

# Family

## Deaths

### Willard W. Miller, Sr.

Willard W. Miller, Sr., 89, of Colby, died Tuesday, Aug. 2, 2005 at Citizens Medical Center in Colby.

Mr. Miller was born Dec. 24, 1915 in Brewster. He was a lifelong area resident and a farmer.

Mr. Miller is survived by his wife, Elon Miller of Colby; one son, Willard "Bill" Miller Jr. of Colby; three grandchildren and two grandchildren.

### Buddy Lyle Johnson

Buddy Lyle Johnson, 57, of Colby, died Monday, Aug. 1, 2005 at his home. Mr. Johnson was born Nov. 7, 1947 in American Fork, Utah.

He was a laborer for construction companies.

Mr. Johnson is survived by a stepson, Tom Richie of Colby; daughters Beverly Johnson of Colby and Debbie Ward of Springville, Utah, stepdaughters Tracey Carpenter of Bullhead City, Ariz., Tami Crum of Mesa, Ariz. and Sharla Acker of Broomfield, Colo.; two brothers, Jerry Johnson and Larry Johnson, both of Utah; two sisters, Donna Bullock and Carol Richie, both of

Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Harrison Chapel with Pastor Jerry Vincent of Levant officiating. Burial will be at Beulah Cemetery in Colby.

Visitation will be from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday at Harrison Chapel.

Memorials are suggested to VFW Post 6882 or Levant Community Church and may be left at any Colby bank or Harrison Chapel.

Utah and six grandchildren.



B. Johnson

Services will be at 10 a.m. Friday at Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel in Colby. Cremation will follow the funeral services. Visitation will be from 1-5 p.m. Thursday at Kersenbrock Funeral Chapel.

Memorials are suggested in his name, to be designated at a later date, and donations may be left at the funeral home.

### Donald Currier

Donald Currier, 72, of Atwood, died Monday, Aug. 1, 2005 at the Rawlins County Health Center. He was a retired pharmacist and the former owner of Currier Drug Store in Atwood.

A memorial service is planned at the United Methodist Church, 200 N. 4th, at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, with Rev. Terry McGuire officiating. There is no visitation. There was cremation. A private inurnment

will be at the Atwood Fairview Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Marcille, Atwood; three sons, Jim of Concordia; Gene of Independence, Mo., and Brian of Mountain Home, Ariz.; a daughter, Karen Cooper, Abilene; a brother, Ed, Colby; and eight grandchildren.

Memorials may be addressed in his name to Atwood Second Century Fund, Atwood City Library or Rawlins County Health Center (Palliative Care Room).

Williams Funeral Home, 109 N. 2nd St., Atwood, Kan. 67730, is in charge of arrangements.

# Summer cools down in Brewster



### Betty Jo Baird

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first, as there are many coming and going. After Aug. 7, the items will be unavailable.

A wedding reception/hog roast was held for Clint and Sarah Horinek Saturday, July 23, 2005. Family and friends of about 200 enjoyed the food and fellowship. Clint and Sarah were married in Sarah's hometown of Chicago, Ill. on June 10, 2005. A number of Sarah's family from Chicago came to join the celebration.

Lance Reid of Andale visited his

parents, Warren and Bonnie Reid, and other relatives and friends a few days last week.

The annual Dillinger reunion was held at the Quality Inn in Colby. Five of T.C. Dillinger's children were there. Clarice Blakely, Sidney Dillinger, Troy Dillinger, Olga Schwartzkopp and Dwight Dillinger. There were 54 in attendance. A good time was had by all.

In the Thomas County Fair Tatum Rundel got grand champion in her division. She is the granddaughter of Merle and Helen Metzler. Balyee Westover won the grand champion in her division. Melissa Baird received grand champion and reserve champion. Andrie Baird got grand champion and Layton received reserve champion. Congratulations to

all of you. Job well done.

Ruth Jones wants to thank everyone who sent cards and all the calls she received for her 80th birthday.

My child, I can see that you are struggling with feelings of inadequacy. You are not feeling equipped to do all that you must do today. I'm asking you to remember this one thing when the circumstances of your day threaten to discourage you. Remember that I will never ask you to do anything for which I have not first equipped you. You can trust me on that! You can step out, fully confident, knowing that I am with you. Don't be afraid or intimidated by the people who oppose you. I, the Lord, your God, am with you. I will supply your adequacy.

# Difficulty of family moves can be eased

## Plain Sense

becoming part of a new peer group can be even more anxiety provoking.

As compared to older children, early elementary age children may be even more hesitant to start a new school, and more clingy to their parents. They are at a stage of development where they are just beginning to learn how to deal with authority figures other than their parents, so teachers, bus drivers, principals and other school staff can be

quite intimidating. Older children will be affected by a family move primarily because they have had to leave behind their familiar peer group and friends. But most do adapt to a different school and new friends within a short time.

Some children can become overwhelmed and even depressed when dealing with such a major change in their life. Parents need to be aware, allow their children to talk about their feelings and work together in regards to how the whole family is doing. Explain to the child why the move is necessary so that they don't

think they have done something bad to cause this to happen. Include children in ongoing discussions at the level of their understanding. Even when they may not like the final decision regarding a move, having some input helps them to better understand the reasons why, and to be more accepting.

*Editor's note: The preceding article was contributed by Karen Beery, Consultation and Education Department with High Plains Mental Health in Hays. The views expressed here are those of the individual writer and should not be considered a replacement for seeking professional help. Mail questions to: High Plains Mental Health Center, Plain Sense, Consultation and Education Department, 208 East Seventh, Hays, Kan. 67601. Questions will be formatted and answered in a manner that ensures confidentiality. Internet site: www.highplainsmentalhealth.com*

## Get-well wishes requested for Colby resident

## Card Shower

will miss attending the reunion this year but wanted everyone to know that he will be thinking of everyone

there and the good times he had taking the pictures during the last 30 years.

Get well wishes may be sent to Rick Barnett, 600 S. Mission, Apt. 16, Colby, Kan. 67701.

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