

Deaths



Mrs. Spinner

Norma Collette Spinner of Lometa died Jan. 17, 2010, at Continuous Care Hospital in Temple. She was 40.

A memorial service is Jan. 20 at 10 a.m. at Church of the Hills in Lometa with Pastor Bob McClinton officiating. The body will be cremated.

Mrs. Spinner was born June 11, 1969, in Santa Monica, Calif., the daughter of Norman Kalland and Janet Adam Kalland.

While in high school, she participated in FFA and 4-H.

She was a restaurant owner and had lived in Lometa for a number of years. Mrs. Spinner was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Survivors include her mother of Lampasas; three daughters, Valerie Edwards and Cody of Lampasas, Amy Smith and Steven of Santa

Maria, Calif., and Christine Skaggs and Andrew of Apple Valley, Calif.; four sisters, Erica Lewis of Abilene, Goodi Sanders of Salt Flat, Hazel Kalland of Colorado and Phyllis Duval of Montana; and the father of her children, Brent Spinner of Apple Valley.

She was preceded in death by her father.

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Mr. Hamilton

Carl Gene "Liberace" Hamilton, 72, of Lampasas died Jan. 16, 2010, at Regal Nursing & Rehab.

Funeral services are Jan. 21 at 10 a.m. at Sneed Funeral Chapel with Brother Preston Lindsey officiating. Burial will follow at Bethel Cemetery in Burnet County.

Visitation is Jan. 20 from 6-8 p.m. at the funeral chapel.

Mr. Hamilton was born Feb. 22, 1937, in Burnet County, the son of Leroy and Nattie Mae Minton Hamilton.

He was a lifelong resident of the area and had worked for Fulton Brown for many years, and continued to work for Burke Brown at Brown Feed Store.

Mr. Hamilton loved to sing, earning him the nickname "Liberace." He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Lampasas.

Survivors include a daughter, Theresa Greenberg of Lampasas; one sister, Juanita Fay Carroll of Lampasas; three brothers, Nathan Hamilton of Lampasas, Marvin Hamilton of Kempner and Donald Hamilton of Denver, Colo.; three grandchildren, Kelby Wagner, Skye Wagner and Hannah Greenberg; and one great-grandchild, Kyle Medrano.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Billy and Leroy Hamilton, and by a sister, Sybil.

Memorials may be made to Bethel Cemetery Association.

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Mrs. Streit

Billie Morrison Streit, 82, of Vernon died Jan. 8, 2010, in Vernon.

Funeral services were Jan. 11 at Zion Lutheran Church in the Lockett community southwest of

Vernon with the Rev. Kenneth Bersche officiating.

Burial followed at Wilbarger Memorial Park.

Mrs. Streit was born Nov. 6, 1927, in Margaret, the daughter of Grant and Ola Black Morrison.

She married Karl Streit on Aug. 6, 1947, in Borger, and he preceded her in death on Dec. 8, 2006.

A resident of the Lockett community and Vernon most of her life, Mrs. Streit was a homemaker and she worked with her husband on the family farm. She enjoyed baking, gardening and bridge.

She was a member of the Lockett Extension Club, 4-H and Zion Lutheran Church.

Survivors include three daughters, Kim Streit of Vernon, Kelly Kyle and husband, Rick, of Fredericksburg and Karen Love and husband, David, of Lampasas; one son, Kent Streit and wife, Christine, of Nassau Bay; a sister, Rae Black of Fort Collins, Colo.; five grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Zion Lutheran Church in Vernon.

Resolution signed by Kempner council

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part of the application process for a Texas Parks and Wildlife Department grant for park facilities construction.

During the regular meeting, the council approved a resolution to TPWD authorizing the application for a local park grant, and a resolution to prevent mining and drilling on the park property funded by the TPWD. Isenhour added the application must be submitted by Jan. 31.

The mayor said the city has made a profit of \$8,800 from the sale of granite stones for the local veterans' memorial. "This profit

has paid for the large granite memorial stone, and for the rock mask for the memorial and the rock entrance markers."

The city is still taking orders from persons who want to purchase a stone to honor a family member or friend who served in the armed forces.

Kempner City Council will meet again Jan. 26 at 7 p.m. in City Hall Council Chambers. A workshop session is set at 6 p.m. to discuss updating the city's sign ordinance and a city park rules ordinance, followed by the regular meeting.

Meetings

The Lampasas County Commissioners Court will meet Monday at 9 a.m. in the first-floor courtroom at the county courthouse.

The Lampasas City Council also will meet in open session on Monday.

The council's workshop session will begin at 5:30 p.m. in Council Chambers, and the regular session will start at 7 p.m.

WEATHER

Date	High	Low	Rain
Jan. 14	54	48	.16
Jan. 15	54	42	1.43
Jan. 16	57	41	
Jan. 17	62	35	
2010 rainfall to date: 1.59 inches. Same date last year: .30 inches.			
Data collected from the archives of weather.com.			

Local Work Group meeting set Thursday

The public and all agencies interested in conservation issues are invited to a Local Work Group meeting Thursday at 9:30 a.m. at the Lampasas County Office Building coordinated by the United States Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service and the Hill Country Soil and Water Conservation District.

The meeting is designed to receive comments from a broad range of local agencies, organizations, businesses and individuals interested in natural resource conditions and needs in Lampasas and Burnet counties.

Comments will allow the group to make recommendations about resource concerns to be addressed

for county-based funding. The recommendations will be used while implementing the Environmental Quality Incentives Program and other conservation programs offered by NRCS.

For more information, phone the USDA Service Center office in Lampasas at 556-5572, ext. 3 or in Burnet at (512) 756-4651.

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