker for over 25 years before retiring. He was a communicant of St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church in Watervliet. He was a member of the Ukrainian National Association, Ukrainian American Citizens Club, Ukrainian Brotherhood, Ukrainian Congress Committee and was past president of the Ukrainian American Youth of Watervliet & past president of the Lemko Organization. He was the beloved husband of the late Bohdanna Danyliw Berezansky who died in 2010; devoted father of Eugenia (John) Drocak of Auburn, NY, Luba (Richard) Morin of Charlotte, NC, Stephen (Irene) Berezansky of Lakeland, FL and Bohdan (Roxolana) Berezansky of Melrose; brother of the late Wasyl (late Maria), late Stanko (late Maria) and late Ivan (Kasia) Berezansky;

brother in law of Luba (late John) Mokey of Watervliet and Jadwiga (late Myron) Danyliw of Poland. "Dido" is also survived by 15 cherished grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren and 1 great-great grandson and several nieces and nephews. The funeral will be Wednesday at 9 am from the Parker Bros. Memorial, 2013 Broadway, Watervliet and at 9:30 am at St. Nicholas Ukrainian Catholic Church, Watervliet. Interment St. Nicholas Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited and may call at the funeral home on Tuesday from 4-7 pm with the Parastas service at 6 pm. Contributions may be made to the charity of one's choice. Condolence book at ParkerBrosMemorial.com. Published in The Record, Troy, NY, on May 2, 2016

**BEREZANSKY, Wasil**

Wasil Berezansky, 84, of Dixonville, died Friday, Aug 22, 1975 at Indiana Hospital. He was born Dec. 13, 1890 in Poland. Mr. Berezansky was a member of St. John's Ukrainian Orthodox Greek Catholic Church, Dixonville. He was also a member of UMWA and LOOM 833 of Dixonville. Surviving are the following children: John at home; Mrs. Michael (Mary) Lawriski, Mt. Pleasant, Mich.; Frank, Clymer,; Metro, Bellview, Ohio,; Mrs. Joseph (Helen) Oterson, Dixonville; Mrs. James (Sue) Jordan, Florida; Alex, Clinton; Mrs. Joseph (Catherine Marie) White, Shoemakerville; 17 grandchildren; seven great grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife, Helen, and a daughter, Ann. Friends will be received from 7-9 p.m. today and 1-5 and 7-9 p.m. Sunday at Bence Funeral Home, Clymer, where parastas services will be held at 8 p.m. today and Sunday. Divine Liturgy will be offered at 10 a.m. Monday at St. John's Church, Dixonville, with the Rev. Fr. George Hnatko the celebrant. Interment will follow in the church cemetery near Dixonville. (Indiana Evening Gazette, Indiana, PA, August 23, 1975)

**BERRY, Robert "Rob" Hatahway, Jr**

Robert "Rob" Hathaway Berry, Jr., age 59, of Max Meadows, Virginia passed away Wednesday, September 21, 2005 at his residence. Born September 25, 1945 in Flushing, New York, he was the son of the late Robert H., Sr. and Vera Warholic Berry. He served in the U.S. Air Force in Germany during the Vietnam War. "Rob" held degrees from the University of Maryland, Tulane and the Boston School of Analytical Training. He was a retired psychotherapist and was a faithful member of Fellowship Baptist Church. "Rob" retired two years ago and moved to Max Meadows with his loving family. He thoroughly enjoyed his small farm and his animals. He is survived by: his wife – Ellen C. Berry; one daughter – Lyndsey Berry of CO; two sons – Trevor Berry of NH and Anthony Berry of MA; two step-daughters – Emily and Richard DeLisle and April McNeil, all of Max Meadows, VA; three step-sons – Christopher and Jennifer Digiacommo of NC and Adam and Jocelyn Digiacommo of MA; two sisters – Susan Dorsey of ME and Carolyn and Billy Swain of MA; eight grandchildren; several nieces and nephews and friends from church also survive. Funeral services will be held Saturday, September 24, 2005 at 2:00 p.m. at Fellowship Baptist Church with Pastor Donald Drake, Brother Charles Wight and Chris Digiacommo officiating. Interment will follow in the St. Paul Pentecostal Holiness Church Cemetery. The body will be taken to the church where the family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Friday. Barnett Funeral Home, Wytheville, Virginia is in charge of arrangements. (Barnett Funeral Home, Wytheville, Virginia Sep 21, 2005)

**BERZANSKY, Paul**

Paul Berzansky, 70, of Wood, died at 4:20 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, 2001, at J.C. Blair Memorial Hospital, Huntingdon. Born May 29, 1931. in Wood, he was the son of the late Wasco and Anna Berzansky. He married Dorothy Yablonski Dec. 1, 1960, in Saxton. In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter and a son: Carol Black of Broad Top and Michael Berzansky of Martinsburg. There are four grandchildren. Also surviving are a sister and five brothers: Mary Coleman, Martinsburg, W.Va.; John Berzansky, Peekskill, N.Y.; Charles Berzansky, Boalsburg; Joe Berzansky, Wood; Nick Berzansky, Riddlesburg; and George Berzansky, Lorain, Ohio. He was preceded in death by a sister, Sue, and four brothers: Andrew, Mike, Alex and Steve. Mr. Berzansky was a member of St. Michael's Orthodox Church in Wood. A 1948 graduate of Robertsdale High School, he served in the U.S. Air Force for four years during the Korean Conflict. Following his military career, he returned to school, graduating from Shippensburg State College with a bachelor of science degree in 1957. He also received a master's degree in guidance counseling and was employed as a teacher at Tussey Mountain School District for 28 years, retiring in 1996. Mr. Berzansky enjoyed hunting, traveling, fishing. He caught a New Hampshire state record brown trout with a fly rod. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 7, at the Curtis A. Heath Funeral Home, with the Rev. Stephen Kundla officiating. Interment will be made in St. Michael's Orthodox Cemetery, Wood.

**BERZANSKY, Stanley**

Stanley Berzansky Expires Monday Stanley Berzansky a former Nanty Glo resident, died Monday, Nov. 11, 1983, in Ebensburg. Mr. Berzansky, who was 88, was born in Austria. Surviving are his widow, Catherine Berzansky, Maryland and these children: Michael, Akron, O.; Frank, Cleveland, O.; Stanley Jr., Nebraska; John, Saxton, Pa.; Wasco, Illinois; Anna, wife of C.A. Redding, Charleston, W. Va.; Catherine, wife of Marion Lekawa, Irwin Pa.; Julia, wife of Alton-Perciful, Oxon Hill. Md., and Mary. Also surviving are four grandchildren. Friends were received at the Ondriezek & Ondriezek Funeral Home. Funeral mass was sung Wednesday morning at St. Nicholas Byzantine Catholic Church. Burial followed in St. Mary's Cemetery. (Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo PA, November 14, 1963) [Note: From SSA info Stanley Berzansky's wife's maiden name was Kowal and his son Michael married Ann Bungo (b.Passaic, NJ) whose parents were John and Catherine Tokarchick. Ann Bungo's sister Christine married George Washic sw]

**BERZANSKY, Steve**

BERZANSKY, Steve Age: 78, Address: Broad Top City, PA, Date of birth: 10/6/1920 Location born: Madera, PA, Date of death: 10/17/1998, Father: Wasco Berzansky, Mother: Anna (Wolk) Berzansky, Spouse: Pauline (Sollenberger) Berzansky, Surviving children: Donna Martin, Cherrie Kaminsky, Steve A. and Larry L. Berzansky; 6 grandchildren, Surviving siblings: Susan Konsevitch, Mary Coleman, John, Nick, Wasco, Paul B., Joe B. and George B. Berzansky, Deceased children: None, Deceased siblings: Michael, Alex and Andrew Berzansky, Interment: IOOF Cemetery, Broad Top City, PA

**BERZONSKY, Ann (Moskel)**

Ann (Moskel) Berzonsky, 87, of Smithmill died Monday Aug. 5, 2002, at 1:32 p.m. at Philipsburg Area Hospital. She was born Dec. 1, 1914, in Madera, a daughter of Wasco and Mary (Russin) Moskel. Mrs. Berzonsky was a homemaker and was a parishioner of St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church in Smithmill and the church sisterhood. On Feb. 22, 1941, in St. Mary's Nativity of the Theotokos Orthodox Church in Madera, she wed John Berzonsky, who survives. In addition, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Robert Dee (Gail) Albert of Palm Coast, Fla., and Mrs. John (Karen) Lyle of Bel Mar, N.J.; three grandchildren, Kara Hicks of Atlanta, Ga.; and Ashley and Brenton Lyle of New York City; two brothers, John Moskel, of Tyrone and Robert Moskel of Coatesville; five sisters, Susan Zapsky, Marian "Cubby" Mancuso, Margaret Long and Catherine "Toby" Garnett, all of Sadsburyville, and June Sharrer of Modena; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; an infant son, John; and two brothers, Peter and George. Prayers of Transference will begin at 9:15 a.m. Thursday at the Kruise Funeral Home in Ramey, followed by Liturgy of Repose at 10 a.m. at St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church in Smithmill. The Rev. Fr. Paul Bigelow, the Rev. Fr. George Hnatko and the Rev. Fr. Gregory Lewis will officiate. Interment will be at St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Cemetery in Ramey. Friends will be received at the funeral home on Wednesday from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. and on Thursday from 8-9:30 a.m. Parastas will be sung at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA)

**BERZONSKY, Anna (Bankovsky)**

BERZONSKY - Anna, 99, Patriot Manor, Somerset, formerly of Franklin Borough, died April 6, 2003, at her residence. Born June 10, 1903, in Johnstown, daughter of Peter and Julia (Holovach) Bankovsky. Preceded in death by parents; husband, Michael F.; brothers, Michael, Paul, Walter, John and Nicholas; and sister, Mary Sliasky. Survived by sons, the Rev. Vladimir, and wife, Margarita, Parma, Ohio; and John, and wife, Judith, Springfield, Va. Also survived by grandsons, Vladimir, Bartholomew and Gregory Berzonsky; and Michael and David Berzonsky; and great-granddaughters, Lydia, Kyra and Nina Berzonsky. Sister of Pauline Fox, Tampa, Fla.; and Olga Sliasky, Valley Stream, N.Y. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Member of St. John the Baptist Orthodox Church. Friends received from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Henderson-Makuchan-Ketterer Funeral Home, Conemaugh, where Parastas will be sung at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday. Funeral service will begin at 9 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home and continue immediately to St. John the Baptist Orthodox Church, the Rev. Archpriest George Johnson. Interment, Forest Lawn Cemetery. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA April 7, 2002)

**BERZONSKY, Fannie (Pohlid)**

Mrs. Fannie Berzonsky, 103 of Ramey died Saturday evening Aug 26, 1995 at Philipsburg Area Hospital. She was born April 15, 1892 in the Ukraine, the daughter of the late George and Anna (Luciew) Pohlid. She married Wasyl Berzonsky. He died June 24, 1963. Mrs. Berzonsky was a member of St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Janesville. She was a homemaker. Surviving are five sons; Mike and John both of Smithmill, Peter of Frederick, Md., and Stanley and Sam both of Ramey; two daughters: Ann Petrovich of Danville, Va., and Mary Magensky of Akron, Ohio; 15 grandchildren



and 12 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by four sons; Frank, Harry, Metro and George. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday and 8 to 9:30 a.m. Wednesday at Kruse Funeral Home, Ramey. ( The Mirror, Altoona, Pa., Monday August 28, 1995 pg. A3)

**BERZONSKY, John**

John Berzonsky, 99, of Smithmill passed away, on Saturday, February 8, 2014. Born on June 24, 1914, in Glen Campbell, he was the son of Wasyl and Fenia (Pohlid) Berzonsky who preceded him in death. In his younger years, Mr. Berzonsky attended classes at Penn State College for Mineral Industries. He received numerous certificates of competency and qualification from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Mines during his tenure with various coal companies. He retired from coal mining and then worked as a Foreman for the Pennsylvania Department of Highways, retiring in 1976. He was a member of St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Smithmill, where he held several offices in his lifetime; a member of the United Mine Workers Local 1520 for over 60 years; an avid fisherman and gardener; and a lifelong fan of the Pittsburgh Pirates and Steelers. Mr. Berzonsky was married to Ann (Moskel) Berzonsky who preceded him in death on August 5, 2002. He is survived by two daughters, Gail (Robert "Dee") Albert, Palm Coast, FL; Karen (John) Lyle, Vero Beach, FL; three grandchildren, Kara (Allen) Hicks, Great Falls, VA; Ashley Lyle and Brenton Lyle both of Los Angeles, CA; three great-grandchildren, Weston, Garrett and Hadley Hicks; one brother, Stanley Berzonsky, Ramey; two sisters, Ann Petrovich, Danville, VA; and Mary Magensky, Akron, OH and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, infant son, John, and seven brothers, Frank, Harry, George, Metro, Michael, Pete and Samuel. Friends will be received at Kruse Funeral Homes, Inc., Ramey on Monday, February 10, from 4-8 PM and on Tuesday, February 11, from 9-10:15 AM at which time Panachida will be sung. Liturgy will follow at 11 AM in St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Smithmill, with Fr. George Hnatko as celebrant. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. Donations in memory of John Berzonsky may be made to the Perpetual Care Trust of St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church c/o Mr. David Zazworsky, 1100 Haymaker Road, State College, PA 16801. Condolences may be sent to: [condolences@krusefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@krusefuneralhome.com)

**BERZONSKY, Michael "Mike"**

Smithmill - Liturgy of Repose will be held Tuesday at 10 a.m. in St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Smithmill, for Michael "Mike" Berzonsky, 91, of Smithmill, who died Thursday, April 28, 2005, at 3:30 p.m., at Philipsburg Area Hospital. Father Paul Bigelow will officiate. Interment will follow at St. Vladimir's Cemetery, Ramey. Friends will be received Monday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. and Tuesday from 8-9:30 a.m. at Kruse Funeral Home Inc., Ramey. Father Bigelow will sing Parastas Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the funeral home. A Panikida service will be sung at the funeral home Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. Born April 30, 1913, at Glen Campbell he was a son of Wasyl and Fannie (Pollick) Berzonsky. He was a member of St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, where he was church secretary for 55 years. Mr. Berzonsky was a member of the United Mine Workers of America and past secretary for local No. 1620. He was employed for 45 years as a coal miner, until his retirement in 1974. Mr. Berzonsky was a former auditor for

Janesville School. On March 2, 1940, in St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Church, he wed the former Susan "Suzanne" Bungo, who survives at Smithmill. Also surviving are a son, Dr. Michael D. Berzonsky, of Homer, N.Y.; two sisters, Ann Petrovich of Danville, Va., and Mary Majensky of Akron, Ohio; four brothers, John Berzonsky of Smithmill, Pete Berzonsky and his wife, Alama, of Maryland, and Stanley Berzonsky and Sam Berzonsky, both of Ramey; and numerous nieces and nephews. Mr. Berzonsky was preceded in death by his parents and four brothers, Frank, Harry, George and Metro. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church. (The Progress, Clearfield, Pa., April 30, 2005)

**BERZONSKY, Peter "Pete"**

Peter "Pete" Berzonsky, 81, of Frederick died Nov. 5, 2006, at Homewood at Crumland Farms Health Center. Born June 24, 1919, in Smithmills, Pa., he was a son of the late Wasco and Fannie Pollack Berzonsky. He was the husband of Alma Davidson Berzonsky for 62 years. Mr. Berzonsky was a veteran of the U.S. Army and served during World War II. He retired on Dec. 27, 1980, from the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda after 18 years of service. He was a member of South End Baptist Church in Frederick. He served as deacon with First Baptist Church in Rockville and the Upper Seneca Baptist Church in Cedar Grove. Survivors in addition to his wife include a daughter, Linda Patterson and husband William Jr. of Clarksburg; three brothers, John, Stanley and Sam Berzonsky; two sisters, Mary Magensky and Annie Petrovich; two grandchildren and one great-grandson. He was preceded in death by five brothers, Harry, Frank, Metro, George and Mike Berzonsky. Family will receive friends from 10:30 a.m. until the time of the service at 11:30 a.m. Thursday at Stauffer Funeral Home, 1621 Opossumtown Pike in Frederick. Entombment will be in Mount Olivet cemetery in Frederick. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the National Alzheimer's Association, 225 N. Michigan Ave, Floor 17, Chicago, IL 60601. (The Gazette, Rockville, MD November 8, 2006, p. A-11.)

**BERZONSKY, Samuel "Sam"**

Samuel "Sam" Berzonsky, 80, of Ramey, passed away Monday, Dec. 11, 2006 at 8:33 am at the Altoona Regional Health System, Altoona, PA. Mr. Berzonsky was born in Smithmill, PA on August 9, 1926, the son of the late Wasyl and Fenia (Pohlid) Berzonsky. He was a member of St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church Smithmill, PA. He served in the U.S. Navy in WW II. He worked as a truck driver and was owner of the former Berzonsky Service Station, Ramey and was a former long time Gulich Twp. Supervisor. He was a member of Stephen Kandrach VFW Post 6321, Janesville. He is survived by his companion Myra LaPenna of Fallentimber, PA, two brothers and two sisters John Berzonsky of Smithmill, PA., Stanley Berzonsky of Ramey, PA, Ann Petrovich of Danville, VA., and Mary Majensky of Akron, OH. Two Step Daughters also survive; Debbie Holland of Glasgow, PA., Bonnie Miller of Flinton, PA. He is also survived by 5 step- grandchildren, and 7 step- great grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his brothers; Frank, Harry, George, Metro, Michael and Pete. Friends will be received Wednesday, Dec. 13, 2006 from 2-4 and 7-9 pm and on Thursday, Dec. 14 fro 8-9:30 am at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. Ramey. A Panikida service will be Wed. at 7:30 pm Wed. in the funeral home by Fr. George

Hnatko. Prayers of Transferal will be said at 9:30 am on Thursday in the funeral home with a Liturgy of Repose at St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Smithmill, PA, at 10:00 am on Thursday, December 14th, with Fr. Paul Bigelow officiating. Interment will follow in St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Cemetery Ramey, PA with Military Honors be conducted by the Janesville VFW post.  
([http://www.kruisefuneralhome.com/funeral\\_notices.html](http://www.kruisefuneralhome.com/funeral_notices.html))

**BERZONSKY – Stanley**

BERZONSKY - Stanley, 96, passed away Tuesday, January 30, 2018, at Summa-Barberton Hospital in Barberton, OH. Born on August 17, 1921 in Fernwood, he was the son of the late Wasyl and Fenia (Pohlid) Berzonsky. He was a 1940 graduate of Madera High School, and he attended DuBois Business College. He owned and operated a gas station, was the Gulich Twp. Tax Collector, and he worked for many years as a bookkeeper in the coal industry. He enjoyed watching the Steelers and Pirates, and enjoyed family parties, especially the ice cream cake. He was a kind man who loved people. He was an exceptional storyteller, explaining how life was when he was growing up. Uncle Stan, as know by his nephews, never missed an opportunity to spend time with them, taking them to Pirates games or the down to watch the cherry blossoms bloom. He was also an intergral part in the lives of his great-nieces and great-nephews. He will be deeply missed by two sisters, Ann Petrovich of VA, and Mary Magensky of OH, and also numerous nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by eight brothers, Frank, Harry, George, Metro, Michael, Pete, Samuel, and John Berzonsky. Family will receive friends 5-7 PM Friday and 9:30-10:30 Saturday in Kruise-Spewock Funeral & Cremation Services, Inc., Ramey. Funeral Services will be 11 AM Saturday at St Vladimir Orthodox Church, Janesville. Father George Hnatko will officiate. Burial will follow in the church cemetery. Condolences may be made at [www.kruise-spewock.com](http://www.kruise-spewock.com)

**BETSA, Anna (Rudiak)**

Anna Rudiak Betsa, 91, fell asleep in the Lord on Saturday, Dec. 30, 2006, at Indiana Regional Medical Center. She was born May 28, 1915, in Beccarria, Clearfield County, the daughter of Frank and Nancy Pohlit Rudiak. She came to Dixonville at the age of five with her parents and attended elementary school in Dixonville and high school in Clymer. In 1929, she left for New York City where she worked for many years. When she retired, she lived in Dixonville until November 2004, when she moved to Crystal Waters Personal Care Home in Home where she resided until her death. Mrs. Betsa was a member of St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Orthodox Church in Dixonville. She and her husband donated the land where the present church now stands. She devoted herself to the church by serving as the cantor and choir director for approximately 50 years. On May 31, 1941, she married George Betsa. Together they operated Betsa's Tavern in Dixonville for 43 years until they retired in 1984. Besides her duties at the tavern, she worked hard as a homemaker. She enjoyed collecting coins and sharing them with her relatives and friends. Her love of her ancestral home in Ukraine was evident by her delight in listening to the music and news of the country. She is survived by two daughters, Maureen Cornman and husband Bill, Plumville; Natalie Biggan and husband Michael, Jupiter, Fla.; two grandsons, David Cornman, Plumville; Michael Biggan,

Jupiter, Fla.; two sisters, Catherine R. Patsolic, Brunswick Hills, Ohio; Helen R. Putt, Roswell, Ga.; and a brother, John Rudiak, Pittsburgh. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband George on Nov. 21, 2002, and two sisters, Mary R. Magas in January 2003 and Eva Sivulich in August 2005. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. today at the Bence Funeral Home in Clymer, where a Parastas service will be held at 8 p.m. today. A Divine Liturgy will be held in her memory 10 a.m. Thursday at St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Orthodox Church with Protopresbyter the Rev. George Hnatko the celebrant. Interment will follow in St. John's Cemetery in Dixonville. Memorial contributions may be made in her memory to St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Dixonville, PA 15734. (Indiana Gazette, Indiana, PA, January 3, 2007).

**BETSA, George**

George Betsa, 87, of Dixonville, PA, died on Thursday, Nov. 21, 2002, at Indiana Regional Medical Center. He was born on Feb. 23, 1915, in Dixonville, a son of Michael and Catherine Lazeration Betsa. Mr. Betsa was a member of St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Orthodox Church in Dixonville. He had been a coal miner and owned Betsa's Tavern with his wife. He devoted his whole life to working at the tavern and in his church. Prior to his illness, he served as a former treasurer of the church board of trustees and church caretaker. Surviving are his wife, who he married on May 31, 1941, Anna Rudiak Betsa, of Dixonville; two daughters, Maureen Cornman and her husband, William of Plumville, and Natalie Biggan and her husband, Michael, of West Palm Beach, and two grandsons: Michael Biggan, of West Palm Beach, and David Cornman, of Plumville. He was preceded in death by his parents. Friends were received from 2-4 and 7-9 on Fri., Nov. 22 at the Bence Funeral Home in Clymer, PA. A parastas service was held at 8:00 PM. A Requiem Divine Liturgy was celebrated at 11:00 AM on Saturday, Nov. 23, at St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Orthodox Church with Very Rev. Fr. George Hnatko as celebrant. Interment followed in the church cemetery.

**BETZA, George**

BETZA, George, age 86, of Erie, PA, passed away on Tuesday, August 4th, 2009 at St. Vincent Health Center. He was born on April 30th, 1923 in the small coal mining town #28 of Smithmill, Pennsylvania. He was the son of Alexander and Mary Lazeration Betza. On August 6th, 1949, he wed Nancy (Betza) also of Smithmill, PA. August 6th, 2009 is their 60th wedding anniversary. George was a United States Army Veteran of WWII, serving in the 79th Division of the 313th Infantry, Company B. He held the rank of Tech Sergeant. He was awarded a Silver Star, the third highest military decoration, given for gallantry in action in France, January 8th, 1945. He served courageously, landing in Cherbourg, France after the D-Day Invasion, fighting in the Hedge Rows of Normandy, continuing on into Belgium helping to end the Battle of the Bulge and on to Germany. He also received the Good Conduct Medal, the American Theater Service Medal, the European/American Theater Service Medal with 4 Bronze Stars and the Victory Medal. He held the distinction as a M1 Rifle Sharpshooter. George worked at General Electric for 35 years, retiring on March 17th, 1983. He was a member of the VFW Post 6321 of Smithmill, PA. He was a lifetime member of St. Mary's Club, where he participated in their bowling and horseshoe leagues as well as their pinochle

tournaments. He was a member of Saints Peter and Paul Byzantine Catholic Church of Erie. He served as an usher and choir member. In his retirement he volunteered for Santa's Helpers, where he made wooden toys for children. George enjoyed woodworking so much that it became his hobby along with gardening and many household projects. He was preceded in death by his brothers Boyd, Frank, Wasco, Joseph, John, Steve and Walter; and his sisters Mary Betza, Anna Saupp and Helen Zedack. He is survived by his beloved and devoted wife Nancy, his two loving daughters, Eileen N. Romeo and her husband Frank; and Lillian C. Plonski and her husband Robert; his beloved grandchildren Michael L. Romeo and wife Dawn M. DiPaolo-Romeo, Philip George Romeo, David R. Plonski, Nancy T. Romeo, Emily K. Plonski and Nicholas George Plonski; and his beloved great-grandchildren Gino and Gianna Romeo and Asher Plonski. Also surviving are two sisters, Catherine Zonza of Cleveland, Ohio, and Christine Zelepsky of Erie; three sisters-in-law, Mary Ann Betza of Erie, Verna Betza of Georgia and Ann Maschack of New Jersey and several nieces and nephews. George's family would like to thank the many doctors and nurses who cared for him during his time at St. Vincent's Health Center. Their loving care and compassion was very much appreciated. He will be forever loved and his memory will be eternal. Friends may call at the Brugger Home for Funerals, 1595 West 38th at Greengarden Boulevard on Thursday from 2-4 and 7-9 pm. A Panachida will begin at 8:45 pm. A service will be held there on Friday at 11 am followed by a celebration of Divine Liturgy at 12 pm at Saints Peter and Paul Byzantine Catholic Church, 3415 Wallace Street, Erie, PA. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery with full military honors. Memorials may be made to Saints Peter and Paul Byzantine Catholic Church.

#### **BETZA, John**

John Betza, age 88 of Jasper, TN passed away Friday, April 8, 2005. He was a member of Kimball First Baptist Church and a life-long member of the American Legion. He was preceded in death by his wife Mary, brothers Mickey, Stanley and Frank Betza and sister Helen Gallagher. He is survived by sons and daughters-in-law Daniel and Judy Betza and John and Nancy Betza, daughter and son-in-law Barbara and Robert Brooks, brothers Charles and George Betza, sisters Ann Maschack and Nancy Betza, grandchildren Bill, John, Barbara, Daniel, Sandy and Kenneth and 8 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be Monday at 11 am in the funeral home chapel with interment in Sequatchie Valley Memorial Gardens. Rev. David Hoschar will be officiating. Note: grandfather of Daniel Betza.

#### **BETZA, Mary Ann**

Jasper, Tenn. Mary Ann Betza, 81, of Jasper, Tenn died Wednesday, March 8, 2000. She was formerly of Reedsport, Ore., where she was involved in building a church there. She was a member of the Kimball First Baptist Church. She is survived by her husband John Betza of Jasper, two sons Daniel J. Betza of Roseburg, Ore and John D. Betza of Myrtle Creek, Ore., a daughter Barbara Brooks of Jasper six grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren; a brother John Kashtock of Coalport; and two sisters Betty Slugoski of Houtzdale and Margaret Brink of Ohio. Funeral services will be held Sat at 11 am at Sequatchie Valley Memorial Funeral Home, Jasper. Friends will be received from 7-9pm

today at the funeral home. Interment will be at the Sequatchie Valley Memorial Gardens.(The Progress, Clearfield, PA, Friday, March 10, 2000)

**BETZA, Stanley**

Long Island, N.Y. - Funeral services for Stanley Betza, 26, a resident of Smithmill, who died at the Central Islip Hospital, in Long Island, N.Y., Friday, were held yesterday from the St. Vladimir Orthodox Church in Smithmill. Interment was in the church cemetery. Mr. Betza, born April 27, 1927, in Smithmill, is survived by his mother, Catherine Betza of Smithmill, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Michael Maschak of Brooklyn, N.Y., John of Tarrence, Calif., Frank of Pontiak, Mich., Charles of Fort Lee, N.Y., Mrs. John Gallagher of New York City, George at home, Mrs. George Betza of Erie and Michael of Minneapolis, Minn. (The Progress; Clearfield, Pa., November 10, 1953)

**BETZA, Walter**

Walter Betza, 82, of Dacula, Ga., died Wednesday, October 11, 2006 at the VA Medical Center in Decatur, Ga. He was born June 17, 1924 in Smithmill, Pa. to Alexander and Mary Lazeration Betza. On September 2, 1950, he wed Veronica "Verna" (Sura) in Ramey, Pa. They formerly lived in Erie and moved to Dacula, Ga. in 2002. He retired from GE in 1980. Walter was a United States Army Veteran of WW II, serving with the 211th AAF Base unit, where he received the EAME Ribbon, American Theatre Ribbon, and the WW II Victory Ribbon. He enjoyed hunting at his camp in Enterprise, Pa., and was a member of the American Legion Post 0251, Duluth, Ga., and life member of the VFW Post 3450, Philipsburg, Pa. He also was an avid bowler in the league at St. Peter and Paul Byzantine Catholic Church in Erie. He was preceded in death by brothers, Frank, John, Wasco, Steve, Boyd, and Joseph; and sisters, Helen, Anna, and Mary. In addition to his wife, he is survived by three daughters, Cathy (Tarkowski) (Christopher) Laughlin of Lawrenceville, Ga., Carol A. (Kenneth) Rider of Erie, and Mary S. (Richard) Nowakowski of Dacula, Ga., with whom he lived.; and his beloved grandchildren, Anthony, Brenda, Jennifer, and Justin; and great-grandchildren, Michael, Cassandra, Rickki, Anthony and Kaylee. Also surviving are one brother, George (Nancy) Betza of Erie; and sisters, Catherine Zonza, Cleveland, Ohio, and Christine Zelepsy of Erie; numerous nieces; nephews; grandnieces; grandnephews; cousins; and his Godchild, Lillian Plonski. Friends may call at the Carl A. Slomski & Son Funeral Home, Inc., 2101 Ash, on Sunday 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 9 p.m., and may attend a service at Sts. Peter & Paul Byzantine Church, Monday at 10 a.m. Burial will be private. Memorials maybe made to the charity or church of one's choice. (Erie Times-News, Erie, PA, from 10/13/2006 - 10/15/2006).

**BIHUN – Frank "Fedor"**

BIHUN – Frank "Fedor", 83 Cairnbrook, died Aug 5, 1991 at home. Born April 29 1908, in Galatcia, Ukraine, son of Michael and Maria (Berezonski) Bihun. Preceded in death by parents; sisters Nancy Solan and Anna; and brothers Charles and Michael. Survived by wife, former Maria Farion, son John, married to former Dorothy Lewandowski, Cairnbrook; daughter, Barbara, wife of Michael Stefanik, Central City; grandsons, Michael and Dale Bihun and Kenneth Manges; and great-grandson, Dean Manges. Brother of Nancy Muha, Soviet Union. Friends will be received after 2 p.m. Tuseday at

Mulcahy Funeral Home, Central City, where service will be held at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday followed by Divine Liturgy at 10 a.m. at SS Peter & Paul's Orthodox Greek Catholic Church, Central City, the Very Rev. John S. Brancho and the Rev Michael Rosco. Interment , church cemetery. Parastas will be sung at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. Tribune-Democrat August 4, 1991.

**BIROSH, Anna M. (Putka)**

Anna M. Birosh (nee Putka), beloved wife of the late George F., loving mother of Norman and Carol, dear grandmother of Dale and Deanna, sister of Mary Korfant, Betty Sokol and the late John, Helen Zulya, Joseph and Michael, devoted aunt. Friends may call at the Ferfolia & Sons Funeral Home, 5386 Lee Rd., near Broadway, Maple Hts. Funeral Monday 9 a.m. Services St. Monica Church 9:30 a.m. Visitation Sunday 2-9 P.M. Family would appreciate Memorials in her name to The Holy Family Home. (The Cleveland Plain Dealer, Cleveland, OH, 8-2-1987 Section D, Page 15)

**BIROSH, Eleanor (Russin)**

Eleanor Birosh (nee Russin), age 92. Devoted wife of Joseph (deceased), dearest mother of Louise (Richard, deceased) Sindelar, Gerrie (George) Jenco, Joan (Ralph, deceased) Komarek, Elaine (Paul) Toth, dear grandmother of eight, great grandmother of nine, dear sister of Julia Gregor of Idaho, and 10 deceased. Funeral Mass Saturday at 10 a.m. at Holy Family Catholic Church. Interment All Saints Cemetery. Friends may call at the Craciun Funeral Home, 14925 E. Bagley Rd. (at Pearl Rd.), Middleburg Hts., 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.. Friday. (The Cleveland Plain Dealer, Cleveland, OH, 3-24-1995)

**BIROSH, Carol A.**

Carol A. Birosh beloved friend of Susan Marton, daughter of the late George and Anna (nee Putka), dear sister of Norman (Joanne-Leanza), aunt of Dale and Deanna Birosh. Friends may call at the Ferfolia & Sons Funeral Home, 5386 Lee Rd. near Broadway, Maple Hts. Funeral Wednesday 9:45 a.m. at St. Monicas Church 10:30 a.m. Visitation Monday 7-9 p.m. and Tuesday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m..(The Cleveland Plain Dealer, Cleveland, OH, 3-24-1998 Section B, Page 6)

**BIROSH, Joseph**

Joseph Birosh, beloved husband of Eleanor (nee Russin), dear father of M. Louise Sindelar (Richard), Gerrie Jenco (George), E. Joan Komarek and Elaine Toth (Paul), grandfather of eight, great grandfather of six, dear brother of John, Margaret Kind, Mary Lewandowski and Andrew (all of Detroit, MI) and the following deceased: Anna Remeselnik, Mary, Kathryn Martin, Verna Lazaration, George, Michael and Elizabeth Warholic. Friends may call at the Rybicki & Son Golden Rule Funeral Home, 4640 Turney Rd., where services will be held on Tuesday, Sept. 20 at 9:30 a.m. and at SS. Peter and Paul Church, Turney Rd. at 10 a.m. Interment All Saints Cemetery. Visiting hoursd Sunday and Monday 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.. (The Cleveland Plain Dealer, Cleveland, OH, 9-18-1988 Section B, Page 5)

**BIZORIK, Anna (Semetosky)**

Anna Bizorik, 87, of Bellevue, went to be with the Lord on Wednesday, July 11, 2012. She was born July 27, 1924, in Smith Mill, Pa., to John and Mary (Latosky) Semetosky. She married John A. Bizorik on Jan. 28, 1948, in Cleveland. He preceded her in death in 2001. Anna worked at Woodall Industries until her retirement in 1987. She was baptized and was faithful to the Ukrainian Orthodox Church throughout her life. She was a loving mother, grandmother and great-grandmother. She enjoyed polka music and was an avid letter writer, remembering all birthdays, anniversaries and holidays of her family and friends. She wrote letters to her grandchildren weekly. She loved watching baseball and shopping for others. She is survived by her children, John A. (Dinah) Bizorik Jr., of Bellevue, James M. (Susan) Bizorik, of Kansas City, Mo., and JoAnn Bizorik, of Bellevue; and grandchildren, John A. (Amanda) Bizorik III, Marie (Todd) Heimbaugh, Ann (Matt) Haynes, Edmund (Kate) Bizorik and Lauren Bizorik. One brother Frank Semetosky, of Nanty Glo, Pa.; and a sister Marie (Frank) Mehalko, of Nanty Glo, also survive. She was preceded in death by her husband, parents, and brother Jack Semetosky. Friends will be received 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. on Friday, July 13, at Foos & Foos Funeral Service, 151 Yorkshire Place, Bellevue, where a wake service will be at 1:45 p.m. A funeral mass will be at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 14, at Immaculate Conception Church, 231 E. Center St., Bellevue. Burial will follow at Bellevue Catholic Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Stein Hospice, 1200 Sycamore Line, Sandusky, OH 44870 or The Bellevue Hospital Foundation, 1400 W. Main St., Bellevue, OH 44811. (The Advertiser-Tribune, Tiffin, OH, July 12, 2012)

**BLOOM, Mrs. Mary W. (Washic)**

MADERA - Mrs. Mary W. Bloom, 65, a former resident of New Millport, died in the Harrisburg City Hospital yesterday morning. Born near Madera Aug. 28, 1899, she was a daughter of John and Helen (Russin) Washic. She had resided at Blain, near Harrisburg, for the past several years. Surviving are the following children: Joseph, Mechanicsburg; John and Mrs. Clifford (Eleanor) Sloppy, both of Blain; four grandchildren and the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Anna Tatusko; Farrell, Pa.; Mrs. Madeline Swetye, Salem, Ohio; Mrs. Catherine Flute, Heilwood, Pa.; Mrs. Susan Pesansky, Madera; Mrs. Christine Sanko, Osceola Mills; John and Andrew Washic, Colver, Pa.; Charles Washic, Johnstown; George Washic, Coalport; Peter Washic, Madera; (The Progress, Clearfield, Pa, October 20, 1964)

**BLOOM, Parker S.**

MADERA - Service for Parker S. Bloom, 88, of Madera R.D., who died Wednesday, June 24, at Philipsburg State General Hospital, will be held Saturday at 2 p.m. at the Shoff-Kruise Funeral Home, Madera, with the Rev. Thomas A. McCoy officiating. Interment will follow in Keagy Cemetery, Madera R.D. Friends will be received at the funeral home Friday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Born July 3, 1898, in Madera, he was the son of the late Matthew and Mary (Edminson) Bloom. He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Shaffer Bloom; one son, James; two brothers and four sisters. Mr. Bloom is survived by these children, Mrs. Francis (Sarah) Gell of Madera, William of Glen Hope, Mrs. George (Dorothy) WARHOLIC Jr. of Houtzdale R.D.; 17 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; one brother, Samuel of Madera R.D.; and a number of nieces and



nephews. Mr. Bloom had worked as a laborer and was a life-time member of the Houtzdale Moose.

**BOBAK, George**

George Bobak, 70, a resident of Dixonville for the past 43 years died at Indiana Hospital yesterday March 14, at 1:50 p.m. He was born in Austria March 10, 1880 and came to the United States in 1903 settling in Clearfield and in 1907 moved to Dixonville. He is survived by his wife, Nancy (Legdon) Bobak and the following children: Mrs. Anna Stewart and Miss Julia Bobak, Brooklyn, NY Mrs. Helen Johnson, Homer City; George and Mrs. Margaret Boston both of Clymer, Peter, at home.; Harry, Dixonville; Mrs. Mary Pratt, Josephine; Mrs. Sue Stephenson, Pittsburgh. He was a member of St. John's Greek Catholic Church of Dixonville, the UMWA local 1515 and the Slovak Lodge of Wilkes-Barre. The deceased was retired from the C.B.C Company in 1949. Friends are being received at the family home in Dixonville where a short service will be held at 9:00 a.m. Saturday March 18, followed by requiem high mass at St. John's Church at 9:30 a.m. with the Rev. Fr. John Danylewycyk of Bakerton officiating. Interment will follow in the Church Cemetery. Bence Funeral Home, Clymer is caring for arrangements. (Indiana Evening Gazette, Indiana, PA, March 15, 1950)

**BOBAK, George E. Jr**

George E. Bobak Jr., 51 Clymer, died Wednesday, April 28, 1971 of injuries sustained in a rock fall at the Jane Mine. Born at Dixonville Sept 27, 1919 he was a son of George and Nancy Legdon Bobak. Mr. Bobak was a veteran of World War II and a member of St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church, Clymer UMWA Local 1412 Kent; LOOM No. 833 and The American Legion Post No. 956, both of Dixonville. Surviving are his wife Catherine Harvanek Bobak; a daughter and a son; Mrs. Jerry (Suzanne) Warholic, Indiana RD3 David P., at home a granddaughter; the following brothers and sisters Mrs. Ralph (Ann) Stewart, Brooklyn, NY; Mrs. Helen Johnston, Homer City; Mrs. Steve (Margaret) Boston, Clymer; Peter Dixonville; Harry, Clymer; Mrs. Robert (Mary) Pratt, Jeanette; Mrs. Sue Stephens, Conway; Mrs. George (Julia) Petrof, Willowick, Ohio. Friends will be received at The Bence Funeral Home, Clymer, from 2-5 and 7-10p.m. Requiem Mass will be offered in St. Anthony's Church Saturday at 9:30 a.m. with the Rev. Fr. Bernard Borgogno the celebrant. (The Indiana Evening Gazette, Indiana, PA, April 30, 1971)

**BOBAK, Catherine "Kate" (Harvanek)**

Catherine "Kate" (Harvanek) Bobak, 88, of Clymer, died Tuesday, Dec. 23, 2008, at Indiana Regional Medical Center. Friends will be received from 1 to 8 p.m. today at the Bence Funeral Home in Clymer. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 12:15 p.m. Saturday at the Church of the Resurrection, Clymer, with the Rev. Paul Lisik, celebrant. Interment will follow at St. Bernard Cemetery. (Indiana Gazette, Indiana, Pa., Friday, December 26, 2008)

**BOBAK, Nancy (Legdon)**

Mrs. Nancy Bobak of Dixonville passed away Saturday February 8, in Indiana Hospital. Born September 27, 1889 in Austria she was a member of St. John's Ukrainian Orthodox

Church of Dixonville., Surviving are these sons and daughters: George and Harry both of Clymer; Pete of Dixonville; Mrs. Ralph (Anna) Stewart of Brooklyn, NY; Mrs. Sam (Helen) Johnston of Homer City; Mrs. Steve (Margaret) Boston of Clymer; Mrs. Robert (Mary) Pratt of Jeannette; Mrs. Richard (Sue) Stephens of Clymer; Mrs. George (Julia) Petrof of Cleveland, OH; and one sister Mrs. Helen Dobish of Hudson Heights, NJ.; 18 grandchildren and two great grandchildren. Friends will be received at the family home in Dixonville until 9 a.m. Tuesday when short services will be held in the home, followed by Requiem Mass at 9:30 a.m. in St. John's Church, Dixonville, the Rev. Father Alex Zaryk, the celebrant. Interment will be in the church cemetery in Dixonville. Parastas serviced in the family home at 7 p.m. today. (Indiana Evening Gazette, Indiana, PA, February 10, 1958)

**BOLLINGER, Bertha 'Betty' (Rudiak) Crawley**

Bertha "Betty" Rudiak Crawley Bollinger, 80, of Hearthside Manor Nursing Home, State College, died at the home. She was born in Ramey RD, daughter of the late William and Sadie (Rice) Bennett. Surviving are her children: Patricia (Rudiak) Pinckard, Robert B. Crawley and Joyce Graffius; and siblings: Elizina, Martha, Jerry and Thomas. A private funeral service will be held at the convenience of the family. Interment will be in IOOF Cemetery, Brisbin. Arrangements are by Birger A. Freeberg Funeral Home Inc., Houtzdale. Nov. 11, 1925 - Sept. 9, 2006  
(DW Note: Aunt Bertha was the mother of John Rudiak Jr. And Mary " Dolly Tuft. She was John Rudiak's 1st wife).

**BOTLOCK, Catherine (Mihalko)**

Death Claims Mrs. Botlock

Mrs. Catherine Botlock, 77, 547 Railroad Street, Windber, died at 3:28 a.m., Feb. 18, 1959, at home. Born Dec 11, 1881, in Austria, daughter of Andrew and Mary Mihalko. Resident of Windber since 1903. Married in January 1903, in Windber to George Botlock, who survives along with these children: Michael, 1151 Railroad Street; Stephen, 717 Railroad Street; Nick, Detroit, Mich.; John 1002 Cambria Avenue; Mrs. Mary Dummer, New York City; Mrs. Anne Kociola, Colver; Andrew, Greensburg; Mrs. Catherine Gonder, Masury, Ohio; Miss Helen, New York City; Mrs. Pauline Wright, Rochester, Mich., and Miss Eva , at home; also 21 grandchildren and 7 great - grandchildren. Sister of Harry, in Europe. Member of SS. Peter & Paul's Orthodox Greek Catholic Church and Branch 987, Greek Cathoic Union. Friends are being received in Kepko Funeral Home, Windber, where brief service will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, followed by divine liturgy at 9:30 a.m. in SS Peter & Paul's Orthodox Greek Catholic Church, Rev. Father Richard G. Smisko. Interment, church cemetery. Parastas at 8 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. [Note: Out-of-town people attending the funeral here of Mrs. Katherine Botlock last Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Wright and children, Starlett, Jacqueline and Dean, of Rochester, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gonder and children, Mary Catherine, Marjorie and David of Masuary, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Nick Botlock of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs Andrew Botlock and daughter, Mary Catherine of Greensburg; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mihalko, Anne and Mike Mihalko of Clearfield; John and George Mihalko of Buffalo; Mr. and Mrs Peter Kociola of Colver, Mrs. Al Dummer and Miss Helen Botlock of New York City, and Mrs. Virginia Mihalko of Ginter].

**BOTLOCK, George**

BOTLOCK - George, 84, 547 Railroad Street, Windber, died at 5:05 p.m. Oct. 8, 1961, at home. Born May 6, 1877, in Austria, son of Ihnat and Pauline (Kosko) Botlock. Windber area resident since 1901. Retired employee of Berwind-White Coal Mining Company. Married in 1903 in Windber with the former Catherine Mihalko, who died Feb 18, 1959. Survived by these children: Michael 1151 Railroad Street, Windber; Stephen, 717 Railroad Street, Windber; Nicholas, Detroit; John 1002 Cambria Avenue, Windber; Mrs. Mary Dummer, New York City; Mrs. Anna Kosciola, Colver, Pa.; Andrew, Greensburg; Mrs. Catherine Gonder, Masury, Ohio; Miss Helen, New York City; Mrs. Pauline Wright, Rochester, Mich., and Miss Eva at home. Also survived by 21 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Member of SS. Peter & Paul's Orthodox Greek Catholic Church; Branch 980 Greek Catholic Union, and Local 6186, UMWA. Friends received after 7 p.m. Monday in Joseph P. Kepko Home for Funerals, Windber. (The Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA, October 9, 1961)

**BOTLOCK, Mrs. Sophie Agnes ( Barron)**

BOTLOCK -- Mrs. Sophie Agnes, 95, of Vestal, N.Y., formerly of Windber, died Aug. 20, 1997, at the Willow Point Nursing Home. Born Dec. 15, 1901, in Poland, daughter of the late Anthony and Catherine (Yope) Barron (Baran). Also preceded in death by husband, Michael G. Botlock Sr.; infant son, Michael Jr.; and these brothers and sisters, Mildred, Peter, Frank, and Agnes Kiss. Survived by these children; Evelyn, wife of William Clement, Schuylerville, N.Y.; Dorothy, wife of Charles Punako, Binghamton, N.Y., and Thomas, married to former Danielle Smith, Newburg, Pa.; also survived by these grandchildren; Melanie Clement; Karen Clement O'Brian, and husband Thomas; Will Clement; Diane Punako Hover; Thomas Punako, and wife Peggy; Sonya Punako Hildebrandt, and husband, Kenneth; Nancy Punako; and Kristine Botlock Bailey, and husband, John; and 11 great-great-grandchildren. Sister of Andrew Barron, Anne Pensko, and Martha Henry, all of New York. Also survived by numerous nieces and nephews. Former member of St. John Cantius Catholic Church, Windber, where funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday, the Rev. Leonard E. Voytek officiating. Friends received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at Hugh W. Marron Funeral Home, Windber, where wake service will be held. Interment, church cemetery. (The Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA, August 22, 1997)

**BRADDELL, Robert E.**

ROBERT E. BRADDELL, 39, of Little Falls died Dec. 6. He was a registered nurse at Montclair Community Hospital. He had also worked as a roofer with Local No. 10 in Paterson. He was a 1974 graduate of the University of Minnesota and received a nursing degree from Passaic County Community College in 1977. Surviving are his wife, Nancy Mendoza Braddell; two sons, Joshua and Jesse; a daughter, Jacqueline; his parents, Robert and Marion Ott Braddell; and a sister, Susan Warcholik, all of Little Falls. Services will be Monday at 10:30 a.m. at Norman A. Parker Funeral Home, Little Falls, with burial in Laurel Grove Memorial Park, Totowa. Visiting is Saturday and Sunday from 3 to 5 and 7 to 9 p.m. (The Record, Northern New Jersey December 14, 1990).

**BRADDELL, Robert F.**

Robert F. Braddell, 68, of Little Falls died Friday. Before retiring in 1989, he was a carpenter and a member of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America Local 124 for 43 years. He was an Army veteran of World War II and a recipient of the Purple Heart and Bronze Star. He was a charter member and past commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7506, and secretary, a former captain, and an exempt member of Fire Company 3, both in Little Falls. Surviving are his wife, Marian Ott Braddell; a daughter, Susan Warcholik of Little Falls, and five grandchildren. A son, Robert E., died last year. Services will be Monday at 10 a.m. at Norman A. Parker Funeral Home, Little Falls, with burial in Laurel Grove Memorial Park, Totowa. Visiting will be Sunday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. (The Record, Northern New Jersey, October 19, 1991).

**BRANICK, Eva (Semetosky)**

Mrs. Eva Branick Dies

Mrs. Eva Branick of Twin Rocks died on Friday, September 4, in Memorial Hospital, Johnstown. She was 41. Mrs. Branick, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Semetosky, was born on May 4 in Smithmill. She is survived by her husband, Frank; a son, John, and a daughter, Anna Mae, both at home. She was a sister of John and Mike Semetosky, both of Twin Rocks; Mrs. Anna Limo and Mrs. Lashinsky, both of Smithmill; and Mrs. Mary Sichko and Mrs. Kathryn Kozicki, both of Colver. Funeral services were held at 9:00 a.m. Tuesday in SS. Peter & Paul's Ukrainian Orthodox Church in Twin Rocks. Burial was in the Ukrainian Cemetery in Ramey, Clearfield County. (Nanty-Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, September 10, 1953)

**BRANICK – Gary M.**

BRANICK – Gary M., 55, of Nanty Glo, died April 6, 2016. Born Sept. 29, 1960, in Johnstown. Survived by parents, John and Helen Branick; former wife, Rhonda Branick;



son, John Branick; sisters, Karen (Kevin) Washington; and Darlene (Patrick) Duffy; nephew, Michael; and nieces, Nicole and Karen. Member of Holy Name Catholic Church, Ebensburg. Truck driver with Himmel Trucking Co. Former owner/operator of Branick Limousine Service. Gary enjoyed his cars, especially his 1969 GTO. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday at Askew-Houser Funeral Homes Inc., Nanty Glo. Funeral Mass will be held at 11 a.m. Monday at Holy Name Church, the Rev. Monsignor David A. Lockard, celebrant.

Committal, Holy Name Mausoleum.

**BROWN, Helen (Warholak) [Bonomini]**

PORT ORANGE, FL - HELEN (Warholak) BROWN (Bonomini) entered into eternal life on June 18, 2011 at the Port Orange Nursing Rehab with Hospice care in Port Orange, Florida. She had originally resided in the Botany section of Clifton. She was 85. Born July 16, 1925, in Brainards, northern NJ, a daughter of Stefan and Helen Warholak, she resided in Passaic County most of her life until her retirement in Florida more than 20 years ago. Helen was predeceased by her beloved husband, Raymond, on Aug. 24, 2004; her youngest son, Richard, on April 14, 2001 and by two brothers, John and George Warholak. Helen's life journey led her from childhood during the depression era returning

to Czechoslovakia with her family, the land of her ancestors, for a short period of time, only to return to the USA during her adolescence, marrying and raising a son while her husband served in the armed forces during WWII overseas. She worked part time for a local Foodtown. Helen and her husband moved to Florida in the 80's, enjoying their retirement years. While in Clifton Helen was a devout parishioner of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Slovak Church, Passaic, NJ, where she contributed her time and belonged to the Rosary Society. Helen remained in close contact with Rev. Msgr. John Demkovich throughout the years. Helen leaves behind two sons (retired Clifton Firefighters) to cherish her memory: Robert Bonomini and Raymond Bonomini, his wife Daria: five grandchildren; Thomas Bonomini (Germany), Lisa (Bonomini) Sweetman (NJ), Chris Bonomini (AZ), Kim Brown (FL) and Richard Brown (FL): and eight great-grandchildren; Lucas, Felix, Tobias, Jessica, Sydney, Zoe, Alexandra and Cameryn. She also leaves behind a sister, Anne Lynch (CA). Visitation at the Bizub-Quinlan Funeral Home, 1313 Van Houten Avenue, Clifton on Thursday from 2-4 and 7-9 pm. Funeral service on Friday, beginning at 8:30 am at Bizub-Quinlan Funeral Home and then 9:15 am at St. Mary's Roman Catholic Slovak Church, 63 Monroe Street, Passaic and interment at St. Mary's Cemetery, 1 Outwater Lane, Saddle Brook. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make contributions to St Mary's Roman Catholic Slovak Church, Passaic, NJ or Hospice Care in FL or NJ. Please visit [www.bizub.com](http://www.bizub.com) for driving directions and online condolences.

**BROWN - Nancy (Berezonsky)**

BROWN - Nancy (Berezonsky), 67, Mobile, Ala., formerly of Cairnbrook, died unexpectedly Dec. 18, 2002, at home. Born in Cairnbrook, daughter of Metro and Anna Berezonsky. Preceded in death by parents; and sisters, Mary Morganti and Catherine Cote. Survived by husband, Harold; and son, David, both of Mobile; sisters, Eva Wolonsky, Tallmadge, Ohio; Helen, wife of Mike Kerlik, Akron, Ohio; and Betty, wife of Donald Newcomb, Apopka, Fla.; and brothers, Nick, and wife, Genevieve, Johnstown; Metro, and wife, Eunice, Marshall, Mich.; Mike, and wife, Stephanie, Akron; George, Tallmadge; and John, Oregon. Also survived by a number of nieces, nephews, and great-nieces and nephews. Funeral service and interment was held in Mobile. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, December 24, 2002)

**BUNGO, Ann (Rudiak)**

Ann (Rudiak) Bungo - Divine Liturgy for Ann (Rudiak) Bungo, 81, of Wickliffe, will be 10 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 5, 2008, at St. Stephens Byzantine Catholic Church, 532 Lloyd Road, Euclid. Mrs. Bungo died Jan. 2, 2008, at Inova Alexandria Hospital in Alexandria, Va. Born April 19, 1926, in Smoke Run, Pa., she had lived in Cleveland before moving to Wickliffe 53 years ago. Mrs. Bungo had worked at various factories in the Cleveland area, retiring in 1982. Survivors are her daughter, Sandra Bungo of Virginia; and sisters, Christine Lucas and Marge Rusyn, both of Pennsylvania. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Bungo in 2004; parents, Metro and Mary (Shutack) Rudiak; brothers, Wasco, George, John and Steve Rudiak; and sister, Helen Mihalko. Friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at Orlando-Donsante Funeral Home, 29550 Euclid Ave., Wickliffe, where Parastas services will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday. Burial will be in All Souls Cemetery in Chardon Township.

**BUNGO, Catherine**

Mrs. Catherine Bungo, 62, wife of John Bungo Jr. of Smithmill, died yesterday at 10:15 a.m. in the Philipsburg State Hospital. She was born July 15, 1898, in Austria and came to the United States 46 years ago. Surviving in addition to her husband are three sons: Charles, John, and Metro, all of Wickcliff, Ohio; four daughters: Mrs. Michael (Ann) Berzansky, Akron, Ohio; Mrs. Alexander (Evelyn) Redelico, Plainfield, N.J.; Mrs. Mary Franck, Smithmill; and Mrs. George (Christine) Washic, Coalport, and 16 grandchildren. One daughter preceded her in death. A Requiem Mass will be sung Monday at 9:30 a.m. from the St. Mary's Greek Catholic Church of Ramey, with the Rev. Fr. J. Onuferko officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Friends will be received at the Buranovsky Funeral Home tonight from 7 to 11 o'clock; tomorrow 2 to 5 and 7 to 11 p.m.; and on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, August 26, 1960)

**BUNGO, Catherine (Lazeration)**

Smithmill- Mrs. Catherine Bungo, 60, of Smithmill died at her home yesterday at 9:30 A.M. following a short illness. She was born Aug 31, 1894 in Austria and came to the United States 42 years ago. She is survived by her husband Metro, and the following 14 children. Mrs. Martin Giza of Morann, Charles, John, Stanley, Pete, Stella, Sam and Irene, all of Cleveland, Mrs. Andrew Deao of Morann, Mrs. Cashmere Switala of Ginter, Miss Sue of New York City, Mike of Smithmill, Walter of the U.S. Army in Korea and Boyd living at home. Also living are 15 grandchildren. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 9 a.m. from the St. Vladimir Orthodox Church in Smithmill, with Rev. Peter Kieluch officiating Burial will follow in the church cemetery. Friends may call at her home until the time of services. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, Thurs Sept 30, 1954).

**BUNGO, Charles**

Name: Bungo, Charles Date: Jul 16 1968 Notes: Bungo. Charles Bungo, beloved brother of Ann Giza, John, Stanley, Pete, Christine Bea (deceased), Sue Russian, Olga Switaia, Estelle, Sam, Irene Schultz, Mike, Walter and Boyd, late residence, 1381 W. 74th St. Friends may call at Buranovsky Funeral Home, Ramey, Pa., 2-5 And 7-10 P.M., Tuesday. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, July 17, at 9 a.m. Interment Ramey, Pa. Arrangements by Berry's Funeral Home, 961-0500.(Source: Plain Dealer; Cleveland Necrology File, Reel #097.)

**BUNGO, Daniel**

PASSAIC, N.J. - The funeral for Daniel Bungo, 49, of Passaic, N.J. and formerly of Smithmill, was held Friday, April 28 in Clifton, N.J. Mr. Bungo died Wednesday, April 26 in the Passaic General Hospital. Born in Smithmill, he was the son of the late Basil and Eva (Cyktich) Bungo. A U.S. Navy veteran, Mr. Bungo was a Michigan State University graduate, earning a degree in electrical engineering. He is survived by a son, Gregory, of Elmhurst, Ill.; two brothers, Metro, of Clifton, N.J. and Joseph, of Totowa, N.J. and five sisters: Mrs. Michael (Anna) Torick, Southbury, Conn.; Mrs. Mary Kephart, Winburne; Miss Eva Bungo, Paterson, N.J.; Mrs. Pierre (Irene) Ligeour, Clifton, N.J. and Mrs. Michael (Margaret) Kachur, Little Falls, N.J. The Bizub-Bishop Funeral Home,

Clifton, N.J., was in charge of funeral arrangements. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, May 6, 1978)

**BUNGO, Estelle**

CLEVELAND, Ohio - Estelle Bungo, 71, of Cleveland, Ohio and formerly of Smithmill, died Sunday, Aug. 31, 1997, in Cleveland. Born June 28, 1926, in Smithmill, she was a daughter of the late Metro and Catherine (Lazeration) Bungo. Ms. Bungo was a retired employee of General Motors Inc. where she had worked for 39 years. She is survived by three sisters and three brothers, Suzanne Russian of Houtzdale, Mrs. Cashmere (Alga) Switala of Ginter, Irene Schultz of Cleveland, Stanley and Sam Bungo, both of Cleveland, and Mike Bungo of Smithmill; and a number of nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, two sisters, Mrs. Martin (Ann) Giza and Mrs. Andrew (Christine) Deao; and five brothers, Charles, John, Pete, Walter and Boyd Bungo. Services were held Sept. 3, 1997, in Cleveland.

**BUNGO, Elizabeth (Barto)**

SMITHMILL - Mass of Christian Burial will be said at 10 a.m. tomorrow at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey, for Elizabeth (Barto) Bungo, 68, of Smithmill, who died Monday, April 13, 1998, at her residence in Smithmill. Fr. Killian Shuman, T.O.R., will be the celebrant. Interment will be in Holy Trinity Cemetery, Ramey. Friends will be received, from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. today and from 8-9:30 a.m. tomorrow at Kruse Funeral Home, Ramey. The Rosary will be recited at 8 p.m. today at the funeral home. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to Houtzdale Community Action Center, Houtzdale, Pa. 16641. Born Oct. 26, 1929, in Janesville, she was a daughter of Vincenzo and Massimina (Schamanna) Raponi. Mrs. Bungo retired in October 1997 as an assistant cook for the Houtzdale Community Action Center after 22 years. She, was a member of the Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey. On July 5, 1948, In Maryland, she wed John A. Bungo, who preceded her in death on Jan. 17, 1976. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. John (Carol) Finch of Smithmill and Mrs. David (Maria) Hudish of York; two sons, Vincent A. Bungo of Vestal N.Y. and Mark John Bungo of Indiana; 10 grandchildren, Ryan and April Finch, Brad and Amanda Bungo, Jessica, Candace and Christina Bungo, Brian, Becky and John Hudish. Also surviving are four sisters, Anna Cook of Bellwood, Carrie Hollick of Smithmill, Mrs. Steven (Cora) Duke, Broadview Heights Ohio, and Mrs. Sam (Lena) Giambalvo of Long Island, N.Y.; two brothers, Pete, Barto of Smithmill and Gene Raponi of Parma, Ohio; and numerous nieces and nephews in addition to her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by three sisters, Alaska, Irma and Palmer; and six brothers, Pete, Albert, Norge, Rudolph, Raymond and Joseph. (The Progress, Clearfield PA, Wednesday, April 15, 1998)

**BUNGO, Evelyn "Bluey"**

Evelyn "Bluey" Bungo, 92 of Parma, OH and formerly of Smokerun passed away Saturday, November 8, 2014 at Pleasantview Care Center, Parma, OH. She was born on Feb. 21, 1922 in Smokerun, the daughter of the late John and Mary (Kuzitsky) Bungo. Evelyn worked as a sales clerk at various retail stores in Cleveland, at General Electric in Cleveland and Bell Telephone in Pittsburgh. She was the last of her generation having been preceded in death by parents; three sisters, Mary Manke, Catherine Koval, and Ann

Bungo; four brothers, Henry Bungo, Wasco Bungo, John Bungo, Jr and Mike Bungo and an infant sibling. Evelyn is survived by nieces and nephews; Gary Manke and his wife Terry of Parma, John Bungo and his wife Donna of Harrisburg, Patricia McClinsey and her husband Ronald of St. Marys, Michael Bungo and his wife Michelle Sidaway of Aurora, Kathleen Novak and her husband Frank of Mantua and a niece-in-law, Christine Bungo of Twinsburg. Friends will be received on Wednesday, Nov. 12 from 4-8 PM and on Thursday, Nov. 13 from 9 - 10 AM at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. Ramey. Funeral Services will be held on Thursday, at 10:00 AM in the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc Ramey with Fr. Zab Amar officiating. Interment will be in the Beulah Cemetery, Ramey. Condolences may be sent to: [condolences@krusiefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@krusiefuneralhome.com)

**BUNGO, Florence (Fedarko)**

CLEVELAND, Ohio - Florence "Flo" Ferdarko Bungo, 68, of Cleveland, Ohio, died Monday, June 5, 2000. Born Sept. 1, 1931, in New Jersey, she was the daughter of George Ferdarko. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. James (Mary) Smutna of Brooklyn, Ohio; two granddaughters, Shelley and Deanne; a sister, Jeanette of Niagara Falls, NY; and three brothers, Robert: of Philipsburg, Michael of Apollo and James of Curwensville. She was preceded in death by her father and her husband, Peter Bungo. Funeral Mass will be held Thursday at 9:30 a.m. at St. Stephen Church in Cleveland. Interment will be at Western Reserve Memorial Garden, Chesterland, Ohio. Friends will be received from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. today at Walter Martens and Sons Funeral Home, Cleveland, Ohio. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, June, 2000)

**BUNGO, George**

HOUTZDALE - Mass of Christian Burial will be said at 11 a.m. Friday at Christ the King Catholic Church, Houtzdale, for George Bungo, 91, of Houtzdale and a guest of Ridgeview Elder Care and Rehabilitation Center, Curwensville, who died Monday, Feb. 3, 2003, at the center. Father Donald Cooper will be the celebrant. Interment will be at the American Legion Cemetery, Brisbin. Friends will be received from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Thursday and from 9-10:30 a.m. Friday at Birger A. Freeberg Funeral Home Inc., Houtzdale. Father Cooper will hold a vigil prayer service Thursday at 3 p.m. at the funeral home. Graveside military services will be conducted by the Houtzdale American Legion Freeberg Post No. 591. Born Jan. 20, 1912, in Smoke Run, he was a son of Metro and Julia (Gosser) Bungo. Mr. Bungo owned and operated Bungo Beer Distributing, Houtzdale. He was a member of the Christ the King Catholic Church, Houtzdale; Houtzdale American Legion Freeberg Post No. 591; Houtzdale Loyal Order of the Moose No. 327; and Tyrone B.P.O.E. Mr. Bungo served with the U.S. Army during World War II. On May 31, 1934, in Maryland, he wed Clara Bungo, who died May 24, 1998. He is survived by four children, Eleanor Matea of Ocala, Fla., Henry Bungo of Broomall, Mrs. Robert (Carol) Kitko of Houtzdale RD and Mrs. Chap (Clara) Nebinger of Kittanning; 11 grandchildren, Karen Richards of Goldsboro, N.C., David Matea of Key West, Fla., Jennifer, Eric and Bradley Bungo, all of Broomall, Sabrina Kitko of Hollidaysburg, Robert, Mark and Drew Kitko, all of Houtzdale, Richard Pusey of Philipsburg and Paula Aveata of Austin, Texas; and 12 great-grandchildren. Also surviving are two sisters, Ruth Nalepa of Sidman and Kathryn Harnish of Seward; and a number of nieces and nephews. Mr. Bungo was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; a grandson, Charles



Matea; four brothers, Frank, John, Henry and Louis; and three sisters, Adeline Nesaw, Annie Wardo and Elizabeth Barto. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, February 5, 2003)

**BUNGO, George**

George Bungo, 82, of Viola, RD Smithmill, PA passed away at 4:55 pm Saturday, Feb. 17, 2007 at the Clearfield Hospital. Mr. Bungo was born in Viola, on March 27, 1924, the son of the late Frank and Nancy (Latosky) Bungo. He served in the U.S. Army as a Corporal during WW II in central Europe. He retired in 1983 as a machinist from the Westinghouse Electric Co. of Buffalo, NY, after 37 1/2 years service. Mr. Bungo was a member of the Osceola Mills Lodge # 515 of the Free and Accepted Masons; Jaffa Temple Altoona, where he was a road runner for 10 years; Altoona Consistory Scottish Rite Valley of Altoona; a life member Joseph Hriczko V.F.W. Post #6245, Buffalo, NY; Life member Bellwood American Legion Post 424; a member of the MOOSE Lodge #1605 Depew, NY; life member Bellwood Sportsmen's Association. He is survived by two brothers, John Bungo of Hollidaysburg and Michael Bungo and his wife Martha of Bellwood, and a number of nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, six sisters and two brothers; Catherine Shumansky, Helen Bungo, Mary Bungo, Helena Bungo, Anna Zazworsky, Eva Tapchak, Metro Bungo and William Bungo. Friends will be received on Wednesday, Feb. 21, 2007 from 10:00 am until 12:30 pm at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. 2550 Union St. Ramey, PA. Funeral Services will be held at the Kruse Funeral Homes, Inc., Ramey, on Wednesday, Feb. 21, 2007 at 12:30 pm with Rev. Thomas A. McCoy officiating. Military honors will be accorded in the funeral home by the Stephen Kandrach VFW Post 6321 Janesville.

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**BUNGO, John**

Ambridge - John Bungo, 78, formerly of Eureka 28, near Smithmill, died Saturday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Eva Whana, at Ambridge. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 9:30 a.m. from the St. Vladimir Orthodox Church at Smithmill. Fr. Peter Kieluch officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. Friends may call at the Buranovsky Funeral Home in Ramey from 2 o'clock this afternoon until 11 o'clock tonight. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, May 14, 1956)

**BUNGO, John**

John Bungo - Funeral services for John Bungo, 70, of Wickliffe, will be 10 a.m. Wednesday at St. Stephen Byzantine Catholic Church, 532 Lloyd Road, Euclid. Mr. Bungo died March 8, 2004, at Manor Care in Willoughby. Born July 23, 1926, in Janesville, Pa., he had lived in Wickliffe for 53 years. He was a member of St. Stephen Byzantine Catholic Church and the St. Stephen Holy Name Society. He was a U.S. Navy veteran, serving in World War II. Mr. Bungo was a machinist at Euclid-Hitachi for 36 years, retiring in 1984. Survivors are his wife of 53 years, Anne (Rudiak) Bungo; daughter, Sandra A. Bungo of Alexandria, Va.; brother, Metro (Evelyn) Bungo of Deltona, Fla.; and many nieces and nephews. His brother, Charles Bungo; and sisters, Anna Berznansky, Evelyn Redelico, Mary Jones, and Christine Washic, are deceased. Friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Orlando-Donsante Funeral Home, 29550 Euclid Ave., Wickliffe. Parastas will be 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral

home. Burial will be in All Souls Cemetery in Chardon Township. The family suggests contributions to Hospice of the Western Reserve, 5786 Heisley Road, Mentor 44060. (The News-Herald, 2004)

**BUNGO, John A.**

Smithmill---John A. Bungo,48, Smithmill, was dead on arrival at the Philipsburg state General Hospital Saturday at 9 a.m. He was born June 1, 1927 at Smithmill, a son of Alex and Mary (Melnyk) Bungo. He had been employed as a coal miner and as a construction engineer. He was a member of the United Mine Workers of America and the Stephen Kandrach Post Veterans of Foreign Wars, Smithmill. He was a World War II Navy Veteran. Survivors include his wife, the former Elizabeth Barto, his mother Mary; two sons, Vincent of Altoona and Mark, at home; two daughters, Mrs. John (Carol Ann) Finch of Clearfield and Maria at home; a grandson Ryan Finch, three brothers, Michael of Boise Idaho; George of Indiana; and Theodore of Hersey; and three sisters; Mrs. Ann David of Philipsburg and Mrs. Christine Fleischmann and Mrs. Mary Pascucci both of the Bronx, NY. Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Tuesday from Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey, with the Rev. Killian Shuman, T.O.R. as celebrant. Interment will follow at the church cemetery. Graveside military services will be conducted by the Smithmill VFW Post. The Rosary will be recited at the Burnanovsky Funeral Home, Ramey, at 7 30 p.m. today. Friends will be received at the funeral home from 2-4 and 7-9 pm today. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, January 19, 1976)

**BUNGO, John E.**

Madera--Divine Liturgy and Parastas will be sung in St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey on Saturday at 10 a.m. for John E. Bungo, Jr.,68, of Madera, who died Tuesday,Dec. 12, 2000, at 11:55 p.m. at the Philipsburg Area Hospital. The Rev. Fr. James E. Poorman will be the celebrant. Friends will be received at the Kruise Funeral Home Inc. Madera, on Fri from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. and Sat. from 8-9:30 a.m. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to the St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, PO Box 205 Ramey Pa. 16671 or St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, PO Box 309, Smithmill, Pa.,16680. Born May 12, 1932, in Smithmill, he was the son of John E. and Tessa (Prach) Bungo, Sr. On May 28, 1988, in the city of Tonawanda, NY, he wed the former Rose (Katishen) Kitko. Mr. Bungo was a part-time employee of the Main Won Restaurant , Clearfield for the past seven years. He retired in 1987 from Consolidated Freight Ways, Buffalo, NY where he worked as a laborer. He served his country during the Korean Conflict in the US Army. He was a member of the St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey. He is survived by four sons and six daughters, John E. Bungo III, and wife, Allison, and Patrick Bungo all of Rochester, NY, Thomas and his wife, Kathy of Depew, NY Rosemary Bungo of Kenmore, NY Mrs. Philip (Carol) Stoddard of Williamsville, NY Mrs. Lou (Roseann) Panzica of Grand Island, NY. Mrs. Robert (Karen) Whisker of North Tonawanda, NY step daughter, Mrs. David (Lisa) Stewart, of Windsor, Colo.; a step son Mark Kitko, and his wife Felecia of Ramey: a step daughter Mrs. Randy (Linda) Hayward of Somerset and 13 grandchildren. Also surviving are a brother and five sisters, Walter Bungo of Bradenton, Fla., Mary Henshaw, Catherine Saupp and Mrs. Michael (Suzanne) Bersonsky all of Smithmill, Eve Rossi of Tipton and Irene Bobinchak of Suncity Az., and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in

death by his parents his first wife, Rose Marie (Kowalczyk) Bungo who died April 3, 1986 four brothers Robert, Peter, Mike and infant brother John; and four sisters Marge, Helena, Ann and Estelle. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, Dec 14, 2000 pg 18)

**BUNGO, John 'Bundy'**

Dec. 14, 1916 - Aug. 5, 2008

John "Bundy" Bungo, 91, Hollidaysburg Veterans Home, formerly of Viola, Smithmill RD, died Monday. He was born in Viola, son of Frank and Nancy (Latosky) Bungo. Surviving is a brother, Michael. He was an Army veteran of WWII. Friends will be received from 5 to 8 p.m. today at Birger A. Freeberg Funeral Home, Houtzdale. Liturgy of Repose will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Friday at St. Vladimir Ukranian Orthodox Church, Smithmill. (Altoona Mirror, Altoona, PA, August 7, 2008)

**BUNGO, Kenneth William**

Kenneth William Bungo, 45, of Ginter passed away at 11:20 PM, Friday, May 17, 2013. He was born on Sept. 22, 1967 in Philipsburg, a son of Eugene D. and Sandra L. (Wilkinson) Bungo of Smithmill. Kenneth was a 1989 graduate of the Moshannon Valley High School and served in the U.S. Navy. He worked as a Truck Driver for Castelli Oil & Gas Services and perviously for RNI Trucking of Falls Creek. In addition to his parents, Kenneth is survived by; a daughter, Natasha Mulhall of Clearfield; a son, Peter G. Bungo of Pittsburgh; and a grandson. Kenneth is survived by two sisters, Tina Ransorf and her husband Jim of Philipsburg; and Kathy Brown and her husband Patrick of Viola. A number of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins also survive. He was preceded in death by his paternal grandparents, Peter and Vivian "Betty" Bungo and his maternal grandparents, Elwood and Helen Wilkinson. A Parastas Service will be held on Wednesday, May 22 at 6:00 PM in the Kruiise Funeral Home, Inc., Ramey, with Fr. Paul Bigelow officiating. Memorial donations be made to; Eugene & Sandy Bungo 35 Viola Mine Road Smithmill, PA 16680. Condolences may be sent to: [condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com).

**BUNGO, Lena (Droll)**

SMOKE RUN - Mrs. Lena E. Bungo, 72, of Smoke Run, died Saturday, Sept. 3, at 10:05 a.m. in Philipsburg State General Hospital. Born Oct. 25, 1914, in West Decatur, she was a daughter of William M. and Emma M. (Stonebraker) Droll. She was preceded in death by her parents, brothers Lloyd and Russell, and sisters Iva Turner and Mildred Britton. She was married on Aug. 21, 1939, to Henry "Moon" Bungo, who survives along with son Robert Droll of Madera R.D., brother William of West Decatur, sister Geraldine Perks of Chester Hill, four grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews. She and her husband owned and operated Moon's Bar in Smoke Run. Earlier she was employed as an inspector with Campalong Sewing Factory of Madera and the Viceroy Sewing Factory. She was a member of the Faith United Lutheran Church, Houtzdale, and Philipsburg Elks No. 1173 Ladies Auxillary. Services will be held Wednesday at 11 a.m. at Faith United Lutheran Church with pastor Patricia Large. Interment will follow in the Brisbin 100F Legion Cemetery.

**BUNGO, Lois Jeanne (McQuown)**

Lois Jeanne Bungo, 73, of Osceola Mills Lois Jeanne Bungo, 73, of Osceola Mills, died Sunday, Oct. 20, 2002, at home. Born Dec. 1, 1928, in Pittsburg, Calif., she was a daughter of the late Charles and Victoria Benovic McQuown. On Aug. 30, 1948, in Houtzdale, she married Samuel S. Bungo Sr., who died on March 8, 1990. She was a graduate of the Houtzdale-Woodward Joint High School in Houtzdale. She was a homemaker. She was a member of the Catholic Daughters of American Court St. Victoria 646 in Houtzdale and a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution Moshannon Chapter. She was a member of the Immaculate Conception Church in Osceola Mills, where she was a member of the church Altar Rosary Society. She is survived by two daughters, Lois Jeanne Olsen and her husband, Dr. David Olsen, of Bartlesville, Okla., and Rose Marie Vasbinder and her husband, Curtis Vasbinder, of Little Suamico, Wis.; three sons, Charles T. Bungo, D.M.D., and his wife, Judith Ann, of Clearfield; the Rev. Samuel S. Bungo Jr., of Frenchville; and Christopher P. Bungo, at home; and two grandchildren, Judith Jeanne "JJ" Bungo and Charles T. Bungo II. In addition to her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by a daughter, Ramona Anne Bungo, and a brother, John McQuown. Visitation will be from 2 to 4 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at Heath Funeral Home, 701 Lingle St. in Osceola Mills. A Christian Vigil Service will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. A Rosary will be recited by the Catholic Daughters of American Court St. Victoria 646 at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Osceola Mills, with the Rev. Samuel S. Bungo Jr. as celebrant assisted by the Rev. Gregory Kirsch. Burial will be in Immaculate Conception Cemetery in Osceola Mills. (Centre Daily Times, Mon, Oct. 21, 2002 )

### **BUNGO, Metro**

Smithmill - Metro Bungo, 64, a resident of Smithmill, died yesterday at 6:40 p.m. following an illness of one month. Born July 11, 1892, in Austria, he came to this country 48 years ago. He was a retired coal miner and a member of the United Mine Workers of America. Mr. Bungo is survived by 14 children: Mrs. Martin (Anne) Giza and Mrs. Andrew (Christina) Deao, both of Morann; Mrs. William (Sue) Russian, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Casmer (Olga) Switala, Ginter; Mrs. Bob (Irene) Shultz, Miss Stella Bungo, Charles, John, Stanley, Pete, Sam, Mike and Walter, all of Cleveland; and Boyd of Smithmill; 17 grandchildren; and one brother, John Bungo, Smithmill. His wife, Catherine, preceded him in death two years ago. Funeral services will be held Monday morning from the St. Vladimir Ukrainian Orthodox Church in Smithmill in charge of Rev. Peter Kieluch. Interment will be in the church cemetery. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, January 25, 1957)

### **BUNGO, Metro**

Smithmill – Metro Bungo, 65, died at his Smithmill home Wednesday night, October 13 at 7:15 o'clock. Born Oct. 7, 1911 in Smithmill, Mr. Bungo was the son of Frank and Nancy (Latosky) Bungo. Mr. Bungo is survived by four brothers: Michael, from Bellwood; Jon, William, and George, all from Buffalo, N.Y. Three sisters also survive: Mrs. Anna Zazworsky, of Smithmill; Mrs. Eva Topchak, and Mrs. Catherine Shumansky, both from Yonkers, N.Y. His parents and three sisters: Helen, Mary and Helena preceded

Mr. Bungo in death. He worked as a carpenter in the area. Services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the St. Vladimir Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Smithmill, with the Rev. Lenoin Schemetylo officiating. Interment will follow at the church cemetery. Friends may pay their respects to the family at the Buranovsky Funeral Home, Ramey, on Saturday from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. and on Sunday morning from 10 o'clock until time of service. Parastas will be said at the funeral home Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, October 15, 1976)

### **BUNGO, Metro**

Metro Bungo, 79, of Chattanooga died on February 11, 2008. He was born September 26, 1928 in Smithmill, PA. Formerly of Wickliffe, Ohio, Mr. Bungo retired from TRW Valve Division in 1983 and moved to Florida. He was preceded in death by his father and mother, John and Catherine; brothers, Charles and John Bungo; sisters, Ann Berzansky, Evelyn Redelico, Christine Washic, Mary Jones and Joy Kathleen Bungo. He is survived by his loving wife of 56 years, Evelyn; devoted children, a son, Dennis Bungo of Hernando, Fl., and daughter, Cynthia Bungo of Chattanooga; three granddaughters, and many nieces, nephews, and good friends. A prayer service to commemorate his life will be held at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, at the North Chapel of Chattanooga Funeral Home. The family will receive friends for visitation on Thursday from 3 p.m. until the time of the service and following the service until 7 p.m. at the funeral home. Arrangements are by Chattanooga Funeral Home, Crematory & Florist; 5401 Highway 153. (Chattanooga.com, Chattanooga, TN, February 12, 2008)

### **BUNGO, Michael**

Smithmill- Michael Bungo, 69, of Smithmill died Tues, Oct. 10, 2000 at 6:40 p.m. at the James E. VanZandt VA Medical Center Altoona, Pa. Born March 3, 1931 in Smithmill he was a son of the late Dimitri and Catherine (Lazeration) Bungo. Mr. Bungo was a heavy equipment operator for several coal companies including C&K Coal Co. of Westover. He served his country in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He was Ukrainian Orthodox by faith. He was a member of the John Branich VFW Post 8822 Madera. He is survived by his companion Mary Ellen Kitko of Smithmill; a daughter Mrs. Timothy (Michelle) McCoy of Coalport; a son Michael J. Bungo of Houtzdale; the children's mother Susan D. Bungo of Beccaria ; a grandson Tyler Eron Kuhlmeier; these following brothers and sisters; Stanley of Columbia Township, Ohio, Samuel Bungo and Irene Schultz both of Cleveland, Suzanne Russian of Houtzdale, and Mrs. Cashmere (Olga) Switala of Ginter, and numerous nieces and nephews survives. He was preceded in death by his parents and 5 brothers, Charles, John, Pete, Walter, Boyd; and three sisters, Estelle, Anne Giza and Christine Deao. Services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday at Kruse Funeral Home Inc, Ramey with the Rev. Thomas McCoy officiating. Interment will be at the St. Barbara's Cemetery, Bisbin. Friends will be received from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, Oct. 11, 2000)

### **BUNGO, Michael**

BOISE, Idaho - Michael Bungo, 78, of Boise, Idaho died Saturday, Aug. 23, 1997, in Boise. Born Nov. 19, 1918, in Smithmill, he was a son of the late Alexander and Mary (Melnyk) Bungo. He attended school in Pennsylvania and was a member of the Civilian

Conservation Corp. and the VFW Post 1213 in Rutherford. Mr. Bungo retired from Truss Joice Co. in Boise. He was a veteran of World War II in U.S. Army Corp. He is survived by a daughter, Brenda of Idaho; a son, John M. of Oregon; five grandchildren, eight great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Also surviving are three sisters, Anna David and Christine Fleischman, both of Brisbin, and Mary Pascucci of Maryland; two brothers, George of Indiana and Theodore of Hummelstown; and numerous nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, Mr. Bungo was preceded in death by his former wife, Johnny; and a brother, John. A memorial service will be held at the convenience of the family in Indiantown Gap National Cemetery in Annville with the Rev. James E. Hicks officiating.

**BUNGO, Michael**

On June 13, 2011, in Tucson, Arizona. Born in Smithmill, PA on August 24, 1929 to the late Stephen and Nancy (Katlavich) Bungo. He served in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War. He is survived by his wife of nearly 58 years, Leona D. Bungo, and their children, Michael J. Bungo and Jo Ann M. Stoyka; as well as grandchildren, Tayler M. Bungo, Caitlin A. Bungo, Michael Stoyka and Denise La Nuez. He is also survived by his brother, Frank and wife, Alice; brother Metro and wife, Chris, and sister, Dorothy Kropinsky and husband, Steve. He was preceded in death by his parents, brother Chuck, and four sisters, Kay Fensore, Helen Brennan, Mary Rogers and Anne Kushner. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Saturday, July 9, 2011 at 12:00 p.m. at Saint Kilian Parish, 205 Clark St., Mars, PA. Send condolences at [post-gazette.com/gb](http://post-gazette.com/gb) Pittsburgh Post Gazette, Pittsburgh, Pa. June 13, 2011

**BUNGO, Michael J.**

Mr. Michael J. Bungo, 39, of Houtzdale, PA passed away on Sunday, Nov. 8, 2009. He was born March 21, 1970 in Philipsburg, PA a son of the later Michael Bungo and Susan D. (Polinsky) Bungo, who survives in Houtzdale. He was a 1988 graduate of the Moshannon Valley High School and served in the US Navy. He was employed as a machinist at Skytop Machine of Port Matilda, PA, for 4 years. On July 5, 2002 in Houtzdale he married Melissa S. Kruies who survives of Beccaria. Mr. Bungo is survived by four children; Zachary Fox, Jordan Fox, Madyson Bungo and Landon Bungo all of Houtzdale; two sisters; Karen Shultz and her husband Bill of Williamstown, MD, and Michelle McCoy of Coalport. Four nieces and 2 nephews also survive. He is surveyed by his mother-in-law and father-in-law; Linda and John Kruies of Luthersburg, a sister-in-law, Brandie Burgess of Severan, MD, two brother-in-laws, Shawn and Noah Kruies of DuBois. He was preceded in death by his father, Michael Bungo on Oct. 10, 2000. A Memorial Service will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 17, 2009 at 7:00 PM at the Kruise Funeral Home, Inc., Ramey, PA, with Fr. Zab Amar officiating. Friends will be received from 6-7 PM on Tuesday in the funeral home. Memorial donations may be made to: Melissa Bungo 1901 Veterans St. P.O. Box 94 Beccaria, PA 16661. On line condolences may be sent to: [condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com)

**BUNGO, Michael W.**

MADERA - Michael W. Bungo, 76, of Madera died at 3:07 a.m. Saturday, March 8, 1997, at Centre Community Hospital, State College. Born May 18, 1920, in Madera, he

was a son of the late Lewis and Eva (Koval) Bungo. Mr. Bungo retired as a crane operator for J & L Steel of Aliquippa. He served in the Army during World War II. He was a member of St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey. He is survived by two sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Steven (Mary) Guluschak of Ambridge, Mrs. Anthony (Ann) Moscolli and Peter Bungo, both of Madera, and John Bungo of Baden; and a number of nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; and a brother, Frank. Divine Liturgy will be served at 10 a.m. Tuesday at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church with the Very Rev. Fr. James E. Poorman as celebrant. Interment will be in St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Cemetery. Friends will be received from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. today and from 8-9:30 a.m. Tuesday at Kruse Funeral Home Inc., Madera. Parastas will be sung at 8 p.m. today at the funeral home with the Very Rev. Fr. Poorman. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, March 10, 1997)

**BUNGO, Michael 'Mick'**

Sept. 17, 1921 - June 13, 2009

Michael "Mick" Bungo, 87, Parkview Terrace, Altoona, formerly of Bellwood, died Saturday at UPMC Presbyterian Hospital, Pittsburgh. He was born in Viola, son of the late Frank and Nancy (Latosky) Bungo. He married Martha A. Rossi July 11, 1945, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Bellwood. Surviving are his wife; two daughters: Beverly R. Houck and husband, Eric, of Altoona and Diane K. Pelter and husband, Glenn, of Bellwood; a son, Dennis M. and wife, Sara, of Hamilton, Ohio; four grandchildren: Justin and Travis Houck, Cliff Pelter and Anissa Withers; and five great-grandchildren: Olivia Houck, Jacob Peters, Micah Peters and Gabriel and Caleb Withers. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Agnes Ann in 1957; six sisters: Catherine Shumansky, Helen, Mary and Helena Bungo, Anna Zazworsky and Eva Tapchak; and four brothers: Metro, William, George and John. Mick retired as an automobile mechanic at the Bellwood Garage. He was a veteran of WWII, serving as a technical sergeant with the 8th Army Air Force 701st Bomb Squadron of the 445th Bomb Group in the European Theater. Mick was a member of the American Legion, Bellwood, and the VFW, Smithmill. He was a volunteer at the Hollidaysburg Veterans Home and the Soldiers' Angels organization. He was active in the preparation of Memorial Day events in Bellwood and was an active participant with military honors groups for deceased veterans. He was an avid Pittsburgh Steelers and Pirates fan. Friends will be received from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, June 17, 2009, at Jon C. Russin Funeral Home, Bellwood, where a prayer repose will be held at 7:30 p.m. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday, June 18, 2009, at the funeral home by the Rev. Paul Bigelow. Committal with military honors will be held at Logan Valley Cemetery, Bellwood. Contributions in Mick's memory may be made to Soldiers' Angels, c/o Karla Davis, 2743 Grandview Road, Tyrone, PA 16686. (Altoona Mirror, Altoona, PA, June 16, 2009)

**BUNGO, Paula J. (Pesansky)**

STOW, Ohio--Services for Paula J. (Pesansky) Bungo, 49, of Stow Ohio, and formerly of Belsena Mills, Madera R.D., will be held at Saint Mary's Orthodox Church in Madera at 10 a.m. Thursday, with the Fr. Oleg Vifliantsev officiating. Interment will be in Saint Mary's Orthodox Church Cemetery in Madera. Friends will be received at the Kruse Funeral Home Inc., Madera, on Wednesday from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. A Panikhida

service will be held Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the funeral home with Fr. Vifliantsev. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society, 3250 W Market St, Suite 304 Akron, Ohio 44333. Mrs. Bungo died Saturday, July 29, 1995, at the Summa Health Systems, Akron, Ohio. Born July 11, 1946, in Philipsburg, she was a daughter of Joseph and Susan (Washic) Pesansky. She was a 1964 graduate of Moshannon Valley High School, Mrs. Bungo was a homemaker. She was a member of the Saint Mary's Nativity of the Theotokos Orthodox Church in Madera; Junior Mother's Club, Stow, Ohio; and the Stow Jaycee Wives. She is survived by her mother of Belsena Mills, Madera R.D.; husband Larry Bungo, whom she married on May 5, 1968, in Saint Mary's Orthodox Church in Madera; a daughter, Pamela, at home; a son, Timothy, of Westlake, Ohio; a sister, Mrs. Richard (Susan) Matthews of Vernon, N.J.; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her father on May 8, 1994. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, 1995)

**BUNGO, Peter**

Aug 2 1985- Peter Bungo, beloved husband of Florence (nee Ferdarko) devoted father of Marean Smutna, Grandfather of Shelly and Deanne, brother of Stanley, Sue, Olga, Estella, Sam, Irene, Mike Walter and Boyd of Pa. and the late Anna, Charles, John and Christina. The family will receive friends at the Walter Martens and Sons Funeral Home 9811 Denison Ave (parking entrance off W 99th St) Funeral mass Saturday at St. Stephen's Church at 1- a.m. visiting hours Thurs 7-9 and Fri 2-4 and 7-9. (Cleveland Plain Dealer, Cleveland, OH)

**BUNGO, Robert**

NIAGARA, N.Y. - Robert B. Bungo, 63, of Niagara Falls, N.Y., died Tuesday, Oct. 14, in Memorial Medical Center, Niagara Falls, N.Y. Born April 19, 1923, in Smithmill, he was a son of John and Tekla (Prach) Bungo. Mr. Bungo, who resided in Smithmill prior to moving to Niagara Falls in 1949, served in the U.S. Army in the Pacific during World War II. He worked at Union Carbide in Niagara Falls for 35 years. He is survived by his wife, the former Alta Bloom; one son, Robert L. of Niagara Falls, N.Y., one daughter, Mrs. Robert (Shirley) Darin of Grand Island, N.Y.; three grandchildren; four brothers, Michael and Peter, both of Smithmill, Walter of Bradenton, Fla., and John of Tonawanda, N.Y., eight sisters, Anna Zazworsky, Mary Henshaw, and Catherine Saupp, all of Smithmill, Eva Rossi and Margaret Yarnell, both of Tipton, Suzanne Berzonsky of Ramey, Helene Rossi of Hollidaysburg and Irene Bobinchak of Mentor, Ohio.; and many nieces and nephews. Services will be held Friday at 11 a.m. at the Lane Funeral Home Inc., 8622 Buffalo Ave., Niagara Falls, N.Y., with the Rev. Norman McLean officiating. Interment will be in Riverdale Cemetery, Lewiston, N.Y.

**BUNGO, Susan D. (Polinsky)**

Susan D. (Polinsky) Bungo, 81, of Houtzdale and formerly of Beccaria passed away at 9:10 PM, Wednesday, September 22, 2010 at Mt. Laurel Nursing & Rehabilitation Center, Clearfield. Mrs. Bungo was born on March 15, 1929 in Beccaria, a daughter of the late Jacob and Anna (Junich) Polinsky. She was a parishioner of Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey and a 1947 graduate of the former Madera High School. Mrs. Bungo was employed at the former Puritan Sportswear Factory, Altoona for 22 years.



She is survived by two daughters, Karen Schultz and her husband Cloyd of Williamstown, NJ and Michelle McCoy of Coalport. She is also survived by a daughter-in-law, Melissa Bungo of Houtzdale. Mrs. Bungo is survived by 8 grandchildren; Heather Meldrum, Jennifer Fanelli, Katie Pushkar, Taylor Kuhlmeier, Madyson Bungo, Landon Bungo, Zachary Fox and Jordan Fox; 7 great grandchildren, Bryan Meldrum, Matthew Meldrum, Shane Meldrum, Anthony Fanelli, Riley Fanelli, Lily Pushkar and Nicholas Pushkar. She is also survived by a sister, Martha Brubaker and her husband Galen of Goshen, IN and a number of nieces and nephews. Along with her parents, Mrs. Bungo was preceded in death by her son, Michael Bungo on Nov. 8, 2009; 5 sisters and 4 brothers, Helen Polinsky, Andrew Polinsky, Mike Polinsky, Joseph Polinsky, John Polinsky, Mary Ferrantino, Ann Genesi, Catherine Foust and Julia Round. Friends will be received on Mon., Sept. 27 from 2-4 and 7-9 PM and on Tues., Sept. 28 from 9 - 10:30 am at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. Ramey. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Tues., Sept. 28 at 11:00 AM in Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey with Fr. Zab Amar as the celebrant. Interment will follow in Holy Trinity Cemetery, Ramey. Condolences may be sent to: [condolences@krusefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@krusefuneralhome.com).

**BUNGO, Tesse (Prach)**

Mrs. John Bungo- SMITHMILL - Mrs. Tesse Prach Bungo, 73, of Smithmill died yesterday at 1:04 a.m. at the Philipsburg State Hospital after a brief illness. She was born in Austria Dec. 16, 1897, and came to the United States 55 years ago. She was a member of St. Vladamir Ukrainian Orthodox Church and the Sisterhood. She was married in 1903 at Ramey to John Bungo, who survives. Also surviving are 12 sons and daughters: Mrs. Frank (Anne) Zazworsky, Mrs. John (Mary) Henshaw, Mrs. Peter (Catherine) Saupp, Peter and Mrs. Mike (Susan) Berzonsky, all of Smithmill; Mrs. Ernest (Eve) Rossi and Mrs. Jack (Margaret) Yarnell, both of Tipton; Mrs. James (Helene) Rossi; Holidaysburg Mrs. Conrad (Irene) Bobinchak; Walter, Lancaster, N.Y.; and John Jr., Tonawanda, N.Y.: 31 grandchildren; five great great grandchildren; three sisters: Mrs. John (Nellie) Galoski and Mrs. Stephen (Stella) Sikovitz, both of Yonkers, N.Y., and Sophie in France. She was preceded in death by a son and a daughter. Funeral services will be held Friday at 10 a.m. at St. Vladamir Ukrainian Church at Smithmill. Interment will be in the church cemetery. Friends may call at her home at Smithmill from 7 o'clock tonight until time of services. (written Wednesday Oct. 25, 1961) (The above is typed exactly as it appeared in the obit, including typos).

**BUNGO, Vivian L. "Betty" (Bricker)**

Vivian L. "Betty" (Bricker) Bungo, 91, of Smithmill went to be with the Lord, on Saturday, June 23, 2012 at 6:30 p.m. surrounded by her loving family. Born on July 7, 1920 in Glasgow, she was the daughter of the late Charles and Flora (Kuhn) Bricker. Betty was a 1938 graduate of Reade Twp. High School and was a parishioner of St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Smithmill. On May 3, 1941 in Hagerstown, MD she married Peter Bungo who preceded her in death on August 21, 1990. Betty was a homemaker and enjoyed Bingo, crocheting, traveling and especially enjoyed spending time with her family. Betty is survived two sons and two daughters; Eugene D. Bungo and his wife Sandra of Smithmill, Larry Bungo and his wife Virginia of Lyndhurst, OH,

Vivian Corl and her husband Donald of Altoona, and Dana Whitcomb and her husband Jon of Key West, FL. Betty was a loving grandmother to seven grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson. She is also survived by a sister Ruth Williams and her husband Bill of Ramey and numerous nieces and nephews. In addition to her parents and husband she is preceded in death by five brothers, Robert, Ivan, Paul, Harold and Perry and four sisters, Marguerite Garman, Mary Spinner, Helen Evans and Edythe B. Garman. Friends will be received at the Kruse Funeral Homes, Inc., Ramey on Wednesday, June 27 from 2-4 and 7-9 PM and on Thursday, June 28 from 8-9:15 A.M. Parastas will be on Wed. at 7 p.m. in the funeral home by Fr. Paul Bigelow. Divine Liturgy will be held at St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Smithmill on Thursday, June 28 at 10 a.m. with Fr. Paul Bigelow officiating Interment will follow in the church cemetery in Ramey. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Clearfield Area Agency on Aging 103 N Front St. Clearfield, PA 16830. Condolences may be sent to: [condolences@krusefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@krusefuneralhome.com)

### **BUNGO, Wasco**

Smoke Run – Wasco Bungo, 82, of Smoke Run, died Friday, July 13, at his home near Smoke run, Beccaria Township. Born Nov. 25, 1901, in Smoke Run, he was a son of John, Sr. and Mary (Kuziski) Bungo. He was a retired coal miner and a veteran of World War II. He is survived by these brothers and sisters: John of Smoke Run; Michael, Niagara Falls, N.Y.; Henry, Mrs. George (Catherine) Koval and Mrs. Mary Manke, all of Cleveland, Ohio, and Miss Eva Bungo of Barea, Ohio. Services were conducted today at the Buranovsky Funeral Home, Ramey, with the Rev. James Poorman officiating. Interment was in St. Mary's Ukrainian Roman Catholic Church Cemetery, Ramey. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, July 16, 1984)

### **BUNGO, Wasco C. "Chuck"**

Wasco C. "Chuck" Bungo, 93, of Warren, OH and formerly of Janesville, PA passed away Tuesday, October 5, 2010 at the Windsor House, Champion, OH. He was born on Sept. 1, 1917 in Janesville, a son of the late Stephen and Nancy (Katlavich) Bungo. He served in the U.S. Army Air Force during W.W.II. Chuck worked as an inspector for the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation. He was a parishioner of Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, Warren, OH. He was a member of the Stephen Kandrach VFW Post 6321, Janesville and a past member of the Croatian Club of Smokerun. On May 25, 1946 in Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey he married Mary A. Strutzel Bungo who survives in Warren. Chuck is survived by his twin sons, Stephen C. Bungo and his wife Karen of Warren, OH; Edward M. Bungo and his wife Kathy of DuBois, PA; and his son, Kenneth Bungo of Austintown, OH. He is also survived by 3 grandchildren; Marilyn Mills and her husband Andy; Patrick Bungo and his wife Kara; and Greg Bungo and his wife Stephanie. Three brothers and a sister survive; Mike Bungo and his wife Leona of Tucson, AZ; Metro Bungo and his wife Chris of Harrisburg; Frank Bungo and his wife Alice of Mentor, OH; and Dorothy Kropinsky and her husband Steve of Smithmill. Chuck was preceded in death by his parents and four sisters; Kay Fensore, Helen Brennan, Mary Rogers and Anne Kushner. Friends will be received on Monday, Oct. 11, 2010 from 6-8 PM and on Tuesday, Oct. 12, 2010 from 9-10:30 AM at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. Ramey. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Tuesday, Oct.

12, 2010 at 11:00 AM in Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey, with Fr. Zab Amar as celebrant. Interment will follow in Holy Trinity Catholic Cemetery, Ramey. Condolences may be sent to: [condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com)

**BURANOVSKY, Mary S. (Wasilko)**

Mrs. Mary S. Buranovsky Ramey – Mrs. Mary S. Buranovsky, 82, died at her home here Saturday morning at 11:45 o'clock following a long illness. Born in Slovakia April 16, 1869, she came here 53 years ago. Her husband Martin preceded her in death three years ago. Mrs. Buranovsky is survived by the following five children: Mrs. Anna Pnakovich and Mrs. Sue Damrick, both of Ramey; Mrs. Gerald Focht, Tyrone; Martin, Philadelphia and John of Ginter. She is also survived by 23 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be conducted from the Holy Trinity Catholic Church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock with the Rev. Michael Karabinos officiating. Interment will be made in the Sacred Heart cemetery in Brisbin. Friends may call at the home from now until the time of the services. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, August 13, 1951)

**BURANOVSKY, Martin**

Ramey – Funeral services for Martin G. Buranovsky, 85, of Ramey, who died at his home here Sunday morning, May 16, will be held from the Holy Trinity Catholic Church here Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock with Rev. Michael Karabinos officiating. Interment will be in the Sacred Heart Cemetery in Brisbin. The deceased was a member of the Sacred Heart Slovak Society No. 7, of which he served as president for 19 years, and the Holy Rosary Society of Ramey. He was also a former member of the Ramey School Board and a former marshal for the Jednota Sokois. Born in Czechoslovakia, July 25, he came to this country 56 years ago. He is survived by his widow, the former Mary Wasilko and the following children: Mrs. Anna Pnakovich and Mrs. Sue Bamrick, Ramey; Mrs. Roy Focht, Tyrone; Martin F., Philadelphia and John W., Ginter. Twenty-two grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren survive as do the following brother and sister. Mrs. Martin Kost and Joseph, Ramey. Friends may call at his late home until time of the funeral services. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, May 16, 1948)

**BUSONY – Alexander**

BUSONY – Alexander, 75, 144 Hostetler Road, died May 20, 1991, at Lee Hospital. Born Oct. 3, 1915, in Seward, son of John and Anna (Karynak) Busony. Preceded in death by parents and brothers, John, Joseph, Nicholas, and Michael. Survived by wife, former Ann V. Varholak, and these sons, James, married to former Susan Terchanyn, and Joseph R., both of Johnstown; also granddaughter Laura. Brother of Mrs. Anna Furman, Seward R.D.1; George, Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Margaret Franklin, Seward; and Adam, Brook Park, Ohio. Retired employee of General Yards Division, Johnstown Plant, Bethlehem Steel Corp. Army veteran, World War II, serving with Company A 115th Infantry, 29th Division. Member of Post 7022, VFW, Seward; Post DAV, Johnstown; and St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Catholic Church, Byzantine Rite. Friends received from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday and from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at Francis G. Ozog Funeral Home Broad Street, where a brief service will be held at 11:15 a.m. Thursday, followed by Liturgy of Christian Burial at 11:30, at St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Catholic Church, the Rev Father Anthony T. Kubacki. Interment, Grandview Cemetery. Parastas

will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Graveside military rite by Post 7022, VFW, Seward. Tribune Democrat, Johnstown PA, May 21, 1991

### **BUSONY, Laura Marie**

Busony - Laura Marie, Brooklyn, NY, passed away on Monday, March 28, 2016 at the age of 29. She was born on October 13, 1986 and raised in Geistown, Laura is the



beloved daughter of James A. and Susan M. (Terchanyn) Busony. Laura is a 2005 graduate of Bishop McCort High School. She earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from Point Park University Conservatory of Performing Arts (COPA). She lived in Brooklyn, New York where she owned a successful jewelry based art brand, LAB by Laura Busony. Laura's independently designed and produced jewelry was featured in Vogue, Elle, People StyleWatch, Marie Claire and Lucky Magazines. Her pieces were also sold at Henri Bendel, Urban Outfitters, and Free

People. Laura was fearless since birth, navigating biological obstacles with poise, strength, and endless determination. What would seem like burdensome medical conditions to many were rarely a topic for discussion in Laura's everyday life. She was fierce. She was passionate. She possessed unparalleled dedication to her craft and was a friend, sister, daughter, mentor, leader, and inspiration to countless people across the world. She was a person that anyone who knew her - wanted to be more like. Her creativity shown through in every aspect of life. A successful jewelry designer and business owner in NYC, she collaborated and created endlessly through newly crafted jewelry, artwork, and writing. But her creative impact didn't stop there. She was a beautiful actress, singer, comic and dancer in many facets of life from the formal stage to interactions with friends and family where she would instantly and flawlessly be the inescapable force in any room. Without saying a word, she reminded us that the human spirit is powerful and that life is an amazing journey not to be taken for granted. Laura is preceded in death by her paternal grandfather, Alexander Busony and her maternal grandparents, Harry and Gunhild (Hansen) Terchanyn. In addition to her parents, Laura is survived by her paternal grandmother, Ann Busony; uncle, Joseph Busony; aunt and uncle Frances (Terchanyn) and John Mattre; cherished partner, Harry Bainbridge; life-long best friend, Amy (Wargo) Puhl; best friends and soul mates, Caitlin Franz, Missy Jarzenske, and Kate Santichen; special friends and employees, Colleen Schreiber and Heather David; close business friend, Dana Bodourov and many other dear and loving friends. Friends will be received from 2-7 p.m. on Monday, April 4th, at Harris Funeral Home, 500 Cherry Lane, Richland. Afterwards, everyone is invited to remain for The Celebration of Laura's Life, led by Rev. Nancy Kanik. Friends will also be received from 11 a.m. until time of Parastas at 12 p.m. on Tuesday, April 5, with Fr. Alex Wroblicky, from St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Catholic Church. Committal will follow at Grandview Cemetery. Laura's family and friends encourage anyone wishing to honor her memory to donate to the Diamond Blackfan Anemia Foundation to support future research on this rare disease. (Online condolences may be posted to [www.wharrisfuneralhome.com](http://www.wharrisfuneralhome.com).)

### **BUSOVICKI, Sr. Mary Ann, O.S.F**

On Tues. Jan. 13, 2004, Sr. Mary Ann Busovicki, O.S.F., age 62. Daughter of the late John Busovicki & Blanche Cernik; sister of John, Joseph, Francis, George Busovicki, Helen DiFalco, Margaret Kubalic & Blanche "Bunny" Busovicki. Friends received at the Mt. Assisi Convent, 934 Forest Ave on Wed. Jan. 14th from 2-4 & 6-8 p.m. Mass of Christian Burial Thurs. Jan. 15 at 3 p.m. in the Queen of Angels Chapel, Mt. Assisi, Bellevue. Arrangements by Lawrence T. Miller Funeral Home, Inc., Bellevue. Please sign the guest book at [post-gazette.com](http://post-gazette.com) (Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, Pittsburgh, PA, January 14, 2004).

**BUSOVICKI, Sister Mary Ann**

Sister Mary Ann Busovicki, 62, a member of the School Sisters of St. Francis for 45 years, died Tuesday, Jan 13, 2004, at Mount Assisi Convent, Bellevue. Sister Mary Ann entered the community from St. Anthony Parish in Clymer in 1957 and professed her first vows in 1958. During her years of ministry, she taught schools in the Dioceses of Pittsburgh, Altoona-Johnstown and Greensburg and in the Archdiocese of San Antonio, TX. She was a member of the North Hills Genealogical Society and the Western Pennsylvania Genealogical Society. She served as provincial treasurer from 1981 until 1991 and also worked at Duquesne University and Marian Hall Home. Surviving are her brothers: John Busovicki, Clymer; Joseph Busovicki, West Lake, OH; Francis Busovicki, Brunswick, OH; and George Busovicki, Indiana; by her sisters: Helen DiFalco, Canonsburg; Margaret Kubalic, Pottstown; and Blanche "Bunny" Busovicki, Clymer; and numerous nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews. The daughter of the late Blanche Cernick and John Busovicki, she was preceded in death by a nephew, Kevin Kubalic. Friends were received from 2 - 4 PM and 6 - 8 PM (Wednesday, January 14, 2004) at Mount Assisi Convent, 934 Forest Ave., Pittsburgh. A Mass of Christian Burial was held at 3 PM (Thursday, January 15, 2004) at Queen of Angels Chapel, Mount Assisi, Bellevue. Arrangements were handled by Lawrence T. Miller Funeral Home Inc., Bellevue. (Indiana Gazette, Indiana, PA, January 14, 2004).

**CASTELLANI, Mildred**

Castellani, Mildred, 100 Basalyga St., Jessup, Tuesday from the Louis M. Margotta Funeral Home, 511 Church St., Jessup, with Mass in St. Mary's Assumption Church, Jessup, concelebrated by the Rev. William Blake and Deacon John Hatala. Pallbearers: Michael Warholic, a son-in-law; John Warholic; Jack Mancak, a nephew; Joseph Stoffey, John Scritchfield and Edward Lepri. Interment, St. John's Cemetery, Jessup. Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice Preferred Choice of Mid-Valley Hospital, Main Street, Peckville, 18452. (The ScrantonTimes, Scranton, PA, Wednesday, January 24, 2001)

**CHAPPLE – Stephanie J., 'Big Steph' (Strongosky)**

CHAPPLE – Stephanie J., 'Big Steph', 73, Westmont, passed away June 12, 2016 at Good Sam Palliative Care Center. Born May 22, 1943 in Windber daughter of the late Stephen (KIA/WWII) and Lillian (Nussrallah) Strongosky. Preceded in death by husband Thomas. Survived by numerous cousins, including Stephanie, 'Little Steph', Karen and Joanne also Uncle Mike, Aunt Irene, Aunt Helen and puppy Rex. She was a graduate of Shade High School and Bucknell Univeristy. Formerly employed by Ciba

Pharmaceuticals in N.J., St. Francis College, The University of Pittsburgh at Johnstown and most recently Penn Highlands Community College. She enjoyed spending time with her family, gardening, and caring for her kittens, working on computers, watching baseball, hockey and especially Steelers Football. She was a 30 year breast cancer survivor. At Steph's request there will be no visitation. A graveside service will be held at a Saturday, July 9 at noon at St. John Cantius Catholic Cemetery, Windber. Friends who wish may make donations to the Somerset County Humane Society in her memory. John Henderson Co. Funeral Home, 215 Central Ave. is serving the family. (www.hendersonfuneralhome.com) Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA June 14, 2016

### **CHERVENIC, Andrew**

CHERVENIC - Andrew "Andy," 87, Richland Township, went to be with the Lord on Nov. 9, 2003, at LaurelWood Care Center. He was born on Jan. 23, 1916, in Smoke Run, Pa., son of Andrew and Anna (Wyda) Chervenik. Preceded in death by parents; wife, Jane M. (McGarvey); brothers, Michael, Joseph and John; sisters, Anna Sicktich, Julia Malhowsky, Eva Matolich, Katherine "Kass" Carlin, Helen Sass, Lou Mitchell, Dorothy Leath and Mary Makar; and an infant sister, Nancy Chervenik. Last surviving member of his immediate family. Survived by son, Andy "Terry," married to the former Bonnie Grabenstein, Johnstown, and a daughter, Judy, wife of Joseph Maurer, Richland; grandchildren, George Chervenik and his wife, Susan, Herndon, Va.; Leann, wife of Philip Poeth, Maastricht, Netherlands; Diane, wife of Tim Berkebile, Confluence; Jaleen, wife of Wayne Waugh, New Florence; Terry, wife of Scott Fleming, Johnstown; Laurie, wife of Eddie Andolina, Johnstown; and Joseph Maurer Jr., Johnstown; great-grandchildren, Sydney Chervenik, Yuri Poeth and Drew, Amy, Anna, Lee and Clay Berkebile, Morgan and Patrick Waugh, Andy and Josh Fleming, Angela and Vinnie Andolina; and numerous nieces and nephews. Andy retired in 1977, after 42 years of service from Bethlehem Steel, where he was employed as a supervisor in the Fuel Combustion Department. He was a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church and a former member of the Richland Bowling Leagues. Andy was an avid golfer and hunter. He was a self-taught jack of all trades and devoted family man. Friends received from 2 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Harris Funeral Home, 500 Cherry Lane, Richland, where vigil for the deceased will be held. Funeral Mass will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Moxham, the Rev. Msgr. Harold Biller. Committal will be at the Richland Cemetery Mausoleum. (The Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA, November 11, 2003)

### **CHERVENIC, John**

John "Barney" Chervenik, 260 Second St. Colver, died July 8, 1987, at Memorial Hospital, Johnstown. He was 78. He was born March 21, 1909 in Smoke Run, a son of Andrew and Anna Chervenik. He was preceded in death by parents; brother, Joseph; and sister, Eva Matolicz. He was survived by his widow, the former Katherine Datsko, and these children: Jack, married to Marilyn Zaharis, Liverpool, N.Y.; Michael, married to Rosalie Reilly, Rochester, N.Y.; and Christine, wife of James Baumgardner, Dillsburg. There are seven grandchildren. He was a brother of Andrew and Julia Malhowsky, both of Johnstown; Anna Sicktich, Smithmill; Kathryn Carlin, Upper Darby; Lou Mitchell, St. Louis, Mo.; Dorothy Leath, Muncie, Ind.; and Helen Sass, Sandy, Utah. He was a

member of Colver Local 390 UMWA. Friends were received at Matevish and Matevish Funeral Home, Ebensburg. Funeral Mass was said Saturday at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Revloc, with the Rev. Oryst M. Balaban. Interment, Holy Name Cemetery, Ebensburg. (The Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, July 15, 1987)

**CHROMOHO, Eva (Warholic)**

Mrs. Chromoho, 94 of State College, Pa died on Tuesday, Sept.13 at her home. She was born in Almaden, PA on March 16, 1911, the daughter of the late John and Catherine (Kopelchack) Warholic. She was a member of St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church Smithmill, PA. She worked as a Sample Maker at U.S. Rubber Co. New Jersey. Surviving are the following sisters and brothers; Helen Warholic of Cleveland, OH, Irene Duke of Middleburg Heights, OH, Kathryn (William) Lawrence of Holiday, FL, Martha Svehla of Sagamore Hills, OH, Stella Warholic of Youngstown, OH, Michael (Susan) Warholic of Beccaria, PA, Stacy (Sylvia) Warholic of Andover, OH. She was predeced in death by sisters, Mary Finch, Christine Palus and Anna Seckinger. Two brothers, John and Wasco Warholic. Friends are invited to call Friday 2-4 & 7-9 pm and Saturday 8:00 - 9:30 am at Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. 2550 Union St. Ramey, PA . A Parastas service will be held at 7:30 pm Friday in the funeral home by Fr. Paul Bigelow. A Panikida service will be held on Sat. at 9:30 am in the funeral home followed by Liturgy of Repose at St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Smithmill, PA, at 10:00 AM with Fr. Paul Bigelow officiating. Graveside Services St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Cemetery Ramey, PA. Family request donations to St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church P.O. Box 309 Smithmill, PA 16680. (Kruse Funeral Home <http://www.krusefuneralhome.com>, Sep., 17, 2005 )

**CHROMOHO, Peter**

Clifton, N.J. – Peter Chromoho, 52, of Clifton, N.J., husband of the former Eva Warholic of Beccaria, died yesterday. The Buranovsky Funeral Home at Ramey is in charge of funeral arrangements. A complete obituary will be published later. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, December 11, 1963).

CHROMOHO, Peter Clifton, N.J. – Peter Chromoho, 52, of Clifton, husband of the former Eva Warholic of Beccaria, Pa. died in his home Tuesday. A veteran of World War II, he served with the U.S. Navy. Mr. Chromoho was a member of the Clifton American Legion Post, Passaic City VFW Post No. 504, Bethoven F & AM Lodge No. 154, Adoriam Consistory, Salamon Kemple AAONNS, and the Passaic City BPOE Lodge No. 387. In addition to his widow, Mr. Chromoho is survived by two brothers and two sisters: Michael of Garfield, N.J.; Andrew of Key West, Fla.; Mrs. Joseph (Mary) Poleniak of North Palm Beach, Fla.; and Mrs. Alfred (Anne) Olson Sr. of Ridgefield Park N.J. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 10:30 a.m. from St. Vladimir's Orthodox Church at Smithmill, Pa., with the Rev. Fr. Petro Petrush officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery. Friends will be received at the Buranovsky Funeral Home, Ramey, Pa. from 7 to 10 p.m. today and 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 p.m. tomorrow. Parastas will be said today and tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the funeral home.(The Progress, December 12. 1963).

**CHURA, Anna B. (Cernik)**

Anna B. Chura, 94, of Hastings RD, died May 10, 2001, at Miners Hospital She was born Sept. 23, 1906, in Susquehanna Township, daughter of late Bartholomew and Anelia (Przybocki) Cernik. She was preceded in death by her husband, John P.; son, John A.; brother, Joseph; and sisters, Nellie Cernik, Blanche Busovicki and Josephine Zoldak. Survived by her children: Dolores, and husband, James McCormick, Angier, N.C; Victoria, and husband, Arthur Valeria, Hastings; and Rita, and husband, James Freeman, Annandale, Va.; grandchildren, Kristen and Kimberly McCormick; and Emily and John Freeman. Mrs. Chura was a member of St. Bernard Rosary Confraternity and Legion of Mary Auxiliary. She enjoyed gardening and reading. Friends were received from 2-4 and 7-9 p m. May 13 at the Easly Funeral Home, Hastings. Funeral Mass was celebrated 11 a.m. May 14 at St. Bernard Catholic Church, Hastings. Committal in church cemetery.

**COCHO, Anna (Sitch) [Ostinowsky]**

MRS. ANNA COCHO SUCCUMBS SUNDAY

Mrs. Anna (Sitch) Ostinowsky Cocho of Nanty Glo R.D. 1 died Sunday, June 18, 1967, at Memorial Hospital in Johnstown. Mrs. Cocho, who was 70 years old, was born Dec. 3, 1896, in Smokerun, Clearfield County, a daughter of Frank and Martha (Hudak) Sitch. She was preceded in death by her parents; brother, George; first husband, Andrew Ostinowsky, and son, John. Surviving are her second husband, Andrew Cocho, and the following children: Mike Ostinowsky Sr., married to the former Mary Kuhar, Twin Rocks; Catherine, wife of Paul Sabonya, Nanty Glo R.D. 1; Martha, wife of John Grecek Sr., Nanty Glo, and Pauline Sekerak, at home. Also surviving are 12 grandchildren, four great-grandchildren and these brothers and sisters: Mike Sitch, Derry; Wasco Sitch, Fitchburg, Mass.; Mary Rutledge, Long Island, N.Y.; Michael Orehowsky, Bradenton, Fla.; John Orehowsky, Smokerun, and Catherine, wife of Russel Anderson, Long island, N. Y. Mrs. Cocho was a member of the Altar and Rosary Society of St. Nicholas' Byzantine Catholic Church in Nanty Glo. Friends were received at the late residence, where the Rosary was recited Tuesday and Parastas was sung Wednesday. Funeral Mass was sung at 9 a.m. Thursday at St. Nicholas' Byzantine Catholic Church by Rev. Father Michael Macarchick. Burial followed in St. Mary's Cemetery with arrangements in charge of the Ondriezek & Ondriezek Funeral Home. (The Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, June 22, 1967)

**COLICCHIO, Patricia (Heresco)**

Of Bloomfield, on Saturday, April 24, 2010. Beloved wife of the late Rosario Colicchio, Jr.; loving mother of Tammy Colicchio-Thornton and Michael Colicchio; cherished grandmother of Vincent Colicchio; mother-in-law of Tom Thornton; sister of the late Charles "Skee" Heresco and Robert Heresco; sister-in-law of Alex and the late Geraldine Pampena; aunt of Marie Pampena and Alex (Lisa) Pampena. Friends received Tuesday, 1-8pm, at Winter Funeral Home, PC, 4730 Friendship Ave. Funeral Wednesday, 9am. Blessing Service, 10am, in funeral home. Send condolences at [post-gazette.com/gb](http://post-gazette.com/gb) (Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, April 26, 2010)

**COOK, Eva 'Bub' (Kaniuk)**

COOK — Eva 'Bub', 96, of Central City, died September 15, 2017 at Somerset Hospital. A longtime resident of Central City, she was born on January 1, 1921, the daughter of



John and Nancy (Ruszin) Kaniuk. Preceded in death by parents; husband, Joseph, who passed away on June 13, 1986; and daughter, Nancy; sisters, Martha, Mary Chinoski (Louis), Anna Russian (Frank), Magdalene Nestranski (George), Lula Swantek (Al), and Helen Soho (Joseph); and brothers, Andrew, George (Sue), Frank (Stacey), Charles (Mary), and Nick (Dorothy). She was the last and oldest surviving member of her immediate family. Survived by daughters, Helen Smith (Noel); Marion Yock (David); Katherine Mihelcic (William); and sons, John (Jacquiline); and Karl (Misty); 16 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren, 2 great-greatgrandchildren, and 1 greatgreat-granddaughter on the way. Also survived by sisters-in-law, Sue Mize, Mary Cook (Chester), and Mary Cook (Michael); and numerous nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews. Eva worked in New York City as a nanny for several years before returning home and marrying. She was a hardworking and wonderful wife, mother and grandmother. Member of Central City Assembly of God, she enjoyed reading, especially the Bible, watching TV and being with her family, cooking and baking, which all her family enjoyed. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. Monday at the Mulcahy Funeral Home, and from 10 a.m. until time of service at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Central City Assembly of God, Pastor Philip Sinclair. Internment, Daley Cemetery. [www.mulcahyfuneralhome.com](http://www.mulcahyfuneralhome.com)

**CORRAO, Lillian M. (Cuca)**

Lillian M. (Cuca) Corrao Private family services were held for Lillian M. (Cuca) Corrao, 75, a lifelong Cleveland resident and retired factory worker. Mrs. Corrao died Sept. 10, 2002, at Euclid Hospital in Euclid. She was born March 22, 1927, in Cleveland. Mrs. Corrao was employed by Sheffield Bronze Co. for 20 years, retiring in 1997. Survivors are her children, James Perry, Donald (Janet) Perry, Ralph (Shirley) Perry, Cynthia Rudiak and Richard Rudiak; 22 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; sister, Anna (Anthony) Iammarino; and brother, James Cuca. Her husband, Michael F. Corrao; parents, James and Angelina Cuca; brother, Ralph Cuca; and stepchildren, Mary Tuft and John Rudiak, are deceased. Arrangements are being handled by Brickman & Sons Funeral Home in Euclid. (The News-Herald, Cleveland OH) Note: My Aunt Lillian was married to John Rudiak, son of Metro & Mary Rudiak.(dw)

**CUMMINGS, Charles, Jr**

Charles C. Cummings Jr. Retired printer New Cumberland. Charles C. Cummings Jr., of 300 Ramsey Place, died Wednesday at Polyclinic Medical Center in Harrisburg. He was the husband of Beverly J. (Gray) Cummings. The service will be 11 a.m. Saturday at the Parthemore Funeral Home Inc., 1303 Bridge St., New Cumberland. Burial will be in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Fairview Township. Viewing will be 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. Mr. Cummings was born Dec. 4, 1929, in Harrisburg. He was the son of the late Charles C. and Bertha (Nauss) Cummings. He retired as a printer from the Camp Hill Art Press in Harrisburg. He was a graduate of Scotland School, a member of the Military Order of Cootie of United States Pup Tent PA092 in New Cumberland, the Veterans of Foreign Wars 7415 in New Cumberland and a life member of the New Cumberland Fire Department and the New Cumberland River Rescue. Mr. Cummings also is survived by a sister, Dorothy Warcholak of Mechanicsburg; and nieces and nephews. Officiating at the service will be the Rev. Robert A. Graybill, pastor of

Baughman Memorial United Methodist Church in New Cumberland. Memorial contributions may be made to American Heart Association, 1019 Mumma Road, Wormleysburg 17043. (York Daily Record , York, PA, March 10, 1994).

**CUMMINGS, Charles, Jr.**

Charles C. Cummings Jr., 64, of 300 Ramsay Place, Fairview Twp., died yesterday in Polyclinic Medical Center. He retired as a printer from Camp Hill Art Press, Harrisburg; was a graduate of Scotland School; a member of New Cumberland VFW Post 7415 and New Cumberland Pup Tent PA092 of the Military Order of Cootie; and a life member of New Cumberland Fire Department and New Cumberland River Rescue. Surviving are his wife, Beverly J. Gray; a sister, Dorothy Warcholak of Mechanicsburg; and nieces and nephews. Services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday in Parthemore Funeral Home, New Cumberland. Burial will be in Mount Olivet Cemetery, Fairview Twp. Viewing will be from 7 to 9 p.m. tomorrow at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to American Heart Association, 1019 Mumma Road, Wormleysburg 17043. (The Evening News, Harrisburg March 10, 1994).

**CYKTICH, John**

SMITHMILL - John Cyktich, 79, of Smithmill, died at 1:40 p. m. yesterday, May 15 in the Philipsburg State General Hospital. He was born in Austria Feb. 2, 1896 and came to the United States 63 years ago. He was a retired coal miner and member of the United Mine Workers of America. His wife, the former Nancy Mohnal survives along with these sons and daughters: Charles, Imperial Beach, Calif.; Harry, John, and Michael, DuBois; Stanley, Smithmill; Sam, Joseph and David; Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Carl (Catherine) Ordwein, Smithmill; Mrs. Helen Shriner, Allentown; Mrs. Orlando (Anne) Ribelli, Cleveland, Ohio and Mrs. Lloyd (Stella) Vreeland, Pine Brook, N. J. Thirty-four grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren also survive. The funeral will be held at 9:30 a. m. Monday from St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church in Smithmill. The Rev. Lenion Schemetylo will be the celebrant. Interment will be in the church cemetery. Friends may call at the Buranovsky Funeral Home in Ramey from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p. m. Sunday. Parastas will be said in the funeral home at 8 p. m. Sunday. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, May 16, 1975).

**CYKTICH, Priscilla (Kephart)**

Mrs. Priscilla (Kephart) Cyktich, 64, Smithmill, died Friday afternoon, June 6, 1997, at her residence, following a lengthy illness. She was born Jan. 24, 1933, in Betz, Madera RR, the daughter of the late Jessie Sr. and Grace L. (Engler) Kephart. She married Stanley Cyktich. He died March 26, 1991. Mrs. Cyktich was a member of St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Smithmill. She was a homemaker, and had also worked as a seamstress at J.B.C. Sewing Factory, Houtzdale. Mrs. Cyktich was a member of the Madera Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 8822 Ladies Auxiliary. She was an avid bingo player. Surviving are her fiance, Larry Shomo of Smithmill; two daughters: Cynthia Ford of North Umberland and Debra Mick of Smithmill; four brothers: Omer and Albert, both of Madera RR, Asher and Jessie Jr., both of Madera; a sister, Lucretia Caber of Bellwood; and four grandchildren. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m.

today and 9 to 11 a.m. Monday at Kruse Funeral Home, Ramey. Interment will be made in Ramey. (Altoona Mirror, Altoona, PA, June 8, 1997)

**CYKTICH, Stanley**

SMITHMILL - Divine liturgy for Stanley Cyktich, 63, of Smithmill, who died on Tuesday, March 26, 1991, at Tyrone Hospital, will be said Friday at 10 a.m. at St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Church in Smithmill. The Rev. Lonhin Schemetylo will be Celebrant. Interment will follow in the church cemetery in Ramey. The Janesville V.F.W. will conduct graveside military services. Friends will be received this evening from 7-9 p.m. and Thursday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. at the Buranovsky Funeral Home in Ramey. Parastas will be said at 8 p.m. in the funeral home on Thursday by Father Schemetylo. Born May 28, 1927, in Fernwood, he was the son of John and Nancy Momhal Cyktich. He served in the Navy during W.W. II. He worked for 20 years as a coal miner for C and K Strip Mines and retired in 1980. He was a member of St. Vladimirs Ukrainian Orthodox Church in Smithmill and the Janesville V.F.W. He was preceded in death by his parents, three sisters and five brothers. He is survived by his wife of 39 years, the former Priscilla Kephart; two daughters, Mrs. Robert (Cynthia) Ford of Northumberland and Mrs. Richard (Debra) Mick of Smithmill, and four grandchildren. Also surviving are these brothers and sisters, Mrs. Metro (Helen) Muhaw of Coalport R.D., Mrs. Larry (Ann) Ribelli and Joseph CyKtich, both of Mentor, Ohio, Mrs. Lloyd (Stella) Vreeland of Pine Brook, N.J., Michael of DuBois, David of York; and a number of nieces and nephews. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, March 27, 1991.)

**CZAP, George**

TYRONE - Panikhida for George Czap, 67, of 363 Jefferson St., Tyrone, who died at 2:30 a.m. Friday, Dec. 19, 1997, at his residence, will be said at 9:30 a.m. Monday at Beezer-Heath Funeral Home, Philipsburg, followed by the funeral service at 10 a.m. at St. John The Baptist Orthodox Church, Hawk Run, with Rev. Fr. David Cochran officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery. Friends will be received Sunday from 2-9 p.m. at the funeral home. Panikhida will be said at the funeral home Sunday at 8 p.m. Born May 25, 1930 in Philipsburg, he was a son of the late Andrew and Anna (Sura) Czap. Mr. Czap was a 1949 graduate of Philipsburg High School and was senior class president. He was a 1953 graduate of Clarion State University with degrees in social studies and driver education. He was a four-year letterwinner and co-captain for the Clarion State University football team. He played halfback in Clarion's 1952 undefeated season and played in the 1952 Lions Bowl held at Catanba College against East Carolina University. Mr. Czap taught civics, ninth grade history and driver education for 40 years at the Tyrone Area High School. He coached golf and the junior high football team for many years, including four undefeated seasons. He was a member of St. John The Baptist Orthodox Church, Hawk Run; the B.P.O. Elks No. 1173, Philipsburg; the Philipsburg Country Club; the Pennsylvania State Educators Association; a charter member of the Gerald L. Spalding Chapter of the PIAA Basketball Officials; and a life member of the Monogram Club, Tyrone. Surviving are his wife, the former Greta L. Rorabaugh of Tyrone; five sisters, Mary Myers, Helen Beveridge, Verna Czap, and Mrs. Nick (Dorothy) Sudik, all of Philipsburg, Mrs. Calvin (Nancy) Shields of Pleasant Gap; and two brothers, John of Williamsport and Mike of Philipsburg. Along with his parents, he

was preceded in death by three sisters, Anna Williams, Margaret Czap, and an infant sister; and two brothers, Andy and an infant brother. Memorial contributions may be made to St. John the Baptist Orthodox Church, Church Hall. (this is where it ends, I don't know if there is more or not.)

### **CZAP, John**

John Czap, 74, of Williamsport John Czap, 74, of Williamsport, died Friday, Feb. 7, 2003, at Williamsport Hospital. Born May 17, 1928, in Philipsburg, he was the son of Andrew and Anna Sura Czap. He and his wife, the former Shirley A. Gray, celebrated their 42nd wedding anniversary June 4, 2002. Retiring from the Montoursville School District in 1990 as head of the physical education department, he also instructed driver's education and had been head wrestling, football and golf coach during his teaching career. He was a PIAA official for wrestling and football and a member of the Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame, Clearfield Chapter. He was an avid golfer. He served in the Army during the Korean War. He was a member of Holy Cross Church. In addition to his wife, he is survived by three sons, Dr. John P. Czap and wife Rose, of Loyalsock Township, David P. Czap, Esquire, and wife Kim, of Ardmore, Mark A. Czap and wife Jen, of Kennett Square; a daughter, Mary Kay Czap, of Selinsgrove; a brother, Michael Czap, of Philipsburg; five sisters, Mary Meyers, Helen Beveridge, Verna Czap, Dorothy Sudik, all of Philipsburg, and Nancy Shields, of Pleasant Gap; and four grandchildren, Allison, Andrew, Olivia, and Connor Czap. He was preceded in death by a brother, George, and two sisters, Margaret Czap and Anna Williams. Friends will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Monday at Spitler Funeral Home, 733 Broad St., Montoursville. Funeral services will be held at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday at Holy Cross Church, 1725 Holy Cross Lane, Williamsport, with his priest, the Very Rev. Daniel C. Kovalak officiating. Burial will be in St. Andrew Cemetery, Bloss Township, Tioga County. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, Northwestern PA District, 1704 Warren Ave., Williamsport, PA 17701.

### **DANCHA, Anna ( )**

Mrs. A. Dancha, Vintondale, Dies

Mrs. Anna Dancha of Vintondale died in Ebsburg on Feb. 10, 1963. Mrs. Dancha, who was 87, was born Dec. 7, 1885 in Czechoslovakia. Surviving are these daughters: Mrs. Mary Malinich and Mrs. Helen Branick, both of Vintondale; Mrs. Anna Yanko, Connecticut and Mrs. Mary Roman in Europe. Also surviving are 20 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren. Friends were received at the Ondriezek & Ondriezek Funeral Home. Funeral mass was sung at 9:30 Tuesday morning at SS. Peter & Paul's Russian Orthodox Church in Vintondale by Rev. Alexander Perove. Burial followed in the church cemetery. (Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, February 14, 1963)

### **D'ANNA-KNOTT, Katherine (Giannola)**

Birth: May 13, 1910 - Death: Mar. 29, 2006. "Grandma Kate" Katherine was born in Palermo, Sicily. She lived in Fresno, CA for the last ten years and died surrounded by her loved ones. Katherine had a joy and wonder about life. Her hobbies included cooking, crocheting and gardening, but her true passion in life was her family and friends. She was the beloved wife of the late Nicholas D'Anna and the late Clarence Knott. She was

the oldest of her six brothers and sisters. She is survived by her sisters, Faye Miccichi and Josephine McCormick, both of Lansing, MI; daughter, Josephine M. Maglio of Prospect Park, PA, her granddaughter, Gail Saylor and her husband Jerry of Fresno, CA; and grandsons and their wives, Larry and Gina Grace of Wallingford, PA, Mike and Jean Warholic of Folsom, PA, Kevin and Judy Warholic of Kemblesville, PA, and Mark and Kara Warholic of Milmont Park, PA. She is also survived by her 15 great-grandchildren, 18 great-great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews and friends. At Katherine's request, a Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Holy Spirit Church on Tuesday, April 4, 2006, at 10:00 a.m. Interment will follow at Clovis District Cemetery. Lisle Funeral Home, 1605 'L' Street, Fresno 266-0666. Burial: Clovis Cemetery Clovis Fresno County California, USA

**DaSILVA, Nancy M. (Kimack)**

DaSILVA – Nancy M. (Kimack), 84, Cambria Care Center, Ebensburg, passed away Jan. 14, 2013. Born Sept. 19, 1928, in Springmill, Pa., daughter of the late Michael and Anna (Rusyn) Kimack. Preceded in death by husband, John DaSilva; and brothers, John, James and Michael Kimack. Survived by sister, Elizabeth (Mello) Mash, Vintondale; brother, William Kimack, Euclid, Ohio; and numerous nieces and nephews. Nancy was a former resident of Quarry Street in Gallitzin for more than 30 years, and for the past six years has resided at Cambria Care Center. Member of St. Nicholas Byzantine Church, Nanty Glo, and former member of St. Demetrius Catholic Church, Gallitzin. Friends will be received from 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Askew-Houser Funeral Homes Inc., Nanty Glo, where Parastas will be sung at 7 that evening. Brief service will begin at 9:30 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home, followed by Divine Liturgy of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. at St. Nicholas Church, the Rev. Wesley Mash, nephew of the deceased, celebrant. Committal, Holy Name Cemetery, Ebensburg. (Tribune Democrat, Johnstown PA, January 15, 2013)

**DATSKO, Helen (Legdon)**

Helen Datsko, 49, Succumbs Sunday - Helen Datsko of Mogadore, O., formerly of Ebensburg, died June 19, 1977, at Akron City Hospital. She was 49. A daughter of Wasco and Eva (Ruskin) Legdon, she was born in Smithmill on Dec. 18, 1927. Surviving are her husband, Pete, and these children: Gary, married to the former Eileen Vrabel, Conemaugh; Denise, wife of Tom Evans, Ebensburg; Rickie, married to the former Susan Smylnycky, Colver; and Kathy, at home. Also surviving are three grandchildren and these sisters and brother: Ann Rich, Beverly Hills, Calif.; Catherine Datsko, Colver; Mary Tononi, Johnstown; Bill, Richland; Marge Giancola, North Tonawanda, N.Y., and Irene Lery, Mylo Park, Ebensburg. Her parents and a brother, Frank, preceded her in death. Friends were received at the Matevish & Matevish Funeral Home in Ebensburg where Parastas was sung Tuesday evening. Brief service was held at the funeral home at 9:30 Wednesday followed by Mass at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church in Revloc by the Rev. Andrew Ulicky. Burial followed in Holy Name Cemetery, Ebensburg. (Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, June 27, 1977)

**DAVID, Ann (Bungo)**

SMITHMILL - A Service of Repose will be held at 11 a.m. Friday at Kruse Funeral Home Inc., Ramey, for Ann (Bungo) David, 89, of the Presbyterian. Home of the Moshannon Valley, Philipsburg, and formerly of Smithmill, who died Sunday, Aug. 17, 2003, at 8:11 a.m. at Philipsburg Area Hospital. Father Paul Bigelow will officiate. Interment will be at Beulah Cemetery, Ramey. Friends will be received from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Thursday and Friday from 9 a.m. until the time of the services at the funeral home. A Panikhida service will be held Thursday at 7:30 p.m. by Father Bigelow. Born July 12, 1914, in Almaden, Gulich Township, she was a daughter of Alex and Maria (Melnik) Bungo. Mrs. David was a homemaker and was employed by the former Philipsburg State General Hospital in the housekeeping department. She was a member of St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Catholic Church, Smithmill, and a member and past president of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees Union, Philipsburg Local. Mrs. David is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Joseph (Christine) Fleischmann of Brisbin and Mrs. Mary Pascucci of Gaithersburg, Md.; a brother, Theodore Bungo and his wife, Mary, of Hummelstown; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Ralph "Roxie" David, on July 15, 1963; brothers John, Mike and George; and an infant sister, Dora. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Catholic Church, P.O. Box 309, Smithmill, PA 16680 or to the Central PA Lung and Health Association, 209 E. Beaver Ave., State College, PA 16801. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, August 19, 2003)

**DILLEN, Boyd A.**

UTAHVILLE - Boyd A. Dillen, 86, of Utahville died Thursday, Nov. 15, 2001, at Altoona Hospital. Born Oct. 10, 1915, in Utahville, he was the son of Claude and Anna M. (Sanstrom) Dillen. Mr. Dillen was a coal miner for several area deep mines and was an Army T4 during World War II. He is survived by two sons, Arthur B. of Utahville and Lawrence E. of Fallentimber; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; two brothers, Dean of North Tonawanda, N.Y., and Everett of Whitehall, Mich.; two sisters, Martha Warholic of Patton and Ellen Drass of Tonawanda, N.Y. On June 30, 1946 in Glasgow, he wed Lorraine M. Kruse, who died Feb. 7, 1995. In addition, he was preceded in death by his parents; a son, Donald, in October 2001; seven brothers; and a sister. Services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday at McQuown Funeral Home, Glasgow, with Rev. David Heckman officiating. Interment will be at Utahville Cemetery. Friends will be received from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA)

**DIMITRI, Margaret J. (Wasilko)**

Margaret J (Wasilko) Dimitri, 83, Raritan, N.J., formerly of Smithmill, died Feb. 16, 2011. She was born in Janesville, daughter of Michael and Catherine (Lashinsky) Wasilko. She married the late James Dimitri. Surviving are three daughters: Diane Maraventano, Debra Alonso and Gayle Dimitri; and five grandchildren. She was preceded in death by seven siblings. Funeral arrangements were held under the direction of Bridgewater Funeral Home, Bridgewater, N.J. (Altoona Mirror, Altoona, Pa, February 24, 2011)

**DiTOMASO, James**

DiTOMASO, James (Thomas) Age 78. Be loved husband of the late Brigetta (nee Lencl); dear father of Donetta Walker, Brigetta (Bill) Muehlenweg, Jamie (Ron) Petrof, Sandie (Bill) Hulteen, Nanette (Pat) Warholic; grandfather of Melisa, David, England, Bryce, Nanette Lyn, Vinnie, Hannah, Jeremy (deceased), Jason, Angela, Julia; great-grandfather of Joshua, Benjamin, Alexandra, Jimmy; brother of Rose DiFranco (Bill) and the late Angeline, Lena, Victor. Died Feb. 23, 2002. Funeral services Friday, March 1 at 11 a.m. at Brickman & Sons Funeral Home, 21900 Euclid Ave., where family will receive friends Thursday 2-8 p.m. and Friday Morning 10-11 A.M. Interment Crown Hill Cemetery. Contributions to the Church of Jesus Christ or M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, would be appreciated. (The Plain Dealer, Cleveland, OH, February 27, 2002)

### **DOBISH, Helen**

PARMA, Ohio - Helen Dobish, 76, of Parma, Ohio, and formerly of Ramey, died Wednesday, July 16, 1997, in Parma. She was the daughter of the late Michael and Mary Dobish. She is survived by two sisters, Mary Nastasi and Margaret Robeson of Beccaria. Along with her parents, she was preceded in death by these brothers and sisters, Anne Sampino, Kathryn Homan, Wesley, Ray, Michael and John Dobish. Funeral services will be said at St. John Byzantine Catholic Church, Parma, at 9 a.m. Saturday. Interment will be in St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Cemetery, Ramey. Kolodiy-Lazuta Funeral Home, Parma, is in charge of the arrangements. [Death Certificate info -- Name: Dobish, Helen Age: 076; Marital Status: Ohio; Autopsy: Removal From State; Birth Date: 01 March 1921; SSN: 299-12-2440 State of Birth: 0039; Gender: F; Race: Elementary or Secondary; Date of Death: 16 July 1997; Father's Surname: Dobish; Mother's Surname: Oship; Time of Death: 04:30 pm; State of Residence: Non-Hispanic; Hispanic Origin: White; Education: P; Certifier: N; Referred To Coroner: N; Certificate: 051782; Volume: 31164]

### **DOBISH, John**

Houtzdale--Funeral services will be held in the Freeberg Funeral Home here Saturday at 2 p.m. for John Dobish, 43, of Beccaria who died of a heart attack Tuesday Nov. 29, while hunting deer in nearby Gulich Township. The Rev. Russell Schillinger will officiate and interment will be in Beulah Cemetery. Military graveside services will be conducted. Friends may call in the funeral home after 4 p.m. today. Mr. Dobish was born at Beccaria Sept. 2, 1923, a son of the late Mike and Mary (Oship) Dobish. He was a life-long resident of Beccaria, a veteran of World War II and a member of the VFW Post at Smithmill. He is survived by his wife the former Leanora Sklar; two children John and Mary Jane, at home; and these brothers and sisters: Mrs. Anna Sampino, Wesley (Jake), Mary, Ray and Helen of Cleveland, Ohio; and Mrs. Nick (Kathryn) Homa of Parma Ohio; and Mrs. Margaret Robeson and Mike of Beccaria. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, December 1, 1966)

### **DOBISH, Michael**

Beccaria- Michael Dobish 75, of Beccaria, died at the Altoona Mercy Hospital Wednesday night at 8:15 o'clock following an extended illness. Born in Austria September 20, 1875, he came to this country 50 years ago and was a retired coal miner. He is survived by his widow Suzanna, and the following children: Mrs. Patrick Sampino,

Altoona, Mrs. Nick Homo, Wasco, Metro and Helen of Cleveland, Ohio. Mary, New York City; Mrs. Earl Robeson, Michael Jr., and John, all of Becarria. He is also survived by five step-children, John Gregor, Cleveland; George, Frank and Mrs. Mary Minnigan of Salem, Ohio, and Mrs. Helen Richardson of Pittsburgh. He is also survived by two half-brothers, Metro Rudiak of Smoke Run and Frank Rudiak of Dixonville. Twenty grandchildren survive. Funeral services will be held from St. Mary's Greek Catholic Church in Ramey Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. Onuphrey Kowalsky officiating. Interment will be in the church cemetery. Friends may call at the home until time of service. (Copied as it appeared in The Progress, Clearfield, PA, 1951) [Note: date of death 4-18-1951; Suzanna Soltis Grega was the 2nd wife of Michael. dw]

### **DOBISH, Wesley**

Wesley Dobish, age 80, husband of Mary (nee Trubisky), dear father of Mrs. Richard (Doris) Wesley of Russell, Pa. and Donald W. of Denver, Colo., grandfather of Doreen Mordarski, brother of Anna Sampino (deceased), Katherine Homa, Mary Nastasi, Margaret Robeson, Raymond (deceased), Helen, Michael (deceased) and John (deceased). Funeral services Wednesday, May 31 at 9:15 a.m. at the Yurch Funeral Home, 5618 Broadview Rd., Parma and 10 a.m. Liturgy at St. John Byzantine Cathedral, Broadview at Snow Rd. Interment Holy Spirit Cemetery. Family will receive friends Tuesday 7-9 p.m. Parastas Service Tuesday 8 p.m. (Cleveland Plain Dealer, Cleveland, OH, Tuesday, May 30, 1989; Section C, Page 9) [Note: SSN 283-09-0570 Residence: Born 25 Mar 1909 Last Benefit: Died 27 May 1989 Issued: OH (Before 1951)]

### **DOOLEY - Mary (Kanuk)**

DOOLEY - Mary (Kanuk), 87, formerly of Central City, died Oct. 19, 2005, at Siemon's Lake View Manor Estate. Born Sept. 6, 1918, in Hysota, daughter of Lesio (Alexander) and Nancy (Berezonsky) Kaniuk. Preceded in death by parents and sisters, Anna and Kathryn. Survived by brothers, Andrew (Susanna), Metro, Sam (Mary), John (Marie), Frank and Steve. Also survived by five nieces; one nephew; four great-nephews; and one great-niece. Friends will be received from 6 to 9 p.m. Monday at Mulcahy Funeral Home, Central City, where Panachida will be sung at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, followed by funeral service at 10 a.m. Tuesday at SS. Peter -- Paul Orthodox Greek Catholic Church, Father Stephen Kundla. Interment, parish cemetery. Panachida will be sung at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the funeral home. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, October 21, 2005).

### **DUBIL, Mary "Bubba" (Kaniuk)**

DUBIL - Mary "Bubba," 87, of Charles, died Dec. 2, 1996, at Memorial Medical Center. Born April 15, 1909, in Garrett. Pa., daughter of Charles and Rose (Salaby) Kaniuk. Preceded in death by parents; husband, Nick, deceased in 1967; baby, Johnny; brothers: Alex, Nick, and John Kaniuk; sisters, Catherine Beechan and Nancy Trosky. Survived by sons: Pete, married to the former Lydia Horvath, Lincoln Park. Mich.; George, married to the former Patricia Lesinski, Parma, Ohio; and Charles A., Lakewood, Ohio; daughters: Mary, wife of John Simon; Ann, wife of John Butara; and Evelyn Dubil; all of Charles; 10 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren; sisters: Anna Hancharik, Magdeline Semenik, and Rose Moore, all of Cairnbrook; and Helen Hancher, Central City; and numerous nieces and nephews. Friends will be received From 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday and 2 to 9 p.m.



Friday at the Jon A. Meese Funeral Home, Van Horn and Fifth Street, Seward. Mass of Christian Burial 10 a.m. Saturday at St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Catholic Church, the Rev. Msgr. George Appleyard, Interment, St. Vladimir Cemetery: Holy Service of Parastas at 6 p.m. Friday at funeral home. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, December 21, 1996)

**DUKE, Frank M.**

FRANK M. DUKE, age 81, dearly beloved husband of 55 years of Irene (nee Warholic), loving father of Mary Rita, Robert (Denise) and Frances, dearest brother of Marie (Michael) Charnocky (both deceased), Anna (deceased), Emma (William) MacIntosh (both deceased), John (Kay, deceased), Margaret (deceased) (William) Yope, Susan (deceased), Stephen (Cora), Joseph (Mary Ann, deceased), Dorothy (Wasco) Warholic, Eleanor (Tim, deceased) Yope, Leonard (deceased) (Madeline), Elizabeth (Joe) Purta, Edward (Stella), Joan (John) Matia. Also survived by his devoted sister-in-law, Martha Svehla. Funeral Mass Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. at St. Bartholomew Catholic Church. Interment All Saints Cemetery. Friends may call at the Craciun Funeral Home, 14925 E. Bagley Rd. (at Pearl Rd.), Middleburg Hts. 2-4 and 7-9 Monday. (The Cleveland Plain Dealer; Cleveland, OH, Sunday, September 10, 2000)

DUKE, Frank M.

Frank M. Duke, age 81 of Middleburg Heights, Ohio, and formerly of Janesville, died Friday, Sept 8, 2000. Born Jan. 7, 1919, in Janesville, he was the son of the late Andrew and Susan (Adameil) Duke. On Oct. 23, 1944, he wed Irene Warholic of Cleveland, Ohio, who survives. Also surviving are daughters, Mary Rita and Frances of Ohio; a son, Robert and his wife Denise of Ohio; four brothers, John Duke, Steve Duke, and Ed Duke, all of Ohio and Joe Duke of Ambridge; four sisters, Mrs. Wasco (Dorothy) Warholic, Mrs. Joseph (Elizabeth) Purta of Ohio, Mrs. Eleanor Yope of Ambridge and Mrs. John (Mildred Joan) Matia of Smith Mill, and 46 nieces and nephews. Along with his parents he was preceded in death by five sisters, Marie Chainoky, Ann Duke, Emma Macintosh, Susan Duke, and Margaret Yope; one brother Leonard Duke and one nephew. Funeral Mass was held Sept 12, at St Bartholomew Catholic Church. Interment was at All Saints Cemetery. Cracium Funeral Home, Middleburg Heights, was in charge of arrangements. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, Sept. 21, 2000.)

**DUKE, Susan S. (Adamcik)**

Mrs. Susan S. Duke Smithmill - Mrs. Susan S. Duke, 85, of Smithmill, died Saturday, March 22 at the Philipsburg State General Hospital. She was born Oct. 28, 1889 in Austria, a daughter of Michael and Emma (Cirbus) Adamcik. She came to the United States 79 years ago. She was a member of the First Catholic Slovak Union. Survivors included six sons and eight daughters: John of Willowick, Ohio; Steve and Frank, both of Cleveland, Ohio; Joseph of Ambridge; Leonard of Ramey; Edward of Twinsburg, Ohio; Mrs. Michael (Mary) Charnsky of Euclid, Ohio; Miss Anna E. Duke, Mrs. William (Emma) MacIntosh, Mrs. Wasco (Dorothy) Wahorlic (sic) and, Mrs. William (Margaret) Yope, all of Cleveland; Mrs. Thomas (Eleanor) Yope of Ambridge; Mrs. Joseph (Elizabeth) Purta of Hinkley, Ohio and Mrs. John (Mildred) Matia of Smithmill. Also surviving are 50 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; a brother, Michael Adamcik of

Ramey; and two sisters: Mrs. Mary Sasala of Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. Emma Roman of Euclid, Ohio. She was preceded in death of her husband, Andrew, who died 19 years ago and by a daughter Susan. Mass of the Resurrection will be celebrated at 10 a.m. from Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey, with the Rev. Killian Shuman, T.O.R., officiating. Interment will follow at Sacred Heart Cemetery, Brisbin. Friends will be received at the Buranovsky Funeral Home, Ramey, from 2-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. today. The Rosary will be recited at the funeral home at 8 p.m. today. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, March 24, 1975)

**DUNLAP, Jeanette J. (Rusyn)**

Jeanette J. (Rusyn) Dunlap, 56, of Allemansville passed away, Tuesday, Feb. 19, 2008 at The Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA. Mrs. Dunlap was born in Philipsburg, PA on December 23, 1951, the daughter of the late John Rusyn and Margaret (Rudiak) Rusyn who survives of Philipsburg. She was Catholic by faith, a 1969 graduate of Moshannon Valley High School and she was a homemaker. On Sept. 23, 1969 in New Jersey she married Randy L. Dunlap, Sr. who survives in Allemansville. Mrs. Dunlap is survived by a daughter and a son; Jacqueline Gallaher and her husband Hugh of Coalport, and Randy L. Dunlap, Jr of New Millport, PA. She is also survived by three grandchildren; Ashlee, Chelsea and Brittany Gallaher all of Coalport. She is survived by a brother, Robert Rusyn of Florida. Friends will be received Saturday, Feb. 23 from 11:00 Am -1:00 PM at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. Ramey. Funeral Services will be held at 1:00 PM Saturday, Feb. 23, 2008 at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc., Ramey, PA with Fr. Zab Amar officiating. Graveside Services will follow in the Allemansville Cemetery, Allemansville. ([www.krusefuneralhome.com](http://www.krusefuneralhome.com))

**ENGICK, Peter E.**

HOUTZDALE - Parastas service will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday at Heath Funeral Home, Osceola Mills for Peter E. Engick, 77, of Houtzdale who died Saturday, Feb. 19, 2000, at 8 p.m. at his home. The Rev. Canon James E. Poorman will officiate. Interment will be at the American Legion Cemetery Brisbin. Friends will be received from 6-9 p.m., Friday at the Heath Funeral Home, Osceola Mills. Military honors will be conducted at the cemetery by the Freeberg American Legion Post No. 591 and the Kandrack V.F.W. Post No. 6381. Born Dec. 28, 1922 in Morann, he was the son of John and Catherine (Drost) Engick. Mr. Engick was a retired construction worker and a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Kandrack V.F.W. Post 6381, Smithmill and Freeberg American Legion Post 591, Houtzdale. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Daniel (Sophia) Wroblewski of Madera. He was preceded in death by his parents, two sisters, Mary Macek and Anna Latosky; and four brothers, John, Andrew and Paul Engick and George Terlesky. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA). Note: Catherine Evanochko is related to Frank Moskel, who's parents are John and Mary Kowchak Moskel.

**ERHARD, Sue (KOVAL)**

ERHARD - Mrs. Sue, 79, 705 Fourth St., Windber, died Nov. 21, 2001, at home. Born Oct. 23, 1922, in Madera, daughter of Peter and Mary Koval. Preceded in death by parents; brothers, Michael, George and Frank; and sister, Helen Smolen. Devoted wife of 52 years to George; and devoted mother of Susan, wife of Bryan Phillips, Windber; also

grandchildren, Michael and Kristen. Sister of Mary Strongosky, and John, both of Central City; and Ann Michrina, Detroit. Also survived by numerous nieces and nephews. Navy veteran of World War II. Member of SS. Peter & Paul's Orthodox Greek Catholic Church, Central City, and attended Mount Zion Lutheran Church, Scalp Level. The family will receive friends from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at The Dalla Valle Funeral Home, Windber, where brief service will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, followed by funeral service at 11 a.m. at Mount Zion Lutheran Church, the Rev. Jacquelyn DePhillips, pastor, officiating. Entombment at All Faiths Chapel and Mausoleum, Windber. Those who wish may make contributions to Regional Hospice at Windber in memory of Mrs. Erhard.(The Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA, November 23, 2001).

**EVANOCHKO, Catherine "Katie" (Solinsky)**

Madera -- Catherine "Katie" Evanochko, 83, of Madera died at 5 p.m. Monday, May 21, 2001, at Clearfield Hospital. Born May 12, 1918 in Wood she was a daughter of Michael and Nancy (Dravitsky) Solinsky. Mrs. Evanochko was a home maker and was a parishioner of St. Mary's Orthodox Church, Madera. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. James (Rose M.) Reitmyer of Madera; five grandchildren, Cathy, James, Pam, Tina and Sarah; nine great grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, and two great great granddaughters; four sisters, Anna Moskel of Madera, Mary Cuttner of Aliquippa, Mrs. Leo (Julia) Grattan of Pittsburgh and Susan Couperthwaite of Maurmee, Ohio; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Joseph Evanochko and six brothers, John, Wasco, Metro, Charles, Frank and Pete. Services will be held at 1 pm Thursday at St. Mary's Orthodox Church, Madera with Fr. Gregory Lewis officiating. Interment will follow at the church cemetery, Madera. Friends will be received from 3-5 and 7-9 p.m. Wednesday and from 11 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Thursday at Kruse Funeral Home Inc., Madera. Parastas will be sung at 8 30 p.m. Wednesday in the funeral home by Fr. Lewis. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to St. Mary's Orthodox Church, Madera. ( The Progress, Clearfield, PA)

**EVCIC, Edward**

Edward Evcic, 87, Clinton, MD passed away at 1:55 PM, Monday, January 21, 2013 at Bradford Oaks Nursing Home, Clinton, MD. He was born on April 19, 1925 at Smoke Run, a son of the late Martin and Ruby (Belin) Evcic. Edward was a parishioner of St. John Evangelist Catholic Church, Clinton, MD and a member of the Croatian Fraternal Union and AARP. Edward retired in 1994, after 19 years as a carpenter foreman at D.C. General Hospital, Washington, D.C. Prior to that he worked as a coal miner, a truck driver and a machinist. On Nov. 17, 1956, in the former St. Barbara Catholic Church, Houtzdale, Edward married Mary F. Kasubick Evcic, she preceded him in death on Aug. 12, 2005. Edward is survived by a daughter, Linda Evcic of Clinton, MD and a number of nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents and wife, Edward was preceded in death by four brothers, Joseph, Steve, Victor and Frank Evcic and two sisters, Anna Nalepa and Frances Reynak. Edward enjoyed Polka Music and Traveling. Friends will be received at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc, Ramey on Thursday , Jan. 24 from 7-9 PM, Friday Jan. 25 from 2-4 and 7-9 PM and on Saturday, Jan. 26 from 8:30 - 9:30 AM. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Saturday, Jan. 26 at 10:00 AM in Holy Trinity Catholic

Church, Ramey with Fr. Zab Amar as celebrant. Interment will follow in Holy Trinity Catholic Cemetery, Ramey. Condolences may be sent to: [condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com)

**EVCIC, Frank C.**

SMOKERUN - Frank C. Evcic, 80, of Smokerun, died Wednesday, Aug. 20, 1997, at Conemaugh's Memorial Medical Center, Johnstown. Born March 4, 1917, in Smokerun, he was a son of Martin and Ruby (Belin) Evcic. He was a member of the United Mine Workers Association Local 860 of Colver and the Croatian Lodge No. 80 of Smokerun. He is survived by his wife, the former Helen Comitz, and these children: Mrs. Archie (Barbara Ann) Krumenacker and Thomas, both of Colver, and Mrs. William (Donna Jean) Casey of Twinsburg, Ohio. Also surviving are grandchildren Christine Janosko, Lynn Ann Walwro, Timothy and Kevin Krumenacker, all of Colver; Sgt. Thomas Evcic of Fort Drumm, N.Y., and Danny Evcic of Colver and Laura Casey of Twinsburg, Ohio. Also surviving are sister, Anna Nelepa of Wilderdine, and a brother, Edward of Clinton. He was preceded in death by his parents, a sister, Frances Reynak, and brothers Joseph, Steve and Victor. Mass of Christian Burial will be said 11 a.m. Saturday at the Holy Family Catholic Church in Colver with Rev. James Coveney. Interment will be in the church cemetery. Friends will be received from 2-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. tomorrow at the Matevish Funeral Home in Ebsenburg where wake services will be held.

**EVCIC, Steve C.**

Steve C. Evcic of Fallentimber R.D. died Jan 5, 1987 at the Altoona General Hospital. Services will be held at St Richard Catholic Church, Blandburg. Interment will be in the Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Glasgow. Military rites will be conducted by the Coalport Veterans of Foreign Wars. Born March 3, 1920 in Smoke Run, Mr. Evcic was the son of Martin and Ruby (Belin) Evcic. He was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife, the former Josehine Behanic, on Oct 17, 1979; two sons: Richard and John Francis; and a brother, Joseph. He is survived by his wife, the former Frances Janet Kollar; two daughters: Mrs. Jean McMillen and Mrs. Carol Kruis; two grandchildren; four stepchildren: Debra Semelsberger, Patriacia Woodley, Edward Kollar, and Mary Kollar; six step grandchildren; and five brothers and sisters: Anna Nalepa, Frances Reynak, Frances Reynak, Frank, Victor, and Edward. Mr. Evcic had been employed by the Candy Bank Mines of Smoke Run, the Westinghouse Electric Corp, and had retired in 1965 after 21 years service with the Hommer Lumber Co., Glasgow. He was an Army veteran of World War II, and a member of the Disabled American Veterans. (Clearfield Progress, Clearfield, PA. , Jan 6, 1987)

**FEDYNA, Anthony**

Anthony Fedyna, 102, husband of the late Katherine Warholak Fedyna, died Friday, April 12, 2013. He is survived by his sister, Theodora Petruska; nieces and nephews; and a dear friend, Deb DeAndrea. He was preceded in death by his son, Anthony Theodore Fedyna; and four sisters, Julia Kutcher, Mildred Altenhof, Stella Rychkun and Mary Ann Lozer. Friends were received at Thomas P. Kunsak Funeral Home, North Side. A funeral of Christian burial was held in St. George Ukrainian Church on Tuesday. Contributions are suggested to St. Josaphat Ukrainian Diocese, P.O. Box 347180, Parma, OH 44134-

7180 or Sisters of the Order of St. Basil the Great, 710 Fox Chase Rd., Fox Chase Manor, PA 19046.

**FELIX, Nancy (Swistock)**

Nancy Felix Expires Sunday Mrs. Nancy Felix, 69, of Painesville, O., formerly of Sidman, died Sunday, August 3, 1975 in Painesville. Born May 22, 1906, in Blackburn, she was the daughter of Henry and Mary Swistock. She was preceded in death by husband, Paul who died Aug. 1, 1953, and brother Charles. She is survived by these children: Andrew, Snow Shoe, Mrs. Ellen Falls, Willoughby, O.; Mrs. Marjorie Koleno, Painesville; Alfred, Mentor, O.; Mrs. Delores Millard, Orange, Calif., and Paul, Avon Lake, O. Also surviving are 17 grandchildren. Mrs. Felix was the sister of Joseph, Madera; Alex, Blackburn; John, Houtzdale R.D.1; Mrs. Anna Forensky, Flushing, N.Y.; Mrs. Magdaline Peckowycz, Altoona, and Mrs. Christine Makatan, Houtzdale. Funeral Mass was conducted Wednesday at St. Michael's Catholic Church, Father Bernard Conley officiating. Interment was at the church cemetery, in charge of the Charles O. Dimond Funeral Home, South Fork. (The Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, August 6, 1975)

**FENCHAK, Andrew L.**

Andrew L. Fenchak of Dublin, OH and a native of Madera, PA, went home to be with the Lord on February 16, 2013 after a brief illness. Mr. Fenchak was the son of the late Michael and Maria (Kypchuk) Basarab Fenchak who emigrated from the Ukraine in 1908. Andrew was an altar server at St. Mary's Ukrainian Byzantine Catholic Church of Ramey and a 1944 graduate of Madera High School. He was a veteran of World War II serving in the US Army with the Pacific Theater of Operations. He was awarded the Medal of Good Conduct, Marksmanship Medal and attained rank of Tech IV Sergeant specializing in Communications wiring. Andrew was a charter and life member of VFW Post #8822 in Madera and active in management of the post in the late forties and eighties as well as a life member of the American Legion Post #591 in Houtzdale. He attended Pennsylvania State University, University of Akron, OH and the University of Michigan. He was a Member of Delta Psi Omega National Dramatic Fraternity. He also graduated from Blackstone School of Law in 1993 as a legal assistant/paralegal. Andrew was an honorary life member of the Knights of Columbus having over 50 years of service. He served as Lecturer, Chancellor, Recorder and Director of Council activities. He edited and distributed a quarterly K of C Bulletin for over 30 years. His last K of C Council was our Lady of Fatima in Huntingdon and was a Fourth Degree Sir Knight of Clearfield Assembly. He was a member of The Catholic League and Pope John Paul II society. He was an activist in support of Catholic education in Michigan, Ohio and Pennsylvania. He served as President and architectural chairman of the Genesee County Catholic Board of Education and built a new 2,200 student Catholic Education Campus in Flint, MI in 1970. Andrew was employed by Graybar Co., Inc., as an executive from 1950 until retiring in 1986 from the St. Louis Corporate Headquarters as National Marketing Manager of Electrical Products. After retirement, he taught "Logistics and Wholesale Distribution" at various business schools. He served as Chairman of the Illuminating Engineering Society of Northeastern Michigan and was President of the Genesee County Electrical Association of Flint, MI. Andrew belonged to the Nation Notaries Association, National Manuscript Club, Loyal Order of the Moose (Madera), BPOE (Philipsburg),

Clearfield County Historical Association, Clearfield County Sports Hall of Fame and the Heritage Foundation. He was a member of the Moshannon Valley Rotary Club, past President and a Paul Harris Fellowship Member. Andrew married Lois (Vrabel) Thomas on September 10, 1949 at the Church of the Annunciation in Akron, OH. Lois passed away on December 1, 1996 in Madera, PA. after 47 years of marriage. Andrew is survived by his children: Susan (Dennis) Bassett of Cincinnati, OH, Barbara (Robert) Donald of Louisville, KY, John (Melissa) Fenchak of Marysville, OH and Mary Pelenis of Downers Grove, IL. He also leaves eight grandchildren and three great granddaughters. Mr. Fenchak married Loretta Ferlitch Spingola on June 10, 1999 at Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Huntingdon, PA. Loretta passed away on September 5, 2006. Surviving stepchildren are: Frank (Lindy) Spingola of Marietta, GA, Cate Croyle of Huntingdon, PA and Mark Spingola of Huntingdon, PA. He also leaves five step grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren. Andrew is preceded in death by his parents, seven brothers, and three sisters. Surviving siblings are Ann Kohan of Ramey, PA, Susan Warholic of Beccaria, PA, Kathryn Lumanick of Port Orange, FL and Paul Fenchak of Lutherville, MD. Visitation will be held at Kruse Funeral Home, Inc in Madera, PA on Friday, February 22 from 4:00 – 7:00 pm and on Saturday, February 23 from 9:30 – 10:15am followed by Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00 am at Christ the King Church in Houtzdale, PA with Fr. Stanley J. Swacha as celebrant. Our Lady of the Valley Knights of Columbus will held a memorial service at 7:00 pm Friday in the funeral home. Interment services with military honors will be accorded by the American Legion Post # 592 in Immaculate Conception Catholic Cemetery, Madera. Condolences may be sent to [condolences@krusefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@krusefuneralhome.com) Contributions in lieu of flowers may be made to the Food for Families program through St. Vincent DePaul Altoona/Johnstown Diocese at [svdpcares.org](http://svdpcares.org).

**FERRENCE, Agnes A.**

FERRENCE, Agnes A. Age 76, February 20, 1999. Loving sister of George (Betty) and Bettee (Herschel) Clawson. Dear niece of Elizabeth Swistock and the late Alice Swistock. Also many nieces and nephews and cousins. Funeral Wednesday. Instate 10 a.m. Mass 11 a.m. at St Nicholas Byzantine Catholic Church, 19130 Beaconsfield (near Moross), Harper Woods. Visitation Monday 5-9 and Tuesday 1-9 p.m., at S. K. Schultz, a Trust 100 Funeral Home, 21705 Gratiot at 8 Mile. Pahanida Service Tuesday 7:30 p.m. Interment Mt. Olivet Cemetery. (The Detroit News, Detroit, MI).

**FERANCE, Helen H. (Haslego)**

Helen H. (Haslego) Ferance, 93, of Punxsutawney and formerly of Dowler Highway, Glen Campbell, died Tuesday, Oct. 14, 2008, at Mulberry Square Elder Care and Rehabilitation Center in Punxsutawney. Friends will be received from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday at the Rairigh Funeral Home, Ltd., in Hillsdale, where a 7:30 p.m. Parastas service will be held during the visitation. A funeral service will take place at 2 p.m. Friday at the Ss. Peter and Paul Orthodox Church in Urey with the Rev. Fr. Mark R. Meholick officiating. Interment will follow at the parish cemetery in Urey. (Indiana Gazette, Indiana, Pa., Wednesday, October 15, 2008)

**FERANCE, Mary (Zinza)**

Mrs. Mary Ferance, 84, Glen Campbell R.D., died Dec. 1, 1966, in Miners Hospital in Spangler. Born June 14, 1882 in Austria, she was a daughter of Alex and Nancy Zinza. On Dec. 1, 25 years ago, she was preceded in death by her husband, Michael Ferance. She is survived by the following children: Fred, Barnesboro; Mrs. Mike (Kathryn) Lazeration, Barnesboro R.D.; Mitchell and George, of Glen Campbell R.D. 4, Mrs. Joseph (Susan) Kraynak, Glen Campbell; Mrs. John (Mary) Lazeration, Niagara Falls, N.Y.; 11 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. A son and a daughter preceded her in death. Friends are being received at the Pyott Funeral Home in Burnside where Parastas Services were conducted at 7:30 p.m. Friday. Divine Liturgy was conducted today at 10 a.m., from SS. Peter and Paul Greek Russian Orthodox Church in Urey. Interment will follow in the Greek Catholic Cemetery in Urey. (? Source)

### **FERENCE, Michael Louis**

Michael Louis Ference, age 43, died Monday, Nov. 7, at 3 a.m. at his home in Meadville, Pa., where he had lived for 23 years. He was an employee of the Erie Railroad Company of that place, a veteran of World War II, and spent four years overseas. Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Mary Ferance, Glen Campbell, R.D., and the following brothers and sisters: Fred, Mrs. Michael Lazeration, and Mrs. Margaret Oship, all of Barnesboro; George, Mrs. Joseph Kraynak, and Mrs. John Lazeration, all of Glen Campbell; and Mitchell, at home. Services will be held Thursday morning, Nov. 10 at 9 a.m. in the St. Peter and Paul Church, Urey, Pa., with the Rev. Barnaba Lushko officiating. Burial will follow with military rites conducted by the V. F. W., Fee Pennington Post of Glen Campbell. Friends will be received at the home of his mother today at Glen Campbell, R.D., and until time of services. McCardell Funeral Home, Burnside in charge of arrangements.(? Source, 9 Nov 1949)

### **FERGUSON, Dr. R. Lawrence**

Neurosurgeon did 400 operations a year.

The source of Dr. R. Lawrence Ferguson's boundless energy was a mystery to some, but its presence was undeniable to most of the people who had regular contact with the ballroom-dancing neurosurgeon, who also had a passion for writing poetry and fishing for salmon. "This was a guy who approached everything with the zeal of a late convert," said Dr. Gerry Luken, Dr. Ferguson's medical practice partner for more than 25 years. And according to Roberta Ferguson, Dr. Ferguson's dance instructor wife, "He really believed in making the most of his time here." Dr. Ferguson, of Oak Park, died Sept. 27 in Asheville, N.C., of complications from amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, better known as Lou Gehrig's disease. He was 63. A neurosurgeon for more than 30 years, Dr. Ferguson practiced at Michael Reese Hospital, where he was head of the neurosurgery department, as well as Ingalls Hospital and Rush-Presbyterian-St. Luke's Medical Center. Born in Toronto, Dr. Ferguson distinguished himself in high school and college as a skilled, versatile athlete. In addition to qualifying for Canada's Olympic rowing team, he was tapped to play linebacker in the Canadian Football League, an opportunity Dr. Ferguson turned down to attend Queens University Medical School in Kingston, Ontario, his wife said. A residency at Cook County Hospital brought Dr. Ferguson to Chicago, where he specialized in treating aneurysms and strokes, Luken said. Though Dr. Ferguson performed more than 400 surgical procedures a year -- an unusually high amount for a

neurosurgeon -- Luken said the care and attention he gave each patient was never short of exceptional. "All his patients understood that their problems were the most important things to him as he treated them and cared for them," Luken said. In 1993, Dr. Ferguson was named by Chicago magazine as one of the top five neurosurgeons in the metropolitan Chicago area. He was also published in the Journal of Neurosurgery for his innovative "quiet hand technique," a method of manipulating surgical instruments with minimal muscle movement to reduce the fatigue-induced hand tremors surgeons often experience. As committed as he was to work, Dr. Ferguson had a great sense of fun, as well. "Larry was a party waiting to happen" said Roberta Ferguson, who met her husband of eight years when he came in to her Lincoln Square dance studio for lessons 10 years ago. "He just brought the surgeon's lounge to life." Between procedures, for instance, it wasn't unusual for Dr. Ferguson to show the female doctors the dance moves he'd learned from his wife. He was particularly fond of rumba and Argentine tango, said Roberta Ferguson. "He just loved to entertain people," she said. Another hobby of Dr. Ferguson's was salmon fishing on Lake Michigan in his boat. "Captain Larry," as he liked to be called, often spent hours out on the water after work, his wife said. Summers, meanwhile, were reserved for his cabin along Lake Huron in Ontario. When Dr. Ferguson was diagnosed with Lou Gehrig's disease three years ago, he handled his illness with such courage and good humor that co-workers and loved ones rarely saw the moments of depression and frustration he undoubtedly experienced, Roberta Ferguson said. "He used his positive spirit to manage his disease as well as it could be managed," she said. Two years ago, the surgical residents at Rush-Presbyterian renamed the microsurgery laboratory in Dr. Ferguson's honor. Survivors in addition to his wife are Dr. Ferguson's daughters, Sarah and Katherine Ferguson, and two stepchildren, Sacha and Bill Warholic. Services were Saturday. (Chicago Sun Times, October 3, 2005)

**FERKO - Evalyn (Hodownes)**

FERKO - Evalyn, Central City, died June 15, 2006, at Windber Medical Center. Preceded in death by parents, Charles and Kathryn (Holobinko) Hodownes; brothers, John Rubick and Charles and Nick Hodownes; and sisters, Susan Kaniuk and Anne Mason. Survived by husband, Andrew D.; son, Andrew D. Jr., married to the former Nancy Sandusky, Central City; grandchildren, Andrew D. III, married to the former Charity Leipchack, Central City, and Kelly, wife of Sean Raimo, Connecticut; and great-grandchildren, Rebecca Raimo, Andrew D. IV and Shane Ferko. Sister of Mary Lasako, Florida, and Steven, wife of Betty, New York. Friends will be received from 3 to 6 p.m. Sunday at Mulcahy Funeral Home, Central City, where service will be held at 8:30 a.m. Monday, followed by Divine Liturgy at 9 a.m. at St. Mary's Russian Orthodox Church, the Very Rev. John Govrusik. Committal, parish cemetery. Friends who wish may make contributions to Regional Hospice at Windber, in Evalyn's memory. Parastas will be sung at 5 p.m. Sunday at the funeral home. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, June 17, 2006)

**FERRANCE - Julia D. (Drotar)**

FERRANCE - Julia D., 86, of Greenwich Road, Northern Cambria, died June 17, 2004, at Miners Medical Center, Hastings. Born Nov. 15, 1917, on Barnesboro R.D.2, daughter of Andrew and Mary (Vesnovsky) Drotar. Preceded in death by parents; husband, Metro, in 1978; daughter, Yvonne; brothers, Mike, John, Joseph and Steve; and sisters, Mary



Bobby, Helen Mondock and Ann Drotar. Survived by sons, Dr. Metro of Philipsburg; and Richard, married to former Sandra Gilbert, Northern Cambria; nine grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and a brother, Francis, Northern Cambria. Formerly employed at Phillip Jones Shirt Factory. Former member of St. John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Church. Member of Prince of Peace Catholic Church and Legion of Mary. Friends received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday at Long-Contres Funeral Home Inc., Northern Cambria, where Altar & Rosary service will be held at 3 p.m. and vigil for the deceased will be also be held. Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday at Prince of Peace Catholic Church. Committal, St. John Byzantine Cemetery. [www.long-contresfuneralhomes.com](http://www.long-contresfuneralhomes.com) (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, June 18, 2004)

**FERRANCE, Yvonne M.**

FERRANCE - Yvonne M., 58, of Greenwich Road, Northern Cambria, died July 12, 2000, at Indiana Hospital. Born May 30, 1942, in Spangler, daughter of Metro and Julia (Drotar) Ferrance. Preceded in death by father. Survived by mother, with whom she resided; brothers, Dr. Metro, Phillipsburg, and Richard, married to the former Sandra Gilbert, Northern Cambria. Also survived by several nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews. Served in U.S. Army for 12 years and was discharged as a second lieutenant. Former postmaster of Cherry Tree Post Office and former cafeteria manager at Northern Cambria School District. Member of the former Our Lady of Mount Carmel Catholic Church and member of Legion of Mary. Friends received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at Long-Contres Funeral Home Inc., Northern Cambria, where vigil for the deceased will be held. Funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at Prince of Peace Catholic Church, Chestnut Avenue, Northern Cambria. Interment, St. John's Byzantine Cemetery. Military graveside rites will be conducted by local veterans' organizations. The Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA July 14, 2000. [Note: I am quite certain that Metro Ferrance was a cousin to my GF Michael Ferance (last name spelled differently) My mother Mary Ferance Gibas has told me this. Carol Gettings]

**FILAKOWSKI, Anna (Hines)**

Anna Hines Filakowski, 71, of Garfield died Wednesday. She worked for Botany Woolen Mills, Passaic. She was a parishioner of St. Michael Cathedral, Passaic. Surviving are a brother, John Belis of Miami, and seven sisters, Ann Zedak and Eva Hines, both of Madera, Pa., Nancy Kolatsky of Passaic, and Mary Stack, Sue Hines, Catherine Skonier and Helen Hines all of Parma, Ohio. Her husband Emil died in 1982 Mass will be said Saturday at 9 am at St. Michael's Cathedral, with burial in East Ridgelawn Cemetery, Clifton. Visiting is today from 2-4 and 7-9 at Bizub-Bishop Funeral Home Clifton, with Parastas at 8. (The Record, Northern New Jersey, Nov 30, 1990)

**FINCH, Charles**

Smithmill – Charles Finch, 75, of Smithmill was dead on arrival at Philipsburg State General Hospital Saturday, July 14. A retired coal miner, he was born May 7, 1909 in Smoke Run, a son of Mr. And Mrs. Wasco Finch. He was a member of St. Vladimir's Ukrainian Orthodox Catholic Church, Smithmill. He is survived by his wife, the former Mary Warholic, and by three daughters; Ms. June Kelly of Virginia Beach, Va., Mrs. Jack (Dorothy) Powell of State College and Mrs. William (Christine) O'Laughin of

Columbia, Md.; five grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and two brothers, Nicholas of Johnstown and Michael of Colver, and one sister, Mrs. Kay Lutzko of Johnstown. He was preceded in death by his parents and one sister, Anne. Services will be conducted tomorrow at 10 a.m. at St. Vladimir's Church with the Rev. Lenion Schemetylo officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. Friends will be received at the Buranovsky Funeral Home, Ramey, today from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Parastas will be recited at 8 p.m. at the funeral home. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, July 16, 1984)

**FINCH, Charles Wasco**

FORMERLY OF ECONOMY - Charles Wasco Finch, 86, of New Brighton, formerly of Economy, died Wednesday, Nov. 12, 2003, in Beaver Elder Care. Born May 29, 1917, in Smithmill, Pa., a son of the late Michael and Clara Betza Finch, he was a retired pipe fitter from the American Bridge Co., Ambridge. He was a member of SS. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ambridge, and was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II having served with the 629th Tank Destroyer Battalion. Surviving are his wife, Margaret Fornadel Finch; two sons and daughters-in-law, Donald and Theresa Finch, Natrona Heights, and Thomas and Sandra Finch, Aliquippa; three grandchildren, Steven Finch and his wife Sunny, Fort Sill, Okla., and Jon and Derek Finch, both of Natrona Heights; a great-grandson, Joshua Finch; a brother, Frank "Fid" Finch, Altoona, Pa., and numerous nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, John, Samuel and Michael Finch; four sisters, Eva Barger, Elizabeth "Betty" Wood, Catherine "Kate" Kryss and Mary Andrus, and a special relative who was like a brother, Bob Finch. Friends will be received Saturday from 6 to 8 p.m. and Sunday from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. in the John Syka Funeral Home Inc., 833 Kennedy Drive, Ambridge, where a service will be conducted Monday at 9:30 a.m., followed by a funeral service at 10 a.m. in SS. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ambridge. Father Michael Polosky will officiate. Interment will follow in Sewickley Cemetery. Members of the Beaver County Special Unit will meet Monday at 11:15 a.m. at the cemetery to provide full military honors. Parastas service will be held Sunday at 6:30 p.m. in the funeral home. (Beaver County Times and Allegheny Times, Beaver, PA November 14, 2003)

**FINCH, Frank**

Frank Finch, 88, of Hollidaysburg, Pa and formerly of Janesville, Pa passed away Saturday, Aug. 4, 2007 at 2:00 am at the the Beaver Valley Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Beaver Falls, PA. Mr. Finch was born in Janesville, PA on July 12, 1919, the son of the late Michael and Clara (Betza) Finch. He was a member of St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey, Pa and attended St. Mary's Catholic Church, Altoona He served in the U.S. Army in WW II and worked as a Power House Operator for US Steel Pittsburgh, PA., for 45 yrs. He retired 1981. He was a member of the American Legion, Altoona, and US Steel Workers of America. In 1943, in Ambridge, PA he married the former Vera Lutchko who preceded him in death along with four brothers, John, Sam, Michael, Charles and four sisters, Kathryn Kryss, Mary Andrus, Betty Wood, and Eve Barger. He is survived by two children, Philip Finch and his wife Nicky of Beaver Falls, PA and Kathleen Close and her husband Monty of Clearfield. Four grandchildren survive, Geoffrey Close, Rebekah Close of Clearfield, Rachel Finch and

Kolby Finch both of Beaver Falls, PA. Also surviving is a special and loving companion Ella Mae Wright of Hollidaysburg, PA. Friends will be received on Monday, Aug. 6, 2007 from 2-4 and 7-9 pm and on Tuesday, Aug. 7, 2007 from 9-10:30 am at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. 2550 Union St. Ramey, PA . A Panikhida service will be held at 7:00 pm Monday in the funeral home by Very Rev. Fr. James E. Pooman. Liturgy of Repose will be served at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey, PA, with Very Rev. Fr. James E. Pooman on Tuesday, Aug. 7, 2007 at 11:00 am. Interment will follow in St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Cemetery Ramey, PA. Memorial donations may be made to St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey, PA 16671.  
[http://www.krusefuneralhome.com/funeral\\_notices.html](http://www.krusefuneralhome.com/funeral_notices.html)

**FINCH, Helen (Belis)**

Smithmill - Mrs. Helen Belis Finch, 62, of Smithmill, died Thursday morning at Robert Packer Hospital at Sayre. Born at Madera Jan. 1, 1902 she was a daughter of Timko and Nancy (Russin) Belis. She is survived by her husband John, and the following children: Mrs. John (Margaret) Wilosky; Ginter; Mitchell, Morann; and John, Jr., Westfield. Also surviving are seven grandchildren, and two brothers, John Belis, New York, N.Y., and Charles Belis, Smoke Run. A Requiem High Mass will be sung Monday at 9:30 a.m. at the St. Marys Greek Catholic Church in Ramey, the Rev Fr. John Maluschuk officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. Friends will be received at the Buranovsky Funeral Home at Ramey today from 7 to 10 p.m. and Sunday from 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 p.m. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, July 23, 1964)

**FINCH, Margaret (Kollar)**

Margaret Finch of Ebensburg, formerly of Colver, died Wednesday, April 23, 1997, in Ebensburg. She was 78. Born April 27, 1918, in Beccaria, Pa., she was the daughter of John and Susan (Kollar) Kollar. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Mike, in 1990; brothers, John, Paul, and Emery; and sister, Helen. Surviving are these children: Francine, wife of Carlo Falchini, Jr., Ebensburg; Joyce, wife of Angelo Norelli, Little River, SC; and Paige, wife of Domenic Farinacci, Cleveland. Also surviving are two grandchildren and a great-grandson. Mrs. Finch was a sister of Mary Holobinko and Betty Matsko, both of Cleveland; Edward, Beaver; Steve, Homestead; Martin, Madera; and Joe, Baltimore and a sister-in-law of Kathryn Luczko, Johnstown. She was a member of the Legion of Mary and Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary of Holy Family Catholic Church in Colver. Funeral Mass was celebrated Friday, April 25, at Holy Family Catholic Church by the Rev. James B. Coveney. Interment followed in Holy Name Cemetery, Ebensburg. Arrangements were in charge of the Matevish and Matevish Funeral Home, Ebensburg. (The Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, April 30, 1997).

**FINCH, Mike**

Mike Finch of 20 Row, Colver, died May 7, 1990, at home. He was 78 and his death ended a marriage union of 52 years with the former Margaret Kolar. Born May 20, 1911, in Smoke Run, he was a son of Washko and Mary (Pohlit) Finch. He was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Charles and Nicholas and a sister, Ann. In addition to his wife, he is survived by these daughters: Francine, wife of Carlo Falchini, Ebensburg and Joyce, wife of Angelo Norelli and Paige, wife of Domenic Farinacci, both of Cleveland,

Ohio. Also surviving are grandsons, Domenic Jr. and Anthony Farinacci and a sister, Catherine Luczko of Johnstown. Mr. Finch was a retired employee with Eastern Gas & Fuel Coal Co. with 45 years service. He was a member of Colver Local 860, UMWA. Friends were received at the Matevish & Matevish Funeral Home in Ebensburg where wake service was held Tuesday. Funeral Mass was celebrated Wednesday, May 9, at Holy Family Catholic Church, Colver, by the Rev. James B. Coveney. Interment followed in Holy Name Cemetery, Ebensburg. (The Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, May 16, 1990).

**FINCH, Mike F.**

Mike F. Finch, Jr., 71 of Smokerun died Thursday afternoon July 22, 1999 at his home, following a brief illness. He was born April 21, 1928, in Smokerun, the son of the late Mike F. and Mary (Zonza) Finch Sr. He married Mary Kashien April 16, 1951, at St Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey. Mr. Finch was a member of Christ The King Church, Houtzdale. He retired as foreman from Associated Drilling, Osceola Mills. Mr. Finch served in the Army during the Korean War. He enjoyed gardening and fishing. Mr. Finch was a member of the Freeberg American Legion Post, Houtzdale; the Stephen Kandrach Veterans of Foreign War Post, Smithmill; the Croatian Club, Smokerun; the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Bellwood; and Loyal Order of the Moose, Madera. Surviving are his wife; two daughters Donna Bungo of Harrisburg and Linda Franchock of Stormstown; a son Michael of Smokerun; a sister Marion Hayward of Osceola Mills; two brothers Walter of Lancaster and Sylvester of Smokerun; and four grandchildren. Friends will be received from 7-9 p.m. today and 2-4pm and 7-9pm Sunday and 8 to 9:30 am Monday at Kruse Funeral Home, Inc., Madera. Interment will be made in Houtzdale. (Altoona Mirror, Altoona, PA, July 24, 1999, Page A 11)

**FISHER, Nancy J. (Cook)**

FISHER – Nancy J. (Cook), 62, Central City, died June 3, 2009. Born Sept. 20, 1946, the daughter of Joseph J. and Eva (Kaniuk) Cook. Preceded in death by father. Survived by mother; children: Douglas (Gail), Central City; Annette (Terry), Schellsburg; and William J. (Mellissa) and Shannon (Theresa), both of Central City; and 10 grandchildren. Sister of Helen (Noel) Smith, Carlisle; Marion (David) Yock, Central City; John (Jackie) Cook, Stoystown; Katherine (William) Mihelcic, Cairnbrook; and Karl (Misty) Cook, Central City. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. Saturday at Mulcahy Funeral Home, Central City. Service will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday at Central City Assembly of God, Pastor John Jackson, officiating. Committal, Daley Cemetery. (Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA June 6, 2009)

**FLUTE, Herman E**

Herman E. Flute, 61 of 51 Pine Street, Heilwood, passed away Sunday April 5, 1964 in Indiana Hospital. A son of Achille and Augusta Richards Flute he was born November 8, 1902 in Belgium. Mr. Flute was a member of St. Peter and Paul Greek Catholic Church Heilwood and the following organizations: UMWA Local 7091, Heilwood; Heilwood Local 7091, Heilwood Slovak Club; Heilwood Sportsmens Association and the Tri County Beagle Club. Survivors include his wife Catherine Washic Flute; three daughters Mrs Steve (Augusta) Kochman, Clymer; Mrs. Raymond (Susan) Lindahl, Heilwood;

Miss Eleanor Flute, at home: one sister Mrs. August Dufour, Glen Richey, Pa. two brothers Adonis Flute Poland, OH and Joseph Flute Belgium; seven grandchildren. Friends will be received at the Bence Funeral Home, Clymer after 7 pm, this evening where short prayer services will be conducted at 9 30 am Wednesday followed by Divine Liturgy in St. Michael's Greek Catholic Church, Clymer, Very Rev. Father Andrew K. Kertis, celebrant Interment will be in the church cemetery. (Indiana Evening Gazette, Indiana, PA, April 1964)

**FORENSKY, Anna (Swistock)**

Anna Forensky of Whitehall Township Anna Forensky, 87, of Presidential Drive, Whitehall Township, died July 3, 2003, in Kirkland Village, Bethlehem. She was the wife of the late A. Adam Forensky. A daughter of the late Harry Swistock and Mary (McClevich) Swistock Plishko, she was born in Houtzdale, Clearfield County. Survivors include a son, Dr. James P. of Punta Gorda, Fla.; a daughter, Denise A. Kolisek of Whitehall; brothers, Peter and Alex, both of Houtzdale; a sister, Christina Makatam of Hollidaysburg, Blair County; a half sister, Magdalene Peckowycz of Altoona, Blair County; and three grandchildren. Arrangements by Burkey & Driscoll Funeral Home, Hamburg.

**FORISH, Grace**

State File Number: 13487, Name: FORISH, GRACE , Sex: Unknown, Race: White, Death Date: June 13, 1983, Age: 57 Years, Place of Death: Bridgeport, , Connecticut, Place of Birth: , Non-Western Hemisphere, Marital Status: Widowed, Decedent's Last Spouse: JOSEP, Education: , Residence of Decedent: Bridgeport, , Connecticut, Address of Residence: 17, LITTLE ST, 06604, Father's Surname: VARCHOLAK, Occupation: BENCH WORK, Industry Where Decedent Worked:, BPT METAL GDS CO.

**FUDROW - Mary (Yope)**

FUDROW - Mary (Yope) Fudrow, 101, of Smithmill, passed away Tuesday, October 18, 2016 in Epworth Manor, Tyrone. Born on October 12, 1915 in Beccaria, she was the daughter of the late Thomas and Helen (Holobinko) Yope. She was a member of St. Vladimir Orthodox Church. She is survived by three children, Robert (Ethel) Fudrow of Beaver, PA, Joyce (William) Walkup of NY, and Richard (Judith) Fudrow of Blandburg; two sisters, Anne Dore of Smithmill and Susan Vescio of NY; one brother, Joseph Yope of Industry, PA; five grandchildren, ten great-grandchildren, and three great-great-grandchildren. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death her husband Frank Fudrow in 1980; four brothers, William, Thomas, Frank, and John Yope; and one sister, Helen Yope. Family will receive friends Saturday 10 AM until the time of service at 1 PM in Kruse-Spewock Funeral & Cremation Services, Inc., Ramey. Fr. Paul Bigelow will officiate. Interment will follow in St. Vladimir Ukrainian Orthodox Cemetery. Condolences may be made at [www.kruse-spewock.com](http://www.kruse-spewock.com)

**FULGINITI, Mrs. Helen C. (Warholic)**

FULGINITI--Mrs. Helen C. Warholic Fulginiti, 71, Houtzdale, died Tuesday March 4, 1997, at Elk Haven Nursing Home, St. Marys. She was born October 23, 1925, in Smithmill, the daughter of the late Wasco and Kathryn (Kost) Warholic. She married

Bruno Fulginiti. He died January 28, 1973. Mrs. Fulginiti was a homemaker and enjoyed literature and writing. Surviving are two sons: Michael C. of St. Marys and Thomas F. of Euclid, Ohio; a daughter, Angela Whited of Fallentimber; two brothers: Metro of Smithmill and Michael of Whiteside, Houtzdale R.D.; three sisters: Ann Laskowski of Sweickley, Mary Slipko of Ambridge and Estella Horton of Stanford, Conn.; and three grandchildren. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 pm Friday and 8 to 10 am Saturday at Kruse Funeral home, Ramey. Internment will be made in Ramey. (from Joanne Kennedy).

**FUNK, Kathleen H. "Kathy" (Heresco)**

Kathleen H. Funk passed away 12/26/2017. Kathy is survived by her husband Tom of 48 years and two grand children. She had one daughter who died in 2015 at the age of 41. She was born Colver Pa. a small coal town in Western Pa. on May 31, 1945. She and her new husband of two years moved to Aurora in 1971. Kathy was very involved in local politics and served as the Aurora Republican Womans Club president for several terms. She also worked for the Arapahoe County Election Commission until her retirement in 2003. A funeral mass will be held on Thursday, Jan. 11, 2018 at 10:30 at St. Michael the Archangel Church, 19099 E. Floyd Ave., Aurora, CO 80013. A Remember Kathy reception will be held at the church after mass. Interment will be at Ft. Logan National Cemetery, 4400 W. Kenyon Ave., Denver, CO 80236. In lieu of flowers, if you wish, make a donation to Childrens Hospital, 13123 E. 16th Ave., Aurora, CO 80045. Please share condolences at [HoranCares.com](http://HoranCares.com)  
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**FUNK-KUMNICK, Karen Elizabeth (FUNK)**

Karen Elizabeth Funk-Kumnick, age 41, passed away February 15, 2013. She was born in Englewood, Colorado on September 4, 1971 to Tom and Kathy (Heresco) Funk. She is survived by her parents, husband Kary; children Madison and Mason and a host of loving friends and family. Karen's family will receive friends on Friday, February 22 from 5:00 to 8:00 in the evening at Horan & McConaty Family Chapel, 11150 E. Dartmouth Ave., (at Parker Rd) in Aurora. A funeral service for Karen will be held on Saturday, February 23, 2013 at 10:00 in the morning also at the funeral home. Burial to follow at Fairmount Cemetery in Denver. In lieu of flowers memorial contributions are suggested to the Karen Kumnick Memorial Fund, c/o American National Bank, acct. 1900228269. Share condolences at [HoranCares.com](http://HoranCares.com)



**GARABEDIAN, Margaret (Nedrich)**

Margaret Garabedian Dies in New York Mrs. Margaret (Nedrich) Garabedian of Westbury. Long Island, N.Y., formerly of Nanty Glo, died at 1 a.m. May 30, 1973, at Nassau Hospital, Mineola, Long Island, N.Y. Mrs. Garabedian, who was 47, was born Nov. 22, 1925 in Madera, Clearfield County, the daughter of John Sr. and Mary (George) Nedrich. She was preceded in death by her parents and two brothers, Joseph, and Nick. Surviving are her husband, Charles and two children, Charles Jr. and Gail both at home.

Also surviving are these brothers and sisters; Alex and Michael both of Nanty Glo, Pete, Conemaugh RD1, William and John Jr. both of Cleveland, O., Mrs. Ann Ziegler, Mrs. Mary Mayer, and Mrs. Susan Semrad all of Long Island, N.Y., Mrs. Katherine Wojtaszek, Pittsburgh. Mrs. Garabedian was a graduate of the former Nanty Glo High School. Friends were received at the Kelly Funeral Home, and funeral service was held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Church of the Advent in Westbury. Burial followed in Port Washington, Long Island. (The Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, June 6, 1973)

**GARBER, Margaret J (Warholic)**

Margaret J. Garber, 87, of Sykesville, died Thursday, Sept. 5, 2013, at home, due to a stroke. Born Aug. 5, 1926, in Donora, Pa., she was the daughter of the late Michael and Katherine Gromgo Warholic. She was the wife of Joseph Patrick Garber, her husband of 63 years. She had worked in claims with the Social Security Administration. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Community in Eldersburg. She enjoyed craftwork and was especially known for making Ukrainian eggs. Surviving, in addition to her husband, are daughter and son-in-law Beverly and Jeff Brinkley, of Eldersburg; a sister, Nell Warholic; and several brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nieces and nephews. Family links: Spouse: Joseph Patrick Garber (1926 - 2014)\*

**GARBINSKY, Anna M (Gudzan)**

AMBRIDGE - Divine liturgy of Christian burial for Mrs. Anna M. Garbinsky, 93, of 965 Ridge Road, Ambridge, and formerly of Houtzdale, who died Sunday, June 15, at Beaver Valley Geriatric Center, Beaver, will be said Wednesday at 10 a.m. at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey. The Rev. James Poorman will be celebrant, and interment will follow in the church cemetery. Friends will be received at the Birger A. Freeberg Funeral Home, Houtzdale, today from 2 p.m. until tomorrow at 9:30 a.m., when the procession will leave for the church. Parastas will be said today at 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Born in the Ukraine, Sept. 15, 1892, she was a daughter of John and Fannie Gudzan. She married Wasco Garbinsky, who preceded her in death on Dec. 20, 1956. She was also preceded in death by her parents, one son, one brother and five sisters. Mrs. Garbinsky was a member of St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey, and the ladies auxiliary of the Smithmill VFW post. She is survived by these children: Mrs. Joseph (Mary) Tkatch, Mrs. Patrick (Susan) Hudak and Mrs. Edward (Betty) Caine, all of Ambridge, Mrs. Walter (Kay) Hummel of Zelienople, Mrs. Anna Mock of San Francisco, Calif., Mrs. Michael (Helen) Patkilitzky of Houtzdale, Margaret Nadzak of Tyrone, Mrs. Mildred Miller of Avenelle, N.J., Mrs. Dorothy Gross and Jack, both of Palm River, N.J., and Ugene of Shuldenberg, Texas. Also surviving are 35 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and 28 great-great-grandchildren.

**GARBINSKY, John**

John Garbinsky, 78, of 1005 Short St., Ambridge, died Wednesday March 9, 1983, in Sewickley Valley Hospital, following a brief illness. Born June 6, 1904, in Smith Mill, Pa. son of the late Myron and Theresa Saupp Garbinsky he was a resident of Ambridge the past 55 yrs, a retired employee of the American Bridge Co., Ambridge, where he had 39yrs of service, retiring in 1966. He was the founder and past President of St. Vladimir Ukrainian Orthodox Church; Ambridge, secretary of the UNNA Lodge 108, Ambridge , a

member of UWA branch 5, Ambridge and the UNA branch 276 Ambridge. Surviving are his wife, Kathryn Slipko Garbinsky; a son John M., at home; five grandchildren; five brothers, Michael, Sunrise, Fla; Millard; Upper Marlboro, Md., Joseph, Ft Lauderdale, Fl., Peter Houtzdale Pa, and Daniel, Akron, Oh., and two sisters Mrs. Fred(Ann) Matschner, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Mrs. Michael (Mary) Saupp, Smith Mill, Pa., He was preceded in death by daughter Irene Roman in 1962. Friends will be received today and Friday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. in the John J. Syka Funeral Home, 833 Kennedy Dr., Ambridge, where a service will be conducted Saturday at 9 a.m. followed by a funeral service at St. Vladimir Church at 9:30 a.m. with his pastor the Rev. Father Maxim M. Hanchar, officiating. Interment will be in Sylvania Hills Memorial Park, Daugherty Township. A blessing service (Parastas) will be conducted in the funeral home Fri. at 7:30 p.m.

**GARBINSKY, Kathryn (Slipko)**

Kathryn Garbinsky, 79, of Short Street, Ambridge, died Thursday, Oct 23, 1986 in Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh, following a brief illness. Born July 4, 1907 in Smoke Run, Pa.; daughter of the late Mike and Helen Scukalage Slipko, she was a resident of Ambridge for 60 years; a member of St. Vladimir Ukrainian Church, Ambridge St. Mary's Sisterhood of the church; UNA no. 276, St Nicholas Society and the Ukrainian National Aid Association, Branch no. 108 She was preceded in death by her husband John Garbinsky March 9, 1983 and daughter, Irene Roman, in 1962 Surviving are a son, John M. with who she resided; five grandchildren' three brothers, John Slipko, Bellmore, L. I., NY.,and Charles and George Slipko, both of Ambridge and two sisters Mary Meshongnek, Rockaway Park, NY and Eva Taszreak, Rossiter, Pa. Friends will be received Saturday and Sunday from 2-4 and 7-9 in the John Syka Funeral Home, Inc. 833 Kennedy Drive, Ambridge, where a service will be conducted Monday at 8 30 a m followed by a Rite of Service in St. Vladimir Othodox Church by rev, Father Amelan Mycyk, her pastor. Interment will follow in Sylvania Hills Memorial Park, Daugherty Township. Parastas will be conducted Sunday at 7 30 pm in the funeral home.

**GARBINSKY, Mary (Macko)**

Mary Garbinsky, 85, passed away Tuesday, June 30, 1998. She was born in Ambridge, Pa., to George and Ann (Voynik) Macko on October 22, 1912, and had been an area resident for many years. Mrs. Garbinsky was preceded in death by grandson, Greg, in 1985. She is survived by sons and daughters-in-law, Robert and Barbara of Naples, Fla., Richard and Louise of Akron; sisters, Wilma Worden of Pittsburgh, Pa., and Anne Hrusko of Ambridge, Pa.; sister-in-law, Eleanor Macko of Baden, Pa.; grandchildren, Steve, Lisa, Bobby (Kathy), Rich (Caroline), Joe (Sandy), and Mark Garbinsky, Donna (Matt) Gruic; and seven great-grandchildren. Funeral service will be held Friday, 9 a.m. at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, 1905 Portage Trail. Interment at Sts. Peter and Paul Cemetery in Ambridge, Pa. The family will receive friends today, 2 to 4 and 6 to 9 p.m. at the Kucko-Anthony-Kertesz Funeral Home, 95 W. Waterloo Rd. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Ridgewood Place Activities Only or Hospice of Medina County. (Kucko-Anthony-Kertesz, 724-1281.) (Posted at 3:18 a.m. EDT Thursday, July 2, 1998 Akron Beacon Journal)



**GARBINSKY, Millard Emil Sr.**

On Tuesday, January 31, 2012, Millard Garbinsky, age 97, died peacefully at his home in Upper Marlboro, Maryland where he resided for over 62 years. His devoted daughter, Rheta Suit, had cared for him for many years. His loving wife of 56 years, Margaret Mary, predeceased him. Millard Garbinsky was born in Janesville, Pennsylvania on January 22, 1915. He proudly served in the Navy during WWII. He owned and operated a barbershop in Upper Marlboro, Maryland for over 40 years. He was an avid fisherman and gardener. He loved doing crossword puzzles. His five children, Mary Sullivan, Linda Mezzapelle, Millard Garbinsky, Jr., Rheta Suit and Janet Jackson, survive him. Nine grandchildren and eleven great grandchildren also survive Millard Garbinsky. Viewing will be held on Friday, February 3, 2012 in St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church in Upper Marlboro, Md from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Mass of Christian Burial will immediately follow. Interment with Military Honors will be held at Maryland Veteran's Cemetery in Cheltenham, MD on Friday, Feb. 10, 2012 at 11 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Heritage of Hope Building Fund. c/o St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church, 14908 Main Street, Upper Marlboro, MD 20772. (The *Washington Post*, Washington, DC February 2, 2012)

**GARBINSKY, Myron**

SMITHMILL-Myron Garbinsky, 74 year old local resident, died at his home here yesterday morning. Born in Austria, Oct. 27, 1874 he came to this country at an early age and had made his home here since that time. He is survived by his widow, Tresia, and the following children; John, Nick, Mike, George and Daniel, all of Ambridge, Pa., Mrs. Frederick Matschner of Pittsburgh, Millard of Upper Marlboro, Md., Joseph of Niagara Falls, N.Y., and Mrs. Mike Saupp and Pete of Smith Mills. One sister, Mrs. Homo of Ramey and two brothers, Wasco and Nick of Detroit, Mich., also survive, along with 15 grandchildren. One son, Charles, preceded him in death three years ago. Funeral services will be conducted from the St. Mary's Greek Catholic Church in Ramey Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. O. Kowalsky will officiate and interment will follow in the church cemetery. Friends may call at the home until time of the service. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, April 23, 1949)

**GARBINSKY, Thaddeus**

Washington Steel retiree was Trinity wrestler  
Thaddeus "Ted" Garbinsky, 85, of Houston, formerly of Washington, died unexpectedly Thursday, May 21, 1998. He was born October 7, 1912, in Washington, a son of Joachan and Josephine Zaworski Garbinsky. Mr. Garbinsky was a lifetime member of Holy Trinity National Catholic Church, Washington. He was a Trinity High School graduate, serving on the first winning wrestling team. He attended classes at Washington & Jefferson College and California University of Pennsylvania and graduated from Trade Unity in Pittsburgh. He worked many years for Washington Steel, retiring as maintenance supervisor in 1975. He enjoyed hunting and fishing. Mr. Garbinsky was a lifetime member of Anawanda Canonsburg Sportsman and Amateur Trapshooting Association and a 50-year member of the Moose Club of Washington. On October 2, 1939, in Winchester, Va., he married Stella Rasefske, who survives. Also surviving are several nieces and nephews. He was the last of his immediate family. Deceased are two

brothers, Steve and John Garbinsky; four sisters, Mary Garbinsky, who died in infancy, Viola Bober, Frances Kalich and Sophie Abbas. (Observer-Reporter, Washington, PA, Saturday, May 23, 1998)

**GAVLAK, Albert C.**

Mechanicsburg- Albert C. Gavlak, 59, of Mechanicsburg died Tuesday, Sept 25, 2001 at Hershey Medical Center. He was a 1960 graduate of Moshannon Valley High School and held a degree in electronic engineering. Mr. Gavlak retired in 1993 from IBM and was an employee of the Naval Depot. He was a US Army veteran and was a member of the American Motorcyclist Assoc. He is survived by his wife; Judy (Waite) Gavlak; two sons, Allan and Chris, both of Mechanicsburg, his mother, Mary Warholic Gavlak of Houtzdale; three brothers Joseph of Houtzdale, Robert of Madera and Ronald of Huntingdon; and two sisters Mary Murawski of Houtzdale and Joanne Lazeration of Exeter, NJ. Mr. Gavlak was preceded in death by his father, Joseph and a brother Michael. A mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at St. Joseph's RC in Mechanicsburg. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to the church building fund. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, Oct 2, 2001, pg.16)

**GAVLAK, Mary (Warholic)**

HOUTZDALE – Funeral services for Mary Gavlak, 98, of Houtzdale will be held Monday, Oct.20, 2008, at 10:30 a.m. at Christ the King Catholic Church, Houtzdale, with the Rev. Father Gregory Kirsch officiating. Mrs. Gavlak died Friday, Oct. 17, at home. Interment will be at Sacred Heart Cemetery, Brisbin. Friends will be received Sunday, Oct. 19, from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. at Birger A. Freeberg Funeral Home Inc. Houtzdale. The rosary will be recited by Christ the King Catholic Church Altar Society at 3:30 p.m. and the Rev. Kirsch will hold a Vigil Prayer Service at 8:45 p.m., both Sunday, Oct 19, at the funeral home. Born Nov. 21, 1909, at Windber, she was a daughter of Basilius and Catherine (Bilesz) Warholic. Mrs. Gavlak was a Catholic by faith and was a member of Christ the King Catholic Church and Christ the King Church Altar and Rosary Society. She was a homemaker. On Feb. 3, 1934, at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, she wed Joseph Michael Gavlak, who preceded her in death. Mrs. Gavlak is survived by five children, Marie and her husband, Charles Murawski, Joseph Gavlak and his wife, Jeanette, Robert Gavlak and his wife Pam, and Ronald Gavlak, all of Houtzdale, and Joanna and her husband Paul Lazeration, of Linden, N.J.; 14 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren, two daughters-in-law, Judy (Waite) Gavlak of Mechanicsburg and Joyce (Waite) Gavlak of Brisbin; and a number of nieces and nephews. She was the last of her generation. In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents; two sons, Michael and Albert; one grandson, Steven Murawski; four brothers, John, Charles, Harry and George; two sisters, Anna Laskosky and Nancy Swistock. Memorial contributions can be made to Clearfield Home Health and Hospice.

**GAVLAK, Robert S.**

Robert S. Gavlak, 73, of Houtzdale was called to be with the Lord on Sunday, Oct. 6, 2013 at 7:37 PM at his home with his loved ones at his side. Bob was born on July 2, 1940 at Woodward Twp. a son of the late Joseph and Mary (Warholic) Gavlak. He graduated from the former Houtzdale Woodward Brisbin High School in 1958 and served

in the U.S. Marine Corps from 1958 - 1964. Bob retired as a heavy equipment mechanic from Beckwith Machinery, now Cleveland Brothers. Bob was a parishioner of St. Francis Catholic Church, Clearfield. He was a member of the International Union of Engineers, Local 66 for over 40 years; a member of the American Legion Freeberg Post #591, Houtzdale and the VFW Post 3450, Philipsburg, he was a former officer and member of the Morann Rod and Gun Club, Morann. On Sept. 20, 2008, Bob married Pam (Reitmyer) Gavlak who survives at home. They renewed their wedding vows on Sept. 20, 2013 at St. Francis Catholic Church, Clearfield. Bob and Pam shared a life together for 28 years. Bob is survived by daughters, Tina Reed and her husband Dave of Olanta and Deborah Freeland and her husband Todd of Clearfield; a son, Robert S. Gavlak, II of Houtzdale; a step daughter, Renee Anderson and her husband Todd of Madera and 10 grandchildren. He is survived by two sisters and two brothers, Marie Murawski and her husband Charles of Houtzdale, Joanna Lazeration of Linden, NJ, Joseph Gavlak and his wife Jeanette of Houtzdale and Ronald Gavlak of Houtzdale; two sister-in-laws, Joyce and Judy Gavlak; his mother-in-law, Rose Reitmyer; and a number of nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, Bob was preceded in death by two brothers, Michael and Albert Gavlak; an infant sister; a brother-in-law, Paul Lazeration and his father-in-law, James Reitmyer. Bob was an avid hunter and fisherman and was a strong loving man. Friends will be received on Thursday, Oct. 10 from 1-4 and 6-9 PM and on Friday, Oct. 11 from 8 - 9 AM at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc, Madera. A Military Memorial Service will be held on Thursday at 7:00 PM in the funeral home by the American Legion Freeberg Post 591. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Friday, Oct. 11 at 10:00 AM in St. Francis Catholic Church, Clearfield with Msgr. H. Desmond McGee, Jr. as celebrant. Memorial donations may be made to Clearfield Hospital Hospice. Condolences may be sent to: [condolences@krusefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@krusefuneralhome.com).

**GENESI, Mary (Muhaw)**

Mrs. Mary (Muhaw) Genesi, 87, of Smithmill, passed away Thursday, April 16, 2009 at 10:14 AM at Ridgeview Elder Care Rehabilitation Center, Curwensville, PA. Mrs. Genesi was born on Aug. 9, 1921 in Beccaria a daughter of the late Nicholas and Anna (Lashinsky) Muhaw. She was a homemaker and a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey. On Feb. 11, 1939 in Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey she married David "Dan" Genesi who preceded her in death on Jan. 4, 2003. Surviving are four sons; James Genesi and his wife Nancy of Smithmill, Ronald Genesi and his wife Ginger of Houtzdale, John Genesi and his wife Stella of Bellwood, and Daniel Genesi and his wife Charlotte of Irvona. She is also survived by 7 grandchildren; Tammy Fox and her husband Barry, Ron Genesi, Jr., Brian Genesi and his wife Nicole, Angie Genesi, Andrea Genesi, Deanna Genesi and Shelly Woods. Four great grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews also survive. Three sisters also survive; Catherine Viscelli of Florida, Eva Prementine of Ohio, Ann Lefebure of Smithmill. Along with her parents and husband, Mrs. Genesi was preceded in death by eight brothers, John, Metro, Mike, Wasco, Steve, Nick, Sam and Joe. A private visitation for family members will be held on Sunday from 6-8 PM at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc. Ramey. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated Monday, April 20 at 10:00 AM in Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Ramey, with Fr. Zab Amar as celebrant. Interment will follow in Holy Trinity Catholic Cemetery, Ramey. Memorial donations may be made to the American Diabetes

Association 3544 North Progress Ave Suite 101 Harrisburg, PA 17110. Condolences may be sent to: [condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com) (kruisefuneralhome.com)

**GMEREK, Raymond J., Sr**

Raymond J. Gmerek, Sr, 74, Philipsburg, passed away at 7:40 PM, Tuesday, May 22, 2012 at his residence. He was born July 5, 1937 at Morann, a son of the late Maxemilian and Elizabeth (Mick) Gmerek. Raymond was a parishioner of Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church, Philipsburg and retired as a laborer from J.H. France Refectories, Snow Shoe after 35 years services. On Nov. 27, 1964 in St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Ramey, he married Gloria Jean (Warholic) Gmerek who survives of Philipsburg. Raymond is survived by four children; Raymond J. Gmerek, Jr, of Bellefonte;



Bryan L. Gmerek and his wife Debbie of Woodland; Charles A. Gmerek of State College; and Rayleen M. Riley and her husband Steve of Osceola Mills. He is also survived by 5 grandchildren; Jessica Gmerek, Ryan Gmerek, Emily Gmerek, Erica Gmerek and Kian Riley. Raymond is survived by two sisters and a brother; Barbara Moore and her husband Don of State College; Dianna Kitko and her husband Andrew of Newport, MI; and Rev. Fr. Ronald Gmerek of Erie. Numerous nieces and nephews also survive. In addition to his parents, Raymond was preceded in death by a brother, Maxemilian Gmerek and a sister, Shirley Gmerek. Friends will be received on Friday, May 26, from 3-5 and 7-9 PM and on Saturday, May 25 from 8-9 AM at the Kruise Funeral Home, Inc, Ramey, PA. Fr. Robert J. Kelly and Fr. Ronald Gmerek will concelebrate a Mass of Christian Burial on Saturday, May 26, at 10:00 AM in Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church, Philipsburg. Interment will follow in Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Cemetery, Philipsburg. Condolences may be sent to: [condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@kruisefuneralhome.com).

**GONDER, George**

Smithmill – George Gonder of 103 Brookfield Ave., Masury, Ohio, died at 2:30 a.m. Friday in the Sharon General Hospital following a short illness. He was a former resident of Smithmill. He was born in the Ukraine May 10, 1878, a son of Theodore and Marie (Pliszka) Gonder and was a retired coal miner. He moved to Masury from Smithmill four years ago. His wife, the former Marie Wasytko, died in 1937. He is survived by nine sons and three daughters: Nick, Bellwood; Frank, Tyrone; Metro, New Kensington; Sam and Michael, Hubbard, Ohio; Andrew and Wasco, Masury, Ohio; George Jr., Fowler, Ohio; John, Denver, Colo.; Mrs. Margaret Johnson, Hubbard, Ohio; Mrs. Mary Chomos, Masury, Ohio; and Mrs. Eva Landgoss, West Virginia. He also leaves 23 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be Monday at 11 a.m. from St. Valadimar's Orthodox Church in Smithmill. Interment will follow in the church cemetery at Ramey. Friends may call at the Buranovosky Funeral Home in Ramey from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, March 30, 1974)

**GONDER, Samuel, Sr.**

Hubbard—Samuel Gonder Sr., 84, died Monday morning, Jan. 1, 2007 at his residence. He was born Aug. 28, 1922 in Smithmill, Pa., a son of George and Mary Wasytko Gonder, and lived in Hubbard for more than 60 years. Mr. Gonder worked at GATX in

Masury for 30 years, retiring in 1970. He was a member of St. Patrick Church in Hubbard and VFW Hubbard Post No. 3767. He was a U.S. Army Air Corps veteran, having served during WWII. Sam enjoyed hunting, fishing, gardening and canning peppers. His wife, the former Edith Angelo, whom he married in 1944, died Dec. 12, 2003. He leaves two sons, Samuel (Marianne) Gonder Jr. and David (Cathy) Gonder, both of Hubbard; a daughter, Mary Jane (Gary) Dattilo of Hubbard; two brothers, Andrew Gonder of Masury and Frank Gonder of Tyrone, Pa.; two sisters, Mary Chomas of Masury and Peg Johnson of Florida; eight grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. Besides his wife he was preceded in death by his parents; a son, Edward Gonder; six brothers, Mike, George, John, Wasko, Metro and Nick; and three sisters, Anna, Eva and Helen. Friends and family may call from 10 to 11 a.m. Friday at the Kelly-Robb Funeral Home, where there will be 11 a.m. funeral services. Please visit [www.kelley-robb.com](http://www.kelley-robb.com) to view this obituary and send condolences. (Youngstown Vindicator, Youngstown, OH, January 3, 2007)

**GRECEK, Martha (Ostinowsky-Cocho)**

Martha Grecek, Nanty Glo, Dies

Martha (Ostinowsky) Grecek, 57, of 1246 Third St., Nanty Glo, died Apr. 19, 1976 at Memorial Hospital. Born Feb. 7, 1919, in Smoke Run, she was a daughter of Andrew Ostinowsky and Anna (Sitch) Ostinowsky - Cocho. She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother, John. Surviving are her husband, John Sr., and two sons, John Jr., married to the former Patricia Stepien, Nanty Glo, and Daniel, married to the former Lesley Tuomala, Fairview Park, O. Also surviving are two grandchildren, stepfather, Andrew Cocho, Nanty Glo R.D. 1; brother, Michael Sr., married to the former Mary Kuhar, Twin Rocks and sisters, Catherine, wife of Paul Sabonya and Pauline Sekerak, both of Nanty Glo R. D. She was a member and past secretary of the Altar and Rosary Society of St. Nicholas Greek Catholic Church in Nanty Glo. Friends were received at the Richard D. Ondrizek Funeral Home on Cardiff Road. Parastas was sung at the funeral home Wednesday evening. Divine Liturgy was celebrated at 9 a.m. Thursday at St. Nicholas Church by Rev. Father John Petro. Burial followed in St. Charles Cemetery, Twin Rocks. (Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, May 5, 1976)

**GRIFFIN, John Garland Sr.**

John Garland Griffin Sr., 90, of Suffolk, Va., passed away Jan. 20, 2009. He was born in Nansemond County, the son of the late Annie Viola Harrell Griffin and Benjamin Ocie Griffin. He was a U. S. Navy veteran, having served during World War II. He later went on to become the owner and operator of J. Garland Griffin & Son Custom Cabinets. Garland was a member of Providence United Methodist Church and the Gray Memorial Class. He served as a former teacher, past president, and past Sunday school superintendent. He was a lay leader and participated in various committees as well as the choir. Garland is survived by his wife of 64 years, Barbara Clark Griffin, of Suffolk, Va.; sons and daughters-in-law, John Garland Griffin Jr. and Patricia A. Griffin, of Kilmarnock, Va., Larry Clark Griffin and Helen M. Griffin, of Suffolk, Va., Richard "Dicky" Griffin and Patricia A. Griffin, of Hartfield, Va.; five grandchildren, Karen Leonard and husband Chris, Kimberly Warholak and husband Brian, Rick Griffin, Ben Griffin, and Libby Griffin; great-grandchild, Emmy Grace Leonard; numerous special nieces and nephews. A funeral service will be held Friday, Jan. 23, 2009 at 2 p.m. at

Providence United Methodist Church with the Rev. Lisa Blackmonson and the Rev. Hank Teague officiating. Burial will follow at Nansemond Suffolk Cemetery with military honors. Friends may join the family Thursday evening from 7-9 p.m. at Parr Funeral Home & Crematory, 3515 Robs Drive, Suffolk, Va. Memorial contributions may be made to Providence United Methodist Church Memorial or General Fund at 3105 Providence Road, Suffolk, VA 23434. Condolences may be registered online at [www.parrfuneralhome.com](http://www.parrfuneralhome.com). ( <http://www.suffolknewsherald.com/obits/2009/jan/22/john-griffin-sr/>)

**GUDZAN, Anna (Pollick)**

JANESVILLE - Divine Liturgy will be sung at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Vladimir Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Smithmill, for Anna Gudzan, 93, of Janesville and a guest of Mountain Laurel Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Clearfield, who died at 1:45 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 12, 2000, at the center. Fr. George Hnatko will officiate. Interment will be at the church cemetery, Beulah. Friends will be received at Kruise Funeral Home Inc., Ramey, from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Friday. Parastas will be sung at 8 P.M. Friday, at the funeral home with Fr. Hnatko. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to St. Vladimir Ukrainian Church, Smithmill, Pa. 16680. Born March 15, 1906, in Janesville, she was a daughter of Nick and Pauline (Dynianchyk) Pollick. Mrs. Gudzan was a homemaker. She was a member of St. Vladimir Ukrainian Orthodox Church and the Sisterhood of St. Vladimir Ukrainian Orthodox Church. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Andrew (Christine) Nakonechny of Paramus, N.J., Mrs. Michael (Anne) Bak of Surf City, N.J., and Mrs. Julian (Mary) Grooms of Charleston, S.C.; five grandchildren and nine great- grandchildren. Also surviving are a brother and three sisters, Frank Pollick of Smithmill, Marie Nalesnik of Bayonne, N.J., Mrs. Joseph (Helen), Kohut of Newton Falls, Ohio, and Mrs. Anthony (Nancy) Korinchak of St. Michaels; and a number of nieces and nephews, She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Stanko Gudzan, who died on Sept. 8, 1987; two sons, Charles and John; five brothers, Harry, Alex, Charles "Wasco," Mike and Metro; and two sisters Eva, and Kate. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA).

**GUDZON, William**

Services Set for William Gudzon, 100

BELMEADE - William Gudzon, 100, of Belmeade, and formerly of Ginter, died Saturday, Aug. 16, 2003, in Belmeade. Born Jan. 14, 1903, in Somerset, he was a son of Anna (Lashinsky) and Andrew Gudzon. Mr. Gudzon retired in 1962 from General Motors assembly line. He is survived by a brother, George Gudzon of Houtzdale; and numerous nieces and nephews. Mr. Gudzon was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Rose Zavaldriga; three sisters, Anna Lazeration, Sue Shedlock and Catherine Wasilko; and two brothers, Michael Gudzon and Frank Gudzon. Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church, Philipsburg, with Father Robert J. Kelly as celebrant. Interment will be at Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Cemetery, Philipsburg. Friends will be received from 2-6 p.m. Tuesday at Reed Funeral Home, Houtzdale. A Christian Vigil service will be held at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, August 16, 2003).

**HALLMAN, Mary (Lawrosky)**



Hobart, IN - Mary Hallman, age 95, a Hobart resident for 63 years and formerly of Tolleston, passed away June 7, 2011. Mary worked at Portage High School for 11 years, was a member of Our Lady of Sorrows Church in Valparaiso and the Altar and Rosary Society, and the Ladies Saxon

**MARY HALLMAN HOBART, IN**

Mary Hallman, age 95, a Hobart resident for 63 years and formerly of Tolleston, passed away June 7, 2011. Mary worked at Portage High School for 11 years, was a member of Our Lady of Sorrows Church in Valparaiso and the Altar and Rosary Society, and the Ladies Saxon Lodge, Branch 40. She loved shopping. Mary was preceded in death by her husband, William; parents: Mary and John Lawrosky; sister, Helen Martin; and son-in-law, Leo J. Wilacky. She is survived by son, Dwayne W. "Jake" (Linda) Hallman of Portage; daughters: Betty Jean Wilacky of Portage and Cheryl (Horst) Scheller of Valparaiso; sister, Alice Hudson of Jay, FL; and numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren. Special thanks from Mary's family to her caregivers and hospice. Funeral services will be held Saturday, June 11, 2011 beginning at 9:15 a.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 701 E. 7th Street, Hobart, IN to Our Lady of Sorrows Church, 356 W. 700 N, Valparaiso, for a 10:00 a.m. Mass of Christian Burial with Rev. John Zemelko officiating. Interment at Graceland Cemetery. Friends may visit with the family on Friday from 2:00-8:00 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home (Hobart). [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com)

**HALUSZCZAK, Bernadine (Terpack)**

Bernadine Haluszczak, 77, of Robinson Township died Sunday, Dec. 26, 1999 at Atrium I Nursing Research and Rehabilitation Center. She was born Aug. 27, 1922 in Elmora, Pa., a daughter of the late parents John and Mary Terpack. She was preceded in death by two husbands, Michael Haluszczak and William Olivani; sister Margaret Biernacki; and brothers Francis "Buddy" Terpack and John Terpack. Mrs. Haluszczak worked for several years as the manager of food preparation at Servomation Corp. in Robinson Township. She then went on to work for and eventually retire from Saint Clair Hospital's linen department. Surviving are her children, Beverly Abbot of Robinson, Michael W. Haluszczak of Moon Township, Carol Milletary of Sterling, Va., Bill Olivani of Kennedy Township, and Barbara Terabasso of Robinson; sisters Stella Turko of Texas and Dorothy Warholak of Carnegie; brothers Bernard Terpack and Michael Terpack, both of Robinson; 15 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Friends were received at Joseph M. Somma Funeral Home in Robinson. A funeral Mass was held at Holy Trinity Church with the Rev. William J. Scholz officiated. Interment is in Holy Souls Cemetery. (Coraopolis Record, Coraopolis, PA, Jan 22, 1999).

**HAMA, Margaret A (Warholic)**

Margaret A. Hama (nee Warholic), 84 of Sheffield Lake, formerly of Lakewood, passed away, Saturday, September 14, 2013 at Kingston of Vermilion, following a long illness. Mrs. Hama was born, February 21, 1929 in Hickory Hills, Luzerne County, PA and had lived in Sheffield Lake the past 50 years. Mrs. Hama was a 1947 graduate of Lakewood High School and a homemaker dedicated to caring for her family. She was described by her family as "The best cook on the planet" who could make an "awesome apple pie".

She was a member of St. Thomas the Apostle Church, Sheffield Lake. She enjoyed flower gardening, crocheting and watching baseball and both college and professional football on television. Mrs. Hama is survived by two sons, Dave Hama of Sheffield Lake and Ken Hama (Carla) of Amherst and two grandchildren Brian and Andrea. She is preceded in death by her husband Frank S. whom she married in 1952 and passed away in 1979 and her parents Harry and Mary (nee Stanek) Warholic. She is also preceded in death by siblings John, Mike, Anne, Sue and Verna. Friends may call at the Busch Funeral Home, 163 Avon-Belden Rd., Avon Lake, Tuesday, September 17, 2013 from 5 to 9 P.M. A prayer service will be at the funeral home Wednesday, September 18, 2013 at 9:15 A.M. followed by the Mass of Christian Burial at St. Thomas Church, 715 Harris Rd., Sheffield Lake, at 10 A.M. Fr. Stephen Shields of the Church will officiate. Interment will follow at Holy Cross Cemetery, Brook Park.

**HANCHARIK, Anna (Kaniuk)**

HANCHARIK – Anna, 92, Everett, formerly of Cairnbrook, died Jan. 12, 2009. Born May 12, 1916, in McDonalton, daughter of Charles and Rosalie Kaniuk. Preceded in death by parents; husband, John; daughter, Evelyn Wells; sisters, Mary Dubil, Katherine Beechan, Nancy Trosky and Magdelan Semenik; and brothers, Alex, John and Nicholas. Survived by loving daughters: Annette Grosshans, Bedford, and Nancy Jean, wife of John Michael McClellan, Everett; grandchildren: Steven (Linda) Grosshans, State College, and DeeAnn (Todd) Sacco and Gregory (Tresa) Grosshans, both of Virginia; great-grandchildren: Cory, Taylor, Lauryn and Matthew; sisters: Rose Moore and Helen (Michael) Hancher, both of Central City; brother-in-law, Fred Semenik, Cairnbrook; and godson, Michael Hancher. Anna was a lifelong member of St. Mary's Russian Orthodox Church, Central City, and a member of the Ladies Altar Society. In her younger years, she worked as a housekeeper in New York City and Cleveland. She will be remembered forever by many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews and friends for her wonderful, loving care and kindness, especially by her special boys, Tom and Ryan Wilk. She loved to cook, bake and take care of children. She was the center of so many happy family gatherings. Anna never tired of having family and neighbors visit and will be sadly missed by those left behind, but heaven will be glad to receive this most precious soul. Friends will be received from 2 to 9 p.m. Thursday at the Mulcahy Funeral Home, Central City, where a brief service will be held at 9 a.m. Friday, followed at 9:30 a.m. by Divine Liturgy at St. Mary's Russian Orthodox Church, the Very Rev. John Govrusik. Committal, parish cemetery. Parastas will be sung at 4 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, family asks donations be made to St. Mary's Building Fund in Anna's memory. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, January 14, 2009)

**HANCHER – Helen Marie (Kaniuk)**

HANCHER – Helen Marie, 84, formerly of Central City, died Aug. 14, 2011, at Bedford Colonial Courtyard. Born March 2, 1927, in Cairnbrook, daughter of Charles and Rosalie (Sullaby) Kaniuk. Preceded in death by parents; husband, Mike, who died Sept. 8, 2010; sisters, Mary Dubil, Katherine Beechan, Nancy Trosky, Magdaline Semenik and Anna Hancharik; and brothers, Nick, Alex and John. Survived by son, Michael, and wife, Judy, Gainesville, Va.; grandchildren, Janessa (Frank) Stancato, Aldie, Va.; Chad Hancher, Centreville, Va.; and Justin Hancher, Laytonsville, Md.; and great-grandchildren, Austin



and Kenslee Stancato. Also survived by sister, Rose Moore, Bedford; and many loving nieces and nephews. Helen loved to cook and bake and take care of her family. She was very kind and always thought of others first. She was a faithful member of St. Mary Byzantine Catholic Church and the parish guild. Friends will be received from 2 to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Mulcahy Funeral Home, Central City, where Parastas will be sung at 7 p.m. A brief service will be held at 9 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home, followed by Divine Liturgy at 10 a.m. at St. Mary Byzantine Catholic Church, Windber, Father Gregory Michalisin. Burial, church cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Mary Byzantine Catholic Church in Helen's memory. The family would like to thank the staff at Bedford Colonial Courtyard and Grace Hospice for their loving care and support.(Tribune Democrat, Johnstown PA, August 16, 2011)

### **HANCHER, Michael "Mike"**

Michael "Mike" Hancher Sr., 90, of Central City, died Wednesday, Sept. 8, 2010, in Bedford. He was born March 23, 1920, to the late George and Kathryn (Kutza) Hancher. Mike was an original member of the 421st Night Fighter Squadron serving in the Pacific during World War II. He worked in coal mining as a miner and foreman until 1971 and then as a federal mine inspector until his retirement in 1981. He was a longtime dedicated member of St. Mary's Byzantine Catholic Church in Windber, and a member of the American Legion, VFW and UMWA in Central City. He enjoyed watching sports and was an avid Pirates, Steelers and Penn State fan. Mike was a devoted husband of 62 years to Helen (Kaniuk) and a loving father to one son, Michael and wife Judy (Rhine), of Gainesville, Va., formerly of Indiana. He dearly loved his grandchildren: Janessa Stancato (Frank), of Aldie, Va.; Chad Hancher, of Centreville, Va.; and Justin Hancher, of Bridgewater, N.J. His greatest joy was recently becoming a great-grandfather to Austin and Kenslee Stancato. He is survived by seven siblings; and many loving nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by four brothers and two sisters. Friends will be received from 2 to 9 p.m. today at the Mulcahy Funeral Home in Central City. A funeral divine liturgy will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Mary's Byzantine Catholic Church, Windber. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Mary's Byzantine Church.

### **HAWKINS, Herbert**

Herbert Hawkins, 82, of Glen Hope, passed away at 9:24 AM, Wednesday, September 28, 2011 at his residence. He was born on Jan. 2, 1929, in Madera a son of the late Edwin and Edith Mae (Wertz) Hawkins. Herb served in the U.S. Navy as a Seaman 2nd Class in WW II and was a 1950 graduate of the former Bigler Twp. High School. He retired as a surveyor for the PA Department of Transportation. Herb was a member and past Master of the Osceola Mills Masonic Lodge #515, he also was a member of the John Branick V.F.W. Post 8822 and the Freeberg American Legion Post 591, Houtzdale. Herb was Democratic Chairman of the Glen Hope Boro. He served on and past president the Glen Hope Boro Council and was past president of Glen Hope Water Company. On Feb. 9, 1951 in Winchester, VA he married Annie Holobinko Hawkins who survives of Glen Hope, he is also survived by seven children; Jean Bebevino and her husband Mark of Algonquin, IL; Mary Elizabeth LeGrand and her husband George of Philipsburg; Herbert Hawkins, Jr and his wife Tina of Morrisdale; Patricia Jenkins and her husband Jeff of Coalport; James Hawkins and his wife Lisa of Glen Hope; Sally Riegel and her husband

William of Glen Hope; and John Hawkins and his wife Susan of Gibsonia. He is survived by 22 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren. Herb is survived by a sister and two brothers, Margaret McKeehen and her husband John of Carlisle; Edward Hawkins of Wilmington, NC; and Gerald Hawkins who made his home with Herb and Annie for the past 28 years. A number of nieces and nephews also survive. Herb was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Agnes Dotts; and 8 brothers, William, Herman, Lee, Harry, Richard, Norman, James and Thomas. Herb loved hunting, gardening, animals and music. He extremely loved his wife, his brother, Gerald, children and grandchildren and all the family times. Herb fought a long battle with heart and kidney disease. Friends will be received on Friday from 2-4 and 6-8 PM and on Saturday, from 9-11 AM at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc Madera. A Masonic Memorial service will be held on Friday in the funeral home. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, Oct. 1 at 11:00 AM in the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc, Madera with Rev. Robert Ford officiating. Interment will follow in the Umbria Cemetery, Osceola Mills. Herb's family request memorial donations be made to the Mo Valley Black & White Mat Club C/O Louis Jacoby 475 Fernwood Rd Ginter, PA 16651. Condolences may be sent to: [condolences@krusifuneralhome.com](mailto:condolences@krusifuneralhome.com)

**HAYWARD, Mary (Tokarchick)**

Houtzdale – Mary Hayward, 68, of Houtzdale R.D. at Clear Haven Nursing Center Sunday, Sept. 4. Born in Parsonville Aug. 6, 1915, she was a daughter of John and Maggie (Lashinsky) Tokarchick. She was married to Raymond Hayward, who preceded her in death Dec. 18, 1981. Also preceding her in death were her parents, one brother and one sister. Mrs. Hayward is survived by a son, Raymond J., and two grandchildren, Amy and Cory, all of Clearfield; a brother, Alex Tokarchick of Houtzdale, and two sisters, Mrs. Peter (Eva) Yazwinski of Brooklyn, N.Y., and Mrs. Willard (Nancy) Martin of Connecticut. Services will be held at the Birger A. Freeburg Funeral Home in Houtzdale tomorrow at 11 a.m. with the Rev. W. Dean Krause officiating. Interment will be in the IOOF Cemetery in Brisbin. Friends will be received at the funeral home today and tonight. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, September 4, 1983)

**HERESCO, Anna (Lishka)**

Mrs. Heresco passed away at her home in Smoke Run Sunday. She was on the sick list for seven weeks when at 10 a.m. she was sitting on a chair in her room when death took her. The bad weather condition held up the funeral until Thursday when she was buried in the Beulah Cemetery. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, February 28, 1936 pg 2)

**HERESCO, Anna (Zolock)**

HERESCO - Anna, 86, 824 West High St., Ebensburg, died Sept. 9, 1995, at Memorial Medical Center, Johnstown. Born Sept. 22 1908, at Elm Grove, Pa. Daughter of Andrew and Mary (Vancsurik) Zolock. Preceded in death by parents; husband, John "Rusty"; infant daughter, Gloria; son-in-law, Paul Lauffer; brothers Mike, John, Andy, Steve; sisters Mary, Helen. Survived by these children: John married to the former Theresa D'Andrea, Nelsonville, Ohio; Steve, married to the former Catherine Mobley, Cresson; George, of British Columbia, Canada; Alice Vasses, Colver; Evelyn, wife of Frank Wainwright, Mesa, Ariz.; Joanie Ledbetter, Plano, Texas; 24 grandchildren, 30 great-grandchildren, six great-great-grandchildren; also a good friend, John "Capt. Jack"

Asashon, Colver. Formerly employed at the Ebensburg Coal Co. Store, Colver, and the Penn-Eben Hotel Ebensburg. Friends received 7 to 9 p.m. Monday and 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday at the Matevish and Matevish Funeral Home, Ebensburg, where Parastas will be sung 7 p.m. Tuesday. Liturgy of Christian Burial at noon Wednesday at the Protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary Ukrainian Catholic Church, Revloc, the Rev. Father Anthony T. Kubacki. Interment, Mt. Herman Cemetery, Ebensburg R.D. 4. (The Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA, September 11, 1995).

### **HERESCO, Charles**

HERESCO, Charles Former Resident Charles Heresco Dies In Millville

Charles W. Heresco, 60, of 201 Court boulevard, Millville, died at his home Tuesday evening after a long period of failing health. He had been seriously ill two years. Mr. Heresco was a former Bridgeton area resident, having lived at RD 1, Bridgeton-Salem pike, 35 years. He formerly operated a grocery store at the Salem pike address 19 years, until two years ago when he moved to Millville. The husband of Mary Wolfe Heresco, he was born in Utahville, Pa., the son of the late Evan and Anna Fox Heresco. The deceased was a veteran of World War II, having served three years in the U.S. Army in the Pacific Theatre. In addition to his wife, he is survived by: two daughters, Miss Charlene Heresco, at home, and Mrs. Charlotte Marich, Quinton Township; two sisters. Mrs. Catherine Vanish, Cold Port, Pa., and Mrs. Anna Guerrai, New York City, and two brothers, Frank Heresco, Meridian, Miss., and John Heresco, Evansburg, Pa. Died Tuesday, November 3, 1970.

### **HERESCO, Frank**

HERESCO, Frank Services for Frank Heresco, Rt. 1, Toomsaba, will be held Tuesday at 11 a.m. in the chapel of Webb Funeral Home. Revs. Ed Grayson and Aubrey McPheeters will officiate, burial to be in the Mt. Gilead Church Cemetery. Heresco died Saturday in Rush Hospital. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Annie Mae Gressett Heresco, Toomsaba; two sons, Frank Heresco, Jr. and Craig Heresco, both of Monroe, Ore.; a daughter Mrs. Deborah Chapman, Cresswell, Ore.; a brother, John Heresco, Ebensburg, Pa.; two sisters, Mrs. Katie Vanish, Coalport, Pa., and Mrs. Anna Guerra, New York State; two step-daughters, Mrs. Grace Thompson and Mrs. Joyce Cummings, both of Meridian. Visitation will be after 5 p.m. today. (Frank Heresco died Saturday March 22, 1975. The Meridian Star, Meridian, MS, March 24, 1975)

### **HERESCO, George**

HERESCO, George, 47, Ebensburg R. D. 2, died Aug. 2, 1951, at home. Born Mar. 9, 1904, in Smoke Run, son of John and Anna (Lesko) Heresco. Survived by widow, former Mary Japa; two daughters -- Irene and Kathleen, both at home; following brothers and sisters: Michael, Bronx, N.Y.; John, Colver; Charles, Bridgton, N.J.; Metro, Pittsburgh; Frank, Calif.; Mrs. Mary Whorlick and Mrs. Catherine Vanish, both of Smoke Run, and Mrs. Anna Marzionne, Bronx, N.Y. Service: 10 a.m. Monday, St. Mary's Greek Catholic Church, Ramey. Interment in church cemetery. Friends received at late home. Arrangements in charge of Matevish Funeral Home, Ebensburg. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, August 4, 1951)

**HERESCO, George**

HERESCO - George, age 72, Westwold, British Columbia, Canada, formerly of Colver, died Aug. 19, 2006, in Vernon, British Columbia. Born April 5, 1934, in Smokerun, son of John and Anna (Zolock) Heresco. Preceded in death by parents; sister, Alice Trovato, and infant sister, Gloria; and brother, John. Survived by wife, Dawne of Westwold, and daughter, Marlo Heresco, Calgary, Alberta, Canada. Brother of Steve, Cresson; Evelyn Wainwright, Mesa, Ariz.; and Joanie Ledbetter, Plano, Texas. Friends received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at Matevish and Matevish Funeral Home, Ebensburg, where Parastas will be sung at 7 p.m. Brief services at the funeral home at 9 a.m. Saturday, followed by funeral Mass at 10 a.m. at Protection of BVM Ukrainian Catholic Church, Revloc, the Rev. Andrew Krasulski. Committal, Mount Hermon Cemetery, Colver. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, August 24, 2006)

**HERESCO, John "Rusty"**

HERESCO, John "Rusty," HERESCO - John "Rusty," 81, Ebensburg R. D. 4, died July 20, 1987, at home. Born March 28, 1906, in Smoke Run, son of John and Ann (Letschko) Heresco. Preceded in death by parents; infant daughter, Gloria; brothers, Frank, Mike, George, Wasco and Metro; and sisters, Fanny, Nancy, Anna and Mary. Survived by widow, former Anna Zolock, and these children: John, married to former Theresa D'Andrea, Nelsonville, Ohio; Steve, married to former Catherine Mobley, Cresson; George, Northwest Territories, Canada; Alice Vasses, Ebensburg; Evelyn, wife of Paul Lauffer, Tonawanda, N.Y.; and Joann, wife of Dave Ledbetter, Plano, Texas; also 20 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Brother of Katie Vanish, Smoke Run. Member of Colver Local 860, UMWA. Retired from Eastern Associated Coal Corp. in 1959, after 44 years of service. Friends . received from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday and from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at Matevish & Matevish Funeral Home, Ebensburg, where Parastas will be sung at 8 p.m. Wednesday. Funeral service at 9 a.m. Thursday at funeral home, followed by Mass at 9:30 a.m. at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, Revloc, the Rev. Oryst M. Balaban. Interment, Mount Herman Cemetery, Ebensburg R. D. 4.

**HERESCO, Mary (Juba)**

Mary Heresco, 87, of Aurora died July 6. Services were July 10, with burial at Olinger Eastlawn Memorial Gardens. Mrs. Heresco was born in Vintondale, PA, on March 13, 1914. She married George Heresco in 1935. She was a homemaker. She was a member of the Aurora Senior Center. Survivors include daughter Kathy Funk of Aurora; three grandchildren; three great grandchildren; and one great great grandchild. (Rocky Mountain News, Wednesday, July 18, 2001)

Mary Heresco, 87, of Aurora, a homemaker, died July 6. Services were July 10 at Olinger Aurora Chase Chapel. Interment was in Olinger Eastlawn Memorial Gardens. She was born March 3, 1914, in Vintondale, PA. On July 25, 1935, she married George Heresco, in Ebensburg, PA. He preceded her in death. She was a member of Aurora Senior Center. Her hobbies were reading, embroidery, gardening and baking. She is survived by a daughter, Kathy Funk, Aurora; three grandchildren; three great grandchildren, and a great great grandchild. (Denver Post/Rocky Mountain News, Sunday July 22, 2001)

**HERESCO, Mike**

New York - Mike Heresco of New York City, a native of Smoke Run, died unexpectedly Sunday morning at 8 o'clock. He was 55 years of age. Mr. Heresco was born in Smoke Run, a son of the late Evan and Ann Heresco. He is survived by his wife, Mary, and two daughters, Margaret and Dorothy. Other survivors are the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Mary Warholic and Miss Catherine Heresco, Smoke Run; John, Colver, Pa; Metro, Pittsburgh; Charles, Bridgton, N.Y.; Anna, New York City and Frank, California. One brother, George, preceded him in death in 1951. Funeral services and burial will be Thursday morning in New York. (The Progress, Clearfield, Pa., July 29, 1958).

HERESCO, Mike New York - Among the survivors of Mike Heresco, 55, of New York City, a native of Smoke Run, was a sister, Mrs. Catherine Vanish of Smoke Run, who was listed incorrectly as Miss Catherine Heresco in yesterday's obituary. Mr. Heresco died Sunday at 8 a.m. Funeral services and interment will be tomorrow morning in New York. (The Progress, Clearfield, Pa., July 30, 1958).

#### **HERESCO, Rachel M. (Hogan)**

Rachel M. Heresco Age 79, of Bloomfield, on Tuesday, August 29, 2000; beloved wife of the late Metro Heresco; mother of Pat Colicchio and the late Charles and Robert Heresco; sister of John Hogan; grandmother of Tammy and Michael Colicchio; Great-grandmother of Vincent Colicchio. Friends will be received Thursday only, 2-4 and 7-9 pm at the Winter Funeral Home, 4730 Friendship Ave. Funeral Friday, 9 am. Mass of Christian Burial, 10 am, in Immaculate Conception Church. (Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, Pittsburgh, PA, Thursday, August 31, 2000, page B-8)

#### **HERESCO, Steve**

HERESCO – Steve, 76, Cresson, died Feb. 12, 2008, at UPMC Shadyside. He is survived by his wife, Catherine (Mobley) Heresco; children, Gloria, Rita, Steve G. (Marge Lear) and Michael J. (Leann Ashburn); six grandchildren; three stepgrandchildren; and a great-granddaughter. At Steve's request, there will be no viewing. Committal, Mt. Herman's Cemetery at the convenience of the family. Arrangements through Dennis C. Beck Funeral Home, Portage. (Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA, February 14, 2008).

#### **HERESCO, Thomas Robert**

Aug. 9, 1986 — Oct. 9, 2015

The adventure began about noon Aug. 9, 1986, in Denver, Colorado. Our beautiful boy was born. Right out of the chute he was an individual. Thomas played by his own rules.



He studied God's word intensely and concluded that God loved him supremely and that God is pure love. That is the message he wanted people to know — God Loves You! Thomas was "bigger than life." When he did something he was all in. As a child Thomas loved the beach, tide pools, his pets and later Kenpo martial arts. Children were always drawn to Thomas as he was a genuine, kind-hearted soul. As an adult he lived a quiet life and was very rich in purpose. He died from a

fall near Beverly Beach on Oct. 9, 2015. Thomas was loved and will be missed by his whole family very much: parents Frank and Kayla Heresco; wonderful sister and brother-in-law Chelsea and Jason Parker; grandmothers Janet Nelson and Barbara Jones; and a

slew of loving cousins, aunts and uncles. A service will be at 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 17, at Zion Lutheran Church, 2745 N.W. Harrison Blvd., Corvallis. All friends of Thomas and the family are welcome. Please share your thoughts and memories for the family at [www.demossturdan.com](http://www.demossturdan.com). Praise God with us as we celebrate this life and remember him always. Corvallis Gazette Times, Corvallis, OR, Oct 14, 2015

**HERSEY, Susan H. (Holobinko)**

Loving mother of Jeremy (Renee), Russell and Ted (Michele); dear daughter of John and Anne Holobinko (both deceased). Family will receive friends at the Family residence Monday, July 14, 2008 12 noon to 1 p.m. at which time Funeral Services will be held. Interment West Richfield Cemetery. Memorials may be made to ACLU, 4506 Chester Ave., Cleveland, Ohio 44103 or the Eastern Orthodox Foundation, P.O. Box 432, 8715 Route 422 Highway E., Penn Run, Indiana, Pa. 15701-0432. Arrangements by Mallchok Funeral Home, (440) 884-9100. [www.cleveland.com/obits](http://www.cleveland.com/obits) (Akron Beacon Journal, Akron, OH, July 13, 2008)

**HESCO, John**

John Hesco, of Nelsonville, Oh., died unexpectedly on Sunday, June 2, 2001 at Doctors Hospital North. Preceded in death by his parents John and Anna Heresco and infant sister Gloria Heresco. Survived by his loving wife of many years, Theresa; children, Kathleen Abate, Grace M. Lowe, Frank Abate, Dominick Abate, Mary Ann (David) White and Nancy Abate; grandchildren and great-grandchildren; brother and sister-in-law, Steve and Katherine Heresco, Cresent, Pa.; sisters and brothers-in-law, Alice and Perry Travato, Pa., Evelyn and Frank Wainwright, Ariz., Joanie Ledbetter, Plaino, Tex. and George Heresco, Alberta, Canada; relatives and friends. He will be sadly missed by all. We all love and miss you so very much, John. Mass of Christian Burial 10 a.m. Saturday, June 9, 2001 at St. Mary Catholic Church, 684 S. 3rd St. Rev. Fr. Mark Hammond, Celebrant. Entombment Holy Cross Cemetery Mausoleum, Pataskala, Oh. Visitation from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. Friday with Prayer Service at 7:30 p.m. at Schoedinger East Chapel, 5360 E. Livingston Ave. (Columbus Dispatch, Columbus, OH)

**HILSHANSKY, George**

HILSHANSKY - George, 90, Central City, died April 10, 2002, in Huntingdon. Born April 19, 1911, in McDonalton, son of Frank and Catherine (Petro) Hilshansky. Preceded in death by parents; brothers, Paul and Mike; and sisters, Mary and Helen. Survived by wife, former Margaret Kokinda-Fetzko; stepchildren, Evelyn, wife of Kent East, Huntingdon and Raymond, married to former Charlene Kovach, Salix; five grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren. Brother of Anna Warchola, Central City; and Catherine Barone, North Carolina. Friends will be received from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday at Mulcahy Funeral Home, Central City, where brief service will be held at 8:30 a.m. Saturday, followed by Divine Liturgy at 9 a.m. at St. Mary's Russian Orthodox Church, the Very Rev. John Govrusik. Interment, parish cemetery. Graveside military rites by Central City VFW and American Legion posts. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, April 12, 2002)

**HOLBINK, Charles**

Holbink, Charles, 73, Warminster, Pa., formerly of South Fork, died April 1, 1975, in Warminster. Born Dec. 17, 1901, in Smithmill, Pa., son of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Holbink. Preceded in death by wife. Survived by these children: Evelyn, wife of Frank Potchak, Warminster; Marianne, wife of Dr. Paul E. Gelles, San Diego, Calif.; and Basil, St. Charles, Md. Was former coal miner. Friends received from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at Andrew E. Serenko Funeral Home, Portage, where Panachida will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday followed by Divine Liturgy at 10 a.m. at St. Michael's Byzantine Rite Catholic Church, South Fork, the Rev. Robert Bayusik. Interment, St. Mary's Cemetery, New Germany. Family requests donations be made to St. Michael's church building fund in lieu of flowers. Rosary at 7:30 p.m. Friday at funeral home. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, April 3, 1975)

#### **HOLBINK, Basil Walter**

Holbink, Basil Walter, 58, died May 4, 1995, in Fairhope, Ala. Born Feb. 27, 1937, in Smith Mills, Pa., son of late Charles and Mary Holbink. Resided in St. Michael from 1938 to 1956 and graduated from Adams High School, Class of 1955. He was a veteran, having served in the U.S. Air Force from 1956-1960. Survived by wife, Mary; sons Charles Edward, Odenton, Md. and Michael Paul, Fairhope, Ala; sisters, Evelyn M. Potchak, Warminster, Pa. and Marianne Gelles, Tumwater, Wash.; also four grandchildren. Graveside funeral service and burial with military honors were held at Arlington National Cemetery. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, July 19, 1995).

#### **HOLBINK, Fred**

Holbink of Nanty Glo R.D. 1 died February 12, 1983, at Lee Hospital. He was 44. A son of Peter and Stella (Kochan) Holbink, he was born Sept. 1, 1938, in Belleville, N.J. He was preceded in death by his father. Surviving are his mother; sister, Dorothy, wife of Raymond McLaughlin, Broomall; and brothers, Robert, Alexandria, Va., and Peter Jr., married to the former Jacqueline Stidham, Nanty .Glo R.D. 1. Several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews also survive. Mr. Holbink was a member of the Greek .Catholic Union Lodge. Friends were received at the Harry R. Ondriezek II Funeral Home in Nanty Glo where Parastas was sung at 8 p.m. Tuesday. Funeral Liturgy was Celebrated at 9 a.m. Wednesday at St. Nicholas Byzantine Catholic Church by Rev. John Kudrick, T.O.R. Burial followed in the church cemetery. (The Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, February 16, 1983)

#### **HOLBINK, Jacqueline D (Stidham)**

Jacqueline D. Holbink -Jacqueline D. Holbink of 153 North St., Nanty Glo (Cardiff), died Thursday, July 1, 1999, at Windber Medical Center following an extended illness. She was 52. Born Feb. 3. 1947, in Alexandria, Va., she was a daughter of James and Betty (Skillman) Stidham. She was preceded in death by her father and brother, James. Surviving are her mother; husband, Peter M., whom she married Nov. 12, 1976, in St. Nicholas of Myra Byzantine Catholic Church, Nanty Glo; daughters, Sonja Stidham, Nanty Glo; Theresa Stillions, Nanty Glo and Christina Stillions, Alexandria, Va.; sons, Fred Stillions Jr., Woodstock Va.; and Robert Jordan, West Virginia. Also surviving are three grand-children; sister, Mary Tyree, Nanty Glo; brother, Craig, Fairfax, Va.; five nieces and three nephews. Mrs. Holbink was a member of St. Nicholas Church, Nanty

Glo where she had been one of the catechism instructors several years ago. Her significant interests were cats, gardening, cooking and reading. Funeral Liturgy was celebrated Saturday, July 3 at St. Nicholas Church by the Rev. James Ragan. Interment followed in Alto-Reste Park Cemetery, Altoona. Arrangements were in charge of the Good Funeral Home Inc., Altoona.(The Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, June 14, 1999).

**HOLBINK, Peter, Sr.**

Peter Holbink Sr. of Nanty Glo R.D.1 died July 21, 1981, at Lee Hospital.He was 72. Born June 17, 1909, in Ramey, he was a son of the late Wasco and Fanny Holbink. He was preceded in death by three sisters and a brother. Surviving are his widow, the former Stella Kochan, and these children: Dorothy, wife of Raymond McLaughlin, Broomall; Fred, at home; Robert, Alexandria, Va., and Peter Jr., married to the former Jacquelyn Stidman, Nanty Glo R,D. 1. Also surviving are three grandchildren. He was a brother of George, Connecticut; Evelyn Vardiks, Lakeland, Fla., and Margaret Refalsky, Smithfield. Mr. Holbink was a member of Nanty Glo L.O.O.M. Lodge 207, Nanty Glo Local 1386, UMWA, Greek Catholic Union and St. Nicholas' Men's Club. Friends were received at the Harry R. Ondrizek II Funeral Home, Nanty Glo, where Parastas was sung Thursday evening. Funeral Liturgy was celebrated at 10 a.m. Friday at St. Nicholas Byzantine Catholic Church, Nanty Glo, by the Rev. Donald Valasek. Burial followed in St. Mary's Cemetery, Nanty Glo. (The Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, August 5, 1981)

**HOLBINK - Stella (Kochan)**

HOLBINK - Stella (Kochan), 88, Nanty Glo, died July 15, 2005, at Memorial Medical Center. Born Jan. 7, 1917, in Osceola Mills, daughter of Joseph and Anna Kochan. Preceded in death by husband, Peter; daughter, Dorothy McLaughlin; and son, Fred. Survived by sons, Robert, Alexandria, Va., and Peter Jr., and wife, Sue, Nanty Glo; granddaughter, Casey Meiser, Marietta, Ga.; and great-granddaughter, Megan Meiser. Member of St. Nicholas Byzantine Catholic Church, Nanty Glo, and the Rosary Society. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday at Bowser-Ondrizek Funeral Home, Nanty Glo, where Parastas service will be held at 7 p.m. Panachida will be offered at 10:30 a.m. Monday at the funeral home, followed by Funeral Liturgy at 11 a.m. at St. Nicholas Byzantine Catholic Church, Msgr. Raymond A. Balta, celebrant. Interment to follow in St. Mary's Cemetery, Nanty Glo.(The Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA, July 16, 2005.)

**HOLETSKY, Olga (Warholak)**

Olga Holetzky, Receptionist Olga Holetzky, 82, of Chicago's Pullman neighborhood, died Thursday at Lexington Health Care in LaGrange. A funeral service will be held Monday at Panozzo Bros. Funeral Home, 300 E. 115th St., Chicago. Burial will be at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Worth. Visitation will be Sunday from 2 to 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Mrs. Holetzky was born on May 8, 1918, in her Pullman home. She worked as a receptionist for the Chicago Bridge and Iron Co. for 35 years. She worked at both the 107th St. and Vincennes plant and the Oak Brook facilities plant before retiring in 1985. She was also a member of the Pullman Civic Organization, the Pullman Seniors, and the Historic Pullman Foundation. Mrs. Holetzky is survived by her son, Randall Holtz of Lyons; a sister, Anna Piper of Tinley Park; two brothers, John Warholak of



Riviera Beach, Fla. and Michael Warholak of Grass Valley, Calif.; and two grandchildren. Pub. Saturday, March 3, 2001 ( <http://www.genealogybuff.com/il/il-cook-obits31.htm> )

**HOLDWAY, Elizabeth A. (Ferance)**

HOLDWAY - Elizabeth A., 57, Lakewood, Ohio, died March 16, 2000, at Miners Hospital, Hastings. Born Jan. 24, 1943, in Barnesboro, daughter of Fred and Anna (Gluse) Ferance. Survived by husband, Paul; sister, Mary Margaret Truman, Wilmington, Del.; and brother, Freddie, Florida. Employed at Clevaflex Ltd., Cleveland. Friends received from 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday at Long-Contres Funeral Homes Inc. , Northern Cambria. Funeral Mass of Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday at St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Church, the Rev. Emmanuel Rathapilly. Committal service will be held Tuesday at Blue Ridge Memorial Gardens in Beckley, W.Va. (The Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA, March 18, 2000.) (Note from Carol Gettings - Elizabeth Holdway is my cousin. She is the daughter of Fred Ferance, son of Michael Ferance and Mary Zinza.)

**HOLOBINKO, Alice (Rosinko)**

HOLOBINKO -- Alice, 77, of Barnesboro, died April 29, 1999, at home. Born Feb. 12, 1922, in St. Boniface, daughter of Metro and Alice (Hermotto) Rosinko. Preceded in death by parents; brothers, Michael, John, Peter and Steve; and sisters, Helen Mokris and Ann Petrush. Survived by husband of 46 years, Wasco B. "Arch"; also, sisters, Mary Petruska of Barnesboro; and Agnes Sorufka of Parma, Ohio. Member of St. John's Byzantine Catholic Church and Legion of Mary. Friends received from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday at Long-Contres Funeral Home, Inc. , Barnesboro, where Parastas service will be held at 8 p.m. Panachida service, 9:45 a.m. Saturday. Funeral Divine Liturgy will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at St. John's Byzantine Catholic Church, the Rev. Donald Valasik. Committal in church cemetery. (The Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA, Friday, April 30, 1999).

HOLOBINKO, Alice, 77, of Barnesboro, died April 29, 1999, at home. She was born Feb. 12, 1922, in St. Boniface, the daughter of the late Metro and Alick (Hermotto) Rosinko. Preceded in death by her brothers, Michael, John, Peter and Steve; and sisters, Helen Mokris and Ann Petrush. Survived by her husband of 46 years, Wasco B. "Arch", sisters, Mary Petruska, Barnesboro; and Agnes Sjurufka, Parma, Ohio. Mrs. Holobinko was a member of St. John's Byzantine Catholic Church and Legion of Mary. She worked as a seamstress for the Sylvania Company, Altoona. Friends received at Long-Contres Funeral Homes, Inc. Barnesboro, where Parastas and Panchida services were held. Divine Liturgy at St. John's Byzantine Church with the Rev. Donald Valasik. Committal in the church cemetery. (Barnesboro Star, Barnesboro, PA).

**HOLOBINKO, Anna (Dordth)**

Holobinko - Mrs. Anna, 92, Glenhope, died Oct. 5, 1981, at the home of her daughter, Anna Hawkins. Born Feb. 20, 1889, in New Castle, daughter of Michael and Anna Dordth. Preceded in death by husband, Wasco; sons, Andrew and John; and daughters, Olga and Irene. Survived by these children: Michael, Ambridge; Frank, Madera; Basil, Barnesboro; John, Madera; George, Clearfield; Pete, La Habra, Calif.; Samuel, District

Heights, Md.; Mrs. Catherine Bartosh, Houtzdale; Mrs. Mary Boone, Fostoria, Ohio; Mrs. Irene Jones, Houtzdale; Mrs. Ann Hawkins, Glenhope; and Mrs. Stella Anna, Hastings; also 38 grandchildren and 36 great-grandchildren. Sister of Mrs. Catherine Zilko, New York. Friends received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at Charles W. Schoff Funeral Home Chapel, Madera, where funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, followed by Funeral Mass at 11 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Ramey, the Rev. James Poorman. Interment, church cemetery. Parastas at 8 p.m. Wednesday. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, October 7, 1981)

**HOLOBINKO, Anne (Warholic)**

Anne Holobinko (nee Warholic), age 73, beloved wife of the late John Sr., loving mother of Barbara, Susan Hersey, and John Jr. of Conn., grandmother of Jeremy, Russell, Theodore and Nathaniel, sister of John Warren, Susan Komives, Michael Warholic, Verna Crowder and Marge Hama. Funeral services Tuesday, Feb. 25, at 9:30 a.m. at the Yurch Funeral Home, 5618 Braodview Rd. and 10 a.m. at Holy Trinity Orthodox Church, 6822 Broadview Rd. Donations in Mrs. Holobinko's memory may be sent to the Northern Ohio Lung Assoc., 4614 Prospect Ave., 44103. Interment Sunset Memorial Park. Visiting Hours Monday 2-9:30 p.m. Requiem Service Monday, 8:30 p.m. (Cleveland Plain Dealer, Cleveland, OH, 2-24-1986)

**HOLOBINKO, Demetrius**

Mr. Demetrius Holobinko, 71, died at his home here January 27 at 1 a.m. after a prolonged illness. He was born in Austria in 1867, the son of Nathan Holobinka and Kathryn Minko. He came to this country in 1901 and married Helen Medwith, the daughter of John Medwith and Pauline Lazeration. He spent the past 37 years of his life here at Madera where he worked in the coal mines until failing health forced him to give up his occupation. The deceased was a member of the Russian Brotherhood in the Beulah Unit, and a highly respected citizen of the community. His passing was severe shock to his many friends. Surviving are his wife and the following children: Michael and Anna of Cleveland, Ohio; John of Keansburg, N.J.; George of Keyport, N.J.; Evelyn of Philadelphia, Temple University; Joseph and Susan at home. Funeral services were conducted in the Russian Church, Beulah at 9 a.m. Saturday with Rev. Onuphrey Kowalsky in charge of the services. Interment in Beulah Cemetery. (The Clearfield Progress, Clearfield, PA, February 4, 1938.)

**HOLOBINKO, Frank**

Madera - Frank "Bink" Holobinko, 87 of Madera died, Thursday, Aug. 9, 2001, at his residence. Born March 8, 1914 in Madera, he was the son of the late Wasco and Anna (Dorth) Holobinko. He had been employed for 31 years as a welder at American steel in Ambridge. Mr. Holobinko was a member of the United Methodist Church and Madera Loyal Order of the Moose L.O.O.M. 1172. He is survived by James Hawkins, Springfield, Mass. who was raised as a son; three brothers, Basil Holobinko of Northern Cambria, George Holobinko of Clearfield and Peter Hall of Banning, Calif.; four sisters, Catherine Bartosh of Raway, NJ, Mary Boone of Fostoria, NY, Mrs. George (Irene) Jones of Houtzdale, and Mrs. Herbert (Annie) Hawkins of Glen Hope, and numerous nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers Samuel and

John, one sister Stella Anna, and three infant brothers. Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2 p.m. at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc., Madera with Rev. Dennis Adams officiating. Interment will be at the Umbria Cemetery, Osceola Mills. Friends will be received on Saturday from 7- 9p.m. and on Sunday from noon to the hour of service at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to the Clearfield Foundation for Health Hospice, P.O. Box 992, Front Place, Clearfield, PA 16830. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA).

### **HOLOBINKO, George**

Madera - George Holobinko, 57, of Madera, also of Keansburg, N.J., died Monday evening at the home of his sister, Mrs. Steve Zolyak of Ramey. Born March 30, 1906, at Madera, he was a son of DeMetrius and Helen (Nadvit) Holobinko. A manufacturer of ice cream, Mr. Holobinko was a World War II veteran. Surviving are two brothers and three sisters: Michael, Anna, and Mrs. Paul (Evelyn) Malinak, Cleveland, Ohio; Joseph, Madera, and Mrs. Steve (Sue) Zolyak, Ramey. He was preceded in death by his parents and a brother, John. Requiem High Mass will be sung Friday at 9:30 a.m. in St. Mary's Greek Catholic Church, Ramey, with the Rev. Fr. John Malashuk as celebrant. Interment will be in the church cemetery. Military graveside services will be conducted by the John Branic Post No. 8822, VFW. Friends are being received at the Buranovsky Funeral Home, Ramey, from 7 to 10 p.m. today and 2 to 4 and 7 to 10 p.m. tomorrow. Parastas will be said in the funeral home today and tomorrow at 8 p.m. (The Progress, Clearfield, Pa., Wednesday, January 29, 1964; page 21)

### **HOLOBINKO, George, Sr "Sheik"**

Mr. George "Sheik" Holobinko, Sr, 86, of Madera, formerly of Clearfield and Glen Hope, passed away at 11:22 PM, Tuesday, February 9, 2010 at his residence. Born on April 30, 1923 in Madera a son of the late Wasco and Anna (Dordth) Holobinko. He was a 1941 graduate of the former Madera High School and earned a degree in drafting from the Pittsburgh Technical Institute. He served in the U.S. Navy as a Seaman First Class in WW II. He was a member of the Ansonville Baptist Church. Before George entered the Navy he worked for the former Yorkshire Coal Co. of Madera. He retired from the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation as a bridge design engineer. George was a member of the Osceola Mills F & A.M. Lodge #0515; Williamsport Scottish Rite; and the John Lewis Shade American Legion Post 6, Clearfield. In his younger years, George, played baseball for the Madera MOOSE team and Smoke Run baseball team, he also played in the Clearfield Fast Pitch softball league. He was an avid hunter, fisherman and gardener and enjoyed listening and dancing to Polkas. He is survived by four children; George Holobinko, Jr and his fiancé' Jo Ann Cline of Clearfield, Deborah A. Gregg and her husband Tom of Madera, Frank L. Holobinko and his wife Pamela of New Cumberland and Barbara Weymers and her husband, Wess of Mifflin. He is also survived by 13 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren. Three sisters and a brother survives; Catherine Bartosh of Colonia, NJ., Mary Boone of Fostoria, OH, Annie Hawkins and her husband Herbert of Glen Hope and Peter Hall of Banning, CA. A number of nieces and nephews also survive. George was preceded in death by his parents; his former wife, Gladys Mae (Baer) Ingram; 3 sisters, Stella Anna, Irene Jones and an infant sister; 8 brothers, Samuel, John, Frank, Basil, Andy, Mike, and two infant brothers. Friends will

be received on Friday, Feb. 12, from 7-9 PM and on Sat., Feb. 13 from 12 Noon - 2 PM at the Kruse Funeral Home, Inc, Madera. Funeral Services will be held on Sat., Feb. 13 at 2:00 PM in the Kruse Funeral Homes, Inc., Madera, with Pastor Tina Hawkins officiating. Interment will be in the Bell Cemetery, Glen Hope. Memorial donations may be made to: Disabled American Veterans P.O. Box 14301 Cincinnati, OH 45250-0301 (krusefuneralhome.com).

**HOLOBINKO, Mary H. (Hines)**

MADERA - Mary H. Holobinko, 59, of Madera died yesterday, Sept. 2, at Clearfield Hospital. Born at Madera Feb. 24, 1921, she was the daughter of Peter and Eva (Rudiak) Hines. She married Joseph Holobinko, who preceded her in death, at St. Mary's Church, Madera, in 1939. Mrs. Holobinko is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Clark (Joan) Swistock of Madera and Mrs. Stephen (Judith) Merrill of Prince Edward Island, Canada; one son, Joe of Julian, and four sisters, Mrs. Emil (Anna) Filakowski of Garfield N.J., Eva Hines of Madera and Sue Hines and Helen Hines, both of Cleveland, Ohio. She is also survived by five grandchildren and these half brothers and sisters: Mike Belis and Mrs. Mary Stack of Cleveland; John Belis of Miami, Mrs. Pete (Ann) Zedack of Madera R.D. and Mrs. Pete (Nancy) Kolatsky of Clifton, N.J. In addition to her husband, Mrs. Holobinko was preceded in death by a brother, Mike Hines, and a half sister, Margaret Belis. Services will be held at 9:30 a.m. Friday at St. Mary's Church, Beulah, of which she was a member, with the Rev. Poorman officiating. Interment will follow in the church cemetery. Friends will be received Thursday from 2 to 9 p.m. at the Shoff Funeral Home, Madera. Parastas will be said at 8 p.m. Thursday (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, September 3, 1980).

**HOLOBINKO, Isabel F. (Hawkins)**

Madera - Isabel F. Hawkins Holobinko, 89, of Madera, died at 6:45 PM Saturday April 29, 2000, at her residence. Born March 28, 1911, in Madera, she was a daughter of William H. and Rosella (Kupart) Hawkins. On April 26, 1942, in Ambridge, she wed, Frank "Bill" Holobinko, who survives in Madera. A 1930 graduate of Madera High School, she was a member of the Methodist Church, Madera; Madera Fire Ladies Auxiliary; a charter member of Pocahontas Auxiliary of Redman Lodge, Madera, and the Dairy Maids of Curwensville. In addition, she is survived by a nephew, James Hawkins of Springfield, Mass., who she raised as a son and several nieces and nephews. Mrs. Holobinko was the last of her generation being preceded in death by her parents; seven brothers and four sisters, William, Essington, Lee, Edwin, Thomas, Charles, Richard, Elizabeth, Lydia, Margaret, and Nora. Services will be held at 11 AM at Kruse Funeral Home, Madera, with Rev. Dennis Adams officiating. Interment will be in the Umbria Cemetery, Osceola Mills.

**HOLOBINKO, Jean T (Sternesky)**

Houtzdale – Mass of Christian Burial for Jean T. Holobinko, 75, of Houtzdale will be celebrated Saturday February 23, 2008, at 11 a.m. at Christ the King Catholic Church, Houtzdale. Mrs. Holobinko died Tuesday, Feb. 19, at Altoona Regional Health System, Altoona Hospital Campus. Father Zab Amar will be the celebrant. Interment will be at St.

Lawrence Cemetery, Houtzdale. Friends will be received Friday, Feb. 22, from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. at Birger A. Freeberg Funeral Home Inc. Houtzdale. Father Amar will hold a vigil prayer service Friday, Feb. 22, at 3 p.m., followed by the recitation of the rosary by the Catholic Daughters of the Americas. Born Dec. 16, 1932, at Houtzdale RD, she was a daughter of Walter T. and Stella (Murawski) Sternesky. Mrs. Holobinko attended Evansville College in Evansville, Ind., and The Pennsylvania State University. She was a member of Christ the King Catholic Church, Christ the King Altar and Rosary Society, the Catholic Daughters of the Americas Court St. Victoria and was a charter member of the Phi Mu Society at Evansville College. Mrs. Holobinko had been employed as a substitute teacher in area schools until her retirement. On Nov. 17, 1956, at St. Barbara's Catholic Church, Houtzdale, she wed Theodore "Ted" Holobinko, who survives at Houtzdale. In addition to her husband, Mrs. Holobinko is survived by a daughter, Sharon Lang and her husband, Kevin, of Concord, N.C.; a son, Eugene Paul Holobinko of Houtzdale; a sister Pearl Tatanish of Houtzdale; and a number of nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; a son, Edward Holobinko; five sisters and four brothers.

#### **HOLOBINKO, John E**

Keansburg, N.J. - John E. Holobinko, 53-year-old resident of Keansburg, N.J. and a native of Madera, died Tuesday at 12:15 p.m. at his home following an extended illness. Mr. Holobinko was born in Madera Feb. 18, 1904, a son of Demetrius and Helen Holobinko and was employed as an accountant. Surviving Mr. Holobinko is his mother; his wife Lillian; a son, John Edward, at home and these brothers and sisters; Michael, Miss Anna Holobinko, and Mrs. Paul (Evelyn) Malinak, all of Cleveland; George, Keansburg, N.J.; Joseph, Madera; and Mrs. Steve (Sue) Zolyak, Ramey. Funeral services will be held Friday at 10 a.m. from the St. Ann's Catholic Church in Keansburg with interment also in Keansburg. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, April 24, 1957)

#### **HOLOBINKO, Joseph**

Michael Joseph Michael Holobinko, 58, of Julian, died at his residence on Sunday, Jan. 29, 2005. He was the son of the late Joseph and Mary Hines Holobinko. He was employed at the Penn State University as a budget officer retiring Oct. 15, 2004. For 35 years he also ran his own private accounting service. He was retired from the US Army Reserves on April 1, 1997 as Lt. Colonel. He enjoyed hunting and football. He was a member and finance officer of both the VFW State College Post No. 321 and the Port Matilda American Legion Post No. 536, Madera Moose, Philipsburg AM Vets, the 40 and 8, Tyrone Blazing Arrow Hook and Ladder Club, Philipsburg Elks Club and the Port Matilda High Pines Camp, Inc. He is survived by a companion, June Maney of Julian; two sons, John Holobinko of State College and Joseph Holobinko of the Baltimore area; two sisters, Judith Merrill of Prince Edward Island, Canada and Joan Swistock of Madera and four grandchildren. Visitation will be held Tuesday, Feb. 1 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Eloise B. Kyper Funeral Home, 1034 Benner Pike, State College, PA 16801. A memorial service will be announced at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, 501 Howard Ave., Altoona, PA, 16603. (Tyrone Daily Herald, Tyrone, PA, January 31, 2005)

**HOLOBINKO, Lillian (Gelhaus)**

Lillian Gelhaus Holobinko, 91, of KEANSBURG, died Wednesday at home. She was editor and publisher of the Keansburg News newspaper from 1928 to 1935. She was an officer and director of Keansburg Steamboat Co. from 1950 to 1978 and also of New York, Keansburg, Long Branch Bus Lines Inc. from 1953 to 1968. She was president of the Coastal Cream & Custard Co., which ran ice cream stores on the Keansburg boardwalk, from 1957 to 1972. She worked with her father and brother in the development of the boardwalk in Keansburg. She was a supporter of Keansburg Methodist Church. Born in Atlantic Highlands, she lived there before moving to Keansburg in 1926. She was predeceased by her husband, John E., in 1957; her parents, William A. and Isabelle Smith Gelhaus; and a brother, Henry F. Gelhaus. Surviving are a son, John E. of Red Bank; two grandchildren, Stacy McGann and John M. Holobinko; two great-grandchildren, Alexander and Nicholas McGann; and her companion, Gilbert H. List of Keansburg. Relatives and friends are invited to call from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Sunday at Posten's Funeral Home, 59 E. Lincoln Ave., Atlantic Highlands. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Monday at the funeral home. Interment will be in Fair View Cemetery, Middletown. [Note: This is the wife of John E. Holobinko (son of Dimitrius and Helen [Medwid] Holobinko).]

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**HOLOBINKO, Martha (Lucas)**

Ramey - Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Holobinko of Atlantic, Houtzdale, R.D., who died in the Philipsburg State General Hospital Wednesday at 11:05 p.m., will be held Sunday at 3 p.m. in St. Mary's Greek Catholic Church at Ramey. Father Jaroslov Fedyk will officiate and interment will follow in the church cemetery. Friends will be received in the Buranovsky Funeral Home at Ramey today from 3 to 5 and 7 to 10 p.m., tomorrow from 2 to 5 and 7 to 10 p.m. and Sunday from 1 p.m. until the hour of services. Rosary will be recited tonight at 8 o'clock and Parasta will be said tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the funeral home. Mrs. Holobinko, 39, was born June 21, 1925, at Atlantic, a daughter of Michael and Anna (Gresko) Lucas. She was a member of St. Mary's Altar Society of St. Mary's church and the Amalgamated Clothing Union. Surviving are her husband, John Holobinko; her mother, Anna Lucas, Houtzdale, R.D.; three sisters and one brother: Miss Marge and Miss Helen Lucas, Mrs. Carl (Anna) Lutz and Mitchell, all of Houtzdale R.D.; three nieces, two nephews and her mother-in-law, Anna Holobinko, Madera. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, November 6, 1964)

**HOLOBINKO, Michael**

CLEVELAND - Michael Holobinko, 86, of Cleveland, Ohio, and formerly of Madera, died Tuesday, Jan. 5, at Broadview Nursing Home, Cleveland. Born Nov. 5, 1902, in Madera, he was the son of Demetrius and Helen (Nadvit) Holobinko. He is survived by his wife, Mary Kollar Holobinko, whom he married June 5, 1934, and three sisters, Anna Holobinko and Evelyn Malinak, both of Euclid, Ohio, and Susan Zolyak of Ramey. He was preceded in death by his parents and three brothers, John, George and Joseph. Services were held at St. Thomas More Church and interment followed in the Holy Cross Cemetery, Cleveland.

**HOLOBINKO, Peter**

Peter Holobinko, 76 -- Wasilla resident Peter Holobinko, 76, died Feb. 1, 2004, at home. No service will be held. His ashes will be scattered over his east trap line at Wein Lake at a later date. Mr. Holobinko was born May 5, 1927, in Burnside, Pa. He graduated from high school in Robertsdale, Pa. Mr. Holobinko came to Alaska in 1971. He was employed by Wasilla Excavating from 1972 to 1986. He worked for Howdie Inc. from 1986 until his retirement in 1999. Mr. Holobinko enjoyed hunting, fishing and trapping. His family wrote: "He was a dedicated husband and father. He took care of us all. He was a doting grandfather to all of his three grandchildren with a special relationship with his namesake, Peter." Mr. Holobinko is survived by his wife of 55 years, Eva L. Holobinko; children, Yolonda, Andrew, Stephanie and Ladd; grandchildren, Peter, Brittney and Anastasia; sisters, Helen and Anne; and brothers, Charles, Paul, Bill and Don. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be sent to the Hospice of the Mat-Su, 3051 E. Palmer-Wasilla Highway, Wasilla 99654. Arrangements are with Valley Funeral Home and Crematory in Wasilla.

**HOLOBINKO HALL - Peter**

HOLOBINKO HALL - Peter, 88, of Banning, Calif. and formerly of Madera died Monday, Oct. 14, 2013 at San Gorgonio Hospital in Banning, Calif. He was born July 1, 1925, a son of the late Wasco and Anna (Dordth) Holobinko. He was a 1943 graduate of the Bigler Township High School. He attended Indiana University of Pennsylvania and received a Master's degree in business administration from University of California, Los Angeles in 1960. He served in the U.S. Navy as a radio operator during World War II in the South Pacific. He retired from Citrus College in Glendale, Calif., where he was assistant superintendent for 30 years in the business department. On Nov. 8, 1952 he married Rosemary Nortz in Denver, CO and moved to California in 1953. He's survived by his wife; a son, Robert (Lori) Hall of Las Angeles, Calif.; a granddaughter, Shannon; and three great-grandchildren, Joshua, Roslynn and Suzanna. He's also survived by two sisters, Mary Boone of Fostoria, Ohio and Annie Hawkins of Glen Hope. In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a daughter, Susan in 2007 and 10 brothers and four sisters. Burial will be Friday in Forest Lawn Cemetery in Cathedral City, Calif.

HOLOBINKO HALL – Peter (July 1, 1925 – Oct. 14, 2013)

Peter Holobinko Hall, 88, Banning, Calif., formerly of Banian, Madera RD, died Oct. 14, 2013. He was born in Banian, son of Wasco and Anna (Dordth) Holobinko. He married Rosemary Nortz on Nov. 8, 1952, in Denver, Colo., and moved to California in 1953. Surviving are his wife; a son, Robert Hall of Los Angeles, Calif.; a granddaughter; three great-grandchildren; and two sisters: Mary Boone of Fostoria, Ohio, and Annie Hawkins of Glen Hope. He was preceded in death by a daughter, Susan, in 2007; 10 brothers; and four sisters. He served in the U.S. Navy during WWII. Interment will be made in Forest Lawn Cemetery, Cathedral City, Calif. (Altoona Mirror, Altoona, PA, October 23, 2012)

**HOLOBINKO, Samuel**

HASTINGS - Great Parastas and interment services for Samuel Holobinko, 59, of Hastings, and formerly of Madera, who died Saturday, May 21, in the V.A. Medical Center, Altoona, will be held Tuesday at 11 a.m. at the Shoff-Kruise Funeral Home,

Madera. Father James E. Poorman will officiate and interment will follow in St. Mary's Ukrainian Catholic Cemetery, Ramey. Friends will be received at the funeral home today from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Born April 4, 1929, in Madera, he was a son of Wasco and Anna (Dordth) Holobinko. Mr. Holobinko, who was retired, had worked as a foreman of a frozen food terminal. He graduated in 1947 from the Madera High School, had attended the George Washington University in Washington D.C. and for a number of years resided in District Heights, Md. He served in the Army during the Korean Conflict and was a member of the Maryland VFW, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans. He was a Ukrainian Catholic by faith. He is survived by these brothers and sisters, Basil of Barnesboro, Frank and John, both of Madera, George of Clearfield, Peter of Blue Jay, Calif., Mrs. Catherine Bartosh and Mrs. George (Irene) Jones, both of Houtzdale, Mrs. Mary Boone of Fostoria, Ohio, Mrs. Herbert (Annie) Hawkins of Glen Hope and Mrs. Joseph (Stella) of Hastings and a number of nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, four brothers and one sister.

#### **HOLOBINKO, Wasco**

THURSDAY, JULY 3, 1941 Miner, 63, Drowns Near Madera Accidental death by drowning was the verdict today in the death of Wasco Holobinko, 63, coal miner from Banion, near Madera, whose body was found Tuesday afternoon in Clearfield creek near there. Townspeople searched for him Tuesday when it was discovered he had not been seen since Sunday. Walter Moore, Madera, Tuesday afternoon saw Holobinko's body floating face down in his mill race. The suction of the watermill had drawn the body into the race. It was theorized that the miner had accidentally fallen into the creek.

#### **HOLOBINKO - Wasco Basil "Archie"**

HOLOBINKO - Wasco Basil "Archie," 83, Northern Cambria, died Feb. 24, 2002, at home. Born May 21, 1918, in Madera, son of Wasco and Anna (Dyord) Holobinko. Preceded in death by parents; wife, former Alice Rosinko, in 1999; brothers, John, Andrew, Mike, Sam and Frank; sister, Stella Anna; an infant sister; and two infant brothers. Survived by brothers and sisters, Catherine Bartosh, Rahway, N.J.; Mary Boone, Fostoria, Ohio; Irene Jones, Houtzdale; Ann Hawkins, Glen Hope; George, Clearfield; and Peter Hall, Banning, Calif. Also survived by several nieces and nephews. Retired coal miner from Barnes & Tucker Co. Member of St. John's Byzantine Catholic Church. Friends received from 7 to 9p.m. Tuesday at Long-Contres Funeral Home Inc., Northern Cambria, where Parastas service will be held at 8 p.m. Panachida service will be held at 9:15 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home, followed by funeral of Divine Liturgy at 10 a.m. at St. John's Byzantine Catholic Church, the Rev. Donald Valasek. Committal, church cemetery. (The Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, Pa, February 26, 2002, C7)

#### **HOLOBINKO, William B.**

Economy - William B. Holobinko, 86, of Economy, died Thursday, May 19, 2005, in St. John's Lutheran Care Home, Mars. Born Sept. 8, 1918, in Beccaria, Pa., a son of the late Harry and Mary Russin Holobinko, he was retired from the American Bridge Co. He was a member of St. Mary's Byzantine Catholic Church and was a lifetime member of the Ambridge Sportsman's Club. He was a U.S. Army veteran serving in World War II. In



addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Margaret (Pahach) Holobinko; two brothers, John and Walter Holobinko, and three sisters, Anna Narbesky, Kathryn Pulsney and Julia Fencik. He is survived by a brother and sister-in-law, Theodore and Jean Holobinko, Houtzdale, Pa.; a sister and brother-in-law, Aileen and Edgar Poland, Dear Park, N.Y., and several nieces and nephews. Friends will be received today from 1 to 5 p.m. in the Paul E. Bohn Funeral Home Inc., 1099 Maplewood Ave., Ambridge, where a service will be held Monday at 8:30 a.m. followed by a funeral Divine Liturgy for the repose of his soul at 9 a.m. in St. Mary's Byzantine Catholic Church, with the Rev. Father Thomas Schaefer officiating. Interment will follow in SS. Peter and Paul Cemetery. The rosary society of the church will pray a rosary today at 2 p.m. in the funeral home. The Beaver County Special Unit will meet at the cemetery at 10 a.m. to provide full military honors. (Beaver County Times Allegheny Times , Beaver, PA 2005)

### **HOMA, Nicholas**

Nicholas Homa, formerly of 3569 West 120th St., beloved husband of Kathryn (nee Dobish), beloved father of Ronald, and Nancy Watsack, (Calif.), dear grandfather of five, dear brother of Mary Chihon, John (deceased), Charles (deceased), Mike (Pa.), Peter (Pa.), Anna Heflin and Irene. Funeral services will be held Saturday, April 22, at The Mallchok Funeral Home, 5660 Ridge Rd., Parma, O., at 9:30 a.m. and at St. John's Byzantine Rite Cathedral, Snow and Broadview Roads at 10 a.m. Parastas Friday 8 p.m. Friends will be received Friday 2-4 And 7-10 P.M ( Plain Dealer; Apr 21, 1972, Cleveland Necrology File, Reel #118.) [Note 1: Nicholas Homa is the son of Louis and Theofilia Garbinsky Homo/Chomo. Theofilia is a sibling of Miron Garbinsky. (per Sonjia Wuestefeld) Note 2: Nick Homa was married to Katheryn Dobish... who's mother, Mary Dobish .. married Michael Rudiak.... after their spouses died....Michael Rudiak is my great grand father.( DebbieWadkins )]

### **HORTON - Margaret E. (Kimak)**

HORTON - Margaret E. - 97, of Austintown, Ohio, passed away peacefully Sunday, March 12, 2017, at Victoria House Assisted Living. Margaret was born June 8, 1919 in Butler, PA, a daughter of the late Michael and Anna H. (Shuntz) Kimak. Her husband, Charles E. Horton Sr., whom she married June 17, 1944, passed away March 29, 2002. Margaret leaves her two sons, Charles E. (Susan) Horton Jr. of Windermere, FL and formerly of North Reading and David C. (Linda) Horton of North Jackson, Ohio; five grandchildren, David C. Horton, Jr., Kenneth R. Horton, Douglas E. Horton, Thomas E. Horton, and Amy Beth Horton; and 14 great grandchildren. Calling hours will be held in Austintown, Ohio on Wednesday, March 15. Graveside services will take place on Monday, March 20 at 11 AM in Forest Dale Cemetery in Malden. Rev. Dr. Richard A. Hughes will officiate. [www.croswellfuneralhome.com](http://www.croswellfuneralhome.com)

### **HOTT, Clark E. "Moose"**

HOTT - Clark E. "Moose" and "Bud," 48, Tanner Street, Ebensburg, died peacefully Feb. 16, 2006, at home. Born July 28, 1957, in Colver, son of the late James and Emma (Noble) Kimack. Preceded in death by infant son, Austin James Hott, and brother, Charles. Survived by wife of 12 years, Terri L. Dixon, and son Frederick Joseph Bradley

III, at home. Brother of Michael Kimack, Nanty Glo; Karen (Larry) Morris, Ebensburg; James (Mary) Kimack; and Sally Kimack, all of Nanty Glo. Also survived by nieces and nephews, Shaun Kimack, Matt and Alyssa Ellis and Courtney, Douglas, Christopher and Caitlyn Kimack, as well as numerous nieces and nephews in the Dixon family. "Moose" was owner and operator of Valley Beverage Company in Nanty Glo. He held memberships at the Nanty Glo Moose, VFW, American Legion and American-Polish Citizens Club and enjoyed membership in the Nanty Glo Rod -- Gun Club, where he had served as treasurer for many years. Moose loved camping with his family, going to the Juniata River, fishing trips with his brothers in Michigan and trips with Terri to Atlantic City and Las Vegas. A U.S. Army Reservist, having served until 1983. Friends will be received from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Saturday and Sunday at Askew-Houser Funeral Homes Inc., Nanty Glo, where funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, the Rev. Father Wesley Mash, cousin of the deceased, officiating. Interment at Lloyd Cemetery, Ebensburg. (The Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, Pa, February 17, 2006)

### **HOWILER, Anna (Warholic)**

Anna (Warholic) Howiler (1927 - 2010) Anna (Warholic) Howiler, age 83, of Mentor for the past 59 years. died Saturday, Dec. 25, 2010, at Altercare of Mentor. She was born



Nov. 15, 1927, in Coalport, Pa. Mrs. Howiler retired in 1997 from Willo-Hill Industries in Willoughby, where she worked for 30 years. She was the former owner/operator of the Variety Bar in Grand River. She loved to cook and was a great homemaker, and Great Entertainer, who loved to host family dinners and especially 4th of July and Christmas gatherings. Survivors are her children, Robert (Shelby) Howiler of Chester Township, Patricia (Wally) Yohe of Mentor, Karl Howiler of Lakeline, Fla. and Ken (Sue) Howiler of Painesville; grandchildren, Rob and Daniel Howiler, Chris (Stacie) Head, Kamber (Desiree Howiler), and Liz, Paul and Dave Howiler; four great-grandchildren; six sisters and three brothers. She was preceded in

death by her parents, George and Mary Warholic; one sister; three brothers; and one great-grandchild. Funeral Mass will be 9:30 Thursday at St. Bede the Venerable Church, 9114 Lakeshore Blvd., Mentor. Everyone is to please meet at the church. Visitation will be Wednesday from 3 to 7 p.m. at Brunner Funeral Home & Cremation Service, 8466 Mentor Ave., Mentor 44060. Interment will be in Mentor Cemetery in Mentor. Online obituary at [www.brunners.com](http://www.brunners.com). The News-Herald, Mentor, OH, December 28, 2010.

### **HOWILER, Shelby Jean (Stacy)[Bailey]**

CHESTLAND, Ohio — Shelby Jean Stacy (Bailey) Howiler, 70, Chestland, Ohio formerly of Grundy, Va. passed away Nov. 29, 2012 at Chardon Health Care. Born Feb.



18, 1942 in Grundy, Va., she was the daughter of the late Frederick and Rebecca Stacy. She was a devout Christian and cared for people her whole life. She worked in nursing homes for over 30 years. Shelby was passionate about singing and hugging. She was a loving wife, mother and grandmother. She was the sister, aunt, cousin and friend to many. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her first husband, Zeldon Bailey and son, Timothy Bailey; sisters,

Naomie Stacy Campbell, Mildred Stacy Keene, Lydia Stacy Adams, Anita Stacy Maggard, Gertrude Stacy Short and Pansy Stacy; brothers, Radford, Harold, James and Clinard Stacy and an infant sibling. Survivors include her husband of 13 years, Bob Howiler of Chestland, Ohio; sons, Dwayne Bailey and wife Jo of North Perry, Ohio, Michael Bailey of Clarion, Pa.; grandchildren, Brandon, Elizabeth Ann and Olivia; sister, Marie Stacy Dotson of Grundy, Va.; brothers, Barnes Stacy of Grundy, Va., Freddy Stacy Jr. of Grundy, Va. Also surviving are a host of nieces and nephews and great-nieces and nephews. Funeral services for Shelby Jean Stacy Howiler will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 4, 2012, 11 a.m. at the Virginia Funeral Home Chapel, Grundy, Va. with the Rev. Michael Ashby officiating with burial to follow in the Stacy Family Cemetery, Stone Coal Road, Grundy, Va. The family will receive friends on Monday evening at 6 p.m. at the Virginia Funeral Home where a service will be held at 7 p.m. Serving as pallbearers will be Hassell Dotson, JD Adams, Sonny Charles, Ronnie Adams, and family and friends. Virginia Funeral Home of Grundy is in charge of arrangements. (*Bluefield Daily Telegraph*, December 1, 2012)

### **HRESKO, Katherine (Lazeration)**

Funeral Services Held for Katherine Hresko

Mrs. Katherine Hresko of Colver died on Sunday, July 4, 1954 at her home. She was 62. A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Lazeration, she was born on March 25, 1892, in Austria. She is survived by her husband, Michael, and these children at home: John, Frank and Susan; George of Barnesboro, Michael with armed forces in Japan; Mrs. Albert Bruno, Mrs. Thomas Marketto and Mrs. Thomas Nagle, all of New York; Mrs. Robert Vizet of Paxton, Ill. and Mrs. Michael Szekeresh of Mundy's Corner. Also surviving are 11 grandchildren and these brothers and sisters: Frank Lazeration of Ehrenfeld, Charles of Somerset and Mrs. Magdalene Russin of Madera. Friends were received in the late home. Funeral services were held at 9 a.m. Wednesday in the Holy Assumption Greek Orthodox Church in Colver by Father Levkanich. Burial was in the church cemetery. (Nanty-Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, July 8, 1954)

### **HRESKO, Mike**

Mike Hresko, Colver, Dies.

Mike Hresko of Colver died Aug. 20, 1978, at Miners Hospital, Spangler. He was 90. A son of Andrew and Nancy (Jura) Hresko, he was born Dec. 11, 1889, in Austria-Hungary. Preceding him in death were his parents; wife, the former Catherine Lazeration, and sons, Frank and Andrew. Surviving are these children: Anna Bruno, Nancy Marketti and Susan Siegel, all of New York City; Mary Vizet, Saddle Brook, N.J.; George, Bedford, O.; Michael, College Park, Md.; Helen, at home. Also surviving are 31 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Hresko was a member of Local 860, UMWA. Friends were received at the Matevish & Matevish Funeral Home in Ebensburg where parastas was sung Tuesday evening. A brief service was held at the funeral home at 9 a.m. Wednesday followed by Mass at Holy Ascension Russian Orthodox Church in Vintondale celebrated by the Rev. Alexander Perove. Burial followed in the church cemetery. (Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, August 1978)

### **HRYTSYK, Theodor**

Born in Dowzycia in the Lemko Region. Passed away peacefully October 16, 2003 at the age of 81 years at Extendcare Southwood Lakes. Loving husband of Emily (nee Doltsch). Loving father of Fr. Peter Hrytsyk and wife Maureen. Dear Didi of Nykolai and Alexandra. Predeceased by his parents Petro and Katheryna Hrytsyk. Ted was retired from Metropolitan Hospital as a painter and was a member of Sts. Vladimir and Olga Ukrainian Catholic Church and served on Parish Council for many years. Visiting at the Windsor Chapel Funeral Home, 1700 Tecumseh Rd. E. on Friday, October 17, 2003 from 2-5 and 7-9 p.m. Panakhyda Friday at 7:30 p.m. Relatives and friends will be received for visitation on Saturday, October 18, 2003 at St. Vladimir & Olga Ukrainian Catholic Church (1505 Langlois Ave) from 9:30 a.m. until time of Funeral Service at 10:00 a.m. Interment to follow at Windsor Memorial Garden. As your expression of sympathy, donations may be made to St. Vladimir & Olga Church Building Fund. "Eternal Memory - Vichnaya Pamyat"

Note: Theodor was born in Dovzhytsia, Lemko region. As a teenager he went to Germany during the War where he worked as a farm labourer in Altheim, Schwaben. After the war he lived in the Displaced Person's camp - "Funkkaserne" in New Ulm. He emigrated to England where he was employed by the Oldham Transportation Company as a conductor and bus driver. He married Emily Dölsch. They had one child, Peter. In 1959 they emigrated to Canada where they settled in Windsor, Ontario. He was employed as a painter by the Prince Edward Hotel and then the Metropolitan General Hospital, where he was known as "Ted the painter". His son is the Associate Pastor at Sts. Vladimir and Olga Ukrainian Catholic Church and a Vice-Principal with the Windsor-Essex Catholic District School Board. Theodor had two grandchildren, Nykolai and Alexandra. He returned for a visit to Poland and to Dovzhytsia in 1974 and traveled to Ukraine in 1995 (a trip he longed to make). He had many stories from his hometown of Dovzhytsia, and his visits to Tisna, Balyhorod etc.- Fr. Peter Hrytsyk

### **HUDAK, Susan (Garbinsky)**

Susan (Garbinsky) Hudak, 89, of Ambridge, died Sunday, Sept. 29, 2002, in the Sewickley Valley Hospital. Born April 8, 1913, in Clearfield County, a daughter of the late Wasyl and Anna Mae Garbinsky, she was a member of St. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Patrick H. Hudak, on May 25, 1991; a daughter and son-in-law, Elizabeth and William Guerrieri; three brothers, Jack, Joseph and Eugene Garbinsky, and three sisters, Ann Mack, Dorothy Gross and Kay Hummel. She is survived by a son and daughter-in-law, Patrick and Nancy Hudak, Baden; a brother and sister-in-law, William and Mary Garbinsky, in New Jersey; five sisters and two brothers-in-law, Mary Tkatch, Baden; Helen and Mike Patatlisky, Houtzdale, Pa.; Marge Nadzak, Houtzdale, Pa.; Mildred Miller, in New Jersey, and Betty and Ed Cain, Ambridge; six grandchildren, William Jr. and his wife, Cindy Guerrieri, Baden; Mark and his wife, Sue Guerrieri, Conway; David and his wife Elaine Hudak, Baden; Dean and his wife, Marsha Guerrieri, Rochester; Mick and his wife Sandy Hudak, Baden, and Johnna and her husband, Kevin Merkel, Economy, and 15 great-grandchildren, Cara, Nick, Pam, Christopher, Kristy, Aaron, Jessica, Lauren, John, Jason, A.J., Erica, Nicholas, Brittany and Brianne. Friends will be received Tuesday from 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 p.m. in the Paul E. Bohn Funeral Home Inc.,

1099 Maplewood Ave., Ambridge, where a service will be held Wednesday at 11 a.m. followed by a funeral Divine Liturgy at 11:30 a.m. in St. Peter and Paul Ukrainian Catholic Church, with the Rev. Father Michael Polosky officiating. Interment will follow in St. Peter and Paul Cemetery, Ambridge. Parastas service will be held Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the funeral home.

**HUDAK-PADDOCK, Mary (Kozickie)**

HUDAK-PADDOCK - Mrs. Mary (Kozickie), 76, Patton, died Jan. 23, 2003, at Bon Secours-Holy Family Hospital, Altoona, after an illness of cancer. Born Sept. 6, 1926, in Smithmill, Pa., daughter of late Martin and Kathryn (Semetosky) Kozickie. Preceded in death by first husband, Joseph Hudak; second husband, Paul Paddock; and brothers, Andrew, Michael, Joseph, John, Stanley and Martin Jr. Mother of Betsy Thomas, Ebensburg; Patricia, wife of Eric Fulmer, Sewickley, Pa.; and Joseph "Butch" Hudak, married to Ann (Vescovi), Patton. Stepmother of Terry Jacobson, Paula Revak, Jody Paddock, Mickey Paddock and Peggy Zides. Grandmother of Sandy Thomas; Cherie Thomas; Scott Thomas-Senko; Lynnann (Hudak) Shilling; Brad Hudak; Dana and David Luther; Chris, Nick, Michele and Susan Revak; and Jill, Amanda, Katie, Peter, Michael and Nathan Paddock. Great-grandmother of Kimberly Chappell and Garrett Senko. Sister of Kathryn Smolensky, Nanty Glo; Frank, Patton; Paul, Ebensburg R.D.; Margaret Peck and George, both of Cleveland; Evelyn Dubyak, Patton; Martha Swarden, Carrolltown; Helen Lekawa, Latrobe; Ann Fox, Rochester; and Anthony, Cleveland. Family received friends at Stevens Funeral Homes Inc., 1004 N. Fifth Ave., Patton. Funeral Mass will be held at noon Saturday at Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Patton, Father Ananias OSB, celebrant. Committal, SS. Peter & Paul Catholic Cemetery, Patton. In lieu of flowers, please make memorial contributions to American Cancer Society or Alzheimer's Association. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, January 25, 2003)

**HUSANITA, Eva (Warholak)**

Eva Warholak Husanita, 95, of West Scranton, formerly of Bridgeport, CT, died Monday in Allied Services Skilled Nursing. Her husband Stephen Husanita died in 1983. Born in Wyola-Smithmills, PA, she was the daughter of the late Michael and Mary Suchick Warholak. A 1937 graduate of Scranton Technical High School, she was a member of St. Michael's Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Scranton and had worked for Devar-Kinetics Control Products, Bridgeport. She is survived by her daughter, Theodora Woltch, FL, a brother Theodore Warholak, Maine, 3 sisters, Anastasia Wallick, Theodora Kmoitek and Margaret Quibick, all of Bridgeport, nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by 5 sisters, Mary Brown, Anna Krasawski, Catherine Marcinko, Susan Krupinski, Julie Kozy, 5 brothers, Charles, Paul, Joseph, John, and Michael Warholak. Graveside services were held on Friday in Fairview Memorial Park, Elmhurst, by the Right Rev. Nestor S. Kowal. Memorial contributions can be made to St. Michael's U. O. Church, 540 N. Main Ave., Scranton, PA 18504. Funeral arrangements under the direction of the Edward J. Chomko Funeral Home, 254-268 Railroad Avenue, West Scranton. (The Newtown Bee, Newtown, CT, January 6, 2014)

**HUSKA, Margaret (Lego)**

Margaret (Lego) Huska of Nanty Glo R.D.1 (Cardiff) died Thursday, Sept. 22, 1994, at CONEMAUGH hospital. She was 77. Born Jan. 1, 1917, in Smithmill, she was a daughter of the late Michael and Anna (Truchan) Lego. She was preceded in death by her husband, Michael; an infant sister; brothers, Peter, John and Metro; and sister, Eva Ricotta. Surviving are these children: Harvey Cameron, married to the former Harriet Appleyard, Cashtown; Margaret Cameron, Nanty Glo R.D.; George Cameron, married to the former Margaret Owatt, Ebensburg; Patricia, wife of Joseph A. Grata, Nanty Glo R.D.; and stepson, Robert, married to the former Lila Jean Evans, York. Also surviving are 14 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Huska was a sister of George, Osceola Mills; Harry, Colorado Springs; Alex, Erie; Katherine Torrance, and Ann Gnan, both of Aliquippa; Sue Miller, Osceola Mills; Mary Welsh, North Carolina; Mike, Osceola Mills; and Nicholas, Erie. She was a member of Holy Ascension Ukrainian Orthodox Church, Nanty Glo, and was an avid bingo player. Funeral Divine Liturgy was celebrated Saturday, Sept. 24 at Holy Ascension Church by the Most Rev. George Hnatko. Interment followed in St. Vladimir Ukrainian Orthodox Cemetery, Ramey. (The Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, September 28, 1994)

**IMHOFF, Helen Elisabeth (Lazeration)[Lasoroshin]**

October 17, 2004 -- Helen Elisabeth Imhoff, 95, formerly Hala Elisabeth Lazeration (Lasoroshin) of Urey, Pa., died Saturday, Oct. 9, 2004 in Covington, Ga. Born into an immigrant family of modest means, she had seven brothers and seven sisters. She was preceded in death by her husband, Sylvester (Wes) Imhoff in 1966 and is survived by her only son, George Edward Lovish of Conyers, GA; three grandchildren: Jeffrey Lovich, Flagstaff, AZ; Cynthia Lovich Pandolfe, Honolulu, Hawaii; Rober Lovich, San Diego, CA; four great grandchildren, one brother, four sisters and two step-grandchildren, Brett and Jason Carliss. She was loved by her family and will be greatly missed. Her legacy of love, hospitality and generosity endure in the mist of those who knew her, and we are better because of her influence on our lives. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Funeral arrangements are being handled by Wages & Sons Funeral Home, 1040 Main Street/P.O. Box 605, Stone Mountain, GA 30086. ©Indiana Printing & Publishing Co. 2004

**IVICIC, Ethel (Lucas)**

HAWK RUN - Ethel Ivicic, 81, of Hawk Run died Tuesday, Sept. 24, 2002, at 7 a.m. at her residence. Born April 27, 1921, in Irvona, she was a daughter of Frank and Tatiana (Lesova) Lucas. On July 20, 1946, she wed John Anthony Ivicic, who died Dec. 30, 1976. She was a member of St. Michael's Orthodox Church of Irvona and was active with the ladies' guilds of St. Michael's, as well as St. John's Orthodox Church of Philipsburg. Mrs. Ivicic ran a poultry farm with her husband and up to the time of her death was well known for her baking. She is survived by three children, John William Ivicic and his wife, Janis, of Centreville, Va., Irene Cavatore and her husband, Eric, of New Hope and Carol Martin and her husband, Frederick, of Hawk Run; and her grandsons, Matthew, Daniel and John Michael of Centreville and Gregory of Hawk Run. Also surviving are three sisters and a brother,- Helen Ninosky of Irvona, Mary Bihun of Coalport, Anna Moslak of Madera RD and George Lucas of Irvona. In addition to her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by two sisters, Catherine Finch of Smoke Run and

Sophie Mandell of Osceola Mills; and five brothers, Walter Lucas of Irvona, William Lucas of Westover, Theodore (Chick) Lucas of Irvona, John Lucas of Westover and Nicholas Lucas of Irvona. Mrs. Ivicic will be in state at St. Michael's Church in Irvona at 11 a.m. on Thursday with the Rev. Gregory Lewis officiating. Interment will be at St. Michael's Cemetery. Friends will be received at the church today from 4-8 p.m. Parastas will be held at 7:30 p.m. today at the church. The Lloyd-Dimmick Funeral Home Inc., Irvona, is in charge of the arrangements. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, September 25, 2002)

**JACOBSKY, Elizabeth (Lazeration)**

JACOBSKY, Elizabeth (LAZERATION) Elizabeth Jacobsky, Nanty Glo, Succumbs Mrs. Elizabeth Jacobsky, 84, died Monday, Aug. 2, 1971, at the Hillview Nursing Home, Altoona, ending a marriage union of 61 years with Samuel J. Jacobsky Sr. Mrs. (Yakubcak) Jacobsky was born Jan. 7, 1887, in Austria, a daughter of Michael and Catherine (Vavulick) Lazeration. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Mary, and son, Michael. Surviving are her husband Samuel Sr., and these children: Catherine, wife of Frank Zamiska, Parma, O.; Mrs. Ann Harsanyi, Maple Heights, O.; Mrs. Mary Mabry, John and Samuel, Jr., all of Nanty Glo; and Louis, Cherry Tree. Also surviving are 15 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren. Mrs. Jacobsky was a member of the Women's Branch, Jednota Society of Nanty Glo. Friends are being received at the Richard D. Ondrizek Funeral Home, Nanty Glo, where wake service will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 4. Concelebrated funeral Mass will be held at 9 a.m. Thursday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Nanty Glo, with burial following in the church cemetery. (The Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, August 4, 1971).

**JACOBSKY, Samuel M. Jr.**

Samuel Jacobsky Jr., Nanty Glo, Expires Samuel M. Jacobsky Jr. of 1368 Cardiff Road, Nanty Glo, died at his home on Nov.9, 1973. Mr. Jacobsky, who was 52 was born in Nanty Glo on July 21, 1921, a son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Lazeration) Jakubcak. He was preceded in death by his mother; brother, Michael, and sister, Mary. Surviving are his father, Nanty Glo; widow, the former Jennie Bacci; and two children; Jean Marie, wife of Stanley Schilling, Belsano; and Samuel III, Tyndall Air Force Base, Fla. Also surviving are five grandchildren and these brothers and sisters: Catherine Zamiska, Parma, O.; John and Mary Ann Mabry, both of Conemaugh R.D. Ann Harsanyi, Maple Heights, O., and Louis Jacobs, Cherry Tree. Mr. Jacobsky was a member of Post 3489. VFW of Nanty Glo. Friends were received at the Richard D. Ondrizek Funeral Home in Nanty Glo where wake service was held at 8 p.m. Monday. Funeral Mass was celebrated at 9 a.m. Tuesday at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Nanty Glo, by Rev. Fr. John Neugebauer. Burial followed in the church cemetery with graveside military rites by the Nanty Glo VFW. (The Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, November 14, 1973)

**JANCUS, Irene C. (Nesaw)**

LOWER MAKEFIELD TOWNSHIP - Irene C. (Newsaw) Jancus, 79, of Makefield Township, died Monday, Feb. 28, 2000, at St. Mary Medical Center, Langhorne. Born in Smokerun, she was the daughter of Boyd and Adeline (Bungo) Nesaw. Mrs. Jancus had been a resident of Lower Makefield for more than 45 years moving here from

Philadelphia. Mrs. Jancus was a member of To Live Again. She is survived by her husband, Edward A. Jancus; two daughters, Janice R. Ferrs of Levittown and Mrs. Eugene (Janette) Harzenski of Yardley, three grandchildren, Sheri Brender, Derek Marx and Gregory Harzenski; a brother, Henry Nesaw of Bensalem; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents. Funeral services will be held at 8 p.m. Friday at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Big Oak and Pine Grove Roads, Lower Makefield Township with the Rev. Richard J. Reinemann officiating. Interment will be at 1 p.m. Saturday at Hillcrest Cemetery, Clearfield. Friends will be received from 6 p.m. until the hour of services Friday at the church. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Morrisville, Pa. 19067. J. Allen Hopper Funeral Chapel, Morrisville, is in charge of the arrangements. (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, March 1, 2000).

**JANGEL, Eva (Warholak)**

Mrs. Eva Jangel, 90, formerly of Fountain Hill Manor, Seneca Street, Bethlehem, died Tuesday evening in the Cedarbrook Nursing Home, Bethlehem. She was the widow of Charles F. Jangel, who died in 1953. Prior to retiring, she worked for the Amprove Instrument Company, Long Island, N.Y. Born in Hauto, she was a daughter of the late Theodore and Helena (Olesnovitch) Warholak. She was a member of the Episcopal Parish of St. Mark and St. John, Jim Thorpe, Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Rose LaRizzio of Bethlehem and Mrs. Mary Kovach of Emmaus; and several nieces and nephews. The Edward F. Melber Funeral Home, 524 Center St., Jim Thorpe, is in charge of the arrangements. (The Times News, Leighton, PA February 22, 1998)

**JONES, Jaimie T. (Shutack)**

Jamie T. Jones, 40, of Apollo, died Monday, February 13, 2006, in Avonmore. She was born March 10, 1965, in Pittsburgh. Mrs. Jones lived in Apollo most of her married life, and was employed by Flemming Nursery. She was preceded in death by her husband, Derrick C. Jones, who also died February 13, 2006; and her grandparents, Dorothy and Howard Walmsley. Survivors include her mother and stepfather, Judith and Hosea Oldham of Virginia Beach, Virginia; three children, David A. Stewart, Jessica L. Stewart, and Quintin C. Jones, all of Apollo; her brother, James R. "J.R." (Fanny) Shutack of Manassas, Virginia; her sister, Judy Lynn (John) O'Donell of North Versailles; her grandmother, Mary Louise Oldham of Sanford, Florida; and many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and cousins. There will be no public visitation. A memorial service for Jamie and her husband, Derrick, will be held in the Curran-Shaffer Funeral Home and Crematory, Inc., 100 Owens View Avenue, Apollo, on Saturday February 18, 2006, at 10:00 a.m. Reverend Robert Shallenberger will officiate. Interment will be private.(A former member of the Smerek Group)

**JONES, Mary D (Bungo) [Franek]**

Smithmill-----Funeral services will be held at St. John the Baptist Orthodox Church, Philipsburg at 10 a.m. Friday for Mary D. (Bungo) Franek Jones, 79, formerly of Smithmill, who died at 4 p.m. Tuesday, Oct 16, 2001, at Presbyterian Home of Moshannon Valley, Philipsburg. Fr. Daniel Donovan will officiate. Interment will follow at Bald Eagle Presbyterian Cemetery, Port Matilda. Friends will be received at Kruse



Funeral Home Inc., Ramey, today from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Born June 16, 1922, in Smithmill she was a daughter of John and Catherine (Tokarchick) Bungo. Mrs. Jones retired in 1976 after being employed by Sylvania, Houtzdale and Altoona, as a factory worker for 20 years. She was a homemaker. She was a member of Nativity of St. John the Baptist Orthodox Church, Philipsburg. On July 19, 1966 in Winchester, Va., she wed Robert C. Jones of Curwensville. In addition, she is survived by two sons, Roy Franek, and his wife Eileen, of Houtzdale and Russell Franek of Philipsburg; two grandchildren, Scott Franek, of Lawrence, Kan. and Dana Franek of Philipsburg, a sister and two brothers, Anna Berzansky of Philipsburg, Metro Bungo and his wife Evelyn of Deltona Beach, Fla. John Bungo and his wife Ann, of Willoughby, Ohio and numerous nieces and nephews. Mrs. Jones was preceded in death by her parents , her first husband, Martin Franek a brother Charles; and sisters Christine J. Washic, Evelyn and an infant sister Joy Kathleen. The family suggests memorial contributions be made to Presbyterian Home of Moshannon Valley, 200 Medical Center Drive, Philipsburg, Pa. 16866, (The Progress, Clearfield, PA, Oct 18, 2001).

### **JUBA, Anna (Mikula)**

JUBA – Anna, 90, Patton, passed away Dec. 5, 2011. She was born July 12, 1921, in Patton, daughter of Vasil and Anna (Stebila) Mikula. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, John “Buzz” Juba, and sisters, Margaret Mikula and Julia Raymond. She is survived by her children, Linda (Ken) Thomas, Westover; John R. (Corrie Lubert) Juba, Twinsburg, Ohio; and Darlene (Dan) Weakland, Ebensburg; grandchildren, Tracy Thomas, married to Brian O’Donnell; Derek (Jill Tiffany) Thomas; Scott Juba; and April (Craig) Weiland; great-grandchildren, Bella and Laylah Weiland; sister, Helen Prebihilo, Brecksville, Ohio; and several nieces and nephews. Anna spent her life as a loving wife, mother and homemaker. She was a member of SS. Peter & Paul Orthodox Church, Patton. Friends will be received from 9:30 a.m. until the 10:45 a.m. prayer service Thursday at Stevens Funeral Home Inc., 1004 N. Fifth Ave., Patton, followed by the funeral service at 11 a.m. at SS. Peter & Paul Orthodox Church, Patton, Father David Lewis, officiating. Committal, church cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials are requested to SS. Peter & Paul Orthodox Church, P.O. Box 158 Irvona, Pa. 16656. ([www.stevensfh.com](http://www.stevensfh.com)) .(Tribune Democrat, Johnstown PA, December 7, 2011)

### **Elder Twp. Pedestrian Struck, Killed**

PATTON - A 90-year-old Elder Township woman was killed Monday morning when she was hit by a pickup while fetching her morning newspaper on Route 36 police said.

Anna Juba was on her way back across the road to her home when she was struck by the northbound Ford pickup around 7:18 a.m. The collision sent her more than 80 feet from the point of impact, investigators said. Hastings police Chief Ronald Sharkey said an investigation remains ongoing to determine the accident's cause.

A state police accident reconstruction unit from Indiana County processed the scene Monday and was expected to check out the pickup as well, Sharkey said.

Juba was struck on a relatively straight section of Route 36, just north of Patton, he said. There were no apparent skid marks. The highway is posted as a 45-mph zone, but its unknown if speed was a factor at this point, Sharkey said.

A 46-year-old Philipsburg area man was behind the wheel of the pickup and was not injured in the crash, investigators said.

Coroner Dennis Kwiatkowski said Juba was pronounced dead at the scene at 8:20 a.m. of multiple traumatic injuries. Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown, PA, Dec 6, 2011

**JUBA, Helen (Rudiak)**

JUBA - Helen, 84, 722 Seventh St. Colver, died Feb. 2, 1981 at home. Born March 3, 1896 in Austria-Hungary, daughter of Metro and Nancy Kost Rudiak. Preceded in death by parents and husband Charles, who died in 1945. Survived by these children Mike and Nick, both of Colver; John, Crofton, Md.; Charles, Jr., Lincoln, Calif.; Nancy Nazar, Hillside, N.J.; Ann DelVecchio, Belleville, N.J.; Mary Maraino, Newark, N.J.; and Helen Strong, New Stanton; also 20 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Friends received from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday and from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at Matevish & Matevish Funeral Home, Ebensburg, where Parastas will be sung at 7 p.m. Wednesday. Service at 8:30 a.m. Thursday at funeral home, followed by Divine Liturgy at Holy Ascension Russian Orthodox Church, Colver, the Rev. Alexander Perove. Interment, church cemetery. (Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA, February 3, 1981)

**JUBA, John Lt. Col.**

JUBA – Lt. Col., John, 74, Crofton, Md., formerly of Colver, died June 22, 1996, at home. Born in Werhem, Pa, son of late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Juba. Preceded in death by brothers, Michael and Nick Juba. Survived by wife, former Betty Weber; daughter, Karin, California; and sons John and Allen, both of Crofton. Brother of Nancy Nazar, Virginia Beach Va.; Ann Del Veckio, Belleview, N.J.; Mary Maranio, Newark, N.J.; Helen Strong, New Stanton, Pa.; and Charles Juba, California. Interment will be on July 8 at Arlington National Cemetery. (Tribune-Democrat, Johnstown PA July 5, 1996)

**JUBA, John**

JUBA - John "Buzz," 85, Patton, formerly of Colver, died June 20, 2005, at Memorial Medical Center. Born Jan. 12, 1920, in Vintondale, son of Michael and Anna (Skibo) Juba. Preceded in death by parents; stepfather, George Polosky; brothers, Steve, George, Harry and Walter Juba; and sister, Mary Heresco. Survived by wife, Anna (Mikula) Juba, whom he married March 5, 1944; children, Linda (Ken) Thomas, Westover; John R. (Corrie) Juba, Twinsburg, Ohio; and Darlene (Dan) Weakland, Ebensburg; grandchildren, Tracy and Derek Thomas and Scott and April (Weakland) Weiland; stepsister, Margaret Polosky, Sacramento, Calif.; and numerous nieces and nephews. Served with the Army during World War II, and retired from Patton Aerie 1244 FOE and Laurel Crest Manor. Member of SS. Peter & Paul Orthodox Church, Patton, where he served as president for over 50 years; Patton Aerie 1244 FOE; John White VFW Post 779; Walter McCoy American Legion Post 614; and the Slovak Club. Friends will be received from 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Stevens Funeral Home Inc., 1004 N. Fifth Ave., Patton, where Parastas will be held at 6 p.m. A prayer service will be held at 9:45 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home, followed by the funeral service at 10 a.m. at SS. Peter & Paul Orthodox Church, Father David Lewis. Committal, church cemetery. Military rite will be accorded by John White VFW Post 779 and Walter McCoy American Legion Post 614. www.stevensfh.com. (Tribune Democrat, Johnstown, PA, June 22, 2005)

**JUBA, Mike**

Mike Juba, 656 Sixth St., Colver, died July 1, 1989, at Johnstown Memorial Hospital. He was 71. Born Jan. 22, 1918, in Wehrum, he was a son of the late Charles and Helen (Rudick) Juba. Preceding him in death was his his brother Nick. Survivors include his widow, the former Roslia "Rose" Milkovich, to whom he was married for 42 years; and these children: Kathleen, wife of Donald Alt, Colver, Rosmary wife of Harold Ream Jr., Johnstown R.D.6; and Paula, Wife of Gary Fenchak, Harrisburg. Also surviving are these .grandchildren: Donald Jr., Tammy and Amy Alt and Jennifer and Jason Ream. He was the brother of Nancy Nazar, Hillside, N.J.; John, Crofton, Md.; Ann DelVecchio, Bellville, N.J.; Mary Mariano, Newark, N.J.; Helen Strong, New Stanton; and Charles, Live Oak, Calif. Mr. Juba was a member of the Holy Ascension Orthodox Church, Colver, Local 860, UMWA, Sons of Italy and Slovak Club, all of Colver, and American Legion Post 363 and Post 4963, VFW both of Ebensburg. Retired from the former Eastern Gas and Fuel Co., Mr. Juba was an Army veteran of World War II. Father Andrew Matychak officiated at the service held Wednesday, July 5 at Holy Ascension Church, Colver. Interment followed in Lloyd Cemetery, Ebensburg, with military graveside rite by Menoher Post 155, VFW . Funeral arrangements were handle by Askew-Houser Funeral Home, Ebensburg. (The Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, July 12, 1989)

**JUBA, Nick**

Nick Juba, 59, Colver, died August 1, 1984, at Memorial Hospital, Johnstown. He was born November 21, 1924, in Twin Rocks, a son of Charles and Helen (Rudiak) Juba. He was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by these brothers and sisters: Nancy Nazar, New Jersey; Mike, Colver; Ann DelVecchio, New Jersey; John, Maryland; Many Mariano, New Jersey; Helen Strong, Pittsburgh; and Charles Jr., California. He was employed at Ebensburg Center. Friends were received at Matevish & Matevish Funeral Home, Ebensburg. Parastas and services were held at the funeral home. Divine Liturgy was celebrated by the Rev. Alexander Perove at Holy Ascension of Christ Orthodox Church, Colver. Interment was in the church cemetery. (The Nanty Glo Journal, Nanty Glo, PA, August 15, 1984)

**JUBA, Stephen**

Man Killed in Fall of Rock

Colver March 2 - Stephen Juba aged 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Juba was killed yesterday by a fall of rock in the Ebensburg Coal Co. mine. In addition to his parents, the victim is survived by a sister and three brothers. Funeral services will be conducted in the local orthodox church. Interment will be in the Colver Cemetery. (Indiana Evening Gazette, Indiana, PA, March 2, 1928)