

teen great-grandchildren. The family suggests that memorials be made to The Thomas E Creek Veterans Hospital or Odyssey Hospice.

Please sign the online guest book at [www.schoolerfuneralhome.com](http://www.schoolerfuneralhome.com)

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**Clawson**

Frank Clawson Jr. passed from this earth to a better place in heaven on December 14, 2011.

He was born on July 26, 1924, the eldest child of Frank Clawson Sr. and Odessa McCraw Clawson. He attended Robert Lee School. He farmed for awhile in Coke County and then migrated to Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, where his grandmother, Ell McCraw Thompson lived. He met and married the love of his life, Roberta Woodard and to this union four children were born.

After trying several farm jobs, he went to work in a cast iron/aluminum foundry. He was a very talented craftsman and soon had his own foundry, JRS Ornamental Shop. He made numerous signs and garden items including fancy tables and chairs for his family in addition to other work which included making bases for signal lights for Oklahoma City. He molded and fired a design for the Patriot and Drummer Boy statue that still stands today in State Fair Park in Oklahoma City. He was well known for being able to make anything people wanted and was always in demand. He continued in this endeavor until he sustained an injury in the shop and was forced to retire.

After he recovered, he became a greeter at the new Crest Food Store in Moore, Oklahoma. Ill health forced him to retire after six years. He never met a stranger and was well liked at Crest Food Store. After he became ill, people continued to ask about his welfare at the store.

He is survived by his son, Kenneth L. Clawson Sr.; his daughter, Sandra Clawson Little and her husband Gerald of Moore, Oklahoma; his daughter, Victoria A. Clawson Manly of Oklahoma; and his son Johnny D. Clawson and wife Sheryl of Oklahoma City. He is also survived by his brother, Johnny Quannah Clawson Sr. and wife Elsie of Highland, Texas; his sister, Christine Clawson Stewart of Tribbey, Oklahoma; and his baby sister, Mary Jo Clawson Storie of Midwest City, Oklahoma.

He was preceded in death by his parents,

Frank and Odessa Clawson, a sister, Virginia Alice Clawson in infancy, his brother, Wilford Roy Clawson Sr. and his beloved sister, Betty Jean Clawson.

He had 13 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild, many nieces and nephews and a host of friends both in Oklahoma and Texas.

The funeral services were conducted at the Sunnyland Funeral Chapel at 2 pm, December 17, 2011. He was laid to rest at Moore Cemetery in Moore, Oklahoma.

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**Death Notices**

**Wicker**

Esther Louise Wicker, 79, died Sunday, December 25, 2011, at her residence. A memorial service will be held in Wyoming at a later date. Services are under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Survivors include her son, Dennis "Butch" Wicker of Longview, Washington; her daughters, Dianne Phillips of Riverton, Wyoming, Darla Middleton of La Grande, Arizona; her brothers, John Shields of Casper, Wyoming, Jim Shields of Newcastle, Wyoming; her sisters, Ruth Norris of Robert Lee, Lois Mirich of Lingle, Wyoming, Martha Rich of Newcastle, Wyoming, and Sarah Wolf of Payson, Arizona.

**WCC EMS memorials**

**Ray Aldridge**

Barbara and Jo Louise Adkins

**Maurice Duncan**

Barbara and Jo Louise Adkins

**... ECA Classes**

(Continued from Page 1) 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.

**New ministry to assist with local needs**

In His Name Ministries has been formed to minister to people in Bronte, Robert Lee, and Coke County by meeting their practical needs.



**4-H Food Challenge!** Four teams from Coke county recently took part in the District 7 4-H Food Challenge contest. Over 100 4-H members from around the district participate in this food challenge contest. This is a new 4-H contest which mimics the TV show Chopped. Members test their culinary skills by making a dish from the surprised ingredients in their basket. Dinner Divas took top honors by placing 1st in their category. Members include Brady Clawson, Madison



Wright, Sarah Wade, Hunter Hamrick, and Haley Grantham. Coke Kids placed fourth in their category, those members included. Aimee Zimmerman, Kelby Clawson, Jordan Wade and Megan Grantham. The Champs took second place honors those members included Hunter Hortensin, Karrisa Cervenka, Lexia Davis and India Chumney, and Team KC square took fourth place those members were Cassidy McWright, Kaci Queen, Keely Queen and Caitlin Lange. These girls showed off their cooking skills, Congratulations!

If you or someone you know is in need of assistance with necessary home repairs, past due utility bills, food shortage, etc., please drop a

note with the situation and contact information to In His Name Ministries, PO Box 279, Bronte, Texas 76933. For urgent needs, please

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