

## **WEST CEMETERY**

Fairview Road

Bangham, Putnam Co., TN

GPS Coordinates: Latitude: 36.2912350, -85.4826880

Located approximately 10 miles north of Cookeville near Peaks Mill Creek in the 15<sup>th</sup> district. Little Putnam County, 1 mile off state route 136.

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SURNAMES: Abner, Allen, Arline, Bartlett, Bean, Bilbrey, Bowers, Breeding, Carrington, Clark, Copeland, Crawley, Dailey, Daniels, Dickerson, Flanary, Fleming, Ford, Frasher, Gaw, Gentry, Green, Greenwood, Griner, Henley, Hicks, Hill, Hix, Holloway-Stone, Johnson, Judd, Kemp, King, Krantz, Lancaster, Lane, Langford, Lee, Letner, Loftis, Lynn, Maberry, Mabery, Massey, Masters, Maxwell, Mayberry, McKee, Mee, Miller, Moler, Moody, Moore, Morgan, Murphy, Peek, Phillips, Ray, Roberts, Rodgers, Smith, Swallows, Swearingin, Swearingain, Thompson, Tubb, Tucker, Waldie, Walker, Webb, West, Wilmoth, Wilson.

### **Canzady Abner**

b. 1868 – d. 1915.

### **James Thomas "Tom" Abner Jr. Obt.**

b. 29 March 1966, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 28 March 2023, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 25<sup>th</sup> of October 1984, Jackson Co., TN to **Patrese I (Honey) Abner**. James Thomas "Tom" Abner Jr., s/o **James "Tom" Thomas Abner Sr.** (1943-2005) & **Wanda Lou Polston** (1944-2006), she is buried in Nash Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

\*See James "Tom" Thomas Abner Sr. Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 489– James T. Abner married 25 October 1984, Jackson Co., TN, age 18, address: Box 224, Cookeville, TN to Patrese I Honey, age 13, address: Algood Trailer, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: George Honey, father, deceased & Mrs. Johnnie Lane, Algood Trailer Park, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of male: Mr. & Mrs. James Abner, parents, Cookeville, TN).

James "Tom" Thomas Abner, Jr., 56 of Cookeville, Tennessee passed from this life on Tuesday, March 28, 2023 at his home. Tom was born Tuesday, March 29, 1966, in Cookeville, Tennessee to the late James Thomas Abner, Sr. and the late Wanda Lou (Polston) Abner.

Tom was a loving son, brother, father, Pa, uncle, and friend. He loved the Lord and attended Cookeville First Church of God. He loved to work on cars, was a great mechanic and he loved to ride motorcycles.

Tom was known to be a protector and made sure he always knew what was going on around him. He loved his family and his children, grandchildren, and sister Ann were his world. Tom was loved by all who knew him and will be greatly missed.

In addition to his parents, Tom was preceded in death by a sister: Tonya Moore; paternal grandparents: Otto and Lillie (Henley) Abner.

Funeral Services were held Sunday, April 2nd from the Cookeville First Church of God with Pastor Cameron Wilson officiating. Interment followed in the West Cemetery in the Bangham Community.

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### **James "Tom" Thomas Abner Sr. Obt.**

b. 21 May 1943, Putnam Co., TN – d. 18 March 2005, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 9<sup>th</sup> of June 1962, White Co., TN to **Wanda Lou (Polston) Abner**, b. 24 November 1944 – d. 10 August 2006, she is buried in Nash Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN. **Wanda Lou (Polston) Abner**, d/o **Grady Polston & Juanita**

**Huddleston.** James “Tom” Thomas Abner Sr., s/o **Johnny Otto Abner** (1909-1989) & **Lillie Martha Henley** (1913-2005).

\*See James Thomas “Tom” Abner Jr. Obt.

\*See Lillie Martha (Henley) Abner Obt.

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 210 – James Thomas Abner married 9 June 1962, White Co., TN, age 19, b. 21 May 1943, Cookeville, TN to Wanda Lon Polston, age 17, b. 24 November 1944, address: Rt. 3, Sparta, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Grady Polston, Rt. 3, Sparta, TN).

**RICKMAN** – Funeral services for James “Tom” Thomas Abner Sr., 61, of Cookeville were held at 1 p.m. today, Mon., March 21, from the chapel of Rickman-Hall Funeral Home, (931) 498-4488. Burial was in West Cemetery in Putnam County.

Mr. Abner died on Fri., March 18, 2005, in Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

He was born on May 21, 1943, in Putnam County to Lillie Martha Henley Abner of Cookeville, and the late Johnny Otto Abner.

In addition to his mother, his family includes his wife, Wanda Abner of Cookeville; a son and daughter-in-law, Tom Jr. and Patricia Abner of Cookeville; two daughters and sons-in-law, Angelia Marchelle and Timothy Cooper of Cookeville, and Tonya and Chris Moore of Sparta; six grandchildren, Tara, Toshya, Tommy and Kayla Abner, Steven Carew, Kanzadie Moore; and one great-grandchild, Alexis Abner.

Roger Cooper officiated at the services.

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**Lillie Martha (Henley) Abner Obt.**

b. 30 March 1913, Putnam Co., TN – d. 9 April 2005, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 7<sup>th</sup> of December 1936, Putnam Co. TN to **Johnny Otto Abner**, b. 12 May 1909 – d. 13 September 1989, s/o **Canzady Abner**. Lillie Martha (Henley) Abner, d/o **Robert Austin Henley** (1880-1960) & **Pluma Maxwell** (1898-1995).

\*See James “Tom” Thomas Abner Sr. Obt.

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 243 – Otto Abner married 7 December 1936, Putnam Co., TN, age 24, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN to Lillie Henley, age 22, address: R. 4, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Bob Henley, Rt. 4, Cookeville, TN).

Funeral services for Mrs. Lillie Martha Abner, 92, of Cookeville, were conducted at 1 p.m. Tuesday, April 12, 2005, from the chapel of Rickman-Hall Funeral Home with Bro. Charlie Hutchinson officiating.

Burial was in West Cemetery in Overton County.

Mrs. Abner died Saturday, April 9 at Masters Health Care Center.

Born March 30, 1913, in Putnam County, she was the daughter of the late Robert and Pluma Maxwell Eller Henley. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Otto Abner; a son, James Thomas Abner Sr.; 3 brothers, Pat Henley, Odell Henley, and Johnny Henley; and 3 sisters, Ruby Lowe, Helen Johnson, and Etta Choate.

Survivors include a sister, Reba Benson of Florida; 2 granddaughters, Angelia Cooper and her husband, Tim, of Cookeville and Tonya Moore and her husband, Chris, of Sparta; a grandson, Tom Abner Jr. and his wife, Trish, of Cookeville; 6 great grandchildren, Steven Carew, Tara Abner, Toshya Abner, Matthew Abner, Kanzadie Moore, and Kayla Moore; and a great-great grandchild, Alexis Abner.

Pallbearers were Tom Abner Jr., Matthew Abner, Chris Moore, Donald Cooper, Jeff Moore, and Matt Sullivan.

Special care provided by Rickman-Hall Funeral Home.

**Alex Allen**

b. 2 September 1892 – d. 13 June 1961, (Pvt Co A 45 Inf WRI), md **Della V. (unknown) Allen**, b. 27 August 1900 – d. 26 July 1993. Alex Allen, s/o **Christopher C. Allen & Sarah Lee**.

**Arel Henry Allen Obt.**

b. 9 July 1933, Jackson Co., TN – d. 17 June 2018, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 17<sup>th</sup> of April 1976, Putnam Co., TN to **Dimple Dean (McBroom) Allen**. Arel Henry Allen, s/o **Joe Lee Allen** (1903-2000) & **Mary Della (Dickerson) Allen** (1912–2006).

\*See Joe Lee Allen buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 66 – Arel Henry Allen married 17 April 1976, Putnam Co., TN, age 42, b. 9 July 1933, address: Rt. 2, Baxter, TN to Dimple Dean McBroom, age 39, b. 11 June 1936, address: Rt. 1, Baxter, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Virginia McBroom, mother, Rt. 1, Baxter, TN).

Funeral services for Mr. Arel Henry Allen, 84, of Cookeville, TN, will be held at 2 P.M. on Wednesday, June 20, 2018, at Anderson - Upper Cumberland Funeral Home in Gainesboro, TN. Burial will follow in the West Cemetery on Fairview Road in Putnam County, TN.

The family will receive friends on Wednesday from 10 A.M. until time of services.

He passed away on Sunday, June 17, 2018, at NHC Health Care Center in Cookeville, TN.

He was born July 9, 1933, in Jackson County, TN, to the late Joe Lee Allen and Della Dickerson Allen. He was a steel worker and lumberyard worker, and a member of the Fairview Church of Christ.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by 2 Brothers: Gerald Allen and Bobby Allen.

Survivors include 1 Son: Joseph Lee Allen of Cookeville, TN; 1 Daughter: Barbara Pranger of Detroit, MI; 2 Grandchildren: Nichole and Donald; and 6 Sisters: Wilma Croy of CA, Rilda Allen Stacy of Cookeville, TN, Janice Sheridan of Detroit, MI, Sandra Diemer of Chelsea, MI, Judy Rozar of Fayetteville, TN, and Carolyn Nash of West Land, MI.

Bro. Garry Anderson will officiate at the services.

**Bobbie Doyle Allen**

b. 10 April 1947 – d. 25 March 1965, md to **Georgia R. (unknown) Allen**, b. 6 December 1946. Bobbie Doyle Allen, s/o **Joe Lee Allen** (1903-2000) & **Mary Della Dickerson** (1912-2006).

\*See Joe Lee Allen buried in West Cemetery.

**Bobbie Sharon Allen**

b. 9 April 1965 – d. 26 July 1966, d/o **Gerald Lee Allen** (1929-1997) & **Nora Anne Essenberg** (1934-2012).

**Carlos Eugene Allen**

b. 5 June 1944 – d. 5 June 1944, s/o **Lois & Carlos Allen**.

**David Allen**

b. 24 March 1959 – d. 24 March 1959, s/o **Lois & Carlos Allen**.

**Ella Sue Allen**

b. 29 November 1955 – d. 29 November 1955, d/o **Lois & Carlos Allen**.

**Gerald Lee Allen**

b. 13 March 1929 – d. 24 November 1997, md **Nora Anne (Essenberg) Allen**, b. 8 August 1934, Burnside Township, Lapeer Co., MI – d. 5 May 2012, Temple, Bell Co., TX. Gerald Lee Allen, s/o **Joe Lee Allen** (1903-2000) & **Mary Della (Dickerson) Allen** (1912-2006).

\*See Joe Lee Allen buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Nora Anne (Essenberg) Allen Obt.

\*See Patricia Anne Allen buried in West Cemetery.

**Helen Joyce Allen**

b. 23 March 1942 – d. 3 June 1944, d/o **Lois & Carlos Allen**.

**Joe Lee Allen**

b. 30 June 1903 – d. 24 December 2000, md on the 25<sup>th</sup> of March 1928, Jackson Co., TN to **Mary Della (Dickerson) Allen**, b. 30 August 1912 – d. 25 November 2006, d/o **Henry Thomas Dickerson** (1890-1957) & **Daisie Delivine Lynn** (1893-1957). Joe Lee Allen, s/o **George Mack Allen** (1874-1939) & **Martha Wilson** (1888-1942).

\*See Arel Henry Allen Obt.

\*See Mary Della (Dickerson) Allen Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 324 – Joe Allen married 25 March 1928, Jackson Co., TN to Della Dickerson).

**John Thomas Allen**

b. 26 December 1911 – d. 4 December 1979, s/o **Winchester C. Allen & Martha L. Henley**.

**Mary Della (Dickerson) Allen Obt.**

b. 30 August 1912, Jackson Co., TN – d. 25 November 1912, Jackson Co., TN, md on the 25<sup>th</sup> of March 1928, Jackson Co., TN to **Joe Lee Allen**, b. 30 June 1903 – d. 24 December 2000, s/o **George Mack Allen** (1874-1939) & **Martha Wilson** (1888-1942). Mary Della (Dickerson) Allen, d/o **Henry Thomas Dickerson** (1890-1957) & **Daisie Delivine Lynn** (1893-1957).

\*See Henry Thomas Dickerson buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 324 – Joe Allen married 25 March 1928, Jackson Co., TN to Della Dickerson).

Funeral services for Della Dickerson Allen, 94, of Cookeville, will be held Tuesday, Nov. 28, at 11 a.m. in the chapel of Dyer Funeral Home. Burial will be in West Cemetery.

Family will receive friends today, Monday, Nov. 27, from 3-9 p.m., and Tuesday, Nov. 28, from 9 a.m. until time of services at the funeral home.

Mrs. Allen died Saturday, Nov. 25, 2006, at her residence.

She was born Aug. 30, 1912, in Jackson County to the late Henry and Daisy Lynn Dickerson.

Mrs. Allen was a homemaker and a member of the Baptist faith.

Her family includes a son and daughter-in-law, Arel and Ann Allen of Jackson County; six daughters and four sons-in-law, Wilma Croy of Nashville, Rilda Stacy of Jackson County, Janice and Robert Sheridan of Clinton Township, Mich., Carylton and Douglas Nash of Westland, Mich., Sandra and Gregory Diemer of Grosse Ile, Mich., and Judy and Ray Rozar of Fayetteville; a sister, Carlena Phillips of Jackson County; 18 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Allen was preceded in death by her husband of 73 years, Joe Lee Allen; three children, Gerald, Bobby and Velreia Allen; a brother, Billy Dickerson; and two grandchildren, Bobbie Sharon and Patricia Allen.

Memorial contributions may be made to Happy Haven Children's Home.

Bro. Michael Prowse will officiate the services.

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**Nora Anne (Essenberg) Allen Obt.**

b. 8 August 1934, Burnside Township, Lapeer Co., MI – d. 5 May 2012, Temple, Bell Co., TX, md **Gerald Lee Allen**, b. 13 March 1929 – d. 24 November 1997, s/o **Joe Lee Allen** (1903-2000) & **Mary Della (Dickerson) Allen** (1912–2006).

\*See Gerald Lee Allen buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Joe Lee Allen buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Patricia Anne Allen buried in West Cemetery.

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Nora Anne Allen, 77, of Pflugerville, Texas, will be held at noon on Saturday, May 12, at Heavenly Host Lutheran Church. Burial will follow in West Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from noon until 6 p.m., on Friday, May 11, at the funeral home and from 11 a.m. until time of services on Saturday at the church.

Mrs. Allen passed away peacefully on Saturday, May 5, 2012, in Scott & White Hospital in Temple, Texas.

She was born Aug. 8, 1934, in Burnside Township, Mich.

Mrs. Allen had a tremendous and lasting impact on the world around her. She graduated from Brown City High School and began working in the auto industry before moving on to a successful career in television broadcast sales. Mrs. Allen retired from the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation in Windsor, Ontario, and moved to Cookeville in 1997 with her husband, Gerald.

Mrs. Allen was devoted to the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod and was dedicated to mission work, serving faithful through the LWML, Lutheran Women's Missionary League. She also loved to travel and visited every U.S. state, except Hawaii, and parts of Canada and Europe. "Aunt Nora" was adored by her nieces and nephews and will be greatly missed and fondly remembered.

Her family includes her daughter, Dr. Debra Allen, who is a professor at Concordia University in Austin, Texas; a brother and sister-in-law, Carl and Ruby Essenberg; and a large and loving extended family.

In addition to her husband Gerald, Mrs. Allen was preceded in death by her parents and her daughter, Patricia.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Heavenly Host Lutheran Church in Cookeville or Our Savior Lutheran Church in Austin, Texas.

Go to [www.crestlawnmemorial.com](http://www.crestlawnmemorial.com) to sign the online guest book and send a message to her family.

Crest Lawn Funeral Home-Cremation Center is in charge of arrangements (931) 526-6384.

Herald- Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 10 May 2012.

**Patricia Anne Allen**

b. 11 June 1955 – d. 23 January 2000, d/o **Gerald Lee Allen** (1929-1997) & **Nora Anne Essenberg** (1934-2012).

\*See Gerald Lee Allen buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Nora Anne (Essenberg) Allen Obt.

**Savannah Florence (Allen) Allen Obt.**

b. 17 August 1938, White Co., TN – d. 2 April 2013, Fairview, TN, md on the 17<sup>th</sup> of February 1990, Putnam Co., TN to **James Bruce Allen**, b. 23 April 1931, Jackson Co., TN – d. 17 February 1999, Jackson Co., TN, s/o Elmo D. Allen (1894-1989) & Ivory Myrtle Buhl (1901-1983) all buried in Dodson Branch Cemetery, Dodson Branch, Jackson Co., TN. Savannah F. (Allen) Allen, d/o **William Cordell Allen** (1906-1961) & **Louecretia Elizabeth (Smith) Allen Bean** (1909-1984).

\*See Willie Bean buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 478 – James Bruce Allen married 17 February 1990, Putnam Co., TN, age 58, b. 23 April 1931, address: Rt. 3, Box 228K, Gainesboro, Jackson Co., TN to Savannah Florence Allen, age 51, b. 17 August 1938, address: Rt. 10, Box 169, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Darcy Rowe, daughter, 7650 Highway 70 S., Nashville, TN).

Savannah F. Allen, Age 74, passed away on Tuesday, April 2, 2013 in Fairview, TN.



She was born August 17, 1938, in White County, TN, to the late William Cordell Allen and Louecretia Elizabeth Smith. She was married to the late James Bruce Allen. She was a laundry clerk, and a member of the Cummins Mill Baptist Church. She was the treasurer of the Anderson – Allen Cemetery, and an avid hummingbird enthusiast.

In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by 1 brother: William Allen, Jr.; 1 daughter: Denise Buhl; and the father of her children: Cordell Buhl.

Survivors include 3 sons: Roger (Bonnie) Bull of Gainesboro, TN, Willie (Syndi) Bull of Corinth, MS, and William (Nichole) Buhl of Gainesboro, TN; 1 daughter: Darcy (Dan) Rowe of Fairview, TN; 11 grandchildren: Kevin (Tiffany) Bull, Savannah (Shane) Choate, Miranda (Scott) O'Dell, Natalie (Gabe) Blair, Franklin (Brooke) Austin, Jamie Austin, Zona (Nick Harvey) Austin, Nathan (Joey Qualls) Ford, Cody (Jacmine) Maynard, Velina Maynard, and Blake Hood; 18 great grandchildren: Angel, Breanna, Dillon, Makayla, Zachary, Isabel, Caitlyn, Ryan, Callie, Beau, Philip, Cloe, Maddie, Sophia, Brooklyn, Dayton, Carson, and Melea; and 2 sisters: Carolyn Smith of Bremen, GA, and Cricket (Garry) Austin of Baxter, TN.

Funeral services for Savannah F. Allen, 74, of the Seven Knobs community of Jackson County, Tennessee, will be held at 10 A.M. on Friday, April 5, 2013, at Anderson – Upper Cumberland Funeral Home in Gainesboro, TN. Burial will follow in the West Cemetery in Putnam County, TN.

The family will receive friends on Thursday from 5 P.M. – 9 P.M.

Rev. Billy Haney will officiate at the services.

**Vara (Williams) Allen**

b. 30 March 1898 – d. 16 December 1969.

**Velreia Allen**

b. 4 May 1938 – d. 26 February 1944, d/o **Joe Lee Allen** (1903-2000) & **Mary Della (Dickerson) Allen** (1912-2006).

\*See Joe Lee Allen buried in West Cemetery.

**William Lester Allen**

b. 22 August 1894 – d. 19 November 1958, s/o **Christopher C. Allen** & **Sarah Lee**.

**Willis Lee Allen**

b. 8 May 1904 – d. 3 September 1975, md **Ona V. (Roberts) Allen**, b. 4 January 1909 – d. 24 September 2005, d/o **Marson Joseph Roberts** (1881-1955) & **Eliza Massa** (1882-1964). Willis Lee Allen s/o **Duke Allen** (1856-1910) & **Amanda Jane Langford**.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 324, pg. 125 – W. L. Allen married 12 February 1930 Putnam Co., TN, age 25, address: Rt. 7, Cookeville, TN to Miss Ona Roberts, age 21, address: Rt. 7, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Rt. 7, Cookeville, TN).

**Cory Elizabeth Bartlett**

b. 5 May 1896 – d. 6 July 1896.

**Grover Cleveland "Cleave" Bartlett**

b. 29 October 1887 – d. 1 March 1956, md on the 12<sup>th</sup> of August 1910, Putnam Co., TN to **Martha Jane (Rector) Bartlett**, b. 31 January 1891 – d. 29 December 1971, d/o **Riley Dawson Rector** (1866-1949) & **Fannie E. Smith** (1869-1915), both buried in Dodson Branch Cemetery, Dodson Branch, Jackson Co., TN. Grover Cleveland "Cleave" Bartlett, s/o **Perry Davis Bartlett** (1862-1927) & **Mary E. West** (1862-1925).

\*See Perry Davis Bartlett buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Alexander "Alex" Yander Wilmoth buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 574, #1733– G. C. Bartlett married 12 August 1910, Putnam Co., TN to Martha Jane Rector).

**Perry Davis Bartlett**

b. 3 February 1862 – d. 31 July 1927, md **Mary E. (West) Bartlett**, b. 23 January 1862 – d. 23 July 1925, d/o **William Carroll West** (1823-1905) & **Elizabeth Peek** (1826-1905). Perry Davis Bartlett, s/o **Joshua Bartlett** (1838-18620).

\*See Grover Cleveland "Cleave" Bartlett buried in West Cemetery.

\*See James A. "Andy" Green Obt.

\*See William Carroll West Obt.

**Sarah Jane (Smith) Bartlett**

b. 30 September 1845 – d. 14 January 1916, md on the 10<sup>th</sup> of August 1865 to **Evan "Even" Shug Bartlett Jr.**, b. 22 May 1844, Livingston, Overton Co., TN – d. 22 August 1883, Wrights, Greene Co., IL, s/o **Evan Bartlett** (1806-1881) & **Mariah Maxwell** (1810-1882), she is buried in Jones Cemetery, White Hall, Greene Co., IL. Sarah Jane (Smith) Bartlett, d/o **Drury Smith & Sarah "Sallie" Frye** (1821-1906), she is buried in Dodson Branch Cemetery, Dodson Branch, Jackson Co., TN. Evan Shug Bartlett Jr. is buried in Jones Cemetery, White Hall, Greene Co., IL.

**William Bean**

b. 1868 – d. 1940, md 1<sup>st</sup> **Axie Angeline "Lina" Allen**, md 2<sup>nd</sup> on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of May 1926, Putnam Co., TN to **Beulah Flemings**.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 345, #4423– William Bean married 2 May 1926, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Beulah Flemings).

William Bean was actually married first about 1890 to a lady whose maiden name is believed to be Rosie Johnston in North Carolina. Since the 1890 census and other records are missing it cannot be documented. However, I do have the death certificate of the daughter from that marriage - Maude Bean Daniels. She was raised by her grandparents (William's parents) in North Carolina. Not much is known of this first marriage but apparently Maude did not have much contact with either parent. Her mother Rosie may have died 1949 in Georgia. March 03, 2012 Find A Grave Contributor Patricia Gregg.

**Willie Bean**

b. 16 December 1902, TN – d. 23 September 1960, md **Loucretia Elizabeth (Smith) Allen Bean**, b. 1909 – d. 1984. Willie Bean, s/o **Joseph Bean** (1853-1923) & **Susan Ona Rector** (1872-1971), she is buried in Dodson Branch Cemetery, Dodson Branch, Jackson Co., TN. Joseph Bean is buried in Wassom-Wilmouth Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN. **Loucretia Elizabeth (Smith) Allen Bean** also md **William Cordell Allen** (1906-1961), he is buried in Black Oak Cemetery, White Co., TN.

\*See Savannah Florence (Allen) Allen Obt.

#### **Infant Bowers**

b. & d. 19 October 1952.

#### **W. Herman Bowers**

b. 1918- 1955 md **L. Auda**, 15 January 1919 – d. April 1976.

#### **Alex H. Breeding**

b. 14 December 1900 – d. 27 December 1979, md on the 25<sup>th</sup> of December 1925, Putnam Co., TN to **Rosa Lee (Gentry) Breeding**, b. 5 June 1904, Jackson Co., TN – d. 16 December 1990, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Joshua Gentry & Katie E. Hensley**. Alex H. Breeding, s/o **Dillard Goodpasture Breeding** (1857-1945) & **Arminda Cordella Barnes** (1857-1945).

\*See Rosa Lee (Gentry) Breeding Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 207, #2089 – Alex Breeding married 25 December 1925, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Rosa Lee Gentry).

#### **Dillard Goodpasture Breeding**

b. 2 September 1857, Overton Co., TN – d. 26 March 1945, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 17<sup>th</sup> of June 1898, Overton Co., TN to **Arminda Cordella Barnes**, b. 2 September 1857, Overton Co., TN – d. 26 March 1945, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Lewis Hickman Barnes** (1845-1902). Dillard shares tombstone with **Delia Breeding**, b. 14 December 1871 – d. 15 February 1944. Dillard Goodpasture Breeding, s/o **John C. Breeding & Mary A. Ward**.

\*See William Clennie Breeding buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 206 – Dillard G. Breeding married 17 June 1898, Overton Co., TN to Arminda Cordella Barnes).

#### **Joe Edward Breeding Obt.**

b. 25 March 1934 – d. 30 September 1997, (Pvt. US Army), md **Dean Jeanette (Stephens) Breeding Bowman**, b. 22 February 1942 – d. 1 July 2001, she md also to **Beecher M. Bowman** (1927-1975), both Dean J. and Beecher Bowman are buried in George M. Phillips Cemetery, Hanging Limb, Overton Co., TN. Joe Edward Breeding, s/o **William Clennie Breeding** (1906-1978) & **Nora Lee Cannon** (1912-2002).

\*See William Clennie Breeding buried in West Cemetery.

Funeral services for Joe Edward Breeding, 63, of Glenwood Circle, Crossville, who passed away Sept. 30, 1997 at Veterans Administration Hospital in Nashville, will be held today, Oct. 3, at 11 a.m. from the chapel of Crossville Memorial Funeral Home, with burial in the West Cemetery in Putnam County.

He was born March 25, 1934 in Overton County, TN, the son of Nora Lee Breeding and William Clennie Breeding.

Mr. Breeding was a diesel mechanic and an Army veteran.

Survivors include his mother, Nora Breeding of Sparta; daughter, Barbara Breeding of Crossville; grandchildren, Brian, Paul, Tiffany and Laura; brothers, James Lee Breeding of Corona, CA, William Breeding Jr. of Rock Island, TN, and Jerry Breeding of Sparta; and sisters, Betty Rigsby of McMinnville, and Irene Becker of Sparta.



He was preceded in death by his father, William Breeding.

The Rev. Charles Birch officiated.

Crossville Memorial Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

**Rosa Lee (Gentry) Breeding Obt.**

b. 5 June 1904, Jackson Co., TN – d. 16 December 1990, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 25th of December 1925, Putnam Co., TN to **Alex H. Breeding**, b. 14 December 1900 – d. 27 December 1979, s/o **Dillard Goodpasture Breeding** (1857-1945) & **Arminda Cordella Barnes** (1857-1945). Rosa Lee (Gentry) Breeding, d/o **Joshua Gentry & Katie E. Hensley**.

\*See Alex H. Breeding buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 207, #2089 – Alex Breeding married 25 December 1925, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Rosa Lee Gentry).

**COOKEVILLE** - Funeral services for Rosa Lee Breeding, 86, of Cookeville were held at 10 a.m. today, December 18, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Burial was in the West Cemetery.

Mrs. Breeding died Sunday, December 16, 1990.

The Jackson County native was born June 5, 1904 and was the daughter of the late Joshua and Katie E. Hensley Gentry.

Mrs. Breeding was a housewife and a member of Sycamore Church of Christ. Her family includes a host of nieces and nephews.

Bro. Johnny Fox officiated at the services.

**William Clennie Breeding**

b. 12 June 1906, Overton Co., TN – d. 19 January 1978, TN, md on the 18<sup>th</sup> of October 1931, Putnam Co., TN to **Nora Lee (Cannon) Breeding**, b. 18 May 1912 – d. 15 October 2002, d/o **Robert Lee Cannon** (1876-1944) & **Mary Avo Mason** (1876-1965). William Clennie Breeding, s/o **Dillard Goodpasture Breeding** (1857-1945) & **Arminda Cordella Barnes** (1857-1945). Buried next to him is **Infant Breeding**, b. & d. 30 April 1951.

\*See Joe Edward Breeding Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 378 – W. C. Breeding married 18 October 1931, Putnam Co., TN, age 25, address; Rt. 2, Algood, TN to Miss Nora Lee Cannon, age 19, address: Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: R. E. Cannon, Rt. 4, Cookeville, TN).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 255, #6856 – William Clennie Breeding married 29 October 1966, Overton Co., TN, age 60, Sparta, TN to Nora Lee Breeding, 54, address: Sparta, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Blank).

**Ernest Howard Carrington**

b. 12 March 1915, Putnam Co., TN – d. 11 May 1949, Jackson Co., TN, s/o **John Jackson Carrington** (1863-1947) & **Scynthie Della Stewart** (1870-1946).

\*See John Jackson Carrington Jr. buried in West Cemetery.

**John "Jay" Carrington**

b. 7 March 1897, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. March 1963, Jackson Co., TN, md on the 7<sup>th</sup> of September 1919, Putnam Co., TN to **Ella May (Ray) Carrington**, b. 1900 – d. 1955. Jay Carrington, s/o **John Jackson Carrington** (1863-1947) & **Scynthie Della Stewart** (1870-1946).

\*See John Jackson Carrington Jr. buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 525, #2075– J. Carrington married 7 September 1919, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Ella Ray).

**John Jackson Carrington**

b. 1 March 1863, Jackson Co., TN – d. 10 April 1947, Jackson Co., TN, md **Scynthie Della (Stewart) Carrington**. b 22 March 1870, Jackson Co., TN – d. 6 September 1946, Jackson Co., TN, d/o **Levi “Ben” Murphy Stewart** (1844-1927) & **Harriet Henley** (1849-1930). John Jackson Carrington Jr., s/o **John Jackson Carrington** (1827-1887) & **Hannah J. Burke** (1826-1880).

\*See Ernest Howard Carrington buried in West Cemetery.

\*See John “Jay” Carrington buried in West Cemetery.

**Lura Carrington**

b. 4 September 1920 – d. 26 May 1971.

**Stacy C. Carrington**

b. 24 March 1938 – d. 16 December 1973.

**Willie David Copeland**

b. 22 December 1904 – d. 9 October 1971, Putnam Co., TN, md **Etta Lou (unknown) Copeland**, b. 14 May 1920 – d. 10 October 2001. Willie David Copeland, s/o **Joseph J. Copeland** (1881-1970) & **Lular Phillips** (1883-1966).

**Singleton Cralley**

b. 1905 – 1981.

**A. B. Daily**

b. 1867 – d. 1909.

**Billie Lynn Dickerson**

b. 19 April 1920 – d. 23 January 1975, md on the 6<sup>th</sup> of August 1961, Putnam Co., TN to **Bernell Minnie (Loftis) Dickerson Matthews**, b. 23 February 1923, TN – d. 12 September 2008, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Robert Oakley Loftis** (1891-1976) & **Mary** (1897-1976), both buried in Loftis Cemetery, Bangham, Putnam Co., TN. Billie Lynn Dickerson, s/o **Henry Thomas Dickerson** (1890-1957) & **Daisie Delivine Lynn** (1893-1957). Bernell Minnie (Loftis) Dickerson Matthews also md on the 4<sup>th</sup> of August 1980, Overton Co., TN to **Owen Matthews** b. 9 March 1947, Cumberland Co., TN – d. 1 November 2012, Livingston, Overton Co., TN, s/o **Elmer Matthews & Fannie Bell Boles**.

\*See Bernell Minnie (Loftis) Dickerson Matthews Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 121 – Billie Lynn Dickerson married 6 August 1961, Putnam Co., TN to Bernell Minnie Loftis, age 39, b. 23 February 1923, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian, or next of kin of female: Mrs. Mary Loftis, Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN).

**Henry Thomas Dickerson**

b. 11 January 1890 – d. 19 November 1957, md on the 9<sup>th</sup> of August 1911, Putnam Co., TN to **Daisie Delivine (Lynn) Dickerson**, b. 7 February 1893 – d. 5 October 1957, d/o **William Lynn** (1842-1922) & **Filena Johnson** (1867-1942). Henry Thomas Dickerson, s/o **Joseph John Dickerson** (1859-1937) & **Harriet “Hattie” Phillips** (1861-1925).

\*See Mary Della (Dickerson) Allen Obt.

\*See Carlena (Dickerson) Phillips Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 53, #210 – Henry Dickerson married 9 August 1911, Putnam Co., TN to Daisy Lynn).

**Mildred (Roberts) McMillian Flanary Obt.**

b. 11 October 1925, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 11 February 2013, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md **James Harold McMillan**. Mildred also md on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of September 1960, Putnam Co., TN to **Junior Sterling Flanary**, b. 31 January 1925. Mildred (Roberts) McMillan Flanary, d/o **Marvin Roberts** (1881-1934) & **Martha Lee Ann Letner** (1889-1977).

\*See Marvin Roberts buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 483 – Junior Flanary married 3 September 1960, Putnam Co., TN, age 35, b. 31 January 1925, address: 5 Doolittle Dr., Dayton, OH to Mildred L. C. McMillan, age 34, b. 11 October 1925, address; 116 North Whitney, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Martha Roberts, mother, 116 North Whitney, Cookeville, TN).

Funeral services for Mildred Roberts Flanary, 87 of Cookeville will be conducted Wednesday February 13 at 11 a.m. in the Cookeville Chapel of Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home. Bro. Buddy Johnson will officiate. Interment will follow in West Cemetery in the Fairview Community.



Visitation will be Wednesday from 10 a.m. until service time at the funeral home.

Mrs. Flanary died Monday morning, February 11, 2013 at her residence.

She was born October 11, 1925 in Cookeville to the late Marvin and Martha Lee Ann Letner Roberts.

Mrs. Flanary was a beloved mother and homemaker. She loved gardening, quilting, bead working and canning. She especially enjoyed spoiling her granddaughters.

She was a member of the Church of Christ in Dayton, Ohio.

She is survived by two daughters, Shirley McMillan (John Huff) of Dayton, OH, and Tina Marie Conatser of Cookeville; two granddaughters, Sarah Beth Conatser and Skyla Julian Kroenert; and a host of nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by two husbands, James Harold McMillan and Jr. Sterling Flanary; three brothers, Lonnie, Fowler, and McClarion Roberts; and four sisters, Laura Roberts, Rosie Thompson, Gladys Kemp and Eulene McReynolds.

Pallbearers will be family and friends.

Mrs. Flanary's family would like to express a special Thank You to the caregivers at Odyssey Hospice.

The family suggests memorial contributions be made to Odyssey Hospice, 851 S. Willow Ave, Ste. 102, Cookeville, TN 38501.

Bro. Buddy Johnson will officiate at the services.

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#### **Campbell B. Fleming**

b. 30 October 1873 – d. 9 February 1938, md on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of June 1906, Putnam Co., TN to **Sirena (Loftis) Fleming**, b. 29 August 1880 – d. 1 October 1954.

\*See Harrison C. Fleming Obt.

\*See Woodrow Thompson buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 340, #815– C. B. Fleming married 3 June 1906, Putnam Co., TN to Miss S. Loftis).

#### **Harrison C. Fleming Obt.**

b. 2 May 1910, Overton Co., TN – d. 27 October 1979, Dayton, s/o **Campbell Fleming** (1873-1938) & **Sirena Loftis** (1880-1954).

\*See Campbell B. Fleming buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Woodrow Thompson buried in West Cemetery.

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Harrison Fleming, 69, of Dayton, OH, were held Monday, Oct. 29, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home with Bro. Floyd Barnes officiating. Burial was in West Cemetery.

Mr. Fleming died October 27 at Miami Valley Hospital in Dayton.

A native of Overton County, he was the son of the late Campbell and Sirena Loftis Fleming.

He was a cook and restaurant worker in Dayton.

Survivors include three sisters, Mrs. Auda Judd and Mrs. Deanne Thompson, both of Cookeville, and Mrs. Mable Landford of Dayton.

Whitson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 30 October 1979

**Armel R. Gaw**

b. 2 May 1910 – d. 27 October 1979, md on the 27<sup>th</sup> of December 1894, Putnam Co., TN to **Ida Greenwood (Rector) Gaw**, b. 27 August 1877 – d. 6 August 1934. Armel Gaw, s/o **Theophilus Gaw** (1851-1933) & **Celia Gore** (1858-1930).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 523 – Armel Gaw married 27 December 1894, Putnam Co., TN to Ida Greenwood).

**James Levi Gaw**

b. 14 March 1901 – d. 3 October 1967.

**Verdi Robert Gaw**

b. 13 October 1895 – d. 10 July 1970, d/o **Armel Gaw** (1910-1979) & **Ida Greenwood Rector** (1877-1934).

**Alcie Vela Gentry**

b. 23 February 1898 – d. 3 September 1919.

**Benton Gentry**

b. 31 December 1926 – d. 28 April 1993, (Sgt. US Army WWII), md **Dorothy (unknown) Gentry**, b. 15 November 1926. Benton Gentry, s/o **William Andrew Gentry** (1869-1947) & **Nola Boatman** (1898-1990).

\*See Lawrence Grace Gentry buried in Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

\*See William Andrew Gentry Obt.

**Brandy M. Gentry**

b. 14 November 1983 – d. 3 June 2006, d/o **Lewis D. & Cheryl E. Gentry**.

**Drucella Ann “Drue” (Gaw) Gentry Obt.**

b. 31 December 1950, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 21 July 2021, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 26<sup>th</sup> of March 1970, Putnam Co., TN to **Richard Benton Gentry**. Drucella Ann “Drue” (Gaw) Gentry,

d/o **Roy D. Gaw Jr.**, b. 30 November 1927 & **Audrey Geneva Crabtree** (1929-2016), she is buried in Smyrna Cemetery, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 200 – Richard Benton Gentry married 26 March 1970, Putnam Co., TN, age, b. 30 January 1949, address: rt. 9, Cookeville, TN to Drucell Ann Gaw, age 19, b. 31 December 1950, address: Rt. 9, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Mr. & Mrs. Roy Gaw Jr., Rt. 9, Cookeville, TN).

Drucella Ann (Gaw) Gentry joined her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ on Wednesday, July 21, 2021. Drue was born Sunday, December 31, 1950 to Roy and (the late) Geneva Gaw of Cookeville.

She shared 51 wonderful years of marriage to Richard Benton Gentry, son of Dorothy and (the late) Benton Gentry also of Cookeville. Drue enjoyed serving in Washington Avenue Baptist Church where she was a charter member. Her deep faith and abiding trust in Christ allowed her to fully live out Proverbs 15:13, "A glad heart makes a cheerful face."

She leaves Richard behind with their children: Brent Gentry and Rachael (Daniel) Lowhorn; grandchildren: Blake (Victoria) Gentry, Bryce Gentry, Caleb, Charis, and Joshua Lowhorn. She also leaves behind her father: Roy Gaw; mother-in-law: Dorothy Gentry; sisters: Linda (Mike) Stubblefield and Sheila (Craig) King; sister-in-law: Frances (Steve) Nunley; 8 nieces and nephews and 5 great nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her mother: Geneva Gaw; father-in-law: Benton Gentry; daughter-in-law: Jennifer Glee Gentry and nephew: James Waldie.

Graveside Service were held Friday, July 23, 2021 from the West Cemetery in the Fairview Community with Bro. Mark Gaw officiating.

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#### **Emmalene Gentry**

b. 30 November 1926 – d. 6 February 1927.

#### **G. D. Gentry**

b. 3 January 1898 – d. 10 August 1901.

#### **George Martin Gentry**

b. 17 July 1921, Putnam Co., TN – d. 24 January 1979, Putnam Co., TN, md **Mary Margaret (Wyatt) Gentry**, b. 27 September 1924 – d. 4 October 1997, d/o **Andrew Franklin Wyatt** (1900-1941) & **Virginia Lue Phillips** (1904-1981), both buried in Wyatt Cemetery, Sullivan Co., TN. George Martin Gentry, s/o **Lewis Arlen Gentry** (1897-1984) & **Allie Countiss** (1887-1971).

\*See Lewis Arlen Gentry Obt.

\*See Lewis Dean Gentry Obt.

#### **George Washington Gentry Sr.**

b. 7 April 1848, Overton Co., TN – d. 3 June 1936, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 15 June 1889, TN to **Mary Rebecca (Lee) Gentry**, b. 2 September 1867 Jackson Co., TN – d. 7 April 1946, d/o **Curry Lee** (1844-1883) & **Sarah Webb** (1843-1903). George Washington Gentry, s/o **Martin Bartlett Gentry** (1818-1904) & **Molly Polly Peek** (1829-1901). George Washington Gentry md 1<sup>st</sup> on the 5<sup>th</sup> of May 1867, TN to **Margaret (Maxwell) Gentry**, b. 8 June 1847, TN – d. 6 May 1889. George Washington Gentry, s/o **Martin Blackburn Gentry** (18180-1904) & **Mary Ann Peek** (1829-1901).

\*See James M. Gentry buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Lewis Arlen Gentry Obt.

\*See Mary Rebecca (Lee) Gentry Obt.

\*See Laura Threecy (Gentry) Lee Obt.

\*See Etta Mae (Gentry) Smith Obt.

**Harvey Leonard Gentry**

b. 4 January 1925 – d. 30 November 1986, md on the 15<sup>th</sup> of June 1962, Jackson Co., TN to **Janie E. (Swack) Gentry**, b. 29 July 1930 – d. 25 April 1997. Harvey Leonard Gentry, s/o **Lewis Arlen Gentry** (1897-1984) & **Allie Countiss** (1887-1971).

\*See Lewis Arlen Gentry Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 209, #431 – Harvey Leonard Gentry married 15 June 1962, Jackson Co., TN, age 37, address: Rt. 4, Cookeville, TN to Jane E. Swack, age 31, address; Monterey, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Blank).

**Ivory Lee Gentry**

b. 28 September 1918 – d. 13 March 1921.

**Jennifer Glee (Brannum) Gentry Obt.**

b. 20 July 1973, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 30 August 2019, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 18<sup>th</sup> of March 1994, Putnam Co., TN to **Brent Alan Gentry**, b. 3 February 1974. Jennifer Glee (Brannum) Gentry, d/o **Delmer Brannum & Virginia Whittenburg**.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 247 – Brent Alan Gentry married 18 March 1994, Putnam Co., TN, age 20, b. 3 February 1974, address: 247 W. Whitehall Rd., Cookeville, TN to Jennifer Glee Brannum, age 20, b. 20 July 1973, address: 1691 Bunker Hill Road, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Virginia Brannum, mother, 1691 Bunker Hill Road, Cookeville, TN).

Jennifer Glee Gentry, 46 of Cookeville, Tennessee passed from this life on Friday, August 30, 2019 at her home.

Jennifer was born Friday, July 20, 1973 in Cookeville, Tennessee. She was the daughter of Delmer Brannum and Virginia (Whittenburg) Brannum.

Jennifer was a devoted wife and mother. She was a property developer and manager for 20 plus years for the family business.

Jennifer is survived by:

Husband: Brent Gentry

2 Sons: Blake Gentry and Fiancée Victoria Rand  
Bryce Gentry

2 Nephews: Caleb and Joshua Lowhorn

Niece: Charis Lowhorn

Jennifer was preceded in by: Grandmother, Geneva Cope.

Graveside Services for Jennifer Glee Gentry will be held Monday, September 2, 2019 at 11:00 am at the West Cemetery in the Fairview Community. Interment will follow.

Pall Bearers will be Brent Gentry, Blake Gentry, Bryce Gentry, Eddie Gaw, Tony Smith, and Daniel Lowhorn.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that donations be made to the Mustard Seed Ranch.

**James Alman Gentry Obt.**

b. 23 July 1888, Jackson Co., TN – d. 29 May 1950, CA, md 1<sup>st</sup> **Lala Jackson**, md 2<sup>nd</sup> **Ollie May Eldridge**, md 3<sup>rd</sup> **Alva Swarengin** buried in CA. James A. Gentry, s/o **James Joshua Gentry** (1862-1935) & **Katie Elizabeth Hensley** (1860-1941).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 15 – J. A. Gentry married 18 September 1910, Jackson Co., TN to U. L. Jackson).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 24, #2466– J. A. Gentry married 3 February 1921, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Ollie May Eldridge).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 377, #4550– J. A. Gentry married 23 October 1926, Putnam Co., TN to Alva Swearingin).

Supposedly, James Alman Gentry was living in California by the time he died in 1950. His wife Alva brought his body back to Tennessee for burial. When Alva died in 1991, she was buried in California according to a family member. Her daughter Jane E. Gentry Daughtry (Mrs. Walter Ollie Daughtry) died at the age of 43 on August 6, 1976, in Orange County, California.) If you have the name of the cemetery where Alva or Jane were buried, I'd appreciate an email. (findagrave).

James's third wife was Alva C. Swarengin who was born on May 24, 1907, in Tennessee to Palo Milton Swarengin and Caldona "Callie" Jane Burris Swarengin (buried in Dodson Branch Cemetery in Jackson County, Tennessee). James and Alva were married on October 23, 1926, in Putnam Co, Tennessee. In 1940 James and Alva were living in Jackson County in the home of Alva's parents. Living with them was their only child Jane E. Gentry who was born on June 6, 1923, in Tennessee. Later, perhaps between 1947 and 1950, James and Alva supposedly moved to Orange County, California, perhaps to live near their daughter Jane E. Gentry Daughtry. (note: Alva continued to live in California after James's death in 1950 and even after Jane's death in 1976, dying herself on May 7, 1991, in Orange County, California.

#### **James M. Gentry**

b. 22 April 1868, Jackson Co., TN – d. 1 August 1950, Jackson Co., TN, md on the 10<sup>th</sup> of May 1888, Jackson Co., TN to **Hessie (Lee) Gentry**, b. 22 April 1863 – d. 11 March 1959. James M. Gentry, s/o **George Washington Gentry Sr.** (1848-1936) & **Margaret Maxwell** (1847-1889).

\*See George Washington Gentry Sr. buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 202 – J. M. Gentry married 10 May 1888, Jackson Co., TN to H. M. Lee).

#### **Lewis Arlen Gentry Obt.**

b. 31 January 1897, Jackson Co., TN – d. 19 June 1984, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of September 1916 to **Allie (Countiss) Gentry**, b. 27 July 1887, Putnam Co., TN – d. 2 February 1971, Putnam Co., TN. Lewis Arlen Gentry, s/o **George Washington Gentry Sr.** (1848-1936) & **Mary Rebecca Lee** (1867-1946).

\*See George Washington Gentry Sr. buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Harvey Leonard Gentry buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Nannie Ruth Gentry Obt.

\*See Bessie Mae (Gentry) Griner Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 332, #1320– Louis Gentry married 3 September 1916, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Allie Countess).

**COOKEVILLE** - Funeral services for Lewis A. Gentry, 87, a resident of Rt. 12, Cookeville, will be held Fri., June 22, at 2 p.m., in the Chapel of Whitson Funeral Home with Bro. Arvil Lee and Bro. Bobby Pharris officiating. Burial will be in West Cemetery.

Mr. Gentry died Tues., June 19, 1984, at Cookeville General Hospital.

Born Jan. 31, 1897 in Jackson County, he was the son of the late George M. and Mary Lee Gentry.

Mr. Gentry was a retired farmer.

His family includes one son, Harvey Gentry of Cookeville; four daughters, Loretta Harville of Baxter and Bessie Griner, Mary Bryant and Ruth Gentry, all of Cookeville; one brother, Amon Gentry of Cookeville; two sisters, Mrs. Maggie Knight and Mrs. Laurel Lee, both of Cookeville; twenty grandchildren; and twenty-seven great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife and two sons.

Whitson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

**Lewis Dean Gentry Obt.**

b. 2 May 1954, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 7 September 2021, Knoxville, Knox Co., TN, md on the 13<sup>th</sup> of December 1975, Jackson Co., TN to **Cheryl Elonie (Foster) Gentry**. Lewis Dean Gentry, s/o **George Martin Gentry** (1921-1979) & **Mary Margaret Wyatt** (1924-1997).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 17 – Lewis Dean Gentry married 13 December 1975, Putnam Co., TN, age 21, address: Rt. 12, Cookeville, TN to Cheryl Elonie Foster, age 17, address: Rt. 1, Sparta, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Charles Foster (deceased) & Elizabeth Foster Allen, mother, Rt. 1, Sparta, TN).

Lewis Dean Gentry, 67, of Seymour, TN, passed away Tuesday, September 7, 2021, at UT Medical Center in Knoxville TN.

Lewis was born Sunday, May 2, 1954, in Cookeville, TN, to the late George Martin Gentry and Mary Margaret Wyatt Gentry.

**Survivors:**

Wife - Cheryl E. Gentry, Seymour, TN

Son - Charles Martin Gentry

Grand Children- Madison and Xander Gentry

Brother- Kenneth (Sharon) Gentry

Sisters- Jennie (Phil) Mitchell and Carolyn Capello,

along with a host of other family members and special friends.

In addition to his parents, Lewis was preceded in death by:

Daughter - Brandy Michelle Gentry

Brother- Cecil Gentry

Due to Covid-19, mask are required to be worn and practice social distancing during visitation and services.

The family will receive friends from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM Friday, September 10, 2021, at the Presley Funeral Home.

Funeral services for Lewis will be Saturday, September 11, 2021, at 12:00 noon from the chapel of Presley Funeral Home with Dr. George Hollander officiating.

Burial for Lewis Dean Gentry will be held Saturday, September 11, 2021, at West Cemetery in the Fairview Community located in Putnam County, TN.

To sign the online guestbook and to send the family a message please visit: [www.presleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.presleyfuneralhome.com)



Arrangements entrusted to Presley Funeral Home, 695 Buffalo Valley Road Cookeville, TN 38501

**Lilburn Gentry Obt.**

b. 8 March 1913, Jackson Co., TN – d. 16 June 1970, Dayton, OH, s/o **William Andrew Gentry** (1869-1947) & **Modelia Johnson** (1871-1919).

Lilburn Gentry, 57, half-brother of Mrs. Clemma Rose of Crossville, passed away Tuesday, June 16, in Dayton, Ohio.

Funeral services were held Saturday at Whitson Funeral Home in Cookeville with burial in Spring Creek cemetery.

Mr. Gentry, who was a native of Jackson county, leaves 4 brothers, 5 sisters, 5 half-brothers and another half-sister.

**Lola Marie Gentry**

b. 20 September 1925 – d. 11 November 1925.

**M. C. (Lane) Gentry**

b. 12 September 1915, Putnam Co., TN- d. 5 May 1999, Rochester, Oakland Co., MI, md on the 16<sup>th</sup> of August 1936, Putnam Co., TN to **Romaine Fielding Gentry**, b. 21 August 1915, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 19 October 1979, VA Medical Center, Kerrville, Kerr Co., TX. M. C. Lane, s/o **Zebedee Barnes Gentry** (1890-1957) & **Lilly Mae Poston** (1894-1975). M. C. Lane, d/o **Early Pinkus Lane** (1893-1969) & **Emma E. Smith** (1894-1981).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 164 – Romaine Gentry married 16 August 1936, Putnam Co., TN, age 21, address; 1233 Eugrl, Detroit, MI to M. C. Lane, age 21, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Early Lane, Cookeville, TN).

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for M.C. Lane Gentry, 83, of Rochester, Michigan, will be held at 11 a.m. on Mon., May 10, from the chapel of Dyer Funeral Home. Burial will be in West Cemetery in the Fairview Community.

The family will receive friends from 4-9 p.m. on Sun., May 9, at the funeral home.

Mrs. Gentry died on Wed., May 5, 1999, at Meadowbrook Nursing Home in Rochester, Mich.

She was born in Putnam County to the late Early and Emma Smith Lane. Mrs. Gentry was a factory worker in Michigan.

Her family includes a daughter and son-in-law, Sonja Yvonne and John Maloziec of Michigan; a brother, Harold Lane of Cookeville; three grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by four brothers, U.L., J.D., James and Noah (Doc) Lane.

**Margaret Gentry**

b. 3 June 1847 – d. 6 May 1889

\*See George Washington Gentry Sr. buried in West Cemetery.

**Mary Emmalene Gentry**

b. 30 November 1926 – d. 6 February 1927.

**M. O. Gentry**

b. 1 February 1871 – d. 14 May 1919.

**Mary Rebecca (Lee) Gentry Obt.**

b. 2 September 1867, Jackson Co., TN - d. 7 April 1946, md on the 15 June 1889, TN to **George Washington Gentry Sr.**, b. 7 April 1848, Overton Co., TN – d. 3 June 1936, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **Martin Bartlett Gentry** (1818-1904) & **Molly Polly Peek** (1829-1901). Mary Rebecca (Lee) Gentry, d/o **Curry Lee** (1844-1883) & **Sarah Webb** (1843-1903).

\*See George Washington Gentry Sr. buried in West Cemetery.

Funeral Services Monday For Mrs. Mary B. Gentry:

Mrs. Mary B. Gentry, 78, widow of G. W. Gentry, Sr., died early Sunday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. Q. Smith, in Algood. She was only visiting Mrs. Smith when she became ill and after a short illness she passed away.

She was a native of Jackson County, but had spent the most of her life near Cookeville. She was a member of the Presbyterian church and was loved and shall long be remembered by all who made her acquaintance.

Survivors are: three daughters, Mrs. T. Q. Smith, Algood; Mrs. Thurman Knight, Cookeville; Mrs. Millard Lee, Gainesboro; three sons, Arnold and Lewis Gentry, Cookeville, and Amon Gentry, who was recently discharged from the U. S. Army, Detroit, MI. Two sisters, Mrs. James Gentry, and Mrs. Jim Green, Cookeville; one brother, Dibrell Lee, Hilham; thirty-five grandchildren and thirty-six greatgrandchildren also survive. She was a sister of the late John Lee, former Sheriff of Putnam County.

Funeral services were held at the Spring Creek Cumberland Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Woodrow Mayberry, pastor. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Putnam County Herald, Cookeville, TN: 18 April 1946

**Nannie Ruth Gentry Obt.**

b. 1 May 1931, Putnam Co., TN – d. 7 April 1999, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Lewis Arlen Gentry** (1897-1984) & **Allie Countiss** (1887-1971).

\*See Lewis Arlen Gentry Obt.

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Nannie (Ruth) Gentry, 67, of Cookeville, will be held at 2 p.m. on Fri., April 9, at Whitson Funeral Home.

Burial will be in West Cemetery in the Spring Creek Community of Putnam County.

The family is currently receiving friends at the funeral home.

Miss Gentry died on Wed., April 7, 1999, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

She was born on May 1, 1931, in Putnam County to the late Lewis A. and Allie Countiss Gentry. Miss Gentry was a retired factory worker with the Cookeville Shirt Company.

Her family includes three sisters, Mary Bryant and Bessie Griner, both of Cookeville and Loretta Harville of Baxter; and a host of nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by three brothers, Harvey, Johnny and George Gentry.

Pallbearers will be Arlin and Ralph Bryant, Shane and Tom Buck, Ben Loftis and Charles Swallows.

Bro. Dow Allen will officiate at the services.

**William Andrew Gentry Obt.**

b. 27 December 1869, Jackson Co., TN – d. 7 January 1947, TN, md on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of March 1924, Putnam Co., TN to **Nola (Boatman) Gentry Maxwell**, b. 7 July 1898 – d. 7 May 1990, d/o **Stephen Raleigh Boatman** (1867-1909) & **Sarah Phy** (1868-1956). William Andrew Gentry, md 1<sup>st</sup> **Modelia (Johnson) Gentry**, b. 1 February 1871 –d. 14 May 1919, d/o **Logan A. Johnson** (1838-1912) & **Maranda West** (1848-1921).

\*See Lawrence Grace Gentry buried in Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

\*See Logan A. Johnson buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 224, #2155 – W. A. Gentry married 23 March 1924, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Nola Boatman).

William Andrew Gentry, 77 Father of 22 Children; Dies:

William Andrew Gentry, age 77, father of 22 children, died at his home in Dodson Springs, January 7. Funeral services were held at the Spring Creek church with the Rev. W. M. Dicus officiating.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Nola Boatman Gentry; Luther, Lloyd and Lilburn Gentry, Dayton, OH, Leon, Larry, Alonzo, and Lawrence Gentry, Mrs. Virgil Cooper, Mrs. Eathan Smith, Mrs. Anson Grimsley, of Cookeville; Mrs. Claude Jaquess, Algood; Mrs. Larmon Mayberry, of Detroit, MI, Mrs. Larry Barnes, of Yorba Linda, CA, Birch, Hollis, Milton, Franklin, Clemma Rose and Castella Gentry of Cookeville, and Sgt. Benton Gentry, of the armed forces in Germany.

Other than the children, Mr. Gentry is survived by 46 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren, one brother, J. M. Gentry, three half-sisters, Mrs. Toney Smith, Mrs. Thurman Knight and Mrs. Millard Lee; and three half-brothers, Arnold, Lewis, and Amon Gentry.

Putnam County Herald, Cookeville TN: 16 January 1947

#### **Brice J. Green**

b. 1899 – d. 1945, md on the 21<sup>st</sup> of December 1919, Putnam Co., TN to **Lillie E. (Ray) Brice**, b. 1905 – d. 1943.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 541, #2141 – Brice Green married 21 December 1919, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Lillie Ray).

#### **Catherine (Rector) Green**

b. 10 December 1831- d. 29 December 1921.

\*See James Oliver Green Obt.

#### **Claude Cecil Green**

b. 20 February 1920 – d. 7 June 1985, md **Ida Belle (unknown) Green**, b. 10 August 1918 – d. 7 August 2006.

#### **James A. “Andy” Green Obt.**

b. 30 January 1886, Overton Co., TN – d. 10 April 1981, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md **Vera E. (Bartlett) Green**, b. 6 July 1896 – d. 10 May 1969, d/o **Perry Davis Bartlett** (1862-1927) & **Mary E. West** (1862-1925). James A. “Andy” Green, s/o **Carroll Green** (1841-1926) & **Nancy Merritt** (1852-1927), both buried in the Green Family Cemetery, Livingston, Overton Co., TN.

\*See Perry Davis Bartlett buried in West Cemetery.

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for James A. “Andy” Green, 95, will be held at 2 p.m. today in the chapel of Whitson Funeral home, with Bro. Dewey Glenn Masters officiating and burial following in the West Cemetery.

Mr. Green, a native of Overton County and the son of the late Carroll and Nancy Merritt Green, died Friday, April 10, 1981, in Cookeville General Hospital. He was a retired farmer.

Survivors include a son, Claude Green of Chattanooga; three daughters, Ina Lee of OH and Bell Roberts and Clemmie Green of Cookeville; eight grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren.

Whitson Funeral home is in charge of arrangements.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN: 12 April 1981.

**James Oliver Green Obt.**

b. 1 May 1871 – d. 27 October 1947, md **Martha E. (Lee) Green**, b. 30 October 1877 – d. 3 June 1975. James Oliver Green, s/o **Ensor Green & Catherine Rector** (1831-1921).

\*See Catherine (Rector) Green buried in West Cemetery.

James O. Green, 76, Dies Unexpectedly:

Funeral services were held Tuesday for James O. Green, 76, who died unexpectedly Monday at his home in the Lynn's Chapel community, near Waterloo.

Mr. Smith, a farmer, had attended church services Sunday night. He became ill shortly after going to bed and died within a few hours.

Services were conducted at the Spring Creek Presbyterian Church by the Rev. W. M. Dicus. Burial was in West Cemetery.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Martha Lee Green; two daughters, Mrs. Velma Chapman, Dayton, OH, and Mrs. Ella Lynn, Cookeville.

Putnam County Herald, Cookeville TN: 30 October 1947

**Lou Effie Green**

b. 4 August 1902 – d. 10 August 1903.

**Sammie Vester Green**

b. 16 October 1927 – d. 30 September 1970.

**Ethel (Kirk) Greenwood**

b. 30 November 1921 – d. 9 July 1970, d/o **Jacob "Jake" Greenwood** (1896-1987) & **Minnie Belle Peek** (1900-1988).

**Infant Greenwood**

b. & d. 1924, s/o **Jake J. Greenwood & Minnie B. Peek**.

**Jacob "Jake" Jefferson Greenwood**

b. 14 April 1896 – d. 16 August 1987, (US Army WWI), md on the 5<sup>th</sup> of July 1917, Putnam Co., TN to **Minnie Belle (Peek) Greenwood**, b. 9 September 1900 – d. 1 June 1988, d/o **John C. Peek** (1869-1964) & **Delley Viney Mayberry** (1870-1951). Jacob Greenwood, s/o **Wesley Riley Greenwood** (1862-1936) & **Pocahontas Franklin** (1856-1913).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 382, #1521– Jack Greenwood married 5 July 1917, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Minnie Peek).

**Bessie Mae (Gentry) Griner Obt.**

b. 26 January 1923, Putnam Co., TN – d. 26 June 2020, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Lewis Arlen Gentry** (1897-1984) & **Allie Countiss** (1887-1971).

\*See Lewis Arlen Gentry Obt.

Funeral services for Bessie Mae Griner, age 97 of Cookeville, TN, will be held on Thursday, July 2, 2020 at 11:00 A.M. from the Chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Burial will follow at West Cemetery (North). Visitation with the family will be held on Wednesday from 3:00-8:00P.M. and Thursday 9:00 A.M. till time of the service at 11:00.

Mrs. Griner passed away on June 26, 2020. She attended Shipley Church and was loved as a Quilting Artist. Bessie was born on January 26, 1923 in Putnam County, Tennessee to the late Lewis A. and Allie C. (Countiss) Gentry.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a Daughter: Betty Ann Swallows; Brothers & Sisters: Johnnie C. Gentry, Harvey Leonard Gentry, George M. Gentry, Mary Bryant, Loretta Harville, and Ruth Gentry.

Her Survivors Include: Daughter & Son-in-law, Brenda (Jerry) Lee-DeCatur, TN. A host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, & great-great grandchildren. A host of nieces & nephews. Family members will serve as pallbearers. Whitson Funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 30 June 2019

**Bruce Wayne Henley Obt.**

b. 16 June 1957, Jackson Co., TN – d. 23 April 2020, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 7<sup>th</sup> of February 1992, Putnam Co., TN to **Joan Carol (Nelson) Powell Henley**, b. 26 January 1943. Bruce Wayne Henley, s/o **Clarence Sylvester Henley** (1911-1978) & **Della Gaw** (1912-2004).

\*See Clarence Sylvester Henley buried in West Cemetery

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 348 – Bruce Wayne Henley married 7 February 1992, Putnam Co., TN, age 34, b. 16 June 1957, address: 945 Shannon Dr., Cookeville, TN to Joan Carol Powell, age 49, b. 26 January 1943, address: 945 Shannon Dr., Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Brian Powell, son, 536 E. 20<sup>th</sup> St., Box 24, Cookeville, TN).

**COOKEVILLE** — Bruce Wayne Henley, 62, of Cookeville, passed away Thursday, April 23, 2020.

Private family services will be held. Burial will follow at West Cemetery in the Fairview community of northern Putnam County.

No visitation for Mr. Henley will be held.

He was born Sunday, June 16, 1957, in Jackson County, Tennessee, to Della Jane (Gaw) Henley and the late Clarence Sylvester Henley.

In addition to his mother, Bruce is survived by his wife, Joan (Nelson) Henley; daughter, Tisha Sanker; stepsons, Brian and Robert Powell; stepdaughter, Paula Flatt; two brothers, Ralph and Charles Henley; two half brothers, Danny Warden and Jimmy Henley; two grandchildren; and two stepgrandchildren.

In addition to his father, Bruce was preceded in death by a brother, Robert Henley.

Presley Funeral Home in Cookeville is in charge of arrangements

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 26 April 2020

**Clarence Sylvester Henley**

b. 5 May 1911, TN – d. 1978, (Sgt. US Army WWII), md **Della Jane (Gaw) Warden Henley Williams**, b. 21 November 1929, Putnam Co., TN – d. 22 July 2020, Cumberland Co., TN, d/o **Edgar Benton “Edd” Gaw** (1896-1997) & **Willie Jewel Smith** (1907-1976). Clarence Sylvester Henley, s/o **James Monroe**

**Henley (1887-1936) & Luna Gentry (1893-1922).** Clarence Sylvester Henley also md **Rosella G. (Grey) Henley**, (1917-1964), buried in Milford Center Cemetery, Milford Center, Union Co., OH

\*See Bruce Wayne Henley Obt.

\*See Robert Henley Obt.

\*See Della Jane (Gaw) Warden Henley Williams Obt.

**Luna (Gentry) Henley**

b. 1893 – d. 1922, md on the 1<sup>st</sup> of August 1911 to **James Monroe Henley**, b. 2 February 1887, TN – d. 27 April 1936, TN, s/o **Samuel H. Henley** (1865-1927) & **Francis Allen** (1864-1946). Luna (Gentry) Henley, d/o **William Andrew Gentry** (1869-1947) & **Modella Johnson** (1871-1919).

**Radford Tad Henley**

b. 8 April 1882 – d. 11 November 1957, md **Viola (Warren) Henley**, b. 8 January 1875, TN – d. 22 February 1930, d/o **Ambros Perry Warren & Susannah Maxwell**. **Radford Tad Henley**, s/o **Darley/Darel Henley & Edith Allen**. Viola (Warren) Henley is buried in the Warren Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

**Robert Henley Obt.**

b. 5 December 1955, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 1 May 2019, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md **Deborah (unknown) Henley**. Robert Henley, s/o **Clarence Sylvester Henley** (1911-1978) & **Della Gaw** (1912-2004).

\*See Clarence Sylvester Henley buried in West Cemetery

**COOKEVILLE** — Funeral services for Robert Henley, 63, of Cookeville, Tennessee, will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, May 3, from the chapel of Presley Funeral Home with Pastor Keith Tosh officiating.

Burial will follow in the West Cemetery in the Fairview community of northern Putnam County.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home Friday, May 3, from 10 a.m. until the time of services.

Mr. Henley passed away Wednesday, May 1, 2019, at his home in Cookeville.

He was born Dec. 5, 1955, in Cookeville, to Clarence and Della Gaw Henley.

Robert was a skilled mechanic and contractor. He was able to do almost anything and will be remembered as being a "jack-of-all-trades."



He was preceded in death by his father, Clarence Henley.

He is survived by his wife, Deborah Henley of Cookeville; step-daughter, Ashley Meadows of Gainesboro, Tennessee; three step-sons, Chris Stafford and Zach Smith of Carthage, Tennessee, and Ben Hicks of Gainesboro; mother, Della Gaw Henley; five brothers, Jimmy Henley, Danny Warden, Bruce Henley, Ralph Henley and Charles Henley; and nieces and nephews, Tisha, Amy, Brandon, Alicia, Matthew,

Brittney, Tiffany and Joshua.

Pallbearers will be family and friends.

You may share your thoughts or send condolences to the family by visiting [www.presleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.presleyfuneralhome.com).

Professional services provided by Presley Funeral Home

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 3 May 2019

**Rosa Lee Henley**

b. 1917 – d. 1920.

**Infant Hicks**

b. 11 October 1913 – d. 23 December 1913, d/o **Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Hicks**.

**Jerry Wayne Hill Obt.**

b. 6 April 1966, Watertown – d. 13 May 2012, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **I. B. Hill & Nina S. Arline** (1940-2012).

\*See Nina (Arline) Hill Tucker Obt.

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Jerry Wayne Hill, 46, of Cookeville, will be held at 2 p.m. on Thursday, May 17, at Crest Lawn Funeral Home-Cremation Center. Burial will follow in West Cemetery North.

The family will receive friends from 5-8 p.m. today, Tuesday, May 15, from 10 a.m.-8 p.m. on Wednesday, May 16, and from 10 a.m. until time of services on Thursday at the funeral home.

Mr. Hill passed away on Sunday, May 13, 2012, at his residence.

He was born April 6, 1966, in Watertown to Nina (Arline) and IB Hill.

His family includes a daughter, Myla Hill of Tullahoma; two sons, Jerry Wayne Hill Jr. of Tullahoma and Terry Nickelous Hill of Cookeville; two grandchildren, Davey and Khloe Watson; his parents, Jim and Nina Arline Hill Tucker of Cookeville; a brother and sister-in-law, Scotty and Angelia Sue Tucker of Cookeville; a sister, Mandy Hill of Auburntown; special niece and nephews Shania, Luke, Josh Hill, Dustin Buck, Abby and Lennox Hill; special friend Jimmy Necessary of Cookeville; and many other family members and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father, IB Hill and stepmother Shirley; three brothers, Mark Hill and Jimmy and Tony Tucker; and a granddaughter, Allysun Watson.

Bro. Jim Phillips will officiate at the services.

To sign the online guest book and send the family a message, please visit [www.crestlawnmemorial.com](http://www.crestlawnmemorial.com).

Crest Lawn Funeral Home-Cremation Center is in charge of arrangements (931) 526-6384.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 15 May 2012

**Nick D. Hill**

b. 30 September 1962 – d. 20 February 1991.

**Terry Mark Hill**

b. 12 October 1964 – d. 2 September 2000, md **Patricia Ann (unknown) Hill**, b. 10 March 1965. Terry Mark Hill, s/o **I. B. Hill & Nina S. Arline** (1940-2012).

**Christene Hix**

b. 1 November 1921 – d. 2 July 2006.

**J. Daniel Hix**

b. 21 April 1885 – d. 26 January 1984, md on the 28<sup>th</sup> of January 1918, Putnam Co., TN to **Nellie M. (Gaw) Hix**, b. 20 January 1899 – d. 21 February 1973.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 419, #1663 – Daniel Hicks married 28 January 1918, Putnam Co., TN to Nellie Gaw).

**B. G. Johnson**

b. 21 June 1865 – d. 31 December 1890, s/o **Logan A. Johnson** (1838-1912) & **Maranda West** (1848-1921).

\*See Logan A. Johnson buried in West Cemetery.

**Celina Johnson**

b. 31 October 1868 – d. 27 March 1936, d/o **Logan A. Johnson** (1838-1912) & **Maranda West** (1848-1921).

\*See Logan A. Johnson buried in West Cemetery.

**Logan A. Johnson**

b. 29 March 1838 – d. 12 April 1912, md **Maranda (West) Johnson**, b. 13 January 1848 – d. 27 December 1921, d/o **William Carroll West** (1823-1905) & **Elizabeth Peek** (1826-1905). Children: Modelia Johnson (1871-1919).

\*See William Andrew Gentry buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Lannie Benton Judd buried in West Cemetery.

\*See William Carroll West Obt.

**Lannie Benton Judd**

b. 15 December 1904, TN – d. 11 September 1992, md on the 29<sup>th</sup> of July 1933, Putnam Co., TN to **Ova Jewel (Murphy) Thompson Judd**, b. 22 March 1913 – d. 21 October 1995. Lannie Benton Judd, s/o **Adolphus Eugene "Gene" Judd** (1876-1938) & **Cleo Patra Johnson** (1883-1944), both buried in Shipley Cemetery, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN. Ova Jewel (Murphy) Thompson Judd was also md to **Charlie Thompson**. Ova Jewel (Murphy) Thompson Judd, d/o **Thomas Elvador Murphy** (1878-1960) & **Alba Ruth Johnson** (1883-1921).

\*See Thomas Elvador Murphy buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 109, #187 - Lannie Judd married 29 July 1933, Putnam Co., TN, age 28, address: Cookeville, TN to Ova Thompson, age 23, address: Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Thos. Murphy).

**Billy Howard Kemp Obt.**

b. 26 November 1941, Putnam Co., TN- d. 6 September 2007, Putnam Co., TN, md 2<sup>nd</sup> on the 12<sup>th</sup> of February 1994, Putnam Co., TN to **Frances (Hamlet) Kemp**. Billy Howard Kemp md 1<sup>st</sup> to **Reba (unknown) Kemp**, b. 22 April 1942 – d. 6 August 1964. Billy Howard Kemp, s/o **Luther Green Kemp & Gladys Luvada Roberts** (1921-1988).

\*See Gladys (Roberts) Kemp buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Shelia Frances (Kemp) Stewart Obt.

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Billy "Bill" Howard Kemp, 65, of Cookeville will be held Saturday, Sept. 8, at 11 a.m. from the Cookeville chapel of Hooper Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home. Burial will be in West Cemetery in the Fairview Community of Putnam County.

Family will receive friends today, Friday, Sept. 7, from 4-8 p.m. and Saturday, Sept. 8, from 9 a.m. until time of services at the funeral home.

Mr. Kemp died Thursday, Sept. 6, 2007, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

He was born Nov. 26, 1941, in Putnam County to the late Luther Green and Gladys Luvada Roberts Kemp. He was owner and operator of Kemp's Vinyl Siding until his retirement and attended Washington Avenue Baptist Church.

His family includes his wife of 13 years, Frances Hamlet Kemp (whom he married Feb. 12, 1994, in



Putnam County) of Cookeville; a daughter, Sheila Kemp of Sparta; a stepson, Jimmy Reed of Hardy's Chapel Community; a stepdaughter, Pamela Gentry of Hardy's Chapel Community; a sister, Karen Eldridge of Baxter; a brother and sister-in-law, Bob and Sandra Kemp of Brentwood; and four grandchildren, Chris Roberson, Jessica, Rachel and Jacob Gentry.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Kemp was preceded in death by his first wife, Reba Kemp.

Pallbearers will be family and friends.

Rev. Mark Gaw will officiate the services.

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**Gladys Luvada (Roberts) Kemp**

b. 21 November 1921 – d. 16 November 1988, md **Luther Green Kemp**.

\*See Billy Howard Kemp Obt.

**Reba Frances Kemp**

b. 22 April 1942 – d. 6 August 1964.

**Vernal Gree Krantz**

b. 18 June 1906 – d. 26 August 1980, md **Laura Alice (Looper) Krantz**, b. 4 June 1915 – d. 25 February 1991. Child: Verlon B. Krantz (1934-2012), buried in Wirmingham Cemetery, Overton Co., TN.

**Monica LeAnn (Thompson) Lancaster Obt.**

b. 15 February 1978, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 26 June 2006, Celina, TN, md **Jason Lancaster**. Monica LeAnn (Thompson) Lancaster, d/o **Donnie Thompson & Barbara Faye Wilson**.

**COOKEVILLE** – Funeral services for Monica LeeAnn Lancaster, 28, of Cookeville, will be held at 2 p.m. Monday, July 3, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Burial will be in West Cemetery in the Fairview Community of Putnam County.

The family will receive friends from 6-9 p.m. today, Sunday, July 2, and from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

Mrs. Lancaster died Monday, June 26, 2006, in Cumberland River Hospital in Celina.

She was born Feb. 15, 1978, in Cookeville to Donnie Thompson and Barbara Faye Wilson of Cookeville.

Mrs. Lancaster was a sales clerk with Big Lots and attended Washington Baptist Church.

In addition to her parents, her family includes her husband, Jason Lancaster of Livingston; a daughter, Cassidy LeeAnn Lancaster of Livingston; and two loving cousins, Eddie Thompson of Hermitage and Rhonda Baxter of Cookeville.

She was preceded in death by her paternal grandparents, Charlie and Rosie Thompson; her maternal grandparents, James and Martha Wilson; and an uncle, Charles Ronald Thompson.

Pallbearers will be Eddie Thompson, Jason Eldridge, Greg Brown, mark Walker, Dennis McBroom and Jason Swallows.

Memorial donations may be made to Eddie Thompson at the funeral home.

Bro. Mark Gaw will officiate the services.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville,, TN: 2 July 2006, pg. 16.

**Betty Nonler Lane**

b. 5 May 1915 – d. 22 February 2002, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Luther Sampson Lane** (1891-1971) & **Alba Daily** (1895-1989).

\*See Luther Sampson Lane buried in West Cemetery.

**Gregory F. Lane**

b. 10 October 1959 – d. 27 July 2010.

**John Bolivar Lane**

b. 22 November 1864, TN – d. 11 December 1959, md **Emma E. (Bartlett) Lane**, b. 3 December 1866 – d. 29 February 1908. John B. Lane, s/o **Noah Wellington Lane Sr.** (1819-1899) & **Arminda Jane Pendergrass** (1829-1890). John Bolivar Lane md also **Mary (Johnson) Lane**, b. 24 November 1866 – d. 27 February 1954, d/o **Logan A. Johnson** (1838-1912) & **Maranda West** (1848-1921).

\*See Luther Sampson Lane buried in West Cemetery.

LANE, MRS. JOHN: Mrs. John Lane died on Saturday, Feb. 29, 1908, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Campbell Gentry, near Dodson's Branch, aged 45. In company with her husband and family she had just returned from Texas and had not reached her home. She was only sick a few days.

[Date 3/4/1908, Vol. VI, No. 5, Page 1]

**Luther Sampson Lane**

b. 15 August 1891 – d. 14 October 1971, md **Alba (Daily) Lane**, b. 18 December 1895 – d. 5 August 1989. Luther Sampson Lane, s/o **John Bolivar Lane** (1864-1959) & **Emma E. Bartlett** (1866-1908).

\*See John Bolivar Lane buried in West Cemetery.

**Maude Hassler Lane**

b. 13 May 1892 – d. 18 May 1919, md **Aaron Lanier Lane Sr.**, b. 3 March 1887, Putnam Co., TN – d. 6 July 1934, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **John Bolivar Lane** (1864-1959) & **Emma L. Bartlett** (1866-1908). Aaron Lanier Lane Sr. is buried in Odd Fellows Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

\*See John Bolivar Lane buried in West Cemetery.

**Early Doyle Langford**

b. 4 January 1925 – d. 23 July 2001, md **Mary Magdeline (Loftis) Langford**, b. 10 February 1930, Jackson Co., TN – d. 13 July 2016, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Carlin Champ Loftis** (1904-2000) & **Della Moore** (1913-1958). Children: Carolyn Fay Langford & Charles Douglas Langford. Early Doyle Langford, s/o **Charles H. Langford** (1870-1933) & **Alcie Allen** (1891-1941), both buried in Smith's Chapel Cemetery, Bangham, Putnam Co., TN.

\*See Carlin Champ Loftis Obt.

\*See Mary Magdalene (Loftis) Langford Obt.

**Harley R. Langford**

b. 10 May 1908 – d. 29 August 1968, s/o **Willis Daniel Langford** (1883-1956) & **Sallie Elizabeth Gentry** (1889-1978).

**Ivery Lee Langford**

b. 1 October 1905 – d. 13 November 1988, d/o **Willis Daniel Langford** (1883-1956) & **Sallie Elizabeth Gentry** (1889-1978).

**Mary Jane (Gentry) Langford**

b. 16 February 1883 – d. 14 September 1911, md on the 16<sup>th</sup> of October 1902, Putnam Co., TN to **Charles H. Langford**, b. 24 June 1870 – d. 17 January 1933, buried in Smith's Chapel Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 145, #29 – Chas H. Langford married 16 October 1902, Putnam Co., TN to Mary J. Gentry).

LANGFORD, MARY JANE: Mrs. Mary Jane Langford died last Thursday and was buried at West scoolhouse (sic), the fundral (sic) services being conducted by Rev. Swearingin. [Date 9/21/1911, Vol. IX, No. 38, Page 6]

**Mary Magdalene (Loftis) Langford Obt.**

b. 10 February 1930, Jackson Co., TN – d. 13 July 2016, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 10<sup>th</sup> of December 1947, Putnam Co., TN to **Early Doyle Langford**, b. b. 4 January 1925 – d. 23 July 2001, s/o **Charles H. Langford** (1870-1933) & **Alcie Allen** (1891-1941). Mary Magdalene (Loftis) Langford, d/o **Carlin Champ Loftis** (1904-2000) & **Della M. Moore** (1913-1958).

\*See Early Doyle Langford buried in West Cemetery

\*See Carlin Champ Loftis Obt.

\*See Della M. (Moore) Loftis Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 192 - Early Doyle Langford married 10 December 1947, Putnam Co., TN, age 22, b. 4 January 1925, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN to Mary Magdalene Loftis, age 17, b. 18 February 1930, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Carlin Loftis, Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN).

**COOKEVILLE** - Funeral services for Mary Magdalene Langford, 86, of Cookeville, will be held at 3 p.m. on Saturday, July 16, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home in Cookeville. Burial will follow in West Cemetery in the Fairview community.

Visitation with the family will be held from 5:30-8 p.m. today, Friday, July 15, and after 2 p.m. until time of services on Saturday at the funeral home.



Mrs. Langford passed away on Wednesday, July 13, 2016, in Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

Mary Magdalene Langford was born Feb. 10, 1930, in Jackson County to the late Carlin C. and Della (Moore) Loftis.

She was a charter member of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary. She held the office of secretary, vice-president and president, as well as chairperson for numerous activities, and mentor for ladies who followed in her footsteps. In addition, Mary worked for Wilson Sporting Goods for 43 years.

Her survivors include a son, Charles Langford of Jackson County; a daughter, Carole Langford of Cookeville; a brother and sister-in-law, Bill and Barbara Ann Loftis of Cookeville; three sisters and a brother-in-law, Christene Miles of Cookeville, Willene Phy of Cookeville and Georgia and Cooper Morgan of Cookeville; three grandchildren, Vanessa Langford Bonner, Brad Langford and River Langford; seven great-grandchildren, Addison, Brooke and Sam Bonner and Jordan, Eric, Racheal and Spencer Langford; two great-great-grandchildren, LilBeth Langford and Avah Rain Langford; numerous nieces and nephews; and a sister-in-law, Peggy Loftis.

In addition to her parents, Mary was preceded in death by three brothers, Carl Douglas Loftis, Joe Loftis and Bob Loftis.

Pastor Andrew Smith will officiate at the services.

Whitson Funeral Home in Cookeville in charge of arrangements, (931) 526-2151.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 15 July 2016

**Willis Daniel Langford**

b. 4 March 1883 – d. 13 December 1956, md on the 24<sup>th</sup> of June 1904, Jackson Co., TN to **Sallie Elizabeth (Gentry) Langford**, b. 19 February 1889 – d. 25 May 1978. Willis Daniel Langford, s/o **Vincent “Vent” Langford** (1862-1954) & **Elizabeth “Sis” Dailey** (1866-1894).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 183 – D. Langford married 24 June 1904, Jackson Co., TN to Sallie Gentry).

**Arthur Carlen Lee**

b. 11 May 1897, Jackson Co., TN – d. 9 November 1900, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **John Mitchell Lee** (1876-1941) & **Mary Myrtle West** (1880-1923).

**Carlos Clayton Lee Obt.**

b. 16 August 1895 – d. 4 December 1978, md on the 28<sup>th</sup> of January 1924, Putnam Co., TN to **Ila B. (Roberts) Lee**, b. 22 July 1907 – d. 3 July 1985, TN, d/o **Marson Joseph Roberts** (1881-1955) & **Eliza Massa** (1882-1964). Carlos Clayton Lee, s/o **Russell Lee & Martha Gentry**.

\*See Ila B. (Roberts) Lee Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 213 – Carlos Lee married 28 January 1924, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Ila B. Roberts).

**COOKEVILLE** – Funeral services for Carlos Clayton Lee, 83, of 1711 N. Washington Ave., were held today at 1 p.m. at the Chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Mr. Lee was pronounced dead Monday, Dec. 4, at Cookeville General Hospital.

Services were conducted by the Rev. Charles McCaskey and burial was at West Cemetery.

Mr. Lee was a Jackson County native and was the son of Russell and Martha Gentry Lee, he was a retired maintenance man.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ila Lee; one son, Tillman Lee of Columbia; one brother, Thomas Lee of OH; two sisters, Mrs. Tilda Gentry and Mrs. Etta Lynn, both of Cookeville; two grandchildren, Eric and Mark Lee.

Active pallbearers were Robert Lynn, Ernest Burgess, Harold Gentry, J. T. Wright, Louis Hammonds, Ray Vaughn.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 6 December 1978

**Carson O. Lee**

b. 19 October 1931 – d. 20 May 2009, (CPL US Army Korea).

**Garrett Johnny Lee**

b. 17 February 1920 – d. 24 April 1995, md **Evelyn (Matthews) Lee**, b. 22 March 1934 – d. 25 March 2002, d/o **Marcus Matthews & Flonnie Phillips**. Garrett Johnny Lee md also **Edna (Allen) Lee**, b. 18 June 1917, Putnam Co., TN – d. 10 October 2012, Maricopa Co., AZ, d/o **James Franklin Allen** (1884-1938) & **Mary Lune Boyd** (1896-1980). Edna is buried in Smiths Chapel Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN. Garrett Johnny Lee, s/o **Millard Filmore Lee** (1890-1968) & **Laura Threecy Gentry** (1895-1984).

**General C. Vestal Lee**

b. 25 September 1906 – d. 24 November 1937, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **John Mitchell Lee** (1876-1941) & **Mary Myrtle West** (1880-1923).

**Henderson Forrest Lee**

b. 12 June 1880, Jackson Co., TN – d. 20 August 1940, Jackson Co., TN, md on the 15<sup>th</sup> of November 1900, Jackson Co., TN to **Mary Jane (Gentry) Lee**, b. 26 October 1880, Jackson Co., TN – d. 20 August

1940, Jackson Co., TN, d/o **James Gentry & Popy Loftis**. Henderson Forrest Lee, s/o **John Wesley Lee** (1855-1922) & **Amanda Loftis** (1861-1909).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 215 – Henderson Lee married 15 November 1900, Jackson Co., TN to Mary Gentry).

**Ila B. (Roberts) Lee Obt.**

b. 22 July 1907 – d. 3 July 1985, TN, md on the 28<sup>th</sup> of January 1924, Putnam Co., TN to **Carlos Clayton Lee**, b. 16 August 1895 – d. 4 December 1978, s/o **Russell Lee & Martha Gentry**. Ila B. (Roberts) Gentry, d/o **Marson Joseph Roberts** (1881-1955) & **Eliza Massa** (1882-1964).

\*See Carlos Clayton Lee Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 213 – Carlos Lee married 28 January 1924, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Ila B. Roberts).

**COOKEVILLE** - Funeral services for Ila B. Lee, 77, of 1711 N Washington Avenue, Cookeville, were held July 5 at 1:30 p.m. in the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home with the Rev. Robert E. Lee officiating. Burial was in West Cemetery.

Mrs. Lee died July 3, 1985, at her home.

Born July 21, 1907, in Putnam County, she was the daughter of the late Marson and Eliza Massa Roberts. She was the wife of the late Carlos Clayton Lee, who died in 1978.

She was a member of Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Cookeville.

Her family includes one son, Tilman Lee of Columbia; two grandsons, Mark and Eric Lee of Columbia; and two sisters Etta Lou Phillips, of Cookeville and Ona Allen of Ohio.

Whitson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**John Mitchell Lee Obt.**

b. 12 August 1876, Jackson Co., TN – d. 14 February 1941, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md 1<sup>st</sup> on the 1<sup>st</sup> of October 1893, Putnam Co., TN to **Mary Myrtle (West) Lee**, b. 18 August 1880 – d. 16 July 1923, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Alman West** (1856-1902) & **Perlina Loftis** (1858-1949). (Children of John Mitchell Lee & Mary Myrtle West: Ada Martha (Lee) Bennett (1894-1987); Arthur Carlen Lee (1897-1900); Cora Etta (Lee) Nichols (1899-1981); General C. Lee (1906-1937) & Daisy Dimple (Lee) Wall (1909-1975). John Mitchell Lee md 2<sup>nd</sup> on the 11<sup>th</sup> of September 1924, Putnam Co., TN to **Lola (Huddleston) Buck Lee**, b. 11 July 1878 – d. 7 December 1942, d/o **Isaac N. Huddleston** (1838-1888) & **Elizabeth Bohannon** (1842-1919). She was md 1<sup>st</sup> to **John Richard Buck** (1876-1941). Lola is buried in Salem Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN with her 1<sup>st</sup> husband John Richard Buck. John Mitchell Lee, s/o **Curry Lee** (1844-1883) & **Sarah Webb** (1843-1903).

\*See Mary Myrtle (West) Lee Obt.

\*See Daisy Dimple (Lee) Wall buried in Cookeville City Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 359 – John M. Lee married 1 October 1893, Putnam Co., TN to Mary M. West).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 250, #2059– John M. Lee married 11 September 1924, Putnam Co., TN to Mrs. Lola Buck).

**Laura Threecy (Gentry) Lee Obt.**

b. 10 January 1895, Jackson Co., TN – d. 30 July 1984, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 30<sup>th</sup> of January 1910, Jackson Co., TN to **Millard Filmore Lee**, b. 6 September 1890, Jackson Co., TN – d. 11 January 1968, Jackson Co., TN, s/o **John Wesley Lee** (1855-1922) & **Amanda Loftis** (1861-1909). Laura Threecy (Gentry) Lee, d/o **George Washington Gentry Sr.** (1848-1936) & **Mary Rebecca Lee** (1867-1946).

Children: Roy Virgil Lee (1911-1994) md Lila Mae Loftis (1912-2007); Howard Harvey Lee (1917-1992) md Decie K. Ramsey (1921-1976); Garrett Johnny Lee (1920-1995) md Evelyn Matthew (1934-2002) & Edna Allen (1917-2012); Clara Belle Lee (1924-2003) md William Arnold Maberry (1922-1994).

\*See George Washington Gentry Sr. buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Arvis Laborn Lee Obt. buried in Cookeville City Cemetery.

\*See Millard Filmore Lee buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Clara Belle (Lee) Maberry Obt.

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 531 – Millard Lee married 30 January 1910, Jackson Co., TN to Laura Gentry).

Services for Laura (Gentry) Lee, 89, of 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Cookeville, were held Thursday, Aug. 2, 1984, from the Chapel of Whitson Funeral Home followed by burial in West Cemetery. Bro. Harlon Johnson and Bro. Bobby McCartney officiated.

Mrs. Lee died Monday, July 30, 1984, at Cookeville General Hospital.

She was born Jan. 10, 1895 to the late George W. and Mary (Lee) Gentry.

She was preceded in death by her husband, the late Millard F. Lee. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include three daughters, Arvilla Carlile, of Cookeville, Ora Mae Chaffin, of MO, and Clara Mayberry, of Gainesboro; five sons, Roy Lee of AL, Howard Lee of Cookeville, Garrett Lee, of IL, Carson Lee, of Gainesboro, and Arvis Lee, of Cookeville; one sister, Louisa Maggie Knight, of Cookeville; one brother, Amon Gentry, of Cookeville; 34 grandchildren, 36 great-grandchildren, and seven great-great-grandchildren.

Whitson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Mary Myrtle (West) Lee Obt.**

b. 18 August 1880 – d. 16 July 1923, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 1<sup>st</sup> of October 1893, Putnam Co., TN to **John Mitchell Lee**, b. 12 August 1876, Jackson Co., TN – d. 14 February 1941, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **Curry Lee** (1844-1883) & **Sarah Webb** (1843-1903). Mary Myrtle (West) Lee, d/o **Alman West** (1856-1902) & **Perlina Loftis** (1858-1949).

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 359 – John M. Lee married 1 October 1893, Putnam Co., TN to Mary M. West).

**MRS. JOHN M. LEE DIES AT HOME IN COOKEVILLE:**

Mrs. John M. Lee, wife of Sheriff Lee, died at her home in Cookeville on Monday afternoon, July 16, 1923, after a brief illness from cerebral hemorrhage. Mrs. Lee was a splendid Christian woman and had a wide circle of friends. She was about 45 years of age. Mrs. Lee is survived by her husband and a number of children, who were with her during her last illness. She was laid to rest in the West cemetery north of town, on Tuesday afternoon.

Putnam County Herald, Cookeville, TN: 19 July 1923

**Millard Filmore Lee**

b. 6 September 1890, Jackson Co., TN – d. 11 January 1968, Jackson Co., TN, md on the 30<sup>th</sup> of January 1910, Jackson Co., TN to **Laura Threecy (Gentry) Lee**, b. 10 January 1895, Jackson Co., TN – d. 30 July 1984, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **George Washington Gentry** (1848-1936) & **Mary Rebecca Lee** (1867-1946). Millard F. Lee, s/o **John Wesley Lee Sr.** (1855-1922) & **Amanda Loftis** (1861-1909).

\*See Laura Threecy (Gentry) Lee Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 531 – Millard Lee married 30 January 1910, Jackson Co., TN to Laura Gentry).

**Howard J. Letner**

b. 28 December 1911 – d. 11 June 1983, (BKR3 US Navy WWII).

**James Washington Letner**

b. 14 May 1862, Blount, TN – d. 16 December 1948, Jackson Co., TN, md **Mary Jane (Faris) Letner**, b. 10 April 1863, TN – d. 21 February 1945, TN. James Washington Letner, s/o **David Letner & Hannah Clayton**.

\*See Marvin Monroe Robert buried in West Cemetery

**Nannie Letner**

b. 5 May 1886 – d. 16 December 1946, d/o **James Washington Letner (1862-1948) & Mary Jane Faris (1863-1945)**.

**William David Letner**

b. 1867 – d. 1954, Putnam Co., TN, md **Martha Elizabeth (Reid) Letner**, b. 1878 – d. 1959.

'Thy Trials Ended Thy Rest Is Won'

**Carl Douglas Loftis**

b. 15 December 1939 – d. 30 September 1940, s/o **Carlin Champ Loftis (1904-2000) & Della Moore (1913-1958)**.

\*See Carlin Champ Loftis Obt.

**Carlin Champ Loftis Obt.**

b. 11 November 1904, Jackson Co., TN – d. 1 August 2000, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of June 1929 to **Della (Moore) Loftis**, b. 11 May 1913, Overton Co., TN – d. 29 October 1958, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Billy Moore & Florence Moody**. Carlin C. Loftis also was md on the 12<sup>th</sup> of August 1960, Overton Co., TN to **Dorothy Mae (Phillips) Huddleston Loftis**, b. 18 July 1905, Putnam Co., TN – d. 1 November 1998, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Cass Henry Phillips (1881-1974) & Mary Frances Ramsey (1884-1977)**. Carlin Champ Loftis, s/o **Michael Vanduran Loftis (1865-1950) & Louisa "Lou" Williams (1872-1961)**. Dorothy (Phillips) Huddleston Loftis is buried in Algood Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN. She was preceded in death by her 1<sup>st</sup> husband **Lawrence M. Huddleston (1901-1954)**.

\*See Early Doyle Langford buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Mary Magdalene (Loftis) Langford Obt.

\*See Carl Douglas Loftis buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Della (Moore) Loftis Obt.

\*See Denver Joe Loftis buried in Boma Cemetery now called New Home Baptist Church Cemetery, Boma, Putnam Co., TN

\*See Dorothy (Phillips) Huddleston Loftis buried in Algood Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 463 – Carlin Champ Loftis married 12 August 1960, Overton Co., TN to Dorothy Huddleston).

(1940 census Civil Dist., Jackson Co., TN: Dwl: 250 - **Carlan C. Loftis** is head of household, 35 yrs. old, TN, md to **Della**, 26 yrs. old, TN. Children: Mary M., 10 yrs. old; Rosie C., 9 yrs. old; Joyce W., 8 yrs. old; Bobbie G., 6 yrs. old; Billie D., 5 yrs. old; Denver J., 3 yrs. old; Georgia L., 1 yr. old & Carl D. Loftis, 3/12 yrs. old. All born in TN).

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Carlin Champ Loftis, 95, of Cookeville, will be held at 1 p.m. on Fri., Aug. 4, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Burial will follow in the West Cemetery.

The family will receive friends after 2 p.m. today, Thurs., Aug. 3; and from 9 a.m. until time of services on Fri., Aug. 4, at the funeral home.

Mr. Loftis died on Tues., Aug. 1, 2000, at Cookeville Manor Nursing Home.

He was born on Nov. 1, 1904, in Jackson County to the late Michael Vanduran and Lou Williams Loftis. Mr. Loftis was a farmer and a member of Smyrna Church of Christ.

His family includes two sons and a daughter-in-law, Robert Gene Loftis of Muncie, Ind., and Billy D. and Barbara Loftis of Cookeville; four daughters and two sons-in-law, Mary Magdalene Langford, Willene and Paul Phy, and Georgia and Cooper Morgan, all of Cookeville, and Christine Miles of St. Clair Shores, Mich.; a daughter-in-law, Peggy Loftis of Blairsville, Ga.; a stepdaughter, Joanna Anderson of Algood; 16 grandchildren; 30 great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; and six stepgrandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wives, Della Moore Loftis and Dorothy Huddleston Loftis; two sons, infant Carl Douglas Loftis and Denver Joe Loftis; a stepson, Hugh Lee Huddleston; a daughter-in-law, Lila Loftis; a son-in-law, William Miles; a great-grandson, Paul Blake Gilreath; and two brothers, Clyde and Lester Loftis.

Bros. Dan Jones and Sammy Webb will officiate at the services.

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**Della (Moore) Loftis Obt.**

b. 11 May 1913 – d. 29 October 1958, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of June 1929 to **Carlin Champ Loftis**, b. 11 November 1904, Jackson Co., TN – d. 1 August 2000, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **Michael Vanduran Loftis** (1865-1950) & **Louisa “Lou” Williams** (1872-1961).

\*See Mary Magdalene (Loftis) Langford Obt.

\*See Carlin Champ Loftis Obt.

Mrs. Della Loftis, 45, died Wednesday at the Cookeville General hospital after a long illness.

Funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon at Spring Creek Presbyterian church with the Rev. Charles Powell officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Survivors include her husband, Carlin Loftis, three sons, Bobby Gene Loftis, Route 3, and Denver Joe Loftis, of Route 2, Billy Dean Loftis, of Route 2, Cookeville; four daughters, Mrs. Mary Magdalene Langford, Cookeville, Mrs. Christine Miles, Detroit, MI, Mrs. Wilene Phy, Cookeville, Route 2, and Mrs. Georgia Morgan, Cookeville; two brothers, Fowler and Deley Moore, both of Detroit; five sisters, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Lucille Brownley, both of Detroit, Mrs. Retta Langford, McMinnville, and Mrs. Rose Nelson and Mrs. Catherine Morgan, of Cookeville, and three grandchildren.

Whitson funeral home was in charge of arrangement.

The Citizen, Cookeville, TN: November 5, 1958

**Ernie Herbert Loftis Obt.**

b. 6 October 1913, TN – d. 10 December 1984, TN, md on the 30<sup>th</sup> of October 1943 to **Mary (Morris) Loftis**, b. 1 September 1911- d. 24 June 1991. Ernie Herbert Loftis, s/o **Marion Monroe Loftis** (1887-1973) & **Emma Irene Webb** (1888-1968).

\*See Marion Monroe Loftis buried in West Cemetery.

**MONTEREY** – Funeral services for Ernie H. Loftis, 71, of Monterey, will be held in the chapel of Hooper and Huddleston Funeral Home tomorrow at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Henry Roberson officiating. Burial will be in the West Cemetery.



Mr. Loftis died Monday (December 10, 1984) at Cumberland Medical Center.

A native of Tennessee, he was the son of the late Monroe and Emma Webb Loftis.

Mr. Loftis was a retired farmer.

His family includes his wife, Mrs. Mary M. Loftis; a son, Dr. Hughlette Morris of Iowa City, IA; three grandchildren; a brother, Jay Loftis of Monterey; and a sister, Mrs. Gladys Long of Dayton, OH.

Masonic memorial services will be held at the funeral Home at 7:30 tonight.

Pallbearers are Bill Cowan, Joe lee Webb, Grady Webb, Nilon Neely, Carson Junior Walker, Steve Bullock, Shirley Blaylock, Vann Mullins and Bill Luke.

Hooper and Huddleston Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

#### **Infant Loftis**

b. 21 June 1969 – d. 18 September 1969.

#### **James Murray Loftis**

b. 1880 (on tombstone) – d. 16 December 1925, Detroit, Wayne Co., MI, md on the 25<sup>th</sup> of December 1910, Overton Co., TN to **Ollie (Ray) Loftis**, b. 1886 – d. 1931, d/o **John M. “Jack” Ray** (1850-1920) & **Letitia “Loutichia” “Tishua” Phillips** (1844-1920). Children: Cora C. Loftis & Benjamin Martin Loftis (1921-1961). James Murray Loftis md 1<sup>st</sup> on the 7<sup>th</sup> of September 1900, Overton Co., TN to **Dora Franklin Loftis**, b. abt. 1883, Overton Co., TN – d. 5 December 1908, Algood, Putnam Co., TN. Children: Robert Milton Loftis, Willie Loftis & May (Loftis) Bennett. James Murray Loftis, s/o **Benjamin Lloyd Loftis** (1852-1908) & **Harriett Belle Peek** (1857-1929). (Death Cert. states Murry Loftis, b. 20 February 1878, date of death 16 December 1925, Occupation: Lumberman, DC#14307).

\*See Mae (Loftis) Bennett Obt. buried in Cookeville City Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 196, #1724 – Murray Loftis md 7 September 1900, Overton Co., TN to Dora Franklin. Issued 6 September 1900. I solemnized the rites of matrimony between the within named parties on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of September 1900, Rev. William Apple).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 4, #637– Murray Loftis married 25 December 1910, Overton Co., TN to Miss Ollie Ray).

(1900 census Civil Dist. 2, Overton Co., TN: Dwl: 11 – **John M. Ray** is head of household, 50 yrs. old, b. January 1850, TN, md 33 yrs. to **Letishia**, 55 yrs. old, b. November 1844, TN, (8 children born, 5 children living). Children: Sosan, 27 yrs. old, b. December 1872; **Olley**, 17 yrs. old, b. June 1882; William P. Ray, 12 yrs. old, b. August 1887. All born in TN). *William Perry Ray, b. 3 Aug. 1886, Overton Co., TN – d. 21 Sept. 1958, Overton Co., TN.*

(1910 census Civil Dist. 2, Overton Co., TN: Dwl: 160 – **John M. Ray** is head of household, 60 yrs. old, TN, md 40 yrs. to **Loutish**, 66 yrs. old, TN. Children: Ollie Ray, 26 yrs. old, TN).

#### **Landonia (West) Loftis Obt.**

b. 28 February 1857 – d. 28 February 1916, md **William Henry Loftis**, b. 20 February 1847 – d. 29 April 1938, s/o **Laborn Samuel Loftis** (1819-1879) & **Mary Pauline Morgan** (1823-1885). Landonia (West) Loftis, d/o **William Carroll West** (1823-1905) & **Elizabeth Peek** (1826-1905).

\*See William Henry Loftis buried in West Cemetery.

\*See William Carroll West Obt.

Obituary Notice For: Loftis, Loudonia: The death angel claimed for its victim Aunt Loudonia Loftis last Sunday. She breathed her last in this world about 20 minutes before I arrived. Uncle Harrison, you have our sympathy. Aunt Loudonia died on her birthday, 64 years old. Bro. Swearingen conducted the burial

services.

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**Marion Monroe Loftis**

b. 14 February 1887 – d. 23 December 1973, md **Emma Irene (Webb) Loftis**, b. 21 February 1888 – d. 29 September 1968, d/o **Stephen DeCalb Webb** (1851-1922) & **Samantha Loftis** (1851-1923). Marion Monroe Loftis, s/o **Benjamin Lloyd Loftis** (1852-1908) & **Harriett Belle Peek** (1857-1929).

\*See Steven Decalb Webb buried in West Cemetery.

**Ollie James "O.J." Loftis Obt.**

b. 18 July 1923, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 22 December 2018, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **James Murray Loftis** (1878-1925) & **Ollie Ray** (1886-1931).

\*See James Murray Loftis buried in West Cemetery.

**MONTEREY** — Funeral services for Ollie James "O.J." Loftis, 95, of Monterey, Tennessee, will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 27, at the chapel of Goff Funeral Home in Monterey.



Bro. Raymond Henry and Bro. Eddy Way will officiate with interment to follow in West Cemetery.

Mr. Loftis was born July 18, 1923, in Cookeville, Tennessee, to the late James Murray and Ollie Ray Loftis.

Mr. Loftis passed away Saturday, Dec. 22, 2018, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

Mr. Loftis was a farmer and a factory worker. He attended Monterey Community Church.

He is survived by three special cousins, Mary Tom ( Larry) Sabin of Ohio, Pearl (and late husband, Walter) Jones of Ohio, and Dr. Hughlett (and late wife, Joan) Morris of Arizona; and several special friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister, Cora Walker; brother, B.M. Loftis; two half-sisters, Willie Danner and Mae Bennett; and his girlfriend for more than 33 years, Lillian Allen.

The family will receive friends at Goff Funeral Home Wednesday, Dec. 26, from 5-8 p.m.

A guest register may be signed at [www.gofffuneralhome.com](http://www.gofffuneralhome.com).

D.M. Goff Funeral Home, Inc. is in charge of arrangements, 839-2311.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 24 December 2018

**Thurel Douglas Loftis Obt.**

b. 10 December 1931, Jackson Co., TN – d. 31 March 1984, IL, md **Thelma (Hix) Loftis**. Thurel Douglas Loftis, s/o **Oakley Robert Loftis** (1892-1976) & **Mary O. Hix** (1896-1976).

**JOLIET, ILLINOIS** – Funeral services for Mr. Thurel Douglas, 52, of Joliet, IL, will be held Fri., April 6 at 2 p.m., in the chapel of Anderson Funeral Home with Bro. Garry Anderson officiating. Burial will be in the West Cemetery in Putnam County.

Mr. Loftis died Sat., March 21, 1984, in IL.

A native of Jackson County, he was the son of the late Oakley and Mary Hix Loftis. He was born December 10, 1931.

Mr. Loftis was an employee of the Joliet, IL park district.

His family includes his wife, Mrs. Thelma Hix Loftis; four sons, David, Douglas, Larry, and Jerry Loftis, all of Joliet; four daughters, Mrs. Deborah Walker of Austin, TX, Mrs. Karen Smith, Miss Kristen Loftis, and Miss Shelia Loftis, all of Joliet; two brothers, Charles Loftis and Brady Loftis, both of Joliet; and one sister, Mrs. Owen (Bernell) Matthews of Rt. 14, Cookeville.

Anderson Funeral home of Gainesboro is in charge of arrangements.

**William Henry Loftis**

b. 20 February 1847 – d. 29 April 1938, md to **Landona (West) Loftis**, b. 28 February 1857 – d. 28 February 1916, d/o **William Carroll West** (1823-1905) & **Elizabeth Peek** (1826-1905). William Henry Loftis, s/o **Laborn Samuel Loftis** (1819-1879) & **Mary Pauline Morgan** (1823-1885).

\*See Landona (West) Loftis Obt.

**Allen Rich Lynn**

b. 3 March 1891 – d. 6 June 1968, md on the 4<sup>th</sup> of September 1910, Jackson Co., TN to **Ella “Mary (Green) Lynn**, b. 2 November 1895 – d. 27 May 1987, d/o **James Oliver Green** (1871-1947) & **Martha E. Lee** (1877-1975). Allen Rich Lynn, s/o **William Lynn** (1842-1922) & **Filena Johnson** (1867-1942).

\*See James Oliver Green Obt.

\*See Early W. Lynn buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 8, #101– Allen Lynn married 4 September 1910, Jackson Co., TN to Ella Green).

**Early W. Lynn**

b. 12 May 1913 – d. 24 May 1966, s/o **Allen Rich Lynn** (1891-1968) & **Ella “Mary” Green** (1895-1987).

\*See Allen Rich Lynn buried in West Cemetery.

**James Elmer Lynn**

b. 9 October 1917, Overton Co., TN – d. 23 March 1962, Overton Co., TN, md on the 17<sup>th</sup> of October 1941, Putnam Co., TN to **Agnes Carrie (Langford) Lynn**, b. 23 August 1918 – d. 8 January 1993, d/o **Thomas Benton Langford** (1866-1943) & **Mary Angeline Loftis** (1875-1957).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 7 – James Elmer Lynn married 17 October 1941, Putnam Co., TN, age 24, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN to Agnes Cara Langford, age 23, address: Rt. 4, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Tom Langford, Rt. 4, Cookeville, TN).

**Clara Belle (Lee) Maberry Obt.**

b. 28 November 1924, Jackson Co., TN – d. 4 May 2003, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md **William Arnold Maberry**, b. 7 January 1922 – d. 16 February 1994, (TEC5 U. S. Army WWII), s/o **Jesse Morison** (1873-1948) & **Vallie Bartlett** (1885-1962). Clara Bell (Lee) Maberry, d/o **Millard Filmore Lee** (1890-1968) & **Laura Threecy Gentry** (1895-1984).

\*See Laura Threecy (Gentry) Lee Obt.

\*See Evelyn Joyce (Maberry) Owens Obt.

\*See Jesse Morison Mayberry

Funeral services for Mrs. Clara Bell (Lee) Maberry, 78, of Putnam County, will be conducted at 2 p.m. today, Wednesday, May 7, 2003, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home in Cookeville. Burial will be in West Cemetery, in the Fairview Community with Bro. Harlon Johnson officiating.

Mrs. Maberry died Sunday, May 4 at Cookeville Regional Medical Center. She was a member of Double

Springs Baptist Church. She lived most of her life in the Roaring River Community of Jackson and Overton counties before moving to Putnam county with her husband in 1987.

Born November 28, 1924, in Jackson County, she was the daughter of the late Millard Filmore and Laura Threecy (Gentry) Lee. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, William Arnold Maberry; a son, Kenneth Earl Maberry; a sister, Ora Mae Chaffin; and three brothers, Roy Lee, Howard Lee, and Garrett Lee.

Survivors include two daughters and sons-in-law, Shirley Rose Rodgers and husband, Philip R., and Evelyn Joyce Owens and husband, Johnny, all of Cookeville; a sister, Arvilla Carlile of Cookeville; two brothers, Arvis Lee and Carson Lee, both of Cookeville; three grandchildren, Steven Andrew Rodgers and wife, Erin, of East Point, GA, Gewaine Arlen Long, and Yolande Shannay (Long) Griffin and husband, Scott, of Cookeville; two step-grandchildren, Philip R. Rodgers Jr. and wife, Elisa, of Hiram, GA, and Christal (Rodgers) Hall and husband, Michael, of Ellenwood, GA; two step-great grandchildren, Allison Christine Riggle and Brandon Scott Riggle, both of Ellenwood; and other relatives and friends.

Pallbearers will be Anthony Carlile, Randy Carlile, James Chaffin, Johnny Lee, and Danny Lee. Serving as honorary pallbearers will be James B. McWilliams and the deacons of Double Springs Baptist Church.

Special care provided by Whitson Funeral Home.

**Elizabeth (Letner) Massey**

b. 19 August 1845 – d. 22 November 1936, md **Milton Massey**.

**Mary Leean Masters**

b. 5 May 1879 –d. 26 June 1879.

**Bernell Minnie (Loftis) Dickerson Matthews Obt.**

b. 23 February 1923, TN – d. 12 September 2008, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 6<sup>th</sup> of August 1961, Putnam Co., TN to **Billie Lynn Dickerson**, b. 19 April 1920 – d. 23 January 1975, s/o **Henry Thomas Dickerson** (1890-1957) & **Daisie Delivine Lynn** (1893-1957). Bernell Minnie (Loftis) Dickerson Matthews also md on the 4<sup>th</sup> of August 1980, Overton Co., TN to **Owen C. Matthews**, b. 9 March 1947, Cumberland Co., TN – d. 1 November 2012, Livingston, Overton Co., TN, s/o **Elmer Matthews & Fannie Bell Boles**. Bernell Minnie (Loftis) Dickerson Matthews, d/o **Robert Oakley Loftis** (1891-1976) & **Mary** (1897-1976), both buried in Loftis Cemetery, Bangham, Putnam Co., TN.

\*See Billie Lynn Dickerson buried in West Cemetery.

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 121 – Billie Lynn Dickerson married 6 August 1961, Putnam Co., TN to Bernell Minnie Loftis, age 39, b. 23 February 1923, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian, or next of kin of female: Mrs. Mary Loftis, Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN).

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 48 – Owen Matthews married 4 August 1980, Overton Co., TN, age 33, address: Rt. 2, Monroe, TN to Bernell Dickerson, age 57 yrs. old, address: Rt. 14, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN).

**GAINESBORO** -- Funeral services for Bernell M. Matthews, 85, of Cookeville, will be held at 1 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 15, at Anderson-Upper Cumberland Funeral Home. Burial will be in West Cemetery in Putnam County.

The family will receive friends from 3-9 p.m. today, Sunday, Sept. 14, and from 10 a.m. until time of services on Monday at the funeral home.

Mrs. Matthews died Friday, Sept. 12, 2008, in Livingston Regional Hospital.

Saturday, Sep 13, 2008: Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN

**Note:** Funeral services for Mr. Owen C. Matthews, age 65, of Overton County will be conducted at 2 p.m., Monday, November 5, 2012 from the Speck Funeral Home Chapel in Livingston with Bro. Nolan Cantrell officiating. Burial will be in the Okolona Cemetery in Rickman. The family will receive friends on Sunday evening from 4 until 8 p.m.

Mr. Matthews passed away November 1, 2012 at the Livingston Regional Hospital. He was born March 9, 1947 in Cumberland County Tenn. to the late Elmer & Fannie Bell Boles Matthews. He was a Farmer and of the Baptist Faith.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife Burnell Loftis Matthews, brother, Everett Ray Matthews, & sister Etta Smith.

Saturday, Sep 13, 2008: Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN

**Martha Elizabeth (Bilbrey) Maxwell**

b. 1862 – d. 1941, md **W. E. Maxwell**.

**Radford Clarence Maxwell**

b. 17 May 1906 – d. 5 January 1929.

**Elizabeth “Liz” (Gentry) May Obt.**

b. 24 January 1953 – d. 15 January 2012, Algood, TN, d/o **Kenneth Lee Gentry** (1929-2004) & **Virginia Ann Rose Eckley**.

\*See Kenneth Lee Gentry

**PUTNAM COUNTY** -- Graveside services and interment for Elizabeth “Liz” Gentry May, 58, of Cookeville, will be held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, Jan. 18, at West Chapel Cemetery in the Fairview community of Putnam County.

The family will receive friends immediately following services at the cemetery.

Mrs. May died Sunday afternoon, Jan. 15, 2012, in Masters Health Care Center in Algood.

She was born Jan. 24, 1953, to Virginia Ann Rose Eckley of Vandalia, Ohio, and the late Kenneth Lee Gentry.

Mrs. May was an artist, enjoyed singing and was of the Baptist faith.

In addition to her mother, her family includes a son, Shawn Savage of Lebanon; two daughters, Nichole Buck and Amanda May, both of Cookeville; a granddaughter, Jade Clark of Cookeville; and two brothers and sisters-in-law, Jon and Brenda Gentry of Vandalia and Kenneth Lee Jr. and Alura Gentry of Boise, Idaho.

John Phillips will officiate at the services.

You may share your thoughts and memories at [www.hhhfunerals.com](http://www.hhhfunerals.com).

Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements (931) 526-6111.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 18 Jan. 2012

**Jesse Morison Mayberry**

b. 22 May 1873 – d. 16 May 1948, md on the 17<sup>th</sup> of January 1909, Overton Co., TN to **Vallie (Bartlett) Mayberry**, b. 14 September 1885 – d. 25 March 1962. Children: Beulah Edna (Mayberry) Moody (1909-

1975), Woodrow W. Mayberry (1916-1988) & William Arnold Mayberry (1922-1994). Jesse Morison Mayberry, s/o **Joshua M. Mayberry** (1839-1901) & **Martha Jane Anderson** (1840-1912).

\*See Clara Belle (Lee) Maberry Obt.

\*See Rev. Woodrow W. Mayberry Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 245, #381– Morrison Mayberry married 17 January 1909, Overton Co., TN to Miss Vallie Bartlett).

**Kineth Earl Mayberry**

b. 7 October 1948 – d. 18 December 1948.

**Lee Mayberry**

b. 12 November 1889 – d. 6 April 1914.

**Rev. Woodrow W. Mayberry Obt.**

b. 8 July 1916 – d. 19 February 1988, Nashville, Davidson Co., TN, md on the 19<sup>th</sup> of July 1938, Putnam Co., TN to **Lavada (Lynn) Mayberry**, b. 26 November 1919 – d. 12 January 1987, d/o **Allen Rich Lynn** (1891-1968) & **Mary Ella Green** (1895-1987). Rev. Woodrow W. Mayberry, s/o **Jesse Morison** (1873-1948) & **Vallie Bartlett** (1885-1962).

\*See Jesse Morison Mayberry

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 568 – Woodrow W. Maberry married 19 July 1938, Putnam Co., TN, age 22, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN to Lou Vada Lynn, age 21, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Allen Lynn, Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN).

Funeral services for the Rev Woodrow Wilson Mayberry, 71, of Algood, will be held today at Hooper & Huddleston. Burial will be at West Cemetery in the Spring Creek community.

Rev Mayberry died Friday, February 19, 1988 in the Nashville Infirmary.

He was the son of the late Morrison and Vallie Bartlett Mayberry.

Rev Mayberry was a Baptist minister in Putnam and surrounding counties for many years.

His family includes 2 daughters, Joan White of Nashville and Charlotte Mayberry of Sweetwater; 1 son, W W Mayberry Jr of Atlanta, Ga; 2 sisters, Zelema Johnson and Hazel Meo of Cookeville; one brother, Arnold of Bloomington Springs.

Rev Mayberry was preceded in death by his wife, Lavada Lynn Mayberry.

The Rev Scott Johnson will officiate at the services.

Herald –Citizen, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN: Feb 21, 1988

**Billie A. Mee**

b. 7 September 1910 – d. 23 February 1993, md on the 10<sup>th</sup> of November 1936, Jackson Co., TN to **Hazel L. (Mayberry) Mee**, b. 5 March 1919 – d. 9 December 2006, d/o **Jesse Morison Mayberry** (1873-1948) & **Vallie Bartlett** (1885-1962).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 355 – Billie Mee married 10 November 1936, Jackson Co., TN to Hazel Mayberry).

**Geneva H. (Riggs) Miller Obt.**

b. 18 September 1924, Pocahontas, AR – d. 12 December 2008, Algood, Putnam Co., TN, md **Grover R. Miller**, b. 7 June 1924 – d. 28 May 2005. Geneva H. (Riggs) Miller, d/o **Charles Ernest Riggs** & **Eva Dawson**.



**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Geneva H. Miller, 84, of Livingston, will be held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 17, from the Cookeville Chapel of Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home and Cremation Services. Burial will follow in West Cemetery in the Fairview Community of Putnam County.

The family will receive friends from 5-8 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 16, and from 11 a.m. until time of services on Wednesday at the funeral home.

Mrs. Miller went home to be with the Lord on Friday, Dec. 12, 2008, in Masters Health Care Center in Algood.

She was born Sept. 18, 1924, in Pocahontas, Ark., to the late Charles Ernest and Eva Dawson Riggs.

What a special time of the year for this special angel to be called home. She is truly celebrating Christmas.

Mrs. Miller and her late husband, Grover Miller, were the founders of Larco Medical in Cookeville and formerly owned the Troy Building Supply in Troy, Mich.

Mrs. Miller was a charter member of One Eleven Fellowship in Cookeville and a charter member of Ten Mile Free Will Baptist Church in Madison Heights, Mich. She was a gifted teacher and speaker of the Gospel in various churches in Michigan and Tennessee. She loved to talk about the Lord.

Her family includes two daughters and sons-in-law, Lana and Larry Pratt of Sparta and Susan and Tim McAleer of Macomb, Mich.; four brothers and sisters-in-law, Raymond and Bea Riggs of Missouri, Lehman and Jean Riggs of Cookeville, Jim and Pat Riggs of Warren, Mich., and Dwight and Cathy Riggs of Columbia, S.C.; three sisters and two brothers-in-law, Lena Mitchner of Wisconsin, Betty Jo and Claude Mullins of Cookeville and Dorothy and John Bugbee of Crossville; six grandchildren, Randy Chaffin Jr. and wife Shelia, Roxanne Thompson and husband Kevin, Richard Chaffin and wife Angela, Chris McAleer and wife Alise, Michael McAleer and wife Alisa and Ryan McAleer; and 10 great-grandchildren

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by three sisters, Eileen Dalton, Madeline Whiteaker and infant Ernestine Riggs.

Pallbearers will be family and friends.

Rev. Roger Cooper will officiate at the services.

Please share your thoughts and memories at [www.hhhfunerals.com](http://www.hhhfunerals.com), 526-6111.

Herald –Citizen, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN: Saturday, Dec 13, 2008

**Charlie F. Moody**

b. 23 July 1902 – d. 29 September 1992, md on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of October 1925, Overton Co., TN to **Beulah Edna (Mayberry) Moody**, b. 19 December 1909 – d. 2 August 1975, d/o **Jesse Morison Mayberry** (1873-1948) & **Vallie Bartlett** (1885-1962). Charlie F. Moody, s/o **Willie Moody & Bessie Lawson**.

\*See Thurman Jesse Moody buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 448 – Charlie Moody married 3 October 1925, Overton Co., TN to Edna Mayberry).

**Thurman Jesse Moody**

b. 24 June 1931 – d. 11 December 1964, s/o **Charlie F. Moody** (1902-1992) & **Beulah Edna Mayberry** (1909-1975).

\*See Charlie F. Moody buried in West Cemetery.

**Bettve Sue Murphy**

b. 30 November 1948 – d. 5 May 1949.

**Infant Murphy**

b. 23 August 1921 & d. 23 August 1921, s/o **Thomas Elvador Murphy** (1878-19600 & **Alba Ruth Johnson** (1882-1921).

**James Cecil Murphy**

b. 22 July 1932 – d. 5 January 2001, (SP3 US Army Korea), md on the 16<sup>th</sup> of June 1956 to **Jo Doris (Ray) Murphy**, b. 19 February 1937, Putnam Co., TN – d. 23 January 2010, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **J. B. Ray Sr. & Ola Florence Lambert**. James Cecil Murphy, s/o **Virgie R. Murphy & Mary Ila Ray**.

\*See Jo Doris (Ray) Murphy Obt.

**Jo Doris (Ray) Murphy Obt.**

b. 19 February 1937, Putnam Co., TN – d. 23 January 2010, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 16<sup>th</sup> of June 1956 to James Cecil Murphy b. 22 July 1932 – d. 5 January 2001, (SP3 US Army Korea), s/o **Virgie R. Murphy & Mary Ila Ray**. Jo Doris (Ray) Murphy, d/o **J. B. Ray Sr. & Ola Florence Lambert**.

\*See James Cecil Murphy buried in West Cemetery.

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Jo Doris Murphy, 72, of Cookeville, will be held at 1 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 25, at Bangham Heights Baptist Church. Interment will follow in West Chapel Cemetery in the Fairview Community of Putnam County. The family will receive friends from 2-8 p.m. today, Sunday, Jan. 24, at the Cookeville Chapel of Hooper-Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home and from 11 a.m. until time of services on Monday at the church.

Mrs. Murphy died Saturday, Jan. 23, 2010, in NHC Healthcare of Cookeville. She was born Feb. 19, 1937, in Putnam County to the late J.B. Sr. and Ola Florence Lambert Ray. Mrs. Murphy was a member of Bangham Heights Baptist Church. She worked for ACME Boot Co. and McCord-Winn in Cookeville.

Her family includes four daughters and three sons-in-law, Sandra and Myron Smith and Marsha and Patrick Ford, all of Cookeville, Brenda and Brent Holland of Waverly and Pamela Hoskins of Woodbury; a son, Jimmy Murphy of Cookeville; a sister, Marilyn Watts of Cookeville; and seven grandchildren, Marcy Smith Flatt and husband Travis, Will Smith, Resasha Ford, Kayla and Keyle Holland and Jake and Katie Hoskins.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, James Cecil Murphy; two brothers, J.B. Jr. and Kenneth Ray; and a sister, Virginia Watts. Pallbearers will be Phillip and Mark Watts, Nicky and Mike Ray, Myron Smith, Patrick Ford and Brent Holland. Honorary pallbearer will be Davis Watts.

Memorial donations may be made to Bangham Heights Baptist Church, 5961 Hilham Road, Cookeville, TN 38506, or West Chapel Cemetery Fund, 8901 Fairview Road, Cookeville, TN 38501.

The Revs. Keith Tosh and John Michael Murphy will officiate.

**John Demas Murphy Obt.**

b. 21 March 1935, Overton Co., TN – d. 4 August 2003, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, (A3C US Air Force), md **Sarah “Sally” (Smith) Murphy**, b. 21 April 1938. John Demas Murphy, s/o **Virgil Reese Murphy & Mary Ila Ray**.

\*See Marshall Thomas Murphy Obt.

\*See Mary Ila (Ray) Murphy Obt.

Funeral services for Mr. John D. Murphy, 68, of Cookeville, will be conducted at 2 p.m. today, Wednesday, Aug. 6, 2003, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home.

Burial will be in West Cemetery, in the Fairview Community, with Bro. Dewey Glenn Masters and Bro. Harold Walker officiating.



Mr. Murphy died Monday, Aug. 4 at Cookeville Regional Medical Center. He worked with the Overton County Highway Department and was a member of Duncan's Chapel Freewill Baptist Church.

Born March 21, 1935, in Overton County, he was the son of Mary Ila (Ray) Murphy of Cookeville and the late Virgil Reese Murphy. In addition to his father, he was preceded in death by two brothers, James C. Murphy and Tommy Murphy; and a sister, Betty Sue Murphy.

Survivors, in addition to his mother, include his wife, Sarah Sally (Smith) Murphy of Cookeville; a son, Johnny Murphy and wife, Vonette, of Doyle; two daughters, Jenny Phipps of Cookeville and Lessa Hayes of Overton County; a brother, Paul Murphy and wife, Frances, of Cookeville; three sisters, Evelyn Hand of Clarksville, Ellen McGugin of Cookeville; and Elizabeth McKinley and husband, Patrick, of San Antonio, TX; five grandchildren, Brice Murphy, Lucas Murphy, Jesse Phipps, Jamie Phipps, and Charity Hayes; and a great grandchild, Haley Morgan Murphy.

Pallbearers were Brice Murphy, Lucas Murphy, Jesse Phipps, Jamie Phipps, Jimmie Ray Murphy, Harry T. McGugin, J.R. Hand, and Mark Hayes.

Special care provided by Whitson Funeral Home

**Marshall Thomas Murphv Obt.**

b. 27 January 1956, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 25 June 2000, Overton Co., TN, s/o **Virgil Reese Murphy & Mary Ila Ray.**

\*See John Demas Murphy Obt.

\*See Mary Ila (Ray) Murphy Obt.

Funeral services for Mr. Marshall Thomas "Tommy" Murphy, 44, of the Waterloo Community of Overton County, will be conducted at 11 a.m., today, Wednesday, June 28, 2000, from the Cookeville Chapel of Hooper and Huddleston Funeral Home with Rev. John M. Murphy and Rev. Harold Walker officiating. Burial will be in West Cemetery with Hooper and Huddleston Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

Mr. Murphy, an avid outdoorsman, died Sunday, June 25, 2000, at his home.

Born January 27, 1956, in Cookeville, he was the son of Mary Ila Ray Murphy of Cookeville and the late Virgil Murphy. In addition to his father, he was preceded in death by a sister, Betty Sue Murphy.

He attended Duncan's Chapel Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors, in addition to his mother, include three sisters, Marilyn Hand, Clarksville, Mary Ellen McGugin, Cookeville, and Elizabeth Ann McKinley, San Antonio, TX; and three brothers, James Murphy, Paul Murphy and John Murphy, all of Cookeville.

Pallbearers will be Harry T. McGugin III, Charles Hand Jr., Patrick McKinley III, Jimmy Ray Murphy, Brice Murphy, Lake Murphy, and Jamie Phipps.

**Mary Ila (Ray) Murphv Obt.**

b. 16 March 1915, Jackson Co., TN – d. 22 April 2009, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 29<sup>th</sup> of February 1932 to **Virgil Reese Murphy**, b. 6 July 1909 – d. 7 January 1988. Mary Ila (Ray) Murphy, d/o **Monroe Ray & Dezzie Stewart.**

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Ila (Ray) Murphy, 94, of Cookeville, were conducted at 2 p.m. on Friday, April 24, 2009, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home, with Bro. Harold Walker and Bro. John Murphy officiating.

Burial was in the West Cemetery in the Fairview Community.

Mrs. Murphy died Wednesday, April 22, 2009 at Master's Health Care Center. Mrs. Murphy was a homemaker and a member of the Duncan's Chapel Freewill Baptist Church.

Born March 16, 1915 in Jackson County, she was the daughter of the late Monroe and Dezzie (Stewart) Ray. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Virgil Murphy; 4 sons, James Murphy, Paul Murphy, John Murphy, and Tommy Murphy; infant daughter, Betty Sue Murphy; 4 brothers, Mack Ray, Verble Ray, Raymond Ray, and Norman Ray; 4 sisters, Mattie Webb, Lillie Green, Lela Allen, and Ruby Shepherd.

Survivors include 3 daughters and a son-in-law, Marilyn Evelyn Hand of Clarksville, Mary Ellen McGugin of Cookeville, Elizabeth Ann and Patrick McKinley of San Antonio, TX; 3 daughters-in-law, Doris Murphy and Sally Murphy, both of Cookeville, and Frances Murphy of FL; 16 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; 4 great-great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Charles "J.R." Hand, Harry T. McGugin, III, Jimmy Murphy, Myron Smith, Greg Murphy, Patrick Ford, and Brent Holland.

Honorary pallbearers were grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren, Tommy Phillips and Dewey Glen Masters.

Special care provided by Whitson Funeral Home

**Paul Murphy Jr.**

b. 2 September 1933 – d. 24 February 2007, md on the 14<sup>th</sup> of October 1982, Clay Co., TN to **Frances (Brown) Murphy**, b. 22 July 1938.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Clay Co., TN, pg. 201 – Paul Junior Murphy married 14 October 1982, Clay Co., TN, age 48, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN to Frances M. Farmer, age 44, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin: Blank).

**Thomas Elvador Murphy**

b. 8 June 1878, Overton Co., TN – d. 27 January 1960, md on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of December 1907, Overton Co., TN to **Alba Ruth (Johnson) Murphy**, b. 26 December 1882, Overton Co., TN – d. 28 August 1921, Overton Co., TN, d/o **Logan A. Johnson** (1838-1912) & **Miranda West** (1848-1921). Thomas Elvador Murphy, s/o **Davis Lafayette Murphy** (1850-1929) & **Margaret Elizabeth Livingston** (1848-1925), both buried in Camp Ground Cemetery, Livingston, Overton Co., TN.

\*See Lannie Benton Judd buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 105 – Thomas E. Murphy married 22 December 1907, Overton Co., TN to Miss Alba Johnson).

**Steve Mitchell Nunley Obt.**

b. 21 September 1952, McMinnville, Warren Co., TN – d. 19 October 2023, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 6<sup>th</sup> of May 1977, Smith Co., TN to **Frances (Gentry) Nunley**. Steve Mitchell Nunley, s/o **Rice Alfred "Rouster" Nunley** (1905-1981) & **Cora "Louise" Bishop** (1929-2010), she is buried in White Hill Cemetery, Van Buren Co., TN. Rice Alfred "Rouster" Nunley is buried in Gardens of Memory Cemetery, Smartt, Warren Co., TN.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Smith Co., TN, pg. 135, #269– Steve Nunley married 6 May 1977, Smith Co., TN, age 24, address: Rt. 1, McMinnville, TN to Frances Waldie, age 30, address: Willow Park Apt., Cookeville, TN).

Steve Mitchell Nunley, 71, of Cookeville, Tennessee, passed from this life Thursday, Oct. 19, 2023, at Cedar Hills Retirement Center in Cookeville.

Steve was born Sunday, Sept. 21, 1952, in McMinnville, Tennessee. He was the son of the late Rice Alfred Nunley and the late Cora "Louise" (Bishop) Nunley.

Steve was a loving son, brother, husband, father, Papa, uncle and friend. He was the hardest worker, trustworthy, considerate, an animal lover and would help anyone in need.

He worked for Caney Fork Electric in McMinnville and for Upper Cumberland Electric in Cookeville. He was in the Lions Club, active in his children's sporting activities and active in his church. He loved football, especially the Tennessee Volunteers and the Tennessee Titans. Steve was loved by all who knew him and he will be greatly missed.

Steve is survived by his wife of 46 years, Frances (Gentry) Nunley; three children, Tracey Gail Gentry, Kelly Mitchell Nunley and his wife, Ashley and Miguel Rosario and his wife, Kristy; grandson, Ayden Layne Nunley; siblings, George Nunley and his wife, Rose, Debbie McBride and her husband, Ronnie, Sonjia Nunley and Bruce Nunley; mother-in-law, Dorothy Gentry; brother-in-law, Richard Gentry; loving pet, Kelly Jo; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and special friends.

In addition to his parents, Steve was preceded in death by his son, James Monroe Waldie; identical twin brother, Stan Nunley; father-in-law, Benton Gentry; sister-in-law, Drue Gentry; and niece, Jennifer Gentry.

Graveside services will be held Monday, Oct. 23, 2023, at 1 p.m. at the West Cemetery, 8901 Fairview Rd., Cookeville, Tennessee, 38506.

Crest Lawn Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 20 October 2023

**Evelyn Joyce (Maberry) Owens Obt.**

b. 22 May 1952, Gainesboro, Jackson Co., TN – d. 24 June 2022, Gainesboro, Jackson Co., TN, md on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of June 1973, Overton Co., TN to **Gary Wayne Long**. She also md on the 25<sup>th</sup> of June 1995, Putnam Co., TN to **David Maurice Eberle**, b. 30 July 1946. Evelyn Joyce (Maberry) Owens, d/o **William Arnold Maberry** (1922-1994) & **Clara Belle Lee** (1924-2003). Evelyn Joyce (Maberry) Owens also md **Johnny Owen**.

\*See Clara Belle (Lee) Maberry Obt.

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 183, #9281 – Gary Wayne Long, age 22, address: Rt. 1, Allone, TN married to Evelyn Joyce Maberry, age 21, address: Rt. 3, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Clara Maberry, Rt. 3, Cookeville, TN).

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 204 – David Maurice Eberle married 25 June 1995, Putnam Co., TN, age 48, b. 30 July 1946, 5354 Hillham Rd., Cookeville, TN to Evelyn Joyce Maberry, age 43, b. 22 May 1952, address: 5354 Hillham Rd., Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Gawaine Arlen Long, son, 3722 Shady Oak Cir., Cookeville, TN).

Funeral services for Ms. Evelyn Joyce Owens, age 70 of Hilham, were conducted on Monday, June 27, 2022 from the chapel of the Hall Funeral Home of Livingston. Burial followed at the West Cemetery located in Putnam County.

Ms. Owens passed from this life on Friday, June 24, 2022 from the Mabry Healthcare in Jackson County.

Born on May 22, 1952 in Gainesboro, TN, she was the daughter of the late William A. and Clara D. (Lee) Maberry.

Evelyn worked at Russell Stovers Candies for many years. She loved her family very much and she will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

Survivors include her daughter, Yolanda Long; one son, Gawaine Long; and a host of other family and friends.

Pallbearers were her family.

Special care provided by Hall Funeral Home

**Allison Phillips Obt.**

b. 1905, Jackson Co., TN – d. 26 November 1979, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 6<sup>th</sup> of August 1927, Putnam Co., TN to **Vola (Bean) Phillips**.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 427, #4510– Allison Phillips married 6 August 1927, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Vola Bean).

**COOKEVILLE** - Funeral services for Allison Phillips, 74, were held Wednesday, Nov. 28, at 1 p.m. from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home with Rev. Sam Brooks officiating. Burial will be in West Cemetery. A resident of Oak Street in Cookeville and a retired farmer, Mr. Phillips died November 26 at Cookeville General.

He was a native of Jackson County, the son of the late Thomas and Vernie Warren Phillips. Survivors include a son, Fowler Phillips of Dayton, OH; a brother, David E. Phillips of Dayton; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild; a host of nieces and nephews.

**Allison Phillips Obt.**

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Allison Phillips, 74, were held Wednesday, Nov. 28, at 1 p.m. from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home with Rev. Sam Brooks officiating. Burial will be in West Cemetery.

A resident of Oak Street in Cookeville and a retired farmer, Mr. Phillips died November 26 at Cookeville General.

He was a native of Jackson County, the son of the late Thomas and Vernie Warren Phillips.

Survivors include a son, Fowler Phillips of Dayton, OH; a brother, David E. Phillips of Dayton; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild; a host of nieces and nephews.

Whitson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 28 November 1979.

**Roy Donald Phillips Obt.**

b. 30 July 1927, Overton Co., TN – d. 21 July 2003, Nashville, Davidson Co., TN, (Veteran Air Force & US Navy), md on the 21<sup>st</sup> of June 1952 to **Marjorie Arloien (Privett) Phillips**, b. 15 April 1922, Muncie, Delaware, IN – d. 6 June 1992, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Frank William Privett** (1888-1972) & **Meldora Waymire** (1895-1946). Roy Donald Phillips also md **Bonnie (unknown) Phillips**. Roy Donald Phillips, s/o **Jacob C. Phillips** (1871-1942) & **Mary Carwile** (1886-1961).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 382 – Roy D. Phillips married 5 February 1953, Overton Co., TN, b. 30 July 1927 to Mary Lee Shuemake).

Funeral services for Mr. Roy Donald Phillips, 75, of Livingston, were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday, July 23, 2003, from the chapel of Speck Funeral Home. Burial was in West Cemetery in Cookeville with Rev.

Billy Haney officiating.

Mr. Phillips died Monday, July 21 at St. Thomas Hospital in Nashville. He worked at Rath Meat Packing Plant and was of the Baptist faith. He was a veteran of the United States Air Force and United States Navy.

Born July 30, 1927, in Overton County, he was the son of the late Jake and Mary (Carwile) Phillips.

Survivors include his wife, Bonnie Phillips of Livingston; a step-son, David Townsley of Lafayette, IN; a step-daughter, Diane George and husband, Bill, and Jackie Townsley, all of Livingston; two sisters, Pearl Crawford of Livingston and Ona Russell of Goodlettsville; and several nieces and nephews. Pallbearers were Richard Smith, Doyle Buell, Ben Goolsby, Harold Lynn, Kenneth Lynn, and Tommy Phillips.

Special care provided by Speck Funeral Home

**Stella Carlena (Dickerson) Phillips Obt.**

b. 17 October 1915, Jackson Co., TN – d. 30 March 2015, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 29<sup>th</sup> of February 1941 to **Comer Phillips**, b. 3 April 1923 – d. 2 May 1989, (S1 US Navy WWII), s/o **Jacob C. Phillips** (1871-1942) & **Mary Carwile** (1886-1961), both buried in Allen's Chapel Cemetery, Hilham, Overton Co., TN. Carlena (Dickerson) Phillips, d/o **Henry Thomas Dickerson** (1890-1957) & **Daisie Delvine Lynn** (1893-1957).

\*See Henry Thomas Dickerson buried in West Cemetery.

**GAINESBORO** — Funeral services for Carlena Phillips, 99, of Cookeville, will be held at 2 p.m. on Thursday, April 2, at Anderson-Upper Cumberland Funeral Home in Gainesboro. Burial will be in West Cemetery in the Fairview community of Putnam County.

The family will receive friends from 4-9 p.m. today, Wednesday, April 1, and from noon until time of services on Thursday at the funeral home.



Mrs. P hillips passed away on Monday, March 30, 2015, at her residence.

She was born Oct. 17, 1915, in Jackson County to the late Henry Dickerson and Daisy Lynn Dickerson.

Mrs. Phillips was a homemaker and a member of Fairview Church of Christ.

Her family includes a son and daughter-in-law, Tommy and Sue Phillips of Cookeville; a daughter and son-in-law, Carole and Garry Anderson of Cookeville; six grandchildren, Eric (Debbie) Anderson, Brad (Jennifer) Anderson, Pam (Tim) Thompson, Susan Dingle, Mark (Debbie) Johnson and Michael Johnson; 12 great-grandchildren; and nine great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Comer Phillips; a daughter, Billie Sue Johnson; a grandson, Matthew Johnson; a sister, Della Allen; and a brother, Billy Dickerson.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to West Cemetery on Fairview Road by contacting the funeral home.

Bros. Teston Gilpatrick and Buddy Reeder will officiate at the services.

Anderson-Upper Cumberland Funeral Home in Gainesboro is in charge of arrangements, (931) 268-1550.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 1 April 2015

**Ina Mae (Dunn) Randolph Obt.**

b. 27 February 1919 – d. 17 April 2014, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 15<sup>th</sup> of June 1941, White Co., TN to **Haskel Dee Randolph**. Ina Mae (Dunn) Randolph, d/o **George Rosco Dunn & Amanda Tennessee Sliger**.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, White Co., TN, pg. 362 – Dee Randolph married 15 of June 1941, White Co., TN, age 25, address: Rt. 2, Cookeville, TN to Ina Dunn, age 22, address: Rt. 2, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Rosco Dunn & Amanda Dunn).

**COOKEVILLE** — Funeral services for Ina Mae Dunn Randolph, 95, of Cookeville, were held Saturday, April 19, in the chapel of Dyer Funeral Home. Burial followed in West Cemetery.

Mrs. Randolph departed from this life Thursday, April 17, 2014, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center, surrounded by her loving family.

She was born Feb. 27, 1919, to the late George Rosco Dunn and Amanda Tennessee Sliger Dunn.

Mrs. Randolph was a member of Samaria Church of Christ. She was a homemaker who loved her family without question. She especially enjoyed quilting, canning and gardening, but indoor flowers and plants were her favorite. Mrs. Randolph spent many years happily tending to her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Her family includes two daughters and a son-in-law, Shirley Morgan, and Dolly Sue and Ernest Ray Smith, all of Cookeville; two sons and daughters-in-law, Jackie Dee and Donnie Ruth Randolph of Baxter and Jerry and Mary Randolph of Sparta; two sisters, Vivian Bowman and Lillian Smith, both of Cookeville; one brother, James Dunn of Cookeville; 10 grandchildren, Mickey Smith, Kathy Franklin, Kim Brown, Raymond Smith, Scotty Randolph, Angela Rector, Tammy Bridges, Tracy Davison, Tim Randolph and Travis Morgan; 13 great grand-children; nine great-great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Randolph was preceded in death by her husband, Haskel Dee Randolph; one sister, Elise Peek; and two brothers, Odre and Jesse Dunn.

Pallbearers were family and friends.

Bro. Jared Randolph officiated the services.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 20 April 2014

**Ben Ray**

1848 – d. abt. 1923, **William Ray & Susan Langford**.

**Robert Lee Ray Obt.**

b. 31 October 1951, OH – d. 23 January 2012, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 25<sup>th</sup> of November 1980, Putnam Co., TN to **Barbara (Wilmoth) Robbins Ray**. Robert Lee Ray, s/o **Willie J. Ray** (1915-1996) & **Mary Jane Nelson** (1925-2006).

\*See Willie J. Ray buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 194 – Robert Lee Ray married 25 November 1980, Putnam Co., TN, age 29, b. 31 October 1951, address: Rt. 14, Box 218, Cookeville, TN to Barbara Ann Wilmoth, age 22, b. 21 May 1958, address: Rt. 1, Box 309, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Ellison Wilmoth, father, P. O. Box 88, Algood, TN).

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Robert Lee Ray, 60, of Cookeville, will be held at noon Thursday, Jan. 26, in the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Burial will be in West Cemetery (North).

Family will receive friends from 7-9 p.m. today, Wednesday, Jan. 25, and again Thursday from 11 a.m. until time of services at the funeral home.

Mr. Ray passed away Monday, Jan. 23, 2012, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

He was born Oct. 31, 1951, in Ohio to the late Willie J. and Mary Jane Nelson Ray.

Mr. Ray was a self-employed contractor.

His family includes two sons, Randy Ray of Florida and Willie Ray of Cookeville; a daughter, Nancy McCloud of Cookeville; the mother of his children, Barbara Robbins of Cookeville; three brothers and sisters-in-law, Donald W. and Jane Ray of Dayton, Ohio, Larry J. and Joy Ray of Butler, Ohio, and Bill and Pat Ray of Lewisburg, Ohio; a sister and brother-in-law, Teresa and Dennis Latini of Florida; two grandchildren, Addisyn and Matthew; and several nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be family and friends.

Bro. Dewey Glenn Masters will officiate the services.

Whitson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Herald-Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 25 Jan. 2012

**Willie J. Ray**

b. 27 November 1915 – d. 9 May 1996, md on the 21<sup>st</sup> of October 1942 to **Mary Jane (Nelson) Ray**, b. 9 September 1925 – d. 9 May 2006, d/o **Thomas Nelson** (1882-1935) & **Nancy B. Gaw** (1897-1984).

\*See Robert Lee Ray Obt.

**Alex Neamer Roberts**

b. 4 July 1884 – d. 9 October 1918, md on the 1<sup>st</sup> of September 1918, Putnam Co., TN to **Annie Frances (Gentry) Roberts**, b. 18 September 1895 – d. 12 June 1920, d/o **James Joshua Gentry** (1862-1935) & **Katie Elizabeth Hensley** (1860-1941). Alex Neamer Roberts, s/o **George Washington Roberts** (1834-1930) & **Nancy Ann Greenwood** (1846-1928).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 457, #1815 – Alex Roberts married 1 September 1918, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Annie Gentry).

**Allie B. Roberts**

b. 1920 – d. 1994, md on the 10<sup>th</sup> of November 1937, Putnam Co., TN to **Gladys (Meadows) Roberts**, b. 19 May 1917, TN – d. 21 February 2007, Cookeville, TN, d/o **John Wade Meadows** (1876-1946) & **Flora Edna Richards** (1886-1957). Gladys (Meadows) Roberts is buried in Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 455 – Allie B. Roberts married 10 November 1937, Putnam Co., TN, age 19, address: Rt. 5, Cookeville, TN to Gladys Meadows, age 20, address: Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Mrs. Flora Meadows, Cookeville, TN).

**Altie B. (Phillips) Roberts Obt.**

b. 2 March 1895, TN – d. 10 February 1975, Algood, TN, md on the 6<sup>th</sup> of October 1912, Putnam Co., TN to **Andrew C. Roberts**, b. 18 March 1893, Jackson Co., TN – d. 10 October 1980, Putnam Co., TN. Altie B. (Phillips) Roberts, d/o **Tom Phillips & Vernie Warren**.

\*See Andrew C. Roberts Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 126, #498– Andrews J. Roberts married 6 October 1912, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Alta Phillips).

Funeral services for Mrs Altie B Roberts, 79, were conducted at Hooper & Huddleston February 12 with Rev Sam Brooks officiating.

Mrs Roberts, a resident of Circle Drive, Algood, died February 10 in the local hospital. She was a native of Tennessee, the daughter of the late Tom and Vernie Warren Phillips.

Survivors include her husband, Andrew C Roberts; 1 daughter, Mrs Lassie Henley, Cookeville; 5 sons, Allie B, Walter and James Harold, Algood; Millard, Cookeville; Eskew, Salem, Ind; 2 brothers, Allison, Cookeville; Ellison, Dayton, Oh; 1 sister, Mrs Mary Jane Henley, Cookeville.

Burial was in the West cemetery, Putnam county.

Cookeville Dispatch February 18, 1975

**Andrew C. Roberts Obt.**

b. 18 March 1893, Jackson Co., TN – d. 10 October 1980, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 6<sup>th</sup> of October 1912, Putnam Co., TN to **Altie B. (Phillips) Roberts**, b. 2 March 1895, TN – d. 10 February 1975, Algood, TN, d/o **Tom Phillips & Vernie Warren**. (Shares tombstone with: Their son, **Willard Lee Roberts**, b. 30 August 1926 – d. 16 October 1927). Andrew C. Roberts, s/o **Flander Roberts & Katherine Curtis**.

\*See Altie B. (Phillips) Roberts Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 126, #498– Andrews J. Roberts married 6 October 1912, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Alta Phillips).

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Andrew C. Roberts, 87, were held Sunday, Oct. 12, at 2 p.m. in the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home, with Bro. Arnold Kelly officiating. Burial was in West Cemetery.

Roberts was a native of Jackson County, the son of the late Flander Roberts and Katherine Curtis Roberts. He died Friday, Oct. 10, in Cookeville General Hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lona Roberts of Cookeville; four sons, Millard, James Harold, and Allie B. Roberts of Algood and Eskew Roberts of Salem, IN; nine step-sons, and five step-daughters, a daughter, Mrs. Lassie Henley of Algood, a brother, Vanous Roberts of Cookeville; a sister, Mr. Beulah Cooper of HO, 13 grandchildren, and 18 great-grandchildren.

Whitson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 14 October 1980.

**Everett N. Roberts**

b. 14 May 1920 – 18 October 1981, s/o **Marson Joseph Roberts** (1881-1955) & **Eliza Massa** (1882-1964).

\*See Marson Joseph Roberts buried in West Cemetery.

**George Washington Roberts**

b. 10 March 1834, Bradley Co., TN – d. 22 October 1930, Putnam Co., TN, (CO C 8 Tenn Mtd Inf), md **Nancy Ann (Greenwood) Roberts**, b. 15 May 1846 – d. 11 February 1928, d/o **James Peek** (1780 – 1880) & **Susan Greenwood** (1818-1880). George Washington Roberts, s/o **John Roberts & Rebecca Hatfield**.

\*See Marvin Robert buried in West Cemetery.

**Helen (Bowling) Roberts Obt.**

b. 18 January 1929, VA – d. 14 May 1986, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md **Millard D. Roberts**, b. 30 August 1926 – d. 17 March 1988. Helen (Bowling) Roberts, d/o **John & Monie Bowling**.



Funeral services for Helen Roberts, 57, of 238 Quinland Lake Road, Cookeville, will be held Friday, May 16 at 1p.m. at Whitson Funeral Home with Bro. Joe Roysden officiating. Burial will be at West Cemetery.

Mrs. Roberts, a homemaker, died May 14, 1986 at Cookeville General Hospital. Born in Virginia on Jan 18, 1929, she is the daughter of the late John and Monie Bowling. She was preceded in death by a brother, William Edward Bowling. Her family includes her husband Millard Roberts of Cookeville, three daughters: JoAnn Berkley of Baxter, Sue Ann Hull of Houston, TX, and Kathy Mott of Sparta, two sons: Willard of Algood and Doug of Houston, TX. One sister, Elene Nelson of Dayton, OH, four brothers: Johnny, Bill, George and Ronald Gene Bowling all of Dayton, OH.

Whitson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: May 15 1986

**Laura Lou Roberts**

b. 5 October 1912 – d. 29 April 1983.

**Marson Joseph Roberts**

b. 7 May 1881, Putnam Co., TN – d. 4 July 1955, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 29<sup>th</sup> of September 1904, Putnam Co., TN to **Eliza (Massey) Roberts**, b. 6 January 1882 – d. 22 October 1930. Marson Joseph Roberts, s/o **George Washington Roberts** (1834-1930) & **Nancy Ann Greenwood** (1846-1928).

\*See Verble L. Roberts buried in West Cemetery.

**Marvin Monroe Roberts**

b. 14 August 1881, Putnam Co., TN – d. 14 August 1934, md on the 5<sup>th</sup> of January 1908, Putnam Co., TN to **Martha Lee Ann (Letner) Roberts**, b. 20 January 1889, Jackson Co., TN – d. 6 January 1977, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **James Washington Letner** (1862-1948) & **Mary J. Faris** (1863-1945).. Marvin Monroe Roberts, s/o **George Washington Roberts** (1834-1930) & **Nancy Ann Greenwood** (1846-1928).

\*See Mildred (Roberts) McMillian Flanary Obt.

\*See James Washington Letner buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Lonnie Washington Roberts buried in Cookeville City Cemetery.

\*See George Washington Roberts buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 441, #1213 – Marvin Roberts married 5 January 1908, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Martha Letner).

**Vela C. Roberts**

b. 29 December 1923 – d. 2 June 1972, d/o **Marson Joseph Roberts** (1881-1955) & **Eliza Massa** (1882-1964).

\*See Marson Joseph Roberts buried in West Cemetery.

**Verble L. Roberts**

b. 29 December 1923 – d. 10 April 1977, d/o **Marson Joseph Roberts** (1881-1955) & **Eliza Massa** (1882-1964).

\*See Marson Joseph Roberts buried in West Cemetery.

**Walter T. Roberts**

b. 14 March 1922 – d. 15 March 1977, (S1 US Navy WWII).

**Wanda Gail (Cleghorn) Roberts Obt.**

b. 7 October 1943, Overton Co., TN – d. 24 February 2014, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 18<sup>th</sup> of December 1965, Overton Co., TN to **James Harould Roberts**, b. 30 March 1932 – d. 9 August 2009.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 316 – James Harould Roberts married 18 December 1965, Overton Co., TN, age 33, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN to Wanda Gail Cleghorn, age 23, address: Algood, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Rosvell Cleghorn).

Funeral services for Gail Roberts, 70, of Algood will be held Friday, February 28 at 10 am in the chapel of Presley Funeral Home with Rev. Jeremy Norris officiating. Burial will follow in West Cemetery in the Fairview Community.

The family will receive friends Thursday 6 pm to 9 pm and again Friday 8 am until service time at the funeral home.

Ms. Roberts passed away Monday, February 24, 2014 at her home.

She was born October 7, 1943 in Overton County, TN to the late Elijah and Rosevell Whitaker Cleghorn.

Ms. Roberts was a member of Circle Drive Freewill Baptist Church in Algood. She worked at the Shirt Factory for many years.

Gail liked to fish, make quilts, cook and spoil her grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, James H. Roberts; five sisters, Ozzie Norris, Annie Threet, Louise Norris, Sarilda Roberts and Violet Nelson; and one brother, Doyle Cleghorn.

Ms. Roberts is survived by two sons, Ricky Roberts of Algood and Jeffery Roberts of Livingston; two grandchildren, Lindsey Roberts of Cookeville and Travis Roberts of Algood; two sisters, Rosezell Dial and Gladys Stover both of Algood and one brother and sister-in-law, Donald and Betty Cleghorn of Algood.

Family and friends will serve as pallbearers.

#### **Willard Lee Roberts**

b. 30 August 1926 – d. 16 October 1927, s/o **Andrew C. Roberts** (1893-1980) & **Altie B. Phillips** (1895-1975).

#### **Benton H. Smith**

b. 14 July 1925 – d. 12 November 1967, md **Clara M. (Greenwood) Smith**, b. 4 October 1918 – d. 31 May 2000, d/o **Jacob Jefferson Greenwood** (1896-1987) & **Minnie Bell Peek** (1900- 1988). Benton H. Smith, s/o **John Thomas Smith** (1894-1977) & **Ada Jane Bowman** (1894-1971).

#### **Etta Mae (Gentry) Smith Obt.**

b. 31 July 1890, Putnam Co., TN – d. 2 March 1963, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 24<sup>th</sup> of November 1907, Jackson Co., TN to **Townie Quitman Smith**, b. 27 July 1882 – d. 20 August 1971, s/o **William Allen Smith** (1835-1919) & **Elizabeth Ann Poston** (1842-1914). Etta Mae (Gentry) Smith, d/o **George Washington Gentry Sr.** (1848-1936) & **Mary Rebecca Lee** (1867-1946). Children: Lura J. (Smith) Phy (1908-2000), Lonnie C. Smith (1910-1988), Herman R. Smith (1913-1982), Ruby Jewell Smith (1918-2011) & Howard Harding Smith (1921-2004). Picture on tombstone.

\*See George Washington Gentry Sr. buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Howard Harding Smith buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Townie Quitman Smith buried in West Cemetery.

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 175 – T. Q. Smith married 24 November 1907, Jackson Co., TN to May Gentry).

Funeral services for Mrs. Mae Etta Gentry Smith, 72, were held at Hooper & Huddleston on Monday at 2 p.m. with the Rev Dee Poole, pastor of Summerfield Methodist Church, officiating.

Mrs. Smith died March 2, 1963 in Cookeville General Hospital after a long illness.

She was a native of Putnam County, the daughter of George W and Mary B. Lee Gentry. She resided at 413 N Willow St with her husband, T Q Smith, who survives.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by the following: two daughters, Miss Ruby Smith, Cookeville; Mrs. Lura Phy, Algood; three sons, Lonnie, Herman and Howard of Cookeville; brothers Louis and Amon Gentry of Cookeville; sisters Mrs. Howard Lee of Gainesboro and Mrs. Thurman Knight of Cookeville.

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**Howard Harding Smith**

b. 24 February 1921 – d. 30 March 2004, md 31<sup>st</sup> of August 1941, Hazel Park, Oakland Co., MI to **Anna Louise (Cumby) Smith**, b. b. 26 October 1924, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 25 November 2020, Nashville, Davidson Co., TN, d/o **Arthur D. Cumby** (1894-1956) & **Laura Jane Jackson** (1903-1992). Howard Harding Smith, s/o o **Townie Quitman Smith** (1882-1971) & **Etta Mae Gentry** (1890-1963).

\*See Etta Mae (Gentry) Smith Obt.

**Infant Smith**

b. 28 February 1917 – d. 20 March 1917, s/o **W. H. & S. A. Smith**.

**Ronald Carl Smith Obt.**

b. 29 June 1950, Hamtramck, Wayne Co., MI – d. 18 July 2020, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md in 1984 to **Marian (Brown) Smith**. Ronald Carl Smith, s/o **Joe Freeman Smith & Lottie Helen Osak** (1917-1980), she is buried in Saint John the Evangelist Catholic Church Cemetery, Ubly, Huron Co., MI.

Ronald Smith, 70 of Cookeville passed away Saturday evening July 18, 2020 at his home.

He was born June 29, 1950 in Hamtramck, MI to the late Joe Freeman Smith and Lottie Helen Osak.

Ron was supervisor at Allied Signal in Torrance, CA for 18 years. He moved to Cookeville in 1993 and opened American Safety Products which supplied local factories with OSHA compliance and personal protection products. He later was employed as a bus driver for the Putnam County School System prior to retirement. He enjoyed interacting students and facilitated older students helping with younger students during bus trips.

He is survived by his wife, Marian Brown Smith, whom he married in 1984; son, Jerry Smith; step-son, Cody Spear; sister, Maryann (Richard) Bailey of Torrance, CA; three brothers, Gary Smith of Corona, CA; David (Brenda) Smith of Columbia, TN, and Dale (Celia) Smith of Gainesboro, TN; grandchildren, Presley Kay Spear and Jared Smith Redford.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 21 July 2020

**Thomas D. Smith**

b. 1867 – d. 1947, md on the 19<sup>th</sup> of April 1890, Jackson Co., TN to **Savanah E. (Hix) Smith**, b. 1870 –d. 1939. Thomas D. Smith, s/o **William Allen Smith** (1835-1919) & **Elizabeth Ann Poston** (1842-1914).

\*See Townie Q. Smith buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 451 – Thomas Smith married 19 April 1890, Jackson Co., TN to Savana E. Hix).

**Townie Quitman Smith**

b. 27 July 1882 – d. 20 August 1971, md on the 24<sup>th</sup> of November 1907, Jackson Co., TN to **Etta Mae (Gentry) Smith**, b. 31 July 1890, Putnam Co., TN – d. 2 March 1963, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **George Washington Gentry** (1848-1936) & **Mary Lee** (1867-1946). Townie Q. Smith, s/o **William Allen Smith** (1835-1919) & **Elizabeth Ann Poston** (1842-1914).

\*See Anna Louise (Cumby) Smith Obt.

\*See Etta Mae (Gentry) Smith Obt.

\*See Thomas D. Smith buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 175 – T. Q. Smith married 24 November 1907, Jackson Co., TN to May Gentry).

**William Allen Smith**

b. 2 February 1835 – d. 18 January 1919, md on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of February 1858 to **Elizabeth Ann (Poston) Smith**, b. 20 December 1842 – d. 13 April 1916, d/o Campbell Poston (1815-1865) & **Harriet Jane Maxwell** (1820-1882). William Allen Smith, s/o **Thomas H. Smith & Polly Loftis**. Children: William Campbell Smith (1862-1944), Thomas D. Smith (1867-1947), Jackson Barlow Smith (1875-1940), Leona (Smith) Gibbons (1881-1970) & Townie Q. Smith (1882-1971).

**Shelia Frances (Kemp) Stewart Obt.**

b. 5 August 1964, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN – d. 26 July 2021, Johnson City, Washington Co., TN, md **Bradley Stewart**. Shelia Frances (Kemp) Stewart, d/o **Billy Howard Kemp** (1941-2007) & **Reba Frances Hamlet** (1942-1964).

\*See Billy Howard Kemp Obt.

Shelia Frances Kemp Stewart, age 56 of Johnson City and formerly of Cookeville passed away suddenly on Monday, July 26, 2021. She was born August 5, 1964 in Cookeville to the late Billy Howard Kemp and Reba Frances Kemp.

She was a 1982 graduate of Cookeville High School. As a deeply religious person throughout her life, she attended Washington Ave Baptist Church during her youth and attended The River Community Church prior to moving to Johnson City in 2016. She found her most fulfilling work at ReVIDA Recovery where she worked as an office manager.

Sheila was a compassionate, empathetic and understanding person. She enjoyed art, reading and was an animal lover.

She is survived by her husband: Bradley Stewart; son: Chris (Kelly) Roberson; stepdaughters: Gracie Stewart, Abbi Stewart and Chloe Stewart; stepmother: Fran Kemp; half-sister: Pamela Kemp; uncle: Bobby (Sandra) Kemp.

Funeral services were held Saturday, July 31, 2021 in the Cookeville chapel of Hooper Huddleston & Horner Funeral Home with Pastor Steve Tiebout officiating. Interment followed at West Cemetery in the Fairview Community.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 29 July 2021

**Charles Walter Swallows Obt.**

b. 1 September 1940, Putnam Co., TN – d. 8 February 2019, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 14<sup>th</sup> of February 1963, Putnam Co., TN to **Betty Ann (Griner) Swallows**, b. 25 July 1946 – d. 15 September 2006. Charles Walter Swallows, s/o **Clarence Haskell Swallows** (1913-1984) & **Maggielean Tinch** (1916-1988), both buried in Shady Grove Community Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 138 – Charles Walter Swallows married 14 February 1963, Putnam Co., TN, age 22, b. 1 September 1940, address: 725 E. Broad St., Cookeville, TN to Betty Ann Griner, age 16, b. 25 July 1946, address: Rt. 4, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Bessie Griner, mother, Rt. 4, Cookeville, TN).

**COOKEVILLE** — Funeral services for Charles Walter Swallows, 78, of Cookeville, Tennessee, will be held at 10 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 13, at the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home, with burial to follow at West Cemetery (North). Jerry Swallows, Sue Poston and Bobby Roberts will officiate.

Visitation with the family will be held today, Tuesday, Feb. 12, from 5-9 p.m.

Mr. Swallows passed away Friday, Feb. 8, 2019, at Bethesda Healthcare in Cookeville.

Charles Walter Swallows was born Sept. 1, 1940, in Putnam County, Tennessee, to the late Clarence Haskell and Magalene (Tinch) Swallows. Charles worked for the bookstore at TTU.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his wife, Betty Swallows; two brothers, Johnny and June Swallows; and one sister, Bobby Ordwall.

He is survived by two sons and daughter-in-law, Jerry Swallows of Gallatin, and Kevin and Becky Swallows of Cookeville; one daughter, Wanda Otto of Cookeville; sister-in-law, Billie Swallows of Cookeville; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Charles Tucker Swallows, Jerry Lynn Swallows Jr., Kent Ashburn, Lynslee Brooke Swallows, Dakota Austin Swallows, Alisha Anne Swallows and Jeremiah Thomas Davidson.

Whitson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements, 526-2151.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 12 February 2019

**Charles Ronald Thompson**

b. 23 September 1946 – d. 24 April 1998.

**Charlie Thompson**

b. 6 September 1906 – d. 7 September 1997, md **Rosie M. (unknown) Thompson**, b. 4 July 1918 – d. 13 March 2005.

**Gary Vernon Thompson Obt.**

b. 26 May 1951, Putnam Co., TN – d. 1 April 2006, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md **Linda Gail (Allen) Thompson**. Gary Vernon Thompson, s/o **Woodrow Thompson** (1912-2001) & **Dena C. Fleming** (1917-1993).

\*See Woody Odell Thompson Obt.

\*See Woodrow Thompson buried in West Cemetery.

**COOKEVILLE** – Funeral services for Gary V. Thompson, 55, of Cookeville, will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, April 3, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Burial will be in West Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 6-9 p.m. today and from 7 a.m. until time of services on Monday at the funeral home.

Mr. Thompson died Saturday, April 1, 2006, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

H was born May 26, 1951, in Putnam County to the late Woodrow and Dena Flemming Thompson. Mr. Thompson was a self-employed siding applicator. He also loved hunting and gardening.

His family includes his wife, Gale Allen Thompson of Cookeville; a son, Gary Wayne Thompson of Cookeville; two brothers, Woody Thompson of Murfreesboro and Robert Thompson of Cookeville; and three sisters, Carolyn Buck of Algood and Jerolyn Roberts and Marilyn Hammontree, both of Cookeville.

In addition to his parents, Mr. Thompson was preceded in death by two brothers, Sam Denton Thompson and Paul T. Thompson, and a nephew, Jeff Thompson.

Bro. Jack Gentry will officiate the services.

Whitson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 2 April 2006

**Joyce Marie (Sherrell) Thompson Obt.**

b. 16 February 1947, Putnam Co., TN – d. 2 June 1998, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md **Robert G. Thompson**, b. 28 August 1944 – d. 23 September 2007, s/o **Woodrow Thompson** (1912-2001) & **Dena C. Fleming** (1917-1993).

\*See Woody Odell Thompson Obt.

\*See Woodrow Thompson buried in West Cemetery.

**COOKEVILLE** - Funeral services for Joyce Marie Thompson, 51, of Cookeville will be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, June 4, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Burial will be in West Cemetery.

The family is receiving friends at the funeral home.

Mrs. Thompson died on Tuesday, June 2, 1998, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

She was born on Feb. 16, 1947, in Putnam County to the late Leonard and Martha Stover Sherrell. Mrs. Thompson was a homemaker and a member of Eastwood Baptist Church.

Her family includes her husband, Robert G. Thompson of Cookeville; a daughter, Susie Thompson of Cookeville; a son and daughter-in-law, Mike and Robin Thompson of Cookeville; two brothers, Dale Sherrell of Baxter and Jerry Sherrell of Mississippi; four sisters, Anna Lineberry and Sandra Maynard, both of Baxter, Hazel Carmack and Janie Dunn, both of Cookeville; and two stepgrandchildren, Seth and Nathan.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a sister, Kathy Rose Sherrell.

Bros. Jack Gentry and Carles Walker will officiate at the services.

**Paul Thurman Thompson**

b. 26 August 1942 – d. 21 August 2004, (PFC US Army Vietnam), s/o **Woodrow Thompson** (1912-2001) & **Dena C. Fleming** (1917-1993).

\*See Woodrow Thompson buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Woody Odell Thompson Obt.

**Sam Denton Thompson**

b. 8 June 1938 – d. 23 June 1938, s/o **Woodrow Thompson** (1912-2001) & **Dena C. Fleming** (1917-1993).

\*See Woodrow Thompson buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Woody Odell Thompson Obt.

**Woodrow Thompson**

b. 4 November 1912 – d. 24 May 2001, md on the 6<sup>th</sup> of March 1935, Jackson Co., TN to **Dena C. (Fleming) Thompson**, b. 25 January 1917 – d. 1 May 1993, d/o **Campbell Fleming** (1873-1938) & **Sirena Loftis** (1880-1954). Woodrow Thompson, s/o **Willard & Hattie Thompson**.

\*See Campbell B. Fleming buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Harrison C. Fleming Obt.

\*See Gary Vernon Thompson buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Paul Thurman Thompson buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Woody Odell Thompson Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 76 – Woodrow Thompson married 6 March 1935, Jackson Co., TN to Dena Flemings).

**Woody Odell Thompson Obt.**

b. 23 June 1939, Putnam Co., TN – d. 14 October 2008, Murfreesboro, TN, md 1<sup>st</sup> on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of August 1961, Overton Co., TN to **Ruby Mae (Hunter) Thompson**. Woody Odell Thompson md 2<sup>nd</sup> on the 15<sup>th</sup> of June 1974, Jackson Co., TN to **Laren Mue (White) Thompson**, d/o **Porter & Lola White**. Woody Odell Thompson, s/o **Woodrow Thompson** (1912-2001) & **Dena Fleming** (1917-1993).

\*See Gary Vernon Thompson buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Woodrow Thompson buried in West Cemetery.

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 392 – Woody Odell Thompson married 2 August 1961, Overton Co., TN, age 22, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN to Ruby Mae Hunter, age 16, address: 153 S. Washington, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Dallas Hunter, 153 S. Washington, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of male: Mr. & Mrs. Woodrow Thompson).

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Jackson Co., TN, pg. 225, #6012– Woody Odell Thompson married 15 June 1974, Jackson Co., TN, age 34, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN to Laren Mue White, age 31, address: Rt. 1, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Lola White Hogan, mother, R1, Allons, TN. Porter White, father, deceased).

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for Woody Odell Thompson, 69, of Murfreesboro, will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 17, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Burial will be in West Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 5-9 p.m. today, Thursday, Oct. 16, and from 7 a.m. until time of services on Friday at the funeral home.

Mr. Thompson died Tuesday, Oct. 14, 2008, in Middle Tennessee Medical Center in Murfreesboro.

He was born June 23, 1939, in Putnam County to the late Woodrow and Dena Fleming Thompson.

Mr. Thompson was a self-employed vinyl siding contractor.

His family includes special friend Beresha Kinser of Murfreesboro; two sons, Sam Thompson of Cookeville and Terry Thompson of Indiana; a daughter and son-in-law, Kim and Ronnie Smith of Buffalo Valley; three sisters and two brothers-in-law, Carolyn and Jim Buck of Algood, Jerolyn Roberts of Cookeville and Marilyn and Mike Hammontree of Rickman; 10 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Jeff Thompson, and three brothers, Paul, Robert and Gary Thompson.

Pallbearers will be family and friends.

Bro. Jack Gentry will officiate at the services.

Thursday, Oct 16, 2008: Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN

**Dale R. Tubb Obt.**

b. 1948 – d. 6 June 2010, Livingston, Overton Co., TN.

**GAINESBORO** -- Graveside services for Dale R. Tubb, 61, of Gainesboro, were held today, Wednesday, June 9, at 11 a.m.

Burial was in West Cemetery in Putnam County.

Mr. Tubb died Sunday, June 6, at the Overton County Nursing Home in Livingston.

Anderson-Upper Cumberland Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements

9 June 2010: Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN

**James William Tucker Obt.**

b. 17 October 1937, Lugoff, SC – d. 27 September 2016, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of October 1966, Cumberland Co., TN to **Nina (Arline) Tucker**, b. 23 August 1940, Livingston, Overton Co., TN – d. 26 September 2012, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Cecil Lee Arline** (1907-1961) & **Laura Alice Carr**. James William Tucker, s/o **John Tucker & Martha Corder**.

\*See Nina (Arline) Tucker Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Cumberland Co., TN, pg. 39, #4999 – James William Tucker married 22 October 1966, Cumberland Co., TN, age 29, address: 1364 Crescent Dr., Cookeville, TN to Nina Hill, age 26, address: Watertown, TN. Female's parents, guardian or next of kin: Cecil Lee Arline, dec'd, father & Laura (Carr) Krantz, mother, North Springs, TN).

**COOKEVILLE**—James William Tucker, age 78, of Cookeville, Tenn. passed from this life Tuesday, Sept. 27, 2016 at his home.

Mr. Tucker was born in Lugoff, S.C., on Oct. 17, 1937. He was the son of the late John and Martha (Corder) Tucker.

He was a devoted, loving, husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, brother and friend. He was a member of Dodson Branch Southern Baptist Church, and worked as an electrician for Lakeland Electric for 30 years. He retired from the National Guard after 29 years of serving his country.

He is survived by his son, Jeffrey Scott Tucker and wife Angela Sue of Cookeville; two granddaughters, Myla Dawn Hill of Tullahoma, Tenn., and Shania Ninalee Hill of Cookeville; five grandsons: Lucious Mark Hill of Cookeville, Jerry Wayne Hill, Jr. of Tullahoma, Joshua Robert Hill of Cookeville, Terry Nicholas Hill of Cookeville, Dustin Daniel Buck of Cookeville; five great-grandchildren; Lennox Hill, Khloe Watson & Davey Watson, Allie Hill, and Braylon Buck. He is also survived by a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his loving wife of 46 years, Nina Arline Tucker, sons; Jerry Wayne Hill, Terry Mark Hill, James Howell Tucker and Roger Anthony Tucker; and one great-granddaughter Allysun Watson.

Funeral Services for Mr. Tucker will be held Sunday Oct. 2, beginning at 2 p.m. from the chapel of Crest Lawn Funeral Home. Burial will follow at West Cemetery in the Fairview Community of Putnam County.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home Saturday, Oct. 1, from 2 - 8 p.m. and again on Sunday from 12 noon until the time of service at 2 p.m.

Please visit [www.crestlawnmemorial.com](http://www.crestlawnmemorial.com) to sign the online guest book and send a message to her family.

Crest Lawn Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 30 September 2016

**Nina (Arline) Hill Tucker Obt.**

b. 23 August 1940, Livingston, Overton Co., TN – d. 26 September 2012, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of October 1966, Cumberland Co., TN to **James William Tucker**, b. 17 October 1937, Lugoff,



SC – d. 27 September 2016, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **John Tucker & Martha Corder**. Nina (Arline) Hill Tucker, d/o **Cecil Lee Arline** (1907-1961) & **Laura Alice Carr**. Nina (Arline) Hill Tucker was also md on the 26<sup>th</sup> of July 1958, Cannon Co., TN to **I. B. Hill**.

\*See James William Tucker Obt.

\*See Jerry Wayne Hill Obt.

(**Source**: Tennessee State Marriage record, Cumberland Co., TN, pg. 39, #4999 – James William Tucker married 22 October 1966, Cumberland Co., TN, age 29, address: 1364 Crescent Dr., Cookeville, TN to Nina Hill, age 26, address: Watertown, TN. Female's parents, guardian or next of kin: Cecil Lee Arline, dec'd, father & Laura (Carr) Krantz, mother, North Springs, TN).

(**Source**: Tennessee State Marriage record, Cannon Co., TN, pg. 267 – I. B. Hill married 26 July 1958, Cannon Co., TN, age 18, b. 19 January 1940, address: Rt. 1, Woodbury, TN to Nina Arline, age 17, b. 23 August 1940, address: Rt. 1, Woodbury, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Cecil L. Arline. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of male: Willis Hill).

**COOKEVILLE** — Funeral services for Nina A. Tucker, 72, of Cookeville, will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 30, at Crest Lawn Funeral Home. Burial will follow in West Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 5-8 p.m. today, Friday, Sept. 28, from 11 a.m.-8 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 29, and from 11 a.m. until time of services on Sunday at the funeral home.

Mrs. Tucker passed away Wednesday, Sept. 26, 2012, at her home.

She was born Aug. 23, 1940, in Livingston to the late Laura Alice (Carr) and Cecil Lee Arline.

Mrs. Tucker was a member of Dodson Branch Southern Baptist Church. She worked as a supervisor at Tennessee Tech University for more than 10 years prior to her retirement. She was a devoted, loving, wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister and friend.

Her family includes her husband, James William Tucker of Cookeville; a son and daughter-in-law, Jeffrey Scott and Angela Tucker of Cookeville; two granddaughters, Myla Dawn Hill of Tullahoma and Shania Ninallee Hill of Cookeville; grandsons, Lucious Mark Hill and Abby of Cookeville, Jerry Wayne Hill Jr. of Tullahoma, Joshua Robert Hill of Cookeville, Terry Nicholas Hill of Cookeville and Dustin Daniel Buck of Cookeville; great-grandchildren, Lennox Hill, Khloe Watson and Davey Watson; twin sister, Neva E Taylor of Carthage; another sister, Ethelene Godsey Smallwood of Crossville; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by four sons, Jerry Wayne Hill, Terry Mark Hill, James Howell Tucker and Roger Anthony Tucker; two brothers Carl and Boyd Arline; one sister, Earlene Landus; and one great-granddaughter, Allysun Watson.

Brother Jeff Short will officiate at the services.

Go to [www.crestlawnmemorial.com](http://www.crestlawnmemorial.com) to sign the online guest book and send a message to her family.

Crest Lawn Funeral Home-Cremation Center is in charge of arrangements (931) 526-6384.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 28 September 2012

#### **Ruth Ellen (Supon) Shirley Daniels Vinson**

b. 22 October 1941, Waldron, Scott Co., AR – d. 21 November 2019, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, md **Marty Dale Vinson**, b. 7 October 1953, Carthage, Smith Co., TN – d. 14 May 2016, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **Garrett Sadler Vinson Jr.** (1932-1992) & **Martha Sue (Sullins) Vinson Minton** (1934-2009). Ruth (Supon) Daniels Vinson, d/o **Anton "Tony" Supon** (1900-1970) & **Hattie Perkins** (1903-1942). Anton "Tony" Supon is buried in Glen Eden Memorial Park, Livonia, Wayne Co., MI. **Marty Dale**

**Vinson** is buried in Smellage Memory Gardens, Boma, Putnam Co., TN. Ruth (Supon) Daniels Vinson also md on the 14<sup>th</sup> of May 1959, Sand Springs, Tulsa, OK to **Harold Beasley Daniels** (1931-1997), (SP2 US Army Korea), he is buried in West Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN. **Cordelia (Perkins) Shirley** (1900-1983) is buried in Bixby Cemetery, Bixby, Tulsa Co., OK. **Hattie (Perkins) Supon** and **Cordelia (Perkins) Shirley** are sisters, both daughters of **James Nelson Perkins** (1873-1960) & **Ritta Oliver** (1877-1961), both buried in State Line Cemetery, State Line, Fulton Co., AR.

**COOKEVILLE** — Funeral services for Ruth Daniels Vinson, 78, of Cookeville, Tennessee, were held at 11 a.m., Saturday, Nov. 23, at Presley Funeral Home in Cookeville. Interment followed in West Cemetery in the Fairview community.

Ruth passed away Thursday, Nov. 21, 2019, in Bethesda Health Care and Rehabilitation Center in Cookeville.



She was born Wednesday, Oct. 22, 1941, in Waldron, Arkansas, to her late **biological parents, Anton Supon and Hattie Perkins Supon.**

Ruth never met a stranger. She will long be remembered as a loving mother and grandmother. She liked to read.

She is survived by a son, Kenny (Donia) Daniels of Baxter; three daughters, Lynn (David) Littrell of Cookeville, Lisa (Nicholas) Alsop of Dallas, Texas and Kathy (Scott) Lucius of Cookeville; six grandsons; three granddaughters; and 10 great grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her beloved Mama, **Cordelia Shirley**; husbands, **Harold Daniels**, (married for 39 years), and **Marty Vinson**; three brothers and three sisters.

Pallbearers were Levi Daniels, Joshua Daniels, Nathaneal Daniels, John Bonney, T.J. Allen and Jarrod Saylor.

Pastor Ed Shaver officiated at the services.

You may share your thoughts or send condolences to the family by visiting [www.presleyfuneralhome.com](http://www.presleyfuneralhome.com).

Professional services provided by Presley Funeral Home in Cookeville, 528-1044.

Herald-Citizen, Cookeville, TN: 24 November 2019

**James Monroe Waldie Jr. Obt.**

b. 18 January 1969, Cookeville, TN – d. 21 September 2000, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN, s/o **James Monroe Waldie Sr. & Frances Gentry Nunley.**

**COOKEVILLE** -- Funeral services for James Monroe Waldie Jr., 31, of Nashville, were held at 2 p.m. today, Fri., Sept. 22, from the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Burial was in West Cemetery in Putnam County.

Mr. Waldie died on Thurs., Sept. 21, 2000, at the home of his parents in Cookeville.

He was born on Jan. 18, 1969, in Cookeville to James Monroe Waldie Sr. and Frances Gentry Nunley. Mr. Waldie served in the Marines as Honorary Color Guard at the White House during the Reagan years. He returned to Cookeville in 1989 to attend TTU and received his degree in business in 1995. He worked with Star Struck Enterprises (Reba McEntire) until becoming executive director of Technology and Systems Support for the State of Tennessee, Department of Education. Mr. Waldie was a member of the Methodist faith.

His family includes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve M. Nunley, and James Monroe Waldie Sr., all of Cookeville; a brother, Mitch Nunley of Cookeville; a sister, Tracey Gentry of Cookeville; his maternal grandmother, Dorothy Gentry of Cookeville; aunts and uncles, Richard and Drew Gentry of Cookeville, Levi and Reba Waldie, and Ella Mae Minnear; cousins, Brent Gentry and Rachel Lowhorn, both of Cookeville, Magdalene Durden, Lisa Houston, Charlie Minnear, Barbara Gillian, and Junior Minnear; a very special friend, Nicole Williams of Knoxville; and dear friends, Debra Davis and Chad Luttrell.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, Benton Gentry; and his paternal grandparents, William and Edith Waldie.

Pallbearers were Craig and Chad Luttrell, Clane Maples, Brent Gentry, Chip Woodiel and Mark Mabrey.

Donations may be made to a scholarship fund in his honor, Treasurer, State of Tennessee, Tennessee Dept. of Education, Attn: Chad Luttrell or Debra Davis, 710 James Robertson Pkwy., 7th Floor, Nashville, Tenn. 37243; or Cure for Lymphoma Foundation, 215 Lexington Ave., New York, N.Y.; or West Cemetery Assoc., c/o Joe Lee Webb, 280 E. 7th St., Cookeville.

Rev. Harry Green and Pastor Mark Gaw officiated at the services.

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**Birdie Webb**

b. 6 January 1905 – d. 18 April 1917.

**Boyd Clifford Webb Obt.**

b. 3 November 1921 – d. 14 January 2011, md on the 5<sup>th</sup> of July 1941 to **Lida B. (Hix) Webb**, b. 10 November 1918 – d. 10 January 1984, Dayton, OH, s/o **Monroe J. Webb** (1900-1979) & **Mattie D. Ray** (1902-1981).

\*See Lida B. (Hix) Webb Obt.

**DAYTON, OHIO** - Funeral services for Mrs. Lida B. Hix Webb, 65, of Dayton, Ohio, were held today at 1 p.m., at the chapel of Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home, with Rev. Ronald L. Coleman and Rev. Andrew Albert officiating. Burial will be in the West Cemetery. Mrs. Webb died Tues., Jan. 10, 1984, in Dayton, OH after an extended illness. Her family includes her husband of 42 ½ years, Boyd C. Webb; two sons and daughters-in-law, Sonny C. and Janie L. Webb and James L. and Nancy L. Webb, all of West Carrollton, OH; her father, Daniel Hix of Dayton; her sister, Christine Hix of Dayton; five grandchildren, Jeffery, Stacey, Marc, Stephanie, and Michael Webb.

**Dora Webb**

b. 12 December 1880 – d. 9 February 1937, d/o **Steven Decalb Webb** (1851-1922) & **Samantha Loftis** (1851-1923).

**Henry Harrison Webb**

b. 6 September 1891, Jackson Co., TN – d. 17 March 1975, Putnam Co., TN, md **Mary Ogie (Dillion) Webb**, b. 4 May 1897 – d. 4 December 1973. Henry Harrison Webb, s/o **Steven Decalb Webb** (1851-1922) & **Samantha Loftis** (1851-1923). Children: Walter Clarence Webb (1914-1989) & Mattie Mae Webb (1922-2008).

**James Martin Webb Obt.**

b. 3 June 1886, Jackson Co., TN – d. 23 September 1982, TN, md on the 14<sup>th</sup> of February 1910 to **Ocie Jane (Peek) Webb**, b. 29 March 1887 Jackson Co., TN – d. 6 March 1962, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **John Lane Peek** (1850-1930) & **Nancy Elizabeth Armstrong** (1849-1911). James Martin Webb also md on the 20<sup>th</sup> of April 1963 to **Adell B. (Gentry) Bray** (1913-1987), she is buried in Gentry Cemetery, Putnam Co.,

TN. James Martin Webb, s/o **Steven Decalb Webb** (1851-1922) & **Samantha Loftis** (1851-1923). Children: John Howard Webb (1911-1996) & Thomas Dawson Webb (1915-1984).

\*See Adell B. (Gentry) Webb buried in Gentry Cemetery.

\*See Thomas Dawson Webb Obt.

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 176 – James Martin Webb married 20 April 1963, Putnam Co., TN, age 76, b. 3 June 1886, address: Rt. 2, Cookeville, TN to Orpha A. Bray, age 49, b. 12 October 1913, address: Rt. 2, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Albert E. Gentry, brother, 9150 Telefare Ave., Sun Valley, CA).

Services for James Martin Webb, 96, were conducted from the Chapel of Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home Saturday, at 1 p.m. with the Rev. Andrew Albert officiating.

Mr. Webb, a resident of Route 2, Cookeville, died Thursday in a local hospital following an extended illness.

A native of Jackson County, TN he was the son of the late Steven D. and Samantha Loftis Webb and a retired farmer.

Survivors include his wife Mrs. Adel Gentry Webb; two sons, Dawson Webb and John Howard Webb of Cookeville; one daughter Mrs. Shirley (Elizabeth) Blaylock, Cookeville, on brother, Amos Webb, six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

James Martin Webb was born June 3, 1886 and died September 23 1982.

He married Osia Peek on February 14, 1910, to this union they had two boys, Howard and Dawson Webb of Cookeville, and one daughter Elizabeth Blaylock. Mrs. Webb preceded him in death.

On April 20, 1963 Mr. Webb married Adell Gentry Bray, who has taken care of him in sickness for over 8 years.

Burial was in West Cemetery.

#### **Joe Lee Webb Obt.**

b. 30 January 1928, Jackson Co., TN – d. 3 July 2005, Cookeville Putnam Co., TN, md on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of May 1947, Putnam Co., TN to **Polly “Lucille” (Burris) Webb**, b. 3 April 1928, Gainesboro, Jackson Co., TN – d. 31 August 2021, Sparta, White Co., TN, d/o **James Burris & Hattie Burris Holloway**. Joe Lee Webb, s/o **John Vandom Webb** (1893-1976) & **Alta Greene** (1900-1995).

\*See John Vandom Webb buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Polly “Lucille” (Burris) Webb Obt.

(**Source:** Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 95 – Joe Lee Webb married 2<sup>nd</sup> of May 1947, Putnam Co., TN, age 19, b. 30 January 1928, address: Rt. 3, Cookeville, TN to Lucille Polly Burris, age 19, b. 3 April 1928, address: Rt. 3, Cookeville, TN, Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: J. P. Burris, Rt. 3, Cookeville, TN).

**COOKEVILLE** – Funeral services for Joe Lee Webb, 77, of Cookeville, will be held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, July 6, in the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Burial will follow in West Cemetery in the Fairview Community.

The family will receive friends from 5-8 p.m. today, July 5, at the funeral home.

Mr. Webb died Sunday, July 3, 2005, at Cookeville Regional Medical Center.

He was born Jan. 30, 1928, in Jackson County to the late John V. and Alta Green Webb. Mr. Webb was a member of Dodson Branch Southern Baptist Church where he was a deacon, chairman of deacons and an adult Bible teacher. He was a realtor and a licensed auctioneer for many years.

His family includes his wife of 58 years, Lucille Webb of Cookeville; two sons and daughters-in-law, Mark and Kathy Webb and Richard and Mary Webb, all of Cookeville; two daughters and sons-in-law, Marylin and Dr. Harold Hunter of McMinnville and Diane and Johnny Carlile of Cookeville; a special sister-in-law, Louis Temple of Cookeville; a nephew, Roger, and son Luke Webb of Columbia; 11 grandchildren; 9 great-grandchildren; and a host of fiends.



In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by a brother Steve Webb, who was retired from the Tennessee Highway Patrol.

Pallbearers will be Jesse Kenne, Larry Minnear Jr., Wes Ragland, Wes Phillips, Mike Bowman Jr. and John Minnear. Honorary pallbearers will be Dr. Donald W. Grisham, Dr. George L. Ivey, Harlon Johnson and Mike Bowman Sr.

Memorial contributions may be made to the West Cemetery Fund.

Dr. Harold Hunter, the Rev. Braxton Hunter and the Rev. Jim Phillips will officiate the services.

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#### **John Howard Webb**

b. 25 November 1911 – d. 16 March 1996, md on the 13<sup>th</sup> of December 1936 to **Maudie Millo (Crabtree) Webb**, b. 23 November 1909 – d. 23 January 1994. John Howard Webb, s/o **James Martin Webb** (1886-1982) & **Ocie Jane Peek** (1887-1962).

\*See Lela Marie (Webb) Cowan Obt. buried in Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 244 - Howard Webb married 15 December 1936, Putnam Co., TN, age 25, address: Rt. 5, Cookeville, TN to Millo Crabtree, age 27, address: Rt. 2, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Luther Crabtree, Rt. 5, Cookeville, TN).

#### **John Vandom Webb**

b. 24 May 1893 – d. 5 November 1976, (Pvt. US Army WWI), md on the 4<sup>th</sup> of April 1926, Overton Co., TN to **Alta (Greene) Webb**, b. 10 May 1900 – d. 11 December 1995, d/o **Richard Green** (1875-1966) & **Mary Alice Fleming** (1879-1961), both buried in Smiths Chapel Cemetery, Bangham Putnam Co., TN. John Vandom Webb, s/o **Steven Decalb Webb** (1851-1922) & **Samantha Loftis** (1851-1923).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 493 – John V. Webb married 4 April 1926, Overton Co., TN to Alta Green).

#### **Johnnie Leroy Webb Obt.**

b. 15 September 1937, Putnam Co., TN – d. 24 July 2014, Overton Co., TN, s/o **John Howard Webb & Milo Crabtree**.

Funeral services for Johnnie LeRoy Webb, 76, of Cookeville will be held Sunday, July 27 at 2pm in the chapel of Presley Funeral Home with burial to follow in West Cemetery in the Fairview Community.

The family will receive friends Saturday 6pm to 9pm and Sunday 12 noon until time of services at the funeral home.

Mr. Webb passed away Thursday, July 24, 2014 at Overton County Nursing Home.

He was born September 15, 1937 in Putnam County to the late John Howard and Millo Crabtree Webb.

Johnnie served in the U.S. Navy for 31 years. He was a veteran of the Korean and Vietnam Wars.

He is survived by one son and daughter-in-law, Anthony and Kimberly Elrod Webb of Cookeville; granddaughters, Felicia Webb and Katelyn Webb-Larson and husband Joshua, special granddaughter Britney Lackey; sister, Marie Cowan and husband Billy; two nieces, Brenda Cowan Miller and husband Dale and Jennifer Cowan Henderson and husband David; one great niece, two great nephews and a host of friends.

Family and friends will serve as pallbearers.

**Lida B. (Hix) Webb Obt.**

b. 10 November 1918 – d. 10 January 1984, Dayton, OH, md on the 5<sup>th</sup> of July 1941 to **Boyd Clifford Webb**, b. 3 November 1921 – d. 14 January 2011, s/o Monroe J. Webb (1900-1979) & Mattie D. Ray (1902-1981).

\*See Boyd Clifford Webb Obt.

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Her family includes her husband of 42 ½ years, Boyd C. Webb; two sons and daughters-in-law, Sonny C. and Janie L. Webb and James L. and Nancy L. Webb, all of West Carrollton, OH; her father, Daniel Hix of Dayton; her sister, Christine Hix of Dayton; five grandchildren, Jeffery, Stacey, marc, Stephanie, and Michael Webb.

Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

**Mattie D. (Ray) Webb Obt.**

b. 9 April 1902, Putnam Co., TN - d. 17 February 1981, Dyaton, OH, md to **Monroe J. Webb**, b. 20 June 1900 – d. 27 May 1979. Mattie D. (Ray) Webb, d/o **Monroe Ray & Dezzie Steward**.

**DAYTON, OHIO** - Funeral services for Mattie D. Webb, 78, will be held at 1 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 20, in the chapel of Whitson Funeral Home with Bro. Daily McCowan officiating and burial following in the West Cemetery.

Mrs. Webb, a native of former resident of Cookeville, Rt. 3, and a member of the Dodson Branch Freewill Baptist Church, died Tuesday, Feb. 17, in the Miami Valley Hospital in Dayton.

She was the wife of the late Webb, and the daughter of the late Monroe and Dezzie Steward Ray. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include two sons, Boyd Webb and Daina Webb, both of Dayton, OH; two daughters, Estelle Gentry and Doris Jean Hawkins, both of Dayton; two sisters, Mrs. Ruby Shepherd of Eaton, OH, and Mrs. Ila Murphy of Cookeville; eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Whitson Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Herald Citizen Newspaper, Cookeville, TN: 19 February 1981.

**Monroe J. Webb**

b. 20 June 1900 – d. 27 May 1979, md on the 5<sup>th</sup> of October 1919 to **Mattie D. (Ray) Webb**, b. 9 April 1902 – d. 17 February 1981. Monroe J. Webb, s/o **William Webb & Parsetta Roberts** (1863-1936). Child: Thurman Lee Webb (1902-1981).

\*See Parsetta (Roberts) Webb buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Thurman Lee Webb Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 532, #2104– Monroe Webb married 5 October 1919, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Mattie Ray).

**Parsetta (Roberts) Webb**

b. 14 January 1863 – d. 24 August 1936, d/o **George Washington “Wash” Roberts** (1834-1930) & **Nancy Ann Greenwood** (1846-1928).

\*See Monroe J. Webb buried in West Cemetery.

**Polly “Lucille” (Burris) Webb Obt.**

b. 3 April 1928, Gainesboro, Jackson Co., TN – d. 31 August 2021, Sparta, White Co., TN, md on the 2<sup>nd</sup> of May 1947, Putnam Co., TN to **Joe Lee Webb**, b. 30 January 1928, Jackson Co., TN – d. 3 July 2005, Cookeville Putnam Co., TN, s/o **John Vandom Webb** (1893-1976) & **Alta Greene** (1900-1995). Polly “Lucille” (Burris) Webb, d/o **James Burris & Hattie Burris Holloway**

\*See Joe Lee Webb Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 95 – Joe Lee Webb married 2<sup>nd</sup> of May 1947, Putnam Co., TN, age 19, b. 30 January 1928, address: Rt. 3, Cookeville, TN to Lucille Polly Burris, age 19, b. 3 April 1928, address: Rt. 3, Cookeville, TN, Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: J. P. Burris, Rt. 3, Cookeville, TN).

Polly "Lucille" Webb, 93 of Cookeville, Tennessee passed away on Tuesday, August 31, 2021, at Life Care Center of Sparta, surrounded by her family.

Born Tuesday, April 3, 1928 in Gainesboro, Tennessee, she was the daughter of the late James Burris and the late Hattie Burris Holloway.

Lucille "Doll" was a Christian and Godly woman. Her family was her life. She worked as a teacher's assistant, dental assistant, and sales person at the Cookeville Drug Store.

She was a homemaker and excellent cook. A real Southern Belle, she believed in hospitality. She enjoyed preparing foods and entertaining guests, especially visiting preachers, in her home.

Surviving are

2 daughters,

Marilyn (Harold) Hunter of Newburgh, IN

Diane (Johnny) Carlile of Cookeville

Mark (Kathy) Webb of Cookeville

Richard (Mary) Webb of Cookeville

9 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren

A graveside service will be at 11:00 AM on Thursday September 2, 2021 at West Cemetery (in Fairview) located at 8901 Fairview Rd Cookeville, Tennessee 38501 with the Dr. Harold Hunter officiating.

Interment will follow.

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**Robert Archibald Webb**

b. 24 May 1883 – d. 11 August 1926, md **Pearlie Helen (Mayberry) Webb**, b. 27 March 1887 – d. 29 December 1907, d/o **William Henderson Maberry** (1851-1925) & **Samantha Gentry** (1855-1935). Robert Archibald Webb, s/o **Steven Decalb Webb** (1851-1922) & **Samantha Loftis** (1851-1923). Robert Archibald Webb was also md to **Mary Louvina “Vina” Webb (Gentry) Gentry**, d/o **James Joshua Gentry** (1862-1935) & **Lizzie Hensley** (1860-1941). Mary is buried in Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN, she md also to **Robert Archibald Webb** (1883-1926).

**Steven DeCalb Webb**

b. 30 November 1851 – d. 22 May 1922, md **Samantha (Loftis) Webb**, b. 14 July 1851 – d. 2 May 1923, d/o **Archibald Loftis & Elizabeth Phillips**. Steven DeCalb Webb, s/o **Robert Burton Webb** (1823-1868) & **Martha Genette Ray** (1829-1855). Children: Dora Webb (1880-1937), Robert Archibald Webb (1883-1926), James Martin Webb (1886-1982), Emma Irene (Webb) Loftis (1888-1968), Henry Harrison Webb (1891-1975), John Vandom Webb (1893-1976), Amos Chesley Webb (1895-1987) & Vallie Leona (Webb) King (1904-1992).

**Thomas Dawson Webb Obt.**

b. 2 November 1915, Putnam Co., TN – d. 25 May 1954, Nashville, Davidson Co., TN, md **Reba (Abston) Webb**, b. 24 May 1936. Thomas Dawson Webb, s/o **James “Jim” Martin Webb** (1886-1982) & **Ocia Jane Peek** (1887-1962).

\*See James Martin Webb buried in West Cemetery

Funeral services for Thomas Dawson Webb, 68, of Cookeville will be held Sunday, May 27, 1984 at 2:00 p.m. from the chapel of Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home, with Rev. Carlos Walker and Rev. Andrew Albert officiating. Interment will be in the West Cemetery.

Mr. Webb died Friday, May 25, at Parkview Hospital in Nashville.

A native of Putnam County, he was the son of the late Jim and Ocia Peek Webb. He was a farmer.

Survivors include his wife, Reba Abston Webb; two sons, Mark and Tommy Webb, both of Cookeville; one daughter, Joy Wright of Cookeville; one sister, Elizabeth Blaylock of Cookeville; and two grandchildren, Scott Adam Webb and Natash Lee Ann Webb of Cookeville.

The family will receive friends after 1:00 p.m. Saturday at Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home.

Hooper & Huddleston Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

**Thurman Lee Webb Obt.**

b. 28 August 1920 – d. 5 June 1943, NC, (TEC 5 US Army WWII), s/o **Monroe J. Webb** (1900-1979) & **Mattie D. Ray** (1902-1981).

\*See Monroe J. Webb buried in West Cemetery.

Thurman Lee Webb Dies In Camp Davis, NC:

Thurman Lee Webb, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Webb, of the Dodson Branch Community, Ninth Civil District, died at Camp Davis, NC, Friday from over heat, according to information received by his parents.

The body arrived from Camp Davis Monday night accompanied by military escort, and was taken to his parents' home at Dodsons Branch. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the Dodson Branch Baptist Church of which he was a member. Burial was in West Cemetery.

Cpl Webb was recently transferred from a military camp in MA where he had been stationed for several months doing office work, and had entered the Officers Training School at Camp Davis where he had just started his preliminary training preparatory to becoming a commissioned officer in the Army.

Previous to being inducted into the Army Cpl Webb was employed by the Dayton Union Railroad Company, Dayton, OH as ticket clerk and general assistant in the office which position he had held for several months after working his way from the bottom. Besides his office work with the railroad he was a junior science student at the University of Dayton and was majoring in mathematics and taking physics. He was considered an exceptional student by the dean of the University.



Cpl Webb graduated from the Jackson County High School in the spring of 1940 as valedictorian of his class. He ranked high as a student throughout his high school years, and was held in the highest esteem by the members of the high school faculty and the entire student body. He attended Tennessee Polytechnic Institute, Cookeville during 1940-41 where he made an exceptional record as a student, and won a scholarship to the University of Dayton, Dayton, OH.

Cpl Webb was inducted in the Army at Fort Oglethorpe, GA, December 16, 1942 and received his training in eastern camps. He registered February 16, 1942 and physically examined at Dayton, OH, October 30, 1942 and was placed in A1 by the board November 4, 1942.

He is survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Webb, two brothers and one sister.

Jackson County Sentinel, TN: 10 June 1943

#### **Alman West**

b. 2 February 1856 – d. 6 July 1902, md on the 31<sup>st</sup> of October 1878, Jackson Co., TN to **Perlina (Loftis) West**, b. 1 November 1868 – d. 14 February 1949, d/o **Laborn S. Loftis Jr. & Mary P. Morgan**. Alman West, s/o **William Carroll West** (1823-1905) & **Elizabeth P. Peek** (1826-1905).

\*See Rosa Nell (West) Mabrey Obt. buried in Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

\*See William Carroll West Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 255 – Almon West married 31 October 1878, Jackson Co., TN to Perlina Loftis).

#### **Carlos West**

b. 12 March 1915 – d. 9 December 1927.

#### **Effie West**

b. 28 January 1899 – d. 18 August 1908, d/o **William Carroll West** (1823-1905) & **Lou Verma Allen**.

#### **George Kelly West**

b. 5 October 1892 – d. 14 August 1986, md on the 24<sup>th</sup> of December 1911, Putnam Co., TN to **Bertha Cora (Bartlett) West**, b. 16 February 1894 – d. 20 November 1974, d/o **Joseph Perry Bartlett** (1869-1937) & **Sabrina J. Brina Mayberry** (1876-1930). George Kelly West, s/o **Alman West** (1856-1902) & **Perlina Loftis** (1858-1949).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 83 #327: Mr. Kelley West married 24 December 1911, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Cora B. Bartlett).

#### **James Knox Polk West**

b. 2 July 1849, TN – d. 18 November 1917, TN, md **Millie Jane (High) Thrasher West**, b. 8 March 1854 – d. 8 November 1926, d/o **William High** (1827-1862) & **Leanna Jane Mace** (1836-1912). James Knox Polk West, s/o **William Carroll West** (1823-1905) & **Elizabeth Peek** (1826-1905).

\*See William Carroll West Obt.

#### **James Andrew West**

b. 8 February 1882 – d. 14 November 1963, md on the 8<sup>th</sup> of April 1903, Putnam Co., TN to **Mary Frances (Smith) West**, b. 1 September 1885 – d. 3 September 1944. James Andrew West, s/o **James Knox Polk West** (1849-1917) & **Millie Jane High** (1854-1926).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 170, pg. 129 – Andy West married 8 April 1903, Putnam Co., TN to Miss Mary Smith).

#### **Joseph Dewey West**

b. 29 October 1899, Jackson Co., TN – d. 8 January 1996, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 12<sup>th</sup> of May 1918, Putnam Co., TN to **Dora Edna (Barnes) West**, b. 2 February 1902 – d. 3 June 1962, d/o **Jesse Barnes & Lou E. Fleming**. Dewey West, s/o **Almon Alvin West** (1856-1902) & **Perlina Loftis** (1858-1962).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 432, #1722– Dewey West married 12 May 1918, Putnam Co., TN to Edna Barnes).

#### **William Carroll West**

b. 12 August 1823, TN – d. 23 January 1905, Putnam Co., TN, md **Elizabeth (Peek) West**, b. 18 June 1826, TN – d. 6 September 1905, TN. William Carroll West, s/o **Isaac West** (1790- 1836) & **Magdalena Mary Swallows** (1788-1863), both buried in Roaring River Cemetery, Livingston, Overton Co., TN.

\*See Perry Davis Bartlett buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Logan A. Johnson buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Landona (West) Loftis Obt.

\*See Alman West buried in West Cemetery.

\*See James Knox Polk West buried in West Cemetery.

WEST, W. C.: W. C. West was laid in the family graveyard Jan. 21, 1905. He was about 83 years old and will be badly missed about Burton. [Date 2/8/1905, Vol. III, No. 1, Page 4] (Pictured: William Carroll West).



William Carroll West was the Founder of the West Chapel Church and Cemetery located in the 15 Civil District, called "Little Putnam" of Putnam County, Tennessee. It is located off of Dodsons Branch Highway, 135. Go to White Hall Road and turn right on to Fairview Road then turn left go 2 miles and 4/10 and the West Chapel Church and Cemetery is on your right.

#### **Della Jane (Gaw) Henley Warden Williams Obt.**

b. 21 November 1929, Putnam Co., TN – d. 22 July 2020, Cumberland Co., TN, md 1<sup>st</sup> **Howard Lee Warden** (1926-1963), divorced. She also md 2<sup>nd</sup> to **Clarence Henley** (1911-1978). She md 3<sup>rd</sup> on the 9<sup>th</sup> of April 1983, Putnam Co., TN to to **Walter Mahlon Williams**, b. 18 July 1931 – d. 27 January 2009, Rutherford Co., TN, (US Army, Korea), he is buried in Gordonsville Cemetery, Gordonsville, Smith Co., TN. Della Jane (Gaw) Henley Warden Williams, d/o **Edgar Benton "Edd" Gaw** (1896-1997) & **Willie Jewel Smith** (1907-1976), both buried in Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

\*See Howard Lee Warden buried in buried in Crest Lawn Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 289 – Walter Mahlon Williams married 9 April 1983, Putnam Co., TN, age 51, address: Rt. 10, Box 450, Cookeville, TN to Della Jane Henley, age 53, b. 21 November 1929, address: 247 Quinland Lake, Rd. Algood, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Charles Henley, son, 247 Quinland Lake, Rd. Algood, TN ).

Services for Della Jane Williams, age 90 of Monterey, Tennessee, will be held on Monday from the Chapel of Whitson Funeral Home. Bro. Ronald Allen will officiate the service and Family and friends will serve as Pallbearers. The interment will follow at the West Cemetery ( Fairview ).Della Jane Williams was born on November 21, 1929 in Putnam County, Tennessee, to the late Edd and Willie Gaw and passed away on July 22, 2020 in Cumberland County surrounded by loved ones.



In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by: 2 Sisters, Ester White and Lou Nelson and 2 brothers, Jay Gaw and Tom Gaw, 1st husband, Howard Warden, 2nd Husband, Clarence Henley and 3rd Husband Walter Williams. Her family includes,5 Sons: Danny (Betty) Warden, Robert (Debbie) Henley, Bruce Henley, Ralph (Rebecca) Henley and Charles (Martha) Henley.1 Step Son: Jimmy Henley 2 Brothers: Carl Gaw and Benton Gaw 2 Sisters: Barbara Allen and Janice Henley8 Grandchildren: Amy Warren, Tisha Sanker, Brandon Henley, Alisha Serwan, Tiffany Henley, Josh Henley, Brittany Henley and Matt Henley, 9 Great Grand Children and 2 Great Great Grandchildren.

Whitson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

**Alexander "Alex" Yander Wilmoth**

b. 28 February 1899, Pverton Co., TN – d. 28 August 1958, Putnam Co., TN, md on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of October 1920, Overton Co., TN to **Verona (Bartlett) Wilmoth**, b. 8 January 1907 – d. 8 November 1986, Putnam Co., TN, d/o **Grover Cleveland Bartlett** (1887-1956) & **Martha Jane Rector** (1891-1971). Alex Yander Wilmoth, s/o **John Thomas Wilmoth** (1869-1932) & **Arabella Cherry** (1872-1935), both buried in the Wilmoth Cemetery, Overton Co., TN.

\*See Grover Cleveland "Cleave" Bartlett buried in West Cemetery.

\*See John Scott Cumby buried in Phillips Cemetery.

\*See Arnold Ray Wilmoth buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Overton Co., TN, pg. 280 – Alex Wilmoth married 3 October 1920 to Verona Bartlett).

**Arnold Ray Wilmoth**

b. 12 December 1939, Overton Co., TN – d. 9 September 2021, Overton Co., TN, md on the 27<sup>th</sup> of October 1959, Clay Co., TN to **Peggy Ruth (Davis) Wilmoth**, b. 9 September 1942 – d. 18 September 2022, Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN. Arnold Ray Wilmoth, s/o **Alexander "Alex" Yander Wilmoth** (1899-1958) & **Verona Barlett** (1907-1986).

\*See Alexander "Alex" Yander Wilmoth buried in West Cemetery.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Clay Co., TN, pg. 224 – Arnold Ray Wilmoth married 27 October 1959, Clay Co., TN, age 22, address: Algood, Putnam Co., TN to Peggy Ruth Davis, age 21, address: Cookeville, Putnam Co., TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Blank).

Mrs. . Peggy Wilmoth, age 80 of Cookeville died Sunday September 18, 2022 at her home.

Arrangements are pending.

**Kenneth Cleve Wilmoth**

b. 29 October 1929 – d. 19 April 2007, md on the 4<sup>th</sup> of November 1977, Putnam Co., TN to **Shelby Jean (Holloway) De LaCruz Wilmoth**, b. 14 January 1944. Kenneth Cleve Wimoth md also on the 18<sup>th</sup> of April 1987, Putnam Co., TN to **Patricia Ann (Haney) Wilmoth**, b. 24 March 1939.

\*See Mark Keith Wilmoth Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 279 – Kenneth Cleve Wilmoth married 4 November 1977, Putnam Co., TN, age 48, b. 29 October 1929, address: Rt. 10, Cookeville, TN to Shelby Jean DeLa Cruz, age 33, b. 14 January 1944, address: Rt. 4, Gainesboro, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Oplis Holloway, father, Rt. 4, Gainesboro, TN).

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 25 - Kenneth Cleve Wilmoth married 18 April 1987, Putnam Co., TN, age 57, b. 29 October 1929, address: Rt. 9, Box 361, Cookeville, TN to Patricia Ann Haney, age 48, b. 24 March 1939, address: Rt. 9, Box 361, Cookeville, TN. . Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Blank).

**Mark Keith Wilmoth Obt.**

b. 11 January 1958, Detroit, Wayne Co., MI – d. 12 November 2018, Livingston, Overton Co., TN, md on the 24<sup>th</sup> of November 1990, Putnam Co., TN to **Sandra Jean (Sapp) Wilmoth**, b. 19 January 1962, Madison, FL – d. 14 July 2018, Livingston, Overton Co., TN, d/o **Eugene Sapp & Lula Mae King**. Mark Keith Wilmoth, s/o **Kenneth Cleve Wilmoth** (1929-2007) & **Jo Ellen Warren**.

\*See Kenneth Cleve Wilmoth buried in West Cemetery.

\*See Sandra Jean (Sapp) Wilmoth Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 56 – Mark Keith Wilmoth, age 32, b. 11 January 1958, address: 336 W. Jackson, Cookeville, TN married 24 November 1990, Putnam Co., TN to Sara Jean Kelly, age 28, b. 19 January 1962, address; 336 W. Jackson, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Gail Garrison, sister, Rt. 4, Box 499, Cookeville, TN)

Funeral services for Mark Keith Wilmoth, age 60, of Rickman will be held Saturday, November 17th, 2018 at 11:00 am in the chapel of Presley Funeral Home with Pastors Bill Haney and Larry Keith officiating.

Interment will follow in West Cemetery in the Fairview Community.

The family will receive friends on Friday, November 16, 2018, 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM and Saturday, November 17, 2018, 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM at Presley Funeral Home.

Mark passed away Monday, November 12, 2018 at his home in Rickman, Tennessee.

He was born Saturday, January 11, 1958 in Detroit, Michigan to Jo Ellen Warren and the late Kenneth Wilmoth.

Mark worked in construction for over forty years installing windows, siding and general carpentry.

In addition to his father, he was preceded in death by: his wife Sandra Wilmoth; daughter, Tonya Kelly; sister, Cynthia Dwyer; niece, Amy Miller.

He is survived by: his mother, Jo Ellen Williams, of Dayton, Ohio; three daughters, Jaclyn (Tony) McCloud of Cookeville, Racquel (Josh) Eich of Cookeville, and Mariah Wilmoth of Rickman, Tennessee; six grandchildren, Dylan Penley, Amara Penley, Marcus Penley, Haven Hix, Parker Williams, and Bo Daniel Eich; three sisters, Linda (Dan) Lawson of Texas, Debra Lawrence of Indiana, and Lori Ree of Arkansas; six brothers, Jim Allen of Arizona, Michael Allen of Washington, D.C., Timothy (Nancy) Wilmoth of Tennessee, Terry Allen of Dayton, Ohio, James (JoAnn) Haney of Tennessee, and Edward Haney of Tennessee; many nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be family and friends.

**Sandra Jean (Sapp) Wilmoth Obt.**

b. 19 January 1962, Madison, FL – d. 14 July 2018, Livingston, Overton Co., TN, md on the 24<sup>th</sup> of November 1990, Putnam Co., TN to **Mark Keith Wilmoth**, b. 11 January 1958, Detroit, Wayne Co., MI – d. 12 November 2018, Livingston, Overton Co., TN, s/o **Kenneth Cleve Wilmoth** (1929-2007 ) & **Jo Ellen Warren**. Sandra Jean (Sapp) Wilmoth, d/o **Eugene Sapp & Lula Mae King**.

\*See Mark Keith Wilmoth Obt.

(Source: Tennessee State Marriage record, Putnam Co., TN, pg. 56 – Mark Keith Wilmoth, age 32, b. 11 January 1958, address: 336 W. Jackson, Cookeville, TN married 24 November 1990, Putnam Co., TN to Sara Jean Kelly, age 28, b. 19 January 1962, address; 336 W. Jackson, Cookeville, TN. Name of parent, guardian or next of kin of female: Gail Garrison, sister, Rt. 4, Box 499, Cookeville, TN)

A Celebration of Life for Sandra Jean Wilmoth, age 56 of Livingston, TN, will be held on Saturday, July 21, 2018 at 2:00PM from the Chapel of Whitson Funeral Home with Pastor Larry Keith officiating. Burial will follow at West Cemetery in the Fairview Community. Visitation will be held on Saturday from 11:00AM till time of service at Whitson Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wilmoth passed away on Saturday, July 14, 2018 at her residence with her family by her side. Sandra Jean Wilmoth was born on January 19, 1962 in Madison, Florida to the late Eugene and Lula Mae (King) Sapp.

She worked in Factory work most of her life and Pet Grooming. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a Daughter: Tonya Telisa Kelly.

Her Survivors Include:

Husband: Mark Wilmoth

Daughters: Mariah Wilmoth , Racquel (Josh) Eich, & Jaclyn (Tony) McCloud

Sisters: Gail Pecor, Debbie (Ken) Booth, Cynthia (Robert) Keffer, Ginger (Mike) Clouse

Brothers: Allen (Trish) Wells, Timmy (Sheila) Wells, Wilbur (Lisa) Oswald

Step-Mother: Jewell Sapp

Step-Father: Spencer Peterson

Grandchildren: Dylan Penley, Amara Penley, Marcus Penley, Haven Hix, Parker Williams, Bo Eich

Tons of Nieces & Nephews

Pallbearers will be Family & Friends

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Dog Father Rescue.

\*See more cemeteries in Putnam Co., TN at: <http://www.ajlambert.com>