

Obituaries

Bradley J. Hulick

TOLONO — Bradley J. Hulick, 64, departed this life much too soon Saturday (Dec. 22, 2018) at Arbor Rose, Tolono.

Brad was born Nov. 22, 1954, in Shelbyville, to Charles "Doc" and Elizabeth "Lib" (Davis) Hulick. He was a graduate of Shelbyville High School and Eastern Illinois University. He was a band director first at Melvin-Sibley schools and then taught band and music at various grade levels for almost 30 years at Unit Seven Schools in Tolono before retiring in 2010. Music and teaching were his passions and his talents. On June 13, 1992, he married Jeannette Marie Ingram of Sidney, and in 2002, their beloved daughter, Elizabeth Suzanne, completed their family, along with assorted cats and other pets.

Brad had a love/hate relationship with golfing, played basketball, enjoyed walking and riding his bike around Tolono and was a skillful tennis player who competed in and organized many tennis tournaments in his younger years. Brad appreciated movies from many different genres (everything from subtitled foreign films to Airplane! to Die Hard) and relished watching sports (he was a longtime fan of the Illini, Da Bears, the Bulls, the Pirates and the Cardinals) and traveling. He enjoyed gadgets of every kind, especially if they involved electronics or exercise and were "as seen on TV." At one point he owned both an Ab Rocker and a Soloflex machine. He loved animals, especially cats, and babies, and they loved him right back. Brad never met a dessert that he didn't like. He had impeccable and wide-ranging musical taste, and his greatest joy, besides his family, was introducing others to the music he loved. He had perfect pitch and could play a euphonium (look it up) like nobody's business.

Brad was strong, gentle, kind, generous, honest, faithful and humble in all that

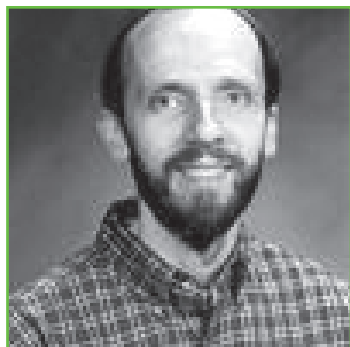
James D. Goff

SIDNEY — James D. Goff, 61, of Sidney passed away at 6:10 p.m. Thursday (Dec. 27, 2018) at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana.

Funeral services were held Monday, December 31st, 2018, at Freese Funeral Home in Sidney. Rev. Tabitha Nelson officiated. Burial took place in Mount Hope Cemetery, Sidney.

Mr. Goff was born April 2, 1957, in Danville, a son of Thomas and Mildred Johnson Goff.

Surviving are two children, Delanie (Jason) Menacher of Monticello and James (Kristin) Goff II of Sidney; six grandchildren, Brendan James, Camryn, Seth and Avery Menacher and Cadence and Makayla James Goff; a sister, Diana (Gene) Christenson of Tolono; and four nieces



he did. He was a loving and attentive husband, a deeply devoted dad and a caring and loyal son, brother, uncle and friend. The world was a better place with him in it, and he will be deeply missed and forever remembered by his family and friends.

Brad was preceded in death by his parents.

He is survived by his wife and daughter; brother, Chuck (Paula) Hulick of Murray, Ky.; sisters, Suzie (Gary) Robison, Carole (Stu) Hott and Nancy (Bud) Wilhelm, all of Shelbyville; many nieces and nephews, Brian Hulick (Christine Hanks) of Denver, Brock (Allison) Hammat of Brentwood, Tenn., Jennifer Hammat (CJ Delgado) of Fairfax, Va., Aaron Robison (Emily English) and Lisa (Ben) Snoko of Shelbyville, Blake Wilhelm and Christine (Tony) Clark of Villa Grove, Brett (Sue) Wilhelm of St. Louis and Lily, Ivy and Violet Cozzolino-Ingram of Urbana; and several great-nieces and great-nephews.

Special thanks and eternal gratitude to his caregivers, especially Clory Figueroa (who is now an adopted Hulick) and the nursing staff at Arbor Rose in Tolono.

Brad's untimely death was the devastating result of early onset Alzheimer's. In lieu of other expressions of sympathy, memorials may be made to the Cure Alzheimer's Fund, the Alzheimer's Association, the Unity Music Boosters (Unit Seven Schools), First Presbyterian Church of Tolono or Eastern Illinois Foodbank. Brad's funeral was held Saturday, Dec. 29, at the First Presbyterian Church, Tolono.

and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Gail McCall; and a nephew.

He was a member of Plumber and Pipefitters Union Local 149. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and camping. He loved his family, especially his grandchildren.

Memorials may be masade to the National Rifle Association.

Letter to the Editor

Letter to the Editor:
This is to let the Mayor and City Council know they don't always think things out.

According to the City Ordinance no trailer can be parked on City Property. I got a letter stating I had 30 days to move my small trailer from the front of my home.

After several times of trying to get in touch with our mayor, I brought to her attention there are several boats, campers, and trailers parked on City property all over the town. The Mayor verbally assured me that letters would be sent out to them also. That was two months ago. Guess what? They are still there. As I see it, what is good for one is good for all.

Also, the Mayor and Coun-

cil came along and banned burning, which I have talked with people from different areas, and the decision for burning was put on a ballot for citizens to vote on. Most people I talked to said they will not rake because before they get picked up, they would just blow back.

Trash has also been blowing all over our neighborhood that has been in front of one of our Alderman's house he owns. For three weeks now, which by the way the mayor has listed with him to sell. The trash was finally picked up yesterday.

I'm just a concerned citizen wondering if were going in the right direction.

Don Russel
Villa Grove

Applicants Sought for Joe and Sue Summerville Agricultural Scholarship

Applications are now being accepted for the 2019 Joe and Sue Summerville Agricultural Scholarship.

Wishing to preserve and grow the agricultural community, the Summerville Agricultural Scholarship will help a student pursue their education in an agricultural related field of study.

Having grown up on a family farm, Sue is offering this scholarship in memory of her mother and father, Lois and Myron Riddle of Tuscola, Illinois.

The deadline for application is Friday, February 22, 2019.

To be considered for the 2019 Joe and Sue Summerville \$1,500 Agricultural Scholarship, successful applicants must meet the following requirements:

- They reside in Douglas County, Illinois and are a graduating senior from high school.
- Include a copy of high school transcripts.
- Plan on attending a 2 or 4-year college/university or trade school (fulltime) majoring in agriculture or an agricultural related field of study.

• Successfully meets and is accepted to their college or trade school choice. Please include a copy of letter of acceptance.

• Write a short one-page essay, single spaced, indicating their interest in agriculture, why they would be deserving of the scholarship, and demonstrate need if applicable.

God the King
Psalms 93

The Lord is king. He is clothed with majesty and strength. The earth is set firmly in place and cannot be moved. Your throne, O Lord, has been firm from the beginning, and you existed before time began. The ocean depths raise their voice, O Lord; they raise their voice and roar. The Lord rules supreme in heaven, greater than the roar of the ocean, more powerful than the waves of the sea. Your laws are eternal, Lord, and your Temple is holy indeed, forever and ever.



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This Weeks Jackpots:
Egg in a Basket Raffle \$1600
Blackout Jackpot \$700

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Menus

Villa Grove Peace Meal January 14 - January 18

Monday: Chili Mac, Tossed Salad w/ Dressing, Roll, Warm Cinnamon Peaches

Tuesday: Turkey Pot Roast w/ Baby Carrots & Celery, Broccoli Cauli Bake, Roll, Tropical Fruit

Wednesday: Chicken Casserole, Peas & Carrots, Green Beans w/ Pimentos, Bread, Applesauce

Thursday: Roast Beef in Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Cabbage-Tomato Au Gratin, Roll, Fruit Salad

Friday: Ham Loaf, Frosted Sweet Potatoes, Midori Blend Veggies, Bread, Fresh Fruit

For Reservations Call at 832-9445

Skim milk and desserts with no sugar added are available in many locations. Ask the Site Supervisor for information. Sometimes we need to substitute our menus. We still guarantee a nutritious meal. The Peace Meal Senior Nutrition Program suggests a donation of \$3.50 for each congregate and home delivered meal. No older person shall be denied a meal because of their inability to contribute towards the cost of the meal. We accept Illinois Link Card.

Villa Grove School Breakfast and Lunch Menu January 14-18

14	15	16	17	18
Breakfast: Cinn. Coffee Cake	Breakfast: Breakfast Pizza	Breakfast: WG Biscuit And Sausage Gravy Or WG Donuts	Breakfast: Breakfast Burrito	Breakfast: Cinn Rolls Or Strawberry Cream Cheese Bagel
Lunch: Hot Dog On WG Bun Carrot Sticks Cole Slaw Peaches	Lunch: Fish Sticks Baked Beans RF Cheese Doritos Pears WG Bread	Lunch: Chicken Patty On WG Bun Sliced Tomatoes Sweet Potato Fries Mixed Fruit	Lunch: Oven Roasted Chicken Mashed Potatoes Gravy Green Beans Dinner Roll Applesauce	Lunch: No Lunch Served

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