

Walter Kapuscinski, 86, Was Foreman; Took Part in D-Day Normandy Invasion

Walter Kapuscinski, 86, of Westfield died on Wednesday, September 14, at Overlook Hospital in Summit.

Born and raised in Brooklyn, N.Y., he relocated to Westfield in 1980. Mr. Kapuscinski had been a foreman for the Burndy Corporation in the Bronx, N.Y. for 47 years, retiring in 1982.

A United States Army veteran, he was a private in the 89th Infantry Division during World War II and participated in the D-Day invasion of Normandy. He was awarded the European/African Campaign Medal.

Mr. Kapuscinski was a member of American Legion Post No. 0003 of Westfield.

Surviving are his wife of 63 years, Viola Wiczerek Kapuscinski; a son, Walter A. Kapuscinski; a brother, George Kapuscinski, and three grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial was

Florence Feldman, 83

Florence Feldman, 83, of Westfield died on Tuesday, September 13, at the Berkeley Heights Convalescent Center in Berkeley Heights.

Born in Brooklyn, N.Y. on April 17, 1922, the daughter of the late Benjamin and Jesse Ritter Rosenblum, she had lived in Westfield and then in New York City before returning to Westfield in 2003.

Mrs. Feldman was a homemaker. She was predeceased by her husband, Abner Feldman, in 2003.

Surviving are three sons, Marshall Feldman of Virginia Beach, Va., Michael Feldman of San Ramon, Calif. and Robert Feldman of Westfield, and seven grandchildren.

A memorial service was held on Friday, September 16, at the Gray Funeral Home, 318 East Broad Street in Westfield. Cremation was private under the direction of the funeral home.

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offered on Saturday, September 17, at St. Anne's Roman Catholic Church in Garwood. Entombment took place at Fairview Cemetery in Westfield.

Arrangements were under the direction of the Dooley Funeral Home, 218 North Avenue in Cranford.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Westfield Rescue Squad, P.O. Box 356, Westfield 07091.

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Juel L. Kling, 80

Juel Lynette Kling, 80, of Surfside Beach, S.C. died on Monday, August 29, at Grand Strand Regional Medical Center in Myrtle Beach, S.C.

Born January 29, 1925 in Chicago, Ill., she was the daughter of the late John E. and Julia Meier Petersen.

Mrs. Kling had lived in Westfield, Fanwood and Titusville before moving to Surfside Beach.

She had worked for the New Jersey State Department of Community Affairs prior to retiring.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Westfield and the Titusville United Methodist Church in Titusville, as well as the Socastee United Methodist Church in South Carolina.

Surviving are her husband, Arthur Kling; a son, John Kling of Pennington; two daughters, Cynthia Kelly of Abingdon, Md. and Sandra Kling of Edison; a brother, John E. Petersen of Westfield, and a granddaughter.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, September 24, at the Titusville United Methodist Church.

The Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel of Murrells Inlet, S.C. is in charge of the arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to The Chancel Guild, Titusville United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 355, Titusville, N.J. 08560.

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— Obituaries —

William F. Walker, 83, Was Executive; Had Chaired Committees at Church

William F. "Bill" Walker, 83, of Johnstown, Pa. died on Wednesday, June 22, at UPMC Lee Regional Hospital in Johnstown.

Born on February 18, 1922 in Decatur, Ill., the son of Cecil L. and Rita Cooper Walker, he formerly lived in Westfield and graduated from Westfield High School. He relocated to Johnstown in 1951.

Bill retired as President of Rite-Way Insurance Co. in Johnstown and Windber, Pa.

He was a World War II Army Air Corps and Army Infantry Officers' Candidate School veteran, having served as a first lieutenant.

Bill was an active member of the Mount Calvary Lutheran Church in Johnstown, where he served as Chairman of the Building Committee and the Call Committee and was a lay leader.

He also was Past President and a past board member of the Windber Country Club; a past board member and advisory board member of the former Citizens Bank; Past

President of the Richland College Manor Homeowners Association, and a past commissioner and volunteer with local baseball for over 20 years.

He was predeceased by his parents and by a sister, Helen May.

Surviving are his wife of 59 years, the former Nora Gene McQuaide; a son and daughter-in-law, William P. and Diana Seger Walker of Huber Heights, Ohio; a daughter, Candi Walker of Ephrata, Pa.; two sisters, Nina Curren of Port Richey, Fla. and Celia Stone of Portsmouth, Va.; 11 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

A service was held on Saturday, June 25, at the Mount Calvary Lutheran Church, with the Reverend Ronald B. Reed officiating. Interment took place at Forest Lawn Memorial Park in Johnstown, with military rites conducted by the Menoher Post No. 155 Veterans of Foreign Wars Ritual Team.

The Harris Funeral Home of Johnstown was in charge of the arrangements.

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Samuel Louise, 92, Was Accountant; Army Veteran and Dance Enthusiast

Samuel J. Louise, 92, a lifelong resident of Westfield, died on Sunday, September 18, at his home.

Mr. Louise had been an accountant with Bristol Myers Inc. in Hillsdale for 10 years before retiring in 1977. Prior to that, he worked for Schering Plough in Kenilworth.

A United States Army veteran of World War II, he served in New Zealand, Australia, New Guinea and Luzon, Philippines.

He was a member of the Friday Nighters Dance Club and the Round Towners Dance Club.

He was predeceased by his wife, Olga Louise, in 2003.

Surviving are a daughter, Janet Louise, and a son, Ronald Louise.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. today, Thursday, September 22, at the Dooley Colonial Home, 556 Westfield Avenue in Westfield. Visitation will take place at 10 a.m. at the funeral home. Interment will be at Fairview Cemetery in Westfield.

Memorial donations may be made to the Disabled American Veterans or to People for Animals.

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Thomas Marshall, 3rd, 66, Constable; Held Rank of Melchizedek Priest

Thomas A. Marshall, 3rd, 66, of San Antonio, Tex., formerly of Westfield, died on Sunday, September 18, in San Antonio of an aneurysm. His parents, Thomas A. Marshall, Jr. and Lucile Bush Marshall, predeceased him.

A 1957 Westfield High School graduate, Mr. Marshall worked in law enforcement for various agencies, most recently as a Bexar County, Tex. Constable, Precinct 4. He was employed as a Fleet Maintenance Officer for the San Antonio Police Department.

He was actively involved in Alaskan Malamute Rescue and attained the rank of Melchizedek priest in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Besides his wife, Bilinda Ambler Marshall, he is survived by his first wife, Barbara Russel Lewis; his chil-

dren, Beverly J. Marshall Van Note and William J. Marshall; two step-children, Christina Mikesell and Michelle Darnell, and 10 grandchildren. Two sisters, Susan M. Gardiner and Kathryn M. Staph, one brother, John F. Marshall, four nieces and two nephews, also survive him.

A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. today, Thursday, September 22, at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 8801 Midcross, Windcrest, Tex. 78239 (210) 656-4111.

Mr. Marshall suffered from type 1 diabetes since the age of four. Memorial donations may be made to the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation International (800) 533-CURE (2873), 120 Wall Street, 19th Floor, New York, N.Y. 10005.

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John L. Tittle, 99, Was Bank Senior VP; Church Treasurer and 60-Year Member

John L. Tittle, 99, of Bridgewater died on Thursday, September 15, at Somerset Medical Center in Somerville.

Born in Springfield, Ohio, he had lived in Scotch Plains and Westfield before moving to Bridgewater in 1999.

John began his career in banking with Hanover Bank in New York City. He retired short of 50 years in 1970 as a Senior Vice President of Trust Operation for Chase Manhattan in New York City.

He was a 60-year member of the First United Methodist Church of Westfield, where he served as Treasurer, and was a member of the Bridgewater United Methodist Church since 1999.

John was an avid golfer and New York Yankee fan. He enjoyed crossword puzzles and was an excellent bridge player. John was a loving husband and devoted father and grandfa-

ther, and will be sadly missed by his family and friends.

Surviving are his wife of 77 years, Beryl Tittle; two sons and daughters-in-law, John L., Jr. and his wife, Marion, and William L. and his wife, Sharon; two daughters and sons-in-law, Sally Godfrey Philbrick and her husband, James, and Lois Griggs and her husband, Richard; eight grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, September 20, at the Bridgewater United Methodist Church. Interment followed at Hollywood Memorial Park in Union.

Arrangements were under the direction of the Bruce C. Van Arsdale Funeral Home in Somerville.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Bridgewater United Methodist Church, 651 Country Club Road, Bridgewater, N.J. 08807.

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Westfield Residents Ranked In Lawyers Guide Publication

ROSELAND — Westfield residents Richard Ricci and Lawrence Rolnick, members of the law firm of Lowenstein Sandler PC, have been ranked in the 2006-2007 edition of "The Best Lawyers in America," a referral guide to the legal profession in the United States.

Mr. Ricci is listed in the environmental section and Mr. Rolnick is listed in the commercial litigation section of the publication.

Mr. Ricci is Chairman of the firm's Environmental Department. He has experience in negotiations and litigation of environmental and construc-

tion issues. Mr. Ricci works on Superfund and toxic tort litigation, injunctive and penalty proceedings, construction, environmental and commercial litigation.

Mr. Rolnick chairs the firm's Securities Litigation & Enforcement Group. He has experience in commercial litigation, with emphasis in securities and class action litigation. Mr. Rolnick is listed in the business litigation section of the "Chambers USA Guide to America's Leading Lawyers for Business."

"The Best Lawyers in America" is widely regarded as the preeminent referral guide to the legal profession in the United States. Its lists are compiled through a survey in which top lawyers in the United States confidentially evaluate their professional peers.

Scotch Plains Reveals Date For Free Rabies Clinic

SCOTCH PLAINS – The Scotch Plains Health Department will hold a free rabies clinic for cats and dogs on Wednesday, September 28, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Northside Firehouse, located at 430 Senger Place.

Cats must be contained in a "cat carrier" or a box and accompanied by an adult able to control the animal. If this is the animal's initial vaccination (which includes those animals with an unknown vaccination history), the inoculation has a one-year duration.

Subsequent booster vaccinations have a three-year duration if the animal is age six months or older. 2005 cat licenses will be available at the clinic, and the cost is \$5. Cats will be vaccinated between 6:30 and 7:30 p.m.

Dogs also must be accompanied by

an adult who is able to control the animal. Revaccination is not necessary for three years unless the dog is under six months of age (or if the animal's vaccination history is unknown), thus requiring revaccination the subsequent year.

People also may obtain 2005 dog licenses at the clinic. The cost is \$6.20 for pets who are spayed or neutered, and \$9.20 for those who are not. Dogs will be vaccinated from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Individuals are asked to have a check or exact cash for the licenses. The New Jersey Department of Health recommends vaccination every two years, and the township will not issue a license unless the vaccination is valid for the entire licensing period. For further information, please call (908) 322-6700, extension no. 1-309.

More Community News



TRINKETS FOR TREASURE...As the community of Westfield wrestles with ways to help the victims of Hurricane Katrina, three young children put their hearts and their hands together to do their part. Laura Streaman and siblings Catherine and Chris Sabatino created homemade necklaces, bracelets and rings, which they then sold to passersby in downtown Westfield. Through generous donations, the children collected over \$200, which was donated to the American Red Cross for the hurricane victims. Pictured, from left to right, are: Catherine Sabatino, Laura Streaman and Chris Sabatino.

Spin-a-Thon to Help Victims of Hurricane

SCOTCH PLAINS – A Spin-a-Thon will be held on Sunday, October 2, to support the Jewish Community Center (JCC) of Central New Jersey's Hurricane Katrina Relief Effort.

Participants will spin or ride stationary bicycles with the support of sponsors from among family and friends. The community is urged to sponsor spinners, or simply to donate, to help the victims of the disaster.

Sessions, each lasting 45 minutes, will be held at 8 a.m., 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. A 10 a.m. session will be added if necessary.

One hundred percent of the funds collected will go to the JCC's Hurricane Katrina Relief Fund. To participate as either a spinner or a sponsor, please call Karen Rosen at (908) 889-8800, extension no. 224, or Deborah Price, extension no. 225, for more information.

Library Friends Seek Donations For Sale

SCOTCH PLAINS – The Friends of the Scotch Plains Public Library are asking area residents to donate used videos, compact disks and books-on-tape to the library over the next several weeks. The Friends will resell these items during Scotch Plains Day on Sunday, October 9.

"We are looking for professionally made videos and CDs only – not home movies or TV shows or CDs taped from the radio," said Friends President Bob Czaja.

"We are looking for films, documentaries, how-to and exercise videos, etc., and especially children's videos," he continued. "We are also looking for audio-books and music of all kinds. These items should be in very good condition, since they will be resold."

Any resident wishing to donate videos, compact disks and books-on-tape may bring them to the library at 1927 Bartle Avenue during regular library hours.



DOWNTOWN BUSINESS TALK...Executive Director of the Downtown Westfield Corporation (DWC) Sherry Cronin, right, addressed the Westfield Rotary Club about the activities of the DWC at the club's weekly lunch on September 13. Pictured at left is the President of the Westfield Rotary Club, Nancy Jackson.

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Fort Dix to Conduct Retiree Open House

AREA – Fort Dix will host its annual Military Retiree Open House this Saturday, September 24, at Griffith Field House.

The formal ceremony is scheduled from 10 to 11 a.m., with guest speaker Avis Allen, Deputy Director of the Department of Army Retiree Services.

Following the ceremony, there will be a demonstration jump by the Silver Wings Jump Team and a fair featuring information and health booths. All military retirees and their families are welcome.