

Obituaries: April 2018

APRIL 6

ROBERT JAMES BAYRER, 68, Apopka, died Friday, March 23. Mr. Bayrer was born in Hartford, Connecticut. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

HERMMIE LEE BRYANT-POLLARD, 84, Apopka, died Thursday, March 1. Survivors: daughter, Vert King; sons, Willie, Chester. Unity Memorial Funeral Home, Apopka.

TENDLE FLEMING FORD, 70, Zellwood, died Wednesday, March 28. Mrs. Ford was born in Samsom, Alabama. Survivors: mother, Connie Bell Fleming; children, Tendle Phillips, Doc, David Frierson, Otis Jr.; siblings, Louis Fleming, Dot Poston, Randle Fleming, Doris King, Hulon Fleming, Dendle Miller.

SHELIA DIANE MAXWELL, 50, Apopka, died Saturday, March 31. Mrs. Maxwell was born in Clarksville, Mississippi. Survivors: children, Dustin, Jessica, Chris, Zack, Samantha, Mathew, Alicia; sisters, Lorraine Flanagin, Laura Westfall, Alice Fotheringham. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

DAMIANO MICHAEL LAGENNUSA SR., 88, Zellwood, died Saturday, March 31. Mr. Lagennusa was born in Queens, New York. Survivors: wife, Virginia; children, Kathy, Diane; two grandchildren. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

SHIRLEY ANN GILLIARD JAMES, 68, Jacksonville, died Saturday, March 24. Mrs. James was born in Orlando and raised in Apopka. Survivors: daughters, Alisa Carter, Jesup, Georgia, Michelle Langford, Waldo, Ohio, son, Chuck Langford, Douglas, Georgia; mother, Evelyn Gilliard, Bunnell; brothers, Jim Gilliard, Seminole, Don Gilliard, Fort McCoy; sisters, Ruby Slaven, Apopka, Betty Sinka, Bunnell, Connie Gilliard, Apopka; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren.

MICHAEL RASLEY, 28, Apopka, died Friday, March 30. Mr. Basley was born in Abington, Pennsylvania. Survivors: mother, Suzanne Price; father, Ron May; children, Alden, Jackson; siblings, Kristine, Brittany, Ronnie, Matthew, Kristopher, Jordan, Aubrey. Baldwin Fairchild Funeral Home, Apopka.

TERRIE EVON COOK, 57, Apopka, died Tuesday, March 27. Survivors: daughters,

Tiffaine, Kerenda; siblings, James, Roy, Stephanie Hughley, Vickie, Bobby Stankey, Nelleen People, Debra Jackson. Unity Memorial Funeral Home, Apopka.

STEVEN JACKSON, 42, Apopka, died Saturday, March 24. Unity Memorial Funeral Home, Apopka.

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ORAMAETHORNHILL, 85, Apopka, died Monday, April 2. Mrs. Thornhill was born in Charlestown, Indiana. Survivors: sister, Shirley Armstrong; children, Mike Bettag, Kathy Walker, Robert L.; 12 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; four great-great-grandchildren. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

SUSIE B. HONICAN, 95, Apopka, died Friday, April 6. Mrs. Honican was born in Barney, Georgia. She attended the First Baptist Church of Zellwood for many years. Survivors: children, Audrey Swilley, Edd Harrison, Roy Harrison, Barbara Williams, Diane Harrison, Pam Zorn; 22 grandchildren; 37 great-grandchildren; 16 great-great-grandchildren. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

ELEANOR R. CRONE, 81, Apopka, died Wednesday, April 4. Mrs. Crone was born in Julian, West Virginia. Survivors: children, Mathew Dahill, Dennis Dahill; sister, Joyce Alibro; six grandchildren; five great-grandchildren. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

LESLIE "LES" O. CONNALLY, 68, Apopka, died Sunday, April 8. Mr. Connally was a carpenter who made beautiful guitars and was also a musician. Survivors: son, Jeff; daughters, Danielle Allison, Shannon; mother, Mary; brother, Larry; sister, Deborah Kay.

JUDITH "JUDY" COLE EASTMAN, 78, Zellwood, died Saturday, March 24. Mrs. Eastman was born in Patterson, New Jersey. Survivors: husband, Henry; children,

Patricia A., Ocoee, Christine Lengle, Pine Grove, Pennsylvania, Catherine Ellingworth, Orlando, Robert H., Winter Park; brother, William; six grandchildren. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

RUBY "PATSY" LEE, 82, Astatula, formerly of Apopka, died Monday, April 9. Mrs. Lee was born in Cleveland, Tennessee. She was Christian and attended Church at the Barn in Astatula. Survivors: husband, Wilbur; children, Steven, Brem, Jennifer; brother, Reuben; sisters, Dorothy Charles, Della Wilson; nine grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren. Baldwin Fairchild Funeral Home, Apopka.

GERRI ANNE RANDOLPH, 57, Apopka, died Easter Sunday, April 1. Gerri was a graduate of Apopka High School and the University of Central Florida. She was an accomplished horseback riding teacher and horse trainer. Survivor: mother, Anne Randolph.

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PHYLLIS A. NEELY, 62, Apopka, died Friday, April 13. Mrs. Neely was born in Orlando. Survivors: husband, Gary; parents, Charles "Buddy" and Mary Alice Clark; siblings, Pamela Ferdinansen, John Clark, Joel Clark; children, Gary, Marybeth Bergum, Daniel, Chris Jones; six grandchildren; one great-grandchild. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

RONALD WILSON, SR., 78, Apopka, died Sunday, April 15. Mr. Wilson was a retired truck driver who built the gazebo in Kit Land Nelson Park. Survivors: wife, Betty; children, Diane Lindbom, Ronnie Jr., Susie Gray, Marsha, DeeDee; brother, Marlin; sister, Susan; 16 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

JIMMY CLATON CHANDLER, Apopka, died recently. Mr. Chandler was a graduate of Apopka High School, Class of 1954. He was an officer with the Orlando, Tavares and Ocoee Police Departments, retiring in 1994. He was a 50-year member and trustee of Tabernacle Baptist Church in Orlando. Survivors: wife Eve; son, Phillip; sisters, Hazel Billette, Mt. Dora, Beulah Livingston, Auburndale; one grandchild.

APRIL 27

LYDIA E. MENDEZ, 95, died Monday, April 2. Mrs. Mendez was born in Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

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CLARA ESPERANZA LEYVA, 99, Apopka, died Wednesday, April 4. Mrs. Leyva was born in Santiago De Cuba, Cuba. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

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ROY DANIEL SETLIFF JR., 86, Apopka, died Friday, April 20. Mr. Setliff was born in Stockland, Virginia. Survivors: wife, Lorraine; sons, Stephen, David, John; six grandchildren. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

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DELMA LEVI WRIGHT, 71, Apopka, died Friday, April 13. Mr. Wright was born in Arkansas. Survivors: siblings, Eugene, Charles. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

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BARBARA HALPIN, 91, Apopka, died Saturday, April 21. Mrs. Halpin was born in Trenton, New Jersey. Survivors: children, Jill Russell Janisch, Jacque Westfall, Brad; seven grandchildren. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka.

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ANDREW W. DONAHUE, 59, Apopka, died Friday, April 13. Mr. Donahue was born in Pine Hills. Loomis Family Funeral Home, Apopka,

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