

Births

To **RACHELLE (GAGER)** (BS '97, MSW '02) and **JESS SWACKHAMER** (BA '97, MA '01), Berrien Springs, Mich., a boy, Carson Benjamin, April 13, 2005.

To **NAYELI GARCIA-SELVARAJ** (att.) and **SANJAY SELVARAGJ** (BS '98), Leesburg, Virg., a girl, Liliana Sage, Sept. 9, 2005.

To **BLANCHE (ATAGAN)** (BS '98) and **EDWARD CALDER**, Orlando, Fla., a boy, Brandon Edward, Sept. 27, 2005.

To **ASHLEY** (BS '98) and **DAVID WHITAKER** (MSPT '99), Winter Park, Fla., a girl, Macey Anne, Sept. 29, 2005.

To **CHERYL-KIM** (BS '94, MS '00) and **DAVID HAMILTON** (current student), Niles, Mich., a girl, Rebekah Raelene, Nov. 6, 2005.

Marriages

ROMANA BOND (MA '67) and **EVERETT HUTCHINSON** (BS '75) were married in January 2005 and reside in Placerville, Calif.

Deaths

KATHRYN (COLHOWER) WOOD (BA '42) died Sept. 24, 2005.

Kathryn's career was spent teaching at La Sierra Academy, Loma Linda Academy, and Far Eastern Academy. She also served as dean of women at La Sierra College from 1942-46, was associate director of admissions at Loma Linda University, La Sierra Campus from 1964-1981, and coordinated the *Journal of Adventist Education* courses through the School of Education after retirement.

ROY FREDERICK BERRETT (DIP2Yr '45, BA '49) died Nov. 4, 2005. He was born on July 1, 1925.

Roy married Eldoris Elaine Williams on June 8, 1949.

Following EMC, Berrett graduated from Loma Linda University School of Medicine, and served in the U.S. Navy from 1954-56. He was stationed in California, Japan and Korea, and obtained the rank of Lt. Commander.

The Berretts resided in Point Loma, Calif., from 1950 until the present. Roy joined the Ocean Beach Medical Group in 1950 and retired in 1998. He specialized in family practice, and was one of the founders of Doctor's Hospital (later Sharp Cabrillo). He served as chief of staff there and on the board of directors for Sharp Memorial Hospital as well.

Roy was a charter member of the Point Loma Community Adventist Church.

His hobbies included sailing, camping and bike riding, motorcycles and horses. He was active with the Boy Scouts and church youth groups.

He is survived by his wife; daughters, Cynthia Cramer of San Diego, Calif., and Cheryl Evard of Scottsbluff, Neb.; a son, Steven of Camarillo, Calif.; a brother, Donald of Santa Monica, Calif., and two grandchildren.

CLARE ELDON LUKE (BA '37) died on Dec. 13, 2005, in Burleson, Tex. He was born Jan. 17, 1915, in Bloomingdale, Mich.

As a youth, Clare attended the Village SDA School and graduated from Berrien Springs High School in Berrien Springs, Mich. At EMC, he majored in chemistry and business and minored in math. While in college, Clare served as a teaching assistant in the chemistry lab. Following graduation, he was hired by the college to be in charge of the chemical laboratories, teach lab

classes and grade papers. Later, he did graduate work at the University of Michigan.

In 1942, Clare married Virginia ('gini) Mallernee in Battle Creek, Mich., and they resided in Berrien Springs. The Lukes had two children.

Clare was a long-time resident of Berrien Springs, having called the village home for 67 years. He was employed by National-Standard Company, a wire specialties company, in Niles, Mich. During his tenure at National-Standard, Clare worked as a control chemist, chief chemist, manager of research and development laboratories, manager of environmental control and quality assurance in the 27 plants around the world that the company owned.

Clare was also active in both civic and church affairs. He was a member of the Niles Rotary Club, the Berrien Springs City Council, and active in bowling and golf leagues. Clare served as a deacon, elder, head elder, school board chairman, building chairman for the Village Adventist Church School, and chairman of the building committee for the Berrien Springs Village Adventist Church. Later, Clare became the first charter member of the All Nations Adventist Church in Berrien Springs.

The Lukes retired to California in 1980. In January 2005, they moved to Texas to be near their daughter.

Clare is survived by his wife; his daughter, Carole, of Burleson, Tex.; his son, Jim, of Phoenix, Ariz., and two grandchildren.

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