OBITUARIES

Larry L. Boeve

March 3, 1940 - Feb. 1, 2006

Larry Louis Boeve, 65, part owner of Olliff-Boeve Furniture Store, Phillipsburg, died Feb. 1 at the Phillips County Hospital.

Mr. Boeve was born March 3, 1940, in Phillipsburg the son of Louis Gerrit and Edith (Bogart) Boeve.

He graduated from Phillipsburg High School in 1958, where he was active in football, basketball, track and baseball. After high school, he attended McCook Junior College, where he was on the football team.

On June 22, 1958, he married Paula Anona Stubbs.

In 1961, he began working at Olliff-Boeve Furniture Store. He later became part owner with his brother and brother-in-law. The store was an important part of Mr. Boeve's life. The people he served were more than just customers, they were his friends. He also helped out and worked part-time at the family funeral home. He retired from the furniture store in January 2005 after 45 years in the business.

On July 1, 1989, he was married to Joyce Lacy Hueneke.

Mr. Boeve was a lifelong member of the First Christian Church where he served on the church board and as an elder. He was also a board member at Westview Homes and had served as chairman. He was a past member of the Phillipsburg Rotary Club and a Rotary Paul Harris Fellow.

He was very active in the Phillipsburg Alcoholics Anonymous. He touched the lives of others who struggled with the same addiction, helping them live "one day at a time".

He was a practical joker. He enjoyed attending his children's and grandchildren's activities; camping; and playing cards.

Mr. Boeve was preceded in death by his parents and his first wife, Paula.

Survivors include his wife, Joyce of the home; two sons, Brent and Janet Boeve, Katy, Texas and Brian and Tiffany Boeve, Phillipsburg; a daughter, Bridgit and Jim Smith, Phillipsburg; stepchildren, Lori and J.W. Antrim, Hays, Kelly and Justin Day, Hutchinson, Michelle Hueneke, Hays, Kurt and Jayson, Hueneke, Phillipsburg; two brothers, Ron and Eunie Boeve, Phillipsburg and Gary and Saunie Boeve, Hays; a sister, Shirley and Darel Olliff, Phillipsburg; 11 grandchildren; nine step-grandchildren; one great-grandson; and two step-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday in Phillipsburg at the Olliff-Boeve Memorial Chapel. Pastor Roger Miller and Father Allen Scheer conducted the service.

Soloist, Van Bradley, sang "On Eagles Wings" and "One Day At A Time" accompanied by Morris Engle.

Casket Bearers were Ron Boeve, Darel Olliff, Ron Boeve, Jr., Dan Beyerlein, Gary Boeve, Gary Olliff, Kenton Olliff and Keith Poyser.

Honorary bearers were Brent Boeve, J.W. Antrim, Jayson Hueneke, Kenneth Tweedy, Brian Boeve, Kurt Hueneke, Howard Schemper, Tony Kreller, Dennis McClelland, Jim Smith, Justin Day, Jim Winchell, Fred Robinson and the rest of Mr. Boeve's friends and family.

Burial was in the Fairview Cemetery.

Card of Thanks

Words cannot begin to convey our gratitude to everyone who shared prayers, hugs, tears and "stories" with us this week, and to those who brought food and sent cards, floral tributes and memorial contributions in honor of Larry.

Very special "Thanks" to the Hospice staff for their compassionate care and emotional support; to Pastor Roger and Father Allen for their strength and guidance, and to the ladies of the First Christian Church and the Saints Philip and James Catholic Church for providing lunch before the service and refreshments afterwards.

God bless each of you for gracing us with your love and friendship.

The Family of Larry Boeve

Irene W. De Young

Dec. 20, 1912 - Feb. 4, 2006

Irene Wilma De Young, 93, Prairie View, died Saturday at Logan Manor.

Miss DeYoung was born Dec. 20, 1912, in Prairie View, the youngest child of Peter De Jong and Della (Van Der Beek) De Jong.

She graduated from Prairie View High School in 1931. While in high school, she was a member of the Prairie View Pirates basketball team that went to the National Basketball Tournament in Dallas.

She earned her bachelor's degree at Kansas State Teacher's College in Emporia. She graduated in 1934, with majors in History and Government and a minor in Geography.

Miss De Young began her teaching career that would last 44 years. She taught in several Kansas schools, the last 32 years spent in Topeka. She retired in 1977.

She was a life-long member of the Prairie View Reformed Church; a 50-plus year Golden Sister member of Alpha Delta Kappa; and a member of Habitat for Humanity.

She was preceded in death by her parents and 14 brothers and sisters.

Funeral services were held Monday at the Prairie View Reformed Church with the Rev. Jeff Van Der Weele officiating.

Darla De Haan-Burch sang "No More Tears", her nieces sang, "It Is Well With My Soul", the congregation sang, "Amazing Grace" and "Great Is My Faithfulness" accompanied by Polly Bales.

Casket bearers were Tom Van Diest, Gary Mulder, Stanley Runnion, Norman Erickson, Rodney Jansonius and Burdett Leydig. Burial was in the Luctor Cemetery.

A memorial has been established to Prairie View Reformed Church. Contributions may be sent to the church at 410 Holland, Prairie View, Kan. 67664.

Olliff-Boeve Memorial Chapel was in charge of the arrangements.

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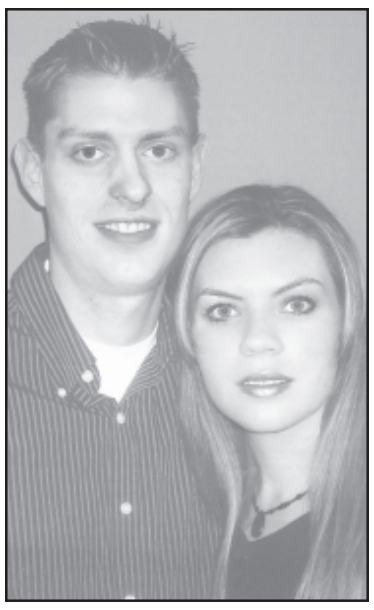


G. Vollertsen and W. Swilley

Couple to wed in June

Wendy Swilley, daughter of Billie and Pat Swilley, Scott City, and Grant Vollertsen, son of Kurt and Rebecca Vollertsen, Oberlin, are planning a June wedding.

The bride-to-be is the granddaughter of Florence Swilley, Healy, and the late John Swilley; and Geraldine Ribbing, Scott City and the late Eugene Ribbing.

Miss Swilley is a 1999 graduate of Scott City Community High School. She is working as a registered dental hygienist in Omaha, Neb.

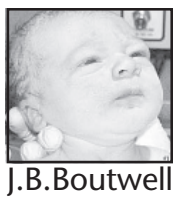
The prospective groom is the grandson of Don and Willa Vollertsen and Harold and Betty Wiltfong, all of Norton. He is a 1999 graduate of Decatur Community High School. He will receive his degree from Creighton University School of Dentistry in Omaha in May.

The couple will be married in the United Methodist Church in Oberlin.

BIRTH

Joseph B. Boutwell

Joseph Bradley Boutwell was born Jan. 31 to Jennifer and George Boutwell, Norton. He was born at Norton County Hospital weighing 7 pounds 6.5 ounces and measuring 21 inches long. Mr. and Mrs. Boutwell have two other sons Philip, 8, and Henry, 4.



J.B.Boutwell

Grandparents are Beverly and Robert Holgerson, Salina and Betty and Gary Boutwell, Encampment, Wyo.

Great-grandparents are Shirley Boutwell, Delta, Colo., and Alice and Philip Myers, Nathrop, Colo.

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The easy availability of almost any fruit or vegetable at our grocery stores is a joy and a pleasure these days. The five servings recommended by our puzzling new food pyramid are relatively easy to come by for most of us. In other times and in other parts of the world, however, obtaining and eating fresh produce is not so simple.

Mama often told me what a special treat an orange was in the Christmas stockings of her childhood, and how they treasured the first spring greens. I once photocopied a photograph of an Almena wedding feast held in the early 1900s. The guests are gleefully holding up peeled bananas, a rare and costly food imported for the occasion. I didn't taste my first pomegranate or persimmon until I was an adult. Still, none of that prepared me for discovering that citrus fruit and apples are not grown in Singapore. No orange or grapefruit juice on the menus, no lime or lemonade. We happened to be in that area around Chinese New Year when oranges are imported for decorations, religious offerings and ceremonies but are seldom eaten by ordinary citizens.

LeRoy and I went into a very upscale grocery and we were amazed to find apples being sold in stretchy foam sockettes to protect them from bruises. They cost $1.95 American per apple and that was 15 years ago! His favorite breakfast treat, grapefruit, was not on the racks, nor were any citrus fruits except pommeloes, which look a lot like a grapefruit but haven't much zing.

Another fruit common to the area is durian, which is a strange, lumpy melon that smells like rotting flesh when cut. One sniff was enough for me. We were told in earlier days it was called "Heaven and Hell" fruit because it smelled like one and tasted like the other.

LeRoy tried durian ice cream but I couldn't gag it down. Other local ice cream flavors were red bean curd, sweet corn and plantain. Peculiar but at least edible.

The one citrus treat we ate in Singapore was a salad dressing on butter crunch lettuce. It was delicious and I still make it occasionally. Maybe you'd like to give it a try.

MY MAMA SAID: Eat fresh fruit and vegetables, especially the peels, to give you pink cheeks and curly hair. My sister and I believed her through many years of freckles and straight hair. By the time we figured out it was a trick we'd learned to like fruit and vegetables.

SINGAPORE CITRUS DRESSING

Two cups extra virgin olive oil
One cup red wine vinegar
One teaspoon dry mustard
Three tablespoons brown sugar
Two teaspoons curry powder
One orange, seeded but not peeled
One lemon, seeded but not peeled
One tart apple, cored but not peeled
One small red onion, peeled and root end removed
Tabasco and Worcestershire sauces
Sea salt and coarsely ground black peppercorns

Dissolve brown sugar, mustard and curry powder in vinegar and simmer for five minutes. Cool and stir in oil. Process orange, lemon, apple and onion in a food processor or grinder until quite fine. Add cooled vinegar and oil mixture. Season to your taste with Tabasco, and Worcestershire sauces, salt and coarsely cracked black pepper. Store in refrigerator and always shake well before using. Good on any kind of greens or fruit salads and can be used as a marinade for porkchops, chicken and white fish.

This temporary holiday treat was also served in Bangkok at the Black Orchid Hotel and at a Rotary luncheon in a Hong Kong restaurant. Whether you celebrate Chinese New Year or not, try it for a different twist on salad. And don't forget how blessed you are to be able to buy the ingredients without a bit of trouble any time you like.

READERS

Keith Ross, Long Island, was elected treasurer of Kansas Electric Cooperatives, Inc. Mr. Ross is a trustee of Prairie Land Electric Cooperative in Norton.

Keith Ross

He is one of 28 representatives from each of the 28 distribution cooperatives and two generation and transmission cooperatives in Kansas.

Fort Hays State University deans have posted the Deans Honor Roll for the fall semester. Local students named include: Alicia Tubbs, Amy Griffin, Joshua Cooper and Megan Hawks, Almena; Ian Conkey, Edmond; Maggie Ellis, Lenora; Abbey Keiswetter, Amy Nighswonger, Casey Carter, Claudia Lacy, Jason Green, Jered Sloan, Sara Ross, Stacey Roth, Tara Ward and William Burns, Norton; Beth Zillinger, Joseph Jackson and Rea Kemper, Logan; Sheila Harvey, Long Island; and Megan Hays, Prairie View.

— Steak and seafood night, Thursday and Saturday 6-9 p.m. American Legion. Members and guests. 2/7

Area students at North Central Kansas Technical College, Hays and Beloit, listed on the first honorable mention honor roll are Daniel Ruff, Logan and Michael Madden and Heather Hardy, Norton.

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