

# OBITUARIES



**THELMA J. (STAIRS) FEERO**

OLD TOWN - Thelma J. (Stairs) Feero, of Dracut, MA, died March 30, 2016, in Dracut, after a brief illness, aged 73 years. She was the beloved wife of the late Myles E. Feero Sr.

Born in Old Town, Maine, March 11, 1943, a daughter of the late Jesse and Nora (Fogarty) Stairs. She received her education in the Old Town school system.

She worked in the Lowell Mills for over 30 years, mostly at Joan Fabrics.

Thelma loved all animals, but also enjoyed shopping, and more recently, camping with family in the White Mountains and Bar Harbor. A devoted wife and mother, she dedicated her life to raising her family and always put their needs before her own. She will always be remembered for her spirit of adventure and love of family, especially her cherished grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

She is survived by five children, Cheryl A. Finneral and her husband, Michael of Dracut, Myles E. Feero Jr. and his fiancée, Diana Bravo of Valparaiso, Indiana, Wayne A. Feero and his wife, Kelly of Milford, Maine, Francis R. Feero and his wife, Rebecca of North Judson, Indiana, and Glenn S. Feero and his fiancée, Jennifer Barden of Methuen; fifteen grandchildren, Alyssa, Kristian, Lindsey, Elizabeth, Emelynn, Mercedes, Justin, Jordan, Kenny, Jonathan, Katelynn, Brandon, Ryan, Laura, and Gabriel, and four great-grandchildren; a brother, Charlie Stairs and his wife, Pat; and a sister, Debra DeWitt Ahern and her husband, Richard Ahern; several nieces, nephews, grandnieces and grandnephews, including two special coloring buddies, Angela and Vanessa. She was the sister of the late Jesse Stairs, Muriel Dally, Francis Stairs, Calista "Chris" Stairs and Melvin Stairs.

Friends will be received at the MORSE-BAYLISS Funeral Home, 122 Princeton Boulevard, Lowell, MA, on Sunday from 2 to 6 p.m. Her Funeral Mass will be held at St. Michael Church, 543 Bridge St., Lowell, MA, on Monday at 10 a.m. PLEASE MEET AT CHURCH. Interment is private.

Friends who wish may make memorial donations in her name to the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network, 1500 Rosecrans Ave., Ste. 200, Manhattan Beach, CA 90266, online at [www.pancan.org](http://www.pancan.org), or to the MSPCA at Nevins Farm, 400 Broadway, Methuen, MA 01844. Funeral Directors, Frederick W. Healy and Walter F. Bayliss, Jr.

Please visit Thelma's memorial tribute at [www.morsebaylissfuneralhome.com](http://www.morsebaylissfuneralhome.com)

**GEORGE W. BUBAR**

LISBON - George W. Bubar, 73, of Lisbon, Maine, died at home on March 30th, 2016, after a lengthy illness.

He was born on February 19th, 1943, in Fort Fairfield, Maine to parents George and Freda (White) Bubar.

A celebration of life will take place from 1 to 5pm on April 9th, 2016, at the Slovak Club, 26 Avery St. in Lisbon Falls. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to the Dept. of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife, Statehouse Station #41 Augusta Maine, 04330.



**RONALD FOURNIER**

EAGLE LAKE - Roland Fournier, 88, past away peacefully at an Eagle Lake Health Care facility on April 1, 2016. He was born in Eagle Lake, June 10, 1927, the son of Eloi and Emelia (Saucier) Fournier.

Roland retired from the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad after 33 years. He was a life member of the Fort Kent Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus, council #0352.

He enjoyed painting, gardening, playing cards- especially winning, most of all he enjoyed his family.

He is survived by his beloved wife of 68 years, Lila (Michaud) of Eagle Lake; his two daughters, Janice and husband, Michael Hayes of Horse Shoe, NC, Della and husband, Paul Leger of Andover, Ct.; four sons; Nolan and wife, Theresa Fournier of Winterville, Clayton and wife, Louise Fournier of Eagle Lake, Lomen and wife, Patty Fournier of Winterville, Kevin and wife, Marleny Fournier of Port Richey, FL; 12 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren; his sister, Gladys Michaud of St. Petersburg, FL, and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

In addition to his parents, Roland was predeceased by two sisters and five brothers. He will be dearly missed by his family and friends.

A Mass of Christian Burial with Full Fourth Degree Honors will be celebrated 10 am Tuesday, April 5, 2016, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Eagle Lake. Spring burial will be held in the parish cemetery.

Those who wish in Roland's memory may donate to the American Heart Association, 51 US Route 1, Suite M, Scarborough, ME. 04074. Funeral services are in the care of Daigle Funeral Home, Fort Kent.

**WILLIAM H. DUCHARME**

HANCOCK and FRANCISCO MAY, CANCUN, MEXICO - William H. Ducharme, 65, passed peacefully in his sleep at our new home in Mexico on February 28, 2016. He was born in South Portland, ME on September 16, 1950, to Romeo and Virginia (Messer) Ducharme.

Bill graduated from Stearns High School in Millinocket and from Northern Maine Technical College with a degree in Electrical Engineering. He worked all his life as a broadcast engineer including television, radio, and mobile communications. He was also the proprietor of the Olde Stereo Shoppe in Ellsworth, and a consulting broadcast engineer. Bill was an avid ham radio operator (WB2GKG), an expert black powder shooter, and was especially talented at designing vacuum tube amplifiers for music systems.

Bill is survived by his wife, Elizabeth (Johnson) Ducharme; father, Romeo Ducharme of Portland, ME; daughter, Billie-Joe Hagan and her husband, Dennis and their three fabulous children, Nicholas, Zachary, and Brittainy, all of Houlton; former wife and good friend, Eleanor King of Rockland; and brothers, David Ducharme and Bruce Campbell.

A memorial service will be held at 1:30 pm, Saturday, April 9, 2016, at the Faith Community Fellowship, Bar Harbor Road (RT. 3), Trenton.

## Death Notices

**ANDERSON, Lori Lynn**, Lawrence Station, N.B. Canada, March 28, 2016.

**ARSENAULT, Martin 'Marty,'** 62, Hampden, March 27, 2016. Service 4 p.m. Saturday, April 2, at Hampden Congregational Church, 101 Main Road, Hampden. The Hampden-Gilpatrick Chapel of Brookings-Smith, 45 Western Ave., Hampden.

**BARNES, Wayne M.**, 43, Dyer Brook and Charlton, Mass., March 29, 2016. Service 2 p.m. at the County Road Baptist Church, New Limerick. Bowers Funeral Home, 54 Sherman St., Island Falls.

**BISHOP, Robert D.**, 16, Rockport; at Portland, March 29, 2016. Service 1 p.m. Saturday, April 9, 2016, at Rockport Opera House, Rockport. Long Funeral Home, 9 Mountain St., Camden.

**BLAKELY, Richard "Dick" M.**, Brewer and Millinocket, March 19, 2016. Service 11 a.m. April 16, 2016, at the Elks Lodge, Odlin Road, Bangor.

**BUBAR, George W.**, 73, Lisbon; at Lisbon, March 30, 2016. Service 1 p.m. April 9, 2016, at the Slovak Club, 26 Avery St., Lisbon Falls.

**CARNEY, Lawrence K.**, 73, March 31, 2016, St. Stephen, New Brunswick. Mays Funeral Home, Calais and Eastport.

**CLARK, Millard P. "Peter" Jr.**, 66, Winn; at Winn, March 31, 2016. Service 7 p.m. Sunday, April 3, at Clay Funeral Home, 7 Lee Rd., Lincoln.

**CLARK, Rosabel W.**, Franklin; at Ellsworth, March 30, 2016. Service 1 p.m. April 10, 2016, at the United Baptist Church, Ellsworth. Jordan-Fernald, 113 Franklin St., Ellsworth.

**DEVOST, Yvonne**, 85, Madawaska and Grand Isle; at Madawaska, March 31, 2016. Service 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 6, 2016, at St. Gerard Church, Grand Isle.

**DOHERTY, Wiley**, 82, Mars Hill, March 31, 2016. Service 2 p.m. Sunday, April 3, 2016, at Duncan-Graves Funeral Home, 30 Church St., Presque Isle.

**DUCHARME, William H.**, 65, Hancock and Francisco May, Cancun, Mexico; at Mexico, Feb. 28, 2016. Service 1:30 pm, Saturday, April 9, 2016, at the Faith Community Fellowship, Bar Harbor Road (RT. 3), Trenton.

**FEERO, Thelma J. (Stairs)**, 73, Dracut, Mass.; at Dracut, Mass., March 30, 2016. Service 10 a.m. Monday at St. Michael Church, 543 Bridge St., Lowell, Mass.

**FLEWELLING, Goldie M.**, 96, Monticello; at Houlton, March 30, 2016.

**FOURNIER, Roland**, 88, Eagle Lake; at Eagle Lake, April 1, 2016. Service 10 a.m. Tuesday, April 5, 2016, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Eagle Lake. Daigle Funeral Home, Fort Kent.

**HAMLIN, Robert E.**, 93, Brownville; at Bangor, March 31, 2016. Service 1 p.m. Tuesday, April 5, 2016, at Brownville Community Church.

**HODSHON, Juanita L. (Chambers)**, 80, Fort Fairfield and Presque Isle; at Bangor, March 31, 2016. Service 12 noon Thursday, May 12, 2016, at Riverside Cemetery, Fort Fairfield.

**HOPKINS, Galen S.**, 89, Bangor; at Bangor, March 31, 2016. Service 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 5, 2016, at St. Paul the Apostle Parish, St. John's Catholic Church, 207 York St., Bangor. Brookings-Smith, 163 Center St., Bangor.

**LOWERY, Leland F.**, 88, Orono; at Orono, March 29, 2016. Service 1 p.m. April 30, 2016, at the Church of Universal Fellowship, Main Street, Orono.

**MCBRIAN, James W.**, 64, Appleton; at Barcelona, Spain, March 25, 2016. Long Funeral Home & Cremation Service, 9 Mountain St., Camden.

**MCSORLEY, Barry K.**, 77, Sebec; at Bangor, March 31, 2016. Lary Funeral Home, Milo.

**MORRILL, Melissa A.**, 74, Greenville; at Greenville, March 30, 2016. Lary Funeral Home, Greenville.

**NADEAU II, Duane Richard**, Winslow, March 28, 2016. Service 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 6, at St. John the Baptist Church, Winslow. Lawry Brothers Funeral Home.

**NADEAU, Carole J.**, 78, Caribou; at Caribou, April 1, 2016. Service 11 a.m. Monday, April 4, 2016, at Mockler Funeral Home, 24 Reservoir St., Caribou.

**SAWYER, Donald L.**, 60, Carmel, March 30, 2016. Service 1 p.m. April 9, 2016, at 15 Colonial Circle, Brewer, ME.

**SMITH, Andrew J.**, 50, Corinth, March 31, 2016. Service 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 6, 2016, at Charleston Church, 185 Main Road, Charleston.

**SPIRIO, Angelo J.**, 95, Rockport; at Augusta, March 20, 2016. Service 2 p.m. Friday, April 8, 2016, at Long Funeral Home, 9 Mountain St., Camden.

**THOMPSON, Josephine Monforte**, Hampden and Franklin, Mass., March 30, 2016.

## In Memoriam

In Loving Memory Of  
**DONALD A. BUCKLEY SR.**  
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Sadly missed on your birthday by family and friends. Wife, Eleanor; children, Donald Jr. and wife, Marion, Thomas and wife, Donna, Robin and Karen; grandchildren, great-grandchildren, sisters, nephews and nieces. Until we see each other again in the winds of heaven.



**WAYNE M. BARNES**

DYER BROOK and CHARLTON, MASS. - Wayne M Barnes, 43, passed away unexpectedly on March 29, 2016, in Massachusetts. He was born September 5, 1972, in Southbridge, Mass., the son of Edgar and Ruth Ann (Carrington) Barnes.

Wayne loved driving truck and was the proud owner of his own trucking business, Lilli John Transport. He was a hard worker, a loving family man and loved his kids immensely.

He is survived by his children, Johnathan and Lillian-na and their mother, Kristina; a brother and sister, Wendell Barnes and Tammy Barnes, both of Charlton, Mass.; several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins. He was predeceased by his parents, Edgar and Ruth Ann.

Friends may call 11 am to 1pm on Saturday, April 9th at Bowers Funeral Home, 54 Sherman Street, Island Falls. Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. at the County Road Baptist Church, New Limerick, with the Pastor Bell officiating. A truck procession will escort Wayne to the church, leaving the funeral home at 1 pm. A spring interment will be held at the Merrill Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Johnathan and Lillianna Scholarship, c/o Bowers Funeral Home, PO Box 579, Houlton, ME 04730.

For an online memory book and to leave condolences please visit [www.bowersfuneral.com](http://www.bowersfuneral.com)

**GOLDIE M. FLEWELLING**

MONTICELLO - Goldie M. Flewelling, 96, died March 30, 2016, in Houlton. She was born February 10, 1920, in Amity, the daughter of Raymond and Mary (McLaughlin) Hall.

Goldie worked on the family farm with her husband and family and took great pride in her flower gardens and lawn. She enjoyed her family and was an excellent cook. We have many treasured memories and her loving family will miss her.

She is survived by her son, Jerry Wayne Flewelling and his wife, Jeannie of Monticello; 8 grandchildren, Linda Delong and John Whitney, Sheila Heath and Luke Lee, Jay Flewelling, Larry Flewelling and Nikki Lynds, Clarissa Porter and Dean, Karl Flewelling and Andrea Philips, Crystal Nichols and Dana and Caitlyn Acott and Nate; 13 great-grandchildren, a great-great-grandson, several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Russell; her children, Bonnie Rae, Larry Leslie and Gary Lloyd; brothers, Percy, Raymond, Ralph and Hazen; and a sister, Madeline Daggett.

Per Goldie's request a graveside services will be held in the Spring at the Jewell Cemetery in Monticello. In lieu of flowers those who wish may make a contribution to a charity of ones choice. For an online memory book and to leave condolences please visit [www.bowersfuneral.com](http://www.bowersfuneral.com)



**BARRY K. MCSORLEY**

SEBEC - Barry McSorley, 77, died March 31, 2016, at Eastern Maine Medical Center, Bangor, with family by his side after a long illness. He was born January 27, 1939, in Milo, the son of Sam & Estelle (Decker) McSorley.

Barry joined the Navy when he was 17 years old and was a member of the White House Honor Guard. He traveled the country for many years working as a carpenter, making many good friends around the country.

He was predeceased by three sisters, Bunny Colter, Donna Paul, and Gail Burlock; and a brother, Charlie. He is survived by a brother, Leroy McSorley and wife, Pat, of Elliottsville Plt.; a daughter, Denise Tucker and husband, Harry; and two grandchildren, Andrew and Avery, all of Westbrook; many nieces and nephews; and a special life-long friend, Greta Wright and her family. Barry and his family were especially grateful to his good friend and neighbor, Danny Marks, who did a lot for him over the years!

At Barry's request there will be no funeral services. Just remember him by all the good times you had with him! Cremation arrangements are in the care of Lary Funeral Home, Milo. Messages of condolence may be expressed at [www.laryfuneralhome.com](http://www.laryfuneralhome.com).

**JOSEPHINE MONFORTE THOMPSON**

HAMPDEN AND FRANKLIN, MASS. - Josephine Monforte Thompson, of Franklin, Massachusetts died on Wednesday, March 30, 2016, after a brief illness. Josephine, also known as Pippy to some, was born in Albany, NY on December 3, 1919. She was the daughter of Salvatore and Maria Monforte.

She grew up in Albany, NY, graduated from Albany High School and married her late husband, Lt. Col. Arnold F. Thompson, USAF Ret, also from Albany, NY. Her husband's service in the Air Force afforded her the opportunity to travel extensively throughout Europe as he was stationed at Spangdahlem Air Force Base in Germany. In 1959 the family moved to Hampden, Maine where she worked as secretary to the Principal at the George B. Weatherbee School before retiring and moving back to Albany, NY. Recently she moved to Franklin, Massachusetts where she resided for the last 4 years.

Josephine is survived by her three children, Patricia Thompson Fox of Atlanta, GA, Arnold Jeffrey Thompson of Fresno, Ca, and Christine Thompson O'Rourke of Norfolk, MA. She was predeceased by one brother and two sisters, Charles Monforte, Concetta Carmivale and Paulina Marconi.

Private funeral services will be held at a later date.

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