

Zebulon Vance Eaton

Zebulon Vance Eaton (Sam), who once pinch hit for the Detroit Tigers in a 1945 World Series game, died Sunday Dec. 17, in West Palm Beach, Fla.

He was born Feb. 2, 1920 in Cooleemee and lived with his late aunt and uncle, Cap and Emily Cullet.

He is survived by: his wife, Marjorie L. Eaton of West Palm Beach, Fla. and Kenmone N.Y.; three sons, Donald Z. Eaton of Newtown, Pa., Gordon A. Eaton of Pensacola, Fla., and Dr. John H. Eaton of Atlanta, Ga.; five grandchildren; two sisters, Mary Shore, Mocksville, and Frances Fisher, Salisbury; one brother, Clarence McDaniel; and a close cousin who grew up with him, Ruth Davis of Mocksville.

Funeral services were held Friday, Dec. 22 at Wedekindts Funeral Home, Kenmone, N.Y. Burial was in Elmlawn Cemetery, Kenmone.

Margaret J. Studevent

Mrs. Margaret Jeffreys Studevent of Route 1, Mocksville died Sunday, Dec. 31, in Davie County Hospital after a short illness.

She was born in Forsyth County to the late Phillip and Maude Boyd Jeffreys. She was a member of Piney Grove A.M.E. Zion Church in Iredell County and a member of Rose DEMOLL Chapter No. 531, Order of Eastern Star.

Funeral services were held Friday, Dec. 29, at Piney Grove A.M.E. Zion Church by Elder J.W. James. Burial was in the church cemetery.

She is survived by: three daughters, Mrs. Marcella Lewis and Mrs. Muriel Isaac, both of Mocksville, and Mrs. Margaret Neely of Rural Hill; one son, Willie Richards II of Fort Washington, Md.; 11 grandchildren; 8 great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Evelyn Hanes of Winston-Salem.

Her husband, Willie Richard Studevent, preceded her in death in 1963.

Eupharzine B. Burton

Mrs. Eupharzine Bodford Burton, 66, of Route 2, Box 436, Advance died Friday, Dec. 29, at Davie County Hospital.

She was born on Dec. 27, 1923, in Winston-Salem to Louie and Abbie Zimmerman Bodford.

She was preceded in death by a son, Robin Scott Burton.

Surviving are: her husband, Johnnie W. Burton, of the home; four daughters, Mrs. Mildred Holder of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Shirley Phelps of Lewisville, Mrs. Abbie Stanley and Mrs. Doris Barnes, both of Advance; five sons, Johnny W. Burton Jr., William L. Burton, Rodney B. Burton and James E. Burton, all of Advance and Herbert G. Burton of Clemmons; 20 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; seven sisters and one brother.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 31, at Elbaville United Methodist Church by the Revs. Kermit Shoaf and Tony Jordan. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society or a charity of the donor's choice.

James Odell Clement

James Odell Clement, 69, of Mocksville, died Dec. 30 at the VA Medical Center in Salisbury after a short illness.

He was born in Davie County, June 18, 1920 to the late Alonzo Adams and Cleola Maxwell Clement. He was a veteran of World War II and a retired employee of Fiber Industries.

He is survived by: his wife, Octavia Wilson Clement, of Mocksville; one daughter, Cathy Scott of Mocksville; three sons, James A. Clement and Charles Clement, both of Mocksville, and Duncan Clement of Cooleemee; two stepdaughters, Portia Wilson and Pamela Wilson, both of Mocksville; and 7 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Jan. 2 at 7 p.m. in the Morrison Studevent Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. B.R. Byers. Burial was in National Cemetery in Salisbury on Jan. 3 at 11:30 a.m.

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✓ **Laura Mae A. Potts**

Mrs. Laura Mae Anderson Potts, 81, of Route 5, Mocksville, died Dec. 31 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital in Winston-Salem.



Funeral services were scheduled for Jan. 3 at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel at 3:30 p.m. by Dr. James Reeves and Rev. Kathy Tart. Burial was scheduled for Union Chapel United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Potts was born in Wilkes County, March 14, 1908 to the late James and Minnie Anderson Lewis Anderson and was a retired retail merchant. She was a member of Union Chapel United Methodist Church. Her husband, Jesse Potts, to whom she was wed for 62 years, preceded her in death July, 7, 1987.

Survivors include: three daughters, Mrs. Ruby Overcash of Statesville, Mrs. Dot Westmoreland of Mocksville, Mrs. Pauline Mode of Yadkinville; three sons, Mr. Arthur D. Potts of Yadkinville, Mr. James D. Potts of Lexington, and Mr. Clarence Potts of Mocksville; one sister, Mrs. Loyd (Ora) Privette of Mocksville; one half sister, Mrs. Beulah Owens of Mocksville; one half brother, Mr. Jack Lewis of Mocksville; 29 grandchildren and 33 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a son, Edward J. Potts, who died in 1967.

✓ **William B. Etchison**

Mr. William B. Etchison, 81, of 424 Cadillac St., Winston-Salem, died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital on Thursday, Dec. 28.

He was born on Nov. 11, 1908, in Advance. He was a retired grocery store employee.

Surviving are: his wife, Susie Summers Etchison, of the home; two daughters, Willadean Mayhew of Advance and Katie Shutt of Winston-Salem; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 30, at Vogler's Clemmons Chapel with burial in Advance United Methodist Church Cemetery.

✓ **Manly M. Wilson**

Mr. Manly M. Wilson, 76, of 729 S. Frazier St., Philadelphia, Pa., formerly of Winston-Salem, died Thursday, Dec. 28, 1989, in Philadelphia.

He was the uncle of Diane and Larry Wilson of Winston-Salem and brother-in-law of Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson of Winston-Salem.

His wife, Annie Holman Wilson, the daughter of the late Thomas Holman and formerly of Mocksville, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held at 12 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 31, at Palmetto Church in Mocksville. Burial was in Palmetto cemetery.

✓ **Ruben B. Garner**

Mr. Ruben Bedford Garner, 78, of Rt. 3, Yadkinville died at 5:53 a.m. Friday, Dec. 29, at Hoots Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Yadkin County to James Bedford and Ethel Wooten Garner. He was a farmer.

He was married to Sallie Beamon Garner, who died on Feb. 6, 1972.

Surviving are: five daughters, Mrs. Mary Lou Cass of Union Grove, Mrs. Annie Tulbert, Mrs. Alice Shore and Mrs. Betty Collins, all of Hamptonville and Mrs. Dorothy Hutchens of Yadkinville; four sons, James, Frank and Gerald Garner, all of Yadkinville and Larry Garner of Mocksville; one sister, Mrs. Mary Craver of Yadkinville; a half sister, Mrs. Marie Eagle of Salisbury; one brother, John Garner of California; 18 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday, Dec. 31, at Mackie-Gentry Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Allen Barker. Burial was in Turner's Creek Baptist Church Cemetery.

✓ **William H. Jackson**

Mr. William Henry Jackson, 77, of 34 Knox St., Salisbury, died Wednesday, Dec. 27, at Rowan Memorial Hospital. Death was unexpected.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Dec. 30, at the James C. Lyerly Funeral Chapel in Salisbury by Dr. Ronald Coleman, pastor of North Main Street Baptist Church. Burial followed in the Liberty United Methodist Church cemetery in Davie County.

Mr. Jackson was born Oct. 14, 1912, in Pageland, S.C., to the late John William and Jane Taylor Jackson. He was educated in the Pageland, South Carolina schools, and was retired as a paint contractor.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Betty Fookes of Palm Springs, Calif., and Mrs. Mary Hendricks of Mocksville; a brother, Daniel B. Jackson of Salisbury; seven grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

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Mrs. Emma R. Baity

Mrs. Emma Elizabeth Russell Baity, 98, of Rt. 5, Mocksville, Huntsville Community, died at 12:05 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 2 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was born in Yadkin County to John Thomas and Cora Lee Russell. She was a member of Huntsville Baptist Church. She was married to Isaac Henry Baity Jr., who died on Oct. 22, 1949.

Surviving are: one daughter, Miss Polly Baity of Rt. 5, Mocksville; four sons, Mr. Charlie Lee Baity of Winston-Salem, Mr. Thomas Boone Baity of Yadkinville, Mr. Henry H. and Fred G. Baity, both of Rt. 5, Mocksville; 13 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; and one sister, Mrs. Maude Dinkins of Yadkinville.

Mrs. Baity was preceded in death by an infant daughter; a daughter, Cora Lee Seats; and four sons, Robert G. John D., H. Russell and I.W. Baity.

Funeral services were held Thursday, Jan. 4, at Huntsville Baptist Church by the Revs. David Anderson and J.C. Shore. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mollie Anna P. Brewer

Mrs. Mollie Anna Phelps Brewer, 101, was born on August 7, 1888, to Uriah Alvin and Adelia Faw Phelps.

She was married to Bernie Dennis Brewer on Nov. 13, 1910. He preceded her in death on April 26, 1968. She was a member of Centenary United Methodist Church of Clemmons.

Surviving are: a daughter and son-in-law, Opal and George Wilson; a son and daughter-in-law, Robert and Dorothy Brewer; a devoted niece, Mary Phelps, all of Clemmons; three grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; a brother, John Phelps of Knoxville, Tenn.; and a sister, Miss Ethel Phelps of Clemmons.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday, Jan. 5, at Centenary United Methodist Church by Rev. Tommy Robertson. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Stanley J. Zajackowski

Stanley Joseph Zajackowski, 58, of Route 3, Mocksville died Monday, Jan. 1, 1990, in the emergency room of Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

The body was taken to Bohm Mortuary in Batavia, N.Y., for services. Burial was on Saturday, Jan. 6, in Grandview Cemetery in Genesee County, N.Y.

Born March 30, 1931, in East Bethany, N.Y., Zajackowski was a son of the late Teofil and Agnes Skotnick Zajackowski. An independent trucker, he was a full-time driver for Tar Heel Banana Co. in Advance. A veteran of the Korean Conflict, he was a member of the VFW. He was a Catholic.

Survivors include: three daughters, Melody Allen of Pavilion, N.Y., Kathy Clark and Mary Ann Hofstra, both of Kendall, N.Y.; two sons, Austin White of Bergen, N.Y., and Joseph Zajackowski of Holley, N.Y.; nine grandchildren; two sisters, Helen Dunn of Oakfield, N.Y., and Sophia Palaszynski of Batavia, N.Y.; and two brothers, Matt and Walter Zajackowski, both of Batavia, N.Y.

'Hazel' B. Sipes

Sally Caroleen "Hazel" Barnes Sipes, 45, of 317 Avon St., Mocksville, died unexpectedly on Jan. 4, 1990, at Davie County Hospital.

The funeral was held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 6, in Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Mike Owens. Burial was in Union Chapel United Methodist Church cemetery.

Born May 3, 1944, in Davie County, Mrs. Sipes was a daughter of Charlie E. Barnes of Mocksville and the late Willie Mae Boger Barnes. She was employed with the Davie County Health Department.

Survivors, in addition to her father, include: her husband, Troy Franklin Sipes.

Lucille Gobble Eaton

A graveside service for Lucille Gobble Eaton was held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 6, at Rose Cemetery, conducted by the Rev. Larry Allen, pastor of Cooleemee First Baptist Church.

Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 518, Cooleemee, N.C. 27014, or the Boys Home, Lake Waccamaw, N.C. 28450.

Born May 12, 1903, in Rowan County, Mrs. Eaton was a daughter of the late Adolphus and Maggie Benson Gobble. A homemaker, she was a member of Cooleemee First Baptist Church.

Her husband, Hubert Eaton, died in 1981, and a daughter, Mrs. Bob (Betty Sue) Dwiggin, died in 1984.

Survivors include: a daughter, Mrs. John (Janet) Mauney of Eden; a sister, Margaret Seders of Cooleemee; six grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Eaton, 86, of 598 Wilkesboro St., Mocksville died Thursday, Jan. 4, 1990, at Autumn Care of Mocksville after a period of declining health.

Mrs. Virgie E. Flinchum

Mrs. Virgie East Flinchum, 77, of Rt. 1, Walnut Cove, died Tuesday, Jan. 2, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was born in Stokes County to Micky and Dora Booth East.

Surviving are: her husband, Roscoe Flinchum, of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Herman (Helen) Mabe; and one son, David Flinchum, both of Walnut Cove; four grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; three sisters, Bessie Flinchum of Danbury, Ella Mae Simmons of Walnut Cove and Jackie Koontz of Mocksville; and one brother, Hardin East of Danbury.

Funeral services were held Friday, Jan. 5, at Nelson Funeral Home Chapel by Brother Jim Thompson and Brother Ronnie Craddock. Burial was in the Old Orchard Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery.

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Carl Woodrow Marion

Mr. Carl Woodrow Marion, 77, Route 2, Pinnacle, died Monday, Jan. 8 at his home after an extended illness.

He was born in Surry County to Eddie Elwell and Sarah Nancy Denny Marion. He was a retired carpenter and farmer and was a member of Fairview United Methodist Church.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Ola Mae Bryant Marion, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Bobby (Peggy) Marion, Rural Hall and Miss Jane Marion, Winston-Salem; one son, Mr. Gerald Marion, Route 4, Advance; five grandchildren; three great grandchildren; four brothers, Ralph Marion and Joe Marion of Pinnacle, Glenn Marion of Winston-Salem, and Everett Marion of Rocky Mount.

Funeral services were scheduled for Wednesday, Jan. 10 at Fairview United Methodist Church by the Rev. Mark Putnam and the Rev. Everett Marion. Burial was scheduled for the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Surry County, P.O. Box 1034, Mount Airy, 27030.

Addie May Oehman

Mrs. Addie May Spainhour Oehman, 100, 4321 Transou Rd., Winston-Salem, died Jan. 8 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was the wife of Herman E. Oehman, who preceded her in death.

Oehman was born on Sept. 23, 1889 in Forsyth County, the daughter of Jacob Francis Spainhour and Sarah Augusta Doub Spainhour. Most of her life was spent in the Old Richmond and Pfafftown communities as a homemaker.

She is survived by: four children, Mrs. Mabel O. Tuttle, Clemmons, Mrs. Catherine O. Canter, of the home, H. Bruce Oehman, Freemont, Ca. and Garland E. Oehman, Advance; eight grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 11 at Bethania Moravian Church by the Rev. John Rights and Rev. John Kapp with burial in God's Acre.

In lieu of flowers, memorial gifts may be made to Bethania Moravian Church.

Mrs. Sophie C. Isley

Mrs. Sophie Elizabeth Cope Isley, 90, died Wednesday, Jan. 3, at Blumenthal Jewish Home in Clemmons.

She was born in Davie County on July 17, 1899, the daughter of Robert Frank and Ellen King Cope. In 1919 she married Charles Lee Isley, who preceded her in death in 1978.

She lived most of her life in Cooleceme, where she was recognized as a community leader, contributing to all areas of civic and religious activities. She was a long-time member of the Cooleceme United Methodist Church and currently was a member of Trinity Presbyterian Church, Winston-Salem.

Surviving are: one son, Dr. Charles Lee Isley Jr. and his wife, Lois of Boone; two daughters, Mrs. Ellen Isley Sowell of McDonough, Ga. and Mrs. Gene Isley Robinson and husband, Charles (Buddy) of 4515 Inwood Dr.; seven grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Godfrey of 4171 Witherow Rd., Mrs. Ruby Calloway, Asheboro and Mrs. Selby Kinney of Watsontown, Pa. and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Jan. 6, at Vogler's Funeral Home, conducted by Pastor David Partington. Burial was in Rowan Memorial Park, Salisbury.

Memorials may be made to the Blumenthal Jewish Home, P.O. Box 38, Clemmons, N.C. 27102.

Bessie Horne McNew

Mrs. Bessie Horne McNew, 76, of Route 1, Box 176, Advance, died Monday, Jan. 8 at her home.

She was a native of Russell County, Va. She was born Feb. 21, 1913 to John and Rose Anderson Horn. She was a member of Cloverdale Church of the Living God in High Point.

She married Fred M. McNew on Aug. 11, 1934, who survives of the home.

Other survivors include: three daughters, Mrs. Jack (Wilma) Lawson of High Point, Mrs. Harmon (Sylvia) Hash of Trinity, and Mrs. Gary (Sharon) Collins of Advance; one son, Roger L. McNew Sr. of Advance; six sisters, Mrs. Maude Fleener, Mrs. Ann Fields, Mrs. Dorothy Reynolds, Mrs. Lucy McFadden, all of Lebanon, Va., Mrs. Margaret McFadden of Bristol, Tenn., and Mrs. Thelma Gobble of Abingdon, Va.; two brothers, Herman Horn of Lebanon, Va., and Emmitt Horn of High Point; eight grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 11 at Sechrest Funeral Home Chapel in High Point, N.C. Burial is scheduled for Floral Garden Park Cemetery.

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Mark Lee Bostick

Mr. Mark Lee Bostick, 21, of Route 1, Mocksville, died Monday, Jan. 15, at his home after being in declining health for three years.

The funeral was to be held Thursday, Jan. 18, at 11 a.m. at Good Hope United Methodist Church in Davidson County by the Rev. Bart Milleson. Burial was to follow in the church cemetery.

Mr. Bostick was born March 7, 1964, in Lexington to Arthur Lee and Eva Sowers Bostick of the home. He was employed as a crane operator for Piedmont Deck Installation of Mocksville.

Survivors, in addition to his parents, include his brother, Richard Leo Bostick of Route 1, Mocksville; and his grandmothers, Mrs. Mildred Sowers of Route 14, Lexington, and Mrs. Edith May Bostick of Mount Airy.

Richard A. Gwyn Jr.

Richard Anthony Gwyn Jr., infant son of Richard and Octavia Wilson Gwyn of 713 Partee St., Salisbury, died at birth on Sunday, Jan. 14, 1990, at Rowan Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were incomplete on Tuesday, Jan. 16.

Survivors, in addition to his parents, include: a sister, Treasure Rishay Gwyn of Salisbury; paternal grandparents, Ernest Gwyn of Winston-Salem and Ethel Montgomery Gwyn of Salisbury; maternal grandparents, Daniel Clement of Charlotte and Shelia Wilson Keaton of Cleveland; maternal stepgrandfather, Alfonso Keaton of Cleveland; paternal great-grandparents, Wilson and Beatrice Montgomery of Cleveland; and maternal great-grandmother, Ceola Wilson of Mocksville.

Henry Baxter Hill

Henry Baxter Hill, 59, of 36 Knox St., Salisbury, died at 8:55 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 14, 1990, at the Salisbury VA Medical Center. He had been in declining health for three years and seriously ill for three weeks.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 16, in the James C. Lyerly Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Joe King, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Rowan Memorial Park with military graveside rites conducted by the Rowan County Veterans Council.

Born Sept. 7, 1930, in Rowan County, Hill was a son of the late John Henry and Sadie Ludwig Hill. Educated in the Salisbury City Schools, he was a Baptist. During his early years, he was a *Charlotte Observer* carrier.

He served in the U.S. Army and was stationed in Korea. He was a disabled veteran and a member of the Disabled American Veterans.

Survivors include: four brothers, John, Norman, James and Harry Hill, all of Salisbury; and two sisters, Mary Link of Cooleemee and Connie Hill of the home.

Robert Lee Kimmer

Mr. Robert Lee Franklin Kimmer, 75, of Route 4, Mocksville, died early Saturday, Jan. 13, at Lincoln County Hospital in Lincolnton.

Funeral services were held Monday, Jan. 15, at 2 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Chapel with the Rev. John Dayton. Burial was in Liberty United Methodist Church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Building Fund of Liberty United Methodist Church.

He was born in Davie County, the son of the late Charlie and Susan Everhart Kimmer. He was retired from AT&T after 33 years of service. He was a member of the Telephone Pioneers of America and was a member of Liberty United Methodist Church.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Elsie Alexander Kimmer; one daughter, Mrs. Sue Houser, Lincolnton; one son, J.C. Kimmer of Route 4, Mocksville; two grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Olgie Tutterow, Mrs. Luna Myers, Mrs. Thelma Jarvis, all of Route 4, Mocksville; and two brothers, Luther Kimmer and Jim Kimmer, both of Route 4, Mocksville.

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✓ **Ruth J. Mabe**

Ruth Ella Joyce Mabe, 91, of Route 6, Bear Creek Church Road, Mocksville, died Wednesday, Jan. 10, 1990, at Davie County Hospital.

The funeral was held Friday, Jan. 12, at 2 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Chapel by the Revs. Albert Bracken and Jerry Cloninger. Burial was in Bear Creek Baptist Church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the cemetery fund of Bear Creek Baptist Church, Route 6, Box 258, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Born in Surry County Sept. 4, 1898, Mrs. Mabe was a daughter of the late John and Fura Brinkley Joyce. She was a homemaker and a Baptist.

Her husband, Alonzo M. Mabe, died in 1960.

Survivors include: two daughters, Mrs. Bobby R. (Pansy) Jones of Route 6, Mocksville and Mrs. William (Emma) Winters of Severn, Md.; two sons, Issac Mabe of Indianapolis, Ind.; a sister, Dora Francis of Pilot Mountain; a brother, Sam G. Joyce of Mount Airy; six grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

John H. Wagner

John H. Wagner, 76, of Route 7, Mocksville, died Jan. 14, 1990, at Autumn Care Convalescent Center of Mocksville after a period of declining health.

The funeral was scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 17, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Revs. John Deyton and Billy Sloop. Burial was to be in Concord United Methodist Church cemetery in Davie County.

Born Nov. 26, 1913, in Davie County, Wagner was a son of the late Louie Franklin and Alice Foster Wagner. Retired from Burlington Industries, he later retired as a self-employed plumber. He was a member of Turrentine Baptist Church.

Survivors include: his wife, Sadie Crotts Wagner; a daughter, Berlie Wagner Wyatt of Mocksville; three sons, Edward Wagner of Advance, Tony Wagner of Mocksville and Jeffery Wagner of Lexington; three sisters, Alice Carter of Mocksville, Jane Barnhardt of Greensboro and Theo James of Winston-Salem; two brothers, Paul and Foster Wagner, both of Mocksville; 10 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

✓ **Esther B. Spry**

Esther Broadway Spry, 89, formerly of Midway Street, Cooleemee, died unexpectedly Sunday, Jan. 14, 1990, at Rowan Memorial Hospital, Salisbury.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 16, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, Mocksville, conducted by Elder Eugene Bennett and the Rev. Rick Spry. Burial was in Rowan Memorial Park, Salisbury.

Born Aug. 26, 1900, in Davie County, Mrs. Spry was a daughter of the late Elder Thomas and Margaret Hedrick Spry. She was a member of No Creek Primitive Baptist Church, Mocksville.

Her husband, James Brady Spry, died Dec. 28, 1977. Two sons, Andrew and J.B. Spry Jr., also preceded her in death.

Survivors include: six daughters, Mrs. James E. (Geraldine) Goodman of Route 9, Salisbury, Rebecca S. Overman and Bertha Spry Harris, both of Salisbury, Mrs. Harold (Shelby) Cartner of Woodleaf, Shirley S. Church and Mrs. John (Dianne) Blackwelder, both of Mocksville; three sons, M.O. Spry of Salisbury, Charles David Spry of Hickory and James Floyd Spry of Cooleemee; a half-sister, Mrs. Bernard (Retha) Simpson of Union County; 31 grandchildren; 51 great-grandchildren; and 10 great-great-grandchildren.

John Avery Sink

John Avery Sink, 94, of Route 4, Mocksville, died Thursday, Jan. 11, 1990, at the Salisbury VA Medical Center.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 13, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Joseph W. Collins officiating. Burial was in Rowan Memorial Park, Salisbury.

Memorials may be made to Cooleemee First United Methodist Church, Main Street, Cooleemee, N.C. 27014.

Born Dec. 10, 1895, in Davie County, Sink was a son of the late John M. and Emily C. Bogler Sink. He was retired from Erwin Mills and was a life member of Cooleemee First United Methodist Church. He was also a veteran of World War I, serving in the U.S. Army.

His wife, Berlie Barnhardt Sink, died April 23, 1975.

Survivors include several nieces and nephews.

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Marvin D. Byerly

Marvin Dexter Byerly, 71, of 173 Wandeling Lane, Mocksville, died Thursday, Jan. 18, 1990, at Davie County Hospital. The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 21, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Revs. John Rowe and Leland Richardson. Burial was in Floral Gardens Memorial Park in High Point with Masonic graveside rites by Mocksville Lodge 134. Memorials may be made to Davie Family YMCA, P.O. Box 952, Mocksville, N.C. 27028, or to the charity of the donor's choice. Born April 21, 1918, in Davidson County, Byerly was a son of the late George D. and Ola Lorey Byerly. He had retired as a product development coordinator with Drexel Heritage Furniture Co. and was a member of Mocksville Masonic Lodge 134 and the First Presbyterian Church of High Point. He served during World War II with the Coast Guard. His first wife, Ada Osborne Byerly, died in 1968. Survivors include: his second wife, Beulah Anders Byerly; a daughter, Rita Jean Henderson of Bowie, Md.; a son, Larry Dexter Byerly of High Point; two sisters, Edith Pierce of Norfolk, Va. and Irene Haitt of Oceanview, Va.; a brother, John P. Byerly of Thomasville; and three granddaughters.

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Morris Beach Bell

Mr. Morris Beach Bell, 84, of Route 1, Hamptonville, died at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 21, at the Autumn Care Nursing Home in Mocksville.

He was born in Yadkin County to Joseph and Isabella Cook Bell. He was a member of Flat Rock Baptist Church and retired from Chatham Manufacturing Company after 32 years of service.

Surviving are: his wife, Linnie Gwyn Branon, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Peggy Bingham of Advance, Mrs. Franzena York of Hamptonville; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

A son, Joseph Maurice Bell, preceded Mr. Bell in death.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 23, at Flat Rock Baptist Church by the Rev. John Enloe with burial in the church cemetery.

Emma Carter Williams

Mrs. Emma L. Carter Williams, 91, former resident of Rt. 2, Trinity, died at 11:00 a.m. Friday, Jan. 19, in the Liberty House Nursing Home, Thomasville. She had been in declining health for 4 years.

Mrs. Williams was born May 2, 1898, in Davie County, a daughter of James and Annie Jarvis Livengood. She had been a resident of Trinity since 1959 and was a retired employee of Crown Hosiery Mill having retired in 1960. She was a member of Fairview United Methodist Church and Sunday School. She was married to Frank P. Carter, John Burrow and Paul Williams, all of whom are deceased.

Surviving are: two sons, Flavius E. "Bud" Carter of Rt. 1, Trinity and Ira G. Carter of Rt. 4, High Point; one daughter, Mrs. Henry (Dorcas) Hedgecock of Rt. 5, Trinity; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Richard (Frances) Halker of Thomasville and Mrs. Myrtle Warren of the Piedmont Christian Nursing Home in High Point; 10 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; and eight stepgrandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, Jan. 21, at 12:30 p.m. at the Cumby Archdale Chapel by the Rev. Max C. Reece. Burial was in the Fork Baptist Church Cemetery in Davie County.

Otto Hudson

Mr. Otto Hudson, 75, of Sentry Care, Kernersville, died Monday, Jan. 22.

He was born on March 26, 1914, in Elkin to James Martin and Mary Viola Seagraves Hudson. He was a member of the Church of Christ and was a retired self-employed paint contractor.

Mr. Hudson was a veteran serving in the United States Army engaging in battle in New Guinea, Western Pacific, Ryukyus, and wounded in Okinawa. He was decorated with the Asiatic Pacific Service Medal and the Purple Heart.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Bernice Long Hudson.

Surviving are: three sisters, Mrs. Selma Ferguson of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Pauline Blaylock of Williamsburg, Va., and Mrs. Mary Hakes of Tonawanda, N.Y.; two brothers, Mr. James H. Hudson of Winston-Salem and Mr. Noah David Hudson of Advance; and several nieces and nephews.

Graveside services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 24, at Morris Chapel United Methodist Church Cemetery by Rev. Bill Chatman.

John D. Smith

Mr. John Douglas Smith, 94, formerly of Hamlet Rd., Rt. 2, Harmony and the Rosewood Rest Home for 3½ years, died Monday, Jan. 22, at the Brian Center, Statesville. He had been in declining health since 1974 and seriously ill since September, 1989.

He was born in Advance on Dec. 31, 1895, to the late Thomas Asbury and Louise Riddle Smith. He was a retired farmer. He married the former Eschol Stroud on Aug. 25, 1936, who died on March 29, 1982.

Surviving is: one sister, Miss Lona Smith of Rt. 2, Harmony.

Five brothers, George, Will, Charles, Bob and Thomas Smith; and four sisters, Miss Lula Smith, Mrs. Katie Frye, Mrs. Jenny Rothrock and Mrs. Eleanor Craver preceded him in death.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 24, at Reavis Funeral Home Chapel, Harmony by the Rev. A.C. Clemens. Burial was to follow in Liberty Wesleyan Church cemetery.

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Joe Henry Myers

Mr. Joe Henry Myers, 54, of Route 2, Cornatzer Road, Advance, died unexpectedly early Tuesday, Jan. 23 at Davie County Hospital.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 25 at Bixby Presbyterian Church by the Rev. David Barney and the Rev. David Daniel. Burial was scheduled for the church cemetery. The family was scheduled to receive friends Wednesday night from 7-9 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home.

Myers was born Feb. 6, 1935 in Davie County to the late Ray Phillip and Lillie Barney Myers and was a farmer. He had been a lifelong member of Bixby Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include: his wife, Nancy Jane Bailey Myers of the home; three sons, Billy Myers of Advance, Bailey Myers and Burr Myers, both of home; five daughters, Brenda Crow of Spartanburg S.C., Bobbie Spears of Fries Va., Bonnie Myers of Lexington, and Brenda Myers and Betty Myers, both of home; three grandchildren; and one brother, James Myers of Mocksville.

Mrs. Minnie P. Kiser

Mrs. Minnie Rakes Portis Kiser, 85, of 103 Nathan Ave., Winston-Salem, died at her home Saturday morning, Jan. 20.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, Jan. 22, at the Gospel Light Baptist Church by the Revs. Bobby Roberson and Zeno Groce with burial in Gardens of Memory.

Mrs. Kiser was born in Meadows of Dan, Va., Feb. 27, 1904, to Abraham and Alma Tekora Harris Rakes. She was a member of Gospel Light Baptist Church.

She was first married to William Jefferson Portis, who died in 1971 and then to Grover C. Kiser, who survives, of the home.

Also surviving are: five daughters, Mrs. Lucille Kite of Rural Hall, Mrs. Alma Hastings of Walkertown, Mrs. Alpha Shreve of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Nancy Hobson of Mocksville and Mrs. Patricia Brooks of Winston-Salem; one son, Richard Portis of Lewisville; 15 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Nannie McKinney of Highland Springs, Va.

Mrs. Flora P. Carter

Mrs. Flora Elizabeth Pfaff Carter, 68, of 2321 Fairway Dr., Winston-Salem, died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital on Thursday, Jan. 18.

She was born in Winston-Salem on July 16, 1921, to Jesse Z. and Bessie Lawrence Pfaff Sr. She was a graduate of R.J. Reynolds High School and attended the Women's College which is now the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. She served as a Sunday School teacher at Ardmore United Methodist Church for many years and was specially recognized for her years of service. She was also awarded a life membership in the United Methodist Women for outstanding service.

Surviving are: her husband, Mr. Elwood C. Carter, of the home; two daughters, Susan Carter Shelton of Elkin and Sharon Carter Francois of Woodinville, Wash.; one son, Sterling E. Carter of Bermuda Run; and two grandsons.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 20, at Ardmore United Methodist Church by Dr. Robert A. Dyer, the Revs. Stuart Nelson Zimmerman and Raymond L. Surratt. Burial was in Forsyth Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to Ardmore United Methodist Church.

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Carl Edward Creason, 85, of 15 Grove St., Cooleemee died unexpectedly Tuesday, Jan. 16, 1990, at his home.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 20, at Edgewood Baptist Church, conducted by the Revs. D.C. Sullivan, pastor, Bill Creason, J.B. Parker and Larry Allen. Burial was in Liberty United Methodist Church cemetery in Davie County.

Memorials may be made to Edgewood Baptist Church, P.O. Box 57, Cooleemee, N.C. 27014 or the cemetery fund of Liberty United Methodist Church, Route 4, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Born Oct. 30, 1904, in Davie County, Creason was a son of the late John Henry and Sara McIntyre Creason. Formerly employed with Erwin Mills, he had retired from Sherrills Furniture Co. of Statesville. He was a member of Edgewood Baptist Church, where he had served as a deacon and an usher.

His wife, Garnette Mae Spry Creason, died March 20, 1988.

Survivors include: a son, George Creason of Statesville; a daughter, Martha Ann Parker of Loray; two sisters, Beulah Anderson of Cooleemee and Lola Foster of Clover, S.C.; eight grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

Lewie Henry Snider

Mr. Lewie Henry Snider, 80, of 425 Dusty Lane, Salisbury died Jan. 12 at the Brian Center in Salisbury. He had been in declining health for several years and seriously ill for two weeks.

Funeral services were held Jan. 14 at No Creek Primitive Baptist Church in Davie County by the Elder Eugene Bennett. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to No Creek Primitive Baptist Church, c/o R.C. Wishon, Treasurer, Route 1, Box 227, Advance, N.C. 27006.

Snider was born Sept. 7, 1909 in Davie County to the late Samuel P. and Matronia Walker Snider. He was educated in the Davie County Schools and was retired from N.C. Finishing Company.

He was a member of No Creek Primitive Baptist Church, where he served as a Deacon for 35 years before becoming ill.

Survivors include: his wife, Gertrude Shinn Snider, whom he married on March 16, 1932; one son, Lester R. Snider of Salisbury; three daughters, Mrs. Ruby S. Watson of Salisbury, Mrs. Mildred S. Perrell and Miss Patricia V. Snider, both of Woodleaf; two brothers, Samuel D. Snider of Cleveland, and William M. Snider of Mt. Pleasant; three sisters, Mrs. Joycie Eagle and Mrs. Beatrice Cartner both of Salisbury, and Mrs. Norine Foster of Cleveland; eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Lela S. Madison

Mrs. Lela Sloan Madison, 86, 303 Heritage Rd., Statesville, died Monday, Jan. 22, at her home.

She was a graduate of Appalachian State Teachers College and taught first grade at Coon Springs School for 20 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Mocksville. She was co-owner and secretary of Madison Tours for 30 years, where she was a tour conductor.

Surviving are: her husband, Royd Blaine Madison, of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Wilma M. White of Statesville; one sister; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were scheduled for 11 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 25, at Westmoreland Chapel with burial to follow in Union Grove United Methodist Church Cemetery.

The family was scheduled to receive friends from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday at Bunch-Johnson Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to Union Grove United Methodist Church, Rt. 1, Union Grove, N.C. 28689 or to Mount Vernon Baptist Church, Rt. 1, Box 273-A, Olin, N.C. 28660.

Mrs. Pauline E. Gullick

Mrs. Pauline Elvra Gullick, 72, of 1201 Pleasant St., Winston-Salem, died unexpectedly on Friday, Jan. 19, 1990, at her home.

The daughter of the late Arthur and Alberta Heath Gullick, she was born on Dec. 30, 1917, in Winston-Salem.

She was a retired employee of R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co., Davie County. She was a member of New Bethel Baptist Senior Missionary Society, Group No. 5 and was a member of the North Winston Senior Citizens Club.

Surviving are: two sons, Norris Lee and Curtis Eugene Gullick, both of Winston-Salem; daughter-in-law, Mrs. Evelyn P. Gullick of Winston-Salem; one brother, the Rev. William Gullick; sister-in-law, Mrs. Deloris Gullick; six grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; one niece; one nephew; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were to be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 24, at New Bethel Baptist Church. Burial was to follow in Piedmont Memorial Gardens.

Eunice Cuthrell Foster

Mrs. Eunice Cuthrell Foster, 76, of 103 Copley St., Lexington, died Monday, Jan. 22, at Lexington Memorial Hospital after a lengthy illness.

The funeral was to be held at 11 a.m. on Thursday, Jan. 25, at the Voglers-Piedmont Chapel in Lexington by the Rev. Ottis Canupp. Burial was to follow in the Turrentine Baptist Church cemetery in Davie County.

The family was to receive friends Wednesday, Jan. 24, at the Voglers-Piedmont Funeral Home from 7 to 9 p.m.

Mrs. Foster was born Oct. 2, 1913, in Davie County to the late George and Ida Carter Cuthrell. She was a member of the Cooleemee Presbyterian Church and was retired from the Dacotah Cotton Mills in Lexington.

Her husband, Sylvester "Bud" Foster, died May 8, 1989.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Jack (Angella) Whitehead of Lexington; a brother, Joe Cuthrell of Cooleemee; a sister, Bonnie Pierce of Salisbury; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Davidson County, P.O. Box 1941, Lexington, N.C. 27292.

Mrs. Versia V. Tise

Mrs. Versia Vestal Tise, 81, of Route 5, Mocksville, died Sunday, Jan. 21, at the Hoots Memorial Hospital in Yadkinville.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 23, at the Muddy Creek Church of Christ in Clemmons by the Rev. Kent Allen.

Mrs. Tise was born in Yadkin County Nov. 3, 1908, to Dohson V. and Ollie Beamon Vestal. She lived most of her life in Forsyth County and for the past 15 years in Yadkin County. She was a member of the Muddy Creek Church of Christ.

Her husband, A.G. Tise Sr., who was a deputy sheriff in Forsyth County for 35 years, died in 1982.

She is survived by: two daughters, Mrs. Jenny Sapp of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Don (Eleanor) Trotter of Lewisville; two sons, Mark Tise of Route 5, Mocksville, Aaron G. Tise Jr. of Lewisville; eight grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Pauline Sloop of Yadkinville; two brothers, Garrell Chappel of Hamptonville, and Harvey Chappel of Winston-Salem.

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Gertrude W. Shelton

Mrs. Gertrude Walker Shelton, 76, widow of the late Raymond Alfred Shelton of Route 6, Yadkin Valley Baptist Church Community, died Jan. 12, 1990, in North Carolina Baptist Hospital after a sudden illness.

Funeral services were held Sunday, Jan. 14, 1990, in Macedonia Moravian Church at 2 p.m., conducted by the Rev. Hampton Morgan, pastor of the church. Burial was in the church graveyard.

Mrs. Shelton was born Jan. 24, 1913, in Davie County, daughter of the late Jacob Tillet and Luna Williams Walker and was a homemaker. She was a member of Macedonia Moravian Church. Her husband preceded her in death May 3, 1987.

Survivors include: three daughters, Annie Clara Hepler, Glenda Carter and Ruth Smith, all of Route 6, Advance; four sisters, Lois Cook of Route 6, Advance, Erma Blake of Route 1, Advance, Hazel Lee and Clara Cleary, both of Route 6, Advance; and five grandchildren.

Mrs. Mattie L. McNair

Mrs. Mattie Lackey McNair, 89, of Meadowbrook Manor, Winston-Salem, died Tuesday morning, Jan. 23.

She was born on July 18, 1900, in Taylorsville to Samuel Leander and Martha Lucy Miller Lackey. She was a member of First Presbyterian Church and was retired from R.J. Reynolds.

Surviving are: one son, John W. Holloway of Advance; one daughter, Anne Williamson of Winston-Salem; and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 25, at Woodland Cemetery by the Rev. Bill Chatman.

Memorials may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

John Douglas Smith

Mr. John Douglas Smith, 94, of the Rosewood Rest Home in Harmony, died Jan. 22, 1990 at the Brian Center in Statesville.

Smith was born Dec. 31, 1895 in Advance to the late Thomas Ashbury Smith and Louise Riddle. He was a retired farmer.

He was married to the late Creola Eschol Stroud who died March 29, 1982.

Survivors include: one sister, Miss Lona Smith of Route 2, Harmony; and several nephews and nieces.

Five brothers, George Smith, Will Bryan Smith, Charles Arthur Smith, Robert Lee Smith, and Thomas Luke Smith, and four sisters, Miss Lula Bell Smith, Mrs. Mary Catherine S. Frye, Mrs. Jenny S. Rothrock and Mrs. Eleanor S. Craver preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held Jan. 24 at Reavis Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. A.C. Clemens. Burial was in the Liberty Wesleyan Church Cemetery.

Johnny M. Mason

Mr. Johnny McKinley Mason, 61, of Rt. 2, Box 216, Statesville died Thursday, Jan. 25, at Baptist Hospital.

Surviving are: his wife, Phyllis Bruce Mason, of the home; two sons, Kenny Mason of Mocksville and Mike Mason of Statesville; three daughters, Mrs. Polly Cook of Statesville, Mrs. Janet Hinson of Statesville and Miss Karen Mason, of the home; three brothers, Bill, Fred and Wade Mason, all of Statesville; and three sisters, Mrs. Ruby Patterson, Mrs. Olean Tolbert and Mrs. Katie Meadows, all of Statesville.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 27, at Rocky Hill Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Rocky Hill Baptist Church, Rt. 2, Statesville, N.C. 28677.

Jesse S. McClannon

Jesse Sinclair McClannon, 69, of 210 Snipe St., Kannapolis, died at 3:10 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 27, at his home. He had been in declining health for two years and had been seriously ill for six months.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 30, at Trinity United Methodist Church in Kannapolis, conducted by the Revs. Gene Little and Chuck Baker. Burial was in Carolina Memorial Park in Concord, with Masonic graveside rites conducted by Cannon Memorial Lodge 626.

Memorials may be made to the W.J. Bullock Scholarship Fund, Trinity United Methodist Church, 416 E. First St., Kannapolis 28081, or Hospice of Rowan County, P.O. Box 1603, Salisbury 28144.

Born Aug. 27, 1920, in Davie County, McClannon was a son of Alda Nichols McClannon of Mocksville and the late William S. McClannon.

He was employed with Cannon Mills Plant No. 1 in the weave room for about 45 years.

He was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church, where he was an active member of the W.J. Bullock Sunday School class and had served as its president three times.

He had assisted in Scouting activities through the years and was active in various phases of church activities. He was a member of Cannon Memorial Masonic Lodge 626, where he was a past master and was currently serving as treasurer.

He also served on the Kannapolis Masonic Association, and he was a member of the Scottish Rite Bodies of Charlotte.

He was a veteran of World War II, having served with the U.S. Navy, and he was a member of Beaver-Pittman American Legion Post No. 115.

Survivors include: his wife, Mayfield Price McClannon; one daughter, Sylvia M. Mason of Hendersonville; a son, Wayne McClannon of Concord; two brothers, J.W. McClannon and Roy McClannon, both of Mocksville; four sisters, Christine Hinkle of Mocksville, Geneva Oates of Rock Hill, S.C., Mary Lynn Tussey of Lexington, and Vivian Jamerson of Lawrenceville, Ga.; and three grandchildren.

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Mrs. Lexie R. Clonch

Mrs. Lexie Elizabeth Roberts Clonch, 74, of 711 Greensboro Rd., Lexington, died Tuesday, Jan. 30, at 3:30 p.m. at Lexington Memorial Hospital after being in declining health for two years.

She was born in Wilkes County on July 1, 1915, to the late George Jacob and Sara Emmaline Holbrooks Roberts. She was retired from Parkdale Mills, and was of the Baptist faith. Her husband, Richard Clonch, preceded her in death in 1983.

Surviving are: four sons, Ray Clonch, of Greensboro Rd., Lexington, Ronnie Clonch of Cow Palace Rd., Lexington, Larry Clonch of Hamilton Rd., Lexington and Robert Clonch of Burke, Va.; two daughters, Mrs. Hazel Whitehead and Mrs. Willie Mae Nappier, both of Lexington; 17 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; one brother, Clyde Roberts of Cooleemee; and one sister, Mrs. Pansy Mae Bochniah of Lexington.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 2, at Cross Baptist Tabernacle by the Revs. Myers Tilley and Gary Gilson. Burial was in Forest Hill Memorial Park Cemetery.

Grady S. Eddleman

Mr. Grady Spurgeon Eddleman, 77, of Rt. 2, Yadkinville died Tuesday, Jan. 30, at 8:35 p.m. at Hoots Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Yadkin County to John and Annie Mackie Eddleman. He was a member of Forbush Baptist Church and was retired from the Winston-Salem Casket Co. He was married to Louise Long Eddleman, who died in 1985.

Surviving are: one daughter, Mrs. Linda Phillips of Rt. 2, Yadkinville; one brother, John Eddleman of Advance; and one grandson.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 2, at Mackie-Gentry Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Billy James. Burial was in Forbush Baptist Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Elvie Lee H. Hayes

Mrs. Elvie Lee Harris Hayes, 75, of Rt. 18, Statesville, died unexpectedly Monday, Jan. 29, at Iredell Memorial Hospital.

She was born in Iredell County on July 17, 1914. She was a homemaker.

Surviving are: one son, Bobby Willard Hayes of Advance; two brothers, James Roy Harris of Mocksville and John Edward Harris of Hickory; and one sister, Mrs. Edith Grant of Albany, Ga.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 1, at Rose Chapel United Methodist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Rose Chapel United Methodist Church, Rt. 18, Box 316, Statesville, N.C. 28677.

Mrs. Winnie Rominger

Mrs. Winnie Rose Huffman Brown Rominger, 79, of Rt. 1, East Bend, died at 11 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 4, at her home.

She was born in Grayson County, Va., to James Franklin and Ida West Huffman. She was a member of Union Cross Friends Church.

She was married to Gurney Martin Brown in 1924, who preceded her in death in 1944. She married Arthur Rominger in 1962, who also preceded her in death in 1968.

Surviving are: one son, Coy Brown of Yadkinville; four daughters, Mrs. Bill (Mary) Carter, Mrs. Archie (Dot) Hanes, Mrs. Roy (Colene) Sheek and Mrs. Ted (Novella) Reece, all of Yadkinville; two sisters, Mrs. Annie Bowman and Mrs. Robena Jones, both of Mocksville; one brother, Blaine Huffman of Mocksville; she was preceded in death by one daughter and two grandchildren; eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 6, at Mackie-Gentry Funeral Home Chapel by the Revs. Jake Penley and Winfrey Crouse. Burial was in the Union Cross Friends Church Cemetery.

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Oscar R. Peters

Mr. Oscar Richard Peters, 77, of Rt. 1, Advance, died Saturday, Feb. 3, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was born on March 19, 1912, in Franklin County, Va., to Harvey E. and Martha H. Peters. He lived in Lewisville for a number of years, but has lived in Davie County since 1976. He was employed by P.H. Hanes Knitting Co. for 35 years before retiring. He was a member of Ogburn Memorial United Methodist Church.

Surviving are: his wife of 51 years, Louise Owens Peters, of the home; three daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Smith and husband, Dickie, of Clemmons, Mrs. Fran Ellis and husband, Clint of Advance and Mrs. Carol Key and husband, Don of Arcadia; one son, David Peters and wife, Peggy of Winston-Salem; two sisters, Emma Orrell of Winston-Salem and Sarah Boothe of Bassett, Va.; one brother, Elmer Peters of Winston-Salem; five half sisters, Edith Haskins of Lunnellon, Fla., Geneva Foy of Greensboro, Rhoda Fulcher of Collinsville, Va., Clovis Cooper of Ridgeway, Va., and Lera Lloyd of Hampton, Va.; two half brothers, Grover Peters of Martinsville, Va., and Eugene Peters of Collinsville, Va.; and eight grandchildren.

A son, Edward Franklin Peters, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held Monday, Feb. 5, at Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Chapel by the Revs. Leon Wood and James Stowe with burial at Forsyth Memorial Park.

William W. Petree

Mr. William Wesley Petree, 66, of Route 5, Yadkinville died at 5:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 4, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Forsyth County to George Edward and Ollie Dickerson Petree. He was a member of Pilot View Friends Church, and was retired from Hanes Hosiery after 37 years of service. He was a veteran of World War II and presently employed at U.S. Air in Winston-Salem as a security guard.

Surviving are: his wife, Jeanette Hutchens Petree, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Angelia Groce of Route 5, Mocksville and Ms. Druscilla Petree, of the home; three sons, Charles Petree of Route 5, Yadkinville, Wayne Petree of Route 5, Mocksville and Gary Petree of Route 2, Yadkinville; eight grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Esterleen Jones and Mrs. Margaret Boggs, both of Lewisville, Mrs. Verna Smith of East Bend; six brothers, Raymond, Herman, Norman and Henry Petree, all of Winston-Salem, James Petree of Richmond, Va. and Theodore Petree.

A sister, Vina Smith, and a brother, George Petree, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 7, at Pilot View Friends Church by the Rev. Don Luellen. Burial was to follow in the church cemetery.

Flowers will be accepted or donations may be made to Pilot View Friends Church Cemetery Fund.

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Dossie O. Beck

Dossie Osborne Beck, 80, of Autumn Care Nursing Home of Mocksville, formerly of Davidson County, died Thursday, Feb. 8, at the nursing home after an extended illness.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 10, at Davidson Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Revs. John Pace and Mark Denton. Burial was in Forest Hill Memorial Park.

Born March 6, 1909, in Ashe County, Mrs. Beck was a daughter of the late Roby and Floy Roark Osborne. She was a member of Reeds United Methodist Church.

Survivors include: her husband, Alfred L. Beck of Route 6, Mocksville; two daughters, Sarah Livengood of Harmony and Mary Foster of Mocksville; three step-daughters, Mrs. Wayne (Sarah) Beck of Thomasville, Mrs. Sheril (Betty) Avery of Lexington, and Mrs. Calvin (Bernice) Meyer of Cleary Road, Mocksville; two stepsons, Robert and Leonard Beck, both of Lexington; a brother, Wayne (Shorne of Tyro; two sisters, Mrs. William (Onva) Jones of Mocksville and Grace Gobble of Lexington; eight grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Ada Collins Joyner

Mrs. Ada Collins Joyner, 87, of 5953 Stanleyville Dr., Rural Hall, died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital on Tuesday, Feb. 6.

She was born on May 27, 1902, in Charleston, W. Va., the daughter of William Riley and Blanche Johnson Collins. She spent most of her life in Forsyth County. She was of the Baptist faith and attended the Old Fashioned Baptist Church where she was Sunday School teacher and choir member as long as health permitted. She was a loving mother and devoted wife of Robert L. Joyner for 67 years.

She was preceded in death by: four sons, R. L. Jr., Lorton, Raymond and Kelly Ray Joyner. Surviving are: her husband, of the home; six daughters, Mrs. Ruby McGee, Mrs. Ray (Clifton) Renegar, Mrs. Ronald (Robert) Edgar (Mary Louise) Reid of Rural Hall and Mrs. Zorilda Amos of Walkertown; three sons, William "Bill" Joyner of Mocksville, Bob-Joyner of Walkertown and Ovilla Joyner of Rural Hall; one sister, Miss Nan Collins and one brother, Reid Collins, both of Winston-Salem; 26 grandchildren; 38 great-grandchildren and 13 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 9, at Vogler's Reynolda Road Chapel by the Rev. Henry Cook. Burial followed in East Bend Friends Cemetery.

John Hudson

John Hudson, 83, of 1810 from St., Charlotte, died Wednesday, Feb. 7, at Charlotte Memorial Hospital. He was the brother of Mabel Frost of Salisbury.

The funeral was held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 11, at the Apostolic Holiness Church, 406 State St., Charlotte, conducted by Elder Bobby Cox. Burial was in Forest Lawn Cemetery, Charlotte.

Born Feb. 14, 1906, in Davie County, Hudson was a son of the late Charlie and Minnie White Hudson. Retired as custodian with the Davie County schools, he was a member of the Apostolic Holiness Church.

Survivors, in addition to his sister, include: his wife, Ethel Mae Blakeley Hudson; a daughter, Elizabeth McCluney of Charlotte; four grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

David J. Lewis

David Jacob Lewis, 68, formerly of 3131 Burke Mill Rd., Winston-Salem, died Tuesday, Feb. 6, at High Point Care Center.

He was born on Sept. 5, 1921, in South Boston, Va., to J. C. and Annie Elizabeth Cassada Lewis. He served in World War II as a Sgt. in the United States Air Force, 92nd Bomb Group.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 8, at Mountain View Baptist Church by the Rev. Beney Smith. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Surviving are: one daughter, Mrs. Bonita Plummer of Lawsonville; three sons, Alan Lewis, Ricky Lewis and Barry Lewis, all of Okcechoke, Fla.; four grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; four sisters, Mrs. Estelle Miller of Kettering, Ohio, Mrs. Virginia Church and Mrs. Helen Westmoreland, both of Winston-Salem and Mrs. Aileen Bryant of Mocksville; and one brother, J. Raleigh Lewis of Winston-Salem.

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Mrs. Anna Mae Taylor

Mrs. Anna Mae Watson Taylor, 90, of Meadowbrook Manor, Clemmons, died Sunday, Feb. 11, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was the widow of Ernest Taylor and is survived by: a daughter, Mrs. Frances Neas of Route 3, Advance.

The body was sent from Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Chapel to Chattanooga Funeral Home (East Chapel) in Chattanooga, Tenn., for services and burial.

The family wishes to express their appreciation to the staff of Meadowbrook Manor for the care rendered to Mrs. Taylor.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Sallie Sue Peebles Sunday School Class at Advance United Methodist Church, Advance, N.C. 27006, or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Mrs. Helen D. Smith

Mrs. Helen Dodson Smith, 89, of Pellcare Nursing Home, formerly of 2405 Walker Ave., Winston-Salem, died Monday morning, Feb. 5, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was married to the late Marion A. Smith. She was born Oct. 10, 1900, in Greenville, S.C., to Dr. William Walters Dodson and Frances Stall Dodson.

She attended Greenville Woman's College and lived her adult life in Winston-Salem. In later years, she worked as a nurse's assistant. Mrs. Smith was a member of Trinity Moravian Church, where she played in the handbell choir.

She is survived by: one daughter, Marian Smith Horne of Wilmington; two sons, William Dodson Smith of 723 Bellview Street, Winston-Salem, and Thomas Hayne Smith Sr. of Yadkinville; a sister, Frances Dodson of Greenville, S.C.; five grandchildren, including Thomas Hayne Smith Jr. of Mocksville; three great-grandchildren; two nieces and one nephew, all of Greenville, S.C.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 7, at Trinity Moravian Church by the Revs. Dr. Henry May, John Befus and Barry Vernon. Burial was in Oaklawn Memorial Gardens.

Memorials may be made to Trinity Moravian Church, 220 E. Sprague Street, Winston-Salem, N.C. 27107.

Lorine J. Gobble

Lorine Johnson Gobble, 68, of Route 7, Mocksville, died at 12:30 a.m. on Thursday, Feb. 8, 1990, at Rowan Memorial Hospital. She had been in declining health for several years and seriously ill for two years.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 10, at Greer's Chapel United Methodist Church in Davidson County. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Born Jan. 23, 1922, in McDowell County, Mrs. Gobble was a daughter of the late John Henry and Dora Belle Bates Johnson. Employed with Cannon Mills Co., Swink Plant for 14 years, she retired in 1980. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include: her husband, Baxter "Bill" F. Gobble, whom she married Dec. 9, 1939; six sons, Tommy, Randy, Kenneth and J.W. "Jay" Gobble, all of Salisbury, Gene Gobble of Reddy Creek and Mike Smith of Albemarle; three daughters, Joan Smith of Lexington and Janet Myers and Peggy Riddle, both of Salisbury; a brother, John Henry Johnson Jr. of Marion; a sister, Martha Cook of Marion; a half sister, Mary Shuford of Marion; 27 grandchildren; and 17 great-grandchildren.

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✓ **Minnie O. Overcash** / **Todd A. Thompson**

Minnie Suzanna Overcash Overcash, 79, of 743 Cherry St., Mocksville, died Friday, Feb. 9, at Davie County Hospital.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Monday, Feb. 12, at E.C. Cavin Memorial Chapel of Cavin Funeral Home, Mooresville, conducted by the Rev. Clyde Settles. Burial was in St. James Episcopal Church cemetery in Iredell County.

Born June 16, 1910, in Iredell County, Mrs. Overcash was a daughter of the late Amzi Walter and Jennie Florence Beaver Overcash. She was a homemaker and member of Edgewood Baptist Church, Cooleemec.

Her husband, Fred Lee Overcash, died in January, 1984, and a son, Donald W. Overcash, died in November, 1977.

Survivors include: six sons, Richard L. Overcash of Cleveland, Billy R. Overcash of Mocksville, Paul Overcash of Statesville, Larry Overcash of Griffin, Ga. and Charles and Jerry Overcash, both of Washington, D.C.; five daughters, Mrs. Howard (Viola) Safriet and Betty Jean Overcash, both of Statesville, and Catherine Fleming, Nancy Correll, and Linda Overcash, all of Mocksville; two brothers, Troy T. Overcash of Mooresville, and Lewis Overcash of Statesville; a sister, Grace Moore of Statesville; 15 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

✓ **Mrs. Gladys T. Hauser**

Mrs. Gladys Thomas Hauser, 75, of Clemmons, died Thursday, Feb. 8, 1990.

She was born on April 2, 1914, in Forsyth County where she spent most of her life. She was retired from R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. after a number of years of service. She was a member of Centenary United Methodist Church, Davidson County.

Her husband, Arthur B. Hauser, died in 1979.

Surviving are: two daughters, Mrs. Barbara Jean Cheek of Hamptonville and Mrs. Cathy Farmer of King; three sons, Bob Hauser of Jonesville, Bill Hauser of Winston-Salem and Norman "Bud" Hauser of Mocksville; 11 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Chapel by the Rev. Tommy Robertson with burial in Westlawn Gardens of Memory.

Memorials may be made to Centenary United Methodist Church, Davidson County.

Mr. Todd Andrew Thompson, 27, of Winston-Salem, died Tuesday, Feb. 6, at Baptist Hospital.

Surviving are: his parents, Daniel F. Thompson and Lillie T. Thompson, both of Winston-Salem; one sister, Mrs. Theresa Fowler of Kernersville; his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Mary Thompson of Winston-Salem; his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Gladys G. Wagner of Mocksville; one aunt, Mrs. Betty Caldwell of High Point; one great-aunt, Mrs. Ruby G. Crews of Winston-Salem; his nephew, Shane Fowler of Kernersville and his niece, Shannon Fowler of Kernersville.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Friday, Feb. 9, at Grandview Memorial Chapel by the Rev. Raymond Osborne. Burial followed in the New Hope Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to New Hope Missionary Baptist Church Cemetery Fund, c/o Floyd O. Roupe, Spartan, N.C. 28675.

Walter E. Brackens

Walter Eugene Brackens, 78, of Route 1, Salisbury, died at 4 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 11, at his home. He had been in declining health several years.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 13, in the James C. Lyerly Funeral Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Dan Gaddy, pastor of Bethany United Methodist Church, Albemarle, and the Rev. Ron Honeycutt, pastor of Jerusalem Baptist Church in Davie County. Burial was in Rowan Memorial Park.

Born Nov. 8, 1911, in Davie County, Brackens was a son of the late Grover Cleveland and Emma Jane Correll Brackens. Educated in the Davie County schools, he was a member of Jerusalem Baptist Church. He was employed at Erwin Mill in Cooleemec and at Cannon Mills, Swink Plant, for 35 years before his retirement in 1974.

Survivors include: his wife, Letha Loflin Brackens, whom he married Nov. 30, 1930; a son, Walter Eugene "Gene" Brackens Jr. of Route 1, Salisbury; a brother, Clyde Richard Brackens of Ansonville; a sister, Ruby Lowery of Mocksville; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

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Norman Ellis Foster

Mr. Norman Ellis Foster, 78, of 237 Petree Rd., Winston-Salem, died Wednesday, Feb. 14, at his home.

He was born on March 16, 1911, in Davie County to Jacob Manco and Delia Blackwood Foster.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday, Feb. 16, at Vogler's Reynolda Road Chapel by the Rev. Russell Wimmer. Burial followed in Woodland Cemetery.

Mr. Foster lived most of his life in Forsyth County and was a member of Northwest Baptist Church. He retired from AT&T in 1976 from the maintenance department.

Surviving are: his wife, Lula Brown Foster, of the home; one son, Rex Foster of Mount Airy; one daughter, Doris Foster of Hildentite; and four grandchildren.

Thomas W. Rochester

Mr. Thomas Wafford Rochester, 20, of Route 6, Yadkinville was dead on arrival at the Davie County Hospital at 2:45 p.m. Friday, Feb. 16, due to an accident on Hwy. 601 north of Mocksville.

He was born in Yadkin County to Wafford C. and Rachel Matthews Prigge. He was a member of Bethel Baptist Church and was employed at Crown Wood Manufacturing in Mocksville. He was graduated from Forbush High School, Class of 1988.

Surviving are: his mother, Route 6, Yadkinville; his father, of Hildentite; his great-grandmother, Rachel Wooten of Yadkinville; his grandmother, Hazel Wooten Matthews of Yadkinville; an uncle, Jimmy Matthews of Yadkinville; three very special aunts, Roslyn Brandon, Margaret Haynes and Martha Hoots, all of Yadkinville; and a brother, Rodney Wayne Rochester of Yadkinville.

His grandfather, Charlie Matthews, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, Feb. 19, at Bethel Baptist Church by the Revs. Paul Moore and Bruce Freeman. Burial was in Yadkinville Pentecostal Holiness Church cemetery.

Mrs. Martha H. Ashley

Mrs. Martha Harpe Ashley, 69, of Rt. 4, Mocksville died Tuesday, Feb. 13, at Davie County Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 4 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 15, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Bobby Swain. Burial was in Westlawn Memorial Gardens in Clemmons.

Surviving are: her husband, Charles Lee Ashley, of the home; and one son, Charlie Larry Ashley of Rt. 3, Mocksville.

Felix 'Buck' Berrier

Felix "Buck" Berrier, 77, of Route 7, Mocksville died Friday, Feb. 16, at his home after being in declining health.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 18, at Eaton's Funeral Chapel with the Rev. John Deyton officiating. Burial was in Concord United Methodist Church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Davie County Hospice, P.O. Box 665, Mocksville, N.C. 27028, or to the cemetery fund of Concord United Methodist Church, Route 7, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Berrier was born May 28, 1912, in Davie County, son of the late Isaac Clinton and Annie Cope Berrier. He was retired from Mocksville Oil Company, and had 30 years service with Burlington Mills in Cooleemec. He was a member of Concord United Methodist Church.

He was preceded in death by a son, Jerry Lynn Berrier, Jan. 25, 1985.

Survivors include: his wife, Mary Frances Martin Berrier of the home; six sisters, Alice McCullough and Ruth Ferebee, both of Mocksville, Katherine Barnhardt of China Grove, Willie Mae Dowell of Salisbury, Rachel Crissman of High Point, and Naomi Nichols of Orlando, Fla.; four brothers, Sam and Cecil Berrier, both of Mocksville, Greere Berrier of China Grove, and James Berrier of Salisbury.

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Mrs. Ethel H. Latham

Mrs. Ethel Harris Latham, 93, formerly of Reid Street, Winston-Salem, died Saturday, Feb. 17, at Hugh Chatham Nursing Center in Elkin after an extended illness.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 20, at Alexander-Church-Kennedy Funeral Home Chapel by Dr. Maxwell Hill. Burial was in Eaton's Baptist Church cemetery in Mocksville.

Mrs. Latham was born in Yadkin County Feb. 5, 1897, to James M. and Lucinda Porter Harris. She was an active member of Waughtown Baptist Church where she was a member of the WMU Circle No. 1 and was a member of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary No. 555. She was a charter member of the Ou-To-Gro Garden Club.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Troy M. Latham.

Surviving are: one brother, Thurmond Harris of Jonesville.

Memorials may be made to the Activity Fund at Hugh Chatham Nursing Center.

Caleb Hubert Nolley Sr.

Mr. Caleb Hubert Nolley Sr., 81, of Rt. 7, Mocksville died Wednesday night, Feb. 14, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 16, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. John Deyton. Burial was in Liberty United Methodist Church Cemetery.

He was a retired employee of Overnight Transport. He was a member of Liberty United Methodist Church.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Sarah Carter Nolley, of the home; one son, C.H. Nolley Jr. of Shelby; one brother, Roy Nolley of Rt. 7, Mocksville; and three grandsons.

Memorials may be made to the Cemetery Fund of Liberty United Methodist Church.

Frank Watson

Mr. Frank Watson, 71, of Rt. 3, Yadkinville died at 10:10 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 14, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Yadkin County to James E. and Fannie Hudson Watson. He was a retired farmer.

Surviving are: his wife, Helen Messie Watson; four daughters, Mrs. Ronnie (Nancy) Garris of King, Mrs. Darrell (Peggy) Campbell of Hamptonville, Mrs. Dexter (Carol) Byrd and Mrs. Carlie (Louise) Cockerham, both of

Elkin; five sons, Foy Watson of Statesville, Don Watson of Elkin, Tim Watson of Yadkinville, Al and Billy Watson, both of Hamptonville; one sister, Mrs. Elishia Forrest of Advance; one brother, Howard Watson of Yadkinville; 20 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 16, at Mackie-Gentry Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Junior Royall. Burial was in St. Paul's United Methodist Church Cemetery.

Mrs. Lydia Ann White

Mrs. Lydia Ann Renegar White, 37, of 145 Tate Road, Rural Hall, died at her home Friday morning, Feb. 16.

She was born in Statesville, the daughter of Rudolph Parker and Barbara Harris Renegar.

Surviving are: one daughter, Miss Sky White, of the home; a sister, Mrs. Janice James of Mocksville; her mother, Mrs. Barbara Sparks of North Wilkesboro; her grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Harris of Boonville; and a niece, Miss LeAnn Levens of Mocksville.

A graveside service was held at 2 p.m. Monday, Feb. 19, at Sandy Springs Baptist Church in Harmony by the Rev. J. Marion Rector.

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Ethel Beauchamp

Ethel Beauchamp Beauchamp, 88, of Route 3, Advance, died Friday, Feb. 23, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital in Winston-Salem.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 25, at Eaton's Funeral Chapel in Mocksville with the Revs. Donald Funderburke and Robert Peurifoy officiating. Burial was in the Bethlehem United Methodist Church cemetery.

Memorials may be sent to the cemetery fund of Bethlehem United Methodist Church, Route 1, Box 137, Advance, N.C. 27006.

Mrs. Beauchamp was born Oct. 3, 1901, in Davie County, daughter of the late William Edward and Mollie Augusta Orrell Beauchamp. She was retired from Hanes Knitting in Winston-Salem. She was a homemaker and a lifelong member of Bethlehem United Methodist Church.

Her husband, Major Beauchamp, died in 1985, and a daughter, Gladys B. Webster, died in 1977.

Survivors include one nephew and two great-nephews.

Mrs. Annie B. Loftis

Mrs. Annie Beason Loftis, 66, of Rt. 1, East Bend, died Wednesday morning, Feb. 21, at her home.

She was born in Yadkin County on October 29, 1923, to Sam S. and Amanda Matthews Adams. She was a member of the Forbush Baptist Church and retired from R.J. Reynolds.

She was married to Robert H. Loftis, who survives of the home.

Also surviving are: one daughter, Mrs. Glenda Rominger of Winston-Salem; one son, Mr. Gerald Hutchens of Hamptonville; one brother, Harvie L. Adams of Mocksville; five stepchildren, Arlene and Angela Loftis, both of Salisbury, Eddie and Joey Hobson, both of Hamptonville and Jeff Hobson of Yadkinville; one grandson; and one stepgrandson.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, Feb. 23, at Forbush Baptist Church by the Revs. John Wilkinson and W.B. Brawley. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Frank J. Frost

Frank Junior Frost, 71, of Route 1, Advance, died Thursday, Feb. 22, in Davie County Hospital after several months of declining health.



The funeral was held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 25, in the chapel of Morrison-Studevent Funeral Home, Mocksville, with Elder I.W. James officiating. Burial was in Cedar Creek Baptist Church cemetery.

Born Sept. 14, 1918, in Davie County, Frost was a son of the late Frank and Lou Wilson Frost. He was self-employed as a hardwood cutter. A member of Palmetto Church, he attended Cedar Creek Baptist Church.

Survivors include: his wife, Magelene Blackwell Frost; a brother, Floyd Wilson of Catawba County; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Willie Lee 'Bill' Orrell

Mr. Willie Lee "Bill" Orrell of 2419 Parkway Dr., Winston-Salem, died Friday, Feb. 22.

He was born in Davie County to Lee B. and Nannie Beauchamp Orrell. He spent most of his life in Forsyth County. He was a member of Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church.

Surviving are: his wife, Ruth Mechum Orrell, of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Camilla Vogler, Sanford; five grandchildren; five sisters, Mrs. Helen Myers and Mrs. Modell Munday, both of Advance, Dorothy Chaplin of Mocksville, Kirby Lee Price of Greensboro and Aldine Daniels of Cooleemee; three brothers, John Orrell and Steve Orrell, both of Advance and Herman Orrell of Clemmons.

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 24, at Elbaville United Methodist Church Cemetery by the Rev. Norman Frye.

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Ruth Bowman

Ruth Heilig McQuage Bowman, 90, of 374 N. Main St., died Feb. 26 at Rowan Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were scheduled for 11 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 28 at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Leland Richardson. Burial was scheduled for Rose Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to First Presbyterian Church, 261 S. Main St., Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

She was born Aug. 27, 1899 in Salisbury, the daughter of the late Edward Lee and Sallie Sossomon Heilig. She was a member of First Presbyterian Church and a past member of Davie County Library Board.

She attended Salisbury City Schools and graduated from State Normal And Industrial School, Greensboro. She taught in and was principal in Salisbury City Schools. She was the former owner and publisher of the *Davie County Enterprise-Record*.

She is preceded in death by her first husband Mr. Ollie McQuage and her second husband Eugene Samuel Bowman.

Survivors include: one sister, Mrs. Dodd (Johnnie) Brown, of Salisbury; one niece and two nephews.

Harrison B. Hickling

Mr. Harrison Buford Hickling, 70, of 3605 Cornell Blvd., Winston-Salem, died Sunday morning, Feb. 25, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was born June 30, 1919, in Emporia, Kan., to John Harrison and Elise Follett Hickling.

Mr. Hickling served in the United States Army and was a minister of the Gospel for forty years. He served as a pastor in Missouri, Kansas, Indiana and North Carolina.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by a son, Howard Leon Hickling.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Pearl Goans Hickling, of the home; two sons, James Hickling, Dearborn Heights, Mich., John Hickling of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Brenda Sargent of Dearborn Heights, Mich. and Mrs. Karen Brown of Mocksville; one brother, Bob Hickling of Pittsburgh, Pa.; 13 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 28, at First Pentecostal Holiness Church with the Revs. Don Sigmon, Tommy Fuquay, Marion Poythress and J.P. Sizemore officiating. Burial followed in Westlawn Gardens of Memory in Clemmons.

Mrs. Camilla B. Smith

Mrs. Camilla Amanda Blalock Smith, 75, of Rt. 1, Harmony, died Thursday, Feb. 22, at the N.C. Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem after being in declining health.

The funeral was held at 4 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 24, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, Mocksville, conducted by the Rev. Haywood Hyatt and the Rev. Kermit Shoaf. Burial was in New Union United Methodist Church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the cemetery fund of New Union United Methodist Church, in care of Pat Moore, Route 6, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Mrs. Smith was born on Jan. 22, 1915, in Cooleemee, daughter of the late Marvin and Phronia Simpson Blalock. She was a homemaker and was a member of New Union United Methodist Church.

Her husband, Jay C. Smith, preceded her in death in 1978.

She was also preceded in death by her brother, Marvin Blalock Jr. and in 1985 by a daughter, Janice Faye Smith Chaffin.

Surviving are: two daughters, Phoebe Sampson of Harmony and Linda Green of Statesville; two sisters, Iona Canupp of Cooleemee and Geneva Cuthrell of Fort Mill, S.C.; five grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

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David 'Crockett' Heath

David Douglas Heath, known by his friends as "Crockett", was accidentally killed on Saturday, Feb. 17, in Lakeland, Fla., at the age of 35.

He was born to Walter Calvin and Katheleen Money Heath Jr. on January 15, 1955, in Forsyth County.

Surviving are: one son, David Douglas Heath Jr.; and one daughter, Lisa Renea Heath, both of Winston-Salem; one stepson, Ronnie Rothrock of Danbury; two brothers, Tony Lee Heath and Calvin Ray Heath, both of Winston-Salem; two sisters, Edith Elizabeth Bailey of Mocksville and Downa Lynn Hill of Germanton; and one grandmother, Creola R. Heath of Lakeland, Fla.

He had worked for the Bahnsen Co. for a period of 11 years, and was presently employed by Florida Sheet Metal in Jacksonville, Fla. He had live in Lakeland, Fla., for the past 19 months.

Graveside services were held Friday, Feb. 23, at Mount Gur Cemetery in Kernersville by the Rev. Richard Mathis of Amazing Grace Baptist Church.

Kathleen 'Peggy' Peak

Mrs. Kathleen "Peggy" Vernon Peak, 56, of 462-C Lindsay Manor Apartments, Kernersville died Monday, Feb. 26, at Medical Park Hospital.

She was born in Toast, N.C., a daughter of Lloyd and Louise Ball Vernon and was a member of Valley View Baptist Church.

Surviving, in addition to her father of Roanoke, Va., and her mother of Mount Airy, are: two daughters, Mrs. Cathy Nelson of Kernersville and Miss Dana Gail Peak, of the home; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Carolyn Zimmerman of Advance and Mrs. Vickie Fritts of Winston-Salem; one son, the Rev. Craig Peak of Belews Creek; one stepson, Gary Wayne Peak of Winston-Salem; three brothers, Homer Vernon and Jimmy Vernon, both of Saurtown Mountain and Douglas Vernon of Orange County; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 28, at Valley View Baptist Church by the Revs. Don Collins and Robert Molsinger. Burial was in Saints Delight Church Cemetery.

Rev. Harold P. Tuttle

Rev. Harold Parks Tuttle, 78, of Rt. 1, Advance died at his home Friday morning, Feb. 23, after a brief illness.

He was born on Sept. 1, 1911, in Winston-Salem to Ollie and Manie Everhart Tuttle. He was a Veteran of the United States Navy during World War II. He was founder of the South Park Baptist Church, Winston-Salem and was pastor of several independent Baptist churches in Forsyth, Yadkin, Davie, Davidson and Rowan counties.

Surviving are: his wife, Mary Virginia Hill Tuttle, of the home;

two daughters, Mrs. Annie Carlene Tuttle of High Point and Mrs. Jerry Lee Oehman of Advance; five grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; one brother, James Tuttle of Kernersville and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 25, at Hope Baptist Tabernacle by the Revs. David Jordan and Bobby Roberson.

Carlos E. Williams Sr.

Mr. Carlos Edward Williams Sr. of Rt. 9, Mocksville, died Thursday, Feb. 22, at his home after being in declining health.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 24, at Center United Methodist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Davie County Hospice, P.O. Box 665, Mocksville, N.C. 27028, or to Center United Methodist Church Building Fund, Highway 64, Mocksville, 27028, or to the Oxford Orphanage, c/o Mr. David Grissom, Superintendent, College St., Oxford, 27565.

Mr. Williams was born in Turner County, Ga., the son of the late Ed and Terretha Ann Priest Williams. He was owner and operator of an Exxon Service Station in Mocksville. He was a member of Center United Methodist Church and was a member of the Mocksville Masonic Lodge No. 134, and also was a Veteran during the Korean Conflict.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Doris Clodfelter Williams, of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Carla Prevette of Mocksville; two sons, Carlos E. Williams Jr. of Mocksville and Brian F. Williams, of the home; two brothers, Gordon G. Williams of Sycamore, Ga., and Grady W. Williams of Tyty, Ga.; and two grandchildren.

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Ola Barney

Ola Mae Martin Barney, 64, of Route 4, Mocksville died Saturday, March 3, at her home after being in declining health.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, March 5, at Eaton's Funeral Chapel, led by the Rev. David Barney. Burial was in the Advance United Methodist Church cemetery.

She was born Jan. 2, 1926, in Johnson County, Tenn., a daughter of the late Thomas Martin and Elizabeth Musgraves Barney. She had retired from Baker Furniture in Mocksville.

Survivors include: her husband, Roy Seabon Barney; two daughters, Barbara Crofts and Diane Wallace, both of Mocksville; two sons, Andrew Barney of Tyro and Robert Barney of Mocksville; two sisters, Rose Leach of Mocksville and Ella Wilson of Zionsville; three brothers, Luther Martin of Kimberly, W.Va., Roy and Asa Martin, both of Zionsville; and nine grandchildren.

Eula G. Blackwelder

Eula Maie Gilmore Blackwelder, 68, of Route 1, Mocksville, died at Forsyth Memorial Hospital Friday, March 2.

The funeral was conducted at 4 p.m. Monday, March 5, at Ijames Crossroads Baptist Church by the Rev. Dean Coffee and the Rev. Kenneth Hyde. Burial was in Ijames Baptist Church cemetery.

Born June 5, 1922, in Chatham County, she was a daughter of the late Samuel R. and Elsie Stout Gilmore. She was a member of the Ijames Crossroads Baptist Church.

Her husband, William Harrison Blackwelder Sr., died in 1985.

Survivors include: three sons, John Samuel Blackwelder, William Harrison Blackwelder Jr. and Robert Allen Blackwelder, all of Route 1, Mocksville; one brother, Marvin Gilmore of Siler City; five grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Frank Lee Brock

Mr. Frank Lee Brock, 69, of 112 Tafe Street, Yadkinville died at Hoots Memorial Hospital on Thursday morning, March 1.

He was born in Greenville, N.C. on Nov. 2, 1920, to Needham and Mary L. May Brock. He was a Veteran of the United States Army serving in World War II.

Surviving are: his wife, Geraldine Hines Brock, of the home; four daughters, Mrs. Patricia Minor and Mrs. Brenda Kay Champ, both of Advance, Mrs. Martha Mitchell of Lexington and Mrs. Kathy L. Gunter of Yadkinville; two sons, Dennis F. Brock of Lexington and Walter D. Brock of the home; 18 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and one brother, Robert H. Brock of Yadkinville.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 3, at Vogler's Clemmons Chapel with burial in Legion Memorial Park, Cooleemee.

Nettie Brogdon Crofts

Nettie Brogdon Crofts, 97, of Route 7, died March 4 at Autumn Care Convalescent Center.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 6 at Eaton's Funeral Chapel by the Rev. John Dayton. Burial was in Concord United Methodist Church Cemetery.

The family requests memorials be made to the cemetery fund at Concord United Methodist Church at Route 7, Box 230, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

She was born July 22, 1892 in Davie County to late Dan and Mary Hellard Brogdon. She was a homemaker and was the oldest living member of Concord United Methodist Church.

Her husband, Frank Crofts, preceded in her death.

Survivors include: two daughters, Sadie Crofts Wagoner and Kathleen Spry, both of Route 7, Mocksville; two sons, Henry Crofts and Homer Crofts, both of Route 7, Mocksville; 23 grandchildren, 62 great grandchildren and five great-great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Tommy and Buddy Crofts.

C.R. Morgan

Calvin Roscoe Morgan, 86, of Gold Hill, died at 9 p.m. Friday, March 2, at Davie County Hospital in Mocksville. He had been in declining health for two years and seriously ill for three weeks.

The funeral was held at 3 p.m. Sunday, March 4, at Luthers Lutheran Church, conducted by the Rev. Tommy K. Beaver, pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Born Sept. 2, 1903, in Rowan County, he was a son of the late John Calvin and Jenny Culp Morgan. Educated in the Rowan County Schools, he attended Pond School and the Farm Life School in China Grove.

Retired in 1972 after 30 years of service from the Rowan Cotton Mill as an oiler, he was also a retired farmer. He was a member of Luthers Lutheran Church.

His wife, Maggie Shaver Morgan, died March 18, 1955.

Survivors include: a son, C. Roscoe Morgan Jr. of China Grove; two daughters, Margaret Bailey of Cooleemee and Mary Kathleen Morgan of the home; two sisters, Freda Cole of Denton and Roxie Morgan of the Meadows Retirement Center in Rockwell; five grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

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Annie Ruth Leonard

Mrs. Annie Ruth Koontz Leonard, 80, of Route 3, Mocksville, died Sunday, March 4, at Rowan Memorial Hospital after being in declining health.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, March 6, at Fork Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. Gordon Joyner. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Fork Baptist Church Building Fund, Route 3, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

She was born June 10, 1909, in Davidson County, daughter of the late Taylor Frederick and Ninna Bailey Koontz. She was a member of Fork Baptist Church and a homemaker.

Her husband, Wade Harrison Leonard Sr., preceded her in death Jan. 19, 1983.

Surviving are: one son, Wade H. Leonard Jr. of Mocksville; and two grandchildren.

Mrs. Opal Mae Mathis

Mrs. Opal Mae Mathis, 70, of 1003 Huffine Mill Road, Greensboro, died Saturday, March 3, at Moses Cone Hospital.

Funeral services were held Monday, March 5, at the Pleasant Grove Baptist Church in Wilkes County, where she was a member. Burial was in the church cemetery.

She was a native of Surry County and the retired owner of Opal's Beauty Shop.

Surviving are: two grandsons; three brothers, Garvey Mathis of Rock Hill, S.C., Richard Mathis of Thomasville, J.D. Mathis of East Bend; two sisters, Mrs. Madge Calloway of Wilmington, and Mrs. Betty Brawley of Mocksville.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Greensboro, 706 N. Greene Street, Greensboro, N.C. 27401.

Willie Cook Penninger

Mrs. Willie Cook Penninger, 71, of Route 1, Woodleaf died Monday night, March 5 at Rowan Memorial Hospital in Salisbury. She had been in declining health for 1½ years but death was unexpected.

Funeral services were scheduled for Thursday, March 8 at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Larry Allen and Rev. Shelby Harbur. Burial will be in Legion Memorial Park in Cooleemee.

The family was scheduled to receive friends Wednesday, March 7 from 7-9 p.m. at the funeral home.

The family request that memorials be sent to Cooleemee First Baptist Church, Cooleemee, N.C., 27014.

She was born in Yadkin County, Feb. 6, 1919 to the late Lewis W. and Matilda Shores Cook, and was a homemaker. She was a member of the Cooleemee First Baptist Church where she was a member of the willing workers Sunday School class.

She is survived by: her husband, John Frank Penninger of the home, who she married in 1938; one daughter, Debby Misenheimer of Cooleemee; three sons, Leon Penninger of Cooleemee, Terry Penninger of Lexington, and Barry Penninger of Maryland; two sisters, Mary Geneva Hill of Salisbury, and Elsie C. Hodgson of Cooleemee; one brother, Henry Cook of Route 4, Mocksville; two half sisters, Donna Shoaf and Ira Mannuel, both of Winston-Salem; nine grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews

Ina Mae Pharr

Ina Mae Redmon Pharr, 74, of Route 6, Murphy's Trailer Park, Mocksville, died Wednesday, Feb. 28, at her home.

Funeral services were held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 6, in the chapel of Morrison-Studevent Funeral Home with the pastor, Jesse Leach, officiating. Burial was to be in the New Jerusalem Holiness Church cemetery March 7.

Born Dec. 7, 1915, in Iredell County, Mrs. Pharr was a daughter of the late Lillian Redmon. She was a member of New Jerusalem Holiness Church.

Her husband, Nathan Pharr, preceded her in death.

Survivors include: a son, Tony Wilson of Mocksville; and two brothers, Bill Dalton and Hobart Redmon, both of Mocksville.

Rosa V.H. Pritchett

Rosa Virgie Hartman Pritchett, 82, of Wadesboro Nursing Home, and formerly of 136 Fairgrove Road, Thomasville died March 1 in Anson County Hospital in Wadesboro.

She was born Sept. 14, 1907 in Davidson County to Edward Jacob and Mary Lou Smith Hartman, and lived most of her life in Davidson County.

She was a homemaker, a member of Johnstown United Methodist Church in Thomasville. Her husband, Rufus R. Pritchett preceded her in death on April 15.

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Survivors include: one daughter, Jackie Russell of Thomasville; one son, Darrell G. Pritchett Of Thomasville; four grandchildren, and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday, March 4 at J.C. Green and Sons Funeral Home Chapel in Thomasville. Burial was in Holly Hill Memorial Park Cemetery.

Della Mae Sales

Della Mae Sales of Route 1, Booneville died March 2 in Yadkinville Hospital.

She was born in Wilkes County on Dec. 12, 1889 to the late Jake and Lucinda Bowles Armstrong. She was a member of Clarks Chapel Baptist Church.

She is survived by: two sons, Graham Sales of Chicago, Ill., and Dallas "Doc" Sales of Siler City; four daughters, Mamie Carter of Booneville, Mable Powell of Southhill, Va., Lovey Shipp of Winston-Salem, Imogene Bowles of Elkin; one brother, Warren Armstrong of Winston-Salem; 74 grandchildren and numerous great and great-great grandchildren.

Funeral services were scheduled for March 8 at 2 p.m. at Clarks Chapel Baptist Church by the Rev. T.R. Orr and the Rev. Thomas Williams. Burial was scheduled for the church cemetery.

The family was scheduled to receive friends at the church from 7-9 p.m on Wednesday, March 7.

The body was scheduled to be taken from Morrison Studivant Funeral Home one hour before the service March 8 to lie in state.

Lillian Y. Redman

Mrs. Lillian Young Redman of 3612 Cornell Boulevard, died Saturday, March 3, at the Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was the daughter of the late William and Robena L. Young. She was a native of Davie County and a member of Mt. Carmel Baptist Church where she was a

Deaconess and vice president of the Nurse's Board.

She is survived by: her husband, Mr. Alonzo Redman, of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth (Ann) Griffin of Clemmons; two grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Gladys Chunn and Ms. Maggie Lee Young, both of Mocksville; one son-in-law, John Wayman Griffin of Clemmons; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 7, at the Mt. Carmel Baptist Church, to be conducted by Dr. H.L. Moore, with burial to follow in the Piedmont Memorial Gardens.

Lonnie M. York

Mr. Lonnie McCoy York, 62, of Rt. 9, Statesville, died Thursday, March 1, at his home following a declining illness of six months.

He was born in Iredell County on Jan. 1, 1928, to Tabitha Trivette York, who survives of Mocksville and the late Clyde McCoy York.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Gay Patterson York, of the home; five daughters, Mrs. Kathy Early, of Troutman, Mrs. Patricia Sloan, Mrs. Sharon Stroud, Mrs. Carla Ottone and Mrs. Anita Hall, all of Statesville; six sisters, Mrs. Lillian Rash of Clemmons, Mrs. Cleo Sharpe of Harmony, Mrs. Nettie Carter of Mocksville, Mrs. Doris Sloan of Olin, Mrs. Mac Foster and Mrs. Sylvia Eddinger, both of Winston-Salem; and 11 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Saturday, March 3, at Reavis Funeral Home Chapel, Harmony by the Rev. Donald Gant and the Rev. Aaron Carter. Burial was in Winthrop Friends Cemetery.

Henry A. Taylor

Henry A. "Punkin" Taylor, 80, of 171 W. Maple Ave., Mocksville, died Saturday, March 3, at Davie County Hospital.

The funeral was held Monday, March 5, at 2 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Chapel with the Rev. Leland Richardson officiating. Burial was in Joppa Cemetery.

Memorials may be sent to Joppa Cemetery Fund, c/o Ruby Purvis, P.O. Box 749, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Born July 12, 1909, in Davie County. He was a retired route salesman for Star Linen in Salisbury.

Survivors included: his wife, Ethel Childers Taylor of the home; one son, Jim A. Taylor of Statesville; one daughter, Ann Taylor Gillis of Mocksville; three grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

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Alta Rison Eaton

Mr. Alta Rison Eaton, 70, of Route 5, Mocksville, died at his home Friday, March 9, after being in declining health for several years.

He was born in Davie County to the late Samuel and Bessie Smoot Eaton. He was a member of Cedar Creek Baptist Church, and was a World War II Veteran.

Funeral services were to be held on Wednesday, March 14, at 12:30 p.m. in the chapel of Morrison-Studevent Funeral Home in Mocksville with Dr. W.C. Hay officiating. Burial was to follow at 2 p.m. in the National cemetery in Salisbury.

Mr. Eaton is survived by: his wife, Mrs. Annie Lee Scott Eaton, of the home; two brothers, Samuel V. Eaton of San Bernardino, Calif. and Everett A. Eaton of Mocksville. Several other relatives also survive.

Jack Masten

Jack Masten, 54, of Route 6, Ocean Haven, Shallotte, died Sunday, March 4, 1990. He was a native of Davie County before moving to Shallotte.

The family saw friends Tuesday night, March 6, from 7-9 p.m. at Brunswick Funeral Service.

The funeral was to be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 7, in the Brunswick Funeral Home Chapel, Shallotte, with the Rev. Macon Wood officiating. Burial was to follow in Brooks Cemetery.

Born in Surry County on Nov. 7, 1935, he was a son of Rhodessia Masten Garris of Shallotte and the late Seaborn Lytton Masten. He was a self-employed carpenter.

Survivors, in addition to his mother, include: his wife, Nancy Lester Masten, of the home; a brother, Charles Masten of Mocksville; a sister, Mrs. Charles (Olive) Burgess of Mocksville; six nieces and a nephew, all of Mocksville.

Jim Moore Franklin

Mr. Jim Moore Franklin, 72, of New York, N.Y., died Sunday, March 4, at his home.

He was born in Forsyth County Jan. 5, 1918, to William Arthur and Betty Shelton Franklin. He had lived in New York for most of his adult life.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Pete Franklin and John Franklin.

Surviving are: one sister, Mrs. Mary Sowers of Advance; two brothers, Daniel and Robah Franklin, both of Lewisville and a number of nieces and nephews.

Graveside services were held at 3:30 p.m. Friday, March 9, in Forsyth Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to either the VFW or American Legion Post of the donor's choice.

John R. Smith

John Roswell Smith, 88, of Route 1, Advance died at his home Monday, March 12, after a period of declining health.

A graveside service will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 14, at Bethlehem United Methodist Church cemetery, conducted by the Revs. Robert Peurifoy and Donald Funderburke.

Memorials may be made to the building fund of Bethlehem United Methodist Church, Route 1, Box 137, Advance, N.C. 27006.

Born in Davie County on Aug. 6, 1901, Smith was a son of the late John A. and Nancy James Smith. A carpenter, he was a member of Bethlehem United Methodist Church. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War I.

A stepdaughter, Verlie Mae Hartman, preceded him in death.

Survivors include his wife, Leona Rena Smith; two stepdaughters, Kathleen Hilton of Advance and Dare Fowler of Columbus; a sister, Polly Grey of Greensboro; a half sister, Hattie Mae McCulloh of Advance; seven grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and five great-great-grandchildren.

Thomas J. Stanley

Thomas Jason Stanley, 54, of 227 Liberty Rd., Archdale died at 12:15 p.m. Thursday, March 8, at Baptist Hospital. He had been in declining health since November and critically ill for two months.

Stanley was born on March 26, 1935, in Rowan County, a son of Thomas Luther and Jesse Cooley Stanley. He had been a resident of Archdale for the past 19 years and was employed by Brookdale Furniture Co. He was a member of Hope Chapel Baptist Church.

On Feb. 8, 1959, he was married to Evelyn Everhart Stanley, who survives of the home.

Also surviving are: two sons, Thomas Wayne Stanley of High Point and Billy Gray Stanley, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Teresa Stanley Fowler of Archdale and Mrs. Paul (Sarah) Spough of Advance; his mother, Mrs. Jesse Stanley of Rt. 1, Woodleaf; three brothers, Joe Stanley of Rt. 1, Woodleaf, David Stanley of Salisbury and Doug Stanley of Louisiana; eight sisters, Mrs. H.A. (Lynn) Moisinger of Winston-Salem, Mrs. W.G. (Dora) Corbett and Mrs. Nora Williams, both of Salisbury, Ms. Zelma Stanley of Mocksville, Miss Martha Stanley, Ms. Barbara Holmes and Ms. Dolly Brown, all of Newport News, Va., and Mrs. Lomnie (Linda) Shores of Mocksville; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 10, at Hope Chapel Baptist Church by the Revs. Joe Bare and Kenneth R. Fowler. Burial was in Guilford Memorial Park Cemetery.

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Charlie F. Jarvis Sr.

Mr. Charlie Franklin Jarvis Sr., 71, formerly of Rt. 1, Advance, died at The Oaks at Forsyth Wednesday, March 7, after an illness of several years.

He was born in Advance, the son of William Franklin and Jennie Beeding Jarvis. He was a retired truck driver for Spector Freight and Roadway Express. His early life was spent in Davie County. He lived in Winston-Salem for 25 years and moved back to Advance in 1968. He was a member of Yadkin Valley Baptist Church.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Agnes Cope Jarvis.

Surviving are: four daughters, Mrs. Alvin (Shelby) Fester of Advance, Mrs. Clarence (Jo Ann) Ziglar of Rt. 13, Winston-Salem, Mrs. Eugene (Gail) Bowman and Mrs. Percy (Ruby) Brendle, both of Winston-Salem; one son, Charlie F. Jarvis Jr. of Rt. 9, Winston-Salem and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, March 9, at Yadkin Valley Baptist Church by the Rev. Leon Wood and the Rev. Sammy Shoaf. Burial was in Oaklawn Memorial Gardens.

'Nan' B. Smith

Nannie Beatrice "Nan" Smith, 80, of Route 2, Linwood died Monday, March 12, at Lexington Memorial Hospital.

The funeral was to be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 14, at Jersey Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. Morris Hollifield. Burial was to follow in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the building or scholarship fund of Jersey Baptist Church, Route 19, Box 828, Lexington, N.C. 27292.

Born in Davidson County on Jan. 20, 1909, Miss Smith was a daughter of the late Julius Marcell and Mary Emma Trantham Smith. A retired teacher, she was a member of Jersey Baptist Church, where she had taught the adult Bible class for 40 years and was a member of the church history committee.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. W.L. (Lena) Smith of Linwood; four brothers, Paul, Frank, and Raymond Smith, all of Linwood, and Claude Smith of Knoxville, Tenn.

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Bertha P. Beck

Bertha Potts Beck, 90, formerly of Cooleenice, died Friday, March 16, at Lewis Gale Hospital, Salem, Va.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Sunday, March 18, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Gordon Joyner. Burial was in Fork Baptist Church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Fork Baptist Church Cemetery Fund, Route 3, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Born Oct. 18, 1899, in Davie County, Mrs. Beck was a daughter of the late James F. and Minnie Hendrix Potts. She was a homemaker.

Her husband, Floyd P. Beck, and a daughter, Lucille Beck Pittman, preceded her in death.

Survivors include: two daughters, Mrs. Rovie (Ruth) Mayberry Jr. of Vinton, Va., and Mrs. Roland (Hallene) Spencer of Athens, Ga.; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Dr. Vernard F. Bond Jr.

Dr. Vernard Franklin Bond Jr., 68, of 865 Warwick Place, Bermuda Run, died Wednesday, March 14, at Medical Park Hospital.

He was born on Aug. 6, 1921, in Bluefield, W. Va., to Vernard Franklin Bond and Audrey Hillman Bond Sr.

Surviving are: his wife, Marianne MacAulay Bond, of the home; one daughter and son-in-law, Marianne B. (Robert E.) Price Jr., of Farmington; two sons and daughters-in-law, Vernard F. and Barbara A. Bond III of Littleton, Colo., and F. MacAulay and Terri R. Bond of King; his mother, Mrs. Audrey H. Bond of Winston-Salem; and two grandchildren.

A memorial service was held at 2 p.m. Friday, March 16, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church by Dr. Dudley Colhoun and the Rev. Joan Grimm. Burial was in the Memorial Gardens at the church.

Memorials may be made to the A.L.S. Association for Research, 21021 Ventura Blvd., Suite 321, Woodland Hills, Calif. 91364, or to St. Paul's Episcopal Church, St. Clements Episcopal Church Building Fund, 2849 Middlebrook Dr., Clemmons, N.C. 27012.

Mrs. Lucille C. Orrell

Mrs. Lucille Crouse Orrell, 90, of Walnut Cove, died early Saturday morning, March 17, at Guardian Care.

She was born in Alleghany County to Creed and Sarah Franklin Crouse.

Surviving are: one daughter, Mrs. Elise O. Levy of Hollywood, Calif.; one son, Arthur M. Orrell Jr. of 6050 Vance Road, Kernersville; and two grandchildren.

A graveside service was held at 11 a.m. Monday, March 19, at Quaker Gap Baptist Church cemetery. The Rev. Jim Baldwin officiated.

Bethana Q. Davis

Bethana Queen Davis, 84, of Route 7, Mocksville, died Saturday, March 17, at Autumn Care Nursing Center.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Monday, March 19, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Billy Sloop. Burial was in Turrentine Baptist Church cemetery.

Born March 12, 1906, in Alexander County, Mrs. Davis was a daughter of the late Julius and Almeada Barker Queen.

Her husband, Charles Davis, died in 1981.

Survivors include: a son, Charles Davis Jr. of Mocksville; two daughters, Mrs. Max (Helgia) Johnson and Mrs. William (Marian) Phillipi, both of Mocksville; seven grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

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Dewey E. 'Buster' Cook

Mr. Dewey Eugene "Buster" Cook, 45, of Rt. 7, Walt Wilson Rd., Mocksville died Thursday, March 15, at his home.

Funeral services were private. Burial was in the Turrentine Baptist Church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Cemetery Fund of Turrentine Baptist Church, Rt. 7, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Mr. Cook was born in Davie County to Louise Massey Cook of Rt. 7, Mocksville and the late Johnny Cook. He was retired from Ingersol-Rand Corp. and had been disabled for the past ten years.

He was educated in the Davie County Schools and was a member of Turrentine Baptist Church. He was a member of the Army National Guard.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Roger Cook in 1969 and his father in 1976.

Surviving in addition to his mother are: his wife, Dianne Cook Cook; one daughter, Crystal Cook, of the home; two sisters, Dorothy C. Gaither of Rt. 7, Mocksville and Linda Cook of Rt. 4, Mocksville; and one brother, Robert Cook, Salisbury St., Mocksville.

James C. Luffman

Mr. James Clyde Luffman, 80, a resident of Route 1, State Road, died Saturday, March 17, at the Davie County Hospital, Mocksville.

He was born in Wilkes County Sept. 21, 1909, a son of the late Luther and Alice Harris Luffman.

Mr. Luffman was married Aug. 11, 1935, to Pearl Walters Luffman. She preceded him in death Feb. 29, 1987.

He was a retired tobacco and cattle farmer.

Surviving are: one daughter, Mrs. Danny (Nancy Louise) Darnell of State Road; two sons, James Javan "Jim" Luffman of Greensboro, Roby Lee Luffman of Route 3, Mocksville; three grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Hubert (Sarah Jane) Martin, and Mrs. Ledford (Flora) Tucker, both of State Road; and one brother, Lester C. Luffman of Long Beach, Calif.

Also preceding Mr. Luffman in death was one sister, Mrs. Thomas Lee (Verlie) Davis and four brothers, V. Winfree, Custis, Walker and Ivan Luffman.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 20, at Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. Glenn Byrd and the Rev. Woodrow Wishon. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Marie A. Williams

Mrs. Marie Amburn Williams, 64, of 7984 Glade Avenue, Rural Hall, died Sunday afternoon, March 18, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital after several years of declining health.

Mrs. Williams was born in Low Gap, a daughter of George Washington and Etta Doby Amburn. She was a member of Oak Grove United Methodist Church.

Surviving are: her husband, John Mack Williams, of the home; a daughter, Ms. Susan Williams of Rural Hall; a son, Randy Williams of Tobaccoville; four grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Howard (Maggie) Smith of Low Gap, Mrs. Irene Styers of Mocksville, and Mrs. Frances Miller of Nashville, Tenn.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 20, at Hayworth-Miller Rural Hall Chapel by the Revs. H. Dwight Cartner and Billy Morrison with burial in Crestview Memorial Park.

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Charles T. Shore

Charles Thomas Shore, 21, of Cemetery Street, Cooleemee, died Thursday, March 15, at his home.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 17, at Mocksville Church of God, conducted by the Rev. Dwight Durham. Burial was in Legion Memorial Park.

Born in Davie County July 4, 1968, Shore was a son of Thomas Ray Shore of the home and the late Burlie Creason Shore. A graduate of Davie High School, he was employed with Jockey International textile plant. He was a member of the Mocksville Church of God.

Survivors, in addition to his father, include his stepmother, Shelbia Shore, of the home; a sister, Janet Susan Shore Whitesides of Mocksville; two brothers, Kenneth Scott and Ray Shore, both of Cooleemee; three stepsisters, Angie Tucker of Locust, Toni Smith of Ridgecrest and Lisa Whitley of Oakboro; two stepbrothers, Larry Burris Jr. of Ridgecrest and Greg Burris of Charlotte; and his stepgrandmother, Ruby Goss of Oakboro.

Carley L. Embler

The funeral for Carley Lester Embler was scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 21, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, to be conducted by the Rev. Kermit Shoaf. Burial was to follow in Fulton United Methodist Church cemetery in Advance.

Embler, 82, of Route 3, Williams Road, Mocksville, died Monday, March 19, at his home as the result of a fire.

Memorials may be made to the restoration fund of Fulton United Methodist Church, Route 2, Advance, N.C. 27006.

Born Oct. 24, 1907, in Guilford County, Embler was a son of the late John and Betty Beck Embler. Formerly employed with Alma Desk Co. in High Point, he was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. He was a Methodist.

Survivors include: a number of nieces and nephews, including Betty Williams of Route 3, Mocksville, with whom he had made his home at one time.

Charlie L. Reeves

Mr. Charlie Lester Reeves, 79, of Rt. 1, Sheffield Rd., Harmony, died Monday, March 19, at Broughton Memorial Hospital, Morganton, after being in declining health for three years.

Funeral services were to be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 21, at New Union United Methodist Church by the Revs. Haywood Hyatt, Wade Wright and Melvin Becker. Burial was to follow in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Research, 836 Oak St., Winston-Salem, N.C. 27101, or to the New Union United Methodist Church, Rt. 6, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Mr. Reeves was born in Davie County to the late John B. and Seliah Beck Reeves and was a farmer and carpenter. He was a member of New Union United Methodist Church.

His wife, Ida Mae Richardson Reeves, preceded him in death in 1986.

Surviving are: four daughters, Mrs. Nola Ludwick of Greensboro, Mrs. Katherine Routh of Climax, Mrs. Brenda Faw of Charlotte and Mrs. Mary Teague of Rt. 1, Harmony; one son, Wade Reeves of Rt. 1, Harmony; 12 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Minnie Brogdon of Greensboro.

Mrs. Sallie Belle Long

Mrs. Sallie Belle Wood Long, 98, of 5220 Country Club Rd., Winston-Salem, died Tuesday, March 13, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital after three years of declining health.

She was born on May 30, 1891, in Davie County to Hiriam and Vira Slater Wood.

Mrs. Long spent most of her life in Winston-Salem and was a member of Jonestown Baptist Church where she was the eldest member.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Charlie W. Long and a son, Frank P. Long Sr.

Surviving are: one daughter, Mrs. Nell Scott of Winston-Salem; one daughter-in-law, Edna A. Long of Winston-Salem; one sister, Maria Cornatzer of Lewisville; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 15, at Jonestown Baptist Church by the Rev. Art Dunham. Burial was in Clemmons First Baptist Church Cemetery.

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Wilsie G. 'Buck' Baity

Mr. Wilsie Gray "Buck" Baity, 75, of Rt. 3, Yadkinville, died at 10:19 a.m. Tuesday, March 20, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Forsyth County to Isaac I. and Sallie C. Baity Baity. He was a member of Courtney Baptist Church. Mr. Baity was founder of Baity Tire Service and remained active until retirement.

Surviving are: his wife, Dorothy Kiger Baity, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Lee (Carolyn) Barksdale Jr. of Greensboro and Mrs. Baxter (Dotte) Slaughter III of Clemmons; two grandchildren; two sisters, Miss Hazel Baity of Yadkinville and Mrs. Allen (Sallie Mae) Hoots of Winston-Salem; two brothers, Lindsay G. and Lawrence Baity, both of Yadkinville.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, March 22, at Courtney Baptist Church by the Rev. Vincent Young with burial in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Senior Adults of Courtney Baptist Church, c/o Dean Norris, Rt. 5, Box 453, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Fred Coleman Barney

Mr. Fred Coleman Barney, 63, of Route 4, Mocksville, died suddenly at his home Monday, March 26.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 28, at Eaton's Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Joe Collins. Burial was to follow in Hardison Methodist Church cemetery.

He was born in Cooleemee, son of the late Sam and Duella Melton Barney. He was a retired mechanic from McLean Trucking Company. He was a member of Cooleemee First United Methodist Church and served in the United States Navy during World War II.

Surviving are: his wife, Faye Dwiggin Barney; one daughter, Martha B. Latham of Mocksville; two grandchildren; and two sisters, Dot B. Shoaf and Betty Bowers, both of Cooleemee.

Herman W. Griffin

Mr. Herman William Griffin, 64, of Rt. 1, Box 263, King died unexpectedly at his home on Wednesday morning, March 21.

He was born in Forsyth County on March 15, 1926, to John and Bertie Nifong Griffin. He was a retired plumber and was a veteran of World War II.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, March 23, at Slate Funeral Home Chapel, King, by Charles Reese, minister. Burial was in Crestview Memorial Park, Rural Hall.

Surviving are: two sons, Ronnie Griffin, and wife, Wanda, and Perry Griffin, and wife, Sandy, both of Winston-Salem; three grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Mamie Browder of King, Mrs. Ruby Petticord and Mrs. Barbara Davis, both of Winston-Salem and Mrs. Norma Campbell of Florida; four brothers, Earl Griffin of King, Ray Griffin of Advance, Fred and Bobby Griffin, both of Winston-Salem.

Paul L. Hamrick

Paul Lancaster Hamrick, 79, formerly of 745 Elderwood Ave., Winston-Salem, died Thursday, March 22, at Autumn Care of Mocksville.

A memorial service was held at 2 p.m. Sunday, March 25, at Ardmore Baptist Church in Winston-Salem, coinducted by Dr. J.L. Wilson.

Memorials may be made to Ardmore Baptist Church, 530 Irving St., Winston-Salem, N.C. 27103.

Born in Forest City on Nov. 22, 1910, Hamrick was a son of the late Crayton and Eller Lancaster Hamrick. He had been owner and operator of the soda shop at the N.C. Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem.

His wife, Rose Gilliam Hamrick, preceded him in death.

Survivors include: a daughter, Judy H. Dixon of Winston-Salem; a son, Paul Lancaster Hamrick Jr. of Houston, Texas; four grandchildren; a sister, Alice Johnson of Virginia Beach, Va.; and a brother, Asa Hamrick of Parkton.

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William F. Blalock

William Frank Blalock, 82, of Route 5, Albemarle, died Tuesday, March 20, at Stanly Memorial Hospital.

The funeral was held at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 23, at Stanly Memorial Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Doland Humphries. Burial was in the Bear Creek Primitive Baptist Church cemetery.

Born April 24, 1907, in Stanly County, Blalock was a son of the late Daniel and Rosie Morris Blalock. He had retired from Alcoa in Badin.

Survivors include: his wife, Ruth Almond Blalock; a son, William "Bill" F. Blalock of Badin; three daughters, Mrs. Darrell (Shirley) Efird and Mrs. Johnny (Elaine) Gill, both of Badin, and Mrs. Frank (Jane) Morton of Lexington; a brother, Jesse Singleton, of Mocksville; a sister, Nellie Mae Thompson of New London; 11 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Wilburn 'Pal' Graham

Mr. Wilburn Powell "Pal" Graham, 84, of Maiden died Saturday, March 24, in North Carolina Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem following a two month illness.

A native of Catawba County, he was born Aug. 29, 1905, son of the late Henry and Ellen Brooks Graham.

He was past chairman of the Deacon Board and Church Treasurer at Maiden Chapel Baptist Church, and was a retired foreman of Maiden Chair Company. He was a member of Star of Gibraltar 631 and Gibraltar Masonic Lodge No. 787 Prince Hall Affiliate.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Alberta Gant Graham of Seneca, S.C.; two sons, Nelson Graham of Mocksville, and Grady Graham of Sherrills-Ford, with whom he had made his home for the past four years; 13 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services are scheduled for Saturday, March 31, at 1 p.m. at Maiden Chapel Baptist Church. Dr. Robert Abbott will officiate. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Estelle L. Miller

Estelle Lewis Miller, 78, of Kettering, Ohio, formerly of Winston-Salem, died at 4 p.m. Friday, March 23, at Kettering Medical Center.

She is survived by: her daughter, Alice Kemper of Kettering; two grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; three sisters, Aileen Bryant of Mocksville, Virginia Church and Helen Fare, both of Winston-Salem; one brother, J. Raleigh Lewis of Winston-Salem; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Graveside funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Tuesday, March 27, at David Cemetery, Kettering, Ohio. Pastor Lawrence L. Hard officiated.

Earnest W. Mitchem

Earnest Wade Mitchem, 22, of Route 2, Mocksville, died unexpectedly Thursday, March 22, at his home.

The funeral was held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 24, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Lanny Atkins. Burial was in West Lawn Garden of Memories in Clemmons.

Born Feb. 12, 1968, in Bluefield, W. Va., Mitchem was a son of Irvin Allen and Elva Marie Orren Mitchem of Advance. He was employed with Bepco Manufacturing Co. in Winston-Salem.

Survivors, in addition to his parents, include: a son, Curtis Erwin Mitchem of the home; a sister, Sheila Marie Mitchem of Advance; three brothers, Allen Lee, Steven Ray and Daniel James Mitchem, all of Advance; maternal grandfather, Stewart Orren of Advance; and paternal grandmother, Florence Mitchem of Princeton, W. Va.

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Mrs. Clide Alma Spicer

Mrs. Clide Alma Anders Spicer, 85, of 812 Birch Lane, Kernersville, died Friday, March 23, at Medical Park Hospital, Winston-Salem.

She was born in Grayson County, Va., on August 27, 1904, a daughter of Floyd Preston and Pollie Ann Haga Anders.

She was a former member of Pleasant View Baptist Church, Winston-Salem and was a member of the Old Kerwin Baptist Church.

Surviving are: two sons, Alvin L. Spicer of Kernersville and Robert G. Spicer of Rt. 11, Winston-Salem; six grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Hallie Stomean of Kernersville and Mrs. Lura White of Mocksville; and one brother, Posey Anders of Independence, Va.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday, March 25, at Pierce Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Mount Gur Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Forsyth County.

Rev. Virgil J. Sykes

Rev. Virgil Joseph Sykes, 74, Motsinger Rd., Wallburg, died Wednesday evening, March 21, at his home.

He was born on Dec. 23, 1915, in Hays to Joseph Wiley and Ada Tate Hayes Sykes. He pastored for 52 years, most recently retiring as minister of Church of God of Prophecy.

During his ministry, he pastored numerous churches in North Carolina, Virginia and Delaware. He also worked as a carpenter.

Surviving are: his wife, Nonie Heath Sykes, of the home; two daughters, Betty L. Capps of Winston-Salem and Elizabeth Johnson of Pfafftown; two sons, V. Eugene "Gene" Sykes and Joseph W. Sykes, both of Winston-Salem; three great-grandchildren; four sisters, Pauline Dezern of Rural Hall, Louise Boyles, Kathleen Shamel Sykes, and Ruby West, all of Winston-Salem; and a brother, James R. Sykes of Belview, Wash.

Two brothers, Dean and Ed Sykes, preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 24, at Church of God of Prophecy by Bishop E. Eugene Johnson, Rev. Kenneth Dees, and Rev. Blane L. Possinger with burial at Oaklawn Memorial Gardens.

Memorials may be made to Church of God of Prophecy, c/o Edith Waller, Rt. 7, Box 164, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Hugh Foster Wagner

Mr. Hugh Foster Wagner, 73, of Route 7, Mocksville died Sunday, March 25, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital after being in declining health for the past several years.



Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 27, at Turrentine Baptist Church by the Rev. Billy J. Sloop. Burial was in the church cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be considered for the Building Fund of Turrentine Baptist Church, c/o Gene James, Route 7, Box 50, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Mr. Wagner was born in Davie County to the late Lewis Franklin and Alice Foster Wagner and was a retired watchmaker with 44 years of service. He was a graduate of the Spencer School of Watchmaking. He was a World War II veteran of the United States Army. He had been a lifelong member of Turrentine Baptist Church where he had served as church treasurer for 26 years and a deacon for 30 years. He had been chairman of the building committee and was former chairman of the cemetery committee.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Brenda Darlene Wagner, and also two brothers, Clinard "Mike" Wagner and John Wagner.

Survivors include: his wife, Pauline Hellard Wagner, of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Melvin (Judy) Becker of Route 4, Mocksville; one son, Robert Foster Wagner of Lumberton; five grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Carl (Velma) Carter of Route 4, Mocksville, Mrs. Margaret Barnhardt of High Point, Mrs. D.T. (Elizabeth) James of Winston-Salem; and one brother, Paul Wagner of Route 7, Mocksville.

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Juanita S. Walker

Juanita Smith Walker, 58, of Jeter Road, Woodleaf died at 1:35 a.m. Monday, March 26, at Rowan Memorial Hospital after being in declining health for five years and seriously ill for two weeks.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete Tuesday afternoon. Noble and Kelsey Funeral Home in Salisbury were in charge of funeral services.

Born Feb. 4, 1932, in Lexington, Mrs. Walker was a daughter of the late Clinton and Elizabeth Legion Smith. She attended Dunbar High School and had been employed as a domestic.

Survivors include: two daughters, Carolyn Cuthbertson of Woodleaf and Edith Smith Lagrand of Charlotte; five grandchildren; three brothers, Donald Lee Smith of Avon Park, Fla., Benny Smith of Salisbury and Ben Lawrence Smith of East Spencer; five sisters, Lois Oglesby of Fayetteville, Ruth Reid of East Spencer, Dorothy Gibson of Macon, Ga., Peggy Allen of Mocksville and Margaret Smith of Avon Park, Fla.

Mrs. Inez Ann Young

Mrs. Inez Ann Young of 148 Windward Circle, Mocksville, formerly of the East 9th St. Community, Winston-Salem, died Friday, March 16, at the Davie County Hospital.

She was a native of Davie County, but had lived in Winston-Salem since early childhood. She was a retired employee of R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co.

Surviving are: several sisters and brothers, and a devoted niece, Sheila Carter of Mocksville, with whom she lived.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Thursday, March 22, at Bethlehem Baptist Church where she was a faithful member until moving to Mocksville. The Rev. E.L. Clark Sr. officiated. Burial was in Piedmont Memorial Gardens.

Agnes S. White

Agnes Viola Stewart White, 79, of Warner Robins, Ga., a former resident of Mocksville, died Wednesday, March 21, at the Medical Center of Central Georgia in Macon after a short illness.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 24, at James Crossroads Baptist Church in Davie County, conducted by the Revs. Thomas Stewart and Darous Stewart, both nephews of Mrs. White. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the cemetery fund of James Crossroads Baptist Church, Route 1, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Born Feb. 20, 1911, in Winston-Salem, Mrs. White was a daughter of the late Charles and Pearl Cline Stewart. A homemaker, she was a member of James Crossroads Baptist Church.

Her husband, James William White, died in 1979.

Survivors include: a daughter, Mrs. Johnny (Betty Jean) LeClair of Warner Robins, Ga.; three brothers, C.B. Stewart of Rockwell and Aaron and Ralph Stewart, both of Winston-Salem; five grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Billy Boyd Vanzant

Mr. Billy Boyd Vanzant, 57, of 6128 Anno Street, Orlando, Fla., died at his home in Orlando Friday, March 23. He had been in declining health for the past two years and seriously ill for the past six months.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, March 26, at Eaton's Funeral Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Donald Funderburke. Burial was in the Oak Grove United Methodist Church cemetery.

Mr. Vanzant was born in Davie County to the late James R.P. Vanzant and Pauline Godbey Vanzant Willard, who also preceded him in death. He was also preceded in

death by his stepfather, Mr. Paul Willard.

He was a plumber and had resided in Orlando for the past 14 years.

Surviving are: four daughters, Patricia Kinzer of King, Regina Culler and Geneva Dial, both of Kannapolis, Paula Peeler of Salisbury; a son, Anthony Vanzant of Kannapolis; 10 grandchildren; a sister, Betty Westmoreland of Mocksville; a brother and sister-in-law, with whom he made his home, Lloyd and Bertha Vanzant of Orlando, Fla.; four half sisters, Kay Dowell, Judy Shore, Doris Barnhardt, and Karen Whitaker, all of Mocksville; three half brothers, Dallas Willard, Paul Willard Jr. and Buster Willard, all of Mocksville.

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Mollie G. Campbell

Mollie Ann Godbey Campbell, 96, of Route 1, Cleveland died at 11:45 a.m. on Thursday, March 29, at Autumn Care of Salisbury.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 31, at South River United Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. Sam Carter, pastor. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Born Oct. 27, 1893, in Davie County, Mrs. Campbell was a daughter of the late Calvin and Elvira Gaither Godbey. A homemaker, she was the oldest member of South River United Methodist Church.

Her husband, James Robert "Bud" Campbell, whom she married March 2, 1919, died Oct. 11, 1972. A son, J. Harvey Campbell, died Oct. 3, 1983; another son, Paul H. Campbell, died Aug. 25, 1978.

Survivors include: a son, Leslie Campbell of Route 1, Woodleaf; nine grandchildren; three stepgrandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

Carrie R. Laird

Carrie Cordelia Riddle Laird, 78, of Route 1, Advance died Tuesday, March 27, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital in Winston-Salem.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Friday, March 30, at Bethlehem United Methodist Church in Davie County, conducted by the Revs. Robert Peurifoy and Donald Funderburke. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Born Sept. 6, 1911, in Davie County, Mrs. Laird was a daughter of the late Asbury and Edna Lou-jean "Genie" Howard Riddle. A homemaker, she attended Macedonia Moravian Church in her earlier years and later was a member of Bethlehem United Methodist Church.

Her husband, A. Frank Laird, died in 1974.

Survivors include: four daughters, Thelma Couch of Welcome, Lydia Laird of Clemmons, Mrs. Gene (Helen) Lanier of Route 1, Advance and Mrs. Billy Joe (Enda) Matthews of Boonville; 15 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; and two sisters, Alpha Riddle and Esther Riddle, both of Route 1, Advance.

"Poochie" Everhart

Henry Clay "Poochie" Everhart, 39, of Jerusalem Avenue, Cooleemee died at 12:30 p.m. on Sunday, April 1, at his home after a serious illness of four weeks.

Funeral services were scheduled for 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 4, at Nobel and Kelsey Memorial Chapel, with Bishop Woodrow Turner officiating. Burial was to follow in Friendship Baptist Church cemetery, Cooleemee.

Born March 30, 1951, in Rowan County, Everhart was a son of Lillian Richardson Everhart of Cleveland and the late Charlie E. Everhart. He attended the Rowan County schools and was employed with Burlington Industries.

He was a former member of Holiness Church of God in Statesville.

Survivors, in addition to his mother, include: his wife, Genesta N. Everhart; a son, Desi Glaspy of Statesville; a daughter, Kimberly Everhart of Troutman; five brothers, Charles E. Everhart of Salisbury, Joseph and Kenny Everhart, both of Cleveland, Willie Everhart of Statesville and W.C. Everhart of Winston-Salem; four sisters, Mertise Sherrill, Mozell Dooley and Peggy A. Sloan, all of Cleveland and Margie L. Miller of Mooresville; and three grandchildren.

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✓ **Lula Caroline Sandlin**

Lula Caroline Ditmore Sandlin of 2853 Bitting Road, Winston-Salem died Tuesday, March 27, at the Bermuda Village Health Center.

She was born October 29, 1890, in Bryson City. Her parents were John Hendrickson Ditmore and Nannie Boaz Fout Ditmore. She attended primary school in Bryson City. She went to live with friends in Waynesville to attend high school.

She received the bachelor's degree from Meredith College in 1912 and the master's in English from Columbia University in 1935. She was a teacher of English grammar, English literature and Latin.

She was a member of several organizations and served them as members of their boards and as an executive officer: the Colonial Daughters of the 17th Century, the Daughters of the American Colonists, the Daughters of the American Revolution, the United Daughters of the Confederacy, the PTA State Board, the Delta Kappa Gamma Society, and others.

In 1913, she was married to George Sandlin of Old Fort. They came to live in Winston-Salem in 1955.

Mrs. Sandlin is survived by: two daughters, Mrs. Beverly Kyle Millaway Jr. of 2853 Bitting Road, Winston-Salem and Mrs. Richard Neel Fullerton of Bermuda Village; two grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services for Mrs. Sandlin were held at Salem Cemetery at 11 o'clock Thursday, March 29, conducted by the Rev. Dr. Paul Craven.

Memorials may be made to the Lula Ditmore Sandlin Fund For Teaching Enrichment at Summit School.

✓ **William W. Howard Sr.**

Mr. William Warren Howard Sr., 67, of 2842 David Street, Clemmons died at Medical Park Hospital Tuesday morning, March 27.

He was born on Feb. 14, 1923, in Davie County to Joseph Henry and Martha Rebecca Allen Howard. He was a member of Victory Baptist Church, where he served as a Deacon and was also active in the music ministry. He was a retired employee of Suburban Propane Gas Co.

He was a Veteran of World War II after serving in the European Theater. He was a member of the VFW Post No. 8719, Advance.

Surviving are: his wife, Doris Hayes Howard, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Debbie Howard Lenderman, of 4404 Hunters Run Drive, Clemmons and Mrs. Melanie Howard Harris of 6441 Holder Road, Clemmons; one son, William Warren Howard Jr. of 6060 Bobbybrook Drive, Clemmons; six grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Edna Allen of Farmington and Mrs. Nina Barnes of Advance; and three brothers, Samuel Howard of Clemmons, Taylor Howard of Advance and Johnny Howard of Farmington.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Thursday, March 29, at Victory Baptist Church.

The Revs. Mike Duffield, Otis Clampitt and Bobby Ridge officiated. Burial was in Westlawn Gardens of Memory with graveside rites by District 11 Memorial Honor Guard.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Winston-Salem or Triad Home Care.

✓ **Mrs. Louise M. Willis**

Mrs. Louise Moore Willis, 78, of 1301 Midwood Road, Gastonia died on Friday, March 23, at Gaston Memorial Hospital.

She had been in declining health for about one year. Mrs. Willis, a native of Morehead City, was a graduate of UNC-Greensboro, and lived in Winston-Salem for a number of years. She taught in area schools, including Smith Grove and Farmington in Davie County. Mrs. Willis was a reference librarian in the Forsyth County Library System from 1957 to 1970.

Surviving are: her husband, Jarvis Willis, of the home; two sons, the Rev. Lawrence R. Willis, O.S.B., of Belmont and Alan Willis of Winston-Salem; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Monday, March 26, at St. Michael's Catholic Church. Burial was in Belmont Abbey Cemetery, Belmont.

Memorials may be made to St. Michael's Church, St. Michael's Road, or to Belmont Abbey College.

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Brian J. Andrade

The funeral for Brian Jeffrey Andrade is scheduled for 11 a.m. Friday, April 13, at Eaton's Funeral Chapel, Mocksville, conducted by the Rev. Shelby Harbour. Burial will be in Rose Cemetery.

Andrade, 15, of Route 4, Pleasant Acre Drive, Coolecree, died Tuesday, April 10, in Wyler Children's Hospital in Chicago, Ill.

The family will be at the funeral home in Mocksville from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday, April 12.

Born Aug. 14, 1974, in Mocksville, Andrade was a son of Fred Trexler of Seattle, Wash., and Stephanie Charest Wensil of the home. A 10th grade student at Davie High School, he had been an avid fisherman and a devout University of North Carolina fan.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by: his stepfather, Brian Wensil of the home; his stepmother, Susie Trexler of Seattle, Wash.; three sisters, Erica Andrade of the home, Kristi and Keri Trexler, both of Seattle Wash.; a brother, Tommy Andrade of the home; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Charest of Mocksville; paternal grandmother, Berta Coleman of Washington; paternal step-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Wensil and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Phelps, all of Coolecree; and paternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gray of Concord.

Louise T. Cook

The funeral for Louise Tutterow Cook was held at 4 p.m. Saturday, April 7, at West Point Baptist Church, Kannapolis, conducted by Dr. Larry Arrowood. Burial was in Carolina Memorial Park, Concord.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Cabarrus County, P.O. Box 1235, Concord, N.C. 28025 or West Point Baptist Church, 1100 Pine St., Kannapolis, N.C. 28081.

Born Dec. 25, 1925, in Davie County, Mrs. Cook was a daughter of the late Harvie A. and Fannie Wood Tutterow. A homemaker, she was a member of West Point Baptist Church. She had been a resident of the area most of her life.

Her husband, William Daniel "Bill" Cook, died April 2, 1985.

Survivors include: a brother, Harvie A. Tutterow Jr. of Landis; three sisters, Hazel Rodgers of Davidson, Margaret Armstrong of Kannapolis and Katherine McGuire of China Grove; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Cook, 64, of 309 S. Walnut St., Kannapolis, died Thursday, April 5, at her home after being in declining health for the past two months.

Paul W. Groce

Mr. Paul Winfred Groce, 78, of Route 2, Yadkinville, died at 11:15 a.m. Wednesday, April 4, at Baptist Hospital.

He was born in Yadkin County to Floyd Thomas and Bessie Shore Groce. He was a member of Forbush Baptist Church, where he was a former Deacon, Trustee and Sunday School teacher. He was retired from Hanes Hosiery and was a Veteran of World War II. He was a lifetime member of the American Legion Post No. 336, East Bend and a lifetime member of the Disabled American Veterans.

Surviving are: his wife, Lillian Spillman Groce, of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Phillip (Joan) Wooten of Yadkinville; one grandson; three sisters, Mrs. Abram (Opal) Phillips and Mrs. Roger (Nancy) Mackie, both of Yadkinville, and Mrs. Ralph (Margaret) Smoot of Elkin; and two brothers, Ernest C. Groce of Yadkinville and Thomas B. Groce of Route 5, Mocksville.

Mr. Groce was preceded in death by two brothers, Ralph and Nelson Groce and one sister, Etta Mae Groce.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 7, at Forbush Baptist Church by the Rev. John Wilkinson and the Rev. J.C. Shore. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Building Fund of Forbush Baptist Church, c/o C.D. Spillman, Route 2, Yadkinville, N.C. 27055.

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William 'Bill' Gilbert Jr.

Mr. William Oscar "Bill" Gilbert Jr., 71, of Route 6, Advance, died Saturday, April 7.

Mr. Gilbert was born Dec. 10, 1918, in Forsyth County to W.O. and Lilly Edveridge Gilbert Sr. Mr. Gilbert had been in declining health for several years.

He spent most of his life in Forsyth County. He was a member of Advent Moravian Church. He was very active in Scout work and was a graduate of Griffith High School.

He served in the Army during World War II and was a life member of Veterans of Foreign Wars of Clemmons and a member of the Odd Fellow Lodge. He was a life member of the American Ex-prisoners of War. He was with R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company for 31 years before retiring.

Surviving are: his wife, Audrey Yow Gilbert, of the home; two daughters, Miss Vicki Maude Gilbert of Clemmons, Mrs. John (Brenda) Teague of Kernersville; two sons, the Rev. W.O. Gilbert III of Koon Rapids, Minn. and Steven Roy Gilbert of Mocksville; two sisters, Mrs. Hazel Knouse of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Marion Hayworth of Pfafftown; one brother, Sam Gilbert of Wishing Well Road; 10 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and a number of nieces and nephews.

A son, Staff Sgt. John Robert Gilbert, preceded him in death in January 1985.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 10, at Advent Moravian Church, conducted by the Rev. Roger Kimball. Burial followed in Forsyth Memorial Park with military rites by District 11 Memorial Honor Guard, N.C. Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Memorials may be made to Advent Moravian Church or Hospice of Davie County.

James T. Cranfill

Mr. James Theodore Cranfill, 58, of Rt. 1, Liberty, died Sunday, April 8, at Alamance Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were scheduled for 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 11, at Monnett Road Baptist Church. Burial was to be in Crestview Memorial Park, Rural Hall.

He was a native of Iredell County and was a Veteran of the Korean War. He was retired from Overnight Transportation Co.

Surviving are: his wife, Leta Putnam Cranfill of the home; one son, Irvin Cranfill of Greensboro; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Sheila Roberson of Winston-Salem; three grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Stella Godfrey of Winston-Salem and Mrs. Betty Dolinger of Hamp-tonville; and two brothers, Leroy Cranfill of Advance and Roger Cranfill of Winston-Salem.

Thomas Frank Jones

Thomas Frank Jones, 71, of Route 1, Simmerson Road, Lin-wood in the Churchland communi-ty, died at 2:10 a.m. Wednesday, April 4, in Lexington Memorial Hospital. He had been in declining health two years.

The funeral was held at 4 p.m. Friday, April 6, at Pine Primitive Baptist Church, conducted by Elder John Draper and Elder Kemp Walker. Burial was in Snider Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Snider Cemetery Fund, in care of W.A. "Bill" Williams, Route 5, Box 985, Lexington, N.C. 27292.

Born Aug. 23, 1918, in Davie County, Jones was a son of the late George Anderson and Lula Hen-drix Jones. Retired from N.C. Finishing Co., he was a World War II veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corps.

A member of Pine Primitive Baptist Church, he was a church trustee. He was also a member of Reeds American Legion Post 162, Churchland Fire Department's board of directors and the ASCA County Committee.

Survivors include: his wife, Laura Williams Jones; a son, Willie Jones of Simmerson Road; a daughter, Annie Laura Pickett of Concord; a brother, Roy Jones of Reedy Creek; five sisters, Ruth Livengood, Sue Beck, Vae Everhart and Burnell Weaver, all of Lexington, and Ella Barnes of Advance; and five grandchildren.

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Julius W. Miller Jr.

Mr. Julius Wesley Miller Jr., 73, of 6945 Barkwood Dr., Lewisville, died Friday morning, April 6, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was born on Feb. 19, 1917, in Winston-Salem to Julius Wesley Miller Sr. and Gladys Fansler Miller. He spent most of his life in Winston-Salem. He had served in the United States Army.

He was a member of Wachovia Arbor Moravian Church, where he had served as an acolyte for the past three years.

He retired in 1981 from Western Electric after 30 years of service. He was a member of the Telephone Pioneers of America.

Surviving are: his wife, June Dixon Miller of the home; three daughters, Ethel Mae Peaston of Scotland, Julia Taylor and Brenda Crater, both of Winston-Salem; two sons, Wes and Mark Miller, both of Pfafftown; 12 grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Mary Boger of Advance; three brothers, Harold and Clive Miller, both of Winston-Salem and Jimmy Miller of Advance.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Sunday, April 8, at Vogler's Reynolda Road Chapel by Bishop Robert Jobst and the Rev. Henry Lewis. Burial followed in Parklawn Memorial Gardens.

Margaret S. Reichert

Mrs. Margaret Sparks Reichert, 47, of 709 Hickory Hill Ct., Gastonia, died Sunday, April 8, at her home after an extended illness.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 11, at Alexander-Church-Kennedy Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Wade McKnight. Burial was to follow in Crestwood Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Reichert was born in Surry County on April 2, 1943, to Cullen and Annie Cothren Sparks. She was a graduate of Elkin High School and was a member of Grace Baptist Church, Gastonia. She was employed by American Dornier Co. in Charlotte.

Surviving are: her husband, Werner W. Reichert of the home; one daughter, Ms. Michelle Reichert of the home; two sons, Craig W. Chipman of Elkin and Chris Chipman of Boone; her mother, Mrs. Annie Sparks of Jonesville; and two sisters, Mrs. Jennie Wilmouth of Dobson and Mrs. Pamela Baldwin of Mocksville.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Gaston County, 990 Robinwood Rd., Gastonia, N.C. 28054.

Floyd Harding Swisher

Floyd Harding Swisher, 55, of Route 6, Mocksville died April 9 at his home after a brief illness.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 11 at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Rev. David Barney. Burial was scheduled for Bixby Presbyterian Church cemetery.

He was born Aug. 23, 1934 in Davie County to Louise Richardson Swisher of Statesville and the late Floyd Swisher

He was employed with Pennington Chevrolet for 25 years and with Service Distributors for the past 7 years. He was a member of the national guard.

Survivors in addition to his mother include: his wife, Peggy (Tink) Robertson Swisher of the home; two daughters, Cynthia Swisher of Salisbury and Katrina Swisher of the home; one son, Dwayn Swisher of Mocksville; one brother, Robert Swisher of Goldsboro; one grandson and two step grandchildren.

Rev. L.M. Tenery

The Rev. L.M. Tenery, 84, of 6 Tawba Lane, Greenville, S.C., a retired Baptist minister, died Wednesday, April 4, at a local hospital following a brief illness.

Born and reared in Italy, Texas, he was a son of the late J.E. and Addie Windham Tenery. He attended Trinity University in Texas and graduated from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas in 1945.

Tenery served as pastor of Nebo Baptist Church in Marion, S.C.; Spring Hill Baptist Church in Lancaster, S.C.; Fork Baptist Church in Mocksville; South Albemarle Baptist Church in Albemarle; and Zoar Baptist Church in Shelby, from which he retired in 1968. Since his retirement, he had made his home in Greenville.

He was a member of Monaghan Baptist Church.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Jewell Gardner Tenery; two sons, Dr. James M. Tenery of Maysville, Ky., and The Rev. Robert M. Tenery, pastor of Burkemont Baptist Church in Morganton; six grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Gail Tenery Bratcher of Ennis, Texas; and a brother, J.O. Tenery of Plainview, Texas.

A daughter, Mrs. Glenda Tenery Gamble, died October of 1984.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 7, at Monaghan Baptist Church by The Rev. Gene Lloyd and The Rev. Robert M. Tenery. Burial was in Fork Baptist Church Cemetery near Mocksville.

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Emma Poole Bean

Emma Poole Bean, 68, of 1205 N. Long St., Salisbury, died unexpectedly Wednesday, April 11, at her home.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Friday, April 13, at Victory Baptist Church, Rockwell, with the Rev. Earl Cook, pastor, officiating. Burial was in City Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to Victory Baptist Church, P.O. Box 998, Rockwell, N.C. 28138.

Born Sept. 29, 1921, in Rowan County, Mrs. Bean was a daughter of the late William Mathew and Mary Moose Poole. She had been employed at Amoco American Spinning Mill, where she completed 50 years of service in September 1989. She was a member of Victory Baptist Church in Rockwell.

Her husband, Ervin Bean, died Jan. 19, 1973.

Survivors include: three daughters, Betty Beck of Lexington, Frances Trexler of Salisbury and Louise Parrish of Mocksville; a sister, Mary Elizabeth Talley of Rockwell; nine grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

James S. Hairston

James Stanley Hairston, 29, of Brooklyn, N.Y., a Davie County native, died April 10 of natural causes in Durham County Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 4 p.m. Saturday, April 14, in the chapel of Morrison-Studevent Funeral Home, Mocksville, conducted by Bishop Tony Ijames. Burial was in New Jerusalem Holiness Church cemetery.

Born Sept. 17, 1960, in Davie County, Hairston was a son of Dorothy Hairston of Brooklyn, N.Y. He was formerly self-employed as an automobile mechanic.

Survivors, in addition to his mother, include: his wife, Catherine Cates Hairston; and three stepsons.

Willie G. Redmon

Willie G. Redmon, 89, of Cedar Street, Yadkinville, died at his home on Wednesday, April 11, following an illness of six months.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Friday, April 13, at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church in Hamptonville, conducted by the Rev. Walter Tidline. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Born Jan. 15, 1901, in Iredell County, Redmon was a son of the late Thomas Lee and Phyllis Dalton Redmon. A member of Pleasant Hill Baptist Church in Iredell County, he was retired from Piedmont Garment.

Survivors include: his wife, Vera Redmon; three sons, Charles and Thomas Redmon, both of New Jersey and David Redmon of Mocksville; two daughters, Amy and Nancy Redmon, both of New Jersey; a brother, Turner Redmon of Yadkinville; a sister, Kathleen Campbell of Mocksville; and a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

William F. Peebles

William F. Peebles, 37, of 708 Raeford Ave., Lexington, died Tuesday, April 10, in Longview, Texas.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Sunday, April 15, in the chapel of Morrison-Studevent Funeral Home with the Rev. Calvin Crump officiating. Burial was in Mount Sinai AME Zion Church cemetery.

Born April 10, 1953, in Davie County, Peebles was a son of James M. Peebles of Mocksville and the late Geneva Hoover Peebles. A long distance truck driver for Gen Pak Co. of Charlotte, he was a member of White Street Church of Christ.

Survivors, in addition to his father, include: his wife, Christine Crump Peebles; a daughter, Sharlene Peebles of the home; five stepdaughters and one stepson, all of Lexington; three brothers, Frank Madison, James Jr. and Lewis Peebles, all of Mocksville; two sisters, Christine Cowans of Asheville and Mary P. Peoples of Mocksville.

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Mrs. Cora Olene Harris

Mrs. Cora Olene Perry Harris, 60, of Route 1, Thurmond, died Saturday, April 14, at N.C. Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem after a long illness.

Mrs. Harris was born Dec. 14, 1929, in Surry County to Jeffie Jehane Perry and Inez Norman Perry. She was a housewife and a member of the Union Hill Missionary Baptist Church.

Surviving are: her husband, Grady Winfield Harris, of the home; a daughter, Mrs. Judy E. Baker of Thurmond; four sons, Charlie, Sammy C. and Jerry A. Harris, all of Route 1, Thurmond, Michael Harris, of the home; eight grandchildren; three stepgrandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Rozella Shores of Guardian Care Nursing Center, Elkin, Mrs. Gertha Saunders and Mrs. Agnes Setliff, both of Danville, Va., Mrs. Maizie Chattin of Cooleemee; and one brother, Bert Dixon of Yadkin Nursing Center.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday, April 17, at Forbush Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. John Wilkinson. Burial was in the Forbush Baptist Church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Forbush Baptist Church Library, c/o C.D. Spillman Jr., Route 2, Yadkinville, N.C. 27055.

Mrs. Ethel P. Poteat

Mrs. Ethel Pennell Poteat, 89, of 1201 Brookwood Dr., Winston-Salem, died Monday, April 16, at Meadowbrook Manor.

She was born July 20, 1900, in Alexander County to John and Dora Johnson Pennell. She was a member of College Park Baptist Church and retired from the Hanes Corporation in 1962.

Mrs. Poteat is survived by: two daughters, Mrs. Mary Satterfield of Winston-Salem and Mrs. Evelyn Lunsford of Advance; two granddaughters; two great-grandchildren; two brothers, Mack Pennell and Ralph Pennell; and one sister, Elizabeth Stockton.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Thursday, April 19, at Vogler's Reynolda Road Chapel by Dr. Charles Edwards. Burial is scheduled for Woodland Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to College Park Baptist Church, 1701 Polo Rd., Winston-Salem, N.C. 27106.

W.L. 'Wash' Cook

Washington Lafayette "Wash" Cook, 91, of Journey's Rest Home, formerly of Route 2, Harmony, died Friday, April 13, at Iredell Memorial Hospital in Statesville.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 15, at Sandy Springs Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. Paul S. Simpson. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the cemetery fund of Sandy Springs Baptist Church, Route 2, Harmony, N.C. 28634.

Born in Iredell County April 13, 1899, Cook was a son of the late Andrew F. and Dora Trivette Cook. A retired farmer, he was a member of Sandy Springs Baptist Church, where he was a former deacon, Sunday school teacher and choir director.

His wife, Minnie Wallace Cook, died March 8, 1984.

Survivors include: two sons, Leon Cook of Eagle Springs and Wendell F. Cook of Statesville; two daughters, Mrs. Norman (Ruby) Joyner of Statesville and Mrs. Charlie (Gwen) Smith of Cleveland; 13 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren; one brother, Sanford Cook of Clemmons; three sisters, Eula Anderson of Mocksville, Allie Cook of Harmony and Annie Reavis of Greensboro.

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Michael D. Dalton

The funeral for Michael Donn Dalton was scheduled for 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 25, at Mount Zion Holiness Church, conducted by Elder James James, pastor. Burial was scheduled to be in Rose Cemetery.

Dalton, 38, of 249 Hemlock St., Mocksville, died at 4:34 a.m. on Sunday, April 22, in Cooleemee as the result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

Born March 14, 1952, in Salisbury, Dalton was a son of Charles Nathaniel and Helen Mack Dalton of the home. A graduate of Davie County High School, he received an associate degree in electrical and insulation engineering from Rowan-Cabarrus Community College.

He was employed at Sara Lee Hanes Knitwear, Bixby Plant, in Advance. He was a member of Mount Zion Holiness Church.

Survivors, in addition to his parents, include: a son, Olivian Brown of Cooleemee; five brothers, David Dalton of Mocksville, Weldon Dalton of Miami, Fla., Gilbert Dalton of the home, Steve Dalton of Clemmons and Thomas Dalton of Roanoke, Va.; a sister, Debra D. Watkins of Durham; and a half sister, Frances Carter of Mocksville.

Mrs. Kopelia Rose Frost

Mrs. Kopelia Rose Frost, 70, of Route 1, Mocksville, was dead on arrival at Davie County Hospital Monday evening, April 23, following an apparent heart attack.

She was born in Davie County to the late William Val Rose and the late Mrs. Willie Lewis Rose. She was a member of Piney Grove AME Zion Church in Harmony. She attended the Davie County Public Schools and was a homemaker.

She is survived by: her husband, Mr. Rufus Frost of the home; one daughter, Rebecca Frost, of the home; one son, Hugh Mitchell Frost of Charlotte; four brothers, Martin L. Rose and Elmore E. Rose, both of Harmony; Artis Lee Rose and Charlie Rose, both of Winston-Salem; and other relatives and friends.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete Tuesday afternoon. Morrison-Studevent Funeral Directors of Mocksville was in charge of service and arrangements.

James L. Pierce

Mr. James Louis Pierce, 62, of 5 Riverside Drive, Cooleemee, died Friday, April 20, at the VA Medical Center in Salisbury. He had been in declining health for the past 18 years and seriously ill for two months.

A graveside service was held at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 22, in Legion Memorial Park Cemetery with the Rev. Shelby Harbour officiating.

Memorials may be made to the VFW Post, Cooleemee, N.C. 27014.

Born Sept. 26, 1927, in Davie County, he was a son of the late Charles Edward and Maggie Allsobrooks Pierce. He had been employed by Erwin Mills and was a member of Victory Baptist Church. A veteran of World War II, he served with the U.S. Navy and the Merchant Marines. He was a member of Cooleemee VFW.

Survivors include: his wife, Carolyn Ridenhour Pierce; two daughters, Virginia P. Moon of Richmond, Calif. and Gaye Pierce of Lexington; three sons, James E. Pierce and Stephen Pierce, both of Lexington, and Charles E. Pierce of Mocksville; 12 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mabel Killiam of Clemmons and Pauline Rice of Decatur, Ga.; four brothers, David Sigmon of Raleigh, Charles H. Pierce of Wilmington, and Dorie and Bill Pierce, both of Cooleemee.

Magdalene Horton

Magdalene Blackwood Horton, 81, of Old Concord Road, Salisbury, formerly of Cooleemee, died Thursday, April 19, at Rowan Memorial Hospital after a brief illness.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 21, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, Mocksville, conducted by the Rev. Shelby Harbour and the Rev. Joe Collins. Burial was in Rowan Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to Victory Baptist Church or Cooleemee United Methodist Church, both Cooleemee, N.C. 27014.

Born May 7, 1908, in Davie

County, Mrs. Horton was a daughter of the late Joecephus and Hester Robertson Ellenburg. A retired employee of the Diana Shop in Salisbury, she was a Baptist.

Her first husband, Fred L. Blackwood, died in June 1951.

Survivors include her second husband, James E. Horton of the Brian Center Nursing Care of Salisbury; two daughters, Peggy Foster of Cooleemee and Betty Glass of Salisbury; two sons, Fred Blackwood Jr. of Salisbury and Flake Blackwood of Cooleemee; three stepchildren; four sisters, Ruby Nichols of Melbourne, Fla. and Celia Copley, Sadie Burkhardt and Teny Davis, all of Salisbury; a brother, John Ellenburg of Lexington; 13 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

Graye Barnhardt

Mr. Graye Barnhardt, 98, of 304 Raeford Avenue, Lexington died Saturday, April 21 at Lexington Memorial Hospital. He had been in declining health for two weeks.

Funeral services were held April 24 at Wesley Heights United Methodist Church by the Rev. Dwight Pyatt and the Rev. Derry Barnhardt. Burial was in Forest Hill Memorial Park.

Barnhardt was born March 7, 1892 in Davie County to the late Charlie Ephraim and Mary Rebecca Garwood Barnhardt and was retired from Erlanger Mills. He was a charter and oldest member of Wesley Heights United Methodist Church.

He is survived by: his wife, Edna Lee Disher Barnhardt; one son, Tommy Barnhardt, Lexington; one grandchild; and relatives in Davie County.

Memorials may be made to the Wesley Heights United Methodist Church, 100 Western Boulevard, Lexington, N.C. 27292.

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Raymon Lacy Hardy

The funeral for Raymon Lacy Hardy, a retired U.S. Army lieutenant colonel, was held at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 19, at Milford Hills United Methodist Church with the Rev. Stephen D. Haines, pastor, and the Rev. Robert M. Smith Jr., pastor of Epworth United Methodist Church, Concord, officiating. Burial was at 2:30 p.m. Friday, April 20, in the U.S. National Cemetery of Chattanooga, Tenn., with military rites conducted by the 101st Airborne Division of Fort Campbell, Ky.

Memorials may be made to Milford Hills United Methodist Church, 1630 Statesville Blvd., Salisbury, N.C. 28144.

Born Aug. 26, 1937, in Franklin County, Tenn., Hardy was a son of Raybell Bean Hardy of Pelham, Tenn., and the late Lacy Hardy. Educated in the Grundy County, Tenn. schools, he was a graduate of Middle Tennessee State College.

He was retired from the U.S. Army after 20 years, serving as a master aviator in Army Aviation. He achieved the rank of lieutenant colonel, having served in two combat tours in Vietnam. He received the Master Army Aviation Badge, Vietnam Service Medal, Distinguished Flying Cross, Purple Heart and Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm and other decorations.

The family moved to Salisbury in 1976, where he was advisor to the N.C. National Guard Aviation Flight Activity Center. He was presently employed with the Davie County School System as senior ROTC instructor.

A member of Milford Hills United Methodist Church and the United Methodist Men, he was also a member of the Harold B. Jarrett American Legion Post and the Elk's Club.

Survivors, in addition to his mother, include: his wife, Betty Jo Chance Hardy, whom he married in March 1959; a son, Raymon L. Hardy Jr. of Chattanooga, Tenn.; three daughters, Mrs. Eric (Ramona) Wright of Lebanon, Tenn., Lt. Renee E. Hirniak of Fayetteville and Rebecca C. Hardy of Charlotte; two brothers, Joe Hardy of Gautier, Miss. and Jerry Hardy of Pelham, Tenn.; and three grandchildren.

Hardy, 52, of 415 Willow Road, Westcliffe, died Tuesday, April 17, at the McGuire VA Medical Center in Richmond, Va.

Doyle J. Miller

Doyle Julius Miller, 63, of Route 4, Fairfield Road, Mocksville, died Friday, April 20, in the emergency room at Davie County Hospital.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Sunday, April 22, in Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Thomas Tuggle and the Rev. Ted Tuggle officiating. Burial was in Dutchman Creek Baptist Church cemetery.

Born March 5, 1927, in Greenville, S.C., he was a son of Coy Lawrence Miller of Route 7, and the late William Julius Miller. He was retired from Hurst-Celanese Fiber at Salisbury and was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving during World War II. He was a member of the Dutchman Creek Baptist Church.

Survivors in addition to his mother are: one daughter, Sheila A. Miller of Mocksville; two sons, Donald Miller of Mocksville and James Doyle Miller of the home; one grandchild; three sisters, Edna Angell, Lathell Combs, and Texola Tucker, all of Mocksville; and one brother, Cletus R. Miller of Mocksville.

Mrs. Willie L. Rose

Mrs. Willie Lewis Turner Rose, 89, of Route 1, Mocksville, died at Davie County Hospital Monday evening, April 23, after a short illness.

She was born in Iredell County and was a member of Piny Grove AME Zion Church in Harmony.

She is survived by: four sons, Martin L. Rose and Elmore E. Rose, both of Harmony; Artis Lee Rose and Charlie Rose, both of Winston-Salem; 32 grandchildren and a large number of great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete Tuesday afternoon. Morrison-Studevent Funeral Directors of Mocksville were in charge of service and arrangements.

Charles M. Hamm

Mr. Charles Matison Hamm, 71, of Route 4, Box 121, Advance, died Thursday, April 19, at Blumenthal Jewish Home, Clemmons.

A native of Walnut Cove, he was born October 30, 1918, to Virgil W. and Ava Clark Hamm. Prior to his illness, he was an active member of Twin City Baptist Church where he served on the Deacon Board, was a Sunday School teacher, sang in the choir and was the church treasurer for several years. He was a member of the General Motors Legion of Leaders Club. He retired from Modern Chevrolet in 1979.

Surviving are: two sons, Terry Hamm of Advance and Stanley Hamm of Atlanta, Ga.; four grandchildren; two sisters, Lorene Willard of Winston-Salem and Thelma Hawkins of Madison; one brother, Eugene Hamm of Winston-Salem; several nieces and nephews and Kathleen Hamm of Advance.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 21, at Twin City Baptist Church by the Rev. Ed Gaines. Burial followed in Salem Chapel United Church of Christ Cemetery, Walkertown.

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✓ **Luther J. Parsley**

Mr. Luther Jackson Parsley, 74, of Route 7, Mocksville, died Wednesday, April 18, at the Durham VA Medical Center. He had been in declining health two years and seriously ill 5½ weeks.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Friday, April 20, at Edgewood Baptist Church, Cooleemee, conducted by the Rev. D.C. Sullivan and the Rev. Dale Parsley. Burial was in Jerusalem Baptist Church cemetery with military graveside rites by the District 11 Memorial Honor Guard, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Born June 7, 1915, in Morton County, Ky., Parsley was a son of the late Thomas Jefferson and Victoria Maynard Parsley. He was a retired security guard for Norman's of Salisbury and a veteran of World War II and the Korean Conflict, serving in the U.S. Navy. He was a member of Edgewood Baptist Church, where he was a member of the Men's Bible Class.

A son, George Cecil Parsley, died in 1978.

Survivors include: his wife of 55 years, Mary Jeanette Davis Parsley; a daughter, Mrs. Bill (Louise) Hudson of Salisbury; a son, Thomas Edward Parsley of Spencer; a brother, Boyd Parsley of Spruce Pine; two half brothers, Thomas Parsley of Woodleaf and Mitchell Parsley of Knoxville, Tenn.; eight grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

✓ **Bertha M. Phifer**

Bertha Mayfield Vaughters Phifer, 99, of 6755 Foster Road, Woodleaf, died at midnight on Friday, April 20, at Triad Rehabilitation Center in Winston-Salem after a serious illness of 2½ months.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, April 24, at Erwin Temple CME Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Born June 8, 1890, in Banks County, Ga., Mrs. Phifer was a daughter of the late James and Mary Little Mayfield. Educated in the Banks County schools, she was a member of Erwin Temple CME Church, where she was a Mother of the church and the last charter member. She was also a member of the stewardess board, missionary board number one and had been a member of the senior choir.

Survivors include: two stepsons, Delbert Phifer of Greensboro and Arthur Phifer of Salisbury; a daughter, Addie Steelman of Woodleaf; a stepdaughter, Mary Cowan of Salisbury; 25 grandchildren; and 57 great-grandchildren.

✗ **Cora Olene Harris**

The obituary for Mrs. Cora Olene Harris in last week's *Davie County Enterprise-Record* should have read that funeral services were held at 2 p.m. April 17 at Union Hill Primitive Baptist Church with burial in the church cemetery. The obituary should have included two brothers as survivors: Dennis Perry of Sequin, Washington, and Edward Perry of Route 1, Thurmond.

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James Roy Ellis

Mr. James Roy Ellis, 75, of Route 4, Advance died Sunday, April 29, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Clemmons January 6, 1915, the son of Ira Alexander and Ada Riddle Ellis and was a retired foreman of R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Construction Department, with 31 years of service.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Josephine Butner Ellis, of the home; a daughter, Mrs. Warren C. (Johnsie) Brannon of Burlington; a son, James Mondell Ellis of Advance; four grandchildren; two brothers, John A. and Ray H. Ellis, both of Clemmons.

Funeral services were held at Vogler's Clemmons Chapel, 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 1, by the Revs. Mark Harris and Hampton Morgan Jr. with burial in Westlawn Gardens of Memory.

Memorials may be made to the Challenge to Build, Center Grove Baptist Church, 9035 Center Grove Church Road, Clemmons, N.C. 27012.



Wesley H. Jarvis

The funeral for Wesley Henry Jarvis was held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 25, in the North Street Chapel of Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Home, Danville, Va., conducted by the Rev. Rick Withrow. Burial was in Danville Memorial Gardens.

Jarvis, 70, of 146 Meadowbrook Drive, died Sunday, April 22, at Memorial Hospital in Danville after five years of declining health.

Born Nov. 1, 1919, in Advance, Jarvis was a son of the late John Henry and Lillie Chambers Jarvis. He had lived most of his life in the Danville area and was retired as a machinist with Disston Co. He was a Baptist and U.S. Air Force veteran.

Survivors include: his wife, Esther A. Jarvis; and two sisters, Reecie McCarthy of Rutherford and Mary Jarvis Thompson of Advance.

Marie F. Sloop

Marie Faggart Sloop, 74, of 2980 Phaniels Church Road, Rockwell, died at 7:45 p.m., April 30 at the Presbyterian Hospital in Charlotte.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Thursday, May 3 at Phaniels Baptist Church by the Rev. James Allen and Dr. Jesse Johnson. Burial will be in the church cemetery. The body is scheduled to be placed in the church 30 minutes prior to the service. The family was scheduled to receive friends Wednesday, May 2 at Linn-Honeycutt Funeral Home in China Grove.

Memorials may be made to the Phaniels Baptist Church, 3385 Phaniels Church Road, Rockwell, 28138.

Sloop was born March 9, 1916 in Cabarrus County to the late Albert Luther and Edna Witherspoon Faggart. She was educated in the Rowan County school system and was a member of the Phaniels Baptist Church. She was retired from Cannon Mills plant 16.

Her husband, Hoyle Edward Sloop, preceded her in death on July 9, 1989.

Survivors include: four sons, Rev. Billy J. Sloop of Mocksville, Rev. G.W. Sloop of Mooresville, Charles Sloop and Tony Sloop, both of Rockwell; one daughter, Carol Lentz of Rockwell; four brothers, Paul Faggart of Concord, J.B. Faggart and Martin Faggart of Rockwell and Marvin Faggart of China Grove; one sister, Katherine Haney of Concord; 16 grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Charlie 'Red' Cornatzer

Charlie Watkins "Red" Cornatzer, 82, of Route 3, Advance died Tuesday morning, May 1, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital in Winston-Salem. He had been in declining health for several years and seriously ill for only five days.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Thursday, May 3, at Advance United Methodist Church by the Rev. Harlan Creech. Burial will be in the church cemetery. The body is scheduled to be placed in the church 30 minutes prior to the service. The family was scheduled to receive friends May 2 from 7-9 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Home.

The family request that memorials be considered for the building fund at Advance United Methodist Church, Route 2, Advance, 27006.

Cornatzer was born in Davie County April 11, 1908 to the late Jacob Solomon and Ellen Berryman Cornatzer. In previous years he operated a dry cleaning service and later owned and operated Red's Place Grocery in Advance.

He was a lifelong member of Advance United Methodist Church. His wife Hollie Mabel Hendrix Cornatzer preceded him in death in 1986.

Survivors include: five sons, Charles W. Cornatzer, Richard Cornatzer, Quincy Cornatzer and Clinton Cornatzer, all of Advance, and Toby Cornatzer of Route 3, Mocksville; 10 grandchildren; four great grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Sally Long of Clemmons, Mrs. Recie Sheets, and Mrs. Sadie Groce of Pfafftown; two brothers, Paul Cornatzer of Advance and Bradley Cornatzer of Detroit Mich.

Shelby Gaither Grant

Shelby Gaither Grant, 43, of Route 1, River Hill Road, Statesville, died April 23 at University Memorial Hospital in Minneapolis, Minn.

Funeral services were held April 28 at Westmoreland Chapel by Mr. Johnny Melton and the Rev. Steven W. Cox. Burial was in Oakwood.

She was born Feb. 25, 1947 in Davie County to Cleo Seamon Gaither and the late John Wesley Gaither. She was a self employed poultry farmer.

Survivors, in addition to her mother, include: her husband James Norman Grant; two sons, James Craig Grant of the home and Eric Scott Grant of the U.S. Army; one brother, Mike Gaither of Route 1, Mocksville; one sister, Linda Sue Mastin of Route 1, Mocksville.

Memorials may be made to the American Liver Foundation, 998 Pompton Ave., Cedar Grove, N.J. 07009.

Maybelle M. Yates

Mrs. Maybelle Meldau Yates, 72, of 210 East 10th Avenue Extension, Lexington, died April 26 at Lexington Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were held April 29 at Voglers-Piedmont Funeral Home in Lexington. Burial was in Forest Hill Memorial Park.

She was born April 7, 1918 in Rowan County to the late Elmo Harvey and Vera Auty Love Meldau Murray. She was the retired owner and operator of Maybelle's Beauty Shop and was a member of Jehovah's Witness Kingdom Hall.

Her husband, Jesse W. Yates, died in 1981.

Survivors include: two brothers, Efland Murray, 404 Hoover Drive, Lexington, and Clyde Murray, Mocksville; two sisters, Mrs. Pauline Smith, 101 Sunrise Avenue, Lexington, and Mrs. Charles (Donese) Liabel, Palm Bay, Fla.

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Clyde C. Harris

Clyde Clifton Harris, 79, of Rt. 3, Yadkinville, died at noon Friday, May 4, at Hoots Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Yadkin County to Miles and Nancy Wooten Harris. He was a retired farmer and was retired from Dixie Furniture Co.

Surviving are: his wife, Evelyn Grant Harris; one daughter, Mrs. Judi and Don Smith of King; three sons, Frank and Margaret Harris of Winston-Salem, Mark and Mary Harris of Mocksville and Monty and Mona Harris of Yadkinville; six grandchildren; four sisters, Lucy Rutledge of Lexington, Jo Key of Winston-Salem, Ruth Joyner of Hamptonville and Martha Caudle of Yadkinville; and two brothers, Frank Harris of Hamptonville and Sam Harris of Yadkinville.

Mr. Harris was preceded in death by a sister, Eihel Caudle and two brothers, Marson and Luther Harris.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, May 6, at Bethel Baptist Church by the Revs. Grady Trivette and Paul Moore. Burial was in the church cemetery.

James Burl Johnson

James Burl Johnson, 54, of Iredell County died at noon Saturday, May 5 of a heart attack.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 8 at Fifth Creek Presbyterian Church near Cool Springs by the Rev. John L. Hiholland. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Johnson was born in Iredell County on Nov. 10, 1935, to James Burl Johnson Sr. and Belva Walker, both of Route 1, Statesville. He was a dairy farmer.

Other survivors include: his wife, Barbara of the home; two sons, Michael Johnson of Union Grove and James Richard Johnson of Galax, Va.; one daughter, Margie Janvrin, of Iredell County; two brothers, Kenneth Johnson of Mount Ulla and Larry Dean Johnson of Statesville; six sisters, Louise McDaniels of Statesville, Nancy Redman of Mocksville, Martha Hartley of Spartanburg, S.C., Pat Connely of Mooresville, Barbara Jolly of Winston-Salem, and Jean Parker of Statesville; and four grandchildren.

Fran Morgan McNew

Fran Morgan McNew, 78, of Route 1, Advance, died Saturday, May 5, at Davie County Hospital.

He was born on Dec. 1, 1911 in Caswell County, Va., the son of the late Lee Grant and Emma Kirk McNew.

He retired from the parks and recreation department of the city of High Point in 1974. He was a member of the Cloverdale Church of the Living God.

His wife, Bessie Horne, preceded him in death.

Survivors include: three daughters, Mrs. Wilma Lawson of High Point, Mrs. Sylvia Hash of Trinity, and Mrs. Sharon Collins of Advance; one son, Roger L. McNew Sr., of Advance; two sisters, Mrs. Dixie Vencille, of Cedar Bluff, Va., and Mrs. Lillie Marshall of North Tazwell, Va.; eight grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held May 8 in Sechrest Funeral Home Chapel in High Point by the Rev. Worth R. Pugh. Burial was in Floral Garden Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Sophia K. Owens

Mrs. Sophia Klein Owens, 67, of 6388 Robin Hood Rd., Pfafftown, died Monday, May 7, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital after an illness of two months.

She was born on March 4, 1923, in Sharon, Pa., to Adam and Anna Bastian Klein.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Roger E. Owens in 1972.

Surviving are: four daughters, Gayle Helen Foltz of Winston-Salem, Cynthia Lawrence of Atlanta, Ga., Margaret Owens of Pfafftown and Josephine Owens of Mocksville; five grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; six sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Battanaji, Mrs. Anna Snider, Mrs. Dorothy Davis, Mrs. Louise Burns, Mrs. Eleanor McGill and Mrs. Joan Klein, all of Sharon, Pa.; and two brothers, John Klein and James Klein, both of Sharon, Pa.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Friday, May 11, at Madasz Funeral Home, Brookfield, Ohio by Pastor Larry Craig.

Memorials may be made to the Forsyth Cancer Service.

James W. Osborne

Mr. James W. Osborne, 101, of Yadkin Nursing Center, Yadkinville, died at 8:10 p.m. Sunday, May 6, at the Center.

He was born in Ashe County to Fieldon and Callie Greer Osborne. He was a retired lumber dealer. He was married to Bonnie Eldreth Osborne, who preceded him in death.

Surviving are: two daughters, Mrs. Reba Miller, Lansing, N.C., and Mrs. Retha Baldwin of West Jefferson; one son, Dillard Osborne of Oxford, Pa.; one nephew, Allen Eldreth of Yadkinville; one sister, Mrs. Ola Eldreth of Rt. 5, Mocksville; 14 grandchildren; 36 great-grandchildren; and several great-great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were scheduled for 11 a.m. Wednesday, May 9, at Yadkin Memorial Gardens by the Rev. Nelson Spaulding.

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Frank Freeman

Funeral services for Mr. Frank Freeman of 863 N. Main St., were held at 5 p.m. Saturday, May 12 at Morrison-Studevant Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. R.W. Myers. Burial was in Cedar Creek Baptist Church Cemetery.

Freeman, 78, died May 9, at Oaks of Forsyth Nursing Home in Winston-Salem.

Born on Aug. 10, 1912, in Norfolk, Va., Freeman was a son of the late Rilus and Gracie Barlow Freeman. Operator of a taxi company, he had been a resident of Mocksville for 11 years.

Survivors include: his wife, Nellie Wiseman Freeman; one son, Anthony Freeman of Petersburg, Va.; one stepdaughter, JoAnn Cornish of Hampton, Va.; one sister, Della Mae Walker of Richmond, Va.; and one step-grandchild.

Jane E. McGuire

Jane Eccles McGuire of Jericho Road, Mocksville, died Monday, May 14, at her home. She had been in declining health for the past 18 months.

A graveside service will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Joppa Cemetery, conducted by the Rev. I. Donnell Lloyd.

Memorials may be made to the Historical Room, Davie County Public Library, 371 N. Main Street, Mocksville, N.C. 27028, or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Born in Robeson County, Miss McGuire was a daughter of the late James and Hattie Betts McGuire Jr. She had retired as secretary and bookkeeper to the Davie County School Board.

A lifetime member of Mocksville First United Methodist Church, she was active with the United Methodist Women's Circle 4 and numerous other church organizations. She was a member of the Davie County Hospital Auxiliary.

Survivors include several cousins.

Mrs. Betty E. Brown

Mrs. Betty Lou Edwards Brown, 51, of 126 Sunset Drive, Mocksville, and formerly of the Sheffield Community, died at 5 p.m. Tuesday, May 1, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital following a critical illness of two months.

She was born in Davie County June 17, 1938, and was a daughter of Mrs. Charley Mae Ratledge Edwards of Route 1, Harmony, and the late James Hugh Edwards Sr. She was an employee of R.J. Reynolds until she became disabled in 1982, and was a member of New Union United Methodist Church.

Surviving, in addition to her mother, are: one son, C. Douglas Brown of Mocksville; two daughters, Mrs. Dawn B. Galliher of Route 2, Harmony, and Mrs. Susan B. Freeman of Advance; one granddaughter; three brothers, Donald R. Edwards, R. Lester Edwards and Gary W. (Cotton) Edwards, all of Route 1, Harmony; three sisters, Mrs. Margaret E. Wiles of Winston-Salem, Miss Shirley Edwards of Route 1, Harmony, and Mrs. Sandra E. Dyson of Route 6, Mocksville.

One brother, James Hugh Edwards Jr., preceded her in death on Jan. 8, 1986.

Wiley Ellis Peebles

Mr. Wiley Ellis Peebles, 77, of Rt. 3, Advance, died Tuesday, May 8, at Davie County Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Thursday, May 10, at Advance United Methodist Church by the Revs. Harlan Creech and Marion Fulk. Burial was in the church cemetery with Masonic Graveside Rites conducted by the Advance Masonic Lodge No. 710.

Mr. Peebles was born on Dec. 17, 1912, in Advance, son of the late Cicero D. and Sallie Sue Ellis Peebles. He was a lifetime member of Advance United Methodist Church where he was a Sunday School teacher. He was a member of Advance Masonic Lodge No. 710 and a member of the V.F.W. He was retired from Duke Power Co. with 37 years service and had also served in the United States Army during World War II.

Surviving are: one sister, Elizabeth Bailey of Advance; one niece, Mrs. Ronald (Sallie) Barney of Advance and two great nieces, Mrs. Ann Anderson of Mocksville and Mrs. Susan Huffman of Salisbury.

Norman 'Doc' Ketner

Mr. Norman Franklin "Doc" Ketner, 60, of 9145 Center Grove Rd., Clemmons, died Thursday, May 10, at Medical Park Hospital.

Mr. Ketner was born April 15, 1930, in Forsyth County to Webster F. and Sadie Winsor Ketner and had lived most of his life in Forsyth County. He served in the United States Army during the Korean Conflict. He retired from AT&T with 37 years of service. He was a member of the Pioneers, the Quarter Horse Association and a member of South Fork Baptist Church.

Mr. Ketner is survived by his wife, Patsy Walker Ketner of the home; three sons, Neal F. Ketner of Lewisville, Keith W. Ketner of Yukon, Ok. and Dr. Mark T. Ketner of Frechold, N.J.; two grandchildren; one sister, Mary Lee Johnson of Winston-Salem and a brother, Roger Ketner of Mocksville.

Two sisters, Betty Jo Burke and Madelia Horne preceded him in death.

Graveside services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, May 12, at Westlawn Gardens of Memory by the Revs. Jerry Laughter and W.T. Hendrix.

Memorials may be made to South Fork Baptist Church.

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W.A. 'June' Walser Jr.

William Arthur "June" Walser Jr., 71, of 1108 N. Salisbury Ave., Spencer, died at 8:45 p.m. on Sunday, May 13, at Rowan Memorial Hospital.

A graveside service was held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 15, at Smith Grove Baptist Church cemetery, conducted by the Rev. Mark Blair.

Born Dec. 4, 1918, in Davidson County, Mr. Walser was a son of the late William Arthur and Mary Alice Hege Walser. Retired from Johnson Concrete in Salisbury, he was a member of Greens Chapel United Methodist Church.

His wife, Catherine Alley Walser, died in February of 1967.

Survivors include: two daughters, Mrs. John (Linda) Sharpe of Salisbury and Mrs. Jerry (Patricia) Potts of Heiskell, Tenn.; four brothers, Edward and Donald Walser, both of Spencer, Coy Walser of Churchland, and Stacy Walser of Southmont; four sisters, Mrs. Luke (Elizabeth) Head of Cooleemee; Mrs. Tom (Lessie) Clement of Yadkin, Mrs. J.D. (Doris) Bass of Salisbury, and Mrs. Troy (Mary) Young of Churchland; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Bertie Wood

Bertie Ijames Wood, 82, formerly of Cooleemee, died Saturday, May 12, at Brithaven Nursing Home in Kinston.

A graveside service was held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 15, in Legion Memorial Park, conducted by the Rev. Larry Allen.

Born Feb. 10, 1908, in Davie County, Mrs. Wood was a daughter of the late John and Eula Blaylock Ijames. A homemaker, she was a member of Cooleemee First Baptist Church.

Her husband, David Draper Wood, died July 9, 1978.

Survivors include: three daughters, Mary Elizabeth Scott of Goldsboro, Ruth Carter of Cooleemee and Peggy Swain of Williamsburg, Va.; a son, John Wood of Charlotte; a stepdaughter, Patch Perry of Raleigh; two sisters, Thelma Gregory of Cooleemee and Marie Vogler of Salisbury; a brother, James Ijames of Cooleemee; eight grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Mr. Percy 'Bud' Young

Mr. Percy Robert (Bud) Young, 76, of Shoaf Rd., Midway, died Monday, May 7, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital following an extended illness.

Mr. Young was born Sept. 16, 1913, in Davidson County to Robert Young and Maggie Thomas Young. He was a member of Brooks Temple United Methodist Church, Midway and retired as a machine operator at Foltz Concrete and Pipe Co.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Lena L. Young of the home; four sons, Percy L. Young, Larry B. Young and Clayton L. Young, all of Midway and Jerry Young of Winston-Salem; six daughters, Willie Mae Pringle, Nancy Pierce, Novella Yokely, Mozlena Delapp and Marthina Young, all of Midway and C'ester Tate of Lexington; 26 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; one sister, Almetta Eller of Midway and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conducted by Morrison-Studevent Funeral Home at 3 p.m. Saturday, May 12, at Brooks Temple United Methodist Church by the Rev. R.D. Crutchfield.

John C. Miller

John Cicero Miller, 68, of Route 4, Mocksville, died Tuesday, May 8, at the Salisbury VA Medical Center after being in declining health for several years and seriously ill for a year.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Friday, May 11, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Rev. John Deyton. Burial was in Rowan Memorial Park in Salisbury.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, Davie County Chapter, 1510-B Martin St., Winston-Salem, N.C. 27103.

Born in Salisbury Nov. 2, 1921, Miller was a son of the late Elbert and Mayta Myers Miller. Retired from Drexel Heritage Furniture Co., he had also been employed at one time with several carnivals and traveling amusement companies. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II.

Survivors include: three sons, John C. Miller Jr. of Route 1 and Perry T. Miller of Route 4, both of Mocksville and Steve Miller of Route 4, Advance; a sister, Pauline Taylor of Route 3, Lexington; and three grandchildren.

Jerry 'Jack' Norman Sr.

Mr. Jerry "Jack" Alexander Norman Sr. of 544 Banner Ave., Winston-Salem, died at Arbor Acres on Tuesday, May 8.

Mr. Norman was born to the late George W. and Elva Pfaff Norman on May 11, 1911, in Winston-Salem. He spent most of his life in Greensboro attending Greensboro Senior High School and Guilford College.

Mr. Norman was an avid sportsman and was active in his love for golf until his health failed.

He was a member of the N.C. Seniors Golf Association and retired the N.C. Seniors Championship Trophy in 1966, and won many other state-wide, and local tournaments. He retired from R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. in 1975 after 34½ years in the leaf department. He was a member of Christ Moravian Church.

He was first married to Katherine Maude Pfaff who preceded him in death in 1976.

Surviving are: his present wife, Louise S. Norman; one son, Jerry A. Norman Jr. of Mocksville; one daughter, Katherine N. Hughes of Chapel Hill; one sister, Mrs. Robert T. (Margaret) Register of Greensboro; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday, May 11, at Vogler's Main Street Chapel by the Revs. James V. Salzwedel and William Cranford. Burial was in the Moravian Graveyard.

Memorials may be made to Christ Moravian Church Renovation Fund.

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Frank P. Craver

Mr. Frank Payne Craver, 74, of 3761 Harper Road, Clemmons, died Friday, May 18.

He was born March 15, 1916, in Clemmons to Roland and Eleanor Smith Craver. He was retired from P.H. Hanes Knitting Co. and was a member of Hanes Baptist Church for 39 years where he served faithfully as church clerk and treasurer.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Wilma Myers Craver, in August 1989.

Surviving are: one daughter, Mrs. Early (Rita) Kennedy Jr. of Wallburg; one son, John Bunyan Craver of 3761 Harper Road, Clemmons; two grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Ruth Craver Lineback of 3751 Harper Road, Clemmons; and a very special friend, Michael G. Robertson of Clemmons.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, May 22, at Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Chapel by Pastor David Jordan and Dr. J.B. Parker. Burial was in Clemmons First Baptist Church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hope Baptist Tabernacle, P.O. Box 217, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Virgil 'Dutch' Howell

Virgil Lee "Dutch" Howell, 80, of 25 Davie St., Cooleemee, died Sunday, May 20, at Rowan Memorial Hospital after being in declining health.

The funeral was held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, May 23, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, Mocksville, conducted by the Rev. Larry Allen, pastor of First Baptist Church of Cooleemee. Burial was in Rowan Memorial Park in Salisbury.

Born April 11, 1910, in Cooleemee, Howell was a son of the late Charlie Lee and Annie Belle Thompson Howell. A long-time employee of Burlington Mills, he had retired from Celanese Industries.

Survivors include: his wife, Aileen McGee Howell; two daughters, Faye Gullett and Pat Sain, both of Mooresville; two sons, Ronald Howell of Cooleemee and Dennis Howell of Mocksville; three sisters, Margaret Godfrey of Charlotte, Gladys May of Cooleemee and Helen Lyerly of Concord; and five grandchildren.

Ray C. Smith

Mr. Ray Cornelius Smith, 74, resident of 139 Horneytown Road, High Point, died at 2:55 p.m. Friday, May 18, in High Point Regional Hospital. He had been in declining health several years and had been in the hospital for the past three weeks.

Mr. Smith was born October 14, 1915, in Stokes County, a son of Wiley Cornelius and Macy Tuttle Smith. He had been a resident of High Point and vicinity most of his life and was a retired employee of Western Electric with 25 years of service.

He was a member of the Telephone Pioneers of America of Winston-Salem and was a charter member of the Union Cross Baptist Church in Kernersville.

On Dec. 23, 1939, he was married to Mrs. Frances Nunn Smith, who survives, of the home.

Also surviving are: three sons, Donald Ray Smith of Kernersville, Thomas Wiley Smith of High Point and Felix Aaron Smith of Mocksville; four sisters, Mrs. Alma Harrison of Greensboro, Mrs. Margie Garrett and Mrs. Bill (Ora) Smith, both of Julian, Mrs. Oscar (Janice) Cato of Burlington; one brother, Edgar W. Smith of Kernersville; eight grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday, May 21, at Cumby Eastchester Drive Chapel by the Revs. Jimmy D. Hinson and Ervin H. Houser. Burial was in the Oaklawn Memorial Gardens in Winston-Salem.

Memorials may be directed to the American Heart Assn., 1600 E. Wendover Avenue, Greensboro, N.C. 27405 or the American Diabetes Assn., 224-C Northpoint Avenue, High Point, N.C. 27265.

Mrs. Mary S. Knight

Mrs. Mary Shoffner Knight, 77, of Vest Mill Rd., Winston-Salem, died suddenly at her home on Monday, May 21.

She was born Feb. 17, 1913, in Winston-Salem to John Floyd and Timmy May Shore Shoffner. She was a life member of New Philadelphia Moravian Church, and was a representative and sales manager of Sarah Coventry, Inc. as long as her health permitted.

Surviving are: two sons and daughters-in-law, James Wesley (Betty) Knight of Advance and Terrell Lee (Linda) Knight of Col-

lierville, Tenn.; five grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. John F. (Katharine) S. Coffey of Winston-Salem and one sister-in-law, Mrs. Richard (Mabel) Knight Fulton of Winston-Salem.

Funeral services were scheduled for 4 p.m. Wednesday, May 23, at New Philadelphia Moravian Church by Dr. Worth Green and the Rev. Joe Gray. Burial was scheduled to be in the church graveyard.

Memorials may be made to New Philadelphia Moravian Church.

Mrs. Grace P. Wooten

Mrs. Grace Phelps Wooten, 85, of Mocksville, died Wednesday, May 16, at Yadkin Nursing Center, Yadkinville.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, May 17, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Larry Allen. Burial was in Liberty United Methodist Church cemetery.

Mrs. Wooten was born in Davie County to the late A.W. and Jane Safley Phelps and was a retired school teacher from the Davie County Schools. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and a member of Cooleemee First Baptist Church.

Her husband, James Gordon Wooten, preceded her in death on April 10, 1965.

Surviving are: one sister, Mrs. Ruth Burton of Rt. 4, Mocksville and several nieces and nephews.

Richard Stafford

Richard Earl Stafford, 48, of 708 E. Lakeside Drive, Florence, Ala., died Tuesday, May 15, at E.C.M. Hospital in Florence after an extended illness.

A memorial service was held at 3 p.m. Saturday, May 19, at Cooleemee Presbyterian Church in Cooleemee.

Born Sept. 15, 1941, in Concord, Stafford was a son of the late James C. and Burnice Howie Stafford. He worked for 12 years with the U.S. Army Communications Electronics Command as a logistic assistant representative.

He retired from the U.S. Army after 20 years of service.

Survivors include: his wife, Nancy Stafford; four sons, Richard J. Stafford of Cooleemee, James DeWitt and Jeffery Lee Stafford, both of Augusta, Ga., and Jody Dean Stafford of Florence, Ala.; two brothers, Joe L. Stafford of Mocksville and Jerry C. Stafford of Salisbury; a sister, Brenda Dean of Butler; and two grandchildren.

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Savannah Hall

Savannah Campbell Hall, 79, of Route 8, Mocksville, died Saturday, May 19, at the home of a daughter, Pearline Williams of Jacksonville, Fla., after an extended illness.

Funeral services were scheduled for May 23 at 7:30 p.m. in the Chapel of Morrison-Studevent Funeral Home. Burial is scheduled for 11 a.m. May 24 in the Veterans Cemetery in Salisbury.

Born Dec. 18, 1910, in Forsyth County, Mrs. Hall was a daughter of the late Rev. Charlie and Minnie Campbell. She was a member of St. John AME Zion Church.

Her husband, John Hall, died Jan. 13, 1968.

Survivors included: five daughters, Josephine Ijanies, Mildred Kemp and Emma Hall, all of Mocksville, Elizabeth Rowe of Brooklyn, N.Y., and Pearline Williams of Jacksonville, Fla.; three sons, James and William Hall, both of Winston-Salem, and John Hall of Brooklyn, N.Y.; 19 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

Clinton E. Hartman

Mr. Clinton Eugene Hartman, 76, of 789 Motor Road, Winston-Salem, died at his home Saturday, May 19.

He was born in Davie County, the son of Enoch Melton and Clara Orrell Hartman. He was a retired employee of Duplan Corporation with 30 years of service and a member of Advance United Methodist Church. He served in the United States Army during World War II.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Nell Madison Hartman in 1984, by a daughter, Jane Hartman in 1966, and a brother, Enoch Melton Hartman Jr.

Surviving are: five brothers, Virgil L. Hartman and Avery H. Hartman, both of Winston-Salem, and Harvey (Chick) Hartman, George G. Hartman and Charlie Gray Hartman, all of Advance.

Funeral services were held in Advance United Methodist Church at 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 22, conducted by the Rev. Harlan Creech. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

John E. Holloway

John Elmer Holloway, 62, of Route 5, Salisbury, died at 6:30 a.m. on Tuesday, May 15, at the Salisbury VA Medical Center. He had been in declining health for the past year and seriously ill one month.

A graveside service was held at 11 a.m. Thursday, May 17, at Rowan Memorial Park with the Rev. Donald Wagoner, pastor of West Corinth Baptist Church officiating. Military rites were conducted by the Rowan County Veterans Council.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, Rowan Unit, P.O. Box 1264, Salisbury, N.C. 28144.

Born June 10, 1927, in Surry County, he was a son of the late John Banner and Phoebe Hanes Holloway. Educated in the Surry County schools, he was retired from Klutz Piano Co. in Granite Quarry. A veteran of the Korean War, he served with the U.S. Army 101st Airborne Infantry. He was a member of Dunns Mountain Baptist Church and the Salisbury Veterans of Foreign Wars 3006.

Survivors include: his wife, Neoni Holloway; a daughter, Norma H. Brown of Mooresville; a brother, Ralph F. Holloway of Mocksville; two sisters, Mrs. Herbert (Marie) Tesh of Winston-Salem and Mrs. Edward (Ettie) Felts of Brooks Cross Roads; and five grandchildren.

J.A. 'Bole' Spry

Mr. J.A. "Bole" Spry, 73, of Route 2, Advance, died Tuesday, May 15, at N.C. Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem. He had been in declining health six months and seriously ill two weeks.

A graveside service was held at 4 p.m. Thursday, May 17, in Fulton United Methodist Church cemetery.

Born Dec. 30, 1916, in Davie County, Spry was a son of the late Pinkston and Josie Embler Spry. He was a retired farmer and a United Methodist.

His wife, Nellie Durham Spry, died in 1972.

Survivors include: a daughter, Judy Cromer of Winston-Salem; three sons, Roger Spry of Advance, Ronald Spry of Lexington and Tim Spry of Sherills Ford; three sisters, Betty Williams of Mocksville, Madeline Deal of Churchland and Geraldine Blevins of Spencer; three brothers, Colin Spry of Advance, Bruce Spry of Salisbury and Melvin Spry of Linwood; 12 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Fred Morgan McNew

Fred Morgan McNew, 78, of Route 1, Advance, died May 5 at Davie County Hospital.

He was born Dec. 1, 1911 in Tazwell County, Va., the son of the late Lee Grant and Emma Kirk McNew.

He retired from the parks and recreation department of the city of High Point in 1974. He was a member of the Cloverdale Church of the Living God.

His wife, Bessie Horne, preceded him in death.

Survivors include: three daughters, Mrs. Wilma Lawson of High Point, Mrs. Sylvia Hash of Trinity, and Mrs. Sharon Collins of Advance; one son, Roger L. McNew Sr. of Advance; two sisters, Mrs. Dixie Vencille of Cedar Bluff, Va. and Mrs. Lillie Marshall of North Tazwell, Va.; eight grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held May 8 in Sechrest Funeral Home Chapel in High Point by the Rev. Worth R. Pugh. Burial was in Floral Garden Park Cemetery.

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Mrs. Cora B. Williams

Mrs. Cora Breedlove Williams, 78, of Route 4, Mocksville, died Sunday morning, May 20, at Davie County Hospital.



She had been in declining health five years and seriously ill since September 1989.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, May 22, at Jerusalem Baptist Church by the Rev. Ron Honeycutt. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Cemetery Fund for Jerusalem Baptist Church, Route 4, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Mrs. Williams was born July 31, 1911, in Rowan County to the late John Luther and Roxie Parnell Breedlove and was a homemaker. She was an active member of Jerusalem Baptist Church.

Her husband, Felix McKinley Williams, preceded her in death April 18, 1958.

Survivors include: four sons, Edwin Ray Williams of Route 4, Mocksville, Felix Williams of Route 9, Mocksville, Donald Wayne Williams of Route 4, Mocksville, and Barry Thomas Williams of Salisbury; one daughter, Mrs. Gene Honeycutt of West Columbia, S.C.; seven grandchildren; one brother, Henry Breedlove of Salisbury and one sister, Mrs. John Rodwell of Glen Burnie, Md.

Libby York

Miss Elizabeth "Libby" Delane York, 38, of Williamsburg Road, Route 1, Olin, died at 10:15 a.m.



Wednesday, May 16, at Iredell Memorial Hospital. She had been in declining health since 1985, and seriously ill six weeks.

She was born in Iredell County June 2, 1951, and was a daughter of Mrs. Dee Hayes Holmes York Vanstory of Route 1, Olin, and the late John Frank York Sr. She was a 1970 graduate of North Iredell High School and a member of Macedonia United Methodist Church and also the Share Group. She was disability retired as a supervisor for Gilliam Furniture Co.

Surviving in addition to her mother are: one brother, John Frank York Jr. of Route 1, Olin; one sister, Mrs. Rita Y. Hix of Route 1, Harmony; her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Sue Holmes of Mocksville; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 p.m. Friday at Macedonia United Methodist Church, with the Rev. C. William Sartin, the Rev. Carl Ray Williams and Otis L. Snow officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Franklin Holland, Joseph Holmes, Breck Feinster, David Painter, John Duchinski, Bobby Walker and Adrian Crosby.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Iredell County, Inc., P.O. Box 822, Statesville, N.C. 28677.

Gladys M. Johnson

Gladys Morris Johnson, 80, of Graham died May 20.

She was born Sept. 6, 1909 to the late Rev. Joseph Dunn Morris and Laura Wright Morris.

Johnson was a graduate of High Point College.

She was preceded in death by her husband Talton M. Johnson Jr.

Funeral services were held May 22 at First Methodist Church in Graham. Burial was in Alamance Memorial Park in Burlington.

Survivors include: two sons, Joseph T. Johnson of Mocksville and Richard Johnson of Henderson; one brother, C.P. Morris of Burlington, and five granddaughters.

The family request memorials may be made to Graham First Methodist Church.

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W.H. 'Boozie' Bracken

William Henry "Boozie" Bracken, 84, of Route 8, Mocksville, died Sunday, May 27, at Davie County Hospital after being in declining health.

The funeral was to be held Wednesday, May 30, at Eaton's Funeral Chapel, conducted by Jerry Bracken and Ronnie Looney. Burial was to be in Chestnut Grove United Methodist Church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Research, 836 Oak St., Winston-Salem, N.C. 27101.

Born Feb. 1, 1906, in Davie County, Bracken was a son of the late Frank and Melissa Jackson Bracken. He was a tobacco farmer and a Baptist.

Survivors include: his wife, Mattie Wood Bracken of the home; a daughter, Nelia Bracken of Mocksville; three sons, Jerry Bracken of Advance, William Franklin Bracken of Statesville and Lonnie Bracken of Mocksville; 16 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Ethel Utt Butner

Mrs. Ethel Utt Butner, 81, of Route 10, Union Grove Road, Winston-Salem died Saturday, May 26.

She was born Feb. 21, 1909, in Forsyth County to William O. and Jean Allison Utt. She spent most of her life in Forsyth County. She was the widow of Ralph Glenn Butner Sr., who died in April 1982.

She is survived by: three daughters, Mrs. Doug (Mary Lib) Lindley of Lexington, Ms. Deloris (Kim) Butner of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Mike (Betty Ann) Kimel of Advance; six sons, J. Curtis Butner Sr. of Lewisville, W. Eugene Butner of Hickory, W. Clark Butner of Clemmons, Douglas E. Butner of Sacramento, Calif., Donald O. Butner of Aloha, Oregon and R. Stephen Butner of Lexington; 18 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; and one sister, Mrs. Nannie Fagg of Winston-Salem.

She was preceded in death by one son, Ralph Glenn Butner Jr.

Funeral services were held Monday, May 28, at Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Chapel with burial in Woodland Cemetery.

Sharon T. Carman

Sharon Theresa Carman, 38, of Route 9, Salisbury, died Friday, May 25, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital in Winston-Salem following a serious illness of three weeks. She was a teacher at North Rowan Primary School.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Sunday, May 27, at Mocksville First Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. Paul Riggs.

Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church, North Main Street, Mocksville, N.C. 27028, to the Scholarship Fund, Salisbury-Rowan NCAE, in care of John Hoffman, 385 Hoffman Lane, Salisbury, N.C. 28144, or to the Davie County Chapter, American Lung Association, 112 Fayette St., Winston-Salem, N.C. 27101.

Born in Bath, N.Y., on Dec. 11, 1951, Miss Carman was a daughter of John and Doris Potter Carman of North Main Street, Mocksville. She was a graduate of Haverling Central High School in Bath, N.Y., and a 1973 graduate of Catawba College. She was president of the Salisbury-Rowan Chapter of NCAE and past district president of the organization.

A member of the Salisbury-Rowan Choral Society, she was recording secretary for the Rowan Community Concert Association. She was also a member of Mocksville First Baptist Church, where she sang in the Sanctuary Choir.

Survivors, in addition to her parents, include: a brother, Larry Carman of Winston-Salem; and several aunts and cousins.

Mary C. Hairston

Mary Cuthrell Hairston, 56, of Mill Street, Mocksville, died Friday, May 25, at Davie County Hospital after several years of declining health.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete at press time. Mitchell and Fair Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Born Dec. 24, 1933, in Davie County, she was a daughter of the late Roosevelt and Blanche Hairston Cuthrell. A 1952 graduate of Davie County High School, she was employed as a domestic worker. She was a member of Shiloh Baptist Church.

Survivors include: her husband, Troy Hairston; a daughter, Mary Dianne Pruitt of Mocksville; and a brother, Robert Cuthrell of Salisbury.

Stonewall J. Duggins

Mr. Stonewall Jackson Duggins, 66, of Route 3, Advance, died Friday, May 25, at N.C. Baptist Hospital.

He was born in Stokes County to Stonewall Jackson and Suzie Hall Duggins. Mr. Duggins was a retired road driver for Roadway Express.

He is survived by: his wife, Thelma Flinchum Duggins, of the home; one daughter, Mrs. Jacqueline D. Varner of Conway, S.C.; three stepdaughters, Mrs. Linda Smith and Mrs. Pam Holcomb, both of Advance, Mrs. Michelle Mitchell of Lewisville; two sisters, Mrs. Sally Mabe of Danbury and Mrs. Macy Casper of Kernersville; two grandsons; and six stepgrandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday, May 28, at Burroughs Funeral Home Chapel by the Revs. Chester Montgomery and Lanny Atkins. Burial followed in Gardens of Memory in Walkertown.

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Mrs. Hattie D. Dull

Mrs. Hattie Dixon Dull, 99, formerly of Pino community in Davie County died Saturday, May 26, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital after several years of declining health.

Funeral services were held Monday, May 28, at Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church with the Revs. Robert L. Burnett and Fred Shoaf officiating.

Mrs. Dull, a homemaker, was born June 30, 1890, in Davie County to Thomas Dixon and Nancy Baity Dixon.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Walter B. Dull, in 1968.

Surviving are: three daughters, Mrs. Frances D. Reavis and Mrs. Sallie D. Reavis, both of Kannapolis, Mrs. Evelyn D. Gough of Lexington; two sons, W. Tillman Dull of Mocksville and Lawrence P. Dull of Advance; 12 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and three great-great-grandchildren.

Benjamin 'Benny' Moore

Mr. Benjamin "Benny" Summers Moore, 61, of Webster, Fla., formerly of Davie County, died unexpectedly Friday morning, May 25.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, May 29, at Gee and Sorensen Funeral Home, St. Petersburg, Fla.

He was born July 14, 1928, in Davie County, the son of Blaine and Maye Calloway Moore. He lived in the Clarksville community and attended Farmington High School. He served in the U.S. Army before establishing his residence in Florida. He retired from Gulf Oil Company.

Surviving are: his wife, Diane Harvey Moore, of the home; two sons, Stephen and Phillip Moore, both of St. Petersburg, Fla.; two grandsons; one sister, Margaret M. Beck of Mocksville; and one brother, B.C. Moore of Anniston, Ala.

Maggie Lee S. Tutterow

Maggie Lee Shane Tutterow, 84, of Rocky Mount died on Thursday, May 24.

Graveside services were held Sunday, May 27, at 2 p.m. at the Center United Methodist Church in Mocksville by Dr. Sherman B. Warner.

Her husband, Cleo Tutterow, preceded her in death.

She is survived by: a son, Guy Tutterow of Rocky Mount; a daughter, Mollie Cleo Moring of Raleigh; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the Center United Methodist Church, 491 Salisbury St., Mocksville, N.C. 27028

Jack E. Gilbert

Mr. Jack Evans Gilbert, 67, of 1055 Betty Dr., Winston-Salem, died Tuesday afternoon, May 22, at his home.

He was born June 25, 1922, in Forsyth County to Robert E. and Gladys Evans Gilbert.

He spent most of his life in Forsyth County, and worked for United Engineers for a number of years before retiring. Mr. Gilbert was a member of Wauhtown Baptist Church.

Surviving are: his wife, Fay Legains Gilbert of the home; two daughters, Sharron G. Simmons of Georgetown, Del., and Pat G. Smith of Saratoga, Pa.; one granddaughter; one sister, Mrs. Barbara (Bobby) Fix of Mocksville; two stepsons, Arlie Goforth of the home and Eric Goforth of North Wilkesboro; one stepdaughter, Shari Goforth of the home; and one stepgrandson, Jacob Miller, of the home.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday, May 25, at Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Chapel by the Rev. Donald M. Farrow. Burial was in Oaklawn Memorial Gardens.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Winston-Salem.

Lillian H. Williams

Lillian H. Williams of Las Vegas, Nev. died May 25 in Las Vegas.

Survivors include: one son, George Williams of Las Vegas, with whom she lived with for the last four years; one brother, Walter C. Hampton of Mocksville; and seven nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held May 29 in Las Vegas.

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Johnny C. Boger

Johnny Charles Boger, 53, of Route 6, Mocksville, died Tuesday, May 29, at his home after being in declining health for the past several months.

The funeral was held at 2 p.m. Friday, June 1, at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Paul Riggs and the Rev. Kathy Tart. Burial was in Eaton's Baptist Church cemetery.

Born July 10, 1936, in Davie County, Boger was a son of Hubert C. Boger of Mocksville and the late Blanche Dull Boger. A supervisor with Hanes Dye and Finishing Co. in Winston-Salem, he was a member of the National Guard.

Survivors, in addition to his father, include: his wife, Marlene Miller Boger; a daughter, Mrs. Steve (Tammy) Shore of Yadkinville; a son, Charles Wray Boger of Mocksville; four sisters, Mrs. David (Edith) Simmons of Grifton, Mrs. Ernest (Nancy) Taylor of Charlotte, Carolyn Boger of Mocksville and Brenda Boger of Arlington, Va.; a brother, Odell A. Boger of Mocksville; two grandsons; and two stepgranddaughters.

Mrs. Mildred J. Adams

Mrs. Mildred Johnson Adams, 53, of Route 1, Box 157, Siloam, died Sunday, June 3, at the N.C. Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem. She was born in Surry County to Jonas and Nonnie Alma Wall Johnson and was of the Baptist faith.

Surviving are: three daughters, Mrs. Jeff (Donna) Carter of Advance, Mrs. Barry (Cheryl) McMillian of Ararat, Va., Mrs. Mark (Tina) Walker of Advance; two sons and a daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dalton Adams, Jr. and Mr. Randall Lee Adams, all of Siloam; four grandchildren; her parents, Mr. Jonas and Nonnie Alma Wall Johnson of Siloam; one sister, Mrs. Dennis (Judy) Wood of Boonville; three brothers, Mr. Arnold Johnson of King, Mr. Dennis Johnson of Dobson and Mr. J.C. Johnson of Siloam.

Funeral services were to be held Wednesday, June 6, at 11 a.m. at the Cox-Needham Funeral Home and Chapel in Pilot Mountain, by the Rev. Clayton Tilley and Dr. Andrew Crowley. Burial was to follow in the Pilot Mountain City Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Surry County, P.O. Box 1034, Mt. Airy, N.C. 27030, or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Ruth C. Mowery

Ruth Elizabeth Campbell Mowery, 57, of Route 9, Woodleaf Road, Salisbury, died at 3:50 p.m. on Monday, June 4, at the home of her sister. She had been seriously ill for the past three months.

The funeral was to be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, June 6, at Gay's Chapel United Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. Jack Luther, pastor and the Rev. J.C. Swaim, former pastor. Burial was to be in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the piano fund of Gay's Chapel United Methodist Church, Route 9, Box 467, Salisbury, N.C. 28144 or to Hospice of Rowan County, P.O. Box 1603, Salisbury, N.C. 28145-1603.

Born March 2, 1933, in Rowan County (Woodleaf), Mrs. Mowery was a daughter of Sadie McIntyre Campbell of Woodleaf and the late Ralph H. Campbell. A graduate of Woodleaf High School, she was employed at Monleigh Garment Co. in Mocksville for 16 years and at Fieldcrest Cannon in Salisbury for the last 21 years. She was a member of Gay's Chapel United Methodist Church.

Her husband, Charles Odell Mowery, whom she married June 27, 1959, died March 14, 1987.

Survivors, in addition to her mother, include: a son, Charles Nelson Mowery of Salisbury; a daughter, Mrs. Larry (Ruth Ann) Mowery Graham of Cleveland; three sisters, Mrs. Ben (Belle) Moore and Mrs. Jimmy (Mildred) Bumgarner, both of Woodleaf and Mrs. James (Dorothy) Harris of Mocksville.

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Rev. J.W. Braxton Sr.

The Rev. J.W. Braxton Sr., 83, died Saturday, June 2, at his home.

He was a native of Alamance County. He was a member of the Western N.C. Conference of the United Methodist Church. He was a former pastor of Morris Chapel United Methodist Church in Walkertown and several Davie churches.

He was married to Dëssie Lee Little Braxton, who died in 1987.

He is survived by: a daughter, Alice Hoffman of Asheville; two sons, Jay Braxton of Signal Mountain, Tenn., and Lawrence Braxton of Waynesville; six grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Lois Johnson and Mrs. Avis Johnson, both of Graham; five brothers, Bruce Braxton of Thomsville, Ira and Robert Braxton, both of Graham, Winfred Braxton of Chapel Hill and Calvin Braxton of Snow Camp.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, June 5, at Morris Chapel United Methodist Church with the Rev. Fred Jordan and Dr. J. Elwood Carroll officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Morris Chapel United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 57, Walkertown, N.C. 27051.

Ruby B. Lowery

Ruby Mae Bracken Lowery, 74, of Route 4, Mocksville, died Saturday, June 2, at N.C. Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem after a sudden illness.

The funeral was held at 4 p.m. Tuesday, June 5, at Eaton's Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. David Gilbreath. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Eaton's Baptist Church, Route 8, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Born June 2, 1916, in Davie County, Mrs. Lowery was a daughter of the late Grover Cleveland and Emma Correll Bracken. She was a homemaker and member of Eaton's Baptist Church.

Survivors include: her husband, Johnny N. Lowery; four daughters, Alice L. Zalasek of Fayetteville, Reba Mae Lawter of Mocksville, Norma K. Long of Dalton and Shirley Wingle of Mooresville; two sons, Johnny Lowery Jr. of Mocksville and Grover W. Lowery of Madison; a brother, Clyde Bracken of Wadesboro; 12 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

William 'Bill' Seamon

Mr. William "Bill" Aubrey Seamon, 86, resident of Autumn Care in Mocksville, died Thursday, May 31, in Davie County Hospital.



Surviving are: his wife,

Etta Williams Seamon, also of Autumn Care; three sons, Jim Seamon of Route 9, Mocksville, Jay Seamon of Route 1, Mocksville and Ernest Seamon of Route 7, Mocksville; three daughters, Mrs. Harvey (Ann) Snider of Route 5, Lexington, Mrs. Jack (Mary) Cartner of Route 1, Mocksville, and Mrs. Jerry (Betty) Lowtharpe of Route 4, Statesville; 15 grandchildren; two foster grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

One son, William A. Seamon Jr., preceded him in death.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday, June 3, at Society Baptist Church. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

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Wesley D. Adams Sr.

Mr. Wesley Dalton Adams Sr., 51, of Route 1, Box 157, Siloam died Sunday, June 3, at his home. He was born in Carroll County, Ya., to Arthur Edward and Thurse Alley Adams. Mr. Adams was a self-employed transmission specialist, a veteran of the United States Air Force, and of the Baptist faith.

Surviving are: three daughters, Mrs. Jeff (Donna) Carter of Advance, Mrs. Barry (Cheryl) McMillian of Ararat, Va., Mrs. Mark (Tina) Walker of Advance; four grandchildren; his mother, Mrs. Thursie Alley Adams of East Bend; five sisters, Mrs. Dewey (Eva) Simmons of Elkin, Mrs. Yirgil (Faye) Flynn of Yadkinville, Mrs. Paul (Helen) Bullins of Boonville, Mrs. Harry (Lydia) Logan and Mrs. Steve (Bobbie) Hershey, both of East Bend; three brothers, Mr. Carlton Adams of Boonville, Mr. Arthur E. Adams Jr. and Mr. Bill Adams, both of East Bend.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, June 6, at the Cox-Needham Funeral Home and Chapel in Pilot Mountain by the Rev. Clayton Tilley and Dr. Andrew Crowley. Burial was in the Pilot Mountain City Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Surry County, P.O. Box 1034, Mt. Airy, N.C. 27030, or to a charity of the donor's choice.

Mrs. Bessie B. Latham

Mrs. Bessie Beck Latham, 91, of 429 Salisbury Street, Mocksville, died Sunday, June 3, at Davie County Hospital.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, June 5, at 2 p.m. at Eaton's Funeral Chapel by the Rev. I. Donnell Lloyd. Burial was in Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church cemetery.

She was born in Davie County, a daughter of the late William and Mary Etta Baity Beck. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Samuel R. Latham, and a son, Samuel W. Latham.

She is survived by: two daughters, Ethel Latham Shore of Mocksville and Nancy Latham Benson of Charlotte; two sons, James G. Latham of Fayetteville and Robert F. Latham of Dayton, Ohio; two sisters, Beulah Lewis of Walkertown and Ina Martin of Yadkinville; two brothers, John Beck and Robert Beck, both of Mocksville; 10 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.



Mrs. Angel S. McKnight **Lillie Bell M. Tuttle**

Mrs. Angel Slater McKnight, 18, of Route 5, Mocksville, died at the N.C. Baptist Hospital Friday, June 1, as the result of an automobile accident.

She was born July 21, 1971, in Winston-Salem to Jimmy D. and Lois Ellis Slater. She spent all of her life in the Clemmons area and was a member of Center Grove Baptist Church. She was an employee of Crown Wood Products, Inc. in Mocksville.

Surviving are her husband, Ricky Frederick McKnight, of the home; a daughter, Katie McKnight and a son, Ricky F. McKnight Jr., both of the home; her mother, of Center Grove Church Road, Winston-Salem and grandfather, Marvin L. Slater of Winston-Salem; two sisters, Mrs. Samantha Hutchens of Mocksville and Miss Robin Slater of Clemmons; two brothers, Marvin "Weasel" Slater of Clemmons and David Slater of Kernersville.

Also surviving are: her mother and father-in-law, Dorothy and Fred McKnight of Mocksville.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday, June 4, at Vogler's Clemmons Chapel with burial at Center Grove Baptist Church cemetery.

Mrs. Lillie Bell McGee Tuttle, 76, of 107 Bessemer Court, King, died Thursday afternoon, May 31, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital after a long period of declining health and serious illness of five weeks.

Mrs. Tuttle was born June 2, 1913, in Rural Hall to Daniel Greene and Lula Virginia Porter McGee. She was a member of Antioch United Methodist Church where she taught children's Sunday School for a number of years. She had also served as secretary of the local chapter of the Woodmen of the World.

Mrs. Tuttle was the wife of Clyde E. (Sonny) Tuttle, who died April 24, 1987.

She is survived by: two daughters, Mary Kay Ingram and husband, Phil of King, Mrs. Helen Keiger of Greensboro; one son, Phillip Eugene Tuttle and wife, Rebecca, of Mocksville; seven grandchildren; six great-grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Eva Tuttle of Rural Hall.

Funeral services were held Saturday, June 2, at 2 p.m. at Antioch United Methodist Church. Rev. Billie Joan Morrison officiated and interment followed in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the Antioch/Oak Grove U.M.C. Building Fund, P.O. Box 42, Rural Hall, N.C. 27045.

Charles 'Bill' Marshall

Mr. Charles Wilford "Bill" Marshall, 82, of Route 5, Mocksville, died late Friday evening at Davie County Hospital.



He had been in declining health, but death was unexpected.

Funeral services were held Sunday, June 3, at Eaton's Funeral Chapel by the Rev. Robert Burnette. Burial was in Enon Baptist Church cemetery in Yadkin County.

Mr. Marshall was born in Surry and several...

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Sallie B. Barney

Mrs. Sallie Bailey Barney, 53, of Rt. 3, Advance, died early Sunday, June 10, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital after being in declining health.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, June 12, at Advance United Methodist Church by the Revs. Harland Creech and David Daniels. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Davie County, c/o Davie County Health Dept., P.O. Box 665, Mocksville, N.C. 27028, or to the charity of the donor's choice.

She was born April 9, 1937, in Guilford County, a daughter of Elizabeth Peebles Bailey of Advance and the late Nathan Bailey. She was a homemaker and a member of Advance United Methodist Church.

Surviving in addition to her mother are: her husband, Ronald L. Barney of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Larry (Ann) Anderson of Mocksville and Mrs. Kevin (Susan) Huffman of Salisbury; and four grandchildren.

Martin Sisters

Miss Sharon Leigh Martin, 8, and her sister, Miss Sandy McCulloh Martin, 6, both of Route 3, Advance, died unexpectedly Friday, June 8, in Brantley County, Ga.

Graveside services were scheduled for 11 a.m. Thursday, June 14, in the Oak Grove United Methodist Church Cemetery by the Rev. Donald Funderburke.

Sandy Martin was born Sept. 12, 1983, and Sharon Martin was born Dec. 23, 1981, both in Montgomery County to Vivian Lynn McCulloh Martin and the late Steven Edward Martin.

Sandy was a second grade student and Sharon was a fourth grade student, both at Pinchbrook Elementary School and both attended Oak Grove United Methodist Church.

They are survived by: their mother of the home; their maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. June McCulloh of Route 1, Advance and their maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Magelene McCulloh of Route 3, Mocksville.

Memorials may be made to the Sharon and Sandy Martin Memorial Trust Fund, c/o Mr. Mark Moran, Central Carolina Bank, Willow Oaks Shopping Center, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Isaac Enos Winfrey Sr.

Mr. Isaac Enos Winfrey Sr., 95, died at Guardian Care, Walnut Cove on Thursday, June 7.

He was born on January 10, 1895, in the Farmington Community. He was a son of the late Solomon Eugene and Mertie Cook Winfrey. He spent most of his life in Forsyth County and resided on his farm on Oak Summit Rd. for 35 years before going to Guardian Care in Walnut Cove in 1982.

Her served in the 30th Infantry Division of the United States Army during World War I where he lost his left arm during battle in Belgium. He was an active member of Marvin United Methodist Church as long as health permitted.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Jennie Griffith Winfrey in 1980.

Surviving are: two daughters, Mrs. Sam (Myrtle) Hill and Mrs. Walter (Betty) Stoltz, both of Winston-Salem; two sons, I. Enos Winfrey Jr. and C.M. (Red) Winfrey, both of Winston-Salem; eight grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Howard (Nettie) Pilcher of Enon.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 11, at Vogler's Reynolda Road Chapel by the Rev. Randy Tarlton and Dr. Jerry Murray. Burial followed in Forsyth Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to Marvin United Methodist Church.

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Harry C. Newcomb

Harry C. Newcomb, 91, formerly of Route 6, Mocksville, died Friday, June 8, at the Autumn Care Convalescent Center in Mocksville.

A memorial service was held at 3 p.m. Sunday, June 10, at Bear Creek Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. Jerry Cloninger. Burial was in Bramanville Prospect Cemetery in Bramanville, N.Y.

Memorials may be made to the building fund of Bear Creek Baptist Church, Route 8, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Born March 4, 1899, in Middletown, N.Y., Newcomb was a son of the late Charles and Carrie Foote Newcomb. A dairy farmer, he attended Bear Creek Baptist Church.

His wife, Mildred Newcomb, and a son, Donald Newcomb, both preceded him in death.

Survivors include: a sister, Sue Turner of Davenport, N.Y.; and a niece, Nancy Roberts of Route 6, Liberty Church Road, with whom he made his home before entering Autumn Care.

Virginia Hinson Graham

A memorial service for Virginia Hinson Graham was held at 8 p.m. on Friday, June 8, at Whitley's Funeral Home Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Gary Wayne Sloop. Burial was in Carolina Memorial Park, Concord.

Born April 2, 1918, in Davie County, Mrs. Graham was a daughter of the late Raleigh and Sallie Newton Crane. A homemaker, she had been a resident of the area since 1946.

Survivors include: a niece, Doris Jean Sloop of Kannapolis; and two nephews, Charles High Sanders Jr. and Lloyd Miller Sanders, both of Kannapolis.

Mrs. Graham, 72, of 1403 Due West St., Kannapolis, died unexpectedly on Saturday, June 2, at Cabarrus Memorial Hospital.

Sallie C.D. Brewer

Mrs. Sallie Christine Dalton Brewer, 85, of 1220 Motor Rd., Winston-Salem, died Saturday, June 9, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Brewer was born in Forsyth County to Peter Webster and Betty Marshall Dalton. She spent her entire life in Forsyth County and was a supportive member of Oak Summit United Methodist Church for many years.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Thomas W. Brewer and Cecil Clifton Brewer Sr. She was the wife of the late Paul Clifton Brewer.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, June 11, at Oak Summit United Methodist Church. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Surviving are: five daughters, Mrs. Ray (Ludie) Blakley, Mrs. Harold (Iris) Smith, Mrs. Fred (Dot) Jodrey, Mrs. Ben (Margie) Fishel and Mrs. Emmitt (Ruth) Clayton, all of Winston-Salem; one granddaughter, raised as a daughter, Mrs. Bobby (Gail) Anders of Advance; one grandson, raised as a son, Mr. Mark Temple of Winston-Salem; 16 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandson; one brother, Gray T. Dalton of Winston-Salem; and one niece.

Memorials may be made to LIFELINE, c/o Forsyth Memorial Hospital, or Oak Summit United Methodist Church.

Harvey 'Mickey' Chalk

The funeral for Harvey Leon "Mickey" Chalk was held at 2 p.m. Sunday, June 10, at Southern City AME Zion Church, East Spencer, conducted by the Rev. S.V. Campbell, pastor. Burial was in Oakdale Cemetery.

Chalk, 33, of 2509 Linda Ave., Kannapolis, died Tuesday, June 5, in Salisbury. He was the son of the late George Johnson.

Survivors include: his mother, Annie Ruth Key of 606 S. Ellis St., Salisbury; his wife, Vickie Montgomery Clark; two sons, Tony Foxx of East Spencer and Quentin Jordan of China Grove; a stepson, Kenya Montgomery; two daughters, Nicole Chalk and La Tacia Rhymes, both of East Spencer; two brothers, Larry William Chalk of Salisbury and Charles Key Jr. of Charlotte; and five sisters, Fannie Mae Johnson of Washington, D.C., Brenda Wylie and Anita Thompson, both of Salisbury and Rita Denise Krider and Crystal Glass, both of East Spencer.

Born April 18, 1957, in Salisbury, Chalk was also the stepson of Charles Key of Mocksville. Educated at Salisbury High School and Rowan-Cabarrus Community College, he was employed at KOLA in Kannapolis.

He was a member of Southern City AME Zion Church in East Spencer and the steward board.

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Lorene V. Conrad

Lorene Virginia ^{C.S.W.} Conrad, 65, of 8622 Concord Church Road, Lewisville, died Saturday, June 9, at the N.C. Baptist Hospital in Winston-Salem.

She was the wife of the Rev. James E. Conrad, pastor of Ardis Chapel AME Zion Church, Old Mocksville Road, Salisbury, and the mother of the Rev. William M. Conrad, pastor of Moore's Chapel AME Zion Church, Salisbury.

The funeral was scheduled for 3 p.m. Wednesday, June 13, at New Hope AME Zion Church, Lewisville, conducted by the Rev. Paul Thombs, pastor, and the Rev. R.J. Harris. Burial was to follow in the church cemetery.

Born Dec. 4, 1924, in Davie County, Mrs. Conrad was a daughter of Samuel Cain of Davie County and the late Della Hawkins Cain. Retired from the maintenance department of the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County School System, she was a member of New Hope AME Zion Church and the missionary society.

Survivors, in addition to her father, husband and son, include: two other sons, James E. Conrad Jr. of Lewisville and Bobby Conrad of Winston-Salem; a daughter, Dorothy Kelly of Winston-Salem; 11 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; two brothers, Paul Hawkins of Winston-Salem and Howard Hawkins of Lewisville; and a sister, Odessa Ridgill of Winston-Salem.

George H. Foote Sr.

Mr. George H. Foote Sr., of Route 8, Campbell Road, Mocksville, died Thursday, May 31, at the Davie County Hospital.

He was a native and resident of Davie County, born March 20, 1894, to the late Lee and Allie Foote. He was a member of the Chinquepin Baptist Church, where he was a member of the Trustee Board.

He is survived by: four daughters, Mrs. Naomi Frost and Mrs. Elizabeth Dalton, both of Mocksville, Mrs. Cleo Palmer and Mrs. Julia Williams, both of Brooklyn, N.Y.; four sons, Sylvester Foote and George Foote Jr., both of Davie County; Cariel Foot and Lee Foote, both of Mocksville; 18 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Howell of Marion, and Mrs. Ethel Howell of Davie County; four daughters-in-law; one son-in-law; and other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Sunday, June 3, at Chinquepin Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Pearl Taylor

Pearl Taylor, 67, of Malthby Road, Marble, died Thursday, June 7, in an Andrews hospital.

A native of Mitchell County, she had lived in Cherokee County most of her life. She was a daughter of the late Milton and Hattie Jane Rich Slagle.

Surviving are: her husband, Homer Taylor of Tennessee; five daughters, Hazel Hottel of Advance, Sandra Veal of Cleveland, Tenn., Elizabeth Barrett of Calhoun, Tenn., Ann Rollins of Athens, Tenn.; and Dawn Taylor of Calhoun Falls, S.C.; six sons, John Taylor of Calhoun Falls, S.C., Charles Taylor of Andrews, Robert Taylor of Dallas, David Taylor of Houston, Tex., Dennis Taylor of Abbeville, S.C., and Daryl Taylor of Sulphur, La.; 23 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; a sister, Hazel Craig of Murphy; and two brothers, Mearlen Slagle of Murphy and Roy Rich of Hardwick, Ga.

Funeral services were held Saturday, June 9, in Oak Grove Baptist Church, of which she was a member. The Rev. Danny Elliott officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

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Norma Charlene Ayers

Norma Charlene Willard Ayers, 48, of 1895 Pope Lane, Kernersville, died Wednesday, June 13, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was born June 18, 1941, in Winston-Salem to Arvil Eugene Willard Sr. and Theodosia Newsome Willard.

Surviving are: her husband, Richard Allen Ayers, of the home; one son, Ronnie Eugene Ayers of Winston-Salem; one daughter, Kathy Ayers Brown of Old Town; three grandchildren; one sister, Betty Foster of Advance; and one brother, Lester Eugene Willard of Winston-Salem.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, June 16, at Hayworth-Miller Silas Creek Chapel by the Rev. Bill Chatman. Burial was in Oaklawn Memorial Gardens.

Marvin Gray Byerly

Mr. Marvin Gray Byerly, 50, formerly of Advance, died Wednesday, June 13, at his home in Stafford, Va.

He was born April 4, 1940, in North Carolina.

He is survived by his wife, Janice C. Byerly of Stafford, Va.; three daughters, Sonya Robey of Clinton, Md., Vita Reed and Deanna Byerly, both of Dumfries, Va.; one son, Gray Byerly of Stafford; his parents, Mr. J.W. Byerly of Martinsville, Va. and Mrs. Mary Byerly of Mocksville; five sisters, Ruby Random and Brenda Tarlton, both of Charlotte, Betty Potts of Advance, Dorothy Reid of Winston-Salem and Edith Clark of Lexington; four brothers, Ray Byerly of Martinsville, Va., J.B. Byerly of Lexington, Billy Byerly and Jerry Byerly, both of Mocksville; two grandchildren and mother-in-law and father-in-law, Kay and Vida Kast of Stafford, Va.

Funeral services were held Friday, June 15.

Memorials may be made to Rappahannock Hospice-in-Motion, 1616 Stafford Ave., Fredericksburg, Va. 22401 or American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 1385, Glen Allen, Va. 23060.

Ruth Cranfield

Ruth Elizabeth Messick Cranfield, 72, of Route 9, Salisbury, died at 6:56 p.m. on June 18 at Rowan Memorial Hospital. Death was unexpected.

The funeral was scheduled for 4 p.m. Wednesday, June 20 at the James C. Lyerly Funeral Chapel, conducted by the Rev. Joel Hiatt. Burial was scheduled for Rowan Memorial Park.

Born Nov. 11, 1917 in Davie County, she was the daughter of the late Charlie W. and Lillie Godby Messick. Educated in the Davie County Schools and at Salisbury Beauty School, she operated a beauty salon with her sister.

She was a member of Westside Baptist Church.

Survivors include: her husband, Robert Cranfield, whom she married Aug. 6, 1943; one son, Carl Messick of Route 9, Salisbury; three daughters, Mrs. Tom (Linda) Burgess of Salem, S.C., Mrs. Quinton (Charlene) Manning of Kinston and Mrs. Maurice (Diane) Massey of Salisbury; two brothers, C.W. Messick of Mocksville, and Lloyd Messick of Salisbury; two sisters, Mrs. Bruce F. (Edna) Pinkston Jr. and Mrs. John (Katherine) Kurfees, both of Salisbury; 16 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Bertha E. Davis

Bertha May Jarvis Eller Davis, 76, of 712 First Rainbow St., Lexington died June 10 in Lexington Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, June 12 in Davidson Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Leon Simmons. Burial was in Lexington Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Sheets Memorial Baptist Church.

Davis was born in Yadkin County on Nov. 14, 1913 to the late John Harrison Jarvis and Mannie Speaks Jarvis. She was retired from Erlanger.

Her husband, Arnold H. Davis, preceded her in death Dec. 20, 1989.

Survivors include: two sons Jerry Davis and Don A. Eller of Lexington; two daughters, Shirley Laxton Covington and Diane Farmer of Lexington; one brother, Rovie Preston Jarvis of Lexington; nine grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

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Madge T. Matthews

Mrs. Madge Tweed Matthews of 4106 Bermuda Village, Advance, wife of C. Odell Matthews, died Wednesday, June 13, at North Carolina Baptist Hospital after a short illness.

She was born July 25, 1906, in Madison County to Lula and Robert E. Lee Tweed and was a graduate of Woman's College at Greensboro.

She is survived by: her husband, of the home; two sons, Chuck Matthews and his wife, Judy, of Williamsburg, Va., and Jim Matthews and his wife, Liz, of Winston-Salem; four grandchildren and a niece.

Mrs. Matthews was a member of Knollwood Baptist Church where she had served as president of the Woman's Missionary Union, Sunday School teacher for young married women and member of various committees.

She was at one time a school teacher and served as principal of Hanes Elementary School. She was a former trustee of Baptist Hospital and served as the board's secretary-treasurer in the 1960's.

She was a past president of the Woman's Club and was chairman at the district and state level; chaired the citywide project to welcome Wake Forest University in 1956; was a member of the advisory council for the Baptist Hospital School of Pastoral Care; was past chairman of the Democratic Party of Forsyth County and was an officer of the League of Women Voters; was active in the organization of the Arts Council and served on that board; and was on the board of the American Association of University Women.

A memorial service was held at 11 a.m. Friday, June 15, at Knollwood Baptist Church.

Mrs. Edwina Y. Long

Mrs. Edwina Youngs Long, 80, formerly of Tot Street, Mocksville, died late Tuesday, June 12, at Bermuda Place in Advance.

A Mass of Christian Burial was held Friday, June 15, at 11 a.m. at St. Francis Catholic Mission in Mocksville, conducted by the Rev. Joseph Mack. Burial was in Joppa Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Davie County Association of Retarded Citizens, c/o Mike Wallace, Route 8, Box 311, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

She was born Jan. 26, 1910, in Paradis, La., daughter of the late Luther Archiband and Edwina Nora Habans Youngs. She was a charter member and president of Rowan-Davie Medical Auxiliary, also a charter member of the Mocksville Women's Club, a member of the North Carolina State Medical Auxiliary, a charter member of the Mocksville Civitan Club, and secretary for two terms.

She was also named Civitan Member of the Year in 1987. She was founder of Davie County Association for Retarded Citizens and was founder of St. Francis Catholic Mission in Mocksville.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Dr. William Matthews Long Sr. in 1983. Also a son, William Matthews Long Jr. in 1980 and a brother, Luther Archiband Youngs II.

Surviving are: one daughter, Edwina Long Davies, Camano Island, Wash.; one son, Luther Youngs Long of Oxford; 8 grandchildren; and 5 great-grandchildren.

James 'Simon' Seaford

Mr. James Clifford "Simon" Seaford, 45, of Route 7, Mocksville, died unexpectedly Wednesday, June 13, at Davie County Hospital.



Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, June 15, at Eaton's Funeral Chapel conducted by the Rev. Thomas Tuggle. Burial was in Fork Baptist Church cemetery with Masonic graveside rites.

Memorials may be made to the Davie County Chapter of the American Heart Association, c/o Patty Lookabill, BB&T, P.O. Box 406, Mocksville, N.C. 27028.

Mr. Seaford was born November 10, 1944, in Davie County, the son of Gladys James Seaford of Route 7, Mocksville, and the late Dwight Clifford Seaford who died in 1967.

He was a member of Fork Baptist Church and a member of the Mocksville Masonic Lodge. He was a sales representative with Southern Food Service of Greensboro.

Surviving, in addition to his mother, are: his wife, April Ayres Seaford, of the home; two daughters, Tracie and Jaelyn Seaford, both of the home; one sister, Shirley Spry Kaiser of Mocksville and one nephew, Jeff Lambe of Mocksville.

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✓ **Adam L. Carson**

Adam Lincoln Carson, known as "Link", 62, of Mocksville died at 10:50 p.m. Thursday, June 21, at Baptist Hospital. He was ill for several days.

Services were held Monday, June 25, at 8 p.m. at Mount Olive A.M.E. Zion Church, Waterbury, Conn., and on Wednesday, June 27, at 11 a.m. at Mount Sinai A.M.E. Zion Church in Davie County. The ministers were the Rev. A. McLean Spaulding, pastor of Mount Sinai, and Elder Harrison D. Bonner, who officiated in Connecticut. Burial was in Mount Sinai Church cemetery.

Mr. Carson was born Feb. 7, 1928, in Mocksville, the son of the late Adam Cromwell and Addie Young Carson. He was educated in the public schools of Mocksville, was owner and operator of Lincoln Carson Paving Company, Inc. and Building Companies.

A member of Mount Olive A.M.E. Zion Church in Waterbury, Conn., vice chairman of the Trustee Board, a member of the Steward Board, the Lay Council, a member of the Kellogg Masonic Lodge No. 5 P.H.A., consistory and the Arabic Temple No. 40, past potentate of the Shrine, director and incorporator of the Security Savings Loan Bank of Waterbury.

Surviving are: two sons, Robert L. Brown of Baltimore, Md., and A. Lincoln Carson Jr. of New Haven, Conn.; one daughter, Valerie Carson of Waterbury; three grandchildren; two brothers, James Henry Cowan of Patterson, N.J., and Richard, known as "Lucky", Carson of Mocksville; and two sisters, Audrey Petteway of Waterbury and Elizabeth Feamster of Salisbury.

✓ **Viola B. McMillian**

Viola Brown McMillian, wife of the late B. Frank McMillian of 301 West 33rd St., died Friday June 15 in Kingsdale Manor.

Graveside services were held June 17 at Meadowbrook Cemetery.

Survivors include: one sister, Kathryn E. Brown of Lumberton; three nieces, Mrs. John M. Rancke of Lumberton, Mrs. Ed Moores of Houston, Texas, and Mrs. Sue Brown of Mocksville; one nephew, Mr. Charles S. Greene of Lake City, S.C.; and several great nieces and nephews.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to First Presbyterian Church of Lumberton.

✓ **Mrs. Maude L. Dinkins**

Mrs. Maude Lillian Dinkins, 85, of Route 2, Yadkinville, died at 7:08 p.m. Saturday, June 23, at Yadkin Nursing Center.

She was born in Yadkin County to Thomas and Cora Livengood Russell. She was a member of Deep Creek Baptist Church and was a former employee of Hanes Knitting.

She was married to Charlie Gray Dinkins who died March 8, 1988.

Surviving are: one daughter, Mrs. Bonnie (Aldean) Allen of Route 5, Mocksville; three sons, Eugene and Wayne Dinkins, both of Route 2, Yadkinville, Harold Dinkins of Lewisville; 10 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Dinkins was preceded in death by a son, Claude Dinkins, July 15, 1985.

Funeral services were at 11 a.m. Tuesday, June 26, at Mackie-Gentry Chapel by the Rev. Bobby Russell and Dr. Ron Davis. Burial was in Shacktown Church of Christ cemetery.

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Mrs. Sue F. Holmes

Mrs. Sue Fraley Holmes, 89, of Cartner St., Mocksville, died Friday, June 22, at Davie County Hospital after being in declining health for the past 2 1/2 years.



She was born July 13, 1900, in Iredell County, daughter of the late Lewis and Molly Gunn Fraley. She was a retired Licensed Practical Nurse and was a member of Macedonia United Methodist Church.

Her husband, Nathaniel Green Holmes, preceded her in death. She was also preceded in death by two daughters, Mrs. Frances Feimster and Mrs. Robinette Feimster and one granddaughter, Miss Elizabeth York.

Surviving are: three daughters, Mrs. Paul (Lola) Adams of Statesville, Mrs. David (Dee) Vanstory of Olin and Ms. Edith Holland of Olin; one son, C.F. Holmes of Mocksville; 13 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; one stepgreat-grandchild and one stepgreat-great-grandchild.

The funeral was held at 4 p.m. Sunday at Macedonia United Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. William Sarten. Burial was in Tabor Presbyterian Church cemetery.

Pallbearers were grandsons Johnny York, Joe Holmes, Franklin Holland and Breck Feimster and great-grandsons Craig Ratchford and Chad Sechrest.

Memorials may be made to Tabor Presbyterian Church Cemetery Fund, c/o Jack Messick, Route 1, Olin, N.C. 28660 or to Macedonia United Methodist Church, c/o Joy Holmes, Route 1, Olin, N.C. 28660.

Arthur L. Harrell Sr.

Arthur Lester Harrell Sr., 71, of Route 1, Woodleaf died Tuesday, June 26 at his home.

Funeral services were scheduled for 2 p.m. Thursday, June 28 at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Ted Miller and the Rev. Dennis Harrell. Burial was scheduled for Needmore Baptist Church cemetery.

Harrell was born Feb. 3, 1919 in Edgecombe County to the late Lafayette and Leah Varnell Harrell and was a retired chief of supplies at VA Hospital. He was a member of Needmore Baptist Church.

Survivors include: his wife, Elizabeth Miller Harrell of the home; three daughters, Carol Ann Taylor, and Linda Neff of Route 1, Woodleaf, and Repsey Harkey of Salisbury; two sons, Randy Harrell of Woodleaf and Arthur L. Harrell Jr. of Cleveland; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; and one sister, Cynthia Varnell of Rocky Mount.

James W. Kimmer

Mr. James Woodrow Kimmer, 71, of Route 4, died early Tuesday morning, June 26 at New Hanover Memorial Hospital in Wilmington after injuries he sustained in an auto accident.

Funeral services were scheduled for 11 a.m. Thursday, June 28 at Eaton's Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. John Deyton and the Rev. Joe Lear officiating. Burial was scheduled for the Liberty United Methodist Church cemetery.

Mr. Kimmer was born June 29, 1919, in Davie County to the late Charlie and Susan Everhardt Kimmer. He was retired from Baker Furniture and was a World War II veteran of the U.S. Army.

He was a member of the Liberty United Methodist Church.

His wife Hazel Jones Kimmer preceded him in death May 12, 1983.

Survivors include: three sisters, Mrs. Alice Tutterow, Luna Myers and Mrs. Thelma Jarvis all of Route 4, Mocksville; one brother, Luther Kimmer of Route 4, Mocksville; and two sisters-in-laws, Mrs. Elsie Kimmer and Ms. Hannah Jones, both of Route 4, Mocksville.

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