# **OBITUARIES**



SUMMERFIELD, FLA. -Kimberly J. Simpson, 42, of Summerfield, FL. passed away unexpectedly Tuesday, October 20, 2015. Ms. Simpson was born February 13, 1973, in Bangor, ME. She moved here in February of 2013 from Lisbon, ME.

Kim was the Director of Rehab at The Club in The Villages. She was dedicated to her profession and devoted to helping others. She had a love of horses, especially "Playboy" and "Mac". She was very active in the Susan G. Koman 3 Day Walk for breast cancer and the Dempsey Challenge for cancer. Kim was a tireless volunteer. Whether it was in the parent organizations of her son's schools, on the sidelines of sporting events, or at national fundraising campaigns, Kim found the time to contribute, and had received Presidential recognition for her service.

Survivors include her life partner, Larry Partash; son, Gregory Scott Simpson; parents, Carol and John Dean of The Villages, FL and Richard and Pam Simpson of Hampden, ME; brother, Kevin Simpson (Jennifer) of Raymond, ME; niece, Hailey Young of Raymond, ME; paternal grandmothers, Doris

Kim's family will celebrate her life with a visitation from 2:00 PM and service at 3:00 PM Sunday, October 25, 2015, in the Banks/Page-Theus Chapel, 410 Webster St., Wildwood, FL 34785. For those who wish, consider a contribution in Kim's name to cancer research, the Blue Moon Ranch in Wildwood, FL or a charitable organiza-

### WILLIAM W. 'BILL' BOWDREN III

W. "Bill" Bowdren III died October 20, 2015, after a lengthy illness, surrounded by his family. He

He is survived by his

beloved wife of 45 years, Emily (Cyr) Bowdren. Bill's sometimes gruff ex-

terior did little to hide his big, generous heart. He loved his family, his faith, and his country, and he served them all well. Bill cherished and cared for his nieces and nephews as though they were his own children. Born August 1, 1948, the son of the late William W. "Bill" Bowdren Jr. and the late Ann C. "Nancie" Bowdren, he, along with his younger brother Rick, grew up in North Babylon, New York. He attended North Babylon High School, where he excelled on the varsity baseball team. He earned his bachelor's degree at Husson University in Bangor, Maine and was a member of the Kappa Delta Phi fraternity there. While he was an undergraduate, he served in Army ROTC at the University of Maine. Upon graduating from college, Bill was commissioned into the U.S. Army as a second lieutenant. He served active duty for 4 years and 8 months, including a one-year tour in Korea. He attained the rank of Captain, and earned the National Defense Service Medal, the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, and the Army Commendation Medal. He also served for 10 years in the Army Reserves.

Bill earned his master's degree from Golden Gate University in San Francisco, California. He worked for 40 vears in the beverage industry. He worked for Miller Brewing and was in charge of military sales west of the Mississippi River for many years. He worked most recently for the Honest Iced Tea Company for several years. He was a 4th degree member of the Knights of Columbus. Bill was a great listener. He was always there

Marty Ingels, an actor,

talent agent and industry ra-

conteur who was married to

Shirley Jones for nearly 40

years, died Wednesday at

Tarzana Medical Center fol-

lowing a massive stroke. He

comic actor in the 1960s

with his zany style and rap-

id-fire, raspy-voiced deliv-

ery. In later years he worked

as an agent and as a voice

artist in cartoons, in addi-

but there's not a day I won't

miss him and love him to my core," Jones said.

John Astin in the 1962 ABC

comedy "I'm Dickens, He's

Fenster" about two carpen-

ters, one married and one a

playboy. Ingels played the

married Arch Fenster. The

series, created by sitcom vet

Leonard Stern, lasted only

one season but has endured

as a cult favorite among vin-

Ingels logged numerous

tage TV fans.

Ingels co-starred opposite

'He often drove me crazy,

tion to producing.

Ingels made his mark as a

**REUTERS** 

HOLDEN, MASS. - William to lend a helping hand and to provide wise counsel. He loved traveling around the country with his wife, Emily; he enjoyed coaching T-Ball and Little League Baseball; and he loved playing golf, including with his brother, Rick, who was never able to beat him. Bill had a profound impact on many people's

In addition to his wife

Emily, he is also survived by his brother, Rick Bowdren and his wife, Therese of Cincinnati, Ohio; two brothers-in-law, Glenn Cyr of Portland, Me. and Kevin Cyr of Plymouth, Mass.; and one sister-in-law, Amy Cyr of Hermon, Me. He was also the brother-in-law of the late Lisa Desrosiers of Manchester, N.H. He is survived by his mother-in-law, Helena Cyr of Hermon, Me., and he was the son-in-law of the late George E. Cyr. He is also survived by his nieces and nephews: Kelly McDonald and her husband, Matt of Mashpee, Mass.; Shannon Heald and her husband, Jimmy of Chicago, III.; Jarrett Bowdren and his wife, Brooke of McHenry, III.; Chantelle Cyr, Rebecca Cyr, and Marshall Cyr, all of Plymouth, Mass.; Rachelle Cobb of Bangor, Me.; Ty Cobb and his wife, Stephanie of Brewer, Me.; Shawn Desrosiers and his wife, Keyra of Penbrook, N.H.; and Monique Miller of Nashua, N.H. In addition, he is survived by numerous great-nieces and great-nephews, and by his stepmother, Jean Bowdren of Pompano Beach, Fla.

Visiting hours will be from 2 to 5 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 25, 2015 at the Slattery Funeral Home, 40 Pleasant St., Marlborough, MA 01752. There will be a Funeral Mass on Friday, Nov. 13 at 11 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 768 Ohio St., Bangor ME 04401. Memorial donations in Bill's honor may be sent to Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center, c/o Office of Development, 330 Brookline Avenue, Boston, MA 02215.



JANE E. TREWORGY

BANGOR AND CALAIS Jane E. Treworgy, 57, died October 21, 2015, at her home in Bangor after a long illness and a brave fight with severe mental illness. She was born November 2, 1957, at the Calais Regional Hospital. Jane was the precious daughter of her father, Robert and mother, Barbara, now deceased.

Jane is survived by a sister, Elaine Jacques of Auburn; two brothers, Paul Treworgy and his wife, Janet of Topsham and Dr. Scott Treworgy and his wife, Darla of Yarmouth; several nieces and nephews and 5 greatnieces and nephews.

Jane graduated from Calais High School, class of 1975. Following graduation, she received her Associates Degree from Westbrook Junior College where she majored in Nursing. She also took courses at the University of Maine at Farmington and Machias. She continued her education in Chicago, IL where she completed the Basic Nurse Assistant Train-

ing Program. Jane was a happy and energetic woman before her mental illness developed in her early 20's. She was active in the drama club in high school, school choir and loved being a cheerleader. She was also voted by fellow contestants in the International Festival Beauty Contest as "Miss Congeniality". The family owes a special depth of gratitude to the ACT Team at CHCS and especially to Brenda Peterson, Jane's case manager. Brenda was vigilant as an advocate for Jane for many years. She involved our family and kept us informed of her care and progress and setbacks. We also want to thank Hospice Home Care for allowing her the dignity of dying at home. Her journey was swift and peaceful. The knowledge and compassionate understanding prepared the family and Jane's wishes were honored.

Services will be private for the family. Those who wish to remember Jane in a special way may make gifts in her memory to CHCS ACT Team/Hospice Services, P.O. Box 425, Bangor, ME 04402-0425. A service of Brookings Smith, 133 Center Street, Bangor.



LEE C. BENNETT JR.

ASHLAND - Lee C. Bennett Jr., 55, died unexpectedly Tuesday, October 20, 2015. He was born August 26, 1960, in Gardner, MA, a son of the late Lee C. Bennett Sr. and Elaine (Elliott) Butkus, and his stepfather, Tony Butkus

Lee was a long-time harness racing enthusiast and enjoyed his time on the track as a horse trainer and driver. He was a lifetime member of the US Trotting Association. He loved spending time with his family and especially loved doting on his grandchildren.

He is survived by: his wife of 35 years, Alane (Berry) Bennett of Ashland; two children, Lee Bennett III and his wife, Jill of Rhode Island and Pamela Bennett and her companion, Rob Whipple of Ashland; his stepmother, Sheila (O'Clair) Bennett of Ashland; four siblings, Susan Langley of Massachusetts, Anthony Bennett and his wife, Nanette of Tennessee, Aaron Bennett and his wife, Brooke of Sanford, and Terri Goodine of Presque Isle; six grandchildren, Brayden, Colby and Logan Bennett, Blake Vincent, Amanda and Hunter Whipple; and many nieces

and nephews. A funeral service will be held at 10 AM on Saturday, October 24, 2015, at Lajoie Funeral Home, 114 Exchange St., Ashland, with Rev. Steve Cartwright officiating. Relatives and friends may greet the family Saturday morning 9:00 AM until the time of service at the funeral home. Interment will be in Ashland Municipal Cemetery. To share condolences online, please visit

www.LajoieFuneralHome.com

### In Memoriam

In Loving Memory Of PATRICIA "PATSY" A. **AUGUSTUS** 



never be forgotten. Love your husband and children



ROBERT E. DIXON MSGT USAF RET.

BLAINE AND WAYCROSS. GA. - Robert Erwin Dixon, 81, died October 21, 2015, at the Aroostook Health Center in Mars Hill. He was born May 28, 1934, the son of the late Mattie (Woodard) Dixon and the Reverend Hughie Dixon of Waycross, GA.

Robert graduated from Wacona High School in 1952. He joined the US Air Force after graduation, serving 21 years. Among the tours of duties where he served 8 vears with the 89th MAW. the Presidential Wing at Andrews Air Force Base and one year in Vietnam.

On November 25, 1955, he married Ione Hallowell of Blaine, ME.

Robert was a member of the following Masonic related organizations; Aroostook Lodge #197, Garfield Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, St. Aldemars Commandery, Knights Templar and Anah Temple Shrine. A life member of Hayward Frazier Post VFW in Presque Isle, ME. He is a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Fort Fairfield, ME.

He greatly enjoyed playing music with his friends around the County and New Brunswick, Canada, especially Paul Smithkey from Bath. N.B., Warner Archer from Washburn, and Don Peters from Caribou.

He was predeceased by his parents; brothers, Stanton, Harry, Wendell, and Harold; also a very special sister, Mattie Maudine "Shug" and her twin brother, Eugene.

He is survived by his wife of 59 years, lone (Hallowell) Dixon of Blaine; brothers, Lamar and his wife, Hilda of Waycross GA., Jimmy and his wife, Martha of St. Simons Island, GA.; sisters, Myra Fisher of Clarksville, TN. and Marilyn and her husband, Grady Thornhill of Waycross; many special nieces and nephews, who took the time to visit, call or sent notes of encourage-

A graveside service will be conducted at a later date with full Military Honors and an Aroostook Masonic Lodge service. The family requests any memorial gifts be made to the Walter TA Hansen Memorial Library, PO Box 1008, Mars Hill, ME 04758; St. Paul's Episcopal Church, PO Box 737, Fort Fairfield, ME 04742, or the charity of personal preference. Online condolences may be shared at

www.duncan-graves.com

#### **JUSTINE CLAIRE SCHNEIDER**

**BLUE HILL - Justine Claire** Schneider of Blue Hill died on October 20, 2015, at Blue Hill Memorial Hospital, following complications from a stroke.

She was born in Muncie, Indiana, on May 19, 1933, the daughter of Ronald and Maxine (Chapman) Sires. Her family moved from Indiana to Walla Walla, Washington, in 1943. She attended Whitman College in Walla Walla, before receiving a B.A. from the University of Washington, in Seattle, in 1955. She worked for several years as a social worker in Seattle, and then as a Kindergarten teacher at the Little School, also in Seattle.

In 1967, she married attorney Edwin R. Schneider, Jr., of Washington, D.C. The couple moved from Washington, D.C., to Blue Hill in 1970 with their two young children. She was Kindergarten teacher to a generation of Blue Hill residents, teaching at Blue Hill Consolidated School from 1977 until her retirement in 1994. She held a master's degree in human development from the University of Maine.

She was an active member of the First Congregational Church of Blue Hill, serving at various times as a trustee, as a deacon, and in other capacities, and singing in the choir for four decades. She was also a longtime member of the Bagaduce Chorale, and performed in several productions of the Gilbert and Sullivan Society of Hancock County and other local theater companies.

Justine shared her life and love of it, with her family, friends, coworkers, pets and farm animals (especially pigs), children and others in many and varied ways. Her desire and need to be creative, shone through in all aspects of her life, be it through work, home life, travel, knitting, sewing and craft making, gardening, camping, cooking, nature observation, singing, community involvement, through a heightened sense of curiosity, and in her special welcoming (to say the least!) presence, that lives on in those who knew and loved her and who miss her.

She was predeceased by her husband in 2010, and by her brother, David Sires of Seattle, earlier this year. She is survived by her daughter, Sarah Chapman Schneider, of Blue Hill, and son, Stephen Corcoran Schneider, of New York; and by two cats, Patrick Star and Squid ward, also of Blue Hill.

A memorial service will be held at the First Congregational Church in Blue Hill (22 Tenney Hill, Blue Hill, ME 04614) on Saturday, November 14 at 1:00 in the afternoon. A reception will follow, at the church. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Blue Hill Public Library, 5 Parker Point Road, Blue Hill, Maine 04614.

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# Cory Wells of Three Dog Night dies

**BY ELAINE WOO** LOS ANGELES TIMES

TV guest shots in that era. He notably played Rob Petrie's Army buddy on "The Dick Van Dyke Show" and



Actor Marty Ingels dies at 79

Ве witched," "The Ann Sothern Show" and "Pete and Gladys." He also was

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seen on the big screen in supporting roles in "Armoured Command" (1961), "The Horizontal Lieutenant" (1962), "Wild and Wonderful" (1964), "The Busy Body" (1967), "A Guide for the Married Man" (1967), "For Singles Only" (1968), "The Picasso Summer" (1969) and "If It's Tuesday, This Must Be

Belgium" (1969). Born in Brooklyn in 1936, Martin Ingerman served a stint in the Army and then wound up in Los Angeles, where he got his break as an actor at the Pasadena Play-

Cory Wells, a founding member of the vocal trio behind Three Dog Night, which had nearly two dozen top hits in the late 1960s and 1970s, including "One," "Easy to Be Hard" and "Joy to the World," has died. He was 74.

His death Tuesday in Dunkirk, New York, was announced by Three Dog Night co-founder Danny Hutton on the band's website. No cause was given, but the band said Wells stopped performing in September after developing severe back pain.

"Cory was an incredible singer — a great performer, he could sing anything," Hutton said in the statement posted Wednesday. "We had been together since 1965, and I am in shock at this sudden

The group formed in 1968 when Hutton and Wells met on tour with Sonny and Cher. The two decided to organize their own band and invited Chuck Negron to join them.

Three Dog Night went on to release 21 consecutive Top 40 hits, including "Liar," "An Old Fashioned Love Song' and "Shambala."

Along the way, the band

number of nascent songwriting powerhouses, including Elton John, Harry Nilsson, Laura Nyro, Hoyt Axton and

Randy Newman. Newman's "Mama Told Me (Not to Come)" became one of the group's biggest hits, selling more than a million copies. Newman had recorded the song about a naive man's introduction to L.A.'s wild 1960s music scene a few years earlier, with less suc-

Wells, who sang the lead, was fond of telling the story of a phone call he later received from Newman. "He said, 'I just want to thank you for putting my kids through college.' Then he hung up."

"Our whole claim to fame is we discovered a lot of unknown songwriters who turned out to be giants in the industry," Wells said last year in an interview with the Bowling Green, Kentucky, Daily News. "We brought them to the forefront, and they became famous.

mid-1970s, then briefly reunited in the early 1980s. In recent years, Hutton and and Cher there when Rich-Wells toured as Three Dog Night with other musicians. keyboardist party. including

bolstered the careers of a Jimmy Greenspoon and guitarist Michael Allsup from original lineup. (Greenspoon died in March.)

Born Emil Lewandowski to a single mother on Feb. 2, 1941, in Buffalo, New York, Wells grew up streetwise and had mostly black friends whose musical tastes he absorbed.

"My rhythm and blues roots show in my music," he told the Los Angeles Times in 1978. "We used to stand on the corner and sing ourselves to death."

After high school Wells joined the Air Force, where he formed an interracial band inspired by his love of the 1950s doo-wop group the Del-Vikings.

When he completed his military duty, he returned to Buffalo and sang with a number of bands, including the Fidelitones and the Satellites. In the early 1960s, he moved to California with the Vibratos, which evolved into Cory Wells and the Enemys.

The Enemys became the The band broke up in the house band at the Whisky a Go Go nightclub on the Sunset Strip. Wells met Sonny ard Burton and Elizabeth Taylor rented the club for a

The husband-and-wife pop duo invited Wells to go on tour with them, which is how he met future bandmate Hut-

As Wells told the story, after he and Hutton decided to start their own band with Negron they struggled to decide what to call themselves. Six Foot Three and Tricycle were among the names under consideration until Hutton's girlfriend at the time gave them an idea that stuck.

"She was reading in a magazine about the aborigines in Australia," Wells recalled in the recent interview with the Bowling Green newspaper. "Where they end up at night, they take a dog to keep them warm. The Australians got a hold of that and said it was a 'three dog night."

The slang for bitter cold came to designate a band that grew super hot.

With its 1968 debut album, "Three Dog Night" – also known as "One" for the hit single "One" by Nilsson — the band began its domination of the pop-rock charts and filled stadiums with ecstatic fans. Van Dyke Parks and the Beach Boys' Brian Wilson were among the group's earliest producers.



Cyr and Mary Simpson. tion of your choice.

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be shared by visiting www.bankspagetheus.com.