Obituaries

REGION

Rosemary Cuba Kringle

Lowell "Lou" E. Guntzburger

Rosemary Cuba Kringle, 76, formerly of Two Harbors, died Saturday, May 13, 2000, in the home she shared with Ken and Mary Ann Staub in Basye, Va.

She was born March 25, 1924, in Hayward, Wis., to George and Christine (Pelzel) Stockinger. She grew up and attended school in Rice Lake, Wis., where she graduated from high school in 1942. After her marriage to Wayne Kringle, they lived in various places during his military career and in 1968, settled in Two Harbors.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Wayne in 1993; and her brother, Michael in 1999.

Rosemary is survived by her seven loving children: Mary Ann Staub of Basye, Barbara Mecklinof Two Harbors, Kristine (Denny) Bacon of Portland, Tenn., Gregory (Beth) Kringle of Two Harbors, Susan (David) Harbert of Duluth, Carol Lee Kempffer of Lake Havasu, Ariz., and Roma (Dan) Clarin of Two Harbors; sisters Mary Priscilla (Warren) Symons of Two Harbors and Georgie (Bobby) Lorntson of Beaver Bay; a brother, John Stockinger of Rice Lake. She was blessed with 12 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Her dog, Daisy, will also miss her.

People who loved her will say their goodbyes at a private graveside service.

Private graveside service: 1 p.m., Friday, May 26, in Lakeview Cemetery, Two Harbors. Arrangements by Cavallin Funeral Home.

Sylvia M. Hunter

Sylvia M. Hunter, 84, of Iron River died Tuesday, May 16, 2000, in Ashland Memorial Medical Center.

Sylvia is survived by her husband, Larry; grandsons Arnold, Ralph, Dean, Gene, Dennis and "Spunk" Lahti, all of Iron River; and many great-grandchildren.

Visitation: 1:30 until the 2 p.m. memorial service Monday in Hope Lutheran Church, Oulu. Arrangements by Lenroot-Maetzold Funeral Home.

Edward J. Gregorich

Edward J. Grégorich, 42, of Ely died Thursday, May 18, 2000, in the Ely-Bloomenson Community Hospital after a very courageous battle with a rare liver disease.

battle with a rare liver disease... He was born Dec. 13, 1957, in Ely to Edward J. "KoKo" and Roslyn (Levar) Gregorich He Lowell "Lou" E. Guntzburger, 90, of Aitkin and McGregor died Thursday, May 18, 2000, in the Aicota Nursing Home in Aitkin.

There will be two visitations and services: Visitation is from 9:30 until the 10:30 a.m. Tuesday service in Aitkin at the Sorensen-Root-Thompson Funeral Home and also from 1:30 until the 2:30 service Tuesday in Grace Lutheran Church near McGregor. Arrangements by Sorensen-Root-Thompson Funeral Home, Aitkin.

Olga E. Mehtala

Olga E. Mehtala, 87, of Iron River died Thursday, May 18, 2000, in St. Francis Home in the Park.

She is survived by her husband, Axel; a son, Richard (Diane) Mehtala; daughters Edna (George) Johnson and Doris (Ronald) Johnson; eight grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; one great-great-granddaughter.

Private family services at a later date. Arrangements by Lenroot-Maetzold Funeral Home.

Rowland J. Charles

Rowland J. Charles, 74, of Ely died Thursday, May 18, 2000, in Ely-Bloomenson Community Hospital.

He was born June 29, 1925, in Aurora to Joseph and Mary (Grivette) Charles. He was a graduate of Ely Memorial High School and was a World War II Navy veteran, having served in the South Pacific. He worked at Pioneer Mine in Ely for many years, and later, after its closing, at Minntac Mine in Mountain Iron as a millwright. He was a member of Grace Lutheran Chürch in Ely and a life member of VFW Post 2717, Ely.

He was preceded in death by his parents; and a daughter, Kathlyn Charles in 1995.

Survivors include his wife Ella; daughters Sherry (Larry) North of Ely, Marcia (Al) Smock of Scottsdale, Ariz., and Mary Lou "Tinker" Charles of Duluth; a sister, Marcella (Leo) Tastsides of Vallejo, Calif.: eight grandchildren; two nephews.

Memorial Service: 11 a.m. Monday in Grace Lutheran Church, Ely. Pastor William Fossum officiating. Inurnment in Aurora Ceme-

DULUTH



Harry R. Davis "Mr. Fixit"

Harry R. Davis "Mr. Fixit" died peacefully in his home, Thursday, May 18, 2000, from lung cancer.

"Smoking can be very hazardous to your health."

He was born Sept. 10, 1927, to Eva and David Davis. Harry was one of Duluth's first ambulance drivers for WilCol Ambulance Service. He was better known in the past 30 vears as the feisty, stubborn 'Mr. Fixit," always believing "you CAN fight city hall," and he usually did. He also owned All Brand Equipment in Superior for the past 15 years. As a self-taught computer wizard, Harry started the area's first Grotto Bulletin Board for computer users in 1982.

Harry was preceded in death by his wife, Donna in 1997; his parents; brothers Louis and Arthur; sisters Anne and Naomi.

He is survived by children Linda, Dennis, Karen, Bonnie, Aaron, Daniel, and Harry, a stepson, Terry Middleton; several grandchildren and greatgrandchildren. Harry will be sadly missed by Missy, his faithful dog.

Gathering time: 9 until the 10 a.m. memorial service Tuesday in Johnson Mortuary Chapel. Arrangements by Johnson Mortuary.

Robert Joseph McGinnis

Robert Joseph McGinnis, 37, of East Fifth Street died April 30, 1999, in Duluth.

Robert was born in Emo, Ontario, and had been a Duluth resident since 1985. He attended St. Mary Star of The Sea Catholic Church and was a volunteer in helping the elderly. He had worked as a truck driver for various companies.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Norman McGinnis Jr. in 1987.

He is survived by a daugh-

SUPERIOR



Sylvia Silta

Sylvia Silta, 86, of Superior died Thursday, May 18, 2000, in Superior.

She was born Aug. 8., 1913, in Deer River and was a lifelong Maple area resident. She was employed for many years as a nurse's aide at the Parkland and Middle River Health Facilities before retiring in 1979. She also farmed with he husband, Emil, in Maple. For enjoyment, she worked in her flower garden.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Emil in 1988; and her parents Alex and Lilj

Survivors include several nieces and nephews; and special friends Arvo and Shirley Saari of Superior.

Visitation: 10 until the 11 a.m. service Monday in the Regina Hill Apartments, 2415 E. Fifth St. William Armstrong, an elder in the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah Witnesses of Superior, will officiate. Interment in the Pine Ridge Cemetery, Deer River. Arrangements by Lenroot-Maetzold Funeral Home.

Jacquelyn "Jackie" Nelson Jonell

Jacquelyn "Jackie" Nelson Jonell, 36, of Prescott, Wis., formerly of Superior died Tuesday, May 16, 2000, in Regions Hospital, St. Paul.

Survivors include her husband, David M. of Prescott; her father, John Nelson; brothers Glenn Nelson, Timo thy Nelson and Roger Higginal of Superior.

Graveside services: 11 a.m. Mol day in Greenwood Cemetery, Superior. Arrangements by Downs Funeral Home.

Helen M. Meteraud

Helen M. Meteraud, 76, of Superior died Thursday, May 18, 2000, in St. Francis Home in the Park.