

## SHOCKEY NEWSLETTER NO. 27

Dear Friends and Shockey "Cousins",

I always enjoy getting this newsletter together as it is the only way that I can keep in touch with all of you. There is no way that I could correspond with each of you individually so I take this opportunity to thank you for all of the wonderful cards, letters, phone calls, genealogy up-dates, articles for the newsletter, and of course, financial contributions. It is your support that keeps the newsletter coming and the Reunions happening.

I have been in touch with many new "cousins" during the past year. There is always someone requesting help in finding their roots. I have been able to help a great number of them, but there are some that I just can't connect. I am sure they belong, I just don't have the information necessary to make the connection. Some of you who have never sent in your family history could very well be just the link that we are looking for. We are trying to make it possible for any Shockey descendent to trace their family without all of the tedious research and hundreds of hours of their time. It has taken many years to get to the point where we are today.

It is time to start making plans to attend the REUNION. It will be held in Elizabethtown, Kentucky on July 3 through 8. My son and daughter-in-law, David and Donna Shockey, will be hosting the reunion. We will be on hand from July 2<sup>nd</sup> to greet anyone who wants to come early. We have reserved 40 rooms at COMFORT INN. They offer a deluxe continental breakfast, 2 queen size beds in each room, pool and use of the conference room so long as we have 20 rooms rented. The cost is \$52.95 plus tax. For reservations, Call 270-769-3030 and specify SHOCKEY REUNION. If you ask to speak with Angelia Wentworth, you will get the best results. If you have any special needs, let her know at that time and get a confirmation number. They will try to put us all on the ground floor and all together if possible. They have a huge conference room which will be ours every day. That is where the guys set up their computers and they will be there to show you what they have done with the information that you have sent in. We encourage you to bring any new information, pictures, additions or corrections and they will be glad to add it for you. I will bring my picture albums from prior reunions and I think Howard will bring the ones that John had. He has lots more pictures than I have. We will have Reunion T-Shirts and Caps for sale. It will be a general meeting place during the time we are there.

There are lots of really great things to do in the area, so no one will have time to be bored. Even those not interested in genealogy will have a wonderful time. David and Donna will see to that. We are trying to arrange some nice things that we can all do together, but since those places are not open this time of year, it is just in the planning stage. One thing we wanted to do is take in the Stephen Foster Play in Bardstown, Ky. It is not far from Elizabethtown and is quite inexpensive. Another thing that we thought about is a luncheon cruise on the Ohio River. I have been on cruises like that and they are really enjoyable—not really expensive either. Of course everyone wants to visit Fort

Knox where your "gold" is and the Patton Museum and there is a big shopping center in easy driving distance where there are some really nice shops . I understand that there is an outlet mall not far from there too. I have not been there. We will have maps and brochures available and we will have first-hand information on much of this.

What we do have arranged is that we can attend Church on Sunday Morning and after church, we go to the Pritchard Community Center where we have arranged a catered lunch. The exact price is not determined, but it is around \$7.50. A nice gentleman has offered some entertainment if he is not tied up on his "day job".

There are several nice restaurants in walking distance from the Motel; Shoneys Cracker Barrel and Outlaw Steak House. There was another one, but I don't remember what it was. There is Burger King too and McDonald's is not far. All is on the same side of the highway as the Motel. David is including a map of the area, but the Motel is located at exit 94 off of I-65.

Last year the reunion was held in Virginia. Most of the folks arrived on Thursday. Les, Bud and Gerald had their computers all hooked up and running. We had a wonderful time greeting old friends and making new ones. We had about 120 people from 18 states. Those attending were: from Virginia, Scott Luttrell, Branson Luttrell, Violet Moyer, Francis S. Shockey, Judy and Amanda Shockey, Nancy & Jefferson Wendel, Rev. Isaac and Diane Luttrell, Ruby Grandstaff, Lori Parsons and Daniel N. & Dottie Shockey. From KENTUCKY: David and Donna Shockey, From TENNESSEE, William Shockey and Tonya and Art Blanchford, From ILLINOIS, Betty Shockey, From FLORIDA, Rose Krueger and Annabelle Lewis, From INDIANA, Jack & Helen Netzley. From WEST VIRGINIA, Les & Naomi Shockey, Marie Shockey, James and Helen Lambert, Joy Lynn Lambert, Neal & Edna Shockey, Margaret & Gregory Federline, Jeff Shockey, Frank Shockey, Jean Shockey and children, Debbi , Chelsea and Madison. From TEXAS, Gerald and Ruth Shockey, Jamie McHenry & Jed Davis. From NEW JERSEY, Bill & Evelyn Rupell and Christopher Mull. From ARKANSAS, Joy Henning, Jack & Phyllis Shockey, Donald and Dorothy Shockey and Herbert Unger. From DELAWARE, Donald and Charlotte Henry. From COLORADO, Grant Shockey. From OHIO, Shelby Jean Haley, Robert & Helen Kinsey, Joy England Zinn, Tod, Anna and Laura Crumrine, John E. and Marion Shockey, Dan & Dottie Shockey, Debbi Riley, Ruth Markley, Karl & Stephanie Markley and children Angel and Angela, William and Marlyn England, Judy Suttles, Margaret White and Elizabeth Feichter. From CALIFORNIA, Homer and Margaret Shockey, Carole Shockey and Kenneth Shockey. From LOUISIANA, Neal & Bonnie Willett, Nancy Kay Alleman, Rachel Alleman and Casi Marie Rogers. From PENNSYLVANIA, Mark E. Shockey, John C. & Jane Shockey, Kenneth & Bonnie Shockey, Paul K. & Anna Shockey, Floyd & Etta Gearhart, George C. & Roberta Shockey, Richard Lee & Janet Shockey, Doris & Robert Bonner. From IDAHO, James "Bud" Roseberry. From MARYLAND, Ralph Shockey, Linda Eicher, Steven Shockey, William Shockey, Jacob & Rosemarie Shockey, Alyse Shockey, John & Peggy Henninger, Dawn Henninger, John Cleveland, Laura & Jill Cleveland.. I counted 121 that either signed in or I remembered that they were there There were some

who just attended on Sunday, didn't sign in, may have paid dues, but my memory is just not all that good.

On Friday, June 30, we did a Bus Tour of Gettysburg. There were 41 people and most had never been to Gettysburg. It was a enjoyable and educational day..

On Saturday, John conducted a tour of Oakland, John's old cabin, and the Oakland Cemetery. We were not able to see inside the cabin this year which was a bit of a disappointment. The inside is so interesting. Then we went on to Shockeyville and he told the story of the town which used to be there and the church which still stands in that beautiful, peaceful spot on the mountain. Scott's sisters, Violet and Ruby, met us there with sandwiches, iced tea and lemonade. After that, we went back to the Motel and had our Director's Meeting. There were four members absent: Nora Seitz, Helen See, Walda Ann Paris and Howard Shockey. After the meeting and dinner, we were all back in the conference room until bedtime.

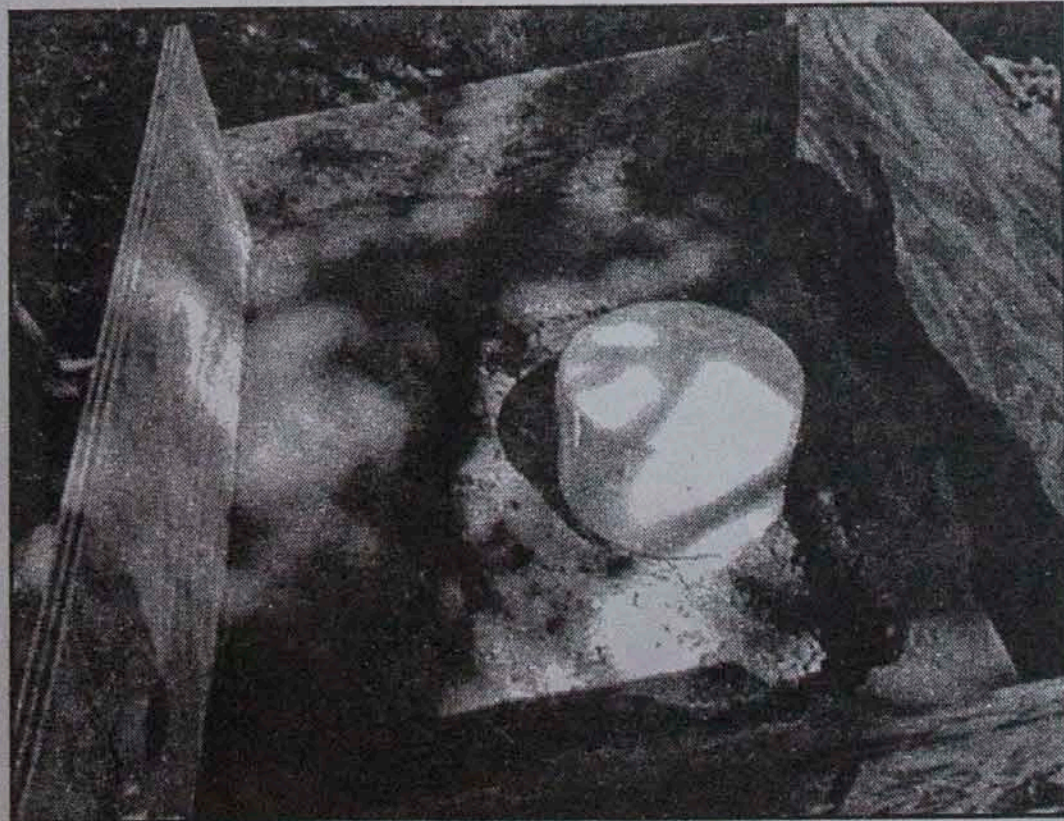
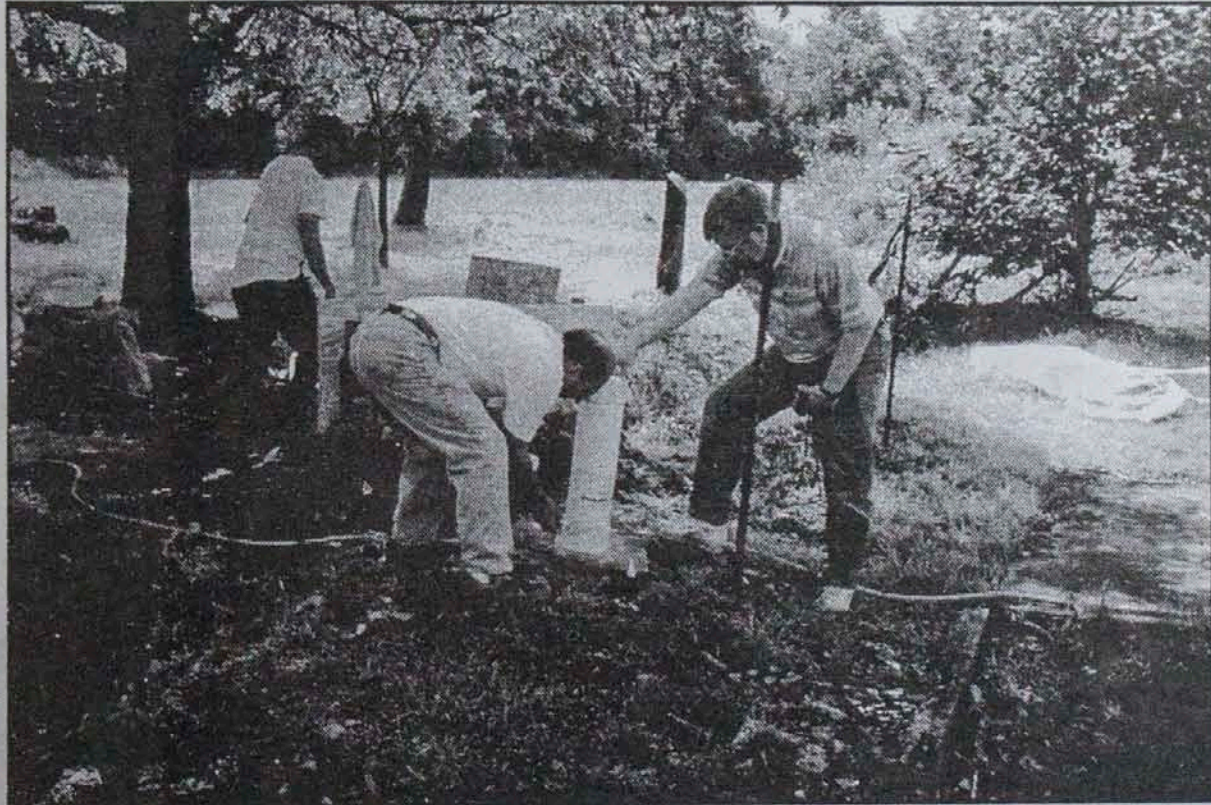
On Sunday morning we attended Shockeyville Church at 8:45 am. The church was packed. Rev. Isaac Luttrell always treats us to some Country Gospel music along with the service. He plays the guitar and he and his wife, Diane sing. They are quite talented. After church we visited and took pictures then enjoyed a delicious lunch catered by Ramon's of Martinsburg, WV. After lunch, we had our general meeting. That is when the Officers and Directors of the Shockey Family Memorial Fellowship give our reports on what we have done and what we plan to do. John C. Shockey, President, said that he felt that it was time for him to step down and give his job to some one younger. He had asked David Shockey if he would accept the nominaton. He agreed and was unanimously elected. That was when he got his first big job: hosting the Reunion in Kentucky this year.

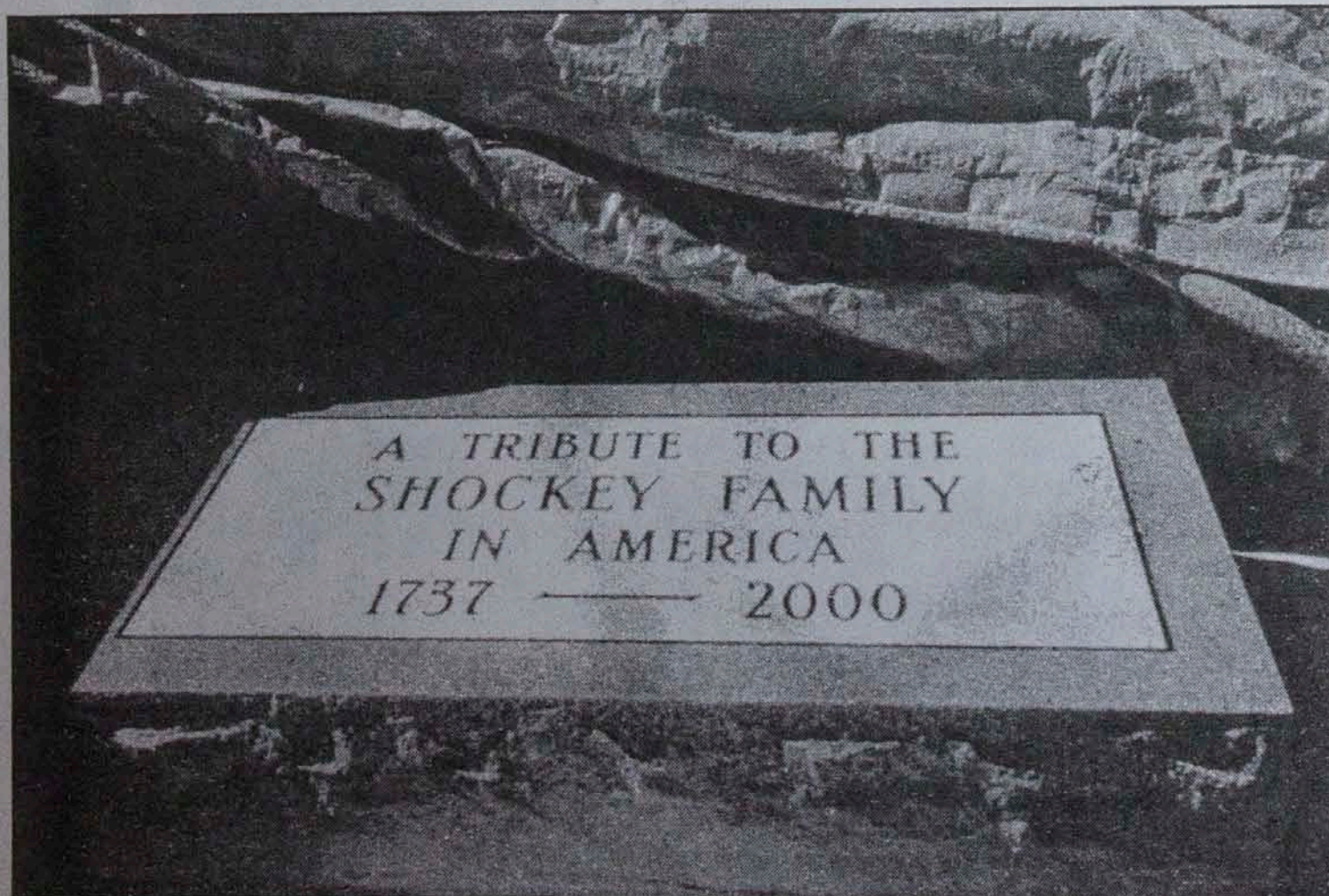
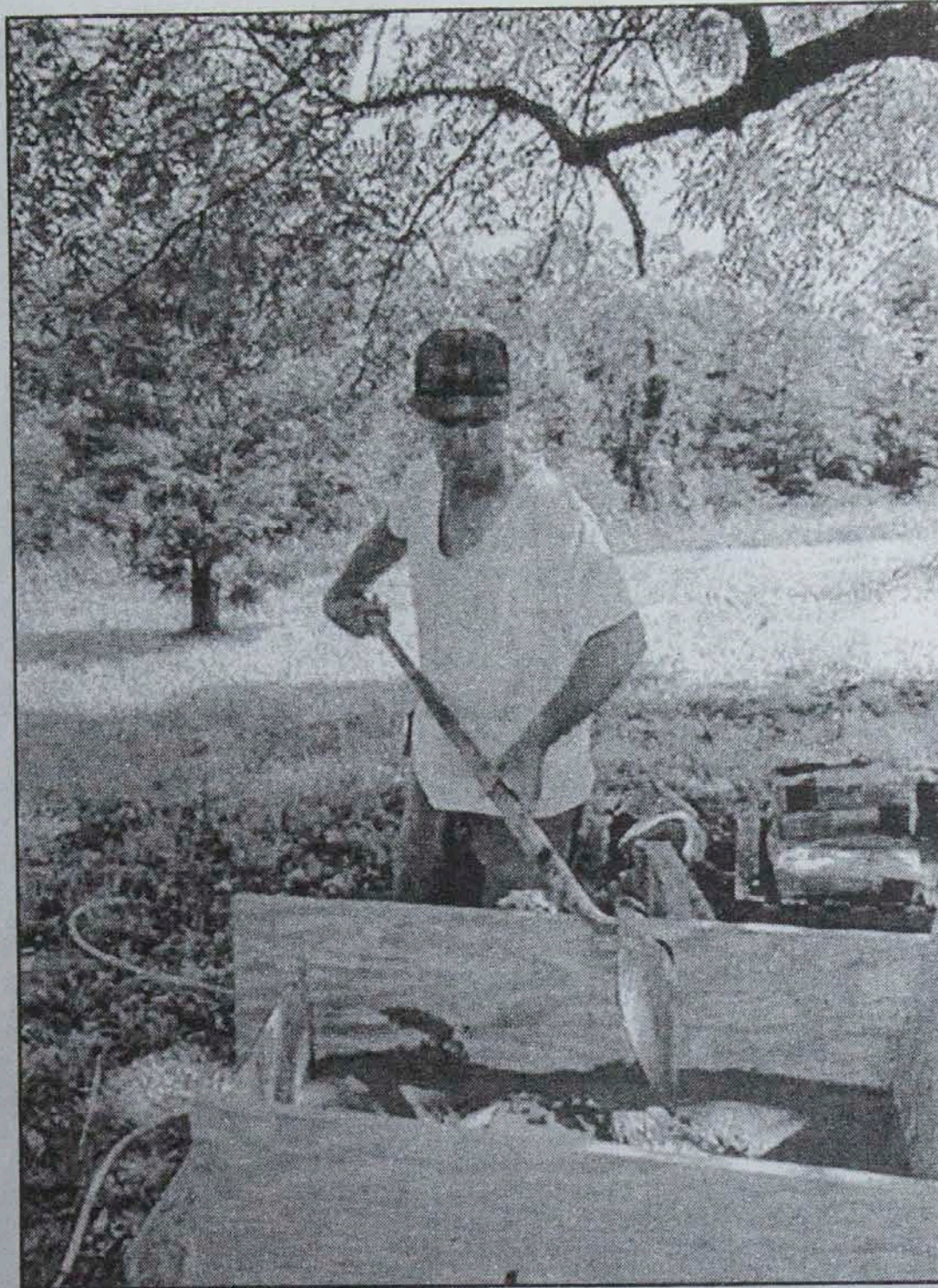
On Monday, John took some of the folks on the Maryland/Pennsylvania Tour. From there, most went home. By that time we tired and happy from all the fun and fellowship of the past few days---and were making plans for the next year! Some of these people have never missed a reunion from the time they first came. This is their main vacation trip. We have many wonderful memories of the other reunions like Arkansas, Texas, Missouri, West Virginia and Ohio and of course, we are looking forward to a wonderful time in Kentucky. A few of us have attended some of the other Shockey Reunions like in Broken Bow, Oklahoma, Natural Bridge, Kentucky and Pennsylvania. Since we are having our reunion in Kentucky this year, we hope to meet many of our "Kentucky Cousins". That is the main reason why we go to the different states. It has worked really well in the past. Most of the Kentucky Shockeys are descended from Isaac Shockey. Of course there are others who come from a different line, but all are connected to the original SHOCKEY, JOHN CHRISTOPHER SHOCKEY. Please attend and bring along any additional information that you have so your family can be up-dated in our computers.

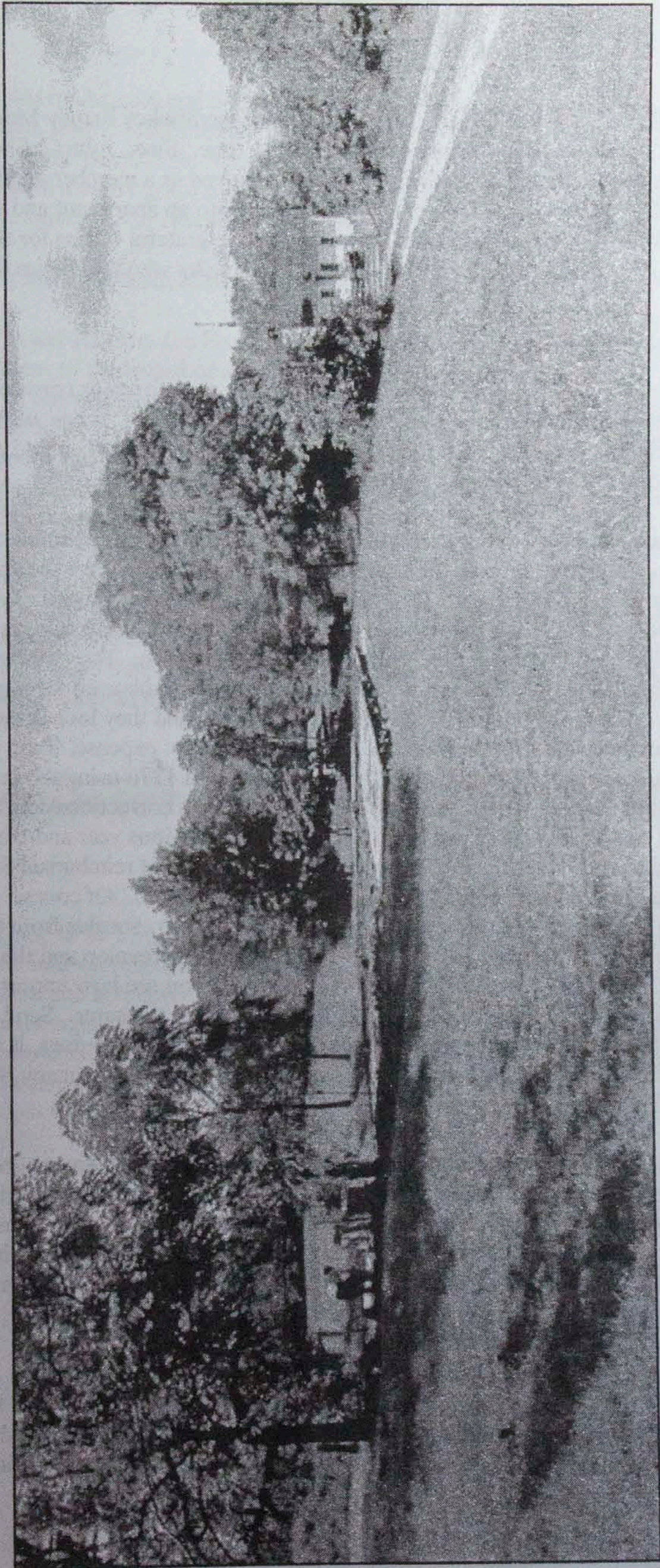
In last year's newsletter, I mentioned that we planned to bury a time capsule on our little piece of Shockeyville. Well, on 9 September, we finally got it done. David Shockey,

Ken Shockey, Scott Luttrell and I went to Shockeyville. We put lots of interesting things in the capsule. Ken took pictures, David closed it up and put it in the ground and Scott filled in the area with concrete. I supervised. The time was sort of neat, 12 :00 noon 9-9-00. We had ordered the marker or monument to put on top, but it was not ready so we had to go ahead without it. David had made a special trip from his job in Utah and Ken had come from Pennsylvania. I think it was agreed that it is to be opened in 50 years. Some of our children and grand children will have a chance to be there—maybe with canes, crutches and wheel chairs, but the Shockeys are a determined lot. I am including pictures of how we did it. The marker is in place, but some landscaping has to be done around the area. It had just been set when I took the picture and was covered to keep dry while the concrete set. I think it looks pretty good!! I forgot to mention; Violet Moyer, Scott's sister, brought lunch for us that day.









I am including a list of the Officers and Directors of the Shokey Family Memorial Fellowship so that any of you can contact us at any time. Since John C. Shockey gave up his position as President, he is still going to stay involved as a member or the board of directors. He is feeling much better since he moved into an apartment and is relieved of all those home-owner responsibilities. I will always be grateful to him for the outstanding job that he did. I am sure the rest of the folks who know him feel the same way.

The past two or three years I have included a coupon page for your convenience in paying dues, making newsletter donations and address changes. It has worked really well so I am including it again. I leave the back of the page blank so when you remove that page, you don't destroy your newsletter.

Nothing much in this world is absolutely free. For us to send out a newsletter and continue to add information to the computerized genealogy and have the annual reunion, we need some financial support. The reunions don't cost us very much. We try to hold them where we can get the conference room free. More often than not, we have to pay for it. We sell t-shirts and caps to help with the expenses too. The guys who do the computer genealogy and research, seldom ever ask to be reimbursed for anything and you all know it costs money. They love what they are doing and they love being able to help you connect your line. The newsletter is by far the greatest expense. Last year I had 1900 newsletters printed at a cost of \$1,594.24. I mailed 1776 using the bulk mail rate at a cost of \$501.09 and 17 to Canada @ .93 each. Address corrections cost 89.00. The entire cost was \$2,208.61. I had 732.28 left from the previous year and that was all I had to work with until after the newsletters were all mailed. I got reimbursed \$1,096.00 from direct donations. By the reunion, I was only 380.33 in the red. Of course, after collecting dues, I got paid in full. Last year was the first time I had any surplus from the previous year to work with. I always have a few donations between reunion and the next newsletter. This year I have \$185.00 to start with. So you see how important the dues and donations are. Send dues and special donations to the treasurer. Send newsletter donations to me. That makes for less bookkeeping. When paying dues, it would help if you include your membership number. You would be amazed how many Shockeys have the same first name.

David and Donna came and helped me mail the newsletter. That was an enormous help! It was going to be almost impossible for me. I had a severe attack of arthritis in my left hand and wrist. I had very little use of my hand at all. I couldn't open cans, tie my shoes, put on some of my clothes or even hold a fork. Just try doing the simple little every day things with one hand. It is a real HANDicap. It has never gotten back to just normal arthritis, but I can manage to do most things well enough to get by. I answered most of the e-mail messages with one hand.

Scott didn't write a report on the church, but we have really "spruced up" the inside. The ceiling is repaired and painted, the walls are freshly painted just a shade lighter than before, the window frames and all the woodwork including the pews is being refinished.



The lighting was inadequate and one of the fixtures was broken, well, now we have all new chandeliers, five of them I think. The money to do this was donated by an organization for the purpose for which it is being used. They offered money for a new roof, but we have a pretty good roof, so I think we are going to leave it the way it is. The outside is in relatively good condition. We have certainly been greatly blessed.

The following is a letter from John C. Shockey, Past President:

Last year at our reunion, the Board of Directors nominated David F. Shockey to become President of the Board of our Shockey Family Memorial Fellowship. This was the highlight of our meeting and was unanimously approved by the entire membership present. David is the perfect choice to lead our Fellowship. He is the eldest son of Ralph and Marie Shockey who co-authored the Shockey History and Genealogy. Ralph was our mentor and inspiration for our organization. Who better to lead us into a new millennium than David, their son.

I have had the honor and was privileged to serve officially as Chairman or President since 1985. We now have a new, younger leader with a new outlook and fresh ideas. Gratefully, I have turned the reins of the Board and the Fellowship over to David. I appreciate the love and support you have shown me over the years. Now I pledge my support to David. Lets all meet in Kentucky and show him the Love and Support of the Shockeys.

With the Love of the Shockeys,

John

John will continue to be involved as a valued member of our Board of Directors. He did a wonderful job and we relied on him for everything. He is doing fine since he moved into an apartment and is relieved of all those home-owner responsibilities. I will always be grateful for the outstanding job that he did. I still call on him. He is not that far away and he is "unemployed" which makes him easy to find. He has attended every reunion since some time in the 70's. He and Jane will probably be the first ones to show up in Kentucky.

*Greetings from Your President*

*March 2001*

This past year has been filled with new events and changes which should excite everyone.

1. Most importantly, the Shockey Family held a very successful reunion at Shockeyville. It was well attended, and there were several new folks that dropped by for the first time.

2. Another big change was that I was elected as your new president, for which I am very humbled and honored. To follow in the footsteps of my Dad, Ralph, and John C. is extremely meaningful to me, for they and the other original board members have been the strength and backbone of the Shockey Family Memorial Fellowship since it's conception. My Dad and John C. were not only good friends but shared a concern, drive and commitment to the Family that will be difficult to equal. We hope that John C. will continue to play an active role for many years to come.

3. We also have a new President of our United States, George W. Bush. Being a retired Army officer and strong patriot, I would encourage everyone to support our new Commander in Chief.

4. In September Marie (Mom), Ken Shockey, Scott Luttrell and I filled the Shockey Family Time Capsule and placed it in a concrete and earthen monument just up the hill from the Shockeyville Church on the old Maggie Shockey home place. Ken and Mom took several pictures which we will share with everyone at the reunion.

5. I had the great pleasure to speak with and have a most enjoyable conversation with Jim Shockey of Vancouver, British Columbia. He is quite a remarkable gentleman: Writer/Author; big game hunter and guide; and a regular on many fish and game television programs. I hope to visit with him sometime in the near future. We hope to see him and his family at one of our reunions soon.

6. Les, Bud, and Gerald continue to amass the Shockey Family Genealogy. Les has indicated that we may have a sample disk available at the time of the reunion for a test drive on some of your computers this summer.

7. On a personal note, I took a temporary job in Utah that has now turned into a more permanent one, and Donna decided that she would also transfer out here. So we have a temporary home in Utah for awhile. We continue to maintain our home and residence in Kentucky.

Now for the 2001 Reunion to be held in Elizabhtown, Kentucky. I believe that everyone will enjoy this reunion. The location is centrally located for friends and family to be able to incorporate a wide variety of vacation events into their trip. I have provided a simple area map that shows the close proximity of many places of interest and fun for the whole family. The Comfort Inn Motel that we have selected has an indoor pool and is within walking distance of many restaurants. The local Visitors Information Center is just a short distance from the motel. If you need any assistance while visiting Elizabhtown or any of the state wide attractions or places of interest, the Visitors Information Center will be most helpful. There is also a

shopping mall and a discount shopping mall in the area. This area of Kentucky is filled with history from the famous Fort Knox, to Historic Bardstown, to the home of the Kentucky Derby, Churchill Downs, to Cave Country which includes Horse Cave, Kentucky Down Under, and Mammoth Cave, the areas biggest. Marie (Mom) and I are still working on special events for everyone to participate. Donna, Mom and I will be available to start receiving guests by the 3rd of July. Please be sure to review the Schedule of Events. On your way to or at the reunion you will be able get in contact with Mom at the Comfort Inn Motel at (270) 769-3030 or Donna and I at (270) 737-7119.

I want to invite all members of our family to call, write or send emails to me whenever you like. I'll always be responsive to you. I may not always have the answers to some of your questions, but I'll do my best. I'm most interested in big events in your family or major accomplishments by a family member, the death of a family member, new arrivals or new members of your families and also the interesting and/or the unusual that you may want to share.

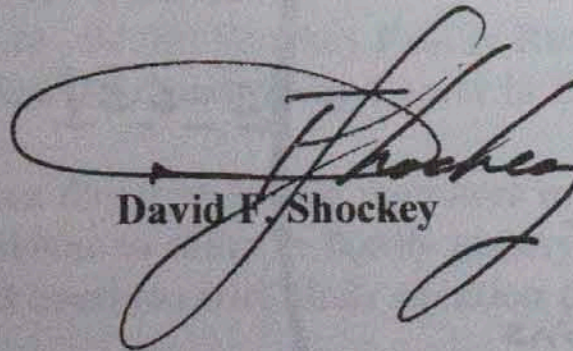
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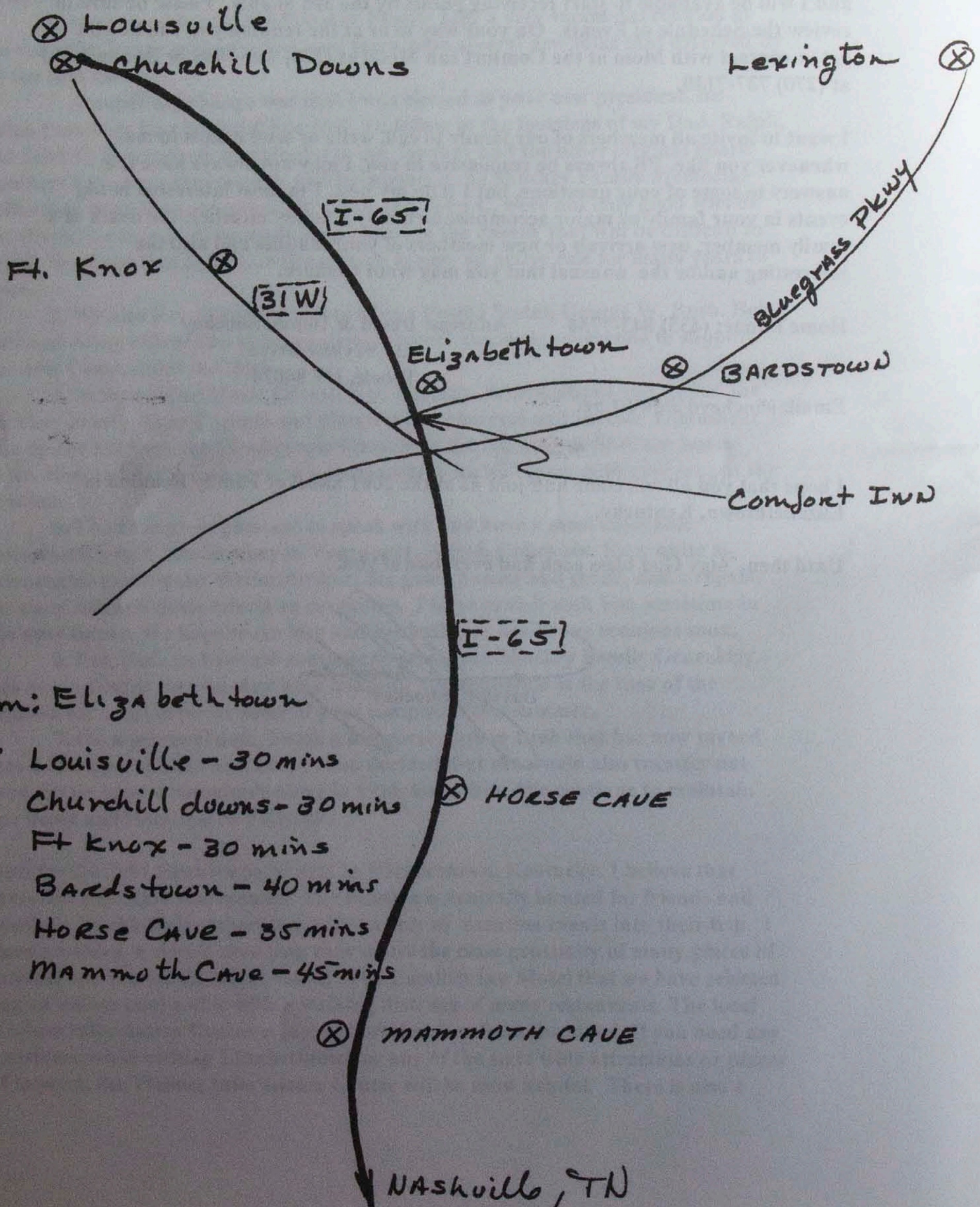
I hope that you all will come and join us at the 2001 Shockey Family Reunion in Elizabethtown, Kentucky.

Until then, may God bless each and everyone of you.



David F. Shockey

# AREA MAPS



From: Elizabethtown

TO: Louisville - 30 mins

Churchill downs - 30 mins

Ft Knox - 30 mins

Bardstowon - 40 mins

Horse Cave - 35 mins

Mammoth Cave - 45 mins

Nashville, TN

## **SHOCKEY FAMILY REUNION 2001 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

- March to June 15th** Make reservations for rooms at the Comfort Inn in Elizabethtown, KY (270) 769-3030.
- July 3rd** Marie, Donna and David will be available to receive reunion guests.
- July 4th** Elizabethtown, KY will celebrate the 4th of July with fireworks at the Freeman Lake Park.
- July 5th** Open day. Fellowship and sharing in family history with the genealogy team.
- July 6th** Still planning for a special event for all to attend. Continued fellowship and sharing of family history with the genealogy team.
- July 7th** 10:00 AM; Board of Directors Meeting  
02:00 PM; Stephen Foster Muscial. Planning for group attendance of the matinee performance.
- July 8th** 08:00 AM ; Early morning church service at the Rineyville Baptist Church.  
11:30 - 04:00; Shockey Family Runion and lunch at the Pritchard Community Center in Elizabethtown.
- July 9th** Open day with family members weclome to stay and to continue to share in family history. Many others may depart and continue with their vacation plans.

## ***Shockey Genealogy***

by:  
Lesley Shockey

Another year has passed much too quickly. With my crazy work schedule there never seems to be sufficient time to do all of the work that I have planned. Once again Naomi and I are looking forward to seeing the many friends and relatives from the past reunions and hope to meet many new ones at the 2001 reunion in Ft. Knox, KY.

The number of members on the Shockey mail list at RootsWeb has increased to one hundred and fifteen people currently subscribed compared to eighty eight last year. This includes most of the members of the board of directors.

The activity on the list is still not as high as hoped. Do not be afraid to post queries about your Shockey ancestors to the list or if you have anything that might help answer someone's query. None of us have all the answers and you never know when even a small piece of information might provide the clue to find the ancestor lines for someone. One example would be when you know that your ancestors were in the same area as someone asks about, even if you do not have data on the person being ask about, knowing which branches of the Shockeys lived in the area can help in finding the missing link.

If anyone has ideas or suggestions that might help increase the research activities on the list, please let us know. There is so much that could be done to further the research of our Shockey ancestors. I really enjoy find these new Shockey cousins in this manner and regret that my work schedule does not allow for spending more time checking for more of the missing Shockey cousins.

If you have not updated your family information by sending material to Marie, Bud or me in the past couple of years (or more) now would be a good time to drop a note or fill out updated Family Group Sheets that include all the latest births, deaths, marriages and any other information that will help make our Shockey

Family history as complete as possible. My address, phone number and e-mail address are:

Les Shockey  
Rt. 2 Box 36-A  
Sandyville, WV 25275  
phone = 304 273 3525  
e-mail = Lshockey@citynet.net

### ***Shockey Family Genealogy Page on WWW***

Not much has changed since I wrote this last year with the exception of additional materials having been added. Marie suggests that I do repeat some items that I wrote about before, partly for new readers but also for those who may now better understand what being on the Internet is all about.

The Shockey Family Genealogy Page has been on the RootsWeb server for over two years now. In addition to the boards using the GenConnect system, we also have photos from the 1999 and 2000 reunions as well as links to the pages that Ken Shockey has created featuring Shockeysville Church page, the Ringgold tour, the Oakland tour and various photos that he has taken.

The GenConnect boards include Queries, Obituaries, Bible Records, Wills, Deeds, Biographies and Pensions. The titles for these boards should make it clear as to what each board is to be used for. It is important that if you see something in a Will or Obituary or any other board that you have a question about, then post the query on the Queries Board.

If you have material to post on any of the boards, please take the time to list the surnames that are listed in the document including the SHOCKEY surname. Surnames are to be listed in the proper area one surname on each line and without any punctuation being added in this area. These surnames will then be available by the powerful search engine and easy to find by anyone using the GenConnect system. As examples, if a Bible Record or Will contains the names Shockey, Harbaugh, Kemp, etc., then anyone visiting the GenConnect system and does a search for any of these surnames, they will be able to find the article quickly. Hopefully, when we have several

articles posted to these boards, it will enable other "lost" cousins to find us and add to the material as well as help to locate more of our SHOCKEY cousins.

It is really simple and easy to use the above listed boards. If you want to save online time, you can easily have you document that you want to add open in another program and then copy and paste to place it into the form. After you have the information entered, I suggest that you use the preview features to see how it is going to look before posting to the page. If you need to do any editing, then click on the edit button. Once you have it looking and reading the way you want the article to look, then click the submit button.

The URL for the Shockey home page is:  
<http://www.rootsweb.com/~shockey/>

Hopefully each of you have some records that can be posted and will help others find the genealogy information that they have been searching for. The more that we can make our research visible, the easier it will be for other relatives to find us.

If you will be attending the annual Shockey reunion, now would be a good time to check for photographs and documents to bring to the reunion for scanning or having digital copies made to add to the genealogy database. Also be sure to fill out updated family group sheets to share to help bring the database up to date.

Anyone who does not have family group sheets to work with can write to Marie, Bud or me and we will gladly send some forms for you to use. You can also pick up these form at any LDS Church Family History Center. I think that they charge five cents per sheet for these.

If you have your genealogy information on a computer, then think about making a GEDCOM file and bringing with you on a disk or make some copies of printouts and bring them with you. It would help if you would bring at least two copies if possible, but we can make copies if needed. Several cousins did bring either GEDCOM files on disk or updated family group sheets to the 1999 and 2000 reunions and I have spent most of

my free time getting these added to the master database.

With the new Family Origins 8.03 it is much easier than ever to merge data from GEDCOMs on disk (or submitted by e-mail) than ever before. A new feature has been added called "drag and drop". It allows the user to have two databases open at the same time. You then click on the name of a person in one database that you want to move to the other database, drag it over to the other database window and release the mouse button. You are then ask if you want to move just the individual, or the person with all of their ancestors or all of their descendants. Be sure to write down the name of the person that you want to link to or merge with to avoid having to search for them once the move is made. The trick is to make your selection in such a way as not to have to merge more than one or two individuals after moving the data.

If you have Internet access and e-mail, you can subscribe to the Shockey Family mail list by sending an e-mail to:

**SHOCKEY-L-request@RootsWeb.com**

with just the one word --> **subscribe**

in the text area. Turn off any automatic signatures to prevent possible problems in subscribing.

The mailing list is intended primarily for genealogy research relating to the ancestors and descendants of John Christopher Shockey but can also be used for announcements of interest to our Shockey cousins.

## **QUERIES**

First a note to all Shockey cousins, if you can answer any of the following by e-mail, please be sure to include a copy to me at:

<Lshockey@citynet.net>

or to the Shockey-L mail list so that everyone can see the answers. If you do not have e-mail access, please send the information to my address listed previously and I will make sure that the information reaches the proper persons.

Les Shockey

### **Bill, John C, and George Shockey**

I am the 10th child of Bill Shockey deceased 8-24-67, married to Vera Mae Archer deceased 2-24-72. I was too young to ask questions and am now looking for my family. There is no one to ask as all of my grandparents on both sides are deceased. The only information that I have is as follows and may not be correct. Any information will help me in my journey.

Father, Bill Shockey, born 6-2-1921, death 8-24-67, and was the youngest of 4 children. His brother and sisters were Ernest, Edith and Ethel. His father was John C Shockey DOB 9-27-1877 DOD 12-23-68, married Zora or Dora Susanna Doverspike born 4-5-1885 and died 11-1-57. My great grandfather was George Shockey or Sockey, married to Louisa or Lou West. Their origin is unknown but they ended up in Coal Co. Oklahoma. David L Doverspike and Louise C Billman are also great grandparents. Believe they may have an Indian background some how.

**Connie Shockey Spears**  
<Shockey10@webtv.com>

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### **John C. and Louis Shockey**

I believe that this family may have had an Indian background and changed the Shockey from Sockey, John C Shockey and father was Louis. This person was a full blood Choctaw from Mississippi citizenship certification August 4 1904. Any information would be gratefully accepted..

**Beva Haynes** <hayn9981@mmind.net>

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### **George Shockey**

I'm looking for information about George Shockey, born about 1811, and married Aurelia Hoblitzell in Allegany County, Maryland on June 30, 1832. Who were his parents?

**Douglas Tustin** <dtustin@innercite.com>

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### **Mary E. Shockey's father**

I am looking for an Abraham Shockey who married Martha Barker. They had a daughter Mary E. Shockey b.12 Mar 1822 who married George Washington Meek 4 Jan 1846. Help would be appreciated.

(In messages to me since, Sara has added the following information. Her niece seems to think that this Mary is the daughter of Abraham and Margaret Shockey, but I do not believe that the dates can be bent far enough for this to be the correct answer.)

I have just been in touch with my niece and she is now telling me that they never actually found a birth date on Mary E. Shockey. She said they were estimating it anywhere from 1802 to 1822. So I guess really the only thing we know is that her father's name was Abraham. She was married 4 Jan 1846 to George Washington Meek and she died 29 Mar 1906.

They had a son named Henry Harrison Meek born 26 Aug 1853 who married Mary Elizabeth Mumma. Henry was born in Wabash IN, so they were in Ind. in 1853. The Meeks then went to MO., KS. and then into OK.

**Sara Claunch Burnett** <cburnett2@cfl.rr.com>

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### **Martin P. SHOCKEY**

Martin P. SHOCKEY was born between 1852 and 1853 in KY. His father was born in Virginia and his mother was born in Kentucky per the 1900 census.

He married (1) Malinda J. CURTRIGHT on 13 Mar 1879 in De Witt County, IL. He also married (2) Harriet DANIELS before 1882. Harriet DANIELS was born between 1855/1856 in Howard County? IN. Harriet was age 19 when she was married the first time; which results in the birth date shown.

The 1880 Montague County, Texas census gave the state of birth. I suspect she was born in Howard County, IN as that's where her father was in the 1850 census, and he then moved to Coles Co., IL. Died after Feb 1940 in Tulsa? Tulsa County? OK?. Per the 1860 Coles County, IL Federal Census, it appears that Harriet and Carrie were twin girls. Her name appeared as shown on family records and in the census. In the 1880 Montague County, TX census, she was living with her sister (Elizabeth Daniel) and brother-in-law (John Thomas Beem). She was listed as Harriet Shockey in her father Chealious Daniels' obituary in 1940 and was living in Tulsa, Tulsa County, OK.

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I don't seem to have Kenneth Shockey's phone number and I don't have one for Nora Seitz either. Nora is not at home at the present time due to illness. You can get Kenneth's number from David or John, I am sure.

One thing I forgot to check on is the location of a RV Park near Elizabethtown. I am sure there is more than one to serve so large an area. You can contact David & Donna for information on that.

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If you don't have a family member to come with you, bring a friend. Lots of folks do that. We have met lots of interesting people that way. They always enjoy being there and sometimes they attend again and again.

DON'T FORGET TO PACK YOUR SHOCKEY REUNION T-SHIRT and cap. If you don't have one, we have a pretty good range of sizes on hand. Be sure to pack comfortable clothes, especially shoes. It is hot in July, so think shorts, cool shirts and slacks. Slacks are OK for church too or you can wear a dress (ladies) if you like since you will be in an air conditioned building and no walking to do. This is a vacation and there is nothing real fancy going on. The main reason for the t-shirts, when we go some where as a group, it is sort of nice to wear the Reunion Shirts. We sort of made a statement and it is easier to keep the group together. Those pretty blue shirts are easy to spot in a crowd.

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MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS EARLY. Do not try to use the 1-800 number for Comfort Inn, it will not work for this. Use the number given on page 1. Reservations will be accepted until 15 June. After that, they will accept them if any are available. There will probably be an additional cost if you need a cot or a crib in your room. I didn't inquire about that. I think that is sort of expected. Bring your swim suit if you enjoy the pool. The young folks always enjoy it. Last year we didn't have a pool at the Comfort Inn where we stayed and that was a disappointment for some. Small towns don't have everything.

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Be sure to pack your camera and plenty of film. You will want to take home some memories to share with family and friends.

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Last year Dorothy and Donald Shockey from Arkansas, lost their copy of the Shockey History and Genealogy. Someone probably picked it up by mistake and packed it with their things. They are very anxious to get it back as she has put lots of notes in it. They will pay postage if you will send it back to them. Their address is: Mr. & Mrs Donald Shockey, 36 Sallent Lane, Hot Springs, Arkansas, 71909. Phone: 501-922-1667. They Plan to attend the reunion this year, so you can even bring it then. I know it was not left in the conference room because I was one of the last ones out and I even picked up scraps of paper and anything that was not in there when we came. They had been using the book to get their family in the computerized genealogy and that was the last time that Dorothy says she can remember seeing it. Please check carefully!!

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Anyone having an extra set of the Shockey History and Genealogy, let me know. There are folks who will pay you the price you paid for it since it is no longer in print. We have gotten several redistributed this way.

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## OTHER HAPPENINGS

MICHELE SHOCKEY of Moorestown, New Jersey, granddaughter of the Reverend Doctor and Mrs Ralph Shockey, daughter of David Shockey and the former Patricia Shockey was married on 19 February 2000 to John Schwartz, also of Moorestown NJ at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Maple Shade, NJ.

Michele is a graduate of the University of Delaware and is currently studying for her Masters Degree in social work at Rutgers University. Her husband, John is a graduate of Rutgers University and is employed as a computer specialist.

The couple reside in Moorestown, New Jersey.

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Raymond Cole and Regina Shockey Cole are the proud parents of HANNAH REBECCA COLE, born 22 May 2000.

Grand parents are Jacob and Rosemarie Shockey.

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VERNA ELLEN SHOCKEY, of Malvern, Arkansas, celebrated her 106<sup>th</sup> birthday this past October. Her son and daughter-in-law sent me a full page article from that area's newspaper with a great story about Verna and pictures. The pictures don't copy well for the newsletter, but I am going to bring the whole sheet to the reunion so all can read about her. She is a little lady that won't weigh 100 pounds and is sharp as a tack. She must be a strong person too, as she still lives alone, does her housework and lots of lovely needlework. She is no stranger to hard work since she lived during the great depression and had six children. She lost one of them to Lukemia when he was an infant, but the rest grew up and gave her grand children and great grand children.

Early in 2000, she was honored as the oldest living citizen of Hot Springs County, Arkansas. It is very likely that she will show up at the reunion. She did attend the one we had in Texas, gave a TV interview, and had a good time talking to everyone. She is a really remarkable lady.

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AMANDA SHOCKEY invites you all to their Shockey reunion to be held 5 August 2001 in Clift View Park, Rogers Kentucky. (Wolfe County.)

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SHOCKEY/ARMS REUNION. The Shockey/Arms reunion will be held 8 July 2001 at the Senior Citizens Building, Rattan, OK, 12 miles east of Antlers, OK. Doors will be open 10 am to 4pm. Dinner served at noon. LILLIE ARMS DEEN

### Irvin and Annie Shockey Reunion

The descendants of Irvin and Annie (Arklie) Shockey gathered for the eleventh annual reunion on August 19, 2000 at the New Hope United Church of Christ along Route 160, near Meyersdale, PA. Thirty-two family members from Maryland, New Jersey, Florida, Virginia and Pennsylvania attended. Among those were several children who represented the fourth generation descended from Irvin and Annie. The family is descended from John Christopher Shockey through his son Christian.

Following a picnic lunch, members of the group visited ancestor's graves in the Greenville Lutheran and Mt Carmel Lutheran cemeteries, played games, viewed family photographs from the past 110 years and enjoyed the distribution of the "Shockey Family Special Awards for 2000." New members welcomed to the family this year were Emily Grace and Christine Elizabeth Ciganik, twin daughters of Leigh and Vince Ciganik and granddaughters of Pat (Shockey) Sipple. Winners of the doorprizes, a photo of Irvin and Annie taken in the 1940's, were Dave Shockey, Bettylu Miller, Kim McLaughlin and Paul Shockey. The event concluded with the evening meal.

Irvin and Annie Shockey, life-long residents of Greenville Township, PA were the parents of six children: Ray Edwin born in 1904, Robert William born in 1905, Marling Israel born in 1908, Eleanor born in 1912, Ralph Irvin born in 1915 and Mary Louisa born in 1922. Both daughters died in early childhood. The only surviving family member is The Reverend Doctor Ralph I. Shockey, Moorestown, NJ. He was unable to attend the reunion.

Irvin assumed ownership and management of the family farm from his parents Israel and Sarah (Shultz) Shockey in 1906 and maintained its operation until his death in 1958. Annie was a schoolteacher in her younger years. The Shockeys attended the Greenville Lutheran Church.

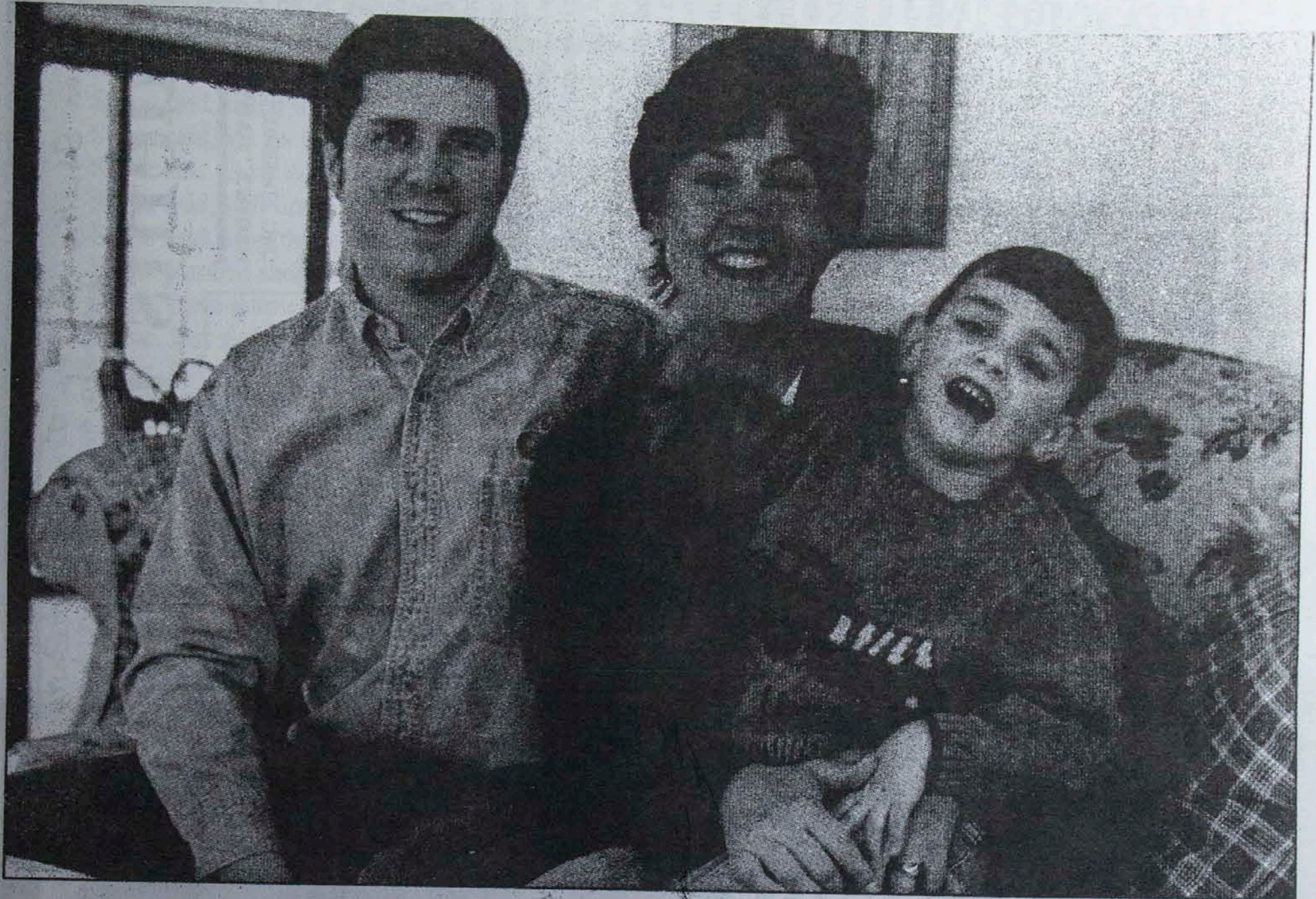
Carole (Shockey) Thomassy, Greensburg, PA and Steve Shockey, Oakland, MD will continue to serve as co-chairpersons of the group for another year. Paul Shockey, also of Oakland, MD is the secretary-treasurer. The twelfth annual reunion is scheduled for August 18, 2001.

SHOCKEY

"I'm telling everyone I know about this test. I couldn't live with myself. It would have changed our lives."

4/11/00

LORI SHOCKEY  
Mother of Nathan Shockey



Wayne and Lori Shockey's son, Nathan, spent 11 days in a coma as an infant because of citrullinemia, a condition that leads to an ammonia buildup in the bloodstream. A blood screening could have detected the disorder in the boy from Stow.

ROBIN TINAY SALLIE/Akron Beacon Journal

## Lawmakers in Columbus debate future of newborn screening

By Dennis J. Willard

Beacon Journal Columbus Bureau

**COLUMBUS:** It is an ache that never goes away.

Lori Shockey's 4-year-old son, Nathan, will grow into a man who will live a long life with limited mental skills.

And it didn't have to happen. The condition that led to the Stow boy's brain damage could have been detected with a blood screening shortly after birth.

Nate came home from the hospital 36 hours after delivery. Twelve hours later, he became lethargic, began vomiting and eventually slipped into a coma.

For 11 days, Nate lay lifeless. A priest was called in, and the infant was baptized as the Shockeys prepared for the worst.

Then doctors discovered the problem. Nate has citrullinemia, a condition that leads to an ammonia buildup in the bloodstream.

As quickly as he had slipped into the coma, Nate opened his eyes and began eating - thanks to drugs and a low-protein diet.

But 11 days in a coma had damaged his brain.

Lori Shockey learned later that citrullinemia can be detected through newborn screenings.

### Newborn tests

The state tests for these five disorders in infants:

- PKU (phenylketonuria) - a condition that prevents protein from being digested.
- Hemoglobinopathies - a blood disorder that may cause sickle cell anemia, common among blacks.
- Galactosemia - a disorder that causes an enzyme deficiency.
- Homocystinuria - a metabolic disease.
- Primary congenital hypothyroidism - a disorder affecting the thyroid.

Ohio is considering expanding its testing to 30 or more disorders.

At the top of the state Health Department's list:

- MCAD (medium chain acyl-CoA dehydrogenase), a fatty acid disorder.
  - Maple syrup urine disease - a metabolic disease.
- The other conditions include amino acid, fatty acid, organic acid, endocrine and other types of disorders.

**LOCAL**

# Students to redesign VB court

BY MARY L. CRIDER  
TIMES RECORD

A class of 13 University of Arkansas interior design students aims to develop proposals for improving the efficiency and security of Van Buren's Municipal Court facilities.

The contract design studio class — all juniors and all interior design majors — and their instructor, Betty S. Loewer, spent Tuesday morning listening to Judge Steven Peer and Court Clerk Garol Ray explain staff, attorney and public needs and the problems the growing court has had meeting them in the increasingly crowded facility. Consulting blueprints and wilding measuring tapes, cameras and sketch pads, the students toured the facility.

The class focuses on commercial design, Loewer said.

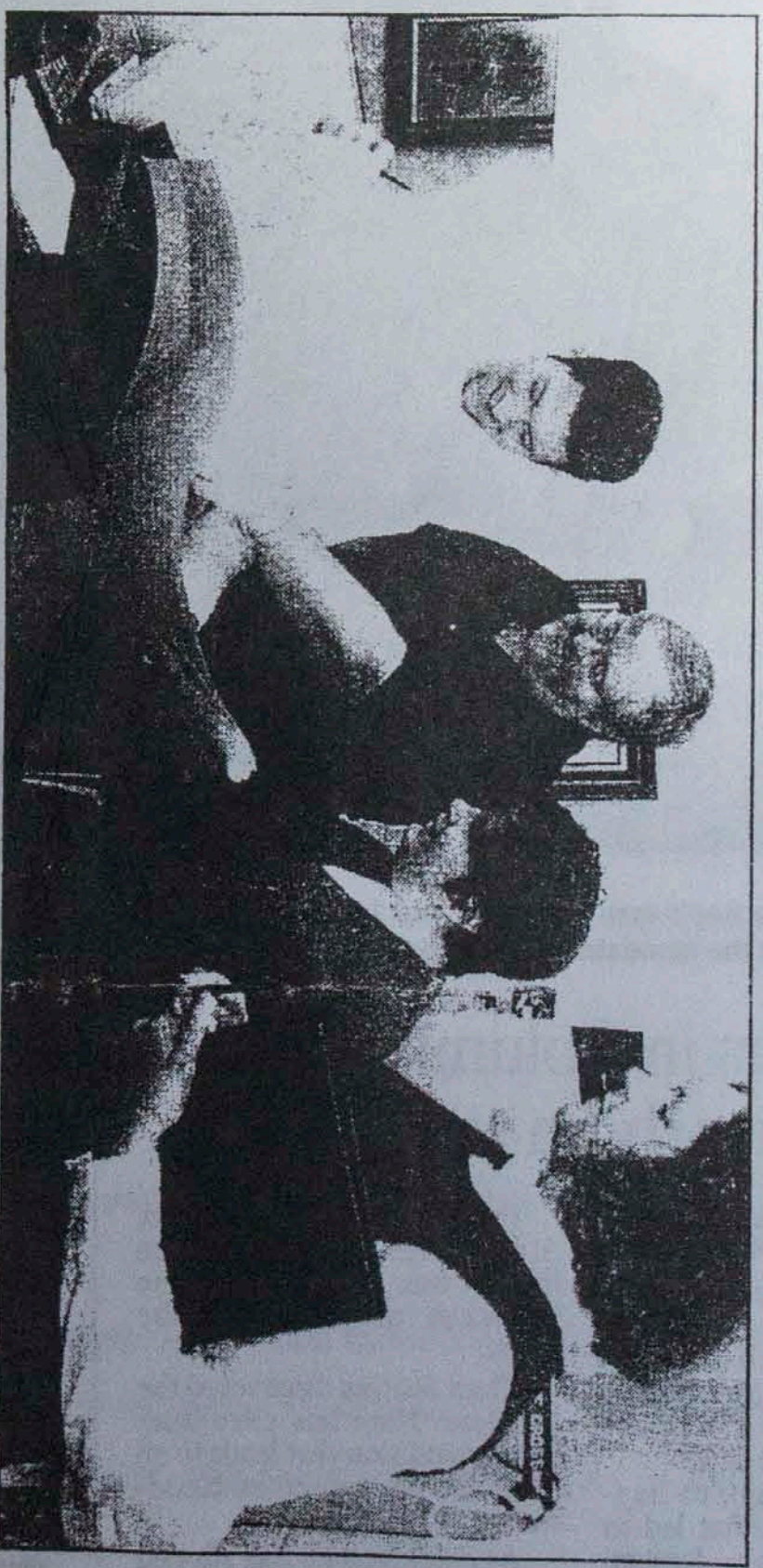
The problem, Peer said, is the offices, originally designed for the Police Department, aren't designed for efficient use by the Municipal Court.

"What we're hoping for here is some free advice and to provide an educational opportunity for you all," Peer said.

Peer's daughter Debbie is a member of the class. Peer said after hearing about past class projects, he contacted Loewer and suggested the class take on the court and its offices as its real-life project this semester.

About two weeks ago, the city provided the class with the original blueprints, and the class has

*Son of John Lewis & Betty Shockeye Malvern, Arkansas  
Grandson of Johnny Harold and Renae Leavelle Shockeye of Benton, Ar.  
Great Grandson of Verner Shockeye Malvern, Arkansas*



Landon Shockeye, from left, Van Buren Municipal Judge Steven Peer, Nancy Pounds and Debbie Peer look over blueprints of the city complex. The University of Arkansas interior design students are working on a real-life project to redesign the Van Buren Municipal Complex. Shockeye is from Malvern, Pounds is from Hamburg and Debbie Peer is from Van Buren.

been working on the project since, Loewer said.

The student designs will be completed and presented March 16, probably at the university in Fayetteville, she said. Then the design boards will be sent to the city for public display.

The Municipal Court and its offices now take up half the Municipal Complex at 1003 Broadway. The building was first occupied in November 1972. At that time, the Municipal Court consisted only of a judge and a clerk.

The growing Police Department moved out into its own facility

about nine years ago. Since, growing apace with the city and Crawford County, the Municipal Court gradually expanded into the space formerly occupied by the Police Department.

Problem areas include line-of-sight problems for parties involved in a court case and public uses invading spaces meant for employee use only, resulting in security concerns. For instance, in the courtroom everyone involved must be able to see a witness, Peer said, and prisoners awaiting a turn in court often spill into the hallway leading to the employees'

break room — within 10 feet of an unguarded entrance.

Students Amanda Benham of Conway and Sarah Henderson of Little Rock look forward to the challenge — it's what drew them to interior design.

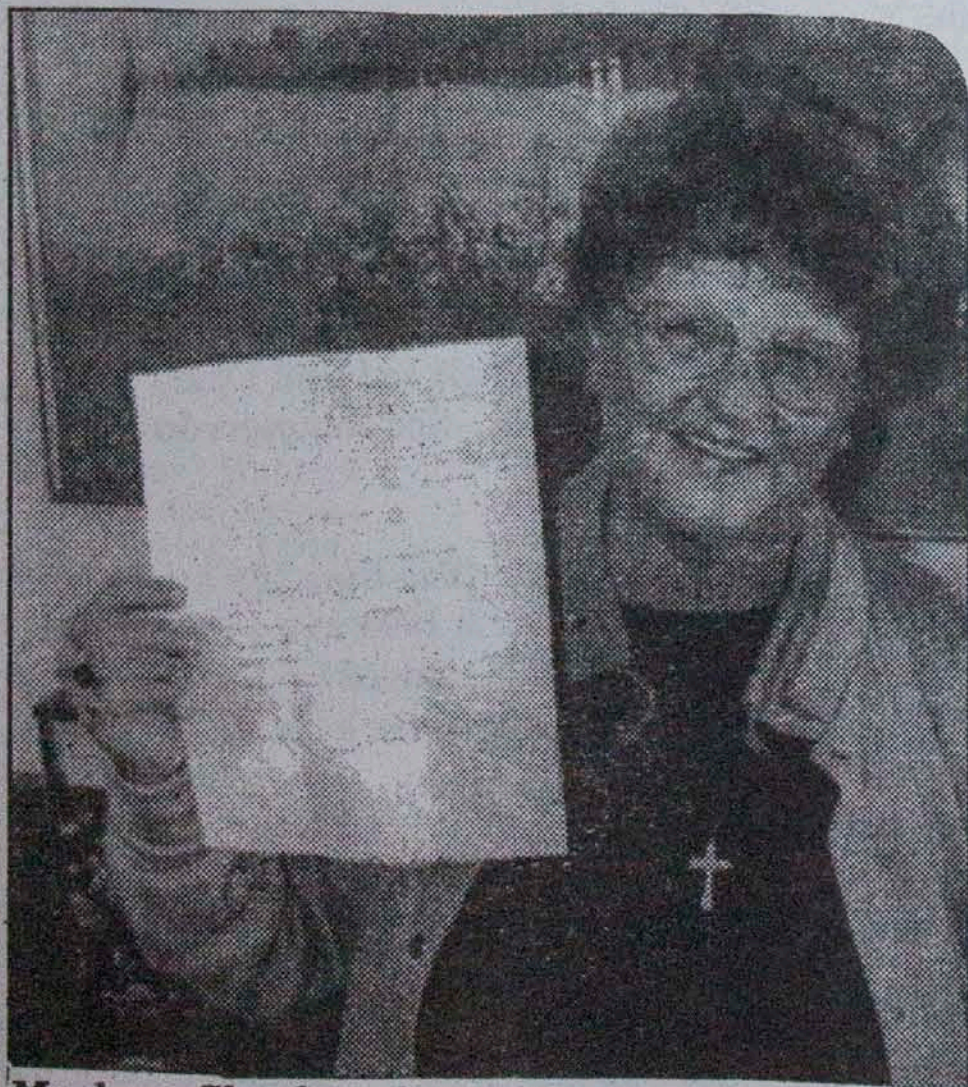
"I like space planning the most and how people interact with other people in offices and homes," Benham said.

Henderson said interior design allows her to be creative in solving spatial problems.

Reporter's e-mail: [press@sttimes.com](mailto:press@sttimes.com)

POEM BY MARLENE M. SHOCKEY, 1, 2, 1999. THE NINETIES MAZE

This has been a bitter sweet one,  
Some said, that we are doomed there's just no fun  
Some said, here's more fun, don't forget there's always a gun  
Some said, listen to us there's much to be done  
Some said, go, as fast as one can  
Some said, slow down and give us a hand  
Some said, will find out what you've been up to  
Some said, stop this madness and walk in my shoes  
Some climbed those mountains that came with each day  
Some, have learned nothing from the ways others have paved  
Some, lost sight of all values in this decade  
Some, learned that history leads the way through this nineties maze  
Some still say these are wonderful days  
Some still bow their heads just to pray  
Some still know that this is the way  
Mix the old with the new  
Hold on to one's hopes one's dreams and one's faith  
This is what most of us do  
We don't care what some might say  
Life is for learning and not just to waste  
As all of mankind faces 365 more days  
Ending those bitter sweet years  
Of the nineties maze.



Marlene Shockey displays a copy of her poem, "The Nineties Maze" which was selected for publication.

## *M. Shockey has poem published*

Marlene M. Shockey of Pontiac has received notice that a poem she wrote will be published in "From the Mountaintop," a collection of poetry to be published this summer by The International Library of Poetry.

Entitled "The Nineties Maze," the poem was written by Shockey on her home computer on Jan. 2, 1999. The 14-line poem is about "holding on to one's hopes, dreams and faith. Just hold on," she said.

Shockey said she saw a notice about the North American Open Poetry Contest in the Daily Leader and submitted her entry after being encouraged to do so by her husband, Elvin E. Shockey Sr., and many others.

She is a semifinalist in the annual contest, which features 104 cash or gift prizes. "From the Mountaintop" will be "a coffee-table quality, hard-bound volume," according to the poetry group.

Her poem includes the lines: Hold on to one's hopes, one's dreams and one's faith/This is what most of us do/We don't care what some might

say/Life is for learning and not just to waste/As all of mankind faces 365 more days ending/Those bitter sweet years of/The Nineties Maze."

## **OBITUARIES**

### **CAROL E. SHOCKEY**

#### **RAVENSWOOD**

Carol Edwin Shockey, 74, of Ravenswood died May 31, 1999 at his home. He was born in Ravenswood. He was the son of the late Everette and Edna Rardon Shockey. He was a WW II veteran, serving under George Patton-European Theatre. Also Occupational Forces of Germany; retired from Kaiser Aluminum in Ravenswood; a member of the U.B. Methodist Church. He was also a farmer. Surviving: wife, Althea Smith Shockey of Ravenswood; two sons, Dr. Paul E. Shockey and C. Olin Shockey, both of Ravenswood; one daughter, Helen Shockey Taylor of Ravenswood; one brother, John E. Shockey of Fairborn, Ohio; two sisters, Catherine Bourgeois of Santee, SC, and Jaunita Harris of Yellow Springs, OH; seven grandchildren, Erin Lynn Shockey, Tod E. Shockey, Joseph P. Shockey, Daniel D. Shockey, Julie Shockey, Matthew Taylor and two great-grand children.

Services will be held Wednesday, June 2, 1999 at 11 a.m. at Vail Funeral Home in Ripley. Rev. Paul Morrison will be officiating. Burial will be in Ravenswood Cemetery, Ravenswood.

BETTY LOU SMITH SHOCKEY, 61, a resident of Morgantown, WV, passed away at 9:45 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 30 2001, at the Monongalia General Hospital following a lengthy illness. She was born December 28, 1939, in Philippi, WV, a daughter of the late Denzel "Gus" and Virginia Stalnaker Smith.

Surviving are son and daughter-in-law, Raymond Lee and Marsha Shockey of Belington, WV.; sisters and brother-in-law, Joy and Frank Stemple of Philippi, WV, and Carolyn Stuart of Morgantown, WV; granddaughter, Briana Nicole Shockey; brother-in-law, Fred Corley of Parkersburg, WV; aunt, Louise Lucas of Flint, MI.; uncle and aunt Ernest and Ada Smith of Port Charlotte, Fl.; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by a sister, Shirley Smith Corley.

Betty was employed by Firestone Tire and Rubber Co. in Akron, Ohio from 1967 to 1983, when the company moved to Henderson, KY. She retired in 1995 as a customer service manager from Accuride, formerly Firestone. In 1997 she moved to Morgantown, where she currently resided. She was a United Methodist by faith. Interment will be at the Mt. Vernon Memorial Cemetery. (Wright)

### **CLARA MAE SHOCKEY**

Clara Mae Shockey, born 2 March 1910 in Fort Smith, Arkansas.  
Died 14 May 1997, Edwardsville, Kansas.



**Kenneth G. Shockey, 80**

RIDOTT - Kenneth Guy Shockey, 80, Ridott, died at 4:45 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 8, 2000 in the Freeport Memorial Hospital Emergency Room shortly after arrival.

Born April 14, 1920 on the family farm in rural Ridott, Kenneth was the son of Guy and Hattie (Brei) Shockey. He married Lucille Niemeier on June 26, 1941 at First Lutheran Church in Freeport.

He farmed in Ridott and Rock Run townships all of his life. He graduated from Freeport High School with the Class of 1938. He was a member of First Lutheran Church of Freeport.

He served as a 4-H leader earlier in his life. He also was a member of the Farm Bureau, ASCS & Davis ROMEOS. His hobbies included farming, carpentry, and restoring cars, trucks, and tractors. He enjoyed spending time with grandchildren and was an avid reader of non-fiction books.

Survivors include his wife Lucille; four children, Fred (Helen) Shockey of Winnebago; Gary (Robin) Shockey of Ridott; Vicki (Doug) Grant of Eden Prairie, Minnesota; and Kim (Amy) Shockey of Rock City; 12 grandchildren, Alan (Nikki) Shockey of Amboy; Jeff (Bobbi) Shockey of Lakewood, Co.; Jodi Shockey of Littleton, Co.; Adam and Alex Shockey of Ridott, Greg VanDemark of River Fall, Wis., Brian (Tina) VanDemark of Evansville, Wis., Marcia (Dean) Wardlow of Freeport, Dan and Stephen Grant of Eden Prairie, Minn., and Evan and Olivia Shockey of Rock City; eight great grandchildren, Jeffrey, Amber, and Kenneth Shockey, Brock VanDemark, Kyle, Lindsey and Nathan Wardlow, Jessica Fair; and two nieces and a nephew.

He was predeceased by his parents, and a brother, Donald Shockey.

Family and friends gathered at a visitation from 5 to 8 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 10, 2000 at the Daughenbaugh Funeral Home, 115 S. West St., Dakota, Ill., and on Saturday from 9 a.m. until the time of the service at the church.

Funeral services took place at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 11 at First Lutheran Church, 303 S. Galena Ave., Freeport, with the Rev. Neville Kretzmann, pastor of First Lutheran Church of Freeport.

Burial at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens in Freeport followed.

A memorial is being established.

**Dewey V. Shockey**

Dewey V. Shockey, 62, of Falcon Way, Winchester, died Friday, July 28, 2000, at his home.

Mr. Shockey was born April 28, 1938, in Hardy County, W.Va., the son of Seymour and Nellie Shoemaker Shockey. He was an Army veteran of the Vietnam War.

He was married to Patty Sites Shockey.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are a son, Kevin Shockey of Strasburg; two daughters, Connie Conner and Tamara Shockey, both of Stephens City; five brothers, Roy Shockey and Jerry Shockey, both of Old Fields, W.Va., Daniel Shockey and Raymond Shockey, both of Moorefield, W.Va., and Boyd Shockey of Brandywine, W.Va.; two sisters, Nancy Whetzel of Moorefield and Alice Shingleton of Old Fields; and six grandchildren.

A graveside service will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Bethel Cemetery at Old Fields, with the Rev. Ken Owens officiating.

The family will receive friends from 1 to 4 p.m. today at Fraley Funeral Home in Moorefield.

**Audrey W. Unger**

FRANKLIN, N.C. - Audrey Whitacre Unger, 83, of Franklin, and formerly of Stonewall Haven in Martinsburg, W.Va., died Sunday, Sept. 3, 2000, at a nursing home in Franklin.

Born in Shockeyville, Va., she was the daughter of the late Edward Janney and Naomi Grace Shockey Whitacre.

She was a 1936 graduate of Martinsburg High School.

She sold Avon products for more than 25 years.

She was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church.

She was a member of Stonewall Tenants Association.

She is survived by her husband of 58 years, Harvey F. Unger; four children, Harvana Rosbrugh of San Jose, Calif., Kay Unger of Missoula, Mont., Jan Unger of Franklin and Bigie Unger of Seattle; and seven grandchildren.

Services will be Friday at 11 a.m. at Brown Funeral Home, 327 W. King St. in Martinsburg. Dr. G. Edward Grove will officiate. Burial will be in Rosedale Cemetery.

The family will receive friends Thursday from 6 to 8 p.m. at the funeral home.

*In Loving Memory of*

*Don Krebs*

**Born**

September 15, 1931  
Holly, Colorado

**Passed Away**

December 7, 1997  
Brea, California

**Services**

Friday  
December 12, 1997 At 2:00 P. M.  
La Habra Christian Church

Officiant  
Pastor Bob Brown

Graveside Service  
December 12, 1997 At 3:30 P. M.  
Masonic Lodge #659, La Habra, California

**Interment**

Memory Garden Memorial Park

## Lola C. Webster

Lola Catherine Webster, 80, of Moorefield, W.Va., died Friday, July 21, 2000, in the Winchester Medical Center.

Mrs. Webster was born Sept. 11, 1919, in Hardy County, W.Va., the daughter of James and Sarah Hose Shockey. She retired from Hester Industries, Moorefield. She was a member of the Moorefield Church of the Brethren.

She was married to Jesse Webster, who died in September of 1985.

Surviving are two sons, Joe Webster and Kenny Webster, both of Moorefield; two daughters, Betty Gano of Winchester and Velma Doman of Bean Settlement, W.Va.; two brothers, Wayne Shockey and Donald Shockey, both of Moorefield; three sisters, Myrtle Webster and Mary Ratliff, both of Moorefield, and Pauline Baldwin of Baltimore; eight grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

A funeral will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Moorefield Church of the Brethren, with the Revs. Dennis Brown and Laurean R. Smith officiating. Burial will be in Olivet Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m. today at Fraley Funeral Home. The body will be taken to the church an hour before the funeral.

## Betty Shockey

The private inurnment of Betty Frances Shockey, 72, a resident of the Meadows Mennonite Nursing Home, rural Chenoa, formerly of 509 N. Adelaide St., Normal, will be at Park Hill Cemetery, Bloomington. She was cremated. There will be no services. Metzler Froelich Memorial Home, Bloomington, is in charge of arrangements.

She died at 3:20 p.m. Monday (Oct. 30, 2000) at the nursing home.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

She was born Nov. 10, 1927, in Forrest, the daughter of Francis Charles and Carrie Mae Hanna Shockey.

Survivors include three sisters, Joy Grubb, Palm Harbor, Fla.; Arleen Hess, Burbank, Calif.; and Marilyn Stiles, Bloomington.

Her parents preceded her in death.

## UARIES

### Darrell W. Shockey

Darrell Wayne "Honey" Shockey, 38, of 217 Puma Trail, Winchester, died Saturday, Nov. 4, 2000, in Winchester Medical Center as a result of an auto accident.

Mr. Shockey was born Aug. 1, 1962, in Winchester, the son of Donnie D. and Elizabeth Shockey Haines. He worked in the maintenance department of Lear Corp. in Winchester.

Surviving with his parents, of Winchester, are his fiancé, Tara Brill of Winchester; her daughter, Madison Brill, whom he raised; two sisters, Elizabeth A. Peacemaker and Crystal V. Marple, both of Winchester; and two brothers, Donald L. Shockey and Albert Roy Shockey, both of Winchester.

A funeral will be at 11 a.m. Thursday at Omps Funeral Home, Amherst Chapel, with the Rev. Phil Roby officiating. Burial will be in Timber Ridge Cemetery, Highview, W.Va.

Pallbearers will be Albert Shockey Jr., Tim Marple, Michael Boothe, Donnie McBride Jr., Jason McBride, Bill Puffinberger, Wade Marple, John McInturf, Kevin Chapman, and Donald Shockey.

The family will receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

Memorials may be made to Clearbrook Volunteer Fire and Rescue Company, P.O. Box 56, Clearbrook 22624; or to Round Hill Fire and Rescue Company, 769 Round Hill Road, Winchester 22602.

### SHOCKEY

Elizabeth (Daily) Schockey, age 89, lifetime resident of New Albany, died Friday, August 4, 2000 at Broadview Health Care Center. Member of New Albany United Methodist Church. A 1925 Graduate of New Albany High School. Preceded in death by husband John R. Shockey; brothers Russell and Clark Daily, son-in-law Norman R. Feichter. Survived by sons, Dan (Dorothy) Shockey of McArthur, Oh., John (Marian) Shockey of New Albany; daughter, Elizabeth Ann Feichter of New Albany. 3 grandchildren, Brad (Barb) Shockey, Brenda (Scott) Clark, Steffanie Feichter; 5 great grandchildren; brother, Walter (Bernadine) Daily of Worthington Christian Village; sister-in-law, Elda Shockey of Columbus; many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. Family will receive friends 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. Tuesday at the SCHOEDINGER NORTHEAST CHAPEL, 1051 E. Johnstown Rd. (on Route 62, 1/2 mile northeast of Hamilton Rd.), Gahanna, where funeral service will be held 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, August 9, 2000. Interment to follow at Maplewood Cemetery, New Albany. Contributions may be made to New Albany United Methodist Church, 20 S. Third St., New Albany, Ohio 43054 in Elizabeth's memory. Her kindness and gentle ways be greatly missed by her family and friends.

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### Eliza 'Esther' Back

Eliza "Esther" Back, 88, of Middletown, died Sunday morning at Middletown Regional Hospital.

She attended Grace Baptist Church, was a member of Moose Lodge 501, Eagles 528 and Middletown Senior Citizens. She had been employed by Duff's Cafe as a cook and at



Ms. Back

Aeronca as a riveter. She had lived in Middletown since 1941. She was born in Wolf County, Ky., on Dec. 7, 1912. Her parents, John and Esther Shockey, preceded her in death.

She is survived by two sons, Joseph (Connie) Back and James Lee Back, both of Middletown; two daughters, Wanda Wills of Trenton and Glenna (James) Dunn of Middletown; 17 grandchildren; 36 great-grandchildren; and seven great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by: one son, Gary Winfred Back; one grandson, Joshua Taylor Back; three brothers, Raymond, Beach and Samuel Shockey; and four sisters, Bonnie Kash, Evalee Arnett, Ruby Pettit and Pauline Lindon.

**ARRANGEMENTS:** Funeral services will be Wednesday at 1 p.m. at Wilson-Schramm-Spaulling Funeral Home with the Rev. Keith Spencer officiating. Visitation will be Tuesday from 5 to 8 p.m. at the funeral home, 3805 Roosevelt Blvd. at Bonita Drive.

Interment will be at Woodside Cemetery.

**MEMORIALS:** Donations may be made to the Joshua Back Football Memorial Scholarship, in care of Middletown Community Foundation, 36 City Centre Plaza, Middletown, Ohio 45042.

**Laura M. Shockey**

Funeral Services for Laura M. Shockey, 80, of Deadwood, will be 10:00 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 18, 2000 at the Chaput Memorial Chapel in Lead. Ministers Richard Harbur and Chris Postma will officiate. Laura died on Monday, Aug. 14, 2000 at the Wesleyan Health Care Center in Rapid City. Visitation will be on Thursday, Aug. 17, 2000 from 3 p.m. until 8 p.m. at the Chaput Memorial Chapel in Lead. Burial will be in the Oakridge Cemetery of Deadwood.

Laura May Greene was born in Wecota, on July 26, 1920 to Frank and Anna (Jensen) Greene. After spending her early years on farms in Edmunds and Faulk counties, her father began his blacksmith business in Cresbard. Laura was determined to complete her high school education, and after dropping out for one year to work for a farm family, returned to school and graduated from Cresbard High School. She was honored as School Queen in her senior year.

On Aug. 16, 1939, Laura was married to Elmer E. Shockey in Aberdeen. They farmed in Faulk County until 1947 when they moved to Deadwood, and Elmer began working for Home-

stake Mining Company. They raised ten children during their many years in Deadwood, nurturing a love of reading and music. Laura played piano, and with her encouragement, music became an integral part of their family life, which continues today. Her family will always remember the many supportive, caring, and giving ways in which she shared her love with them. While the focus of her life was her family, she reached out to others as well. "It never hurts to help somebody," directed her way of life. In addition to her family responsibilities, Laura also worked outside of the home.

She worked in the cafeterias at the Deadwood School for a time prior to beginning her 31 years career with Northern Hills General Hospital (then St. Joseph Hospital). She began in dietary, and then took a position as Nurses Aide working at the hospital and Nursing Home. In the years prior to retirement in 1985, she held the position of Physical Therapy Aide. Staff and patients will remember her caring dedication and willingness to help in every situation.

Survivors include three daughters, Karen Balderson of Central City, Linda Krause and her husband Alvin of Tucson, Ariz., and Carolyn Martin of Little Rock Area, Calif.; six sons, Merle Shockey and wife Candace of Arvada, Colo., Richard Shockey and wife Linda of Grand Forks, N.D. Lloyd Shockey and wife Kathe of

Belle Fourche, Roger Shockey and wife Cheryl of Rapid City, Gale Shockey and wife Bonnie of Belle Fourche, and Kevin Shockey and wife Ginny of Rapid City, twenty four grandchildren and nineteen great grandchildren; a sister, Rose Faithe of Sioux Falls, three brothers, Elmer Greene of Faulkton, Irvin Greene and wife Verna of Hayti, and Archie Greene and wife Irene of Portsmouth, NH; a son-in-law, John Collins of Spearfish.

Laura was preceded in death by her husband in 1970, a daughter, Carlene in 1995, and a sister, Esther.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Chaput Memorial Chapel in Lead. A memorial has been established in her memory

In Memory of

**Laura May Shockey**

Born July 26, 1920 at Faulk CO., SD to Frank & Anna (Jensen) Greene. Died August 14, 2000 at Rapid City, SD.

**Funeral Services**

Chaput Memorial Chapel  
Lead, South Dakota

10:00 A.M. Friday, August 18, 2000

**Officiating**

Ministers Richard Harbur & Chris Postma

**Music**

Organist: Beverly Beringer

Vocalist: Kim Davis

" Beyond the Sunset " " The 23rd Psalm "  
Congregational Hymn - " Abide with Me "

**Casketbearers**

Merle Shockey Richard Shockey  
Lloyd Shockey Roger Shockey  
Gale Shockey Kevin Shockey

**Memorial**

Has been Established

All Other Friends are Considered  
Honorary Casketbearers.

**Interment**

Oakridge Cemetery  
Deadwood, South Dakota

Arrangements under the Direction of  
Chaput Memorial Chapel  
Lead, South Dakota

Licensed Director - K. Michael Chaput

**After Glow**

*I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one, I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when day is done. I'd like to leave an echo whispering softly down the ways, Of happy times and laughing times and bright and sunny days. I'd like the tears of those who grieve to dry before the sun, Of happy memories that I leave behind When day is done.*

Jason Colland Shockey, age 82, died January 23, 2000 at his home in Rockville, Missouri.

Jason was born June 30, 1917 near Rich Hill, Missouri, the son of James C. and Katie (Wetzel) Shockey. He was united in marriage to Mamie Nelson on May 1, 1965.

He was a World War II Army Veteran and had engaged in farming for several years.

He was a member of the Happy Hill Church of the Brethren. The last several years he has attended the Rockville Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by his wife Mamie, his parents, three brothers, and one sister.

Jason is survived by three sisters, Cora Kopp of Jefferson City, Missouri, Nora Seitz of California, and Catharine Stangel of Rockville, Missouri; one step-daughter, Doris and husband Bob Haling of Harrisonville, Missouri; one step-son Junior Nelson and wife Anna Mae of Overland Park, Kansas; several step-grandchildren, many nieces and nephews, other family and friends.

## Jason C. Shockey

June 30, 1917 - January 23, 2000  
Age: 82 Years, 6 Months, 23 Days

### MEMORIAL SERVICE

Hill & Son Funeral Home  
Appleton City, Missouri  
Wednesday, January 26, 2000  
1:30 PM

### MINISTER

Reverend Gene Gray

### MUSIC

"Take My Hand, Precious Lord"  
"Amazing Grace"

### INTERMENT

Appleton City Cemetery  
Appleton City, Missouri

### MEMORIAL

Rockville Baptist Church

## George A. Shockey



George A. Shockey, 76, of Hanna City, and a native of Pontiac, died at 3:41 p.m. Saturday, April 22, 2000, at Graham Hospital, Canton.

There will be no funeral services.

Burial will be in South Side Cemetery.

There will be no calling. Duffy Funeral Home of Pontiac has charge of arrangements.

He was born Feb. 22, 1924, at Pontiac, the son of Arthur J. and Myrtle (Huling) Shockey.

Surviving are one son, Hieu C. Shockey, Hanna City; one granddaughter, Tammy Shockey; two brothers, Kenneth E. Shockey, Zephyrhills, Fla., and Ernest Eugene Shockey, Pontiac; two nephews, Herb Shockey and Dave Shockey; and one niece, Sue Stash.

One sister and one nephew preceded him in death.

Mr. Shockey attended Edwards Grade School, Edwards, and Brimfield High School, Brimfield.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during World War II.

Mr. Shockey was a retired postal worker. He had worked at the Edwards Post Office for 23 years.

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Please read the entire newsletter. I try to include everything that you need to know. I do want to remind you to send me changes of address so we don't lose you. Send in your family history updates. Send in articles that would be of interest to others, it makes the newsletter so much more interesting. You will notice that some of the obituaries are more than a year old. That is perfectly alright. If it seems that we repeat ourselves from year to year, we really do. That is for those who are receiving a newsletter for the first time. I would estimate that there are about 75 new addresses on the list this year. Of course, I lose some every year, maybe a few more than I gain. There are folks who start writing and inquiring about the newsletter long before I have it ready to mail. That is the only contact they have with their distant cousins and they look forward to receiving it. This is what we do for you all, it is the tie that binds. I hope to see many of you at the reunion in Kentucky!! Drive carefully and God bless.

*Dorie*

The following is a poem that was printed in one of our local newspapers. Someone complained about a prayer at a High School Graduation, so this is what the gentleman wrote:

Now I sit me down in school, where praying is against the rule  
For this great Nation under God, finds his name very odd.  
If scripture now the class recites, it violates the Bill of Rights,  
And any time my head I bow, it becomes a federal matter now.  
Our hair can be purple, orange or green, that's no offence; it's a federal scene  
The law is specific, the Law is precise, prayers spoken aloud are a serious vice.  
For praying in public hall, might offend someone with no faith at all.  
In silence alone we must meditate, God's name is prohibited by the state  
We're allowed to cuss and dress like freaks, pierce our noses, tongues and cheeks  
They've outlawed guns, but first the Bible, to quote the good book makes me liable.  
We can elect a pregnant Senior Queen and "unwed" daddy Senior King.  
It's inappropriate to teach right from wrong, we've taught such judgements do not belong  
We can get condoms and birth controls, study witchcraft, vampires and totem poles  
But the Ten Commandments are not allowed, no word of God must reach the crowd.  
It's scary here I must confess, where chaos reins and school's a mess  
So Lord this silent plea I make, should I be shot, my soul please take. AMEN

By: R. L. Nicewarner

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