

Reverend David S. Fowler, Sr., 78, Founded Various Area Churches

The Reverend David Scott Fowler, Sr., 78, of Plainfield died on Thursday, August 5, at Muhlenberg Regional Medical Center in Plainfield. Born in Kershaw County, S.C., he was a resident of Plainfield for 36 years.

Reverend Fowler was the founder of the Queen City Baptist Church in Plainfield; the founder and Pastor of St. Paul Baptist Church in Scotch Plains; the founder of the Miracle Baptist Church and the Christ Church of Transformation and former Pastor

Concha Fiallo, 88

Concha Fiallo, 88, of Mountainside died on Thursday, July 5, in Overlook Hospital in Summit.

Born in Pinar Del Rio, Cuba, she came to the United States in 1961 and was a longtime resident of Mountainside.

Mrs. Fiallo was a communicant of Our Lady of Lourdes Roman Catholic Church in Mountainside.

She was predeceased by her husband, Mario Fiallo, in 1990.

Surviving are her daughter, Virginia Perez-Santalla Signorelli; five sisters; two brothers, six grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

A Funeral Mass was offered on Saturday, August 7, at Our Lady of Lourdes Church.

Arrangements were handled by the Dooley Colonial Home, 556 Westfield Avenue, Westfield.

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Arthur T. Fell, 74, Was Army Veteran, Insurance Executive at Sedgwick James

Arthur T. Fell, 74, of Bethlehem, Pa., died on Tuesday, August 3, at Muhlenberg Hospital Center in Bethlehem.

Born in Brooklyn, he had lived in Fanwood for 45 years before moving to Bethlehem in February.

Mr. Fell had been an insurance broker before retiring as Executive Vice-President of Sedgwick James in New York City in 1992.

He was a member of the Faith Lutheran Church in New Providence.

He was a veteran of the United States Army and served in World War II.

He was predeceased by his wife,

Woodford Mooers, Sr., 76, IBM Engineer; Combat Pilot and Recipient of Gold Star

Woodford James Mooers, Jr., 76, of Westfield died on Monday, August 9, in the Department of Veterans Affairs New Jersey Health Care Center at East Orange.

Born in Phoebus, Va., he had lived in Atlantic City and in New York State before moving to Westfield many years ago.

Mr. Mooers had been employed as an electrical engineer by IBM in East Fishkill, N.Y. before retiring. During his career, he invented many devices which were patented, including a high speed rectifier used by Westinghouse Corporation in a lunar mission.

He was a combat pilot in the United States Navy during World War II and the Korean Conflict. Mr. Mooers was awarded the Gold Star for outstanding service as an air combat pilot.

A graduate of the University of Connecticut, he earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration.

He was predeceased by his parents, Woodford J. and Beatrice Rowe Mooers; a sister, Muriel Mooers and a brother, William Mooers.

Surviving are his wife of 50 years, Genevieve Farrah Mooers; three daughters, Marcia Hill of Ashland, Mass., Kim Leo of Clinton Corners, N.Y. and Julia Diddell of Westfield; a son, Woodford James Mooers, 3rd of Mahwah; a sister, Una Osrud of Vestal, N.Y.; three brothers, Myran Mooers of Miami, Fla., Eugene Mooers of Placentia, Calif. and Carroll Mooers of St. Petersburg, Fla., and three grandchildren.

A memorial service was held yesterday, Wednesday, August 11, at the

of the Second Baptist Church in Metuchen.

He was a Fraternal Brother of Rosicrucian Order A.M.O.R.C. Reverend Fowler was installed on January 28, 1990, as the 1990 President of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People of Plainfield, Branch No. 2100.

He was the owner and operator of Fowler's Garden Center in Plainfield for 20 years.

Reverend Fowler held doctoral degrees in psychology, metaphysics and divinity, as well as a certificate of merit in theology.

Surviving are his wife, Docia Fowler; two sons, Cuttino M. Fowler, Sr. and David S. Fowler, Jr., both of Plainfield; four daughters, Eleanor Ashley of Montgomery, Ala., the Reverend Estelle Seymour, Catherine Hemphill and Mary F. Timmons, all of Plainfield; three sisters, Evangelist Tyre Provod of Columbia, S.C., Evangelist Janei Stewart of Piscataway and Elizabeth Jasper of Plainfield; four brothers, Deacon Andrew Fowler, Jr. and Deacon Benjamin Fowler, both of Plainfield, the Reverend Willie Fowler of Scotch Plains and Deacon Cal Fowler of Boykin, S.C.; nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, August 10, at the Queen City Baptist Church.

Arrangements were handled by the Judkins Colonial Home in Plainfield.

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Inga Brown Fell, in 1992.

Surviving are two sons, Barry Fell of Bethlehem and Roger Fell of Wayne, Pa.; two daughters, Debbie Fell of East Brunswick and Linda Fell of Mount Laurel and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, August 7, at the Faith Lutheran Church. Arrangements were handled by the Memorial Funeral Home, 155 South Avenue in Fanwood.

Memorial donations may be made to the Memorial Fund of Faith Lutheran Church, 524 South Street, New Providence, 07974.

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First United Methodist Church in Westfield. Interment will be held today, Thursday, August 12, at 1:30 p.m. at the Brigadier General William C. Doyle Veterans Cemetery in Arnetown.

Arrangements were handled by the Gray Funeral Home, 318 East Broad Street in Westfield.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, 2550 U.S. Highway No. 1, North Brunswick, 08902.

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Gordon H. Batten, 70

Gordon Harvey Batten, 70, of Mountainside died on Saturday, August 7, at Overlook Hospital in Summit.

Mr. Batten had lived in Fanwood and Westfield before moving to Mountainside over 35 years ago.

He worked in the long lines communication division of CBS in New York City for 30 years before retiring 20 years ago.

He volunteered with Overlook Hospital for many years.

He was predeceased by his wife, Barbara Batten, and a daughter, Anne Batten.

Surviving are a son, Bruce Batten of Mountainside, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were private and held under the direction of the Gray Funeral Home, 318 East Broad Street in Westfield.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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— Obituaries —

Kathleen Connolly, 77, Legal Secretary For Many Years at Westfield Firms

Kathleen Connolly, 77, of Westfield died on Saturday, August 7, at The Woodlands in Plainfield.

Born in New Bedford, Mass., she moved to Westfield in 1955.

Mrs. Connolly had been a legal secretary for many years at firms such as Hooley, Butler, DiFrancesco & Kelly; Neale F. Hooley, and Sneyily & Eli, all of Westfield, before retiring in 1994.

She was a communicant of the Holy Trinity Roman Catholic Church

in Westfield.

Surviving are a sister, Mary Gleason of Sun City Center, Fla.; two nephews and two nieces.

A Funeral Liturgy was held yesterday, Wednesday, August 11, at the Holy Trinity Church. Interment was at St. Gertrude's Cemetery in Colonia.

Funeral arrangements were handled by the Dooley Colonial Home, 556 Westfield Avenue in Westfield.

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Adelaide Kirn, 79, Teacher's Aide For Westfield Board of Education

Adelaide "Addie" Berris Kirn, 79, of Westfield died on Tuesday, August 3, in Rahway Hospital.

Born in Perth Amboy, she lived in Westfield since 1954.

Mrs. Kirn had been employed by Colgate-Palmolive in Jersey City, J. P. Stevens Company in New York City and the Westfield Board of Education as a teacher's aide at Grant and Jefferson Elementary Schools during the late 1970s and early 1980s.

She was a communicant of St. Helen's Roman Catholic Church in Westfield and a member of the Catholic Golden Age organization.

While in high school, Mrs. Kirn was a member of the National Honor Society.

August 12, 1999

James Story Lee, 85, Army Veteran; Was Executive at Paper Companies

James Story Lee, 85, of Mountainside died on Tuesday, August 3, in Morristown Memorial Hospital in Morristown.

Born in Cranford, he had lived in Westfield before moving to Mountainside in 1972.

Mr. Lee had been a general sales manager for the Ris Paper Company in New York City for 10 years, retiring in 1989. Prior to that, he had worked in the same capacity for the John F. Sarle Paper Company for nine years, after retiring as president of the J. J. Lee Paper Company in New York City.

Mr. Lee directed several ski schools and was one of the first members of the National Ski Patrol. He was also a member of the Westfield Historical Society.

He was a communicant of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Westfield.

She was predeceased by a brother, Michael Berris.

Surviving are her husband of 53 years, A. Fred Kirn; two daughters, Patty DeDuca of Westfield and Susan Davis of Sudbury, Mass.; a son, Peter Kirn of Short Hills; a brother, William Berris of Toms River and eight grandchildren.

A Funeral Mass was offered on Friday, August 6, at 10 a.m. in St. Helen's Church. Interment took place at Fairview Cemetery in Westfield.

Arrangements were handled by the Dooley Colonial Home, 556 Westfield Avenue in Westfield.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Helen's Helping Hands and Hearts.

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A United States Army veteran of World War II, he achieved the rank of Lieutenant serving with the 10th Mountain Division.

Surviving are his wife of 58 years, Hope Galloway Lee; two daughters, Mary L. Andrews of Jacobus, Pa. and Nancy Lee Rice of Asheville, N.C.; a sister, E. Harriet Lee of Westfield; a brother, Robert Lee of Whitehouse; 11 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

A memorial service was held on Tuesday, August 10, in St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Westfield.

Arrangements were handled by the Gray Funeral Home, 318 East Broad Street in Westfield.

Memorial donations may be made to the Organ Fund of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Westfield or to a chosen charity.

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Elizabeth Jenkins, St. Bart's Parishioner; Was Benefits Manager at AT&T-Bell Labs

Elizabeth M. Jenkins of Scotch Plains died on Sunday, August 8, at Overlook Hospital in Summit.

Born in Waycross, Ga., she lived in Scotch Plains for 30 years. She also maintained a residence in Tarpon Springs, Fla.

Mrs. Jenkins had been the manager of Benefits at AT&T-Bell Labs in Murray Hill, then Short Hills, before retiring in 1991.

She was a member of the Telephone Pioneers and the Crescent Oaks Country Club in Tarpon Springs, as well as St. Bartholomew the Apostle Roman Catholic Church in Scotch Plains.

She was predeceased by her husband, Edward Jenkins, in 1995, and by her mother, Mattie Gottie, in March of this year.

Surviving are a daughter, Linda Jenkins of Scotch Plains.

The funeral will take place at 10 a.m. today, Thursday, August 12, from the Memorial Funeral Home, 155 South Avenue in Fanwood. A Mass will follow at

11 a.m. at St. Bartholomew the Apostle Church.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Scotch Plains Rescue Squad, P.O. Box 325, Scotch Plains, 07076.

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Charles Gillman, 80

Charles Gillman, 80, of Whiting died on Sunday, August 8, at home.

Born in Kearny, he had lived in Scotch Plains for 37 years before moving to Whiting 16 years ago.

Mr. Gillman had been a sales engineer with Weston Electrical Instrument in Newark for over 30 years before retiring in 1983.

Surviving are his wife of 57 years, Elizabeth F. Gillman; a daughter, Barbara Vreeland, and a sister, Lois Zulli.

Private funeral services were arranged by the Anderson Campbell Funeral Home in Whiting.

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Michael Ginda, 82, Commercial Painter; Saw Action at Battle for Midway Island

Michael R. Ginda, 82, of Scotch Plains died on Friday, August 6, at Muhlenberg Regional Medical Center in Plainfield.

Born in Carteret, he moved to Scotch Plains in 1947.

Mr. Ginda had been a commercial painter with the International Brotherhood of Painters and Allied Trades Local No. 1005 of Perth Amboy since 1947, retiring in 1978.

He was a member of the Knights of Columbus, Monsignor Watterson Council No. 1711 of Westfield; Fourth Degree Honor Guard with Watchung Knights of Columbus; a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post No. 2314 of Carteret, and Past President of the Jim Beam Bottle Club of the Jersey Jackpot.

He was also a Santa Claus volunteer for the Mount Hope Orphanage and Knights of Columbus councils; an usher, church feast volunteer and Holy Name Society member at St. Bartholomew the Apostle Roman Catholic Church in Scotch Plains, and a member of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks Eagles in Plainfield and the Sierra Club of

Union County West.

Mr. Ginda was a 1947 graduate of the School of Horology in Newark, a school of watch, jewelry repair and consignment study.

He served in the United States Navy during World War II, and was assigned to various ships in the Pacific, including the aircraft carrier U.S.S. *Yorktown*. Mr. Ginda was aboard the *Yorktown* during the Battle of Midway Island in June of 1942 when the ship, listing and disabled by Japanese dive bombers, was torpedoed and sunk by a submarine. Before the war, he had served with the United States Merchant Marine.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Kostyz Ginda, and a daughter, Roberta Ginda-Vrachos.

A funeral service was conducted on Monday, August 9, at the Rossi Funeral Home in Scotch Plains, followed by a Mass at St. Bartholomew the Apostle Church.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Scotch Plains Rescue Squad, P.O. Box 325, Scotch Plains, 07076.

August 12, 1999

Louis Case, Jr., 71, Transco Engineer; Pipeline and Construction Inspector

Louis C. Case, Jr., 71, of Westfield died on Saturday, August 7, in Rahway Hospital.

Born in McDonald, Pa., he had lived in Clarksburg, W. Va., and in Old Bridge before moving to Westfield 31 years ago.

Mr. Case had been a construction inspector with the Middlesex County Utilities Authority for 10 years before retiring. Prior to that, he had worked as an oil and gas engineer for Transco and as a pipeline inspector for Brown and Root in North Slope, Alaska, while the pipeline was being built.

He earned a degree in engineering from West Virginia University in Morgantown, W. Va.

He was a member of the West Virginia University Alumni Association, the Scottish Rite, Valley of Northern New Jersey, the Alaska Shrine and the American Legion of Westfield.

He served in the United States Marine Corps during peacetime.

Surviving are his wife of 47 years, Barbara Case; three sons, Louis Case, 3rd of Yorktown, Va., Russell Case of Mechanic Falls, Me., and James Case of Westfield; a sister, Pauline

Safranek of Carnegie, Pa., and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Monday, August 9, in the Gray Funeral Home, 318 East Broad Street in Westfield.

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Adele E. Tobelmann

Adele E. Tobelmann, 84, of Fort Myers, Fla. died on Sunday, August 1.

Born in Newark, she was a resident of Westfield for 50 years before moving to Florida.

She was predeceased by her husband, Paul Tobelmann, in 1996.

Surviving are two daughters, Ruth Sumner Grant of Manlius, N.Y., and Elaine Gordon Grose of West Linn, Ore.; six grandchildren, and three great-grandchildren.

A Memorial Service will be held on Tuesday, August 17, at 1:30 p.m. at Grace Orthodox Presbyterian Church, 1100 Boulevard, Westfield.

Memorial contributions may be made to Billy Graham Evangelical Association, P.O. Box 779, Minneapolis, Minn. 55440, or a charity of choice.

Arrangements are being handled by the Harvey-Engelhard-Metz Funeral Home in Fort Myers.

August 12, 1999

Walter F. Moser, 82, Was Fire Lieutenant, Rescue Squad Volunteer in Scotch Plains

Walter F. Moser, 82, died on Monday, August 9, at his home in Scotch Plains.

Born and raised in Jersey City, he moved to Scotch Plains in 1952.

Mr. Moser was employed for 23 years by the Crucible Steel Company of America in Harrison as a Maintenance Supervisor, retiring in 1968. He subsequently had worked for H.F. Butler Corporation of Union as a Plant Engineer for 15 years, retiring in 1985.

He was an active member of the Scotch Plains Volunteer Rescue Squad. Mr. Moser was also a member of the Scotch Plains Fire Department for 31 years, retiring as a Lieutenant of Company No. 1.

He was a communicant of the First United Methodist Church of Scotch Plains.

Surviving are his wife, Lois Dietz Moser; two sons, Thomas Moser and Gordon Moser; a brother, Donald Moser of Thompsonstown, Pa., and five grandchildren.

A prayer service was held on Tuesday, August 10, at Memorial Funeral Home, 155 South Avenue, Fanwood. Interment was private.

Memorial donations may be made to the Center for Hope Hospice, 176 Husca Street, Linden, 07036 or the Scotch Plains Rescue Squad, P.O. Box 325, Scotch Plains, 07076.

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Margarete Hendricks, 92

Margarete Hendricks, 92, of Scotch Plains died on Tuesday, August 10, in the Ashbrook Nursing Home in Scotch Plains.

Born in Germany, she lived in East Orange and Newark before moving to Scotch Plains last year.

Mrs. Hendricks was a saleswoman for Muelers Bakery in East Orange for 30 years, before retiring 34 years ago.

She was a member of the 3M Club and the Woman's Fellowship, both of the United Church of Christ in Newark.

Surviving are a stepdaughter, Frances Ward, and a sister, Karoline Graeff.

Funeral services will be held today, Thursday, August 12, at 11 a.m. in the Quinn-Hopping Funeral Home in Livingston.

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Stanley Franzyszen, Sr., 74, Former Oil Distributor at Dean Oil Company

Stanley C. Franzyszen, Sr., 74, of Somerset died on Tuesday, August 10, at Somerset Medical Center.

Born in Somerset, he was a lifelong resident of the Somerset section of Franklin Township.

Mr. Franzyszen was employed at Dean Oil Company in Fanwood for 45 years before retiring in 1988.

He was an active member of the Elizabeth Avenue Volunteer Fire Department for 28 years; a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners - Fire District I, Franklin Township and past exalted ruler of the Bound Brook Elks, BPOE No. 1388.

He was a communicant of Our Lady of Mercy Church in South Bound Brook.

He was predeceased by three brothers, Edward Franzyszen, John Franzyszen and Frank Franzyszen, and three sisters, Helen Franzyszen, Ethel Franzyszen and Josephine Franzyszen.

Surviving are his wife of 49 years, Lillian Franzyszen; a son, Stanley Franzyszen, Jr. of Somerset; a sister, Sophie Kulaszewski of Somerset and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, August 13, at 9:30 a.m. from the Conroy Funeral Home in Bound Brook, followed by a 10:30 a.m. funeral Mass at Our Lady of Mercy Church in South Bound Brook. In-

terment will be held at the Resurrection Cemetery in Piscataway.

Visitation will be held today, Thursday, August 12, from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. at the Conroy Funeral Home.

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Ernest Andersen, 73

Ernest Andersen, 73, of Garwood died on Tuesday, August 10, in Overlook Hospital in Summit.

Born in Elizabeth, he had lived in Westfield for 35 years.

Mr. Andersen was an accountant for Kearfoot, Little Falls for 37 years. An Army veteran of World War II, he had served in the European Theater.

Surviving are his wife, Rose Andersen; two daughters, Ann Marie Dreyer and Laurie Ann Green; a son, Ernest Andersen, 3rd; three sisters, Helen Doherty, Clara Abbott and Ruth Barry; a brother, Dave Andersen and three grandchildren.

Visiting hours will be held at Dooley Colonial Home, 556 Westfield Avenue, Westfield today, Thursday, August 12, from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. A Funeral Mass will be held in Holy Trinity Roman Catholic Church in Westfield on Friday, August 13, at 10 a.m.

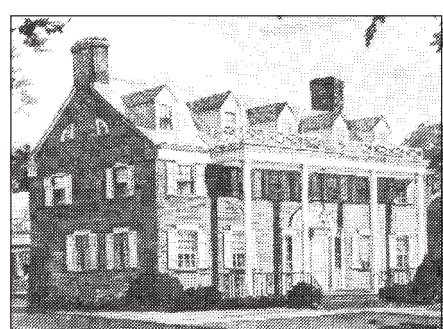
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