

**OBITUARIES**

**ALLAN R. HAMEL**  
 Services for Allan R. Hamel, 69, of Farmington Hills were held April 22 at McCabe Funeral Home in Farmington Hills.  
 Mr. Hamel was born in Appleton, Wis., and died April 18 in Farmington Hills. He worked in communications at General Motors.  
 He is survived by wife, Margaret; children, Linda (Rick) Poboick and Tim (Tammy) Hamel; and four grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his daughter, Nancy Scott.

**MARIAN SMAR**  
 Services for Marian Smar, 83, of Farmington Hills were held April 20 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington Hills with the Rev. Dr. Anthony De Orio officiating.  
 Mrs. Smar was born June 8, 1916, in Detroit and died April 17 in Farmington Hills. She was a bookkeeper for Sinai Hospital and Mount Carmel Hospital.  
 She is survived by sons, William, Jim and Michael; three grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband, Michael.  
 Memorial contributions may be made to the National World War II Memorial Fund: American Battle Monuments Division, P.O. Box 96074, Washington D.C. 20090-6074 Attn: JG1048.

**MARY BURGESS**  
 Services for Mary Burgess, 50, of Farmington, will be held at 11 a.m. today, April 27, at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Captain Nathan Johnson officiating.  
 Mrs. Burgess was born July 2, 1949 in Taylor and died April 21 in Farmington. She was a registered nurse.  
 She is survived by her fiancé Richard Palmer, daughter, Rachelle (John) Hicks; brother,

Raymond Drouillard; sister, Carolyn (Bill) Dean; and grandchildren, Jimmy and Cathy Hicks.  
**ANTHONY E. SANDERS**  
 Services for Anthony E. Sanders, 83, of Farmington Hills, will be held at 10 a.m. today, April 27, at St. Clare of Assisi Church in Farmington Hills with the Rev. Frederick Klettner officiating.  
 Mr. Sanders was born Feb. 11, 1917 in Detroit and died April 24 at Hospice Home of Farmington Hills. He worked as a sales representative for Strohs Brewing Company and was a member of D.A.V. No. 114. He was also a World War II Navy veteran.  
 He is survived by wife, Nancy; daughter, Sheri (Steve) Kress; and sister, Angeline Banach.  
 Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice Home, 16250 Northland Drive, Suite 212, Southfield 48076.  
 Arrangements made by Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington.

**JOHN E. RACEY**  
 Services for John Emmett Racey, 83, of Livonia, will be held at 9:30 a.m. today, April 27 at Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church in Farmington with the Monsignor, Walter Harley officiating. Burial will take place at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield.  
 Mr. Racey was born Nov. 23, 1916 in Highland Park and died April 24 at Angela Hospice.  
 He is survived by wife, Margaret; sons, John (Helene) Michael (Marilyn) and Timothy (Leslie); daughters, Mary Ellen (Keith) Kanuit and Ann (Dale) Chiara; and 16 grandchildren.  
 Memorial contributions may be made to Angela Hospice in Livonia.  
 Arrangements made by Heeney-Sundquist Funeral

Home in Farmington.  
**DONALD B. BAILEY**  
 Services for Donald B. Bailey, 77, of Farmington Hills, were held April 25 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Leo Tyler officiating. Burial took place at Mt. Hope Cemetery in Livonia.

Mr. Bailey was born Jan. 25, 1923 in Casa Grande, Ariz., and died April 20 at Botsford Hospital in Farmington Hills. He worked as a psychiatric social worker for the state of Michigan for over 35 years. He was active in many mental health care associations and was a World War II Army veteran.  
 He is survived by wife, Elizabeth; son, David; daughter, Nancy (Donald) Steaney; brother, Stuart (Aline); sister, Mary Elizabeth; and one grandchild. He is preceded in death by his brother Ronald.

**MARY K. PATTERSON**  
 Services for Mary Katherine Patterson, 76, of Farmington, were held April 25 at Heeney-Sundquist Funeral Home in Farmington with the Rev. Dale Hunter officiating.  
 Mrs. Patterson was born July 11, 1923 in Princeton, Ky., and died April 20 at Botsford Continuing Care Center in Farmington Hills.  
 She is survived by son, Randall (Janice) Patterson; grandson, Christopher (Jeanne) Patterson; and granddaughter, Melissa Patterson. She is preceded in death by her husband, Walter.

**APRIL M. SULLIVAN**  
 Services for April Michelle Sullivan, 3, of Farmington Hills, were held April 24 at R.G. & G.R. Harris Funeral Home in Livonia with the Rev. Robert Woodbeck officiating.  
 April was born May 1, 1996 and died April 21.  
 She is survived by parents, Michalls and James; brother, Gavin; and grandparents, Ernest Sullivan, Robert Elias and Grandma Rose.

**JAMES G. HORNEY**  
 Services for James George Horney, 57, of Farmington Hills, were held April 25 at St. Alexander Catholic Church in Farmington Hills with the Rev. James Wright officiating. Burial took place at White Chapel Cemetery in Troy.  
 Mr. Horney was born June 9, 1942 in Lower, Pa. and died April 22 at Genesys Health Park in Grand Blanc, Mich.  
 He is survived by his wife, Christine; sons Steven and Daryl; daughter, Sue Ann (Michael) Resnick; brothers, Barry (Sandy) and Hank (Kathy); mother, Henrietta; brother-in-law, Greg Czarnick; and granddaughter, Gabriella. He is preceded in death by his father George Horney.

**JANE L. WHITING**  
 Services for Jane L. Whiting, 82, will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 2 at Northrop-Saundersman Funeral Home in Northville with the Rev. W. Kent Clise officiating. Burial will take place at St. Peter's Cemetery in Smyrna, Del.  
 Mrs. Whiting was born Oct. 23, 1917 in Dayton, Ohio and died April 19 at Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills. She was an interior decorator and operated Whiting Interiors in Farmington for 20 years. She was a former member of the Farmington Branch of the American Association of University Women.  
 She is survived by daughter, Mary Putman; grandchild, Rachel Herr; and great-grandchildren, Sarah, Brooks, Julia and Gardiner Herr. She is preceded in death by her husband, Harold.  
 Memorial contributions may be made to the Detroit Institute of Arts.

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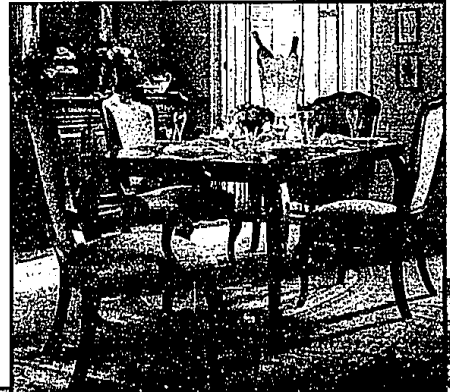
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