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BLOOM, BENJAMIN
Aug. 26, 1994 - June 6, 2015.
Services entrusted to:
L.J. Griffin Funeral Home
Northrop-Sassaman Chapel.

CHOW, CHI L.
November 14, 1934 - May 28, 2015
L. J. Griffin Funeral Home
Northrop Sassaman Chapel

DEMPSTER, JOHN
March 18, 1924-May 24, 2015
obriensullivanfuneralhome.com

Community Farewell
GOODHUE, CLARICE
Howell, MI

Her Legacy...Clarice Goodhue, age 96, passed away, June 2, 2015 in Howell, MI. Clarice was born in Allouez, MI, March 10, 1919, to Alfred and Rose (Hill) Cox. Clarice was a member of both St. Joseph Catholic Church and Holy Spirit Catholic Church; she lived in South Lyon for 30 years, and was a volunteer for the South Lyon Library

Her Family...Clarice is survived by her daughter RoseMarie Smillie; grandchildren Rosanne Cody and Patrick Smillie; and 2 great grandchildren, Benjamin and Evelina Dean.

Her Farwell...Clarice's family and friends will gather on Monday, June 8, 2015 from 9:00AM until her Mass of Christian Burial at 11:00AM at Holy Spirit Catholic Church. Father John Rocus will serve as celebrant. Interment will be in Lakeview Cemetery in Calumet, MI. Please leave a message of comfort to the Goodhue family by calling 1.877.231.7900 or sign the guestbook at borekjennings.com

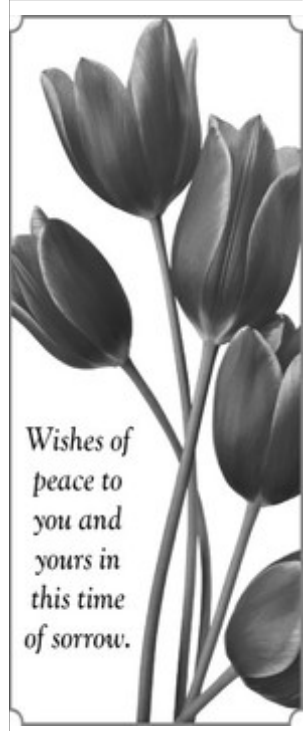
Borek Jennings Funeral Home
A HEALING FAREWELL CENTER

HELM, JUDY M.
Of Milford, died June 5, 2015. For information phone Lynch & Sons, Milford at 248-684-6645
LynchFuneralDirectors.com

KAMINSKI, LEONARD
April 13, 1928-May 22, 2015
obriensullivanfuneralhome.com



MATTISON, FRANCES
Age 95 passed away on June 1, 2015. She was preceded in death by her husband Roy Mattison. She is survived by her three children James (Annette), Jason (Carol), Janice (Rick) Knobloch; six grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Frances will be remembered for her devotion to family and Northville. She was a resident of Northville Township since 1955 and one of the first employees hired by the township office. She led an active life of volunteering beginning as a Red Cross nurse aide during WWII. She was a founding member on the Northville Town Hall Series, 50 year member of Northville Women's Club, 55 years as an election official, volunteer for Our Lady of Victory Church, member of the Northville Library Board and building committee and founding member of Waterford Bend chapter of Questors. In retirement she enjoyed traveling, visiting 39 countries including China, Japan, Australia, New Zealand and many European countries. She will be missed by all who knew her. A memorial service is scheduled for 10 a.m. Monday, June 15, 2015 at Our Lady of Victory Church, Northville. In lieu of flowers donations can be made to Angela Hospice.org or a charity of your choice.



SZWEDA, NORBERT
February 11, 1927-May 28, 2015
obriensullivanfuneralhome.com

TAYLOR, DONALD
November 11, 1929 -
May 21, 2015
obriensullivanfuneralhome.com

TAYLOR, WILLIAM "BILL"

Age 76, a lifelong resident of Northville, passed away on June 4, 2015. He was born February 16, 1939 in Northville, Michigan; son of Kenneth and Madelon (nee Shingleton) Rathburn. Roger received a Bachelor Degree in Business from Cleary College. He proudly served his country with the Army Reserves. As a young man Roger worked for his father in the sales department of Rathburn Chevrolet and Oldsmobile. While working at the dealership he was also an Auxiliary Police Officer with the City of Northville. In 1971 Roger became a fulltime Police Officer with the city and retired in 1991. During his career one of his biggest accomplishments was when he was given an award from the city for saving a young child's life. In 1991 he became a school bus driver for Northville Public Schools and retired in 2008; a job he truly loved. When he wasn't working Roger enjoyed fishing up north, camping with his family, and riding his motorcycle on long trips. He is survived by his son Nicholas Rathburn, his granddaughter Celestia McArthur, and his sister Susan Ryan. He is also survived by many loving nieces, nephews, and friends. He was preceded in death by his parents, his brother Craig Rathburn, his infant son Kevin Roger Rathburn, and his daughter Tia McArthur. A funeral service was held Tuesday, June 9, 2015 at Casterline Funeral Home of Northville. He was laid to rest at Rural Hill Cemetery in Northville. The family would appreciate memorial contributions to the Michigan Humane Society, 30300 Telegraph Road, Suite 220, Bingham Farms, MI 48025.

RAYS, RALPH
November 20, 1926 -
May 18, 2015
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ROE, LARRY R.
Age 93, the "always husband" of recently deceased Sally Roe, passed away on Saturday, May 30, 2015. He was born on November 4, 1921 in Ypsilanti, MI to the late Carlton A. Roe and Ruby B. (Simpson) Roe. He was the brother of the late Molly E. Westbrook and the father of both Emery M. Roe (wife Louise Palmer Fortmann) of Oakland, CA and Carlton A. Roe (wife Fusako Yamaguchi) of American Canyon, CA. He was grandfather to David M. Yamaguchi Roe, Michelle R. Ranada, and Scott Fortmann-Roe. Great grandfather to Reyna Yamaguchi, Ella S. Ranada, Sabrina M. Ranada, Lauren A. Ranada, and Anna Julia (Ania) Fortmann-Roe. After the tragic death of his wife in 2012, Larry moved from South Lyon, MI to be close to the family of her grand-daughter, Jennifer Dillon, her husband Marty Dillon, and their two children, Victoria and Harrison Dillon in Lafayette, TN. Two other of Sally's grand-children, Kaitlyn and Tyler Keyes, were fondly remembered by Larry as well as his two step-children, Martha A. Riggs and John L. Mayne, both of TX. Larry graduated from Ypsilanti High School in 1939, served in the U.S. Army in 1946 - 1947, and then spent much of the rest of his career in the automobile business, mostly in Wisconsin and Michigan. Funeral services for Larry Richard Roe will be conducted on Saturday, June 6, 2015 at 4:00 p.m. from the Chapel of Anderson & Son Funeral Home in Lafayette, TN. Visitation will be on Saturday from 2:00 PM until service time. Honorary pallbearers will be Lincoln Cosby, Tyler Keyes, Harrison Dillon, Zeke Dillon, Luke Dillon, Mason Dillon and Donald Keith Tinsley IV. He will be buried at the Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly, MI beside his late wife, Sally.

STEPHENS, CHARLES
January 25, 1954 - June 6, 2015.
Arrangements by
Phillips Funeral Home
www.phillipsfuneral.com

SYMONS, EDITH H.
Memorial Service Saturday, June 13, 2015 at 12 noon, Hickory Ridge Community Church, 1360 Hickory Ridge, Milford, Michigan.

Passed away on June 3, 2015 following a courageous battle with cancer. Bill was born on August 13, 1946 in Garden City, Michigan to the late Floyd and Hazel (Storm) Taylor. He graduated from Northville High School in 1964 and from Michigan State University in 1968 with a Bachelor's degree in Education. Following his graduation, Bill joined the Peace Corps and served in the country of Peru for two years. When he returned to Michigan, he taught for three years in Dansville Public Schools. Upon completion of training as a physical therapist, Bill worked in this profession for thirty years at Botsford Hospital in Farmington Hills, Michigan. After his retirement, Bill kept busy taking care of his orchard and surrounding acreage. He appreciated the beauty of nature. He loved listening to classical music and learned to play the piano as an adult. Bill will be greatly missed by his brother, James Taylor of Parma, MI; his sisters, Margaret Taylor of Livonia, MI; Marcia Taylor of Frankenmuth, MI; and Joan (Doyle) Agent of Union, MS; his sister-in-law, Barbara Taylor of Flushing, MI; his aunt and uncle, Rosalie and Russell Leonard of White Lake, MI; by nieces and nephews, Paul Taylor of Blue Mountain, MS; Theresa (Michael) Cunningham of Horton, MI; Sonja (David) Edson of Stafford, VA; Aleah (Thomas) Rohweder of Bowling Green, OH; Dean (Sharon) Wooley of Beach Park, IL; Richard (Dawn) Wooley of Maryville, IL; and Denise (Mike) Miles of Union, MS; a dear friend, Kim Ferguson of South Lyon, MI; and many loving cousins and friends. Bill was preceded in death by his parents, his brother, Leslie Taylor and sister-in-law, Marilyn Taylor. A private service will be held in South Lyon. Sympathy cards may be mailed to PHILLIPS FUNERAL HOME, 122 W. Lake St., South Lyon, C/O The Family of Bill Taylor or donations may be made to the American Cancer Society. www.phillipsfuneral.com

Phillips
FUNERAL HOME AND
CREMATION SERVICES

WILKIE, BEVERLY
July 30, 1951-May 22, 2015
obriensullivanfuneralhome.com

In Memoriam



SUNDT, MARY JOAN (McKENNA)

Age 80, of Aiken, South Carolina, formerly of Farmington, Michigan, died suddenly on June 4, 2015 at her home in Aiken. Born in Chicago, Illinois, the daughter of the late James T. McKenna and Genevieve (Walter) McKenna. Mrs. Sundt graduated from Immaculata High School and Mount Mary College. Along with a distinguished career in real estate, she was a devoted wife and much-beloved mother of five, a talented and avid seamstress, and a dear friend to many. She is survived by her beloved husband of 60 years, Jerrold T. Sundt of Aiken, SC, and her sister, Kathleen Norwood. Her children are Terrence (Deborah) Sundt, Mary Kay (Donald) McLemore, Gregory (Marcia) Sundt, Timothy (Marylouise) Sundt, and Daniel (Christi) Sundt. She is also survived by seventeen grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Joan loved good food, Scrabble, and the Green Bay Packers, not necessarily in that order. She was an enthusiastic traveler and reader, and passed through this world with her latest novel in hand. An accomplished conversationalist, her opinions were sometimes controversial, but never in doubt. Joanie, Mom, Grandma, Joan: We love you, and we will miss you. Memorial services are to be held at 2p.m. Monday, June 8 at the Historic GEORGE FUNERAL HOME in Aiken, and at 11 a.m. on June 11 at Christ The Redeemer Church in Lake Orion, Michigan. Expressions of sympathy for the Sundt family may be left online www.georgefuneralhomes.com

RELIGION CALENDAR

First Church of the Nazarene

Location: 21260 Haggerty, north of Eight Mile
Contact: 248-348-7600
Web: www.dfcnazarene.org
Sunday Schedule: 9:30 a.m. Classic worship service, Adult Bible Fellowship classes and Children's Sunday School; 11 a.m. Contemporary worship service with Kids Church, Teen Worship Service and Adult Bible Fellowship classes. Cafe is open from 9:15-11 a.m.; 6 p.m. Evening Traditional Service
Thursday: 6 a.m. Men of Purpose Prayer Group and Bible Study
Tuesday: 9:25 a.m. Women of the Word Bible Study — the Books of Ruth and Esther
Wednesday: 5:30 p.m. family dinner; 6:30 p.m. Caravan Scout program for ages 4 through fourth grade; Club 56 for fifth- and sixth-graders; Surge Youth Group, Bible Study with Pastor Troy Ogle, and Little Critters for preschool age
Sunday Services: 9:30 (classic) and 11 a.m. (contemporary)
Sunday School: 9:30 and 11 a.m.
Children and Teen Sunday Worship at 11 a.m.
Summer FAMILY VBS: July 7-9; register at www.dfcnazarene.org
Bible Study: Thursdays at 6 a.m. — Men of Purpose Prayer Group and Bible Study; and Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. (through the summer) in Room 300.

Church of the Holy Family

Location: 24505 Meadowbrook Road, Novi
Contact: 248-349-8847
Web: www.holyfamilynovi.org
Mass Schedule: 8:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Sunday; 9 a.m. Monday through Friday; 7 p.m. Monday and Tuesday; 4:30 p.m. Saturday; 6:30 p.m. Saturday (Spanish)
Holy days: 9 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Reconciliation: beginning 9 a.m. Saturdays or by appointment
Priests: the Rev. Bob LaCroix, pastor, and the Rev. Beto Espinoza, associate pastor
AA: 8 p.m. Wednesdays

Crosspointe Meadows

Location: 29000 Meadowbrook Road, south of 13 Mile, Novi
Contact: 248-669-9400, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday-Thursday
Web: www.crosspointemeadows.org
Sunday worship: 11 a.m.
Bible study classes: 10 a.m. for all ages
Details: Nursery and older children programs available. Worship blends traditional and contemporary elements resulting in a multi-sensory worship experience.

First Presbyterian Church

Location: 205 E. Lake Street, South Lyon
Contact: 248-437-2875

First Presbyterian Church

Location: 26165 Farmington Road, Farmington

First United Methodist Church of Northville

Location: 777 W. Eight Mile, Northville
Contact: 248-349-1144
Web: www.fumcnorthville.org.

Frank Turner Ministries

Location: Novi Civic Center 45175 W. 10 Mile Road
Contact: 810-599-7392
Web: www.FrankTurner.org
Sunday Gathering: 10 a.m. The Believers Congregation in Novi receives all desiring God's love, grace, healing and acceptance, regardless of faith background, gender identification or sexual orientation. The atmosphere is warm and loving. The attire is casual. Experience an entirely new way of sharing and receiving the love of the Lord Jesus Christ.

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Location: 41415 Nine Mile, Novi
Contact: 248-349-0565
Sundays: 8:45 a.m. Sunday School and Bible study; 10 a.m. worship

Grace Immanuel Bible Church

Location: 21900 Meadowbrook Road, Novi
Pastor: Charles Sexton
Contact: 248-344-4465

Holy Cross Episcopal

Location: 40700 W. 10 Mile, Novi
Contact: 248-427-1175; holycrossnovi@gmail.com
Web: www.holyCROSSnovi.org
Sunday Worship: 7:45 and 10 a.m.
Sunday School and Nursery Care: 10 a.m. worship service
Alzheimer's Support Group: 10 a.m. second Saturday

Hope Lutheran Church

Location: 39200 W. 12 Mile, Farmington Hills

Lakes Baptist Church

Location: 309 Decker Road, Walled Lake

Legacy Church

(formerly First Baptist Church and Orchard Hills Baptist Church)

Location: 23455 Novi Road, Novi
Contact: pastor Jon Hix, 248-349-5665
Web: www.legacychurch.us
Sunday School/Small Groups for all ages: 9:45 a.m.
Worship Services: 11 a.m.
Bible Study/Prayer: Wednesday 7 p.m.

Livonia Church of Christ

Location: 15431 Merriman, Livonia
Contact: 734-427-8743
Web: www.livoniachurch.net
Sunday Worship: 11 a.m.
Bible School: Sunday 10 a.m.; Wednesday 7 p.m.

Meadowbrook Congregational Church

Location: 21355 Meadowbrook Road, Novi
Contact: the Rev. Arthur P. Ritter, senior minister; 248-348-7757; office@mbccc.org
Web: www.mbccc.org
Sunday Worship: 10 a.m.
Church School and Nursery Care: provided during worship
Fellowship Hour: 11 a.m.

Memorial Church of Christ

Location: 35475 Five Mile Road, Livonia
Minister: Mark McGilvrey
Web: www.5milechurch.org
Contact: 734-464-6722; churchoffice@5milechurch.org

NorthRidge Church

Location: 49555 N. Territorial Road, Plymouth
Contact: 734-233-3621; pheaton@northridgechurch.com

Northville Christian Assembly

Location: 41355 Six Mile
Contact: 248-348-9030
Web: www.ncalife.org
Sundays: 9-10 a.m. Sunday School for adults/youth/children; 9 a.m. Contemporary service in sanctuary; 10:15 a.m.: Contemporary service in worship center; children's super church on the second level (208/210).
Wednesday Family Night: 7 p.m.; Adult elective classes; junior and senior high ministries; children's programs, Nursery and Preschool Program on Sundays and Wednesdays Home of Northville Christian School (day care; preschool through eighth grade); call 248-348-9031.

Novi-Northville Center for Jewish Life

Details: Events, programs and activities for all ages throughout the year — children's programs, Sunday school, adult Jewish classes, youth clubs, holiday services and programs and community social events.
Contact: Rabbi Avrohom and Leah Susskind; 248-790-6075; rabbi@novijewishcenter.com
Web: www.novijewishcenter.com

Novi United Methodist

Location: 41671 W. 10 Mile, Novi
Contact: 248-349-2652
Web: www.umcnovi.com
Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/pages/Novi-United-Methodist-Church/59782031433
Sunday Worship: 9:45 a.m.
Healing Service and Holy Communion: 9:45 a.m. first Sunday
Peace Vigil: noon first Sundays in front of the church. Members of the congregation and the community will stand united in prayer for peace.

OakPointe Church

Location: 50200 W. 10 Mile, Novi
Contact: 248-912-0043
Web: www.oakpointe.org/lifegroups
Worship Services: 5:15 p.m. Saturday; 9:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m. Sunday.
ReNew Life Group Ministries: 7-9 p.m. Monday (groups meet weekly)
Women's Life Groups Ministries: 7 p.m. Tuesday; 9:30 a.m. Wednesday
Men's Life Groups Ministries: 6 a.m. Friday; at the church and various locations

Oakland Baptist Church

Location: 23893 Beck Road, Novi
Contact: 248-982-4041
Web: www.oaklandbaptist-novi.org

Orchard Grove Community Church

Location: 850 Ladd Road, Walled Lake
Contact: 248-926-6584
Web: www.orchardgrove.org

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A loving tribute