

Fred D. Purdy, (9 Feb 1928 – 18 Aug 2009), Perry County Times, Thursday, August 27, 2009

Fred D. Purdy, 81, died Tuesday, Aug. 18, 2009 in Santiago, Chile.

He was born Feb. 9, 1928 in Pittsburgh, the first child of the late **Mary Dunbar** and **Carroll F. Purdy**.

He served 26 years in the Foreign Service at posts in Mexico, Jamaica, the Azores, Brazil, Chile, Philippines and Spain; and was a 1945 graduate of New Bloomfield High School and a 1950 graduate of the University of Pittsburgh.

Surviving are his wife, **Gigi**; his daughter, **Caterina Garcia**; a grandson, **Leon**; and a sister, **Mollie Cook**.

He was preceded in death by a brother, **Dan Purdy**, who died in 2007.

Services were held Aug. 19 in Santiago.

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