

U.S. DEATHS NEAR 100,000, AN INCALCULABLE LOSS

They Were Not Simply Names on a List. They Were Us.

Numbers alone cannot possibly measure the impact of the coronavirus on America, whether it is the number of patients treated, jobs interrupted or lives cut short. As the country nears a grim milestone of 100,000 deaths attributed to the virus, The New York Times scoured obituaries and death notices of the victims. The 1,000 people here reflect just 1 percent of the toll. None were mere numbers.

Patricia Dowd, 57, San Jose, Calif., auditor in Silicon Valley • **Marion Krueger**, 85, Kirkland, Wash., great-grandmother with an easy laugh • **Jermaine Ferro**, 77, Lee County, Fla., wife with little time to enjoy a new marriage • **Cornelius Lawyer**, 84, Bellevue, Wash., sharecropper's son • **Loretta Mendoza Dionisio**, 68, Los Angeles, cancer survivor born in the Philippines • **Patricia Frieson**, 61, Chicago, former nurse • **Luis Juarez**, 54, Romeoville, Ill., traveled often in the United States and Mexico • **Merle C. Dry**, 55, Tulsa, Okla., ordained minister • **Alan Lund**, 81, Washington, conductor with "the most amazing ear" • **Black N Mild**, 44, New Orleans, bounce D.J. and radio personality • **Michael Mika**, 73, Chicago, Vietnam veteran • **John Cofrancesco**, 52, New Jersey, administrator at a nursing facility • **Donald Raymond Haws**, 88, Jacksonville, Fla., administered Holy Eucharist to hospital patients • **Fred Walter Gray**, 75, Benton County, Wash., liked his bacon and hash browns crispy • **JoAnn Baker Smith**, 87, Charleston, S.C.,

real jokester • **Michael Sorkin**, 71, New York City, champion of social justice through architecture • **George Valentine**, 66, Washington, D.C., lawyer who mentored others • **James Quigley**, 77, Chicago, rebel of the family • **Sherman Pittman**, 61, Chicago, dedicated his life to his church and his neighborhood • **Susan McPherson Gottsegen**, 74, Palm Beach, Fla., loyal and generous friend to many • **Andreas Koutsoudakis**, 59, New York City, trailblazer for TriBeCa • **Bob Barnum**, 64, St. Petersburg, Fla., leader in Florida Pride events • **Noel Sinkiat**, 64, Olney, Md., nurse planning for retirement • **Thomas E. Anglin**, 85, Cumming, Ga., created many wonderful memories for his family • **Robert Manley Argo Jr.**, 75, South Bay, Calif., member of Del Amo Flyers • **Michael McKinnell**, 84, Beverly, Mass., architect of Boston's monumental City Hall • **Huguette Dorsey**, 94, Somerville, N.J., coached several championship-winning junior high girls basketball teams • **Lynne Sierra**, 68, Roselle, Ill., grandmother who was always full of ideas • **Louvenia Henderson**, 44, Tonawanda, N.Y., proud single mother of three • **Carol Sue Rubin**, 69, West Bloomfield, Mich., loved travel, mahjong and crossword puzzles • **Marion Lucille Kujda**, 92, Royal Oak, Mich., would use chalk and oil paints to capture family portraits • **Alice Chavdarian**, 92, Michigan, loving, generous and adventurous spirit • **Bassey Offiong**, 25, Michigan, saw friends at their worst but brought out their best • **Bobby Joseph Hebert**, 81, Cut Off, La., a 33-year career with the Louisiana Department of Transportation • **Minette Goff Cooper**, 79, Louisiana, loved big and told people she loved them all the time • **Jéssica Beatriz Cortez**, 32, Los Angeles, immigrated to the United States three years ago • **Marie Caronia**, 84, Inwood, N.Y., iconic figure in the Inwood community • **Anel Dunn**, 33, Baton Rouge,

jazz trumpet virtuoso • **Cristina**, 64, New York City, downtown New York singer with a cult following • **Robert H. Westphal**, 75, Fond du Lac, Wis., statesman in the construction industry • **Clair Dunlap**, 89, Washington, pilot still teaching people to fly at 88 • **Marylou Armer**, 43, Sonoma Valley, Calif., veteran police detective • **Regina D. Cullen**, 81, Shrewsbury, Mass., small in stature but strong in spirit • **Sandra Santos-Vizcaino**, 54, New York City, beloved public school teacher • **Frank Gabrin**, 60, New York City, emergency room doctor who died in husband's arms • **Sterling E. Matthews**, 60, Midlothian, Va., cancer survivor who served as a deacon • **Alby Kass**, 89, California, lead singer of a Yiddish folk group • **Roger Eckart**, 78, Indiana, retired firefighter and old-school barber • **Martin Douglas**, 71, New York City, maestro of a steel-pan band • **Daniel Specter**, 68, Memphis, mentor to other Memphis artists • **Mary Minervini**, 91, Oak Lawn, Ill., sign-language interpreter • **Salomon S. Podgursky**, 84, Morristown, N.J., loved to figure out how things worked • **Dale E. Thurman**, 65, Lexington, Ky., tailor known for his exacting work and strong opinions • **Ellis Marsalis**, 85, New Orleans, jazz pianist and patriarch of a family of musicians • **Richard Passman**, 94, Silver Spring, Md., rocket engineer in the early days of supersonic flight • **David Driskell**, 88, Hyattsville, Md., champion of African-American art • **Bucky Pizzarelli**, 94, Saddle River, N.J., master of jazz guitar • **Tarlach MacNiallais**, 57, New York City, Belfast-born fighter for L.B.G.T. and disability rights • **Antonio Checo**, 67, New York City, social worker • **Albert Petrocilli**, 73, New York City, fire chief who answered the call on 9/11 • **Adam Schlesinger**, 52, Poughkeepsie, N.Y., songwriter for rock, film and the stage • **Frederick Brown Starr**, 87, Greensboro, N.C., liked the mental

Bailargeon, 72, Dennisport, Mass., true outdoorsman • **Viraf Darukhanawala**, 77, Hoffman Estates, Ill., worker at O'Hare International Airport • **Chester Dwulet**, 68, Burlington, Mass., proud Union Ironworker of Local 7 for 45 years • **John Timothy Barr**, 76, Rochester Hills, Mich., trustee for the Retired Detroit Police and Firefighters Association • **Julie Butler**, 62, New York City, veterinarian who served Harlem • **Lila A. Fenwick**, 87, New York City, first black woman to graduate from Harvard Law School • **Vincent Lioni**, 60, New York City, Met Opera violist and youth orchestra conductor • **Ann Youngerman Smoler**, 87, New York City, had a passion for social justice • **Thomas Waters**, 56, New York City, armed the affordable housing movement with data and analysis • **Luke Workoff**, 33, Huntington, N.Y., his relentless passion was for his family and friends • **José Díaz-Ayala**, 38, Palm Beach, Fla., served with the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office for 14 years • **Antonio Nieves**, 73, Chicago, always seemed to be busy with some home project • **Jeanne Hammond Byrnes**, 97, Danbury, Conn., received numerous awards for her accounting skills • **Alice Coopersmith Furst**, 87, Kentfield, Calif., in the first class of girls admitted to the Bronx High School of Science • **Bobby Lee Barber**, 84, Buckley, Wash., Seahawks season-ticket holder • **Thomas A. Adamavich**, 78, Sheboygan, Wis., especially proud of his Lithuanian heritage • **Kyra Swartz**, 33, New York, volunteered for pet rescue organizations • **Rhoda Hatch**, 73, Chicago, first in her family to graduate college • **Regina Dix-Parsons**, 75, Schenectady, N.Y., stalwart church gospel singer • **Lakisha Willis White**, 45, Orlando, Fla., was helping to raise some of her dozen grandchildren • **Barbara Yazbeck Vethacke**, 74, St. Clair Shores, Mich., she was known to many as Babe •

spirit • **Jack Butler**, 78, Indiana, lived in the house he grew up in • **Susan Grey Hopp Crofoot**, 97, Westwood, N.J., took great joy in writing little ditties under her pen name, Penelope Penwiper • **James David Gewirtzman**, 72, New City, N.Y., spent some of his happiest hours hiking in the Adirondacks • **Henry F. Graff**, 98, Greenwich, Conn., Columbia University historian of U.S. presidents • **Mari Jo Davitto**, 82, Thornton, Ill., people were her hobby • **Yaakov Perlow**, 89, New York City, leader of the Novominsker Hasidic dynasty • **Joseph F. Kelly**, 81, New York City, did two tours through the Panama Canal to Antarctica • **John Prine**, 73, Nashville, country-folk singer who was a favorite of Bob Dylan • **Perry Buchalter**, 63, Florida, quiet hero • **Monica Maley**, 74, Rehoboth Beach, Del., loved animals, had dogs and cats, and rode horses • **Thomas Tarbell Russell**, 83, Longmeadow, Mass., mentored by the computer science pioneer Grace Hopper • **Ruth Skapinok**, 85, Roseville, Calif., backyard birds were known to eat from her hand • **Faralyn Havir**, 92, Minnesota, her favorite thing was meeting new people • **Torin Jamal Howard**, 26, Waterbury, Conn., gentle giant, athlete and musician • **James O'Brien Johnson**, 74, Joplin, Mo., pastor of Mt. Sinai Church of God in Christ • **Joseph W. Hammond**, 64, Chicago, stopped working to look after his aging parents • **Morris Loeb**, 90, Northbrook, Ill., endlessly curious, never really finished • **Dante Dennis Flagello**, 62, Rome, Ga., his greatest accomplishment was his relationship with his wife • **Tommie Adams**, 71, Chicago, moved antiques for more than 25 years • **Myra Helen Robinson**, 57, Detroit, more adept than many knew • **Roger McKinney-Wagner**, 73, Lowell, Mass., professor at the Salter School • **Sean Christian Keville**, 47, New Providence, N.J., enjoyed talking craps with family • **John Har-**

II, 69, Fremont, Ohio, known throughout Ohio for his knowledge of local history • **Harley E. Acker**, 79, Troupsburg, N.Y., discovered his true calling when he started driving a school bus • **Arlo Rawls**, 81, Chicago, caretaker of her neighborhood • **Roger Liddell**, 65, Flint, Mich., brought smiles to everyone he interacted with • **Luther Coleman**, 108, Evergreen Park, Ill., man who seemed to know everything • **Denise Camille Bucek**, 72, Bristol, Conn., loved writing birthday and holiday cards, poems and lists • **Charles Constantino**, 86, Menlo Park, N.J., worked 40 years for The New York Times • **Ben Doherty**, 83, Boston, stockbroker who founded Doherty Financial Services • **John Horton Conway**, 82, New Brunswick, N.J., mathematician known as the "magical genius" • **Stanley Chera**, 77, New York City, developer and friend of the president • **Robby Browne**, 72, New York City, Realtor and philanthropist who socialized with celebrities • **Wynn Handman**, 97, New York City, acting teacher and a founder of the American Place Theater • **Adam Kovacs**, 72, New York City, cartoonist and an expert on musicals • **Peter Brown**, 53, New Jersey, manager of the S.W. Brown & Son Funeral Home • **Irene Gasior**, 94, Pennsylvania, great-grandmother with a flair for pizzelles • **Stanley L. Morse**, 88, Stark County, Ohio, trombonist who once turned down an offer to join Duke Ellington's orchestra • **Margaret Laughlin**, 91, Massachusetts, had a mystic's direct sense of wonder and oneness • **Cynthia Whiting**, 66, La Plata, Md., retiree determined to spoil her granddaughter • **Steve Joltin**, 75, Rockville, Md., I.T. manager with "an eye for beautiful and unusual things" • **Gerard Glenn**, 66, Richmond, Va., police officer turned pastor • **Madear Jacoby Jr.**, 93, Washington, D.C., inspiring math teacher • **Doris Mae Burkhardt**, 86, Danvers, N.J., recalled in the

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UPCOMING LECTURE

WILLEM DE ROOIJ

Thursday, 2nd July, 7 pm CEST

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WILLEM DE ROOIJ (born 1969 in Beverwijk, NL) investigates the production, contextualization and interpretation of images through a variety of media. Appropriations and collaborations are fundamental to De Rooij's artistic method and his projects have stimulated new research in art history and ethnography. With Jeroen de Rijke (1970-2006) he represented the Netherlands at the 51st Venice Biennale in 2005. De Rooij is Professor of Fine Art at the Städelschule Frankfurt/Main since 2006, and visiting advisor at the Rijksakademie Amsterdam since 2015. In 2016, he co-founded BPA // Berlin program for artists. Recent solo exhibitions include Bouquet II at LAXart, Los Angeles (2019), Whiteout at Kunstwerke Berlin (2017), Ebb Rains at IMA Brisbane (2017), Entitled at MMK Museum of Modern Art, Frankfurt/Main (2016). Recent group exhibitions include Mindful Circulations at the BDL Museum, Mumbai (2019), Stories of Almost Everyone at the Hammer Museum Los Angeles (2018), the Jakarta Biennale, Jakarta (2017), EVA International – Ireland's Biennial, Limerick (2016).

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