

10TH DAY KRIYA (DAHIMDOH)

With profound grief and sorrow, we inform the sad demise of **Mrs Veena Kaul** W/o Maj Bansi Lal Kaul (Retd) R/o Check Rajwali Vessu Anantnag at present H.No. 72, Lane No.7, Vishwa Bharti Colony, Akalpur Road, Jammu. **10th Day Kriya** will be held on June 09, 2025 (Monday) at Muthi Ghat near Directorate of Education at 8:30 AM.

GRIEF STRICKEN

Maj Bansi Lal Kaul (Retd) - Husband

Sons & Daughter-in-laws

Mr. Inder Kaul & Mrs Rekha Kaul
Mr Ravi Kaul & Mrs Neetu Kaul
Mrs Rachna Kaul Dhar & Mr Pankaj Dhar **Daughter & Son-in-law**
Mr Harshikesh Kaul & Mrs Prana Kaul - **Brother-in-law & Sister-in-law**
Mob: 9419174963, 9419193284, 8860493829



Mrs Veena Kaul

10TH DAY/KRIYA/UTHALA

With profound sorrow and grief, we regret to inform the sad demise of our beloved **Sh Lalman Khajuria** on 29-05-2025 (Thursday).

10th Day will be performed at our residence 432-A, Gandhi Nagar Jammu on Saturday (07-06-2025) at 11.00 AM.

Kriya will be performed on Sunday 08-06-2025 at Our residence 432-A Gandhi Nagar, Jammu

Uthala will be performed on Monday (09-06-2025) at Shree Laxmi Narayan Mandir Gandhi Nagar, Jammu (Front Side) from 03.30 PM to 4.30 PM

GRIEF STRICKEN

Smt Champa Rani- **Wife**
Son & Daughter in Law
Sh. Rajesh Khajuria (XEN, Retd) & Monika Khajuria
Son & Daughter in law
Sh. Rakesh Khajuria (Dir. Finance) & Rekha Khajuria
Dr B.D Sharma - **Brother in Law**
Col R.K Sharma & Santosh Sharma - **Son in Law & Daughter**
Smt Veena Sharma W/o Late G.D Sharma - **Daughter**
Son in law & Daughter
Sh. K.B Magotra (KAS, Dy Commissioner Retd) & Rajni Bala
Grand Children: Sh. Ravi Kant Gupta, IRS & Meghna Sharma, Advocate
Sh. Sameer Sharma IPS
Ankit & Shradhima, Akshit, Siddharth, Vedarth, Ubika, Livia , Mahira, Master Srihaan
Mobile: 9419198465, 9419027954



Sh Lalman Khajuria

13TH DAY/RASAM PAGRI

With profound grief and deep sorrow, we inform the sad and untimely demise of our beloved **Smt Krishna Kumari** W/o Late Sh. Anrez Singh Bandral.

13th DAY/ Kriya/Rasam pagri will be held on 09-06-2025 (Monday) at 03:00 pm @ our residence H. NO. 492, Sector-F, Sainik colony Jammu.

GRIEF STRICKEN:

SON & DAUGHTER IN LAW

SH. RAGHBIR SINGH BANDRAL & SMT. VEENA DEVI
SH. DALIP SINGH BANDRAL & SMT. SUNITA BANDRAL
SH. PAWAN SINGH BANDRAL & SMT. RENU BANDRAL

DAUGHTER & SON IN LAW

SMT. ASHA RANI & SH. KARAN SINGH MANHAS
GRAND SON & GRAND DAUGHTER IN LAW
MR.VIKAS BANDRAL & MRS. AARUSA BANDRAL
MR. VIVEK BANDRAL & MRS. DEEKSHA BANDRAL
MR. MITTUL BANDRAL
MR. SHUBAM BANDRAL

GREAT GRAND CHILDRENS: ADIRA, AKIRA & SURYAVER.

Contact No: 8492961593, 9419238080, 9419317740



Smt Krishna Kumari

10TH DAY KRIYA

With profound grief and sorrow, we inform the sad demise of our beloved and affectionate **Sh. Rajendar Kumar Bhat** on Thursday, 29th May, at a hospital in Gurgaon.

10th Day Kriya will be performed on Saturday, 7 June 2025, at 9am at Muthi Ghat (Near Education Department), Jammu.

DEEPLY MOURNED BY:

Usha Bhat (Wife)
Neha & Eishan Bhat (Daughter and Son-in-law)
Shailaish Bhat (Son)
Kundan Koul & Late Phoola Koul (Brother and Sister-in-law)
Veena Kothe & Tej Kumar Kothe (Sister and Brother-in-law)
Nimmi Bhat & Late Vinod Kumar Bhat (Sister-in-law and Brother)
Chowdhary Family (In-laws)
Residential address:
61-A, Small Plots, Gandhi Nagar Ext. Jammu
Contact: 9916130222 / 9149418297 / 9742944686



Sh. Rajendar Kumar Bhat

TENTH DAY

With profound grief and sorrow, we regret to inform you the sudden demise of **Smt. Jagat Rani Mattoo** W/o Late Sh. Jagar Nath Mattoo R/o Malik Bagh Zaindhar Mohalla Srinagar, at present H.No. 23, Lane No. 3, Baba Sidh Gouria Lane, Paloura Jammu who left for heavenly abode on 30-05-2025.

TENTH DAY KRIYA will be observed on 8th June 2025 at Muthi Ghat. The assembly will be held at 9:00 am at Muthi Ghat.

GRIEF STRICKEN

Ramesh Mattoo - Son
Rita Mattoo - Daughter-in-law
Daughters and Son-in-Laws
Santosh Mukku & Yogender Mukku Nirmal Saraf & Surinder Saraf
Sunita Mattoo & Late Surinder Mattoo
Rachna & Nagender - **Grand Daughter & Son-in-law**
Suneesh & Sunayna - **Grand son & Daughter-in-law**
Sarthee & Karan - **Grand Daughter & Son-in-law**
Akraati - **Grand Daughter**
Eashan - **Grand Son**
Dhar & Mattoo Family
Mobile No. - 7889647225, 9419147174



Smt. Jagat Rani Mattoo

KRIYA / UTHALA

With profound grief, we inform you of the sad demise of our beloved **Smt. Neena Gupta** W/o Tilak Raj Gupta R/o 249/3, Sec-B, Sainik Colony, Jammu.

Kriya will be performed on 7/6/2025, Saturday at 12.00 Noon at Home.

Uthala will be performed on 7/6/2025, Saturday at 5.00 to 6.00 pm at Panch Mandir, Channi Himmat.

GRIEF STRICKEN

Tilak Raj Gupta - **Husband**
Rahul Gupta & Sonia Mahajan - **Son & Daughter-in-law**
Rupali Gupta & Sandeep Pargal - **Daughter & Son-in-law**
Rashi Gupta & Dr Gaurav Mahajan - **Daughter & Son-in-law**
Grand Children : Bhavya, Stavva, Reyansh, Rivaan, Paavani & Shrija.
Ph.: 9419146880, 9419124368, 9796015249, 9479648234
Swastik Traders, Sec-C, Sainik Colony



Smt. Neena Gupta

KRIYA/UTHALA

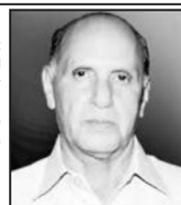
With profound grief and sorrow, we regret to inform the sad demise of our beloved **Sh. Jagdish Raj Sharma (SudhMahadev Wale)** on 28th May, 2025.

Kriya will be performed at their residence 61/1 Trikuta Nagar, Jammu at 12 Noon on Saturday, 7th June, 2025

Uthala will be performed at Shiv Mandir, Sector 3, Trikuta Nagar from 5PM to 6PM on Saturday, 7th June, 2025

GRIEF STRICKEN:

Smt. Chanchal Devi- **Wife**
Sons and Daughter-in-law:
Mr. Sandeep Sharma and Mrs. Amita Sharma
Daughter and Son-in-law
Mrs. Rajni Sharma and Mr. Rajinder Sharma
Grand Daughter and Son-in-law:
Mrs. Niketa Sharma and Mr. Sidharth Sethi Dikshant & Atulya - **Grand Children**
Hitarth - **Great Grand Children**
Ph- 9419103808, 7006253048



Sh. Jagdish Raj Sharma

KRIYA

With profound grief & sorrow, we inform the sad demise of **Miss Shakuntla Devi** D/o Late Sh. Thakur Dass Chib R/o Lower Chowadhi, Lane No. 22, Greater Kailash, Jammu.

Kriya will be performed on 09/06/2025 (Monday) at residence 10:00 AM.

GRIEF STRICKEN

Brothers & Sisters-in-law
Mrs. Shakuntla Devi & Late Sh. Dalbir Singh
Mrs. Vijay Kumari & Sh. Balbir Singh
Late Mrs Sudesh Kumari & Sh. Joginder Singh
Nephews & Niece-in-law
Mrs. Geeta Chib & Sh. Surjeet Singh
Mrs. Jyoti Devi & Sh. Jagjeet Singh
Mrs. Anju Bala & Sh. Ranjeet Singh
Mrs. Rekha Manhas & Sh. Manjit Chib
Mrs. Shefall Jammal & Sh. Ravi Chib
Contact Nos.: 9419186559, 94193-84428



Miss Shakuntla Devi (Retired SO SED) (1-3-1955 to 29-05-2025)

TENTH DAY

With profound grief and sorrow, we inform the sad demise of our beloved **Shri Makhan Lal Raina** S/o Late Shri. Dina Nath Raina resident of Zainapora, Shopian on 31th May, 2025 (Saturday) at his residence.

Tenth Day will be performed on 9th June, 2025 (Monday) At Zainapora, Shopian.

GRIEF STRICKEN:

Samast Raina Pariwar Mob. No. 88250-95867
Samast Bhat Pariwar Mob. No. 60057-07938
Samast Koul Pariwar Mob. No. 7062-91189



Shri Makhan Lal Raina

TENTH DAY KRIYA

With profound grief and sorrow we inform the sad demise of our beloved brother **Sh. Jawahar Lal Ganjoo**, S/o Late Damodhar Nath Ganjoo, originally from Hugar, Srigulwara, Anantnag, A/P Jagti Colony Lane No. 18, Block 94 on 30.05.2025.

Tenth Day Kriya will be performed on 8th June 2025 at Muthi Gath, Near Directorate of Education at 8:00 AM.

GRIEF STRICKEN:

Smt. Bita Ganjoo (Wife)
Smt. Sheetal Ganjoo & Sh. Achal Ji Bhatia (Daughter & Son-in-Law)
Mr. Nitin Ganjoo (Son)
Sh. Makhan Lal Ganjoo (Brother)
Smt. Phoola Ganjoo & Sh. Moti Lal Ganjoo (Bhabi & Brother)
Sh. Mohan Lal Ganjoo (Brother)
Grandchildren: Ashel Bhatia
Samasth Ganjoo Pariwar.
Mob: 8082359851, 8899045453, 8717001997



Sh. Jawahar Lal Ganjoo

TENTH DAY

With profound grief, we inform you the sad demise of our beloved mother **Smt. Krishna Devi** W/o Late Sh. Qabla Singh Bandral at Village Sounthal.

Tenth Day will be performed on 08-06-2025 Sunday at 11am and 13th day will be performed on 11-06-2025 Wednesday.

GRIEF STRICKEN

Daughters-in-law & Sons
Smt. Usha & Sh. Govind Singh (Ex.Asstt.Comdt.BSF)
Smt. Reva & Sh. Charandeve Singh (Retd.Master)
Daughters & Sons-in-law
Smt. Santosh & Sh. Swaran Singh
Smt. Vaishno & Late Sh. Pritam Singh
Smt. Shoba & Sh. Parhad Singh
Granddaughter-in-law & Grandsons
Dr. Divya & Sh. Gulchain Singh (Senior Er.)
Granddaughters & Grandsons-in-Law
Smt. Poonam & Sh. Raipal Singh
Smt. Parul & Sh. Bhawani Singh
Mr.Harsh Dev Singh - **Grandson**
Yashvir Singh - **Great Grandchildren**



Smt. Krishna Devi

UTHALA

It's hard to forget someone who gave us so much to remember.

With profound grief and sorrow we regret to inform the sad and untimely demise of **Dr. Ashok Kumar Bhola** S/o. Late Sh. Krishan Lal Bhola R/o H.No.215, Sector 7, Near Shah Eye Clinic, Channi Himmat. We pray to God to make his soul rest in peace.

Uthala will be performed at Panch Mandir, Channi Himmat, Jammu on Monday, 9th June 2025 at 5:00 PM to 6:00 PM.

GRIEF STRICKEN:-

Ranjana Bhola (Wife)
Vinay & Rajni Bhola (Brother & Sister in law)
Ashish & Shelly Bhola (Son & Daughter in law)
Manisha & Sahil Gogna (Daughter & Son in law)
Grand Children: Arynna, Aayra, Arshiv
Ph.No. 9873620044, 9811692244, 8800466436



Dr. Ashok Kumar Bhola

10TH DAY/KRIYA

With profound grief and sorrow, we regret to inform the sad demise of **Smt. Rita Rani Kotwal** on 30th May, 2025 W/o Sh. K.K. Kotwal.

10th Day will be performed on Sunday, 8th June, 2025 from 10 AM to 1.00 PM at our residence, 1161, Kotwal Niwas, Ward No. 20, Sangoor, Railway Road, Udhampur.

13th Day will be performed at Holy Devika Ghat, Udhampur on 11th June, 2025 Wednesday from 10.00 AM to 2.00 PM.

GRIEF STRICKEN

Sh. K.K. Kotwal - **Husband**
Son & Daughter-in-law
Sh. Sanjeev & Smt. Anju Kotwal
Daughters & Sons-in-law
Smt. Seema & Dr. G.S. Rakwal
Smt. Rajni & Sh. Nehal Singh Manhas
Smt. Shivani & Sh. Ashish Thakur
Kumari Monika Kotwal & Smt. Meenakshi Kotwal - **Daughters**
Aditya Kotwal - **Grand Son**
Phone No: 9419181799, 9419162208, 9906019504, 9797398014



Smt. Rita Rani Kotwal

10TH DAY KRIYA

With tears in our eyes & prayers on our lips, we inform that our Mother **Smt. Janak Rani Gagroo**, W/o Lt. Janki Nath Gagroo, Originally from Aga Hamam, Habbakadal, Srinagar, presently residing at Plot No 4, Block-F, Swarn Vihar, Jammu (Near Apollo Multispecialty Diagnostic Centre), attained Nirvana at Indrapuram, Ghaziabad on 31st May 2025 at 5:18 pm.

Mourning will be held at Flat No 509/3, Express Garden, Vaibhav Khand, Indrapuram, Ghaziabad.

10th Day Kriya will be performed at Muradnagar Nagar Ghat, Ghaziabad on 9th June 2025 at 8.30 AM.

GRIEF STRICKEN:

Rajash Gagroo (Son) 9622220261
Nancy & TK Peer (Daughter & Son-in-law) 9899252675
Pinki & Rajesh Mujoo (Daughter & Son-in-law) 9810780499



Smt. Janak Rani Gagroo

KRIYA

With profound grief & sorrow, we regret to inform you about the sad demise of our beloved **Smt Neelam Kumari (Retd Section Officer, Legislative Assembly)** W/o Sh Kuldeep Singh, R/o Village Ratnal, Teh. Bishnah, at present H No. 16-A, Sector 3, Upper Roop Nagar Jammu on 28/05/2025.

KRIYA will be performed on 09/06/2025 (MONDAY) at our residence 16-A, Sector 3, Upper Roop Nagar Jammu at 12:00 Noon.

GRIEF STRICKEN

Husband
Sh Kuldeep Singh (Retd Deputy Secretary, Legislative Assembly)
Brother-in-law & Sister
Sh Rattan Singh Manhas & Smt Rani Devi
Brother & Bhabi
Sh Raghbir Singh & Smt Kailasho Devi
Bhabi & Brother
Smt Seema Devi W/o Late Sh Jagdish Singh
Sh Keval Singh & Smt Lalita Devi- **Brother & Bhabi**
Dr Karnail Singh & Smt Nisha Devi- **Brother & Bhabi**
Onkar Singh & Shaffali Jamwal - **Son & Daughter-in-law**
Skunder Singh & Ruhi Jamwal- **Son & Daughter-in-law**
Ridhi Bagal- **Grand Daughter**
Krishiv Singh Bagal-**Grand Son**



Smt Neelam Kumari (Retd Section Officer, Legislative Assembly)

Col Mahan seeks urgent sanction for Kathua-Doda National Highway Project

STATE TIMES NEWS

KATHUA: Chairman of District Development Council, Kathua, Col (Retd) Mahan Singh made a fervent appeal to the Union Government for immediate approval and formal sanction of the long-pending Kathua-Doda National Highway project. Terming the project as a transformative initiative for the entire region, Col Mahan Singh said that despite its announcement by Union Minister Nitin Gadkari around four years ago and the initiation of a DPR tender process, the project is still awaiting

final clearance from the Centre.

The DDC Chairman emphasized that this 250-km-long strategic corridor-connecting Kathua, Basohli, Bani, Bhaderwah, and Doda-holds immense significance for over ten Assembly constituencies. "This highway will be a lifeline for the hilly and remote areas of Kathua and Doda districts. It will not only shorten the distance between Lakhampur and Doda by 92 km but will also offer an alternative, fair-weather connectivity to Kashmir," he said.

Highlighting the potential

of the proposed 7-km Chattergala tunnel, Col Mahan said it would ensure all-weather road access between Basohli and Bhaderwah, which currently remains cut off for nearly 4-5 months during winters. "The tunnel will unlock tourism potential in places like Basohli, Bani, Bhaderwah, Sarthal, and Kishtwar, and offer direct connectivity from Punjab to Kashmir bypassing the congested Jammu-Srinagar route," he added.

Col Mahan also underscored the project's relevance from a national security and economic develop-

ment perspective. "Apart from promoting tourism and trade, the highway will create local employment, reduce travel time, and uplift socio-economic standards. Devotees heading to Shri Amarnath Shrine will also benefit immensely," he noted.

The DDC Chairman urged the central leadership to expedite the formal approval of this vital project, calling it a long-overdue necessity that aligns perfectly with Prime Minister Narendra Modi's vision of inclusive growth and infrastructure development in Jammu & Kashmir.

NMBA: Mini Marathon, Kho-Kho mark twin sporting triumphs in Tangmarg

STATE TIMES NEWS

BARAMULLA: In a vibrant display of youth energy and community commitment against drug abuse, Youth Services and Sports (YSS) Zones Tangmarg and Kunzer today jointly organized two impactful events - a Mini Marathon for sub-division Tangmarg and a Girls Kho-Kho competition at playfield Kunzer, under the banner of the Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyan (NMBA).

Member of Legislative Assembly (MLA), Farooq Ahmad Shah flagged-off the Mini Marathon from Hospital Crossing, Tangmarg, and later presided over the Kho-Kho competition.

The marathon concluded at Higher Secondary School (HSS) Chandilora, with 310 boys participating enthusiastically, carrying forward the message of a drug-free and disciplined lifestyle.

Mini Marathon was attend-

ed by SDM Gulmarg, DYSSO Baramulla, and other officers and officials from various departments. Top performers were felicitated with appreciation certificates by the MLA during the award ceremony, who praised the youth for their proactive participation.

Later in the day, focus shifted to YSS Zone Kunzer, where a Girls Kho-Kho competition was held at playfield Kunzer under the same campaign. The event witnessed participation from over 300 girls, with teams demonstrating skill, agility, and sportsmanship.

The Kho-Kho event was presided over by MLA Farooq Ahmad Shah. In a special gesture, local cricket national-level player Mir Khushboo from Mamoosa Kunzer and other national level athletes from the previous year were felicitated with appreciation certificates, celebrating their achievements

and encouraging their peers. Speaking on both occasions, MLA stated, "We are witnessing the power of youth and sports as a weapon against drug addiction. Events like these bring purpose, discipline, and hope to our younger generation. I deeply appreciate the efforts of the Youth Services and Sports for mobilizing such positive energies across Baramulla district under the Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyan."

These back-to-back events highlight the unwavering commitment of the Youth Services and Sports, Baramulla, in fostering awareness, fitness, and community resilience through inclusive sporting events.

The Nasha Mukh Bharat Abhiyan continues across all zones of Baramulla, aiming to eliminate the menace of drug abuse by empowering youth through education and sports.

Modi to attend G7 Summit in Canada; thanks Carney for invite

STATE TIMES NEWS

NEW DELHI: Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Friday said he will be attending the G7 Summit later this month in Canada and that he looked forward to meeting his newly elected Canadian counterpart Mark Carney.

PM Modi thanked Carney for an invite to the Summit, scheduled between June 15-17 in Kananaskis, in a telephone call he received from the Canadian prime minister. Modi said on X, "Glad to receive a call from Prime Minister Mark Carney of Canada. Congratulated him on his recent election victory and thanked him for the invitation to the G7 Summit in Kananaskis later this month."

"As vibrant democracies bound by deep people-to-people ties, India and Canada will work together with renewed vigour, guided by mutual respect and shared interests. Look forward to our meeting at the Summit."

India's ties with Canada turned frosty under the government of Carney's predecessor Justin Trudeau over a host of issues, including the activities of Khalistani separatists in the country. Trudeau had alleged the likely Indian involvement in the killing of Hardeep Singh Nijjar, a radical Khalistani activist. The diplomatic ties between the two countries were downgraded as the diplomatic row between them escalated.

G7 is the grouping of seven richest countries, and India has been getting an invitation to attend the prestigious Summit since 2019.

Series of activities organized under Nasha Mukh J&K Abhiyan across Anantnag

STATE TIMES NEWS

ANANTNAG: To strengthen the fight against substance abuse among youth, Youth Services & Sports (YSS) Anantnag, in collaboration with the Education department Anantnag, organized a series of activities today across various educational institutions in Anantnag district under the Nasha Mukh Jammu and Kashmir Abhiyan.

Programme witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, teachers, and community members. Activities included aware-