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Obituaries



Self

Dr. Betty Benton Self, 78, of Robert Lee, died Tuesday, January 10, 2012, in a San Angelo hospital. A memorial service will be held at a later date in Ada, Oklahoma. Arrangements are by Shaffer Funeral Home.

Betty was born in Colorado City on August 9, 1933, the daughter of the late Eloise Pond and W. T. Benton. She graduated from Odessa High School and went on to graduate from Oklahoma State University with a degree in Veterinarian Medicine in 1957.

Dr. Self was the first woman in Texas to become a veterinarian. Betty practiced for about 43 years in Oklahoma and Texas before moving to Robert Lee in 2001.

She was preceded in death by her son Brian.

She is survived by her son Thomas Self, her son Bruce Self and wife Diana; her brother Ben Benton and his wife Shirley; her sister Mary Cherry and her husband Cecil; two grandsons Ben Self and Jason Self; four great-grandchildren; one niece and four nephews.

Betty was devoted to both her family and her practice of medicine.

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drop box is located at
**HOMETOWN
 HARDWARE**
 in Bronte

... WTRC Telethon

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 KTAB in Abilene. Popular country singer Sunny Sweeney will be joined on stage at the Abilene Civic Center by hosts Charlie Chase and Red Steagall as well as "regulars" Bill and Susan Hayes, Brad Maule and the Rehab 2012 orchestra.

Significant underwriting for the telethon is provided by Suddenlink Communications and Area-Wide Phone Books. NTS Communications provides support for the auction of merchandise and services and Elegante Suites of Abilene serves as the host hotel.

In addition to entertainment, the live production showcases the services of the Rehab Center which annually provides care to more than 28,000 children and adults with disabilities

and communication disorders at facilities in Abilene, San Angelo, and Ozona.

Also, Rehab 2012's auction will include approximately 350 items donated by businesses and individuals ranging from agricultural products and home improvement items to collectibles and sports/travel packages. Interested persons my bid on-line at www.WestTexasRehab.org beginning December 21 or by phone on January 21.

"The telethon is a critical fundraiser for Rehab because we count on it to launch the New Year in a good position to meet the needs of those we'll serve in the next 12 months," said WTRC President Woody Gilliland. "That's why we're so grateful to local volunteers staffing phone banks...why every advance gift and every pledge called in during the show are so deeply appreciated."

Robert Lee Cemetery Memorials

- Rose Marie Davis**
 Butch & Carolyn Davis
 David & Voleta Dixon
 Bobby & Jeffie Roberts
 Jackie Walker
 Dale & Sue Wojtek
 RLHS Class of 1956
- Weldon Fikes**
 Mrs. Barbara Adkins
- Greg Lusby**
 Dana St. Clair
- Chrys Higgins**
 Dale & Sue Wojtek

Area Churches

Invite You to Worship

- Bronte**
Bronte Church of Christ
 PO Box 346 • 118 S. Jefferson • Bronte
 (325) 473-3291
 Preacher John V. Driggers
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm
- Central Baptist Church**
 324 S. Franklin • Bronte
 (325) 473-4811
 Dale Patterson, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School
 11 am & 6 pm Worship
 Wed. 6 pm
- First Baptist Church**
 424 S. Washington • Bronte
 (325) 473-2331
 Bro. Corey Cornutt, Pastor
 Sunday 9:45 am Sunday School,
 10:55 am Worship,
 5 pm Worship
 6 pm Youth
 Wednesday 7 pm Prayer Meeting
- First United Methodist Church**
 Corner of Washington & Holmes
 Bronte
 (325) 473-3281
 Rev. Matt Pennington, Pastor
 Sun. 9:30 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Worship
- Forgiven Ministries**
 117 W. Main, Bronte
 Russ Frasier, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am
- St. James Catholic Church**
 215 N. Washington, Bronte
 (325) 365-2687
 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor
 Sun. 5 pm

Coke County

- Pecan Baptist**
 PO Box 542 • 12 miles West of
 Robert Lee on Sterling City Hwy
 (325) 453-2482
 www.pecanbaptist.org
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship

Robert Lee

- Emmanuel Pentecostal**
 PO Box 683 • 1019 Colorado City Hwy
 Robert Lee
 (325) 453-2360
 Rev. Ray Aldridge, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am & 6 pm, Wed. 7 pm

- First United Methodist Church**
 PO Box 144 • 9th & Chadbourne
 Robert Lee • (325) 453-2417
 Steve Peyton, Pastor
 Sun. 10 am Sunday School
 11 am Worship
 5:00 pm Choir Practice
- Iglesia Bautista Bethel**
 101 Houston • Robert Lee
 Sun. 10 am • Worship
 11 am & 6 pm • Service
 Wed. 7 pm
- Southside Church of Christ**
 PO Box 698 • 8th & Houston
 Robert Lee
 (325) 453-2176
 Jordan Arnold, Preacher
 Sun. 10 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6 pm, Worship
- Northside Church of Christ**
 PO Box 508
 9th & Chadbourne • Robert Lee
 (325) 655-9784 or 453-2685
 Services: Sun. 10 am & 1:30 pm;
 Wed. 6 pm

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church

601 W. 10th, Robert Lee
 (325) 365-2687
 Rev. Hubert Wade, Jr., Pastor
 Sat. 6 pm

Robert Lee Baptist Church

PO Box 493 • 22 W. 11th
 (325) 453-2724
 Danny White, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 11 am & 7 pm, Worship
 Wed. 7 pm, Prayer Meeting

Victory Assembly of God

PO Box 638
 6th & Houston, Robert Lee
 (325) 453-2208
 Rev. Irving Smith, Pastor
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 10:45 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6 pm, Bible Study

Tennyson

Tennyson Baptist Church
 Hwy 277 • Tennyson
 (325) 473-2040
 Sun. 9:45 am, Sunday School
 11:00 am & 6 pm, Worship
 Wed. 6:00 pm Prayer Meeting

John L. Heck

Dale & Sue Wojtek

Juanice Herr

Barbara Adkins
 Jo Louise Adkins

A. V. & Daisy Hughes

Susan & Bill Faircloth

Ray Aldridge

Butch & Carolyn Davis

James Hood

Bobby & Jeffie Roberts

Lorene Millican

Bobby & Jeffie Roberts

Donors

Ernest & Linda Burns

Betty A. Varnadore

ECA classes to

begin next month

The East Coke County EMS will be offering an ECA class beginning February 13, 2012, in accordance with TDHS #607175.

The course is approximately 60 classroom hours and will be held in Bronte. Classes will be two evenings per week and two full Saturdays with completion scheduled for March 15.

The class is open to anyone wishing to attend who will be at least 18 years of age at the time of the test.

The Blackwell, Robert Lee and Bronte Emergency Medical Services are all in desperate need of volunteers and anyone interested is encouraged to contact Gwen Dyess at (325) 895-1967, Janet Wommack at 473-5388 or Jan Magness at 473-8567.

Mountain Creek Golf Course

tournaments slated

The Sunday Skins Golf Tournaments will be held every Sunday from now until March, 4 2012, at Mountain Creek Golf Course.

Lunch will be held at 12 noon and Tee off is 1 pm.

Teams will be drawn based on handicap/known ability. Participants may play with their own groups. Everyone is welcome.

For more information, call the golf course at 453-2317.

Come as you are . . .



**Sunday Mornings • 10 am
 Bible Study • Tuesday 7 pm**
Romans • Pot Luck Dinner at 6 pm



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 Downtown Bronte • Across from Grocery Store
 Russ Frasier, Preacher

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The thief does not come except to steal, and to kill, and to destroy. I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly. • *John 10:10*

Just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many. • *Matthew 20:28*

He who sins is of the devil, for the devil has sinned from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil. • *1 John 3:8*

Inasmuch then as the children have partaken of flesh and blood, He himself likewise shared in the same, that through death He might destroy him who had the power of death, that is, the devil. • *Hebrews 2:14*

And she will bring forth a Son, and you shall call His name Jesus, for He will save His people from their sins. • *Matthew 1:21*

For when we were still without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly.

For scarcely for a righteous man will one die yet perhaps for a good man someone would even dare to die.

But God demonstrates His own love towards us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

Much more than, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him.

For if when we were enemies we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life.

And not only that, but we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received the reconciliation. • *Romans 5:6-11*

Victory Assembly of God
 Corner of 6th & Houston • Robert Lee
 Pastor Irving Smith

Service Schedule:

**Sunday School 9:45 • Worship & Childrens Church 10:45
 Sunday & Wednesday: Bible Study & Power Kids 6 pm**