

DEATHS AND SERVICES



**Betty Miller**

Betty J. Miller, 83, of Winfield, passed away Sept. 14, 2015, at her home. Services will be 2 p.m. Saturday at Miles Funeral Service. Burial will be in Highland Cemetery. Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. The family will greet visitors from 4 to 6. A memorial has been established in Betty's name for the Cowley County Humane Society. Contributions may be made through the funeral home.

Miller

Online condolences may be made at [www.milesfuneral-service.com](http://www.milesfuneral-service.com).

Betty was born Dec. 21, 1931, in Weslaco, Texas, to Earl Floyd and Esther Mildred (Gill) Shea. She was raised in Wichita and received her early education there. The family later moved to Winfield where Betty graduated from Winfield High School in 1950.

On Dec. 3, 1950, Betty married Melvin M. Miller. They lived for a time on the Gill farm west of Winfield. They later moved to the family farm east of Winfield. Betty worked for Winfield State Hospital & Training Center from 1965 to 1967. In 1967, she began working for Binney and Smith Crayola factory in the paint department. She retired in 1997 after 30 years of service.

She was a member of Tisdale United Methodist Church, the Ark City Mavericks, the Winfield Saddle Club and the South Central Kansas Kennel Club. She enjoyed embroidery, gardening, coloring, doing yard work, participating in rodeos, raising irises and going to iris shows as well as raising Dobermans. Betty especially loved spending time with her children and family.

In addition to her parents, Betty was preceded in death by her husband Melvin M. Miller on June 14, 2003 and grandson Christopher Allen Kennedy.

Survivors include her sons Barry Curtis Miller and wife Debbie, Oxford, and Dudley Wade Miller, Winfield; daughters Barbara Jean Marler, Linda JoAnn Weathers and husband Rodger, Connie Lynn Miller and Kerri Leah Miller, all of Winfield; 18 grandchildren, 48 great-grandchildren with one on the way and three great-great-grandchildren.



**Manuel Vargas**

ARKANSAS CITY — Manuel Carlos Vargas Sr., 61, of Arkansas City, was reunited with the love of his life on Sept. 13, 2015.

The Rosary will be recited at 7 p.m. Friday and a Mass of Christian Burial celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday, both at Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Cremation has taken place. Burial in Prairie Lawn Cemetery, Wellington, will be private.

Arrangements are by Cornejo/Day Funeral Home & Crematory, 1030 Mission Rd., Wellington, KS 67152. A memorial fund has been established in his loving memory with the American Cancer Society. Contributions may be mailed or left with the funeral home.

To share a memory or leave condolences, visit [www.cornejodayfuneralhome.com](http://www.cornejodayfuneralhome.com)

Manuel was born Dec. 5, 1953, in Winfield, to Cruz and Susie (Barron) Vargas. Following high school, he received technical college training and then began his work career. He has been a mechanical inspector for General Electric for nearly 15 years.

On Jan. 25, 1974, Manuel and Catherine Ybarra married in Winfield. Together they celebrated 35 years of marriage before her passing in 2009.

Manuel was preceded in death by his mother Susie Vargas as well as his wife.

Survivors include his son Manuel Carlos Vargas Jr. and Stacy Smith; daughters, Natalie Vargas and Scott Logsdon and Sonya Mosier and husband Roger, all of Arkansas City; grandchildren Mariah Rippe and husband David, Macen Vargas, Jordyn Logsdon, Justis Mosier, Zerrick Vargas, Spencer Mosier, Zackry Logsdon, Brendetta Smith, Makenzie Smith and Brylan Smith; father, Cruz Vargas, Wichita; and siblings Mary Green, Richard Vargas, Paul Vargas, Tommy Vargas, Mike Vargas and Nina Smith.



**Duane Burleson**

WICHITA — Albert "Duane" Burleson, 56, of Wichita, passed away Sept. 12, 2015, in Wichita.

Services will be 1 p.m. Friday at Believers Tabernacle, 2000 S. Hillside, Wichita. Burial will be 3 p.m. Friday in Oxford Cemetery.

Arrangements are by Cozine Memorial Group, 1147 S Broadway at Lincoln, Wichita, KS 67211.

The family has set up a "Go Fund Me" page that can be found by going to [www.CozineMemorial.com](http://www.CozineMemorial.com) in care of Broadway Mortuary.

Duane was born April 22, 1959, in Perryton, Texas, to Dale Duane and Rita Faye (Richeson) Burleson.

On Jan. 14, 1995, Duane married Rhonda Davis in Ponca City.

Prior to a prolonged illness, Duane was a maintenance facilities manager in Winfield. He could be found enjoying the outdoors and loved riding his motorcycle with the love of his life Rhonda.

He was an avid fisherman. He also took great pride in spending time with his children and greatly enjoyed being with all his grandchildren.

Duane was preceded in death by his father Dale Burleson and mother Rita Faye.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife Rhonda Burleson, of the home; sons Jeremi Tate and wife Alia, Brandon Burleson and wife Kelli, and Casey Lee and wife Mary, all of Winfield; daughter Rachel Tate, Wichita; sister Theresa Rairdon; grandchildren Jayden, Ali, Justyce and Alawnah Tate, Logan, Mikayla, Landyn, Layton and Aubrey Burleson, and Micah, Jonah, Noah and Susannah Lee.



**Clyde Shaw**

ARKANSAS CITY — Clyde Shaw, Jr., 88, of Arkansas City, died Sept. 11, 2015, in Owasso, Okla.

Services will be 10 a.m. Saturday at the First Baptist Church. Pastor David Stanley will officiate. Burial will be in Parker Cemetery.

Arrangements are by Rindt-Erdman Funeral Home, Arkansas City. Online condolences may be made at [www.rindt-erdman.com](http://www.rindt-erdman.com)

Shaw

Clyde was born Nov. 15, 1926, in Arkansas City, to Clyde and Verdene (Heathrington) Shaw. He attended schools in Arkansas City and graduated from the high school in 1944. Clyde served in the United States Army 7th Infantry Division in the Philippines and received the Army Occupation award in Korea.

On June 18, 1949, Clyde married Alice Kathleen Stockton in Arkansas City. The couple made their home there until moving to Wellington in 1969. Clyde worked for Allis Chalmers until buying the Sears Roebuck business and operating it until the early 1990s.

In addition to his parents, Clyde was preceded in death by his wife Alice Shaw.

Survivors include his sons David Shaw and wife Dianne, Skiatook, Okla., and Mark Shaw and wife Cindy, Arkansas City; grandchildren Jonathan Shaw and Kathryn Shaw, both of Skiatook, Stephen Shaw and wife Katie, Wichita, Rachel Shaw, Hutchinson, Minn., and Sarah Shaw, Arkansas City; and great-grandchild Jalie Shaw.

WEATHER

Forecast

**Today...** Mostly sunny. Breezy. Highs around 90. South winds 15 to 25 mph with gusts to around 30 mph.

**Tonight...** Partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 70s. South winds 15 to 20 mph with gusts to around 25 mph.

Extended forecast

**Thursday...** Mostly sunny. Highs around 90. South winds 15 to 20 mph with gusts to around 25 mph.

**Thursday night...** Partly cloudy in the evening then becoming mostly cloudy. A 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. Lows in the lower 70s.

**Friday...** Partly sunny with a 40 percent chance

of thunderstorms. Highs in the upper 80s.

**Friday night...** Cooler. Mostly cloudy in the evening then becoming partly cloudy. A 40 percent chance of thunderstorms. Lows in the upper 50s.

**Saturday...** Not as warm. Mostly sunny. Highs in the mid 70s.

**Saturday night...** Partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. Lows in the mid 50s.

**Sunday...** Partly sunny with a 30 percent chance of thunderstorms. Highs in the mid 70s.

**Sunday night...** Partly cloudy in the evening then becoming mostly cloudy. A 30 percent chance of thunderstorms. Lows in the upper 50s.

**Monday...** Mostly sunny. Highs in the upper 70s.

STOCKS

Tuesday's closing stock prices, courtesy of Rodger Steffen, financial advisor for Edward Jones:

Apple.....	116.28...	+0.97
ADM.....	43.47...	+0.54
AT&T.....	32.85...	+0.30
BankofAmerica....	16.32...	+0.37
Boeing.....	136.32...	+1.89
BP.....	31.13...	+0.45
Coca-Cola.....	38.49...	+0.39
CommerceBank.....	45.07...	+0.71
ConocoPhillips.....	47.27...	+0.50
Emerson Electric.....	46.31...	+0.79
Exxon/Mobil.....	72.87...	+0.38
FedexCorp.....	154.02...	+3.79
FordMotor.....	14.31...	+0.53
GeneralElectric.....	25.30...	+0.53
GreifBros.....	34.83...	+0.86
IntelCorp.....	29.73...	+0.34
IBM.....	147.58...	+1.93
JCPenney.....	9.72...	-0.01
Kroger.....	37.16...	-0.26

McDonalds.....	98.20...	+1.23
Merck.....	53.55...	+1.21
Microsoft.....	43.98...	+0.93
3M Company.....	143.57...	+2.76
Newell.....	42.50...	+0.25
O'Reilly.....	249.39...	+5.12
Pepsi.....	92.07...	+0.87
Pfizer.....	33.17...	+0.46
Raytheon.....	106.02...	+0.56
SkylineCorp.....	3.14...	+0.09
Sonic.....	25.31...	-2.32
Spirit Aero.....	51.34...	+0.60
Textron.....	40.90...	+0.58
Valero.....	61.41...	+0.68
Wal-Mart.....	64.32...	+0.04
Walt Disney Co.....	103.45...	-0.37
Wendy's.....	9.07...	-0.11
WestarEnergy.....	36.18...	+0.15

DowJones: 16,599.85 +228.89  
Up: 2,123 Down: 925 Unc.: 139  
S&P: 1,978.09 +25.06

CORRECTION

An article in Tuesday's edition of the Courier gave incorrect information regarding an apparel sale to be hosted by the seventh and eighth grade WMS volleyball teams on Saturday at the Citizen's State Bank parking lot. The items will not be "Viking" apparel but, as in the

past, will be Nike, Adidas, Tommy and university brand polo dress shirts, adults and kids short and long sleeve T-shirts, jackets, jogging pants, mesh shorts, sunglasses, baseball hats, handbags, backpacks, hoodies and more. The sale runs from 6:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m.

Kansas growers planting winter wheat

WICHITA (AP) — Kansas growers are planting next year's winter wheat crop while harvesting their corn and other fall crops.

The National Agricultural Statistics Service reported Monday that 5 percent of the 2016 wheat crop has been seeded. That is typical for this point in the season.

The agency also is reporting that about 11 percent of the corn in Kansas has now been cut.

That is slightly behind the 17 percent at this time a year ago or the 25 percent average.

About 2 percent of the sorghum in the state has been cut, which is normal for this time of the year.

Fourth cutting of alfalfa in Kansas is 65 percent finished, ahead of both last year and the average for this point in the season.

**Fleming Feed & Grain**  
Yesterday's Closing Price  
Wheat.....\$4.51  
Soybeans.....\$8.59  
Corn.....\$3.63  
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Sunflowers.....\$15.00  
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DAILY RECORD

Winfield Police Department

•Municipal warrant: Brandon Clampitt, Winfield, was arrested Friday in the 300 block of Michigan.

•Domestic disturbance: A Winfield woman was a victim Friday in the 200 block of E. Fifth Ave.

•Lost property: Mosaic, 2120 E. Ninth Ave., Winfield, was a victim Friday.

•DUI, no seat belt: Sergio Contreras, Winfield, was arrested and cited Friday in the 2300 block of E. Ninth Ave.

•No reports Saturday. •Disturbance: Officers responded Sunday to the 1500 block of Andrews. No charges.

•Disturbance: Officers responded Sunday to the 200 building of St. James Ct. No charges.

•Criminal trespass: Walmart, 2202 Pike Road, Winfield, was a victim Sunday.

Winfield Municipal Court — Sept. 14, 2015

•Jennifer Arndt — dog at large, guilty; no city dog tag, guilty

•Fred Bates — dog at large, guilty

•William T. Campbell — dog at large, guilty; no rabies vaccination, guilty

•Jacob Coble — speeding 30/20, guilty

•Katrina Doolittle — no proof current liability, guilty; Failure to yield right of way, guilty

•Eric Fraley — no driver's license in possession, guilty; illegal vehicle registration

•Shadow Gamble — following too closely, guilty

•Janna Gingham — speeding 43/30, guilty

•Stratton Harrison — run red light, guilty

•Dana Keithy — dog at large, guilty

•Jamie Mckee — no rabies vaccination, guilty

•Robert Reed — following too closely, guilty

•Kimberly Tapia — dog at large, guilty

•Seat belt violation — Nathan Angnabooguk, Robin Bird, Steven Bratcher, Brandon Campbell, Johnathan Cassaboom, Arden Bloedel, Harold Donaldson, Becky Douglas, Soloman Finley, Mark Firebaugh, Graig Gardner, Taryn Henning, Andrew Hunt, Nicholas Kimple, Johnnie Lawson, Robert Maxwell, Douglas Meek, Dawnelle Miller, Gerald Oliver, Jimmy Perrigo, Brett Rackleff, Justin Rice, Marlene Salsman, Patrick Shultz

Cowley County Sheriff's Department

•Cattle on roadway: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the area of U.S. 160 and 151st Road.

•Reckless driver: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the 7000 block of 21st Road for a driver in a white hatchback, speeding and cutting people off. The vehicle was not located.

•Cattle on roadway: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the 1000 block of U.S. 160.

•Burglary alarm: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the 3000 block of N. 15th St. Alarm company called back and told deputies to disregard as there was no intruder.

Memorial for Mary Leigh Green Wise. Sat., Sept. 19th 10:00 a.m. in the Gazebo at 4004 S Pike Rd, Winfield Please join us as we remember her.

•Verbal disturbance: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the 200 block of N. East St. Udall Police arrived first, disregarded deputies and advised there would be no report.

•Vehicle check: Deputies checked a vehicle Friday in the area of the 4000 block of 132nd Road. The vehicle was off the roadway with no one around it.

•Dog bite: Deputies were dispatched Friday to William Newton Hospital for report of a dog bite that occurred in the county.

•Not maintaining single lane of travel: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the 28000 block of U.S. 166 for a semi-tractor trailer that was not maintaining a single lane of travel. No deputies were in the area. Chautauqua County was notified.

•Disturbance: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the 3000 block of N. Summit for a disturbance in which the caller said she had observed a female throw rocks at the male half of the disturbance. Contact made with both parties involved.

•Battery: Deputies were dispatched Friday to Arkansas City Fire Department for a battery that occurred the night before when a paramedic was battered by a patient.

•Followup: Deputies conducted follow-up Friday in the 700 block of N. Eighth St. on a failure to change address on an offender registration case. Report sent to the county attorney for the consideration of formal charges. Subject currently incarcerated in Cowley County Jail on other charges.

•Vehicle check: Deputies checked a vehicle Friday in the area of U.S. 77 and K- 15. The vehicle was off the roadway with no one around it.

•Prisoner transport: Deputies transported a prisoner Friday for Arkansas City Police to Cowley County Jail.

•Missing vehicle: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the IXL area. After checking it was discovered the vehicle was repossessed on Sept. 5, 2015.

•Verbal disturbance: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the 17000 block of 172nd Road regarding a civil issue.

•Shots, explosions heard: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the area of 82nd Road and 131st Road. Contact made and the subjects had been shooting tannerite. They said they were done for the night.

•Dog complaint: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the 21000 block of 85th Road for a neighbor's dog tearing up another neighbor's property and scattering trash.

•Message delivery: Deputies were dispatched Friday to the 11000 block of 292nd Road.

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Daily record

All items in the daily record are on the logs of local law enforcement agencies and are a matter of public record. The Courier does not withhold the names of any of the suspects and adheres strictly to this policy. Please refrain from asking the Courier to make exceptions to this policy.