Obituaries

VIOLA BELL JENNINGS MCQUEEN WILLIAMS
November 11, 1917 - September 30, 2012

Funeral services for Viola Bell Jennings McQueen Williams of Brownfield, will be held at 2 p.m. Monday, October 8, 2012 at First Christian Church in Brownfield with Rev. Mike Click, associate pastor of First Christian Church in Brownfield, and Bob Reynolds, retired minister of Brownfield Church of Christ, officiating.

Viola Bell McQueen Williams departed this life to be with her Savior at 7:15 a.m. Sunday, September 30, 2012.

Viola was born November 11, 1917 in Voss to Oliver Jessie Jennings and Maggie Ada Ford Jennings. She lived most of her life on the farm, helping her husband with farming, sewing, cooking, quilting, gardening and raising their four children. After she lost her first husband, Thomas Jefferson (Jeff) McQueen in 1963, she attended nursing school, and worked as a licensed vocational nurse for 21 years at the Brownfield Regional Medical Center.

She retired from nursing in December 1982, and married Archie Mell Williams July 3, 1983. They resided in Brownfield.

Survivors include her daughters, Shirley Cravey of Imperial, Neb., and Betty Bullard and husband Bobby of Brownfield; son, Oliver McQueen of Levelland; eight grandchildren; nine great-granddaughters; five great-grandsons; two great-great grandsons; and one great-great granddaughter.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Oliver Jessie Jennings and Maggie Ada Ford Jennings; her first husband Thomas Jefferson (Jeff) McQueen; her second husband, Archie Mell Williams; her oldest son, Howard Doyle McQueen; one son-in-law, Ervin Wren Cravey, and all of her siblings totaling thirteen.

Arrangements are under the direction of Brownfield Funeral Home in Brownfield.

Family visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. Sunday, October 7, 2012 at Brownfield Funeral Home. If so desired, memorial may be made to First Christian Church, P.O. Box 847, Brownfield, Texas 79316.

Viola's family would like to thank all the wonderful people who came to see her when she was so sick. We also want to thank all the caregivers at the Brownfield Rehab and Care Center who took great care of mom for almost 5 years, and Lynn DeLong with Hospice who was also a blessing from God. These people are truly God's Angels. The care and love that was shown to mom and her family during this time was appreciated more than anyone will ever know.

Police Dispatch

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Sept. 30

Assault - A 26-year-old man was arrested for assault/family violence about 2 a.m. in the 1400 block of East Cardwell Street.

Sept. 29

No DL- A 42-year-old man was arrested for unlicensed driving about 11:30 p.m. during a traffic stop in 100 block of East Ross Street.

Theft - Officers investigated a report of property stolen from the 1000 block of East Reppto Street.

DWLI - A 41-year-old woman was arrested for driving with license invalid during a traffic stop in the 300 block of West Story Street.

Sept. 28

Theft - Officers investigated a report of theft of service from a business in the 1300 block of Tahoka Road.

Sept. 26

DWLI - A 26-year-old man was arrested on an enhanced charge of driving with license invalid at 6:34 p.m. in the 600 block of Tahoka Road.

Criminal mischief - A female suspect was detained after she was caught breaking windows about 10:30 p.m. of a residence in the 700 block of Cactus Lane.

Assault - Officers investigated a report of a female victim assaulted at Brownfield High School and an assault by threat reported in the 100 block of North Fifth Street.

Warrants - A male suspect was arrested at the jail for capias pro fine warrants.

Theft - Crystal Scott, 39, was arrested at 3:51 p.m. in the 1200 block of East Main Street on a warrant for felony theft.

PI - A female suspect was arrested for public intoxication at 1:45 a.m. during an investigation of a disturbance in the 500 block of East Buckley Street.

Sept. 25

Theft - A male suspect was caught stealing property from a clothing-donation bin in the 100 block of North Fifth Street.

Paraphernalia - Suspects were cited for possession of prohibited smoking materials about noon during a traffic stop on Lubbock Road.

Assault - Officers investigated a report from a female assault victim in the 1200 block of East Hill Street.

Sept. 24

Burglary - A battery was reported stolen from a vehicle in the 500 block of West Austin Street.

Fire & Rescue

Smoke scare - Sept. 24, 7:14 p.m., 900 block of South Lons Street

Traffic accident - Sept. 22, 4:01 p.m., near Meadow on U.S. Hwy. 62/82

Medical assist - Sept. 22, 8:11 p.m., 400 block of West Ripley Street

Mobile home fire - Sept. 17, noon, near intersection of U.S. Hwy. 380 and C.R. 179

Traffic accident/vehicle fire - Sept. 7, 8:09 p.m., near intersection of U.S. Hwy. 385 and TX Hwy. 137

Lift assist - Sept. 7, 4:45 p.m., 1300 block of East Harris Street

Traffic accident - Sept. 6, 2:19 p.m., near Meadow on U.S. Hwy. 62/82

Vehicle fire - Sept. 5, 1:40 p.m., near intersection of Seagraves Road and West Webb Street

Grass fire - Sept. 5, two miles west on C.R. 430

Grass fire - Sept. 5, 15 miles south of F.M. 403

Grass fire - Sept. 5, 1300 block of F.M. 168

Medical assist - Sept. 3, 1:04 p.m., 1700 block of East Buckley Street

Vehicle fire - Sept. 3, 12:50 p.m., near intersection of U.S. Hwy. 62/82 and TX Hwy. 137

United joins breast cancer fight

United Supermarkets, LLC, and its grocery partners are once again joining the fight against breast cancer.

United Supermarkets, Market Street and Amigos stores are asking guests to help raise funds for breast cancer research and awareness through their annual "Who Are You Pink For?" promotion.

Today through Nov. 1, guests can help raise money for breast cancer research and awareness by purchasing specially marked products throughout the store, for which grocery partners have agreed to donate a percentage of the sales to support the cause.

Products will be clearly marked with special shelf tags.

In addition, all stores will be selling pink reusable bags for $1.99 each, with $1 from each sale also going to the cause.

Throughout October, guests will have the opportunity to indicate who they "are pink for" by sharing their breast cancer story on the company's Facebook page (www.facebook.com/unitedwesttexas).

United Supermarkets, LLC, will make a $5 donation for each story - up to $10,000 - toward breast cancer research and awareness.

"At United, we are motivated to help raise awareness and funds together with our partners and guests for a great cause," said Shelby Crews, community relations manager for United Supermarkets, LLC. "I am inspired when reading how our guests have been impacted by breast cancer, because it reminds us who we are working to help and provides a platform for guests to share their stories of courage."

For more information regarding United Supermarket's commitment to community involvement, visit www.united-texas.com/our-community.

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