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William Loranza Culton

William Loranza Culton, 90, of McKee, passed away Saturday, September 16, 2017 at the Baptist Health Hospital in Richmond, KY.

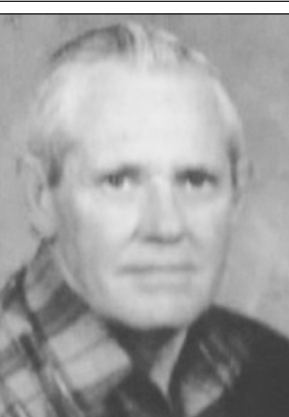
He was born in Jackson County, KY on January 8, 1927 to the late Joby & Maude Collins Culton.

He is survived by two loving sons, Johnnie W. Culton of McKee and Douglas M. Culton (Belinda) of Simpsonville, KY; by one loving daughter Ophelia "Opie" Culton of McKee, KY; two grandchildren, Johnathan Joel (Elizabeth) Culton of McKee, KY and Melissa Michelle Culton Campbell (Steven) of Richmond, KY; one step grandson, Logan Creech of McKee; three great grandchildren, Aidan Trey Campbell, Xavier Gage Campbell & Malijah Rose Campbell of Richmond.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by five brothers, Omer, Limuel, Clarence, Harold & Clifford Culton and one sister, Katherine Culton Oliver and one grandson, Douglas Shane Culton.

Services will be held at 2:00 PM on Tuesday, September 19, 2017 at Lakes Funeral Home with Bro. Eldon Browning, Bro. Ronnie Hurst and Bro. Donald Tillery officiating. Burial to follow in the Reynolds Cemetery in Tyner, KY. Pallbearers: Harold Edwards, Darrell Culton, Steven Campbell, Lemuel Oliver, Harold Wayne Oliver & Morris Hurst. Honorary pallbearers: Aaron Bennett, Johnathan Culton, Ralph Oliver Sr., Ralph Oliver Jr., Luther, Bobby, Randall, David, Donald, Gary, LeRoy & Levi Culton, Bobby and Lonnie Oliver, Kenny Smith, Logan Creech, Jerry Dunn, Jerry Ward, Arnold Moore & Jerry Dean.

Lakes Funeral Home was in charge arrangements.



Helen Lou Davenport Lawson

Helen Lou Davenport Lawson was born August 19, 1932 in Jackson County and departed this life Friday, September 15, 2017 at the Bluegrass Hospice Care in Lexington, being 85 years of age. She was the daughter of the late Stanley & Ethel (Johnson) Kerby.

Helen is survived three sons, Ernest Davenport and his wife Nancy, Steven Davenport and his wife Lisa and Kenneth Davenport and his wife Mary Ellen. She is also survived by a brother, Tommy Kerby and sister, Lydia (Glenn) Barton. Helen was blessed with eight grandchildren, Ernie (Darlene) Davenport, Scott Davenport, Ashley (Mike) Smith, Jason Davenport, Josh Davenport, Justin (Lina) Davenport, Matthew (Heather) Davenport and Amanda (Robert) Slone; by a host of great grandchildren and great great grandchildren and a host of nieces and nephews.

In addition to parents, Helen was also preceded in death by her first husband, Tip Davenport; by granddaughter, Shannon Strunk; by her siblings, Amos, John, Floyd, Vernon, Homer & Rosie Kerby, Faye Greene, & Christian Vaughn.

Helen was a member of the Sand Gap Christian Church. She enjoyed cooking and caring for her family. She also loved quilting and kitchens.

Service 2:00PM Wednesday, September 20, 2017 at Lakes Funeral Home with Bro. Wayne Carpenter and Bro. Gerald Maupin officiating. Burial to follow in the Combs Cemetery. Pallbearers were David Kerby, Matthew, Justin, Josh, Jason Davenport & Wayne Kerby. Honorary pallbearers were Ernie Davenport Jr. & Jesse Kerby.

Lakes Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.



James Spoonamore

James Spoonamore was born August 19, 2012 in London and departed this life Friday, September 8, 2017, at the age of 5.

He is survived by his mother, Jessica Nicole (Johnson) Spoonamore of McKee; by his birth father, Alex Morales of Florida; by his step father, Daddy David Durham of McKee. Other survivors include, his grandparents, Cynthia & Dan Wallace, Payton & Rosemary Simpson.

James was also preceded in death by a brother, Richard Lee Spoonamore and his grandfather Eddie Wayne Johnson also his great grandparents Ed and Mary Johnson.

Our loss is truly, Heaven's gain.

Service 1:00 PM Thursday, September 21, 2017 at Lakes Funeral Home with Bro. Mark Horn officiating. Burial to follow in the Pine Grove Cemetery. Pallbearers were David Durham, Payton Simpson, Eric Hampton, Elijah Lewis and Tommy Hampton. Honorary pallbearers were Donald Lee Durham Wendell Frye and Josh Spoonamore.

Lakes Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.



Diane Spurlock

Diane Spurlock, 56, of Asher, KY, died Friday at Mary Breckinridge A.R.H. Hospital in Hyden, Kentucky. She was the daughter of the late James and Helen Bowman Purvis. She was born February 08, 1961 in Dayton, Ohio.

Diane was preceded in death by her parents; siblings, Jimmy and Dennis Purvis, Ester Martina Lewis, and Jackie Brummett.

Survivors include, two sons, Eldon Turner and wife, Shirrie of Anville, Kentucky, and Rudy Spurlock of Asher, Kentucky; two brothers, Arnold Ray Purvis and wife, Betty of Sandgap, KY, and Kenneth Purvis and wife, Angie of Thousandsticks, Kentucky; two sisters, Sandra Purvis and husband, Delbert of Stinnett, Kentucky, and Roberta Rice and husband, Paul of Hyden, Kentucky; six beloved grandchildren, Kaleb Payne (grandson she raised), Jasmine Flannery, Andrea Finch, Erica Dolton, Braydon Spurlock, and Gavin Spurlock; great-grandchild, Cooper Flannery; a host of other relatives and friends also survive.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, September 26, 2017 in the chapel of Wolfe & Sons Funeral Home with Roscoe Asher and Jeffery Advoatts officiating. Burial will follow in the Lewis Cemetery at Thousandsticks, KY. The family will receive friends for visitation from 11:00 A.M. until the service hour at 2:00 P.M.

Wolfe & Sons Funeral Home in charge of Arrangements.

Please have all Obituaries and In Memorials in to our office by 12:00 on Tuesday.

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Behavioral Health Receives \$10 Million Grant to Integrate Care

The Cabinet for Health and Family Services (CHFS) has been awarded a federal grant to implement Kentucky Care Integration (KCI), a five-year, \$10 million project to promote the integration of primary care and behavioral health in two regions of the Commonwealth. Kentucky was one of three states chosen by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) to receive the Promoting Integration of Primary Behavioral Health Care (PIPBHC) grant.

The Kentucky Department of Behavioral Health, Developmental and Intellectual Disabilities (BHDID) will implement KCI with two service region providers - Centerstone of Kentucky and Mountain Comprehensive Care Center. These community health centers will work to integrate services while developing collaborative relationships with federally qualified health centers, Family Health Centers, HomePlace Clinics, and a variety of other community stakeholders and partners.

"The project presents a unique opportunity to improve health outcomes for Kentuckians with behavioral health and chronic health issues," said Dr. Allen Brenzel, M.D., medical director for BHDID. "Centerstone of Kentucky and Mountain Comprehensive Care Center are ideal partners because of their track record of collaborative community relationships and commitment to integrated treatment services."

KCI will integrate primary care and behavioral health via collaborative clinical practices, improved care models, and a comprehensive service continuum. KCI will have four focus populations for individuals with physical health conditions at risk of developing chronic health conditions, including adults with substance use disorders.

"Mountain Comprehensive Care Center is very excited to be part of this innovative effort to integrate primary and behavioral healthcare and improve the health outcomes by co-locating these services," said Promod Bishnoi, CEO of Mountain Comprehensive Care Center.

"Improving the health of our community members is a critical priority. We are particularly interested in developing a more effective approach to helping people struggling with drug addiction. In doing this work, Centerstone understands the important links between physical health, behavioral health and quality of life. This is a great opportunity to improve all three at the same time by addressing all three in the context of the same project," added Tony Zipple, Centerstone of Kentucky Chief Executive Officer.

Implementation of KCI will begin next month with the formation of local implementation teams and advisory councils.

"Improving health outcomes while maximizing efficient use of resources and reducing costs is a hallmark of our approach to improving healthcare for Kentuckians," said CHFS Secretary Vickie Yates Brown Glisson. "While we have been at the forefront of a devastating substance abuse crisis, we have also been at the forefront of developing innovative solutions. KCI is another tool that will help us establish integrated treatment systems that address the unique health needs of individuals who require treatment from both primary care and behavioral health providers."

KBC Presents Car to Blood Donor Clark County man drives home in new Highlander

Lexington – Harold Ballard, of Winchester, is the lucky winner of Kentucky Blood Center's Summer Lifesaver promotion, and he's now the proud owner of a new Toyota Highlander.

Ballard was camping at Fort Boonesborough State Park over Labor Day Weekend and donated at the blood drive at the campground. He'd heard about the need for blood after Hurricane Harvey, and he wanted to help. His blood donation not only saved a life, but ended up being the winning entry in the blood center's summer grand prize drawing.

Anyone who registered to give blood with Kentucky Blood Center (KBC) June 1 through Sept. 8 was automatically entered into the drawing, which consisted of more than 24,000 entries.

Ballard, who is retired from the Clark County Road Department, initially didn't believe that he was really a winner. He thought it was a scam. So he called KBC the next day to verify that the information was correct. "It's for real," he told his wife Linda.

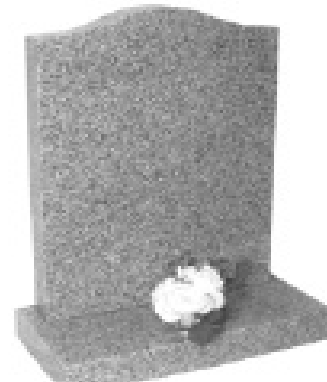
When Ballard donated, he didn't know KBC was giving away a Highlander. He just wanted to help. And today, because of his generosity, he's driving a new Highlander – for real.

To find out more about KBC, visit kybloodcenter.org or call 800.775-2522.

About Kentucky Blood Center: Founded nearly 50 years ago, KBC is the largest independent, full-service, non-profit blood center in Kentucky. Licensed by the FDA, KBC's sole purpose is to collect, process and distribute blood for patients in Kentucky.

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