

# OBITUARIES



**EVELYN MILDRED MOULTON**

**SANGERVILLE** - Evelyn Mildred Moulton, 90, died at her home Sunday, January 17, 2016, with her daughter and caregiver, Carole by her side. She was born in Dexter, September 13, 1925, the daughter of Leon L. and Lorrina (Awalt) Pearl.

Evelyn was a homemaker and also worked at Hathaway Shirt in Dover-Foxcroft. She was called "Ninny" by many, and later "Nunu" after her grandson, Curtis was born. Evelyn lost her husband very early in life and was forced to overcome many of life's challenges by herself. Her meticulous nature with everything in life from her cooking to keeping her house was one of her great virtues. "Nunu" enjoyed cooking breakfast for two of her grandsons, Curtis and Corey every morning before school. She believed a good breakfast was needed for them to do well in school. Her greatest achievement in her own words was raising her three children. She was proud to say that when she was no longer able to maintain her yard, her son-in-law Jeffery maintained it for her.

She was predeceased by her husband of 34 years, Clarence "Karky" Moulton; a brother, Leon Pearl Jr. of Georgia; 3 sisters, Geraldine "Gerry" Hughes of Phippsburg, and Irene Nelson, and Madeline Anderson both of Dexter.

She is survived by a son, Chester "Skippy" Moulton of Eddington and his good friend, Pam Dunham; 2 daughters, Cynthia "Cindy" Troy and her husband, Martin of Waterville, and Carole Jean Wharff and her husband, Jeffery of Sangerville; 6 grandchildren, Ryan Troy of Benton, Laura Troy and her husband, Ross Whitaker, Kelly Moulton, and Lisa Rennert and her husband, Matt, all of VA, Curtis Wharff and his girlfriend, Shaunna of NH, and Corey Wharff and his girlfriend, Alice of Sangerville; 5 great grandchildren, Mykenzie Veilleux of Waterville, Miranda Troy of Benton, Caleb and Ava Rennert of VA, and Aiden James Wharff of Auburn; a sister, Phyllis Nelson of Dexter; and a brother, Maurice "Randy" Pearl of GA; many nieces and nephews.

Evelyn also leaves behind her beloved toy poodle, "Gigi," who was always by her side.

At her request there will be no funeral services at this time. A graveside service will be held in the spring at the Sangerville Village Cemetery.

Donations in Evelyn's memory may be sent to the Sandra J. Littlefield Scholarship Fund, c/o the Maine Community Foundation, 245 Main Street, Ellsworth, ME 04605. Evelyn was very fond of Sandra, a young woman and close family friend that was taken too young.

Life is short, remember to pay it forward with an act of kindness.

Arrangements by Crosby & Neal, Guilford. For an online guest register, go to [www.CrosbyNeal.com](http://www.CrosbyNeal.com).

## Man found dead at Durham recreational area

**BY RYAN MCLAUGHLIN**  
BDN STAFF

**DURHAM** — A man's body was found in the parking lot Tuesday morning of a recreational area, according to state police.

The body was found at Runaround Pond and appears to be that of a middle-age man, Department of Public Safety spokesman Stephen McCausland said.

No vehicle was seen in the area.

The body was found by a man using a portable restroom at the parking lot Tuesday morning, McCausland said.

The body will be brought to the Medical Examiner's office in Augusta for an autopsy and identification.



**RUSSELL ARTHUR PENNEY**

**THOMASTON** - Russell Arthur Penney, 89, passed away peacefully at home on Jan. 9, 2016. He was born October 20, 1926 in Dorchester, Mass., son of Margaret E. (Delorey) and Arthur J. Penney.

As a child Russell grew up in Lancaster, New Hampshire and in Warren, Maine where he attended local schools. He worked at BW for 2 years to help provide for the family before enlisting in the U.S. Navy during World War II, serving at Pearl Harbor. He was honorably discharged on July 3, 1946 and moved back to Warren where he worked for his father, a building contractor, and also dug clams. He worked as a carpenter, painter, and later as a building contractor and partner in H & P Builders, Inc., of Thomaston.

Russell was known to all as a kind and patient man who always made time for family and friends. He was an avid hunter and fisherman and had been a past member of the Knox Fish and Game Association. One of his favorite past times was yearly hunting trips to northern Maine.

He was the eldest of eight children and is survived by his sisters, Marjorie Martin of Round Pond, Monica Moore and husband Earle of Edgcomb and Dundee, Florida, Irene Vinal and husband Edward of Cushing; one brother, Arthur Penney, Jr. and wife June of Kilgore, TX; many nieces and nephews; two stepsons, Terrance Costa and wife Fran of South Thomaston, David Costa and wife Sandra of Newhall, CA; four grandchildren, Denise Mitchell and husband Peter of Thomaston, Jennifer O'Donoghue, and husband Jamie of Warren, Terrance Costa, Jr and wife Alicia of Warren, David Costa of Los Angeles, CA; two great-granddaughters, Meredith and Morgan Mitchell.

He was predeceased by his wife Priscilla McGraw Penney; sisters, Bertha (Betty) Henderson, Margaret (Peggy) Chadwick and brother, Charles Penney.

He is also survived by his special niece and caregiver, Marilyn Wilson.

At Russell's request there will be no services. Therefore his family wishes to thank his brother-in-law Elwyn Henderson for his unfailing daily visits along with special care from his nephew Frank Henderson, niece Peggy York, neighbor Mike King, and the Hospice home care team.

## Andrew Hatch, nation's oldest man, dies at 117

**BY ANGELA HILL**  
THE OAKLAND TRIBUNE

**OAKLAND** — Andrew Hatch was long for this world. One of the longest.

After 117 years, living life in three centuries — through wars, presidents, politics, quakes, earthshaking social movements and leaps of technology from gaslight to LEDs — Hatch died quietly at his daughter's Oakland home Monday, Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

"No one stays on this earth forever," said Hatch's daughter, Delane Sims, who has been caring for her "Daddy" in her home for the past two years. "But even 117 was not enough. I didn't want to say goodbye."

At the time of his passing, Hatch, born in Louisiana Oct. 7, 1898, was likely the oldest man in the country, if not the world. And though he had decades' worth of driver's licenses and work-permit cards displaying his age, he didn't have a birth certificate. Birth records for African-Americans in the South were scarce in the late 19th century, so he was never officially listed as "oldest man" by the Gerontology

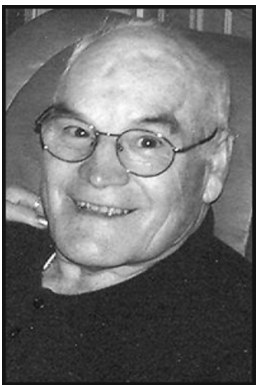
**GERALD L. DUFF**

**LITTLETON & BANGOR** - Gerald L. Duff, 88, died January 19th, 2016 in Bangor. He was born October 5th, 1927 in Hodgdon, the son of Donald & Olive (Woodcock) Duff.

Gerald led a varied career throughout his life, making friends along the way. He began as a potato farmer in E. Hodgdon, and also worked as a potato inspector. He also became an insurance agent which he continued to do throughout much of his career life. While living in Houlton, he raised beef cattle, the majority of which was sold in Bar Harbor, so it was not unusual to see a pickup heavily loaded heading down I-95 on a crisp October day to deliver the goods. He also worked at the pumping station which supplied fuel for Loring Air Force Base. One of his favorite jobs was driving school bus, particularly for the girls Houlton High School Varsity Basketball Team. The coach at that time, John Donato, would require that when they won a game everyone (including the bus driver) had to wear the exact same clothes they had worn at the winning game, so as not to jinx anything. He also drove buses to the Special Olympic events, which he greatly enjoyed. Gerald was active at the Littleton Baptist Church, the County Road Baptist Church, and supported the Greater Houlton Christian School. He was on the Board for Living Waters Campground in Danforth for several years, using his own hay equipment to help support the horses which were at the camp. When Gerald and Elaine moved to Littleton, he semi-retired but still dabbled in life insurance, and also worked at the Littleton dump. He enjoyed doing for others, including making his famous fudge for friends and family.

He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Elaine (White) Duff of Littleton & Bangor; his children: Diane Flewelling and her friend, Tommy Reece, of Houlton, Susanne Bridges & her husband, Ralph, of Bangor, and Leanne Linscott of South Carolina; 4 grandchildren; 5 great grandchildren; his sister, Audrey Anderson & her husband, Donald, of S. Portland. He is predeceased by his parents and his brothers, Robert, Carl, and Eugene.

Friends may call 11 am - 1 pm, Fri., Jan. 22nd at Bowers Funeral Home, 10 Water Street, Houlton, where funeral services will be held at 1 pm with Reverend Steve Straubel officiating. A Spring interment will be held at Littleton Cemetery. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to support the Southern Aroostook Museum, 1678 Us Hwy 1, Littleton, ME 04730-6114. For online condolences please visit [www.bowersfuneral.com](http://www.bowersfuneral.com)



**MELVIN GODIN**

**FORT KENT** - Melvin Godin, 83, died peacefully on Monday, January 18, 2016 at a Fort Kent Health Care Facility. He was born on June 9, 1932 in Fort Kent the son of Gilbert and Regina (Theriault) Godin.

He was member of the 3rd Degree Knights of Columbus of Fort Kent. Melvin's greatest love was helping his family, and loved animals, especially his dog, Snuffles. He will be dearly missed by his family and friends.

He is survived by his beloved wife of 62 years, Pauline (Daigle) Godin of Wallagrass. Three children; Judy Ann and her husband Eldon Pelletier of Millinocket, Steven and his wife Shelli Godin of Barrington, NH, Kim Marie Godin and her fiancé Jim Daigle of Sabago Lake. Seven grandchildren; Cassie Lynn Pelletier, Erika Marie Linkletter, Aaron Pelletier, Ryan Godin, McKenzie Godin, Kayla Fisher, Tianah Jean Fisher. Seven great-grandchildren; Cassidy, Aaliyah, Jackson, Carter, Shaylee, Samyah, and Nathan. Nine brothers; Maurice and wife Deloris Godin, Allen and wife Brenda Godin, David Godin, Gilbert Jr. and wife Arlene Godin, Roger and wife Maryanne Godin, Bertrand and wife Yvonne Godin, Philip and wife Laura Godin, Patrick and wife Laurie Godin, Rodney and wife Arlene. Five sisters; Kathy and husband Thomas Martin, Marie and husband Ronald Sonier, Albertine Picard, Glenda and husband Roy Chamberlain, and Darlene Ouellette.

In addition to his parents he was predeceased by two brothers; Gilman and Hubert Godin. Two sisters; Rena Godin and Geraldine Saucier.

Friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. Monday and 9 to 10:30 am Tuesday at the Daigle Funeral Home, Fort Kent. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated 11 am Tuesday, January 26, 2016 at St. Louis Catholic Church, Fort Kent. Spring burial will be held on May 9, 2016 in the Sacred Heart Cemetery, Soldier Pond. Those who wish in Melvin's memory may donate to the Edgar J. Paradis Cancer Fund, 194 East Main St. Fort Kent. Me. 04743. Envelopes are available at the Funeral Home.



**JILL COGAN POTTLE**

**WARREN** - Jill Cogan Pottle, 85, passed away peacefully at the Sussman House in Rockport on January 5th after a brief illness with cancer. She was born in Warren on January 22, 1930, the daughter of Allen H. and Ann Field Cogan.

Jill was a 1947 graduate of Warren High School, and then worked for GTE Sylvania in Waldoboro for 34 years. She married Lewville Pottle on September 21, 1950. After retiring, Lew and Jill enjoyed traveling in their RV, including 19 winters spent in Nokomis, Florida where they made many lifelong friends.

Jill was a member of the Second Congregational Church in Warren for 65 years, was a member of the Camden Association, and was an active supporter of Coastal Opportunities for many years. After her retirement, Jill volunteered at PenBay Medical Center for 10 years.

Jill was predeceased by her husband, Lewville, this past October shortly after their 65th wedding anniversary; her sister, Annette Overlock and her husband Ted; brother-in-law, Russell Fales; brother-in-law, Paul Pottle and his wife Louise; sister-in-law, Marion Reed and her husband Howard; nieces, Crystal Eaton and Cindy Fales; and nephew, Ronnie Reed.

She is survived by her sister, Rae Fales; nephews, Rusty Fales, Robin Overlock and Fred Overlock; nieces, Donna Creamer, Vicky Terwilliger, and Pam Doherty, and the families of her nieces and nephews.

A joint memorial service honoring both Jill and Lewville, will be held at 2pm, on Saturday, January 30th at the Second Congregational Church in Warren. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Jill's memory to Coastal Opportunities, PO Box 637, Camden, ME 04843; or the Second Congregational Church, 252 Main Street, Warren, ME 04864.

Arrangements are under the direction and care of the Strong-Hancock Funeral Home, 612 Main Street, Damariscotta, ME 04543. Condolences, and messages for the family, may be expressed by visiting: [www.StrongHancock.com](http://www.StrongHancock.com).



**JOHN HOMER ZIMMERMAN**

**BUCKSPORT** - John Homer Zimmerman, 71, died Sunday January 17, 2016 at a Bangor Hospital following a brief illness, with his loving family by his side. A son of Homer K. and Josephine (Shuman) Zimmerman, he was born May 12, 1944 in Chambersburg, PA.

He served in the U. S. Air Force from 1962 to 1966 including a tour in Viet Nam. He graduated from Penn State University in 1970 with a degree in Business. He was a member of Quittacus Lodge of Masons in New Bedford, MA. John was a private pilot and loved to fly. John was currently employed by Viking Lumber in Sales.

John was a dedicated Christian who loved Jesus and had a personal relationship with God. He was a devoted and loving husband, father, grandfather, brother and uncle. John is survived by his loving wife Diane R. Friend, his children; Tracy Denise Craig and her husband Ben and their daughter Carolyn Craig, Lance Jonathan Zimmerman and his daughter Cora, Jared Homer Zimmerman, April Kehoe and her husband Frank and their children Riley, Caleigh and Liam, two brothers; Rick Zimmerman, Lance Zimmerman, one sister Dean Statler as well as several nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents John was predeceased by one brother Thomas Zimmerman.

Family and friends will gather for visitation from 2-4 p.m. on Saturday January 23, 2016 at Mitchell-Tweedie Funeral Home 28 Elm St., Bucksport where a funeral service will be held at 3 p.m. on Sunday January 24, 2016. Burial will be in the spring.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions in John's memory may be made to WHCF 88.5 Christian Radio Lighthouse Radio Network 1476 Broadway Bangor, ME 04401 or National Pancreatic Cancer Foundation P. O. Box 1848 Longmont, CO 80502 ([mitchelltwedie-young.com](http://mitchelltwedie-young.com))

## Glenn Frey, founding member of the Eagles, dead at 67

**BY ALEX DOBUZINSKIS**  
REUTERS

**LOS ANGELES** — Glenn Frey, the prolific guitarist, singer, songwriter and founding member of the Eagles, died on Monday at age 67, the American rock band known for "Hotel California" and dozens of other hits said on its website.

Frey died in New York City of complications from rheumatoid arthritis, acute ulcerative colitis and pneumonia, the band said.

The Eagles, whose album, "Their Greatest Hits 1971-1975," is the second-best-selling record of all time in the United States, helped create the freewheeling soundtrack of 1970s America and remain ubiquitous on rock radio nearly half a century later.

Their blend of rock with country music influences fueled their success with hit songs such as "Desperado," "Already Gone" and "Take It to the Limit."

Frey collaborated with drummer Don Henley to co-write many of the band's biggest hits. While Henley most often sang lead vocals for the band, Frey played guitar and piano.

His performances on "Take It Easy" and "Peaceful Easy Feeling" on the band's debut album in 1972 helped rocket the Eagles to fame, and he later sang lead on hits "Lyn' Eyes" and "Already Gone."

Frey died a little more than a week after another rock



**Glenn Frey**

great, David Bowie, died at age 69 in New York, apparently of liver cancer.

Detroit-born Frey and Henley co-founded the Eagles in 1971 in Los Angeles after playing backup for rock singer Linda Ronstadt.

Henley in a statement praised Frey as the "one who started it all" for the Eagles.

"He was the spark plug, the man with the plan," Henley said. "He had an encyclopedic knowledge of popular music and a work ethic that wouldn't quit. He was funny, bullheaded, mercurial, generous, deeply talented and driven."

The band's original members also included Bernie Leadon and Randy Meisner. Several other musicians, including Joe Walsh, joined in the 1970s.

After the Eagles disbanded

in 1980, Frey had a successful solo career, recording the songs "The One You Love" and "The Heat Is On." Several of his compositions were for films or TV shows, and Frey took on a side career as an actor, including a small part in 1996 film "Jerry Maguire."

In 1994, the Eagles reunited and released an album titled "Hell Freezes Over." The name jokingly referred to Henley's previous statement that the band would only get back together when "hell freezes over."

The Eagles, who were inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 1998 and have played many sold-out shows since their reunion, most recently completed a two-year tour last July.

Frey, in an interview with the Tampa Bay Times in 2012, credited his band members' physical health as one reason for their success. "We managed to get off the party train pretty early," he told the paper.

But last year, Frey's health took a bad turn, as he suffered from intestinal problems.

The Eagles had been slated to join songwriter Carole King, "Star Wars" director George Lucas and others in receiving the prestigious Kennedy Center Honors in Washington last month. But in November, the center announced the Eagles could not participate because of Frey's health, and said the award would be presented in 2016.