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From the Blotter

Ronald Nunn, 57, of Rossville, was arrested Monday on a request from Rossville Police for an incident at 8:12 p.m. in the 200 block of North Chicago St.

Nunn was processed at the police station, charged with violation of an order of protection and taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

A **52-year-old** Hoopeston woman reported at 4:37 p.m. August 30 that her vehicle had been stolen. At 11:31 a.m. Tuesday, Angel Bane, 44, of Hoopeston, was arrested in the incident.

Bane was also arrested in connection with a theft reported by a 77-year-old man at 7:42 a.m. Monday.

She was arrested on preliminary charges of theft of mo-

tor vehicle, theft over \$500 and on an outstanding Vermilion County warrant.

Bane was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville to await arraignment.

James Johnson, 43, of North Carolina, was ticketed after a traffic stop at 7:18 p.m. Wednesday at South Second Ave. and West Orange. Charged with operating when registration suspended for non-insurance, he was released on a notice to appear in Vermilion County Traffic Court.

Briefly

Senior citizen dinner/dance

Hoopeston Multi Agency Senior Citizen Dinner/Dance will be held October 5 at the agency, 206 S. First Ave. Dinner will be served at 5:15 and a DJ at 6 p.m. Doors will open at 4:45 p.m.

RSVP to (217) 283-5544.

Grief Share

A free GriefShare series will start at 6 p.m. Wednesday, October 2, at Milford Christian Church, 511 E. Hickory. Sessions will last approximately two hours. Preregistration for the series is preferred so adequate materials can be on hand. To preregister, call the church at 815/889-4474. If there is no answer, please leave a message and you will receive a response.

CRIS to hold Power of Attorney Day

CRIS Healthy Aging will host a Land of Lincoln Legal Aid (LLA) free Power of Attorney Day at CRIS, 309 N. Franklin St., Danville, on November 15. People 60 or older can work with LLLA to obtain healthcare and/or property power of attorney documents. All services are provided free of charge.

Make a reservation by calling (217) 356-1351 ext. 5129 to request a paper registration form or sign up online at forms.office.com/r/w0pnQ4Bwn1. Registration ends November 1, 2024.

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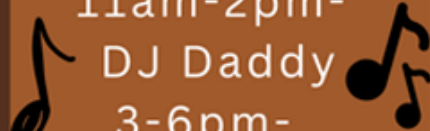
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Obituaries

COTTINGHAM - Joyce Jean Cottingham, 77, of Danville, formerly of Hoopeston, passed away at 3:01 p.m. Sunday, September 22, 2024, at her daughter's home. She was born February 8, 1947, the daughter of Addison and Nora Nell (Beckner) Cropper. She married John Cottingham on September 2, 1967, at First Christian Church Disciples of Christ in Hoopeston. He preceded her in death.



JOYCE COTTINGHAM

Joyce is survived by one daughter, Ginger (Eric) Westfall of Danville; one son, Tim (Heather) Cottingham of Oakwood; one brother, Donald (Marsha Sue) Cropper of Armstrong; one sister-in-law, Scarlet Cropper of Attica, IN; one brother-in-law, Steve (Nancy) Cottingham of Noblesville, IN; one granddaughter, Cierra (Matt) Herron of Rossville; one grandson, Cameron (Jacklyn) Cottingham of Bismarck; five great grandchildren, Eli, Gray, and Knox Herron, and Beckett and Briar Cottingham, and a baby boy Cottingham on the way; four nieces, Melissa Edmondson, Molly Smalley, Katie Cropper, and Heather Lee Cottingham; one nephew, Scott Cropper; and many great nieces and nephews.

Along with her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents; one sister, Vickie; and one brother, Bobby.

Joyce worked as a hairdresser at Carolyn's Beauty Shop in Hoopeston for more than 20 years, until her retirement. She later worked as an elementary school paraprofessional. She was a member of Rossville Church of Christ, where she loved going to her weekly Bible study and volunteering in any way she could. Joyce looked forward to Thursdays when she got to play cards with her friends, most of whom were from high school. Joyce was a very giving person and would be the first to help someone out.

Per her wishes, cremation rites will be accorded. A visitation will be held 2 - 4 p.m., Sunday, September 29, 2024, at Rossville Church of Christ, 514 E. Attica St. The memorial service will follow, beginning at 4 p.m., with Pastor Kevin Purdy officiating.

The family would like to give a special thanks to Marj, a Carle Hospice nurse, for her wonderful care over the last two years.

Memorials may be made in Joyce's name to the Rossville Church of Christ, 514 E. Attica St., Rossville, IL 60963, CrossRoads Christian Church, 3613 N. Vermilion St. Danville, IL 61832, or to the donor's choice.

Please visit www.anderson-funeral-home.com to view Joyce's eternal tribute page and to send condolences to the family.

FLIESSER - Elaine R. Fliesser, 82, of Hoopeston, died at 6:35 a.m. Tuesday, September 24, 2024, at Carle Foundation Hospital, Urbana. Visitation will be 10 a.m. until noon Friday at Anderson Funeral Home, Hoopeston. Graveside service will follow at Spring Hill Cemetery, Danville. Memorials are suggested to Hoopeston Public Library, 110 N. Fourth St., Hoopeston IL 60942. Condolences may be shared at anderson-funeral-home.com.

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