

- 245 births
- 245 births
- 256 deaths
- 256 deaths
- 268 personals
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- 316 vendors wanted
- 316 vendors wanted



**LIGHTFOOT**, Fred and Leynie are pleased to announce the birth of their son Benjamin William, born January 1, 2004 at 4:26 a.m. at York Central Hospital. Proud grandparents are Brita Lightfoot and Gordon Lightfoot and Ben and Andrea Pascua.

- 248 birthdays
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If you see **Norm** on January 12th wish him a **Happy 50th Birthday!**

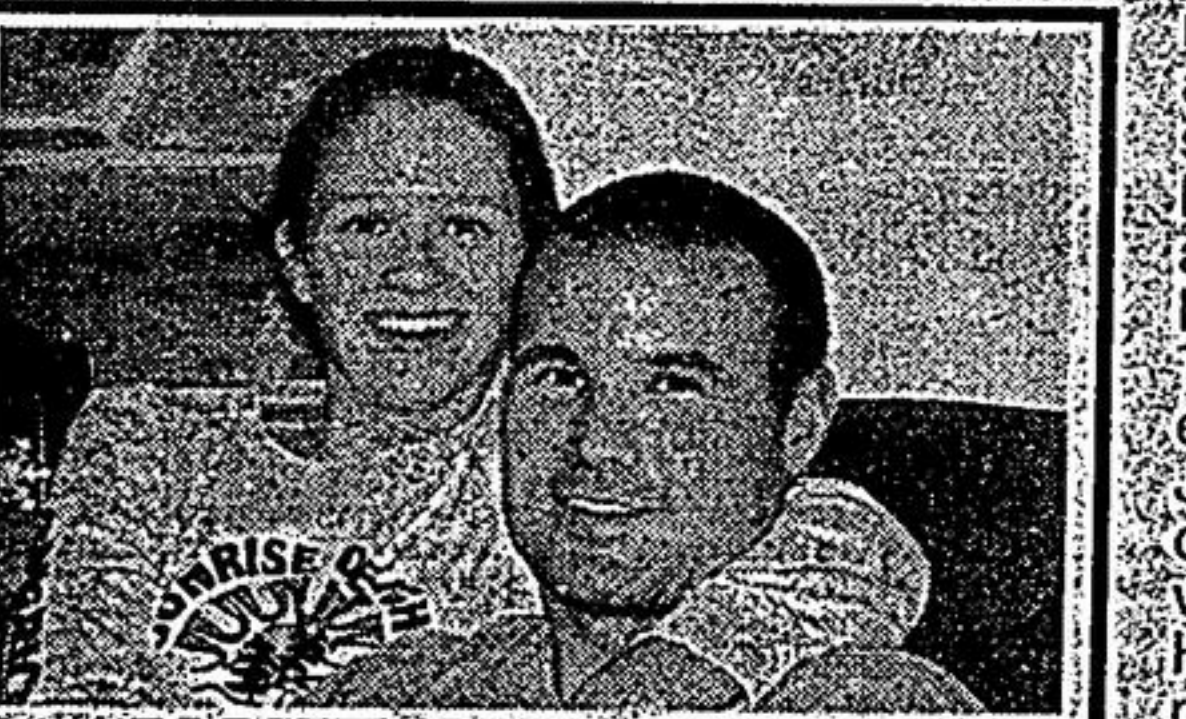
- 249 coming events
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**NEW YEAR DANCE**  
One Parent Families Association, Newmarket  
Saturday, January 10, 2004  
Holland Landing Community Centre,  
19513 Old Yonge Street  
(east side, north of Bradford St.) 8pm-1am.  
**Dress to impress!**  
\$13.00/person at door. Mid dance buffet.  
Barbara 905-473-6746

- 250 engagements
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Bill and Ingrid Hollett, of Markham, would like to announce the engagement of their daughter Terri to Julian Irwin, son of Sara and Stephen Irwin, of Toronto. Wedding to take place in spring, 2005.



**JAMIE AND KERRI GOT ENGAGED ON CHRISTMAS DAY**  
Proud and happy parents are Al & Val Burton and Al & Ellen Couchman

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Sunday January 25, 2004 - 11am - 4pm  
1015 West Beaver Creek, Suite 101, Richmond Hill, ON L4B 1N2

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- The admission process
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- How to make the right choice
- What each school has to offer your child

**GUEST SPEAKER**  
Janet Lewis, Director of Community Schools

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**Topic**  
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**CLAYTON**, Tom (Retired Prudential Insurance Co. of America). Following a brief illness at York Central Hospital, Richmond Hill on Tuesday, January 6, 2004 in his 85th year. Dearly loved husband of Florence for almost 58 years. Proud and respected father of Bill (London), Richard (Markham), Vic (Victoria, B.C.) and Chuck (Toronto). Lovingly remembered by his daughters-in-law, Janet, Merry, Sherry and Ivana; his grandchildren Barb, Heather, Tom, Becky, Allen, Julie, Lesley, Bill, Michael and Sarah. Great grandfather of Taylor. Brother of Jack (California) and predeceased by sister Betty Sharp. Friends may call at the DIXON-GARLAND FUNERAL HOME, 166 Main Street North (Hwy 48), Markham on Thursday from 2-5 and 7-9 p.m. Service at ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 143 Main Street North, Markham on Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment Elmwood Cemetery. If desired, a remembrance may be made to a charity of your choice.

**COSBURN**, Allan Robert. Suddenly at Markham, Stouffville Hospital on Tuesday, January 6th, 2004 in his 86th year. Allan, beloved husband of Margaret. Dear father of Barry and Linda, Bruce and Nancy, Paul and Mary. Loving grandfather of Brett and Helen, Kira and Drew, Colleen and Claire. Brother of Dorothy Kirkham and predeceased by Howard Cosburn. Friends will be received at St. Andrew's United Church, 32 Main Street North, Markham for memorial visitation on Thursday from 6-9 p.m. Memorial service in the church on Friday at 11:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, donations to the Kidney Foundation of Canada, 1200 Elgin Ave. East, Suite 200, Don Mills, ON M3C 1H9 would be appreciated.

**GORDON**, Catherine S. (nee Noakes). Peacefully at Bethany Lodge on Monday, January 5th, 2004 in her 99th year. Beloved mother of Barbara Ann and her husband Ron Riddell. Loving grandmother of Ian, Dina and her husband Paddy Woodford of N.B. Great grandmother of Brittany and Nicholas Woodford. A memorial service will be held in the Chapel of the DIXON-GARLAND FUNERAL HOME, 166 Main Street North (Hwy 48), Markham on Friday, 1:30 p.m. If desired, donations to the charity of choice would be appreciated.

**RUTHERFORD**, Naomi. Suddenly, but peacefully at Markham-Stouffville Hospital on Monday, January 5th, 2004 in her 80th year. Wife of the late John Rutherford. Beloved mother of Ellen and her husband Rick Childs, Tom and his wife Linda, Dawn and her husband Peter Winkley. Loving grandmother of Claire, John, Caitlyn, Alan, Cara and Christopher. Dear sister of Sally Dawson and Sister Mary Christabel and sister-in-law of Joan Wood. Friends will be received at DIXON-GARLAND FUNERAL HOME, 166 Main Street North (Hwy 48), Markham on Thursday, January 8th 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Celebration of life to be held at 11 a.m. Friday, January 9th at St. Philip's on-the-hill Anglican Church, 19400 Kennedy Road, Unionville, followed by a reception at the Church Hall. Memorial donations in lieu of flowers may be made to the charity of your choice or the Canadian Cancer Society.

- 258 in memoriams
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**BREEDS**, William. In loving memory of a dear husband, father and granddad who passed away January 5th, 2003.  
Forever in our thoughts.  
Sadly missed by wife Mary, Carol and Sid and Steve.

**TIMBERS**, George Matthew. In loving memory of a dear husband and father who passed away January 12, 2001.  
He has gone across the river,  
To the shore of evergreen;  
And we long to see his dear face,  
But the river flows between.  
Some day, some time we shall see,  
The face we loved so well.  
Some day we'll clasp his hand and never say farewell.  
Always and forever lovingly remembered by wife Alma, Becky, Charlie, Darcie, Greg, Josh, Mark, Faye and Julia.

- 259 card of thanks
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I would like to thank all the people who attended my 90th birthday party. You made it a great event for me. Many thanks for all the flowers, cards and lovely gifts. A special thanks to the Country Friends Band who entertained and made it a special day.  
**Oliver Graham**

**Personal Prayer To The Holy Spirit**  
Holy Spirit, Thou make me see everything and show me the way to reach my ideal. You who give the divine gift to forgive and forget the wrong that is done to me and who are in all instances of my life with me. I, in this short dialogue, want to thank You for everything and confirm once more that I never want to be separated from You no matter how great the material desire may be. I want to be with You and my loved ones in Your perpetual glory. Amen. Person must pray this 3 consecutive days without stating one's wish. After the 3rd day your wish will be granted no matter how difficult it may be. Promise to publish this as soon as your favor has been granted.  
**M.T.**  
Our Mother of Perpetual Help

- 265 lost & found
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- 370 pets, supplies & boarding

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