

OBITUARIES

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(EDITOR'S NOTE: We apologize to everyone. A file containing Obituaries for the March issue got overwritten. As a result the following 17 obituaries did not get printed. We are publishing this as a separate file from current Obituaries in the May 2019 issue. Again, our apologies).

LYNDS, Brent Cyril - 70, Westchester Station, passed away, Saturday, December 8, 2018, in Cumberland Regional Health Care Centre, Amherst. Born in Westchester Station, he was a son of the late Thomas and Emma (Turner) Lynds. Brent was a woodsman for many years. He is survived by his brother Joe Lynds, McPherson Mills, New Glasgow; several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his brothers, Garnet and Jerry. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro, where the funeral service was held Thursday, December 13, 2018, Pastor Linda Fillmore officiated. Interment will be held at a later date in Eagle Hill Cemetery, Westchester Station. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

MARSHALL, Joseph Gillis "Joe" - 72, Belmont, passed away Friday, December 14, 2018 in Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. Born in Cooks Brook, he was a son of the late Alexander and Bessie (Marshall) Marshall. Joe is survived by his wife of 45 years, Heather (Redmond) Marshall; daughter, Connie Meggers (David), Sheboygan, Wisconsin, USA; son, Joey, at home; sisters, Lillian Rafuse (Donald) Hoyt, Truro; Frances Otterson (Jack Worth), Truro; several nieces and nephews. Besides his parents, Joe was predeceased by a daughter, Catherine Marshall; sister, Hazel Cox; brothers, Bernard, Herbert, Dougall. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Graveside service will take place at a later date in Watson Cemetery, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

McKENNA-STANTON, Mary "Hilda" - 93, Truro, passed away on Sunday, December 16, 2018, at Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. She was a daughter of the late Edmond and Mary (Ross) Shipley. She is survived by sons, Robert Stanton (Elisabeth) Truro; James (Diane) Stanton, Truro; Stephen (Janie) Stanton, London-derry; daughter, Heather Stanton, Truro; brother, Gordon (Shirley) Shipley, Debert; sisters, Annie Goodwin, Truro; Ethel Crossman, Truro; Rosie Proctor, Ontario; sister-in-law, Lynn Shipley, Truro; grandchildren, Shane, Stephen, Charlene, Neil, Chanel, Gale; many great grandchildren, who mom loved dearly. She was predeceased by her late husband, Clarence Arthur Stanton; brothers, Wilfred; George; Elroy; sisters, Lillian; Viola. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro, where the funeral service was held Thursday, December 20, 2018, Reverend Roderick Bezanson officiated. Interment will be held in Robie Street Cemetery at a later date. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

PEPPARD, James William "Jim" - 81, Truro, formerly of Great Village, passed away on December 28, 2018 at Cederstone Enhanced Care, Truro. Born in Great Village, he was a son of the late Matthew and Louise (Rose) Peppard. Jim was always devoted to his family and leaves behind his loving wife, Blanche; son, Sterling (Paula) and their children, Matt, Thomas, Stevi, Jacolbi; son, Jim (Szu) and their children, Hannah, Tiffany, daughter, Cynthia (Aaron) and their children, Dale, Daniel, brother, Ken (Dianne); sister, Ruth; sister-in-law, Marie. He was predeceased by his brother, Jack; sister, Marjorie. Funeral service was held Thursday, January 3, 2019, at Royal Canadian Legion, Great Village, Reverend Dan Gunn officiated. Interment in Mahon Cemetery at a later date. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

LEWIS, M. Sydney "Bubby" - 76, Lower Sackville, passed away Saturday, December 29, 2018, at home. Born in Lower Five Islands, he was a son of the late Royal and Beryl (Davis) Lewis. He is survived by his wife of 50 years, Bev (Smith) Lewis; his daughters, Kim (Geoff), Hammonds Plains; Nicole (Joe), Lower Sackville; grandchildren, Sydney, Max, Jacob, Riley; sisters, Linda, Lower Sackville; Trudy, Lower Five Islands; brothers, Allan (Susan), Masstown; Barry and Arnold, Lower Five Islands; numerous nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by sisters, Murdelle and Carolyn; brothers, Royal Jr. and Morton. There was a celebration of life held at his daughter's house in Hammonds Plains, for family and friends on Saturday, January 12th, 2019. Interment in Economy Cemetery at a later date. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

GEDDES, Nellie Elizabeth - 83, Truro Heights, passed away Wednesday, January 2, 2019 in Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. Born in Truro, she was a daughter of the late Severn and Nellie (Lynds) Bell. She is survived by a brother, Osborne Bell (Flossie), Onslow Mountain; brother-in-law, Elroy Geddes (Marg), Valley; sisters-in-law, Marjorie Murray, Truro; Myrna Bell, Onslow Mountain; brother-in-law, Clarence Hamilton, Crowes Mills; many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Ronald Daniel Geddes; brother, Ernest; sister, Pearl. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro, from where funeral service will take place on Tuesday, January 8th at 2 pm. Reverend Connie Stewart will officiate with a reception to follow in the funeral home. Burial will take place at a later date in Aeon Baptist Cemetery, Central North River. Donations in memory may be made to the Truro Height's United Baptist Church. Private messages of condolence may be sent to the family by viewing Nellie's obituary on-line and selecting "Send A Condolence" at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

STARRATT, Erma Joyce - 98, Bass River, passed away peacefully, surrounded by her loving family, on Tuesday, January 8, 2019, at Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. Born in Bass River, she was a daughter of the late James and Jennie (MacLaughlin) Starratt. Joyce is survived by her sisters, Clara Galway (Roy), Listowel, Ontario; Barbara MacDonald Hood, Truro; nieces and nephews, Jim (Meg), Margaret (Roddy), Peter (Janice), Margaret, Robert (Paulette), Brian (Linda), Andrew (Doug), Elizabeth (Mark); many great and great-great nieces and nephews. Along with her parents, she was predeceased by her sister, Evelyn McLellan. Funeral service was held Sunday, January 13, 2019, at Riverside United Church, 5577 Highway 2, Bass River, Reverend Florence Antle-Brisson officiated. Spring interment in Riverside United Church Cemetery. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

JOB, Doris Mae - 89, Truro, passed away on Wednesday, January 9, 2019, at Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. Being the only child of Barry and Dorothy (Staples) Totten (Upper Belmont), she toddled around the logging camps where her parents worked during her pre-school years and later, as she grew older, helped out on the Totten Farm (Staples Brook Road), assisting Mom and Dad Totten with numerous farm chores. Doris is survived by her friend, Allison Gower, Truro; sons, Wayne, Edmonton; Al (Kathy), Sechart, British Columbia; Brian (Joan), Lunenburg; Dean (Kerry Oliver), Wolfville; daughters, Shannon (Phillip Hamula), Calgary, Alberta; Gail (Gary Collier), Peers, Alberta; Janet (Michael Trefry), Hatchet Lake; grandchildren, Scott, Kerri, Ryan, Gregg, Grant, Genna, Anna, Stuart, Erin, Neil, Matthew, Benjamin, Evan; 10 great grandchildren; brothers-in-law, Winston Jobb, Redcliff, Alberta; Reverend Leslie Jobb, Lower Sackville; several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Wendell; sisters, Marie Stephenson, Betty Power. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro, where the funeral service was held Saturday, January 26, 2019, Reverend Leslie Jobb officiated. Interment was held in Crossroads Cemetery, Belmont. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

BARRETT, Robert Curtis "Bob" - 81, Bible Hill, formerly of Murray Siding, passed away on Wednesday, January 16, 2019, at Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. Born in Truro, he was a son of the late Jack and Frances (Wambolt) Barrett. Bob is survived by his wife, Rosemary "Roby" (MacEachern); children, Angie (Chris) MacIntyre, Robbie (Jenny), Gina (Stephen) White, Michael; grandchildren, Daniel, Ryan, Lauren, Hilary, Gregory, Janelle, Noah; great grandchildren, Gabrielle, Arianna, Linken; sister, Kaye Porter, Peterborough, Ontario; sister-in-law, Earlene Barrett, Truro; sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Mike and Sylvia MacEachern, Joe and Anne Marie MacEachern, Bill and Peggy McVicar, Robert MacEachern, Jerry MacEachern. He will be fondly remembered by many special cousins, nieces, nephews and extended family. Along with his parents, he was predeceased by his infant son, Christopher; sister, Elaine; brothers, Jack, Charles in infancy; brother-in-law, Ron Porter. Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated Wednesday, January 23, 2019, at Immaculate Conception Roman Catholic Church, 669 Prince Street, Truro, Father Cristinel Fartadi officiated. Spring interment in Immaculate Conception Cemetery, 125 Robie Street, Truro. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

MacSWAIN, Randall Carl "Randy" - 63, Truro, passed away on Sunday, January 20, 2019 at home. Born in Truro, he was a son of Ethel (Burch) MacSwain and the late Edward MacSwain. Besides his mother, Randy is survived by his step-daughter, Dawn (Fisher) Rossiter, Truro; grandchildren, Taylor and Kasey, Onslow; brother, Michael (Bonnie), Bible Hill; numerous nieces and nephews. Besides his father, he was predeceased by his wife Maryanne; son Mark. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

MAINE, Percy Henry - 85, Masstown, passed away Sunday, January 20, 2019, at Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. He was born in New Brunswick. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

REID, Brenda Jean - 71, Valley, passed away Thursday, January 24, 2019, at Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. Born in Truro, she was a daughter of the late Kenneth MacMillan and Sylvia (Tutty) Parker. She is survived by sons, Victor (Lourdes), Brampton, ON; Mark (Patty), Ottawa; Shawn (Jacqueline), Fredericton, NB; Erick (Andrea), Onslow Mountain; daughter, Carla Fenton (John), Grand Prairie, AB; grandchildren, Stephanie, Samantha, Bethany, Colby, Kyle, Ryan, Meggan, Emilee, Grace, Alexis, Garath, Logan, Mary, Emily; great-grandchildren, Sapphire, Phoenix; brothers, Donnie (Marilyn), Whitney Pier; Freddie (Cathy), Toronto, ON; Clifford, Ontario; sisters, Pansy Baker, Finch, ON, Yvonne Weatherbee (Fred), Truro Heights; Karen Pratt (Johnny), Valley; Marena Weavers (Paul), Kempville, ON. She was predeceased by her husband, Carl Earle Reid; brothers, Hugh Weatherbee in infancy, Douglas MacMillan, Larry Weatherbee; sisters, April Works (Frank) and Alice. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Graveside service will take place at a later date in Crossroads Cemetery, Valley. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

PEPPARD, Ethel Blanche - 71, Truro, formerly of Great Village, passed away peacefully on February 2, 2019 at Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. Born in Little Hearts Ease, but grew up in Clarendville, Newfoundland, she was a daughter of the late Joseph and Jemima Drodge. Blanche was a devoted mother and wife and leaves behind her son, Sterling (Paula) and their children, Matt, Thomas, Stevi, Jacolbi; son, Jimmy (Szu) and their children, Hannah, Tiffany; daughter, Cynthia (Aaron) and their children, Dale, Daniel; sibilings, Eva, Doris (Jer), Shirley (Gerry), Pearl (Wayne), Bernice, Rowena, Brenda, Marcie (Charles), Nina (Edgar), Bonnie, Lorna (Robert), Armine (Vera), Don (Elaine); sisters-in-law, Ruth, Marie; brothers-in-law, Ken (Diane), Darryl; many nieces, nephews and cousins. She was predeceased by her husband, James "Jim"; sisters, Mary, Wavey; brothers-in-law, Lindsay, Rod. Funeral service was held Tuesday, February 5, 2019, at Royal Canadian Legion, Great Village, Reverend Dan Gunn officiated. Interment in Mahon Cemetery at a later date. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

CARRIGAN, Harold Ross - 78, Truro, passed away Wednesday, February 6, 2019, at Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. Born in Truro, he was a son of the late Frank and Edith (Chapman) Carrigan. He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Janet (Terry) Carrigan; daughter, Wanda Carrigan, Toronto, ON; sons, Tim (Lana), Orillia, ON; Vaughn, Truro; grandchildren, Jessica, Brittny, Brandon, Keelan, Faolin, Seth, Shala, Katerina, Elana; many nieces and nephews; great nieces and nephews; sisters-in-law, Joan Carrigan, Truro; Betty Carrigan, Truro; Barbara Rushton, Wentworth; brothers-in-law, George Terry, Hilden; Ray Terry, Winnipeg, MB; James Terry, Truro. He was predeceased by brothers, Frank Jr, Bill, Roy, Don; sisters, Shirley, Helen Deloris in infancy; brother-in-law Albert Corbin. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro, where the funeral service was held Saturday, February 9, 2019, The Reverend Lori Ramsey officiated. Interment at a later date in Terrace Hill Cemetery, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

LYNK, Lila Mae - 82, Wentworth, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, February 13, 2019, at Cumberland Regional Health Care Centre, Amherst. Born in Truro, she was a daughter of the late Freeman and Florence (Crowe) Delaney. Lila is survived by her daughter, Carol Link (Bruce Laird), Wentworth; grandson, Corey Laird, Truro; granddaughter, Jenna Laird, Wentworth; sister, Maryann Wilson, Truro; brother, Curtis Delaney, Oxford; several nieces and nephews. Along with her parents, she was predeceased by her sister, Elizabeth in infancy; brothers, Dexter, Robert and Thomas Delaney. Interment will be held at a later date at Onslow Island Cemetery, Central Onslow. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

MacCALLUM, Muriel Clare - 89, North River, passed away peacefully on Sunday, February 17, 2019, at Colchester East Hants Health Centre, Truro. Born in Glenholme, she was a daughter of the late George and Jessie (Wyllie) Weatherby. Muriel was the last surviving member of her immediate family and is survived by her children, Gerry (Ginger), Lorna (Mike) Cox, Roger (Karen), Greg (Kenda); step daughter, Judy (David) Ettinger; grandchildren, Krista (Shane) Holman, Holly (Matt) Whitty, Jeffrey (Tasha) Cox, Tyler (Shauna) MacCallum, Darcy MacCallum, Nick (Robyn) MacCallum, Matthew (Dayna) MacCallum, Connor MacCallum; great grandchildren, Macayla Cote, Mason and Lia Holman, Clara and James Whitty, Declan MacCallum; sister-in-law, Joyce Weatherby; brother-in-law, Keith Roberts. Along with her parents, she was predeceased by her husband, Murray Donald MacCallum; sisters, Willa Bigney, Georgie Roberts; brother, Lorne Weatherby. All are welcome to join us for a graveside service at 1 p.m., Friday, May 3, 2019, at Bible Hill Cemetery, Warren Drive, Bible Hill. If so desired, donations in Muriel's memory to Bible Hill Cemetery or Canadian Blood Services are welcomed. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall - Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

QUINN, Janet E. - It is with sadness we announce the peaceful passing of Janet E. Quinn, age 72, of Economy. Janet passed away on Monday, February 18, 2019 in Truro. Born in Halifax, she was a daughter of the late Honora (Ferguson) Atkinson Dobson. Janet, along with her husband Angus, owned and operated the popular Hilltop Family Restaurant in Springhill for nearly 30 years where they made many wonderful friends. After selling the restaurant, they moved to Lower Economy where they opened the Hightide Bed and Breakfast and operated this business out of their home overlooking the Minas Basin. Janet was a 'people person'; she loved meeting her guests from all over the world and enjoyed hearing all about the countries they came from. In addition to her husband of almost 60 years, Angus Quinn, Economy, she will be dearly missed by her daughters, Elizabeth Cotton, Wallace; and Heather (Wayne) Knapman, Halifax; son, Paul (Natasha) Bible Hill; grandchildren, Amanda (Eric) and Amy Cotton and Madelyn and Logan Quinn; brothers, Edward (Valerie) Dobson, Springhill; and William (Bonnie) Dobson, Halifax; sisters, Heather (Delbert) Warner, Barney's River; and Cynthia (James) Pretty, Halifax; as well as several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her son-in-law, Roger Cotton; and lifelong friend, Linda Hatton. Arrangements have been entrusted to A.H. Brown Funeral Home, 5 McFarlane St., Springhill. An Evening of Remembrance was held February 22nd. Burial will take place in Economy Cemetery in the spring. Those wishing to make a donation in Janet's memory may do so to the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Nova Scotia, or charity of your choice. Sharing of memories and condolences may be sent to the family by visiting Janet's online memorial at: www.brownsfuneralhome.com