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Thought for the Week: When you can't have what you want, it's time to start wanting what you have. Kathleen A. Sutton

## COMING IN 2026!

Broadway Senior at Heritage Pointe.

The Pulse Opera House and Heritage Pointe in Warren, Indiana are partnering in March of 2026 to produce a musical coming Pulse Players with residents. All actors must be 65+ years old.

Auditions will be held in January with afternoon rehearsals throughout January and February. Memorization is not required for the show.

Rehearsals and performances will be held in the chapel, so those not in the show can come and watch. All rehearsals and performances will be held in the afternoon.

In addition to being in the show, we are looking for residents to help with the music, sewing costumers and possible some woodworking. Also could us some help from Pulse volunteers or community members who would like to assist.

There will be one performance for Heritage Pointe residents only and two performances open to the public.

Watch for more information as it develops. Exciting new opportunity for community members and residents!

## CONCERT FRIDAY

Jai Baker 3 will be performing at Riverside Park this Friday, July 25 at 7pm. Bring a chair or blanket and come listen to a great group.

If it rains the concert will be moved to Knight Bergman Civic Center.

At the early age of 7, Jai began performing with his family's Indiana based band with his big brother, David Baker (lead guitar). 4 years

later they would meet Kevin Bonewitz (drums). The three would not only become best friends but life long brothers. Jai, David and Kevin travelled playing fairs, festivals and family events with Jai and David's parents. This experience proved to be invaluable in the development of Jai Baker's musicality. Jai has played everything from Waylon Jennings and Johnny Cash to Fleetwood Mac, The Beatles, Matchbox 20 to Pearl Jam and Morgan Wallen to Hardy and everything in between. Variety of songs meant happy customers at the end of the night.

As Jai grew into his High School years (Warsaw Community High School, Warsaw, Indiana), he began playing in a Hard Rock band performing original music at various festivals, fairs and concert venues. They continued to hone and refine their musical sound. When you hear Jai sing today, all of these influences have created a beautiful amalgamation of color that is uniquely Jai Baker.

Currently, Jai Baker has focused all of his life and musical experiences into the genre of Country music. Throughout the touring process Jai has realized it's not always an easy road. Persevering through tough personal life struggles and balancing a healthy family life with a music career is never easily accomplished. Climbing over the steep mountains of life and maintaining a musical path simultaneously proves to be an ominous endeavor. Through Jai's perseverance, some momentum has started to occur. In 2010 and 2012, Jai pushed far into American Idol and The Voice television

programs nearly making the finals in both. He has opened or shared the stage with many National Headlining acts including, Luke Bryan, Justin Moore, Keith Urban, Faith Hill, Gretchen Wilson, Riley Green, Mitchell Tenpenny and Colt Ford. He recently opened for hip hop artist, Flo Rida at Ruoff Home Mortgage Center in Noblesville, Indiana. Jai Baker is a proud artist and partner of Jim Beam Suntory, which has proven to be an amazing alliance. Jai is currently working on their first regional/national release. Mixing Jai's unique, powerful voice with his unique writing style, Jai Baker is sure to leave the consumer wanting more!

When you take modern Country Music and smash it into a Rock N Roll edge you find the new world of Jai Baker.

## SPECIAL MEETING

The Town Council of the Town of Warren met Wednesday, July 16, 2025 in Special Session at 9:45 am in the Council Meeting Room, Assembly Hall, 131 N. Wayne

Those present: Boxell, Buzzard, Schweikhardt; Clerk-Treasurer Morrison. Absent: Rufener.

Ordinance 2025-12, An Ordinance to Rezone a Parcel POD to R-4 was submitted for consideration of adoption. Buzzard moved seconded by Schweikhardt to adopt Ordinance 2025-12. Yes: Boxell, Buzzard, Schweikhardt. Absent: Rufener.

## EXECUTIVE MEETING

The Town Council of the Town of Warren met Wednesday, July 16, 2025 in a session called as an Executive Session

in accordance with rules of Council and applicable law.

Those present were: Council Members, Steve Buzzard, Michelle Schweikhardt, Ron Boxell, Attorney Neizer, Clerk-Treasurer: Morrison. Absent: Rufener.

President Buzzard opened the meeting at 10:00 am.

Agenda Item: Purchase, lease, transfer, exchange of real property.

## SEE AND BE SEEN ON RURAL ROADS THIS SUMMER

by Janis Highley,  
2nd vice president of  
Indiana Farm Bureau  
We all know the old adage "corn is knee high by the Fourth of July," but most farmers know that nowadays, thanks to technological advancements, corn is actually much taller than your knee by mid-summer. By late-July, corn should really be more like "head high," or even towering over you at about 7- to 8-feet tall. But with taller corn comes safety precautions that Hoosier farmers must remember.

Many of us know the importance of road safety during planting and harvest season. Accidents involving tractors and other agricultural machinery occur every year. However, less may realize that road safety is critical during the growing season too, specifically at intersections. I farm corn and soybeans with my family in northeast Indiana. Our corn is well beyond "head high" now, so I understand firsthand the importance of visibility on our rural roads. When you are driving you need to make sure you can see and be seen because it could be a matter of life and death.

Intersections along rural county roads often have crops that are so tall and close to the road, that they obscure the views of drivers and farmers in their equipment, leading to potential deadly collisions. Hoosier farmers should keep this in mind when they are planting corn close to road corners in the spring and consider planting their crops farther back. We should also remain vigilant about cutting back corn from intersections, so the crop doesn't obstruct drivers' line of sight. It takes just a few moments to trim back growth and could ultimately save lives.

As 2nd vice president of Indiana Farm Bureau, I also have the privilege of chairing the Indiana Farm Bureau Women's Leadership Committee. The committee is dedicated to keeping Indiana farmers safe by raising awareness of different aspects of farm safety, from precautions to take when applying chemicals or working in grain bins, to tips and resources for rural road safety – not just during planting and harvest season – but all year round.

Don't forget that everyone – both farmers driving equipment and motorists going to and from work – should slow down when driving. We are all neighbors, so let's remember to be alert, be patient, watch out for each other, and we will all get home safely.

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Life

in a Small Town

by Treva Flemming

First things first, thank you all for entering or attending the 2025 Historic Warren Art Show during the Salamonie Summer Festival. It was very well attended and can't thank you enough to all who helped with the success. Huge thank you to Becky Souder and the Historic Warren committee for all the help in the sponsorship and use of The Exchange. Tara Bowman and John Flemming for their help in making it possible and of course Ag Express for letting us have some great easels to hang the artwork on. Your work does not go unnoticed and is so much appreciated.

My first week of work has been completed and can't say I worked too hard other than I am doing 10 hours johnny on the spot, which I am fine with, gives me some blow money. Working in the biomedical world is really a whole different world and I am not too sure I was prepared for it, but I am going to make it. I've learned that 63 degrees is very cold when air is blowing and I know germs can't do cold, but for a few days I was thinking I can't either. So, if you see me dressed like it's cold outside I am just coming from work. Sweatpants and sweatshirts and it's 110 degrees, well I am probably thawing out. Just can't wait to see what it's like this winter; I won't have anywhere to go thaw out other than the Jeep. lol

This past Sunday I had the privilege of attending the Joseph E. Allen family reunion and I have attended for the past 3 or 4 years. I have made an appearance as Mrs. Claus the year they did Christmas in July and then last year I was the official BINGO caller for the day. This year I was helping with the horse race at Churchill Downs at their Kentucky Derby reunion. They always seem to make it a special one. The ladies all came with their fascinators on and there were some doozies. It is always a good time, and I am so glad I could be a part of it.

In reality I am a part of the family. Everyone thinks that Tara and I are just friends when we are really relatives. Tara's great, great, great grandma is my great, great aunt, Susanah Beck Allen and that's not all, her aunt was my sister-in-law but many moons ago and times have changed. So that makes Tara's cousins my niece and nephew, but I am not done yet, it just so happens that Tara's uncle married my sister in laws husbands sister, ok that's way to out of the loop, but I know who they are and we speak when we cross paths.

I was also on the receiving end of a family cookbook at the reunion. They had the idea of making a family cookbook and the cost was \$10 now you know me, I am a sucker for a cookbook especially a family cookbook, but looking through it on the quick glance I came across a recipe that my husband has tried to tell me for years how to make but he was unsure of exactly how it was made. So now I know how and in

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Denise Heiniger, S.S. Supt.  
Sunday Worship ..... 9:30a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 10:45a.m.

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Youth Group 4:30-7:30pm at SwitchUp  
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260/515-2517  
Sunday Prayer ..... 9:15 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
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Matt Kennedy, Pastor  
Worship Service ..... 9:00a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 10:00a.m.

**HANFIELD GLOBAL METHODIST CHURCH**  
101 N 400 E - Marion 765/664-8726  
Curtis Banker, Senior Pastor  
Worship..... 10:30 a.m.  
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**THE NEW BEGINNING**  
SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto  
Steve Sutton, Pastor  
765/728-2065 for more info  
Sunday Worship..... 10:30a.m.  
Thursday Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m.

**HERITAGE POINTE**  
Chaplains Ginny Soultz, John Moyer & Cindy Osgood  
Sunday Morning Worship ..... 9:30 a.m.  
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Thurs. Catholic Mass ..... 10:30a.m.

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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.

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John Boyanowski, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 9:00 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 10:00 a.m.

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765.251.2322  
Ron Forsythe, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Wednesdays:  
Bible Study & Prayer ..... 7:00 p.m.

**LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH**  
694-6622  
Aaron Westfall, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 9:15 a.m.  
Fellowship ..... 10:00a.m.  
Worship ..... 10:15a.m.  
Tues. Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Wed. Choir ..... 6:30p.m.  
Monthly Meetings  
1<sup>st</sup> Mon Ministry Team ..... 7:00 p.m.  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sat Mens Prayer Breakfast 8:00 am  
4<sup>th</sup> Mon ABW ..... 1:30 pm

**LIBERTY CENTER COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Pastor Diane Samuels  
Fellowship Time .....9:00a.m.  
Morning Worship .....9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 10:45 a.m.

**THE CHURCH AT MCNATT**  
375-4359  
Daniel Tucker, Pastor  
Lois Slusher, Supt.  
Brittney Miller, Youth & Family Dir.  
Coffee Fellowship..... 8:30 a.m.  
Worship ..... 9:15 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Bible Study - Wed. .... 6:30 p.m.

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Sunday Worship..... 9:30 a.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Youth Sunday School during  
Worship Service  
Youth Group-Wed ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Communion 1st Sunday of the Month

**VB CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
765/934-3321 Parsonage  
Jeff Slater, Pastor  
Jim Knight, Superintendent  
Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Adult Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Children's Church ..... 10:30a.m.  
Evening Praise Hour ..... 6:00p.m.  
Hour of Power (Wed) ..... 7:00p.m.

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Worship Service ..... 9:30 am  
Sunday School ..... 10:45am  
Not Home Alone - Wed ..... 3:00 pm  
Prayer Group (Thur)..... 6:30pm  
Men Serving God Group ... 4<sup>th</sup> Sat. 9am  
Little Ones Book Club 1st Tue 10:00 am  
Just Older Youth 3rd Tue ..... 12:00 pm

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Fellowship .....9:15 a.m.  
Worship & Communion .....9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School .....11 to 11:50 a.m.  
Youth:  
K-6th grade, Mon ..... 6:15-7pm  
Jr/Sr Hi, Sunday ..... 6-8pm

**FARRVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
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765-618-0027  
Pastor Al Soultz  
Sunday Worship..... 10:30 am  
Sunday School Classes .....9:30 am  
Wed. Bible Study .....7:00 pm

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AREA NEWS

TAHQUAMENON FALLS TRIPS PART 2

by Larry Ryan  
The first adventure to the Tahquamenon State Park in Upper Michigan, when I was a youth, left a lasting impression on me. So, I planned a trip, with my wife's approval, to take our three, young children to see the majestic waterfalls.

Of course a boat ride to Mackinac Island was on our way north. There was no car ferry to the island. Motorized vehicles were not permitted. This rule happened years ago because the automobile engine noise scared the horses. And there were many of those animals on the island, plus a multitude of bicycles. You had three choices of on-island transportation: Horse-drawn carriage, bicycle, or walking. After spending a couple of hours of sightseeing on foot, another boat returned us to a Mackinaw City parking lot and our car.

By 1957, a 5 mile long bridge was successfully constructed for faster and more convenient travel across the Mackinac Straits. Ferry boat travel became nonexistent across the 4 x 30 miles strait. After paying a crossing fee and motoring above this body of water, we stayed overnight in St. Ignace, Michigan.

I located Highway # 123 in Mackinac County and headed north. The Chippewa County line was crossed before heading west on Highway # 23. Just inside of Luce County, the little railroad town of Soo Junction was the location to board the Toonerville Trolley. This open-air, narrow gauge rail line took us for a 35 minute ride through the wilderness to the Tahquamenon River. The area was advertised to include deer, black bear, coyote, otter, fox, woodpeckers, and on occasions, an eagle and a moose. Beech, sugar maple, eastern hemlock, and birch trees were abundant. A few birds were visible, but no wildlife. Too early morning for them?

Upstream from the Upper Tahquamenon Falls was the

double-decker boat, the Hiawatha waiting to take us for a two hour ride to the Upper Falls. Luckily an inside compartment provided some warmth against the brisk atmosphere. The trail to the falls was narrow and slippery. I carried my youngest daughter as we made our way along a path until we were actually behind the water plummeting downward from above us. As the gushing stream plunged onto the rocks 50 feet below, a barrage of foam mushroomed. The "soft" water condition created such.

We did not hike the 4 miles downstream to the Lower Falls. That formation consisted of five smaller falls that surrounded an island. Both of the falls can be reached by trails from Highway # 123. We were on a 6 ½ hour round trip schedule. The Hiawatha was again waiting for our return before retracing the river voyage back to the Toonerville Trolley. The train ride to Soo Junction was a little warmer than the earlier one, but not much!

My children still remember that vacation trip.

FAIL YOUR WAY TO SUCCESS

by Bryan Golden  
Fear of failure is one of the biggest fears people have. Ironically, failure is an integral component of the success process. There are two

distinctly different types of failure. Absolute failure is when you give up. Successful failure is when you get back up.

Of course, not everything you attempt works out as planned. When striving for a goal, you will likely discover many ways which don't work as anticipated. Successful people throughout history have experienced this phenomenon.

It took Thomas Edison 10,000 tries before he finally discovered a workable formula for a commercially viable lightbulb. When asked how it felt to fail so many times, Edison explained that he hadn't failed at all. Instead, he had discovered 9,999 ways a light bulb wouldn't work.

Henry Ford went bankrupt twice before his third attempt at a successful automobile manufacturing company finally took hold. R. H. Macy went bankrupt three times before he came up with a successful business model. Dr. Seuss was rejected by 23 publishers before the 24th publisher sold millions of his books.

Most job seekers go through this process before landing a position they want. They fail their way to success by sending out hundreds of resumes. Their goal is to get one or more interviews which ultimately lead to at least one job offer. Then, if the job doesn't meet their

expectations, they have to start the process over again.

You learned to walk by failing your way to success. Each time you fell down, you struggled to get back up. Each iteration of this process taught you muscle control and balance. You ultimately learned to walk because you refused to give up.

There are countless other examples of people who have failed their way to success. Yet, there are also even more people who have failed and then given up. It's up to you whether you will experience successful failure, or absolute failure.

Here are some strategies to use in order to fail your way to success. First, accept failure as a necessary ingredient for success. Each failure gets you one step closer to your objective. Failure is a learning opportunity which shows what requires adjustment.

After each failure, determine what went wrong and look for ways to make improvements. Success requires continuous learning. Seek to constantly add to your skills and knowledge. Study successful people to determine what they have done right. Learn from unsuccessful people what not to do.

Taking action is crucial for producing results. Always be in motion working towards your objective. Keep trying new approaches until you find a working formula. Get up right away each time you stumble or fall.

Leave your comfort zone. You've got to try things you

have not done before. When what you are doing is not working, you must make positive changes. This requires venturing into the unknown.

Failure is likely if you take steps which are too big. Big steps are difficult to manage and complete. Big steps should be broken down into a number of smaller, more manageable steps. For example, opening a large restaurant from scratch is fraught with challenges. If you have little or no experience, your chances of failure increase.

Instead, start with a small sandwich shop. As you gain success and experience, you could expand your business. By taking smaller, more manageable steps, failures are more readily recoverable.

Don't fear failure. Embrace successful failure as essential for goal attainment. Use each failure as the invaluable learning tool it is. The way you fail yourself to success is by getting right up whenever you fall down.

Bryan is the author of "Dare to Live Without Limits." Contact Bryan at Bryan@columnist.com or visit www.DareToLiveWithoutLimits.com Copyright 2025 Bryan Golden





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|         |       |                                                   |
|---------|-------|---------------------------------------------------|
| Jul 25  | 7:00p | W - Jai Baker 3 Concert @ Riverside Park          |
| Aug 6   | Noon  | W - Chamber of Commerce Luncheon @ KBC            |
| Aug 6   | 7:00p | V - Town Council Meeting @ Town Hall              |
| Aug 7-9 |       | V - Van Buren Popcorn Festival                    |
| Aug 11  | 5:00p | W - Town Council Meeting @ Assembly Hall          |
| Aug 12  | 6:30p | W - SSF Meeting @ KBC                             |
| Aug 18  | 6:30p | W - KBC Board Meeting @ KBC                       |
| Aug 20  | 7:00p | V - Town Council Meeting @ Town Hall              |
| Aug 29  | 7:00p | W - Soul Shot & Cannonball Brass @ Riverside Park |

Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wednesdays - 2 - 4:00pm at KBC;

Bargain Basement - Friday & Saturday - 9 - 4 at KBC

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## AREA NEWS CONTINUED

### BEING TREATED RIGHT

by Daris Howard

Jan worked at a fast-food restaurant. Most of the workers were like her—college students with very little money, trying to make ends meet. She didn't mind the long hours and hard work. Most of the other employees were kind, and they got along well. But there was one thing that she really hated. It was when a customer came along who acted like she, or one of her coworkers, was nothing because they had to work at this type of job.

The worst person was a man who went by the name of Guy. Jan knew that wasn't his real name. He was a state politician and felt that made him privileged. Jan had seen Guy's impatience when the line was long. Even though they were moving food through quickly, Guy still felt it was the worker's fault when he had to wait more than a couple of minutes.

Jan knew she wasn't the only one who dreaded dealing with Guy. The minute he came in the door, everyone immediately found something to do so they wouldn't have to take his order. But this time, when Guy came in, Jan was the only one on ordering, and she knew she would have to deal with him.

To make matters worse, there was a new manager. Word was that Tess had been a manager in a tough, inner-city restaurant and had transferred here to go to school. So, Jan was sure Tess had never met Guy before. Managers experienced with Guy would not take his negative remarks about an employee seriously. But a new manager might, and she might put that in the employee file.

Guy came to the ordering counter. Even though her heart was trembling, Jan put on her best smile and asked, "What can I get for you?"

Guy ordered, and Jan read the order back to him. True to form, he was annoyed.

"Can't you people get anything right? I ordered a large fry."

Jan knew for sure he hadn't, but she punched it in. She again read it back to him. He rolled his eyes and spoke in a loud, demeaning voice.

"Are you stupid or something? You didn't mark extra ketchup like I said."

Guy then proceeded to berate Jan, saying that her uselessness was why she worked there and would never work anywhere else. Jan knew Guy had said nothing about ketchup. She tried to speak, to tell him she would correct it, but her voice wouldn't work. She could feel her emotions getting the best of her as she tried not to cry.

Suddenly, Tess was by Jan's side. She looked at Guy and said, "What did you call her?"

Guy unashamedly said, "I said she was stupid and couldn't get the order right. And that she would never do anything but a worthless job like this. If it weren't for people like me, people like you wouldn't even have a job."

"You've got that wrong, mister," Tess said. "If there weren't people like us serving food and doing this kind of work, there wouldn't be people like you. And furthermore, we don't have to take your abuse. You can just go somewhere else to eat."

Guy was furious. "I want to talk to your manager!"

"I am the manager!" Tess replied. "And you can just take your hoity-toity attitude and leave! And if you get hungry, you can just chew on your better-than-others feelings until you get full of yourself, which shouldn't take long, because you appear to be mostly there already!"

Guy glared at Tess, but Tess met his glare with one of her own and didn't back down, even though she was half his age. But then something else

happened. Another regular customer, who had seen this play out with Guy many times, stood and began to clap for Tess. Others in the restaurant joined him.

If there was one thing that could change the attitude of someone like Guy, it was community disapproval. When he saw how others felt about his treatment of Jan, he looked like he could crawl into a hole in the floor. When the clapping died down, Guy even apologized. Then he asked, "May I please still order?"

Tess nodded to Jan, and Jan finished the order without another word from Guy.

And Jan knew that she and Tess were going to be best friends.

(Daris Howard, award-winning, syndicated columnist, playwright, and author, can be contacted at [daris@darishoward.com](mailto:daris@darishoward.com); or visit his website at <http://www.publishinginspiration.com>, to buy his books.)

### HOW SUPPORT AND CONNECTION CAN IMPROVE MENTAL HEALTH AS YOU AGE

(StatePoint) Mental health issues, such as stress, anxiety and depression, are common among older adults, and can be exacerbated by declining health, loss of loved ones, financial challenges and late-in-life regrets.

Unfortunately, these issues can impact overall health, quality of life, and in some cases, even be life-threatening. The suicide rate among Americans aged 75 and older is the highest of any age group, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

If you're an older adult, Dr. Zia Wahid, medical director

with Cigna's Medicare business, encourages you to take the following actions:

**Nurture relationships:** Research has found that loneliness can have negative health consequences as impactful as smoking 15 cigarettes a day. That's why finding connection is essential. Check with your local community center to find out what activities, classes and social events they offer. Faith-based organizations, neighborhood gatherings, and clubs based on common interests are also great ways to meet people and stay engaged. A simple phone call with a loved one is often enough to strengthen bonds, and emotional resilience.

**Get moving:** Physical activity can improve strength and agility as you age. It can also be a powerful way to boost your mood and ease anxiety and depression. From chair yoga to water aerobics, there are forms of exercise appropriate for every ability and age, and free or inexpensive classes offered in many communities. Your Medicare Advantage (MA) plan may also offer fitness benefits that can help you move more and stay connected. Group fitness not your thing? Consider just getting outdoors for a short walk and a dose of sunshine.

**Avoid substance misuse:** Substance use disorder is common among older adults, and can intensify mental health challenges. One in 11 adults over age 60 had a substance use disorder in 2022, and that number is on the rise, according to the American Psychological Association. Check your Medicare plan. It may cover treatment for alcoholism and substance use in both

inpatient and outpatient settings.

**Schedule a doctor's visit:** Mental health, just like physical health, requires your attention and care. If you're experiencing mental health concerns, schedule a doctor's appointment. They can refer you to a psychologist, psychiatrist or clinical social worker, or provide additional advice and resources.

**Get it off your chest:** Talking about your feelings with friends, family, or even a trained professional can be helpful. Medicare covers individual and group therapy with doctors or licensed clinicians, and some of these services are offered virtually.

**Consider medication:** Antidepressants, anti-anxiety medications, antipsychotics and mood stabilizers, can be effective treatments for certain mental health conditions. A Part D plan—either standalone or within an MA plan—covers many of these prescriptions. Before starting a new medication, be sure to talk to your doctor about possible side effects and interactions with drugs you're currently taking.

**Don't wait:** If you or someone you know is experiencing a mental health crisis, immediately call or text the Suicide and Crisis Lifeline at 988 to reach a trained crisis counselor. This free, confidential service is available 24/7 nationwide in both English and Spanish.

For more information about Medicare benefits and mental health, visit [cignamedicareinformation.com](http://cignamedicareinformation.com).

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HOOVER

On Monday, June 23, 2025, Randy Wayne Hoover passed from his earthly home to his heavenly home at the age of 68.

Randy was born in Huntington, Indiana, on October 5, 1956, to Herb and Vonnie Hoover. He graduated from Huntington North High School in 1975.

Randy worked with his father in their family owned business, Hoover the Mover, for many years. In addition, he worked in the police and sheriff's departments as an ordinance officer and other capacities.

As a city councilman, Randy worked to make the city of Huntington a better place for its citizens, even running for mayor once.

He often spoke proudly of the 28 years he portrayed Santa Claus in the area, his huge laugh and personality being a perfect fit.

Randy retired from Pendleton Prison in Indiana, where he had served as a correctional officer for seven years.

After living the majority of his life in the Huntington area, including some other nearby towns, he made the move to Tennessee in September, 2014. Shortly after, he met and fell in love with Cynthia Jantz. Realizing almost immediately that God had brought them together, Randy and Cindy married on June 15, 2015, in Mackinaw City, Michigan, on the bank of Lake Huron. Their marriage was a covenant between God and the two of them. They held God first throughout their marriage.

Randy advocated for others his entire life. The years he spent in Tennessee included volunteering with hospice, a domestic violence center, a suicide prevention organization, along with sharing food and other things with people and families who touched his heart. He loved making children and adults laugh, often at his own expense. Children always held a soft spot in his heart. Randy had an avid interest in classic cars, Big Foot, UFOs, and the unknown. He also had a love

for all things Amish, visiting Shipshewana, Indiana, many times, always saying he loved the simple life and the clippity clop of the horses. He loved music, especially the music from his youth. His faith was always foremost in his life. Being a Baptist from the time he accepted Christ many years ago, he had been attending church with his wife at St. Luke Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Madison, Tennessee, until the time of his passing.

Randy was preceded in death by his parents, Herbert and Lillian Yvonne (Detwiler) Hoover, and his sister Nancy Hoover Caverly.

He is survived by his loving wife of only ten years, Cynthia Jantz Hoover (Hendersonville, Tennessee); sister, Kathy Connolly (Mel); son, Justin Hoover (Jill), daughter, Haley Bair (Michael); and 5 grandchildren, Ryenne, Vince, Audrey, Liam, and Tristan (all from Indiana). Randy wished to be cremated.

There will be a memorial service to be announced at St. Luke Cumberland Presbyterian Church, 901 W. Old Hickory Blvd., Madison, Tennessee. In lieu of flowers, feel free to make a donation to Monroe Carell Jr. Children's Hospital at Vanderbilt or St. Luke Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

**ROYCE**

Carolyn Jean (Ancil) Royce, 88, of Warren, previously from LaFontaine, passed away at 5:40 a.m. on Thursday, July 3, 2025, at Heritage Pointe of Warren surrounded by family during her final hours.

She was born in Fort Wayne on Wednesday, May 26, 1937, to Ira and Bernice (Smith) Ancil.

On October 5, 1957, Carolyn married Cary R. "Bob" Royce. They were by each other's side for nearly 67 years.

She graduated from Van Buren High School in 1955.

Carolyn was a long-time member of LaFontaine United Methodist Church.

She enjoyed singing and bringing joy to people with her beautiful voice.

Carolyn was a member of the LaFontaine United Methodist Church choir and Mississinewa Valley Music Association and sang several years in the Marion Easter Pageant.

She also was a member of the United Methodist Church Sounds of Hope Concert Choir, where she toured Europe, along with her husband, Bob, performing in various cities.

Carolyn was crowned the Grant County 4-H Fair Queen of 1953.

She a long-time member of the Liberty Bells Home Extension Club and the LaFontaine Literary Club.

Carolyn's first job was in her parents' grocery store followed by working as a telephone switchboard operator.

She worked as both a reading teacher and the school secretary at LaFontaine Elementary School.

Carolyn enjoyed her time as a Longaberger Basket consultant.

She loved her family and friends and loved conversing with others.

Carolyn enjoyed having tea parties as well as cooking with her grandchildren and sharing their pictures.

She truly loved attending her children's and grandchildren's many activities and sporting events.

Survivors include her daughters, Judy (Mark) Richmond, of Fort Wayne, and Susan (Gregory) Jue, of Lakewood, Calif.; grandsons, Kyle (Lauren) Richmond, of Fishers, and Logan Richmond, of Brooklyn, N.Y.; granddaughters, Meagan Jue, of Santa Barbara, Calif., Emily

Jue, of Lakewood, Calif., and Abigail Jue, of Lakewood, Calif.; great-granddaughter, Emma Richmond; great-grandson, Luke Richmond; sister, Kay (Ancil) Lake, of Swayzee.

Carolyn was preceded in death by her parents and her loving husband, Cary R. "Bob" Royce.

The family will receive visitors from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Thursday, July 24, 2025, at LaFontaine United Methodist Church, 2 W. Kendall St., LaFontaine.

Immediately following the time of visitation, a service to celebrate Carolyn's life will begin at 1 p.m.

Burial will take place at Grant Memorial Park Cemetery, Marion.

Memorial contributions may be directed to The Sjogren's Foundation, 10701 Parkridge Blvd., Ste. 170, Reston, VA 20191 ([www.sjogrens.org](http://www.sjogrens.org)) or LaFontaine United Methodist Church, 2 W. Kendall St., LaFontaine, IN 46940.

**BROWN**

Margaret Marie (Hix) Brown, 96, of LaFontaine, formerly of Marion, passed away at 4:26 p.m. on Friday, July 4, 2025, at Rolling Meadows Health & Rehabilitation Center, LaFontaine.

She was born in Grant County on Thursday, Jan. 31, 1929.

Margaret will be laid to rest at Gardens of Memory Cemetery, Marion, next to her husband, Harry "Dick" Grant Brown Jr., with whom she shared 49 wonderful years of marriage.

She and Dick built their home on Bocock Road, Marion, in 1950, where they lovingly raised their family.

Margaret was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, friend, sister and mother-in-law.

They raised four children, Richard G. (Sharon) Brown (both deceased), Peggy Brown Swan (Tom, deceased), Debra Brown Armstrong-Ramler (Tim, deceased), and Di Brown Finnegan (Frank, deceased).

Margaret was a loving and cherished grandmother to Richard L. Brown, Jay Brown (Angie), Brian Brown (Maria), Scott Brown, James Brown, Teresa Swan, Thomas Swan, Tracy Swan, Lilly Armstrong Fields, Paul Armstrong (Sarah), Asa Armstrong, Frank Finnegan III and Flora Finnegan Sanchez (Adrian); a proud great-grandmother to 14 great-grandchildren.

She also leaves behind several nieces and nephews.

Margaret was the sister of Bob (Becky) Hix (both deceased), Gene Hix (Jondajane, deceased) and Jeannette (Charlie) Douglas (both deceased).

She was a lifelong, active member of Hanfield United Methodist Church, Marion, and was devoted to her faith and community.

Margaret also was a member of the United Methodist Women's Group, who contributed to various charities through baking and by collecting donations.

She supported the missionaries overseas and was a champion for the Humane Society.

Margaret also was an excellent seamstress for her family and community.

She loved hosting cookouts and Sunday dinners for friends and family in her home.

Margaret also loved the simple pleasures of life, such

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as enjoying the weather on her back porch swing and taking walks with her husband and family.

She and Dick were avid gardeners of flowers and vegetables, and she took pride in canning their harvest for the winter.

Margaret's legacy of love, faith and community service will be remembered and cherished by all who knew her.

She will be deeply missed.

The family received visitors on Thursday, July 10, 2025, at Needham-Storey -Wampner Funeral & Cremation Service, North Chapel, 1341 N. Baldwin Ave., Marion.

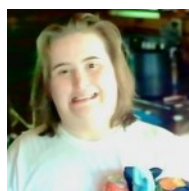
Immediately following the time of visitation, a service to celebrate Margaret's life was conducted with Pastor Curtis Banker officiating.

Burial took place at Gardens of Memory Cemetery, Marion.

Memorial contributions may be directed to Marion-Grant County Humane Society, P.O. Box 1921, Marion, IN 46952.

### ALLRED

Jessica Lynn Allred, 35, of Warren, passed away at her home on Tuesday, July 8, 2025.



She was born on May 28, 1990, in Huntington to Kirk and Jeannine (McMeans) Allred.

Jessica graduated from Huntington North in 2009.

She was always a happy kid and loved to watch movies.

Jessica loved dancing, swimming and Taco Bell.

She was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary Post #85, Huntington.

Jessica enjoyed spending time with her friends at Pathfinder Services.

She was preceded in death by her grandfather, Lloyd Allred.

Loving survivors include her parents, Kirk and Jeannine Allred, of Warren; sister, Ashley Allred, of Warren; nephews, Brayden and Nicholas; grandmother, Donna Allred, of Huntington.

A celebration of life was on Tuesday, July 15, 2025, at the American Legion Post #85, 1410 S. Jefferson St., Huntington, where Jessica's favorite food, tacos, was served.

Those wishing to donate in memory of Jessica may make donations to Ronald McDonald House Charities of Central Indiana, 435 Limestone St., Indianapolis, IN 46202.

### KING

 Galen Lee King of Bluffton passed away on July 8, 2025, at Markle Healthcare following a short illness.

He was born on Feb. 17, 1950, in Bluffton to Harold Jr King and Normal Jean (Norton) King. He married Deborah Dumpert on Nov. 22, 1985.

Galen was a 1968 graduate of Southern Wells and he proudly served our country in the Army National Guard from 1969-1975. He worked at Kmart Corporation for 27 years before working at Peyton's Northern for 17 years. He attended Liberty Center Baptist Church.

A doting Pappio, he attended his grandchildren's events, but the world stopped every year on Oct. 1 for deer season. He was an avid sportsman and a lifetime member of the North American Hunting Club and the VFW Auxiliary. He was also a longtime Packer and Yankee fan.

Surviving Galen are his wife, and children, Terri (Brian) King, Scott (Debra) King and Kasey (Ed) Osborn. He is also survived by his grandchildren,

Logan, Conner, Andrew, Morgan and Sylvia and three great-grandchildren. Galen's siblings are Richard King, Sid King, Sarah Jewell and sister-in-law Celinda King. Predeceasing Galen are his parents and his brother, Dave King.

A Celebration of Life will be on July 28, 2025, at Liberty Center Baptist Church. Visitation is from 3-5 p.m. with the service at 5 p.m. Military Rites are entrusted to American Legion Post 111, and Pastor Aaron Westfall will officiate Galen's Celebration service.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to the Church. We thank Markle Healthcare for their exceptional nursing staff, especially Shanna during Galen's short illness.

### BUZZARD

Jay Alan Buzzard, 63, passed away peacefully on July 14, 2025, after facing cancer with unwavering strength and a courageous spirit.



A man of quiet determination and wide-ranging talents, Jay had a gift for excelling at everything he touched. Whether it was leading as President of a manufacturing company, succeeding in a later career in sales, or simply setting his mind to mastering a new skill, he did it with focus, pride, and excellence. Independent and deeply private, he lived by his own compass—always steady, always strong.

Jay had a passion for the outdoors and found great joy in hunting and cycling, and was never more content than when surrounded by nature or accompanied by his beloved dogs. A kind-hearted man, Jay often helped others behind the scenes, never seeking recognition for his good deeds.

Through the Journey of his life, he was supported by his devoted wife, Tara Buzzard, who stood faithfully by his side with love, strength, and unwavering care—especially

during the hardest days of his illness. Their bond was one of deep respect, resilience, and love.

Of all his roles in life, perhaps none meant more to Jay than being a father. His heart broke with the loss of his only son just nine months before his own passing, a sorrow he carried with quiet grace.

Jay will be remembered for his integrity, his grit, and his deep love for those closest to him. His absence leaves an immeasurable void, but his memory will continue to inspire all who knew him.

He is survived by his wife, Tara Buzzard of Warren, IN; Six Sisters, Linda (Gale) Evard of Huntington, IN, Jan (Jan) Tinkle of Huntington, IN, Jean Bartrom of Huntington, IN, Laura Buzzard of Huntington, IN, Shelley Brooks of Huntington, IN, Mary (Paul) Thompson of Greencastle, IN; Three Brothers, Steve (LeAnn) Buzzard of Warren, IN, Larry (Rise) Buzzard of Huntington, IN, Brian Buzzard of Huntington, IN; Daughter-In-Law, Ann Buzzard of Charlotte, NC; Sister-in-Law, Tonya (Tony) Martin of Huntington, IN; Brother-in-law, Troy (Amanda) Boyer of Bluffton, IN; Mother-in-Law, Glenda Boyer of Huntington, IN; and Numerous Nieces and Nephews. Jay is preceded in death by his Son, Jayson Buzzard, Father, Jack Buzzard, Mother, Martha Buzzard, and Father-in-Law, Rex Boyer. Jay will be dearly missed by friends, colleagues, and all whose lives he touched.

We will be holding a casual Celebration of Life for Jay on Sunday, July 20th, from 2:00 to 4:00 PM at 6739 S 50 W, Warren, IN 46792—the place where he grew up. Please join us as we share memories, laughter, and love in honor of his life.

Dress is casual, just as Jay would have wanted.

Preferred memorials may be made in memory of Jay to Pathfinders Services, in care of Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, IN, 46750.

### GREEN

Larry E. Green, age 86, of Van Buren, Indiana, passed away peacefully at 8:45 AM on Monday, July 14, 2025, at Heritage Pointe in Warren, Indiana.



He was born in Van Buren to Edward R. Green and Vivian "Isabelle" (Endicott) Green on January 3, 1939. A 1957 graduate of Van Buren High School, Larry went on to work for Indiana Bell (AT&T), where he dedicated 34 years of service before retiring. On August 8, 1958, he married the love of his life, Elsie Mae (Cunningham), and they shared a beautiful marriage until her passing on December 19, 2020.

Larry was a devoted member of Farrville Community Church for approximately 54 years, where he served faithfully and built lasting friendships rooted in faith and kindness. He was a man of quiet strength and gentle wisdom — good-hearted, easy to talk to, and always ready to lend a helping hand. His generous nature and support for his community made him a trusted friend to many.

One of Larry's greatest joys in life was riding motorcycles. He and Elsie loved taking spontaneous road trips together, often heading out on adventures with no specific destination—just the open road and each other. After her passing, Larry continued to ride and remained actively involved in the Christian Motorcyclists Association (CMA) for 35 years. He held memberships in both Indiana and Florida chapters, participating in countless rides and enjoying many winters in Sarasota, Florida. He was proud to be CMA Member #33,827 and cherished the community and ministry the group brought into his life. His loyal companion and special friend in later years was Shirley Chapman of Marion, Indiana.

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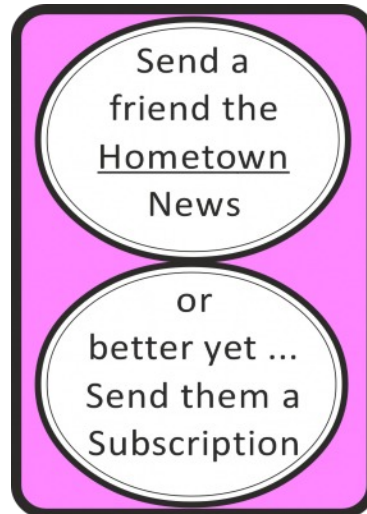
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He was preceded in death by his wife, Elsie Green, daughter Connie Sue Greenwalt, brother Richard A. "Dick" Green and sister Sara S. O'Neil.

A celebration of Larry's life will take place on Saturday, August 2, 2025, at Farrville Community Church, located at 11044 E 200 N, Marion, Indiana, 46952. Visitation will begin at 3:00 PM with a memorial service to follow at 4:00 PM, officiated by Pastor Al Soultz. All are welcome to remain for a fellowship dinner at the church following the service. Larry will be laid to rest at a later date at Van Buren Cemetery. He was able to have his last wishes fulfilled by donating his body to IU School of Medicine, where he will help current students further their education.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Farrville Community Church, 11044 E 200 N, Marion, IN 46952, or to the Christian Motorcyclists Association – Run for the Son, P.O. Box 9, Hatfield, AR 71945. Please note that donations given in Larry's name should include his CMA Member Number: 33,827.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Ferguson & Glancy Funeral Home in Van Buren.

### SUTTON

Barbara J. Sutton, 71, of Montpelier, passed away at 1:18 p.m. on Wednesday, July 16, 2025, at IU Health-Ball Memorial Hospital in Muncie.

She was born on Thursday, Oct. 1, 1953, in Bluffton. Barbara married Steven Leon Sutton on Saturday, July 18, 1970, in Liberty Center. She was a 1971 graduate of Southern Wells High School and a member of The New Beginning Church, Bluffton. Barbara worked for Sheller-Globe and BRC both in Montpelier. She enjoyed crocheting, riding motorcycles and doing activities at the church where she was known as "Mom".

She will be sadly missed by her husband of 55 years, Steven Leon Sutton, Montpelier; daughters, Amy Jean Bower, Fairmount, Rebecca Rena Hasenbeck, Salt Lake City, Utah; grandchildren, R.J. Hasenbeck and Sarah Fitton; great-grandchildren, Skye and Loki; and a brother, Mike (Joyce) Dulworth, Florida.

She was preceded in death by her father, E.J. Dulworth; mother, Lucille (Vaughn) Dulworth; brothers, Jerry Dulworth and James Dulworth; sisters, Judy Boyd, Phyllis Baublet, Linda Dulworth and Joyce Bailey; and grandson, Christopher Sutton.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Walker & Glancy Funeral Home located at 109 W Windsor St Montpelier on Saturday, July 19, 2025, from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. and from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Sunday, July 20, 2025.

A service to celebrate Barbara's life will be at Walker & Glancy Funeral Home at 11 a.m. on Sunday, July 20, 2025 with Rev. Charles Aikens officiating. Interment will follow in the Miller Cemetery in Wells County.

Preferred memorials: New Beginning Church 2187 West SR 218 Bluffton, IN. 46714.

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### 3 WAYS TO TIGHTEN UP YOUR HOUSEHOLD BUDGET

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### HOW A NEAR-DEATH EXPERIENCE REVEALED THE SECRET TO LASTING HAPPINESS

(StatePoint) What if happiness isn't about accumulating wealth, but about how you use your resources—time, money and emotional energy—to create joy for yourselves and others? Picture your next family gathering not filled with tension or superficial chatter, but genuine laughter and meaningful connections. Imagine seeing the joy on your loved ones' faces when you share something special with them—not after you're gone, but right now, creating memories that last.

Science confirms that generosity and gratitude significantly enhance personal happiness. A 2020 University of Chicago study found that people who intentionally give to others experience deeper and longer-lasting joy

compared to those who spend only on themselves.

**Educational entrepreneur** and author of "The Happiness Experiment," Carl B. Barney is sharing practical, achievable steps to experiencing more happiness today:

**Express Daily Gratitude:** Write down three things you're grateful for each day. Notice how quickly your outlook shifts toward joy and positivity.

**Create Memorable Experiences:** Plan meaningful, shared moments with loved ones rather than simply giving material gifts. The happiness derived from these shared experiences endures long after the event itself.

**Give with Purpose:** Offer thoughtful gestures, advice or financial help in meaningful ways. Even small acts of generosity can transform relationships and significantly boost your happiness.

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Happiness can't be bought, but it can be cultivated. As science and real-world experiences show, generosity and gratitude are fundamental pillars to long-lasting joy.

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conversation I came across the original version that he has tried to explain to me how to make, so now I am very educated on how to make "Sea Soup", so I will have to make it this fall when its a little colder.

But for now I better get his supper ready for tonight, I got some steaks marinating and making some oven browned potatoes and corn on the cob, sounds perfect for a Sunday supper. Have a great week and next week I will report on our adventures at the Huntington County fair and maybe even a few insights to the Indiana State Fair, hmmm I wonder what I am taking this year?

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