

OBITUARIES

Leonard H. Rogers June 11, 1924-Aug. 17, 2008

Leonard H. Rogers was born June 11, 1924 to William Clyde and Cora (Breathouwer) Rogers at Long Island where he was destined to spend the rest of his early life until peacefully passing at age 84 to his new life on Aug. 17, 2008.

He graduated from Long Island High School and honored his country by serving in the U.S. Army in World War II.

On July 17, 1946, he married Helen James. They entered into farming in the area where they raised a family that they lovingly schooled in Christian precepts and the importance of hard work.

Mr. Rogers continued to farm and ranch all his life. In later years, son, Jack, and grandson, Christopher, joined in the operation, which had expanded to include custom wheat and silage harvesting, cattle feeding, and registered Herefords of Canadian bloodlines.

Rogers Herefords regularly exhibited at Denver and became widely known for their excep-

tional Herefords.

He loved the land and livestock and was renowned for his industry, integrity, honesty and ready smile.

Survivors include his wife, Helen of the home, son, Jack and wife Joyce, daughters Jill and Dane Christensen, Jeanne and Jim Ray; nine grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren: Shawn (Aneta) Christensen, Waylon, Dalton; Nicholas (Tana) Christensen, Laural, Weston; Nathan (Jolene) Christensen, Mikaela; Christopher (Neva) Rogers, Brady, Maverick; Shelbi (John) Solida, Tyler, Avery; Sommer (Jon) Yocum, Briely, Gunner; Callie (Matt) Crist; Jason (Richelle) Ray, Olivia; and Jamie (Michael) Kaus, Carter and Kinsley.

Services were held Aug. 21 at Oliff/Boeve Memorial Chapel, Phillipsburg, with Kirk Kasson presiding. Burial was in the Long Island Cemetery.

Leonard will be greatly missed by his family, relatives and host of friends, all of whom were most important in his life.

Gilbert M. Courtain II Sept. 6, 1957-Aug. 22, 2008

Gilbert M. Courtain II, son of Gilbert M. and Ila (Hoover) Courtain, was born Sept. 6, 1957, in Norton and passed away in Norton on Aug. 22, 2008, at the age of 50.

He grew up in Norton, graduated from the Norton Community High School and the American Technical College.

He made his home in Norton where he worked for Trigard Vaults and Danny Heller's lawn care business.

He was a member of the men's bowling league, KFOCI-HOA region.

Survivors include his mother and stepfather, Ila and Ron Marble, Norton; one son, Michael Courtain; one "special" son, Mark Klinger II and his wife and daughter, Anna and Elizabeth, Lamar, Mo.; three sisters, Patricia and

husband, Jim Kauten, Cynthia and husband, Randy Linner, all of Norton; Kimberly and husband, Roger Linner, Almena; his great-uncle, Loyd Johnson, Phillipsburg; aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews, and friends.

He was preceded in death by his father, his birth mother, Carol Strickland, paternal and maternal grandparents, and infant twin nieces, and one cousin, Mary Lou Morton.

The funeral service were held this morning at 10 a.m. at Enfield Funeral Home, Norton. Burial followed at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Almena.

Memorials are suggested to the Educational Fund for Michael Courtain and Hospice Services of Norton County.

Arrangements were by Enfield Funeral Home.

Iveda Ruth Hoffeditz Jan. 13, 1921-Aug. 23, 2008

Iveda Ruth Hoffeditz, 87, Hoxie, died Aug. 23, 2008 at the Hays Medical Center. She was born Jan. 13, 1921 in Oronoque, Kan., to Orla and Nelle Riggerberg McCabe.

She married William (Bill) Hoffeditz on June 6, 1966 in Las Vegas, N.M. They lived in Hoxie all their married life.

She worked on Treasure Island Naval Base in the Postal Department during World War II and was a secretary for Bainter-Reichart Construction Co. and later for Gene Smercheck, attorney.

Mrs. Hoffeditz was an honorary board member of Western Plains Arts Association, member of the Hoxie Christian Church, American Legion Auxiliary, VFW Auxiliary, Superintendent of Sheridan

County Fair. During all of this, she was also a homemaker.

Survivors include her husband, Bill, of Hoxie; two sons, John Courtney and wife Bobi of Alliance, Neb., and James Courtney and wife Betty of Pell City, Ala.; two daughters, Georgia Briery and husband Ronnie of Norton and Mary Behan and husband, Jim of Rolla, Mo.; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services were held today (Aug. 26) at 10 a.m. at the Hoxie Christian Church with burial in the Hoxie Cemetery.

Memorials may be given to the Hoxie Christian Church or the Salvation Army.

Mickey-Leopold Funeral Home, Hoxie, was in charge of arrangements.

Olivia Marie McClelland August 16, 2008

Olivia Marie McClelland, daughter of Bradley (Lynn) and Laura McClelland of Alexandria, Va., died at birth on August 16, 2008. She was preceded in death by her paternal great-grandmother, Marie Winchell, and maternal great-great-grandmother, Lucy Cobb.

Olivia is survived by her parents, Bradley and Laura; paternal grandparents Sally McClelland of Almena and Brad McClelland and Jo White of Salina; maternal grandparents, retired Colonel Ira and Pam Weil of Alexandria, Va.; paternal great-grandfather, Wyatt Winchell of Phillipsburg; paternal great-grandmother, Naomi Richards of Norton; maternal great-grandparents Mr. and Mrs.

William Strong, Jr. and Carol Weil, all of Montgomery, Ala.; uncle Ben Murphy and wife Kim and cousins Bruce and Gunner, all from Miami; and great-aunts and uncles, and many other cousins.

Private family services were held Aug. 17 in Virginia. Cards may be sent in care of Sally McClelland, PO Box 244, Almena, KS 67622.

Card of Thanks

We'd like to thank everyone for their comfort and support since the loss of our little girl. Your prayers, kind words and loving support have been greatly appreciated. We have truly been blessed by each and everyone of you.

The family of Olivia Marie McClelland

will be held at the Norton 4-H Building.

— Steak and seafood night, Thursday, 6-9, American Legion. Members and guests welcome.



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2008

Norton couple to mark 50th anniversary Friday

Bernie and JoAnn Bowen, Norton, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Friday, Aug. 29. Mr. and Mrs. Bowen were married Aug. 29, 1958, at Clare Lutheran Church in rural Moody

County, S.D.

The couple has five children — Janette and Jeff Callaway of Almena, Cheryl and Don Kaus and Connie Pfannenstiel, Norton, Gail and Bill Cathcart, Oberlin,

and Jackie and Briace Spires, Stockton. They also have 13 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Their family is hosting a reception and dance in their honor on

Saturday, Aug. 30 at the Eagles in Norton, beginning at 6 p.m. The couple requests no gifts.

Cards may be sent to them at Route 3, Box 168, Norton, KS 67654.

FYI

Heritage Quilt Club will hold its first meeting of the year on Sept. 8. The club will meet in the basement of the Prairie Land Electric Building in Norton. At 6:30 p.m., Lois Meyers will demonstrate how to sew curves. Don't forget to bring your Block of the Month from last year if you want it signed. Hope to see you there. — Ilene Ankenman

The Dane G. Hansen Memorial Museum, Logan, will host a seven-week quilting workshop. Janie Lowry from Stockton will be the instructor. She is well known in the area for her quilting expertise.

Classes will be held Oct. 7, 14, 21, 28 and Nov. 4, 11 and 18 in the Hansen Plaza Community Room. 110 Main, Logan, from 6:30-9:30 p.m. The first class on Oct. 7 will be an orientation session. For more information, or to register by phone, call (785) 689-4846.

The family of Ruby Strayer is requesting a card shower in honor of her 90th birthday on Friday. Send greetings to her at 1022 Truman Dr., Norton, KS 67654.

Todd Burd is a patient in Overland Park. His address is:

St. Luke's South
o/o Todd Burd Rm 121
12300 Metcalf Ave
Overland Park, KS 66213-1324

He is taking physical rehab due to Guillain Barre Syndrome. He

would appreciate hearing from friends.

(Call us at 877-6908 if you have something for this column. Or if you wish, e-mail tom.d@nwkan-sas.com, fax 877-3732 or mail to 215 S. Kansas Ave. 67654.)

Aug. 22-
Aug. 27

Showing at the

NORTON THEATRE

SPACE CHIMPS

1 Hours, 30 Minutes (G)

Friday and Saturday: 7:00 and 9:10 p.m.
Sunday, 5:00 and 7:10 p.m.
Mon., Tues., Wed. at 7:00 p.m.

Mama Mia!

(PG-13)
1 Hour, 58 Minutes

Since both movies are non-premieres, all movie passes accepted

GENERAL ADMISSION FOR BOTH MOVIES — \$6.00 AND \$5.00
THE INCREDIBLE HULK (PG-13)

COMING SOON



Taryn LeAnn

It's a girl!

Heath and Sara (Schrum) Beery, Wichita, are the proud parents of a new daughter. Taryn LeAnn, born Tuesday, July 29 at 6:13 a.m. at Wesley Medical Center. She weighed 7 pounds and 5 ounces and was 20 inches long. Welcoming her was two-year old brother Jace.

Grandparents are Steve Schrum, Norton, Marilyn Schrum, Ark City, and Joe and Renda Beery of Cimarron. Great-grandparents are J.B. and Betty Schrum and Irene McFarland, Norton and Maxine Beery of Cimarron.

877-6908

DANCE the night away at the American Legion



with Blaine Younger
Sat., Aug. 30
from 8-midnight
BROUGHT TO YOU BY
**Miltech
Machine Corp**
Members/Guest Welcome

MARKETS

At close of business August 24

Wheat.....	\$8.07
Milo.....	\$4.82
Corn.....	\$5.47
Soybeans.....	\$12.56

877-3361

Norton County Health Promotion Blood Draws WED., AUG. 27

AT: The Norton County Health Department
TIME: 7:00 a.m.-12 noon
PROVIDED BY A JOINT EFFORT OF THE NORTON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT AND THE NORTON COUNTY HOSPITAL

Need to be Fasting Before the Test (No Food or Drink After Midnight)

NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY
QUESTIONS? CALL NORTON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT AT 785-877-5745

PROFILE #1
"Health Profile & CBC" — \$40.00
Health Profile Contains:
ELECTROLYTES: (Sodium, potassium, chloride and total carbon dioxide). These are major indicators of kidney and hormonal functions. Electrolytes are essential for the body's acid-base balance and the operation of nerves and muscles, especially the heart.
KIDNEY FUNCTIONS: (BUN, creatinine). These indicators are used to monitor kidney function.
LIVER FUNCTIONS: (Total albumin, globulin). These tests can be used in detecting and/or monitoring liver function damage, tissue damage or inflammation.
ALKALINE PHOSPHATE: (Uric acid, calcium, phosphorus). Used for detection and monitoring of bone, tissue and parathyroid disease, such as arthritis, gout, bursitis and lupus.
GLUCOSE: This test is used to measure blood sugar levels and is used to help diagnose/monitor diabetes mellitus.

CHOLESTEROL: (Including HDL, LDL, VLDL, triglycerides and ratio of LDL/HDL). These are fats produced in the liver that combine with fatty oils in the blood stream. Cholesterol is further broken down and measured as HDL (good cholesterol) and LDL (bad cholesterol). The person who has higher levels of LDL is at greater risk of heart disease. Triglycerides determine the level of simple fats in the blood.
CBC: (Complete blood count with differential). This is a series of tests of the blood that provides a tremendous amount of information about the hematologic system, immune response and many other organ systems.

PROFILE #2 (PSA)—\$20.00
PSA—This test detects an enlarged prostate, infected prostate and/or prostatic cancer. It can be used to evaluate disease progression and to monitor treatment.

PROFILE #3 (TSH)—\$15.00
TSH—This test is used to evaluate thyroid function and detect if there is too much or too little hormone secreted by the thyroid.

ACCEPT CASH AND CHECK ONLY! INSURANCE BILLING NOT AVAILABLE!

READERS

— Hines-Hazlett Reunion, Sunday, Aug. 31 at noon; the group will also gather Saturday, Aug. 30 at 5 p.m. Both events