OBITUARIES

Carol Rae McDonald Jan. 10, 1932 - Feb. 20, 2013

Carol Rae McDonald, 81, surrounded by family and friends, departed this life on Feb. 20, 2013 to begin a new life with her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Born Carol Rae Lockard on Jan. 10, 1932 in Norton, to Loyal and Carmen Lockard, she was a loving mother, grandmother and wife. She was a member of the Sunset Church of Christ and eternally grateful for the spiritual companionship she found there. Following graduation from Norton Community High School, Carol worked as a bank teller in Denver, Colo., where she met the love of her life Rufus Daniel McDonald on a bus returning home.

Carol was preceded in death by her parents, husband Dan-



iel and infant daughter Sarah. Blessed with a sharp wit and dry humor, Carol would often test and challenge those she loved.

She is survived by daughter Kathryn D. Carroll (Randy) of Lubbock, Texas, son Todd (Vickie) of Dothan, Ala., and son Scott (Sarah) of Shallowater, Texas grand-daughters Madison and Taylor, grand-sons Connor and Daniel, step grand-daughter Allison, and step grand-son Andrew.

Graveside services were held on Saturday, Feb. 23 at the City of Lubbock Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to The Haven Animal Care Shelter, 4501 N. FM 1729, Lubbock, Texas 79403 or online at havenACS@gmail.com.

Condolences may be offered at www.resthavenfuneralhome. com.

50th Anniversary

The children of Wayne E. and Sharon (McKown) Archer happily announce their parents' 50th wedding anniversary.

Wayne and Shari were married on March 17, 1963 at the United Methodist Church in Norton, by Reverend Sam Staley.

They have been blessed with three children. Shannon Deines (David) of Lee's Summit, Mo.; Stephanie Dickerson (Joe) of Littleton, Colo.; and Cameron Archer of Norton; and four grandchildren, Cole, Lane, and Erin Archer of Norton; and Sydney Gross of Littleton, Colo.



on a farm near Almena where they live today. They are retired and enjoy spending time with their children, grandchil-

dren and friends.

Cards, letters and photos are welcomed to help the couple celebrate this joyous occasion.

Remember the spring of 1987

The couple made their home

Snow storm, the good and the bad

This is being written in the midst of a major snow storm that kept the weather channel on fire all last week. They were right - the snow was right on schedule! We certainly can't say we weren't warned so we should be thoroughly prepared. Medical personnel, law enforcement and department of transportation workers who must be out on the roads are struggling with snow packed highways and stalled vehicles abandoned right in the midst of everything. Motorists who thought it couldn't be all that bad are now regretting their foolish decisions as they find themselves slipping and slithering or inextricably stuck in knee-deep snow coming down faster as the minutes pass.

Every TV station is concentrated on telling us to stay home, stay home, stay home, and showing us bone-chilling video of why we should. Here in KC, malls are closed, major streets are parking lots of vehicles in trouble, no buses are running, schools are closed and the snow is continuing to splat down, cutting visibility to less than zero if such is possible. I am personally sending up prayers of gratitude that I do not have to go for a dialysis treatment and trusting God for what tomorrow may bring. My overwhelming joy for the much-needed moisture is tempered by concern for any who are out in the whirling whiteness.

On the other hand, the beauty of this storm is indescribable. My second floor windows show



earth.

We went down to breakfast with trepidation, wondering if any of our kitchen staff could make it in. Most of them arrived, one way or another, stomping their boots, unwrapping from wooly scarves, unzipping heavy parkas. Hot coffee, oatmeal and omelets cheered us considerably as we rejoiced in the best part of retirement -- not having to go out in bad weather. Double pane windows, good heaters and a generator to back up the power are such blessings.

Northwest Kansas is buried and all transportation is at an absolute standstill. Great for wheat farmers, not so great for cattle ranchers. Thursday, today, should have been sale day at the Trego County sale barn but I wouldn't count on it. TV just announced it is seventeen degrees, with severe drifting to the west. Interstate-70 has now been closed west of Salina, earlier it was west from Hays. College classes are cancelled throughout the eastern part of Missouri and most of Kansas.



when western Kansas hosted two blizzards back to back near Easter? During that time we hit the national news when the Obendorfs from Nampa, Idaho survived 13 days in a car buried on a drifted road in Norton County. The local stores sold out on snow shovels, sidewalk salt and snow blowers. School kids were ecstatic with almost three weeks off from school. At our house Dan attributed his top rating at state music contest that year to being marooned with nothing to do but practice his tuba solo a dozen times a day. He even programmed the music into my Tandy computer. I hear that melody still!

Snow is what it is - a blessing in some ways, a trial in others. This is one way our loving Weatherman Above can convince us to slow the pace of our frantic antics and take it easy for a few hours. Warm kitchens smelling of bubbling soup and fresh baked cookies brighten many a heart, so do treat your family this snowy evening. Snuggle down and enjoy yourselves.

Liza Deines

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The First Church of God is sponsoring a ble trivia night at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, March 3 at the ROCK. Teams of 8 will compete to see which team has the best knowledge of the Bible among other categories. at the FREE WILL DONATION ACCEPTED ROCK \$10.00 DONATION RECOMMENDED Proceeds will benefit Norton Relay for Life Sunday, Come join in on the fun. If you don't have a team show up and we will put you on a team. March 3 FOR INFORMATION CONTACT: GARY LOCKHART 871-7818 **NORTON RELAY FOR LIFE**

Bessie L. Donahey March 23, 1916 - Feb. 22, 2013

Logan resident, Bessie L. Donahey, died on Fri- with Pastor Troy Buss officiating. Burial will folday, Feb. 22, 2013 at the Logan Manor in Logan at the age of 96. She was born March 23, 1916 in Graham County, the daughter of Jess and Mae (Archer) Henry. She and her husband owned and operated the grocery store in Logan for several years.

Survivors include her brother, Norman Henry of Lakewood, Colo., her sister-in-law, Mary Donahey of Logan and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 27 at 11 a.m. in the Logan Christian Church

low at Pleasant View Cemetery, Logan.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Logan Manor.

The casket will be closed; friends may sign the book from 5 to 9 p.m. on Monday and 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday at the funeral home.

Online condolences can be sent at www.olliffboeve.com.

Logan Funeral Home is in charge of arrange-

PUBLIC RECORD

District Court

These transactions were taken from the records of filings in the offices of the District Court clerk at the Norton County Courthouse.

Traffic and Wildlife and Parks cases are given to the paper when the fines are paid.

Jan. 10

Dec. 22-Jeremiah Lee Clancy, Jr., Phillipsburg; Charge: Speeding 76 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$149.

Dec. 10-Mary Elizabeth Goddard, Penokee; Charge: Vehicles; unlawful acts, registration; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$173.

July 24-Jayme Marie Hor- Guilty; Fine: \$188. acek, Almena; Charge: Driving under the influence; 1st conviction; Found: DUI only, deferred adjudication; Fine: \$1,048. July 24-Jayme Marie Horacek, Almena; Charge: Transporting an open container; Found: Deferred adjudication; Fine: \$0. July 24-Jayme Marie Horacek, Almena; Charge: Permitting unauthorized minor to drive; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$348. Oct. 27-John C. Horner III, Lincoln, Neb.; Charge: Speeding 75 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$143.

87 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$221.

> Dec. 1-Curtis A. Meier, Norton; Charge: Failure to wear seatbelt; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$10.

> Dec. 1-Craig A. Rogers, Norton; Charge: Failure to wear seatbelt; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$10.

> Dec. 20-Erik Wayne Scott, Englewood, Colo.; Charge: Speeding 77 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$155.

> Dec. 6-Johan Knelsen Thiessen, Cuauhtemoc, Mexico; Charge: No oversize permit on 12.5 foot wide load; Found:

Dec. 24-Bryan P. Addington, McCook, Neb.; Charge: Failure to wear seatbelt; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$10.

Oct. 18-Karen Kay Allen, Kansas City, Mo.; Charge: Speeding 79 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$167.

Jan. 15-Frederick E. Dionne, Bird City; Charge: Gross weight limits of vehicle; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$303.

Jan. 1-Jeffery Calvin Hart, Norton; Charge: Speeding 76 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$149.

Jan. 2- William Richard Lehn, Colorado Springs, Colo.; Charge: Failure to wear seatbelt; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$10.

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Oct. 31-Jason Keeshan, Grand Island, Neb.; Charge: Speeding

Dec. -Lani Kay Wallace, Fruita, Colo.; Charge: Speeding 83 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$191.

Jan. 17

Dec. 25-Robert W. Hessenflow, Oberlin; Charge: Speeding 86 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$212.

Dec. 11-Leopoldo Maldonado-Sanchez, Oberlin; Charge: Failure to wear seatbelt; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$10.

Nov. 24-Ronald Alan Redd, Springs, Colo.; Colorado Charge: Speeding 81 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$179. Jan. 24

Nov. 2-Rojelio Luevano. Denver, Colo.; Charge: Speeding 85 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$203.

Jan. 13-Robert K. Millan, Evanston, Ill.; Charge: Speeding 76 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$149.

Jan. 13-Brady LeRoy Riggins, Norton; Charge: Speeding 84 in 65; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$197. Dec. 29-Chad W. Wright, Oakley; Charge: Connecting and safety equipment of towing vehicles; Found: Guilty; Fine: \$143.

me a true wonderland of a world frosted with slathers of sevenminute frosting. Evergreens bend low under a load of pure white, my iron balcony railing is heaped with it, and smoke is curling cheerfully up from chimneys on thickly plastered roofs nearby. My north window, however, has no view at all; it is opaque as the snow continues to fall, in huge blobs and clots so wet they cling like that white glue we used in grade school. Surely there are small angel boys gleefully snowballing the



A 'Summit On Soul-Winning' to be held at Christian Church

A"Summit On Soul-Winning" is scheduled with Dr. Cecil Todd and Ben Merold at the Norton Christian Church on March 1, 2 and 3.

The purpose of the gathering is to inspire and instruct ministers, elders, deacons, Bible school teachers and all Christians on how they can get their friends and family to attend church and to lead them to Christ, stated Dr. Todd. He bas been in the Christian ministry for over 63 years and has brought over three million souls to Christ.

Ben Merold, another successful soul-winner for 65 years, and a builder of two mega churches, whose attendance totaled over 3,000 each Sunday, will be featured throughout the weekend.

Ben will address such subjects as "Why we do not witness for Christ," "Some things that will keep your church from growing," and "Some things I will never do without."

The "Summit" will start on Friday, March 1 at 7 p.m. and will continue on Saturday at 9 a.m. This service will conclude with a free luncheon at noon.

On Sunday morning, "The Summit" will continue win Ben Merold preaching for the first service at 8 a.m., and Dr. Cecil Todd will speak at the second service at 10:30 a.m. Merold will also speak at a combined group of all adult Bible classes in the main auditorium at 9:30 a.m

Churches throughout the are are being invited to attend and take advantage of this great opportunity to hear Merold and Todd, two of America's premiere soul-winners and church builders. They have a combined 128 years of Christian ministry experience.

Admission is free and there in no registration charge. A free soul-winning packet will be given to each attendee.

For more information, or to make advanced reservations, please contact the Norton Christian Church at 785-877-2871.

Call Mike with all your social news. 877-3361

Wayne E. and Sharon Archer will be celebrating their þ 50th anniversary on March 17. 2 Cards will reach them at: Wayne and Shari Archer 2340 Road & 13 Almena, Ks 67622 QQ

MMMMM A Card Shower is requested in honor of the 99th Birthday E of Lois Dietz e on March 4 Cards can be sent to her at: 201 W. Crane, Norton, Kansas *67654* <u>ลกสกลลสกลสสสสสสสสสสสส</u>

