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## Robert J. Grissum, 45

Robert Jeff Grissum, 45, died Friday, August 20, 2004, in Frederick Town, Mo. Memorial services will be on Tuesday, August 24, 2004 at 10 a.m., at Davis Funeral Chapel. The Rev. Lewis Odneal will officiate services. Burial will be in Walnut Grove Cemetery. Pallbearers will be Bruce Smith, Tim Boggs, Edward Carey, Bob Deeryberry, Bill Lewis and Dennis Devlin. Visitation will be Monday evening from 6 to 8 p.m., at the funeral home. Friends may call from noon until the time of the visitation.

Mr. Grissum was born June 15, 1959, in Boonville, to Robert and Bernice Gramlich Grissum. He lived in Boonville his entire life, where he was co-owner of Grissum Sash and Door with his father. He attended SS. Peter and Paul School and graduated from Boonville High School in 1977. Mr. Grissum married Lori Roberts on October 10, 1980. He worked at the Mid Missouri Residential Life Department for many years as well as working with his father in their business. He was a member of SS. Peter and Paul Catholic Church. He enjoyed fishing and was associated with the Mid-Missouri Anglers Association.

He is survived by his daughter, Jamie Grissum; his son, Robert Grissum; his parents; and one sister, Mary Ann Conrow. All of his survivors are of Boonville.

Mr. Grissum was preceded in death by his wife and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Grissum and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gramlich.

Memorial contributions are suggested to the Jamie and Michael Grissum trust fund.

## Helen P. Lang, 83

Helen P. Lang, 83, of New Franklin, Mo., died Friday, August 20, 2004, in Boonville, Mo. Funeral services were Sunday, August 22, 2004, at 3 p.m. at the Markland-Gardner Funeral Home in New Franklin. The Rev. Arthur Barkey officiated services. Visitation was from 1 to 3 p.m., on Sunday. Burial was in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery in New Franklin. Casketbearers were Ralph Wilmsmeyer, Dick Royston, Jason Lang, Kevin Lang, Kurt Lang, and Matt Young.

Mrs. Lang was born December 31, 1920, in Boonville, Mo., to Locke and Hilda Halstenberg Amick. On August 3, 1941, she married Donald Lang in New Franklin. She was a homemaker and a member of the United Methodist Church in New Franklin. She was also a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the United Transportation Union.

She is survived by two sons, Kenny and Cary, both of New Franklin; two sisters, Hilda Mae Koelling of Independence, Mo., and Bonnie Smith of Warsaw, Mo.; five grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband and one grandson.

Memorial contributions are suggested to the United Methodist Church in New Franklin or Mt. Pleasant Cemetery.