

Louise S. Smith

HELENA — Funeral services will be conducted at 1:30 Saturday in the Retz Funeral Chapel in Helena for Louise S. Smith, formerly of Boulder and Helena.

She died in a Great Falls nursing home Thursday.

She was born in East Helena to Laurence and Edna Sinclair. She attended East Helena schools and graduated from Helena High in 1911. She attended the University of Montana in Missoula from 1911 to 1915.

Mrs. Smith then taught high school in Harlem and then in Bowbells, N.D. She then came to Boulder where she taught school for three years.

She was married to John J. Smith on June 15, 1921, in Helena. He died in June 1974.

Survivors include a brother, Laurence H. Sinclair of Cascade.

Burial will be in the Boulder Valley Cemetery.

L.E. "Whitey" Reiter, 70

WEST YELLOWSTONE — Private family memorial services were this week for longtime West Yellowstone resident L.E. "Whitey" Reiter, 70, a retired service station owner.

Mr. Reiter died Thursday at the state Hospital at Galen.

A native of Pittsburgh, Pa., he was born Aug. 22, 1915, to Frank H. and Rose Entinger Reiter. He attended schools in Pittsburgh and later worked winters helping build the Inland Canal at Del Rey Beach, Fla., and spent summers in West Yellowstone working in service stations.

In 1937, he moved permanently to West Yellowstone where he worked as a mechanic until he bought the Standard Service Station and Garage at the entrance to Yellowstone Park in 1948. He operated it until his retirement in 1978.

He was a member of the Catholic Church, Knights of Columbus and Elks Lodge 463 of Bozeman. He was also a charter member of the West Yellowstone Lions Club and served on the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce.

He and Patricia Scully married Nov. 24, 1945, at Laurin. She survives.

Also surviving are a daughter, Rosemary Bowker of Kalispell; sons, Michael of Fiddletown, Calif., James of West Yellowstone, Patrick of Three Forks and John of Billings; and seven grandchildren.

Memorials are preferred to the Alzheimer's Disease Foundation or a charity of the donor's choice. K&L Mortuaries in Ennis is in charge of arrangements.

L E Whitey Reiter Obituary



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