

## obituaries

### WALTER FRONTCAK

Memorial services will be held May 2 for Mr. Frontczak in the First Presbyterian Church, 26165 Farmington Road, Farmington Hills.

### CLARENCE L. CARMICHAEL

Mr. Carmichael, 80, of Redford died April 9 in Redford Community Hospital.

Born in Tennessee, Mr. Carmichael retired in 1972 from Evans Products.

Survivors include his wife, Cora; son, Sonny; daughters, Betty Heath, Helen Rooney, Fran Trzaskos and Stella Drew; 12 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services were April 13 at the RG & GR Harris Funeral Home, Livonia, with the Rev. Dr. James Tuttle of Clarenceville Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in Parkview Cemetery, Livonia.

### FRED JOHNSON

Mr. Johnson, 82, of Southfield died April 19 in Bedford Villa Nursing Center, Southfield.

Born in Illinois, Mr. Johnson was a bank security guard. He was a life member of Rubicon Lodge 495 F&AM Grand Lodge of Free Masons of Michigan.

Survivors include his sister, Mary Edna Landry; several nieces and nephews.

Services were April 24 at the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. John Angle officiating. Burial was in Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia.

Memorials may be made to charity of choice.

### HOLLIS B. MACKINDER

Mr. Mackinder, 74, of Novi died April 16 in St. Joseph Hospital, Ann Arbor.

Born in Pinckney, Mich., Mr. Mackinder was a retired postal employee. He was a member of M.E.N.S.A. Society.

Survivors include his wife, Marilyn; son, Frederick; daughters, Judy Sarna and Peggy Jenkins; sisters, Edna Mackinder and Alice Thibault; brothers, Harold and Philip; six grandchildren.

Services were April 18 at the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. Michael A. Heady of the First Church of God officiating. Burial was in Roseland Park Cemetery, Royal Oak.

Memorials may be made to the Michigan Heart Association.

### WILLIAM PRICHARD

Mr. Prichard, 55, of Walled Lake died April 17 in Huron Valley Hospital.

Born in Flint, Mr. Prichard was a branch office manager for an appliance company.

Survivors include his wife, Sharon; sons, William Thomas and John Charles; a daughter, Debra Ann; mother, Aileen Prichard; brothers, James, David and Dennis.

Services were April 21 at the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. James B. Wright of St. Alexander Catholic Church officiating. Cremation was in Evergreen Crematory, Detroit.

### PAUL M. NORMAN

Mr. Norman, 29, of Taylor died April 17.

Mr. Norman was a retail sales manager.

Survivors include his parents, Donald and Elaine Norman; daughter, Heather; sister, Nancy; brother, Dale; and Connie Pearson.

Services were April 21 at the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. Bongren officiating. Cremation was in Evergreen Cemetery, Detroit.

### PELAYIA ELEFTERIO

Mrs. Elefterio, 91, of Westland died April 17 in Greenbriar Nursing Center.

Born in Turkey, Mrs. Elefterio was the owner of a restaurant.

Survivors include her sons, Nick Nickolson; a daughter, Ethel Howard; brother, Nick Nickolson; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services were April 21 at the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington. Mass was celebrated at the Nativity of the Virgin Mary Greek Orthodox Church with the Rev. James A. Doukas officiating. Burial was in Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia.

### DONALD O. STEINMAN

Mr. Steinman, 64, of Farmington died April 17 in Botsford Hospital, Farmington Hills.

Born in McKinley, Michigan, Mr. Steinman was a sheet metal mechanic. He was an Army veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his daughters, Pamela and Shelley Steinman; sister, Melva Harrison; brothers, Ralph and Jay.

Services were April 20 at the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. James E. Tuttle of Clarenceville United Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Livonia.

### JUDITH L. CAYLOR

Mrs. Caylor, 48, of Farmington Hills died April 19 in William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak.

Mrs. Caylor was a homemaker. Survivors include her husband, Howard; daughter, Leanne; mother, Lillian Gugas; grandmother, Ann Dauskas; sister, Carol Daniels.

Services were April 22 at the Charles R. Step Funeral Home, Redford, with the Rev. Terry A. Purvis-Smith officiating. Burial was in Woodmere Cemetery, Detroit.

### ELMER J. MARTILLA

Mr. Martilla, 84, of Farmington Hills died April 19 in Hickory Haven W. Nursing Home, Milford.

Born in Atlantic Mine, Michigan, Mr. Martilla was a retired fitter for the American Standard Co. He was a member of the Finnish Center in Farmington Hills.

Survivors include his sons, Clifford and Courtney; 10 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Cremation was in Evergreen Crematory, Detroit. Burial was in White Chapel Cemetery, Troy. Arrangements were made by the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington.

### FRANCES L. PARKYN

Mrs. Parkyn, 77, of Detroit died April 19 in Mt. Carmel Hospital, Detroit.

Born in Cornwell, England, Mrs. Parkyn was a homemaker.

Survivors include her sons, Warren and Gordon; a daughter, Susan Wajeh; eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services were April 23 at the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. Otto F. Hood of West Outer Drive United Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in Grand Lawn Cemetery, Detroit.

### MARY ANN BAEHR

Mrs. Baehr, 81, of Englewood, Florida, formerly of Farmington, died April 19 in Englewood Community Hospital.

Mrs. Baehr was a homemaker. Survivors include her daughter, Doris Graves; sisters, Elsie Balne, Sara Morrell and Lillian Murray; seven grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Services were April 23 at the Heene-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. T. Richard Marcell officiating. Burial was in Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia.

### MARGARET E. McMILLAN

Mrs. McMillan, 72, of Farmington Hills died April 19 in Botsford Hospital, Farmington Hills.

Mrs. McMillan was a homemaker. Survivors include her sons, Richard, James, Gary and Larry; daughters, Georgina Wilkinson, Sandra Holsting, Sharon Galloway and Linda Harvey; three sisters, 4 brothers; 29 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Services were April 22 at the Heene-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. Charles G. Schwartz officiating. Burial was in Parkview Cemetery, Livonia.

### LORRAINE E. ALBRECHT

Mrs. Albrecht, 75, of Livonia died April 19 in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Superior Township.

Born in Illinois, Mrs. Albrecht was a retired hostess for different country clubs.

Survivors include her son David; brother, Thomas Conroy; sisters, Rose Bryant, Helen McEvoy and Marie Smik; two grandchildren.

Services were April 23 at the Heene-Sundquist Funeral Home, Farmington. Mass was celebrated at St. Gerald's Catholic Church with the Rev. Gerald McEnhill officiating. Burial was in Acacia Park Cemetery, Birmingham.

### PAUL GANCIA

Mr. Gancia, 70, of Farmington Hills died April 15.

Mr. Gancia was an industrial engineer.

Survivors include his wife, Mary; daughters, Paulette Width, Linda Galleran and Candice Gancia; sister, Helen Bloom; three grandchildren.

Services were April 18 at the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. Ronald Leon officiating. Burial was in Oakland Hills Cemetery, Novi.

Memorials may be made to the Michigan Cancer Society.

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