



City of Cambridge

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IN CITY COUNCIL

February 12, 2001

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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

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A true copy;

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McNamara Funeral Home
617-782-9636

PANORA—In Quincy, suddenly, Feb. 11, 2001, Arthur D. Panora. Beloved husband of the late Florence (Casseboom) Panora. Devoted father of David A. Panora of Quincy, Kevin J. and his wife Melissa L. (Ruggere) Panora of East Bridgewater. Grandfather of Victoria F. Panora of East Bridgewater, Brother of Catherine Gibson of Weymouth, Robert A. Panora of Milton, John W. Panora of Plymouth, the late William Panora and the late Elizabeth Panora. Also survived by many nieces and nephews. Funeral from the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., QUINCY, Thursday, Feb. 15 at 9:15 a.m. Funeral Mass in St. John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Visiting hours Wednesday 2-4 & 7-9 p.m. Interment Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree. For those who wish, donations in Mr. Panora's memory may be made to the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, 44 Binney St., Boston, MA 02215.

PETERSON—Louise C. (Mocerino) of Rockland, Feb. 10, 2001, age 79. Wife of George H. Peterson. Mother of Lori A. Peterson of Rockland and the late George J. Peterson. Sister of Elizabeth Higgins of Marlborough and the late Francisco, Angelo and Anthony Mocerino, Concetta Nellie Galanis and Mary Felix. Funeral from the Magoun-Biggins Funeral Home, 1335 Union St., ROCKLAND Wednesday at 8:15. Funeral Mass in Holy Family Church at 9 AM. Calling hours Tuesday 2-4 & 7-9 PM. For directions and additional information, www.magounbiggins.com.

Magoun-Biggins Funeral Home
"Celebrating The Dignity of Life"
1-781-878-1775

PHINNEY—Formerly of Jamaica Plain, Feb. 11, 2001, Helen R. Beloved sister of Marie Dennerly of Taunton and the late Anna, Buddy and James Phinney and Elizabeth McCarthy. Helen is also survived by several nieces, nephews and their families. Funeral services will be held at the P.E. Murray-George F. Doherty and Sons Funeral Home, 2000 Centre St., WEST ROXBURY on Tuesday at 1:30 a.m. Visiting hours prior to services starting at 10:30. Interment in St. Joseph Cemetery.

P.E. Murray-George F. Doherty & Sons
West Roxbury
(617) 325-2000

RALSTON—Of Stoughton February 10, Marie C. (McGrath) Beloved wife of the late Roy. Survived by her four loving daughters, Joanne M. Kowalczyk of Stoughton, Barbara A. Mackenzie of Norton, Laurie J. Catalano and Denise C. Fulton, both of Lakeville. Sister of Robert of CA, Gerald of Quincy, James of Washington, D.C., Joseph of Boston, and the late John McGrath and Julia DeSimone. Beloved Nana to 6 grandchildren. Relatives and friends invited to attend a Funeral Mass at Holy Cross Church, Easton, Wednesday morning at 10 a.m. Visiting hours at the Dockray & Thomas Funeral Home, 455 Washington St., CANTON, Tuesday 2-4 and 7-9. Interment V.A. National Cemetery, Bourne. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her memory to Old Colony Hospice, 14 Page Terr., Stoughton 02072.

Dockray & Thomas Funeral Home
781-828-0811

RASMUSSEN-CALLAHAN—Of Easton, formerly of Braintree, Feb. 9, Mary E. (McGarrell). Wife of the late Christian A. Rasmussen and Charles A. Callahan. Mother of Jean Doran of Easton, Mary Rasmussen of Boston, Paul Rasmussen of Reno, NV, George Rasmussen of Wallingford, Ct and David Rasmussen of Rochester, NY. Sister of Sarah K. Stahler of W. Roxbury. Also survived by 8 grandchildren, 8 great grandchildren and 1 great great-grandson. She was the sister of the late George McGarrell. Funeral from the George L. Copeland & Son Funeral Home, 38 Centre St., EASTON, Tuesday, Feb. 13 at 9:15 A.M. followed by a Mass of Christian Burial in Holy Cross Church, Easton at 10:30 A.M. Relatives and friends are cordially invited to attend. Visiting hours Mon. 2-4 & 7-9. Interment Gethsemane Cemetery, W. Roxbury. Those who wish may make donations to the Brockton Catholic Charities, 685 N. Main St., Brockton, MA 02301.

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SBORDONE—Of Reading, February 9, Carol A. (D'Amico). Beloved wife of John B. Sbordone. Mother of John L. and Jenna K. Sbordone of Reading. Daughter of Louis and Rita M. (Flynn) D'Amico of Lynn. Sister of William D'Amico of Lynn. Sister-in-law of Lillian Sbordone of Peabody. Funeral from the Cota Funeral Home, 335 Park St. (corner of Park St. and Rte. 28), NORTH READING on Tuesday, Feb. 13 at 9 a.m. Funeral Mass in St. Athanasius Church, 300 Haverhill St., Reading at 10 a.m. Relatives and friends may call at the Funeral Home Monday from 4 thru 8 p.m. Interment Wood End Cemetery, Reading. Donations may be made in Carol's memory to the American Cancer Society, 30 Speen St., Framingham, MA 01701. (for directions: www.cotafuneralhomes.com) 978-664-4340.

SCHROEDER—Of Watertown, Feb. 10, 2001, Elizabeth. Beloved daughter of the late Louis and Ada Schroeder and sister of the late Charles and Louis. Also survived by several nieces & nephews. Funeral private.

Greene Funeral Home
617-484-0133

SCHUMACHER—Of Cambridge Feb. 10, Robert L. Devoted son of the late August & Loretta (LeBeau) Schumacher. Survived by his companion of 50 years, A. Curtis Schumacher of Cambridge. Funeral from the Stanton Funeral Home, 786 Mt. Auburn St. (Rt. 16) WATERTOWN on Wednesday at 9 a.m. Funeral Mass in St. Paul's Church, Harvard Sq. Cambridge at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend. Visiting hours Tuesday 4-6 P.M. Interment Private. Late U.S. Army Veteran WWII & Korean Conflict Graduate of Harvard Graduate School of Design in Architecture. Retired Professor of Building Construction, Wentworth Technical Institute.

Stanton Funeral Service
Watertown, MA
617-924-3838

SESTITO—Of Malden, Feb. 10, Paul A. Age 89. Husband of the late Angela (Musillo). Father of Vincent J. and his wife Alberta Sestito Sr. of Saugus, Paul C. and his wife Mary Ellen Sestito of Melrose and the late US Army 1st Lt. Anthony J. Sestito. Grandfather of Carl V. Vincent, Anthony J. Cherilyn M. and the late Michael J. Sestito. Great grandfather of 7. Brother of Angelina Conforto of Malden and the late Josephine Troccoli, Lucey DiSisto, Catherine Cangemi, Pasquale, Domenico, Joseph and Frank Sestito. Funeral from Doonan Funeral Home, 7 Wicklow St., at Fellsway (Rte. 28, one light south of Rte. 1A) Malden on Wednesday at 9 AM. Funeral Mass in Most Blessed Sacrament Church, Main St. Wakefield 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Visiting hours Tuesday 2-4 & 7-9. Burial in Forest Dale Cemetery, Malden. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Hallmark Hospice, 100 Hospital Rd., Malden, MA 02148.

SHIELDS—Of Norwood formerly of Newton, Feb. 8, Mary M. (Burke) 96. Daughter of the Michael F. and Anna (Dugan) Burke. Beloved wife of the late John A. Shields. Loving mother of John J. Shields and his wife Gail of Jamestown RI, Mary A. LaFond of Millis formerly of Medfield, Helen J. Muller of Wellesley formerly of Westwood, Susan C. McLean and her husband David of Wayland formerly of Weston. Mary was the sister of the late Agnes, Helen, Catherine and Francis. Mary is also survived by 13 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren. Funeral from the Eaton and Mackay Funeral Home, 65 Centre St., NEWTON CORNER on Tuesday, Feb. 13 at 9:30 a.m. Followed by a Funeral Mass at Our Lady Help of Christians Church in Newton at 10:30 a.m. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. Visiting hours Monday evening 6-9. Interment St. Joseph Cemetery West Roxbury. In lieu of flowers, memorials in Mary's memory may be made to the Monastery of St. Clare, 920 Centre St., Jamaica Plain, MA 02130. Late retired employee of Grover Cronin for over 20 years.

Eaton & Mackay Funeral Home
Newton Corner, Mass
1-617-244-2034

SHUSTER—Entered into rest Feb. 10, Sarah (Gluzband) formerly of Milton. Beloved wife of the late Carl Shuster. Devoted mother of Rosalyn Lipsitt of Conshohocken, PA and Michael Shuster of Medford. Dear grandmother of David, Sharon, Jonathan and Paul. Services at the Stanetsky Memorial Chapel, 1668 Beacon St., BROOKLINE on Tuesday, Feb. 13 at 11 AM.

SINGER—Of Malden, Feb. 10th, Doris M. (Benson). Beloved wife of the late Frank C. Singer. Devoted mother of Virginia A. Smith and Richard J. Singer both of Malden. Sister of the late Fred S. Benson Jr. & Ellen H. Crosby both formerly of Malden and Daniel W. Benson formerly of Perry, NH. Cherished grandmother of Patricia Romero & Susan Coppia both of Malden & Margaret Hall of N. Andover. Also survived by 7 great-granddaughters. Funeral Service will be held at the Maplewood Baptist Church, 729 Salem St., Malden, on Tuesday, Feb. 13th, at 11 A.M. Friends may call at the Wee-MacCush Gold

Wilfred Mercer retired shipf

A funeral was held for Wilfred M. Mercer of who died Wednesday at Municipal Hale Hospital.

Mr. Mercer was born in Nocket, Maine, and Morse High School, Maine, graduating in 1941. He came an apprentice at Bath Iron Works and employed for more than 40 years at the Boat Yard. In addition, he worked for 10 years as a senior engineer with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Mr. Mercer was a member of numerous associations in Haverhill and Everett, including the Groveland Congregational Church.

He leaves his wife, Mary A. (Phillips); two daughters, Mary Ann of Shrewsbury and Margaret Brian P. Mercer of a sister, Dorothy M. C. Petersburg, Fla.; and three grandchildren.

Burial will be in Mount Pleasant Cemetery in Bath.

Ralph Toscano engineer, athlete

Ralph K. Toscano, 43, a mechanical engineer while skiing Thursday in Teton, Wyo. He was 43.

A Boston native, Mr. Toscano grew up in Belmont, graduated from Belmont High School in 1975. He was a 1982 graduate of Worcester Polytechnic Institute of Technology.

Mr. Toscano was a senior engineer for Penpower of General Electric. He worked for him all over the world on lengthy assignments in Israel, Indonesia, Egypt, Spain, and Chile.

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