

OBITUARIES



MADELINE DORIS MCPHERSON

CORINTH - Madeline Doris McPherson, 92, wife of Raymond Walter McPherson Sr., went to join him in Heaven on May 21, 2016. She was born on June 27, 1923, in Presque Isle, the daughter of Claude Rodney and Lucy Jane (Brooks) Moran.

As a teenager, Madeline enjoyed singing with her sister Vivian in church and on the radio church services for the Rev. Melvin McGeorge and the Rev. Dan Pike. She was a graduate of Presque Isle High School, class of 1941, where she enjoyed participating in music and drama. Madeline married Raymond, the love of her life, on November 1, 1941, and they were happily married for nearly 67 years, until his passing in July of 2008. Together, they operated a general store, a potato farm, and, after moving to Corinth, a successful dairy and poultry farm. They were both members of the Charleston Pentecostal Church, where she taught Sunday School for 53 years. She truly loved each of her students and was a favorite of many! Even as they became adults, she referred to them as "my boys" and "my girls." For many years, she led all of the Sunday school students in singing during opening exercises. She and Ray opened their home to their first pastor "Uncle Gene" Kimball, as well as several evangelists for many years. Over the years, she enjoyed singing in the Souls Harbor Choir with Pastor Ronnie Libby, as well as singing in the church choir. For several years Madeline was coordinator of the church's Senior Adult Fellowship, later serving as their secretary. Madeline was definitely a "people person." She volunteered as the Activities Coordinator at Westgate Manor in Bangor for more than 25 years, where she was recognized with many awards for her volunteerism. She also coordinated a group at Emilio Estates in Corinth. She visited other nursing homes, as well, helping to cheer their residents. In 1989, she was featured by WVII TV, as "Person of the Week" for her volunteer work. She was also a nominee for the prestigious Jefferson Award for her extraordinary public service. Madeline's other volunteer activities included serving as school room mother for her children and granddaughters and serving as a District #64 Spelling Bee judge for several years. Madeline was a talented writer, composing several beautiful songs and poems. Other hobbies included reading, bird watching, gardening, and traveling. She loved cooking for her family and friends, especially being remembered for her famous raised glazed doughnuts, butterscotch rolls, and molasses cookies. She enjoyed taking nature walks, picnick-

ing, fishing, playing various sports, mowing her law on her riding mower, and other outdoor activities. She adored her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren and she had an extremely close relationship with all of them. She enjoyed entertaining and spending time with them.

Mom, Grams, and Gramsie was truly the "light of all of our lives" and will be greatly missed. Her motto in life was "JOY"- Jesus, others, and you. She taught us all that "The joy of Lord is our strength!" Several friends have stated that they will always remember our Mom for her contagious smile and for being full of the joy of the Lord. Friends were often blessed to receive an encouraging phone call or to be met with a "God bless you. I am praying for you." She always enjoyed meeting people, offering words of encouragement, and hearing others' life stories.

Madeline is survived by her three very loving daughters and son; Patricia June and her husband, Kenneth Speed, of Garland, Sandra Doris and her husband, Gloria Rae and her husband, Scott Westhryn, of Bangor and Raymond Walter Jr. and his wife, Joan, of Garland. She was also blessed with 7 adoring grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren, Kenneth and wife, Kelly Speed, and sons, Hunter, Colin and Trevor; Tricia (Speed) and husband, Steven Phillips, and sons, Jeremy and Zachary; Raelene (Doody) and husband, Dan Parks, and daughters, Kalena, Kaelyn, Kiera, Kylie and Kristina; Angelene (Doody) and husband, Jeremy Davis; Kandace McPherson and son, Logan; and Thomas McPherson, and Andrew McPherson. In addition to her husband and parents, Madeline was also predeceased by her sisters, Katherine and Vivian; and her brother, Ogden.

A special thank you to all of the nieces and nephews who stayed connected with visits, cards and calls. Also, much love and thanks to all of our friends at Ross Manor, who have become like family to us. We appreciate all of your tender loving care that you gave to your "Queen Maddie" during the past four years.

Friends may call at 1 p.m. prior to the 2 p.m. memorial service, which will be held on Wednesday, May 25, at the Charleston Pentecostal Church with the Rev. Matthew Ward. Interment will follow at the Corinthian Cemetery in Corinth. In lieu of flowers, gifts in Mom's memory may be made to the Charleston Pentecostal Sunday School or to Soul's Harbor, Corinth. Arrangements are by Thompson Funeral Home, 17 Hudson Rd., Corinth.

Death Notices

BRIDGES, Zimri R., 84, Verona Island; at Bangor, May 21, 2016. Service 10 a.m. Friday May 27, 2016 at Mitchell-Tweedie Funeral Home.

BRUNO, Mary, 80, Turner, May 20, 2016. Direct Cremation of Maine, 182 Waldo Ave., Belfast.

CARTER, Dudley, Millinocket, Dec. 26, 2015. Service 2 p.m. Friday, May 27, 2016 at the Millinocket Cemetery. Lamson Funeral Home.

CATES, Brent J., 50, Glenburn; at Glenburn, May 21, 2016. Service 5-7 p.m. Wednesday at Birmingham Funeral Home, 428 Main St., Old Town.

CIARROCHI, Thomas J., 72, Mattawamkeag; at Mattawamkeag, May 17, 2016. Service 1 p.m. Sunday, July 10, 2016 at Lincoln Cemetery. Clay Funeral Home, 7 Lee Rd., Lincoln.

CORSON JR., Earl "Junior," 75, Hermon, May 21, 2016. Service 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 24, 2016 at Pleasant Hill Cemetery, Hermon. Brookings-Smith, 133 Center St., Bangor.

CURTIS, David C., 79, Hancock; at Ellsworth, May 22, 2016. Jordan-Fernald, 113 Franklin St., Ellsworth.

DONAHUE, Kerry J., 72, Windham, May 19, 2016. Direct Cremation of Maine, 182 Waldo Ave., Belfast.

DOW, Doris M., 105, Easton and Rockland; at Bangor, March 4, 2016. Service 10 a.m. Friday, May 27, 2016 at Riverside Cemetery, Fort Fairfield. Giberson-Dorsey Funeral Home, 144 Main St., Fort Fairfield.

EKLUND, Peter S., 57, Litchfield, May 17, 2016. Direct Cremation of Maine, 182 Waldo Ave., Belfast.

GREEN, Harlan Dale, 73, Bangor, May 15, 2016. Service noon June 7 at the VA Cemetery in Augusta.

GRINDLE, Mary M., 80, Bar Harbor, May 19, 2016. Direct Cremation of Maine, 182 Waldo Ave., Belfast.

HARDY, Eleanor L., 87, Belfast, May 19, 2016. Riposta Funeral Home, 182 Waldo Ave., Belfast.

HARRINGTON JR., Guy E., 81, Hodgdon; at Houlton, March 9, 2016. Service 2 p.m. Friday, May 27, 2016 at Hodgdon Cemetery. Dunn Funeral Home, 11 Park St., Houlton.

HENDERSON, Christopher Lee, 67, Houlton; at Houlton, May 20, 2016. Service 1 p.m. at Dunn Funeral Home, Houlton.

JANDREAU, Irene Ann (Pelletier), 65, St. John and St. Francis; at Bangor, May 20, 2016. Service 10 a.m. Wednesday, May 25, 2016 at St. Charles Catholic Church, St. Francis. Daigle Funeral Home, Fort Kent.

LEIGHTON, Marie A., Steuben. Service 11:30 a.m. Saturday, May 28, 2016 at All Souls by the Sea Chapel Cemetery, Petit Manan Point, Pigeon Hill Rd., Steuben.

LITTLE, Lillian M., Bangor; at Bangor, May 21, 2016. Service 2 p.m. Thursday, May 26, 2016 at Sunbury Village, 922 Ohio St., Bangor. Kiley & Foley Funeral Service, 299 Union St., Bangor.

MACDOUGALL, Donald William, Dexter, May 19, 2016. Service 3 p.m. May 29 at the Cornerstone Baptist Church, Exeter.

MCPHERSON, Cluny B., 85, Presque Isle; at Presque Isle, Feb. 8, 2016. Service 11 a.m. Thursday, May 26, at Fairmount Cemetery. Duncan-Graves Funeral Home.

MCPHERSON, Madeline D., 92, Corinth, May 21, 2016. Service 2 p.m. Wednesday, May 25, at Charleston Pentecostal Church. Thompson Funeral Home, 17 Hudson Rd., Corinth.

MEGQUIER, Hilda E., 93, Hudson; at Hudson, May 21, 2016. Service 12 noon Tuesday, May 24, 2016 at Brookings-Smith, 133 Center St., Bangor.

MORROW, Shirley, Millinocket, Dec. 16, 2015. Service 1 p.m. Friday, May 27, 2016 at the Millinocket Cemetery. Lamson Funeral Home.

RODGERSON, Gilbert, 81, Millinocket; at Millinocket, May 22, 2016. Service 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 31, 2016 at the Millinocket Cemetery. Bowers Funeral Home.

ST-ONGE, Enoil, 87, Madawaska; at Madawaska, May 21, 2016. Service 10 a.m. Friday, May 27, 2016 at St. Thomas Aquinas Parish, 337 Saint Thomas St., Madawaska. Lajoie Funeral Home.

TALMADGE, Rev. Charles F., 92, Newport, May 21, 2016. Service 11 a.m. Thursday, May 26, 2016 at the First Baptist Church of Hartland. Crosby & Neal.

TARDY SR., William, 89, Houlton; at Houlton, May 23, 2016. Service 12 noon Wednesday, May 25, 2016 at Dunn Funeral Home, 11 Park St., Houlton.

WATSON, Thomas Stormann, Orono. Memorial Alternatives.

WHALEN, Durward C., 84, Presque Isle; at Presque Isle, Jan. 12, 2016. Service noon Friday, May 27, at North Main Street Catholic Cemetery. Duncan-Graves Funeral Home.

CHRISTOPHER LEE HENDERSON

HOULTON - Christopher Lee Henderson, 67, passed away Friday, May 20, 2016, at a Houlton hospital. He was born May 6, 1949, in Bangor, the son of the late Samuel and Winnifred (Tuck) Henderson.

Chris lived at Pineland Center in Augusta for many years until he moved to Houlton in April 1977. Since that time he has resided in homes operated by Community Living Association. Chris will be missed by many friends and staff from Community Living Association.

Friends may call noon Thursday, May 26, at Dunn Funeral Home, where services will be conducted a 1p.m. with the Rev. Jessie Drysdale officiating. Interment will immediately follow the service at Evergreen Cemetery, Houlton. Following the interment a reception will be held at CLA's Career Enhancement Center. Online condolences and guest book: dunnfuneral.com.

Committal Services

DUDLEY CARTER

MILLINOCKET - Graveside services, with military honors, for Dudley Carter, who died December 26, 2015, will be held 2 P.M. Friday, May 27 at the Millinocket Cemetery.



LILLIAN M. LITTLE

BANGOR - Lillian May (Curtis) Little passed away peacefully on May 21, 2016 at her home at Sunbury Village in Bangor. She was surrounded in her final days by her loving family, who will miss her greatly.

Lillian was born in Belfast Maine in 1933. She graduated from Belfast High school and Westbrook Junior College of Portland with an associate degree in business. After graduation she moved to Boston, MA and worked in an office of Metcalf and Eddy Engineering Co. She lived in Boston for two years while her fiance served in the Army during the Korean Conflict. She married Raymond Melville Little of Portland after his return in 1955. Following their marriage, Lillian and Raymond lived in a series of locations which included homes in Jackson Heights, NY, London, NJ, Rochester and Utica NY, Elizabeth NJ, Creve Couer, MO, and Wheaton, IL before returning to her native state of Maine. Her four children, Roy, Bruce, Joyce and Kristen, were born during this time. She returned to Maine in 1971 and picked out a farm in Hermon, ME to finally settle down. She and Raymond lived there for 29 years before they retired together to a house they built on the shore of Sebasticook Lake in Newport. The house-building was Lillian's project, and overseeing the construction was something she enjoyed, though "sticking to a budget was quite a challenge", she said. Lillian had a lifelong interest in home design and decoration, and was always a creative home-maker.

Lillian had a special interest in arts and crafts. A painting class she took in New Jersey was an especially fond memory and her painting from that class is a family treasure. She also enjoyed sewing, knitting, and embroidery. She was a dedicated mother, and when her children were young she enjoyed camping, canoeing, and bicycle riding with them. Lillian was an active community volunteer wherever she

lived, and gave her time to local PTA's, the Boy Scouts of America, the Salvation Army, the Penobscot County Agricultural Extension Service, the Maine State Fair, and the Bangor Flower Show. In her later years she had a great interest in raising dogs, always having a Labrador retriever or two about the house, and frequently a litter of puppies underfoot. Lillian and Ray shared an interest in travel and visited every state in America. They traveled extensively in eastern Canada and took a cruise in the Caribbean and in Costa Rica where she once had a monkey sit on her head! She traveled by car, bus, tall ship, cruise ship, train, and plane. Together with Raymond she operated their small farm, owned the Mister Donut Store in Bangor and the Feedbag Restaurant in Brewer, and made a bed & breakfast at their Hermon home which they called Hamstead Farm. They were appreciated by many of their repeat visitors for their hospitality and Lillian's good cooking.

Lillian was the daughter of Rena (Smith) Whitney and Clifford Curtis, both of Belfast, ME. Lillian's younger sister, Virginia (Curtis) Ramsey is deceased. Lillian has two surviving brothers, Steven Curtis of Belfast, and Brian Curtis of North Fork, CA. Her husband Raymond predeceased her in 2012. Her four children, six grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren live in Maine, California, Utah, Michigan, Kansas, and Idaho.

A memorial service will be held 2 PM Thursday, May 26, 2016 at Sunbury Village, 922 Ohio St, Bangor. In lieu of flowers, gifts may be directed to the Bangor Humane Society, 693 B Mt. Hope Ave., Bangor, ME 04401. A private family interment ceremony will be held at Maine Veteran's Memorial Cemetery, Augusta at a later date. Arrangements by Kiley & Foley Funeral Service, 299 Union St., Bangor. Messages and memories may be share with her family at kileyandfoley.com.

HARLAN DALE GREEN

BANGOR - Harlan Dale Green, 73, went to be with the Lord May 15, 2016. He was born in Bangor to the late Harlan and Doris Green.

Dale graduated from Brewer High in 1960. In 1964 he graduated from Husson College and Officers Training School with a Masters in Business and named 2nd Lieutenant. Upon graduating he enlisted in the U.S. Air Force where he was appointed Captain and was assigned to Eielson AFB, Alaska as Aircraft Engine Manager. Dale proudly served in the Vietnam War. In 1969 Dale returned to the states and held positions as Town Manger in Milo and Lincoln. After retiring to his home town of Clifton you could find him spending countless days at his camp on Parks Pond, where he enjoyed gatherings with family and friends and awaited what prank his cousin, Dusty and son, David, would have up their sleeve. Dale enjoyed snowmobiling, Sunday family drives for ice cream, his three labs and the taste of lobster and tacos.

Dale is survived by his two sons, David and his wife, Michelle, of Brewer and Capt. Danny and his wife, Holly, of Washington; his daughter, Jessica and her husband, Justin, of Bangor; and five grandchildren, Cassy and Cameron Green, Sterling and Parcher Green and Reagan Hatch. Dale was predeceased by his parents; and one brother, David.

Graveside services will be held at noon on June 7 at the VA Cemetery in Augusta.

Committal Services

SHIRLEY MORROW

MILLINOCKET - Committal services for Shirley Morrow, who died December 16, 2015, will be held 1 P.M. Friday, May 27 at the Millinocket Cemetery.

Former Megadeth drummer dies after collapsing on stage

BY SUZANNAH GONZALES
REUTERS

Nick Menza, a former drummer for the heavy metal band Megadeth, died at age 51 after collapsing on stage at a Los Angeles club late Saturday, a family spokesman said Sunday.

Menza collapsed while performing with his current band, OHM, at the Baked Potato club in Studio City, California, where he lived, said family spokesman J. Marshall Craig, who is also Menza's biographer.

The band had been performing its third song of the first set late Saturday when Menza collapsed, Craig said. Audience members and friends tried to resuscitate him until medics arrived, but Menza died in an ambulance en route to a local hospital after 25 minutes of resuscitation attempts.

"Despite his excellent health and extremely active, sober lifestyle, a heart attack

is his suspected, though not confirmed, cause of death," Craig said. An autopsy will be performed, he said.

Menza was the longest-serving drummer for Megadeth from 1989 to 1998, a period when the band was considered at its height, Craig said. He recorded drums and toured on the albums "Rust in Peace," "Countdown to Extinction," "Youthanasia" and "Cryptic Writings."

Menza was asked by Megadeth co-founder Dave Mustaine to join the band in 1989, after first playing live with the group the year before in Bradford, England, according to Menza's website.

Halfway through a 1998 tour, Menza discovered a tumor on his knee and was forced to leave for surgery. Megadeth hired a replacement and Menza was not asked back, the website said.

He had been playing in OHM, which included fellow Megadeth alumnus Chris Poland, for more than one year.



MARIE A. LEIGHTON

STEBUEN - A Memorial Service for Marie A. Leighton will be on May 28, 2016 @ 11:30 at All Souls by the Sea Chapel/Cemetery on the end of Petit Manan Point, Pigeon Hill Rd, Steuben, ME. Refreshments will follow at her home to celebrate her life. If you need directions or additional information, please call (850) 532-9311.

WILLIAM TARDY, SR.

HOULTON - William Tardy, Sr., 89, passed away Monday, May 23, 2016 at his residence. Friends may call 11 am Wednesday, May 25, 2016 at the Dunn Funeral Home, 11 Park Street, Houlton, where a funeral service will be conducted 12 noon with his son, William Tardy Jr. officiating. A complete obituary will appear in Wednesday's edition of the Bangor Daily News. Arrangements in care of Dunn Funeral Home.

In Memoriam

In Loving Memory Of
ADAM "AJ" CARLISLE
Jul 08, 1983 - May 24, 2006



Your smile says it all...we miss the JOY of you with us..your crazy, fun unconditional love for all..Not a day goes by..we smile and ache at the same time.

Love You Forever Dad, Mom, and Tiffany

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