

OBITUARIES

MELVIN F. CONSANI

Melvin Frank Consani, 74, of Farmington, died May 3 at St. Mary's Hospital in Livonia. Mr. Consani worked for Ford Motor Co. doing machine repair and for Thompson Products. He was a World War II Navy veteran and a member of the Florida Elks.

He is survived by wife, Donna; sons, Randall (Sandy) of Livonia and Gregory of Massachusetts; daughters, Sandra (Jack) Robinson of Farmington Hills and Gayle (Dennis) Saari of Hancock; three brothers; two sisters; and six grandchildren.

Private services were held. Arrangements made by Thayer-

Rock Funeral Home in Farmington.

Memorial contributions can be sent to the American Lung Association, 25555 Evergreen, Suite 375, Southfield 48075.

VIOLA A. SPENCER

Viola Ann Spencer, 79, of Farmington, died May 10, at Arbor Hospice in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Spencer worked as a cook for the Blue Lantern Restaurant for 16 years and was a member of Antioch Lutheran Church.

She is survived by son, Robert (Janet) of Linja, Ohio; daughter, Joyce (Robert) Schubert of Northville; brothers, John and Charles Jarvi; and sister, Helen

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Funeral services were held May 12 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Donald Kreiss officiating.

Memorial contributions can be sent to Arbor Hospice, 2366 Oak Valley Drive, Ann Arbor 48103.

BLANCHE E. THOMPSON

Blanche Elaine Thompson, 52, of Livonia, died May 9.

She is survived by husband, Stoner; daughters, Cynthia (Craig) Armbruster and Debra Thompson; sons, Rick (Elizabeth) and Charles; brother, Charles Adamson; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held

May 13 at Heenev-Sundquist Funeral Home in Farmington.

Memorial contributions can be sent to Angela Hospice in Livonia.

GRACE BLOYE

Grace Bloye, 86, of Farmington Hills, died May 9 in Royal Oak.

Mrs. Bloye was the original owner of Schroeter's Flowers in Farmington Hills.

She is survived by children, Donna (John) Thader, Fred (Doris) Bloye, John (Judy) Bloye and Linda (David) Mackay; 13 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held

May 12 at Liberty Baptist Church in Howell.

Memorial contributions can be sent to Liberty Baptist Church in Howell.

CAROLE L. HEMPEL

Carole Lee Hempel, 56, of Farmington Hills, died May 6 at Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills.

She is survived by daughters, Janette (Jim) Hart and Judy (Matt) Smith; and mother, Ena McLemore.

Funeral services were held May 11 at Heenev-Sundquist Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Jim Hinkle officiating.

Memorial contributions can be sent to the Salvation Army.

ANN E. CUTCHER

Ann Brozek Cutcher, 86, of Plymouth, died April 30, in Westland.

Mrs. Cutcher worked as a secretary for Speaker, Hines & Thomas, a printing service, for 30 years. She was a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plymouth and was active with St. Mary's of Orchard Lake. She was also past president of the Polish Women's Auxiliary.

She is survived by brother, Adam (Irene) Brozek; sister, Irene McGary; several nieces and nephews; and step-children, Gerald Cutcher, James Cutcher, Daniel Cutcher, and Marjorie Wielgosh.

Funeral services were held May 4 at Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plymouth with the Rev. John Orman officiating. Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home in Plymouth.

Memorial contributions can be sent to the Karmanos Cancer Institute or Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plymouth.

RUTH E. MURRAY

Ruth E. Murray, 74, of Farmington Hills, died May 9, at Botsford Hospital.

Mrs. Murray was a homemaker and a member of the Women's Guild at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church. She enjoyed sewing, playing piano and cooking.

She is survived by husband, John "Jack" children, Kay (Duncan) Thompson, James and John (Kris); and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held May 12 at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church. Arrangements made by McCabe Funeral Home in Farmington Hills.

Memorial contributions can be sent to Prince of Peace Lutheran Church.

FRANK R. HOLLIDAY

Frank R. Holliday, 77, of Birmingham, died May 10, at Botsford Hospital in Farmington Hills.

Mr. Holliday was an engineer with the Chrysler Corp. and a member of First Baptist Church of Birmingham. He was a charter member of Wheatly Rolling Acres Golf Club of Canada and a member of the Society of Automotive Engineers and the Society of Experimental Stress Analysis.

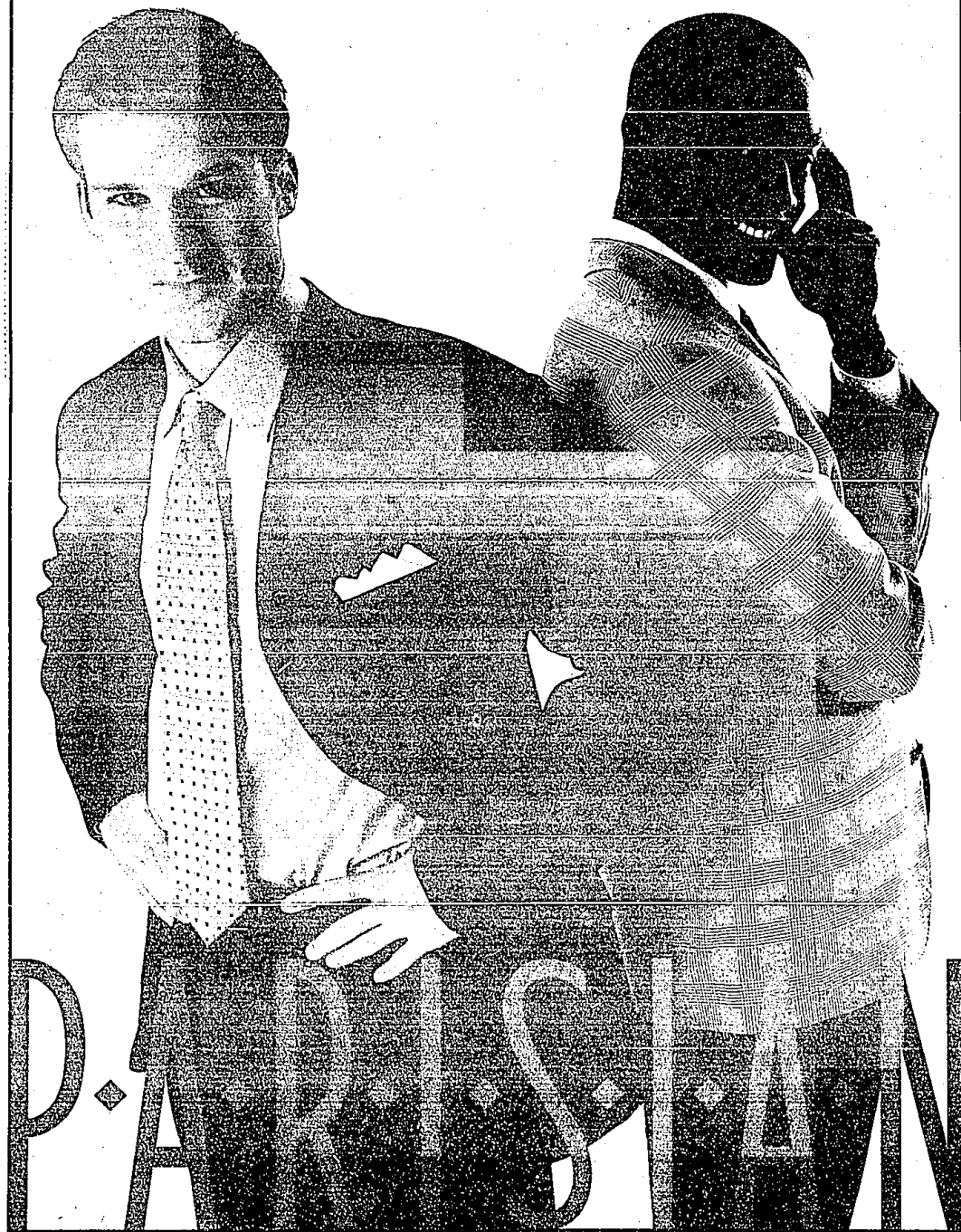
He is survived by wife, Enid; sons, Douglas, Donald (Leslie) and David (Lisa); grandchildren, Gracie, Chosun, Dara, Jonathan, Katherine and April.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. today, May 13, at First Baptist Church of Birmingham with the Rev. Dr. Stephen Jones officiating.

Memorial contributions can be sent to the First Baptist Church of Birmingham.

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YMCA HIGHLIGHTS**BEANIE BABY PARTY**

Grades K-3 can come and celebrate Beanie Babies with us from 7:30-10:15 p.m. Friday, May 21, at the Farmington YMCA. We will make a sleeping bag and pillow for your special friend and a Beanie Baby Olympia will be the highlight of the evening. There will also be a drawing for a new Beanie Baby.

MIDDLE SCHOOL LOCK-IN

Grades 6-8 only will enjoy a total use of the Farmington YMCA from 8 p.m. to midnight Saturday, May 15. Join your friends for mini tournaments, basketball, volleyball, swimming, use of the Youth Center and great food. Register at the YMCA.

LIFEGUARD CLASS

This class offers certification in professional CPR, first-aid and lifeguarding. Classes are from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. beginning Saturday, May 15, at the YMCA. The cost for the class includes book and certification cards. For information and registration call Heidi Jones at 553-1933.

MIDNIGHT BASKETBALL

Grades 8-10 can pick up basketball games at the Farmington YMCA. Members must present their membership cards.

APPOINTMENTS

An area resident was appointed to state boards and commissions by Gov. John Engler.

Shirley Mann Gray of West Bloomfield was appointed May 6 to replace Ernie Moore of Detroit on the Domestic Violence Prevention and Treatment Board for a term ending Sept. 30, 2001.