

OBITUARIES

Mable Elizabeth "Beth" Mustoe

April 22, 1912 - March 25, 2014

Mable Elizabeth "Beth" Mustoe, daughter of Ora and Mary (Scott) Page, was born April 22, 1912, in Norton, and passed away at the Andbe Home in Norton, on March 25, 2014, at the age of 101.

Beth was the last surviving member of her pioneer family that moved to Norton in the 1870s. She grew to womanhood in the Highland neighborhood and attended District 28, Blue Ridge Grade School and graduated from Norton Community High School in 1929. She taught school for many years at I.X.L. #43, Mount Pleasant #110, Blue Ridge District #28, and Dry Creek #23.

Beth and Melvin Mustoe were united in marriage on May 28, 1933, at the home of her parents. After a few years residence in Norton, they moved to the C.G. Page ranch. After 33 years of farming, they moved four miles west of Norton, where they lived for 17 years before residing again in Norton. She and Melvin were awarded the State Master Farmer/Home-maker Award in 1968, from Kansas State University. Melvin passed away July 6, 1996, and Beth later entered the Andbe Home.



Beth was a very active member of the Norton Christian Church where she was a teacher for 50-plus years, assistant Sunday school superintendent, member of the choir, women's council and division, and participated on various committees including the committee for the new parsonage in the 1960s and the Worship committee. She took great joy in playing the piano for the children in Sunday school and for the residents of the Andbe Home. Beth was also a member of numerous community groups throughout her lifetime. Two of her favorites included the Happiness Is China Painting and the Pride Commit-

tee of Norton.

Survivors include: two daughters, Rosemary O'Donnell, Rockville, Md.; Judyanne and husband, Dale Somers, Topeka; two grandchildren, Jennifer Somers and husband, Aaron Crawford, Topeka, and Michael and wife, Tammy Somers, Durham, N.C.; three great-grandchildren, Juleah, Holden, and Porter Somers, Durham; other relatives and many friends.

Beth was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, her brother and his wife, Carmy Gross and Lulu Page, her sister and her husband, Georgia Rose and Dorrance Lemonds.

Beth was an avid supporter of education. She has requested that memorial contributions be made to the Norton Public Library.

A funeral service will be held on Monday, March 31 at 10:30 a.m., at the Norton Christian Church. Burial will follow at the Norton Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Enfield Funeral Home, 215 W. Main, Norton, on Sunday, March 30, 2014, from 5 to 7 p.m.

Condolences can be sent to www.enfieldfh.com.

Arrangements by Enfield Funeral Home of Norton.

Sharon Kathaleen Beins

July 2, 1939 - March 16, 2014

Sharon Kathaleen Beins (Ruth), 74, of Wood River, Neb., passed away on Sunday March 16, 2014.

The memorial service will be held at 10:30 a.m. on April 4, 2014 at The First Church of the Nazarene, 1022 W. 6th St. in Grand Island, NE. Pastor Jim Perkins will be officiating.

Sharon was born in Norton, on July 2, 1939. Her mother, Kathaleen, known as Billie, died during the birth of Sharon. Sharon was raised by her maternal grandparents Alonzo and Irena Brooks until she was 3 years old. Sharon's father, Ivan, later remarried to Elva Stewart Ruth and Sharon lived with them on a farm near Alma. She attended a country school near her family's farm and later enrolled at Alma High School where she graduated.

Sharon was married to Darrel on Feb. 14, 2010; they were married 4 years.

Sharon started working for attorney J.C. Tillotson in Norton, after graduating high school un-



til 1958 when she married Kenneth Lawson. She and Kenneth had three children, sons Robert and Larry, and daughter Pam. Kenneth and Sharon divorced in 1982. Sharon later remarried in 1983 to Lee Anderson. Sharon and Lee were married 16 years until Lee's passing in 1999. Sharon loved books and was an avid reader all of her life. She also enjoyed jigsaw puzzles, looking for antiques and collectibles, fishing with Darrel, and spending time with friends

and family. She was a member of The First Church of the Nazarene in Grand Island, Neb., and a former member of the Congregational Church in Alma.

Sharon is survived by her husband Darrel of Wood River, Neb., son Robert (Janie) Lawson of Grimes, Iowa, daughter Pam Jordan of Swan, Iowa, eight step-children, five grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren, and many other family and friends.

Sharon is preceded in death by her parents Billie and Ivan Ruth, step-mother Elva, son Larry Lawson, and grandson Trevor Jordan.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be given to the American Cancer Society or The First Church of the Nazarene.

Dwight Dane Sprigg

Dec. 26, 1962 - March 25, 2014

Dwight Dane Sprigg, son of Dean and Evelyn (Meier) Sprigg, was born Dec. 26, 1962, in Norton County, and passed away near his home in Norton County on March 25, 2014, at the age of 51.

Dwight grew up on the family farm and attended the Norton schools, graduating with the Norton Community High School class of 1981. He also received an Associate's Degree from Colby Community College. On June 2, 1990, Dwight and Michelle Ziegler were united in marriage in Grainfield. They made their home on the farm northwest of Norton where they farmed and raised their two children, Dustyna and Dylan.

Dwight was a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Norton. He enjoyed hunting, fishing, farming and was a great joker. His greatest joys in life were spending time with his family and friends.

Survivors include: his wife, Michelle Sprigg, of their home in rural Norton; two children, Dustyna and Dylan Sprigg, both of Manhattan, Kan.; his parents, Dean and Evelyn Sprigg, Norton; one brother and his wife, David and Charla Sprigg, Norton; two sisters and their husbands, Kathy and Jay Hol-

ste, Norton; Tamara and Steve Ziegelmeier, Gem, Kan.; his mother-in-law, Connie Ziegler, Oakley, Kan.; his father-in-law, Eugene Ziegler, and wife, Janell, Grainfield, Kan.; nieces, nephews; other relatives and many friends.

Dwight was preceded in death by his grandparents.

A funeral service will be held on Monday, March 31, 2014 at 2:30 p.m. at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Norton. Burial will follow at Norton Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Immanuel Lutheran Church and Norton Chapter of FFA.

Friends may call at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Norton on Sunday, March 30, from 5 to 7 p.m.

Condolences can be sent to www.enfieldfh.com.

Arrangements by Enfield Funeral Home, 215 W. Main, Norton.



BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Kiel and Kristen Fahrenbruch announced the birth of their son Colin Del Fahrenbruch. Colin arrived at 9:26 a.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 4, 2014 in Kearney, Neb. He weighed eight pound and measured 21 inches long.

Colin has one sister Caroline Fahrenbruch. Grandparents are Von and Kris Fahrenbruch, Rod and Tammy Maddy, and great-grandmother is Alta Fahrenbruch, all of Norton.



Leaders need emotional fuel

Chasing Clovers
Patsy Maddy



A leader's future is shaped by the people closest to him or her. A leader's personal network is his emotional fuel: his models, heroes, mentors, inner circle, and accountability partners. Dr. Tim Elmore shares this statement about self-leadership entitling it our "Emotional Fuel."

Driving your car on "empty" until the tank is totally drained puts you at the risk of running out of fuel. Automobiles need fuel in order to operate. In the same way, leaders run on fuel as well. We need emotional fuel.

Because leaders spend themselves more than the average person, they need to refuel more often than most people do. Leadership is more emotionally expensive than friendship. A leader's personal network is his or her emotional fuel. Leaders need people in their lives who don't take from them, but who replenish them. If they don't have this network of people in place, they will use their followers to meet this need. This almost always leads to unhealthy situations.

Your fuel is all around you. Some people lead because they are needy. Their emotional tank is empty and they need their followers to fill them up. We all need others in our lives for social reasons. There are unhealthy leaders who use people to meet their need for flattery, prestige, or ego fulfillment. Some leader's self-image depends on whether people like him or her - just having followers can stroke our egos. Some people lead because they are lonely which usually is not a

good situation.

Some lead because they need encouragement. If you need people for this reason, you cannot lead them well. Your perspective will be skewed by your own needs rather than what is best for your organization or team. Leaders must make sure their emotional tank is full before they lead others. Never lead out of need.

Following is an example of an individual who led from an empty tank. He was intimidated by the people and board members in his organization. He had a poor self-image and wasn't secure or confident in his decisions. He had no accountability and no mentors. The result? During a four year period, that organization fell apart. It unraveled in front of everyone's eyes - not because there weren't sufficient funds or a good strategy. It was because the leader was running on an empty tank. He became consumed by his own needs instead of looking out for the needs of the organization. People began arguing over the

direction and the vision, and who was in charge. The team was divided. The leader was eventually asked by the board chairman to leave.

Your network determines your net worth. Your value to any team or organization depends on how strong and healthy you are inside. You need to run on all eight cylinders, and your strength depends on your running on a full emotional tank. Our character and our relationships are closely linked. Whenever there is a problem in our character, we pay a price in our relationship. Whenever we have a relationship problem, it affects our character.

The following list represents a set of relationships that will fill your tank and keep you healthy: Models (people who do what you'd like to do), Heroes (people you look up to and admire), Mentors (people who coach you and invest in you), Partners (peers who travel with you and hold you accountable), Inner Circle (those who are closest to you; they're like family), Mentees (people who learn from you). You need people in each category to be a well-rounded leader with a full tank.

Twin Creeks is always looking for individuals to join their leadership team. Call your local Extension office to volunteer!

The Andbe Home Inc.
has 1 vacancy to the board of directors.

If you would be interested in serving please contact
Nancy McGinnis, Administrator for
information regarding qualifications and requirements.
Deadline for application is April 11, 2014.

SHHHH . . . It's a Surprise!!
Happy Birthday,
Please Join Us To Help Celebrate
Carl Neff's
80th Birthday on
Saturday, March 29
From 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.
at the Prairie Dog Golf Course
16731 PDRA Road
Norton, Kansas 67654

Over the next 3-6 weeks, the
Norton County Hospital and Medical Clinic
will be changing to a new computer system.

It is essential that we update your current contact details -- this includes your home, work and cell phone numbers as well as a current mailing address. If possible, please arrive at least 10 minutes in advance of your appointment time so staff can have time to verify your information.

We also ask that you bring your current insurance card with you when you come to the Hospital or Clinic for an appointment. You will also be asked to pay for any co-pay due at the time of service.

The Norton County Hospital remains committed to providing the quality health care services you and your family have come to know and trust.

NCH We appreciate your patience during this transition time to our new computer system.

April 1
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March 28 - April 2
Showing at the
NORTON THEATRE
Divergent
2 Hours, 33 Minutes (PG-13)
Friday and Saturday: 8:00 p.m.
Sunday: 5:00 p.m.
Mon., Tues., Wed.: 7:00 p.m.
Noah
(NR)

Let's Go to the Movie

Noah is \$7.00 for adults and \$6.00 for children 12 and Under. \$3/tx on Sunday
Divergent is \$7.00 for adults and \$6.00 for children 12 and Under. NO Sunday Discount

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PREMIERING IN NORTON,
FRIDAY, APRIL 4
CAPTAIN AMERICA 2 (PG-13)
PREMIERING APRIL 11 - RIO 2 (PG)

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