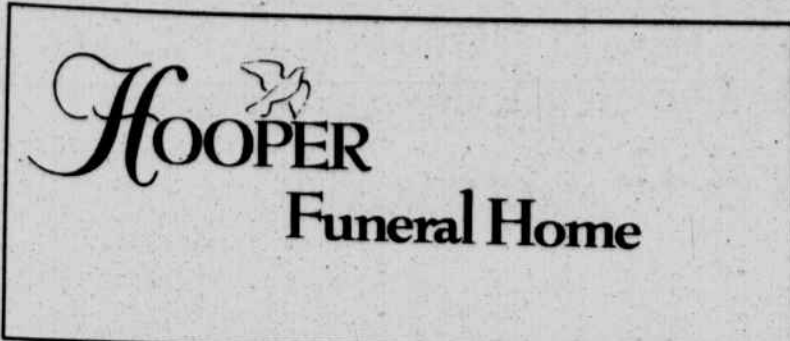


Deaths and Funerals



HOOPER
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CONNER

Mr. Theodore Roosevelt Conner Sr., AKA Boo Boo, of 5505 Winona St., died March 12 at his home.

He was born June 4, 1942, in Winston-Salem. He was a graduate of Atkins High School, class of 1960. He attended Winston-Salem State University and Forsyth Technical Community college. He was a member of United Metropolitan Missionary Baptist Church, where he was a member of the Haywood L. Wilson Jr. Sunday school class, the Laymen's League, and the Men's Choir. He was a former member of Bivouac Lodge No. 503, PHA. Mr. Conner did volunteer work in the community by serving on the Child Care Advisory Board at the Winston Lake YMCA and Project Graduation.

He leaves to cherish his memories, two sons, Theodore R. Conner Jr., of Little Rock, Ark., and Curtis R. Conner, of the home; two daughters, Karin M. Conner, of Winston-Salem, and Cheryl M. Conner, of the home; one grandchild, Michael M. Conner, of the home; two brothers, Jimmy L. Conner Sr., and Richard D. Conner, both of Detroit, Mich.; two sisters, Nancy (Ransom) Brown and Janice Conner; one aunt, Irene Hall; a very special friend, Lillie M.J. Mickle; a devoted friend, Barbara Harriett; all of Winston-Salem; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held March 15 at United Metropolitan Missionary Baptist Church, with the Rev. Dr. J.D. Ballard, pastor, officiating. Inhumation followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Hooper Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

ENNIS

Mr. Michael Antony Ennis, AKA Baby Boy, of 111 N. Spruce St., Apt. 2, died March 7 at his residence.

He was born Oct. 7, 1958, in Brooklyn, N.Y. He was educated in the public school system of New York and was a resident of Winston-Salem for the past 20 years.

He leaves to cherish his memories one daughter, Shawkita

"Precious" Williams, of Winston-Salem; one son, Caleb Brandon Ennis, of Winston-Salem; his mother, Janice Ennis, of Winston-Salem; one sister, Darleen Ennis, of King, N.C.; four brothers, Sugar (Cynthia) Ennis, Edward, and Tyrone Ennis, all of Winston-Salem, and Darryl (Roslyn) Ennis, of Atlanta; one aunt, Emma Wilkes; two devoted cousins, Keevan and Vonny Wilkes; and a devoted friend, Donna Lewis, all of Winston-Salem.

Funeral services were held March 13 at Hooper Funeral Home, with the Rev. Sheldon McCarter officiating. Inhumation followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Hooper Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

MILES

Mrs. Sallie M. Miles, of 1217 E. 12th St., died March 3 at Springwood Care Center.

Born Jan. 12, 1938, in South Carolina, she moved to Winston-Salem at an early age.

She is survived by one son, Leroy Miles, of Las Vegas, Nev.; two devoted friends, Nathan Littlejohn and Ruby Burrell, both of Winston-Salem; and a host of other loving friends.

Funeral services were held March 7 at Hooper Funeral Home, with the Rev. Sheldon McCarter officiating. Inhumation followed at Evergreen cemetery. Hooper Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Salem; his daughters, Robin Taylor, Denise Taylor, Cloretta Taylor, Tonya Taylor, Camale Taylor, Samithea Moore and Erica Hauser, all of Winston-Salem; 14 grandchildren; his dear mother, Mary Dunlap, of Winston-Salem; his godparents, Thomas "Jim" and Catherine Bell, of High Point; his stepisters and stepbrothers, Douglas Green, James (Sharon) Green, Larry Green, Vernon Green, Sarah (Henry) Young, Eva Bryant, and Timothy Green; his former wife, Phyllis Van Dyre, of Winston-Salem; a devoted friend, Barbara Dickens; and a close friend, Horace McNeil, both of High Point; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held March 14 at 3:30 p.m. at the chapel of Russell Funeral Home, with the Rev. Christian Quire officiating.

Burial followed at Piedmont Memorial Gardens. Russell Funeral Directors were in charge of the arrangements.

BELTON

Mrs. Jessie Estella "Estelle" Saunders, of 5881 Scales Dr. in Pfafftown, N.C., died March 10 at North Carolina Baptist Hospital.

She born Feb. 15, 1915, in Newberry, S.C., to James and Elizabeth Byrd Saunders. She had resided in Winston-Salem since 1921. Estelle was a faithful member of the St. John Baptist Church for more than 75 years and served with the Young Women's Progressive Club and the Nurses Board. She was a retired employee of R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, where she was a chef in the cafeteria. Mrs. Belton was a member of Meridian Chapter 308, Order of the Eastern Star.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Samuel Belton, and a son, Earl Belton.

She is survived by cousins, Mary Addison, of Silver Spring, Md., Billy Byrd, Eva Henderson, Thomas Byrd, Rose Glover, Anna Lee Hughes, Janie Caldwell, all of Washington, D.C., Cooledge Chapman, of Newberry, S.C., Lillian Rickard, Herbert Thacker and John Arthur Livingston, all of Winston-Salem; devoted friends, Areatha Broadway, Cora Broome, Delores Joyner, William Debnam, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howell, all of Winston-Salem, Theodore Clark, of Pilot Mountain, N.C.; a godson, Charles McIntyre, of Clemmons, N.C.; and many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services held March 14 at St. John Baptist Church, with the Rev. Leonard N. Lewis officiating. Burial followed at Memorial Gardens. Russell Funeral Directors were in charge of the arrangements.

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822 Carl Russell Ave.
722-3459

TAYLOR

Mr. Sammie Jefferies Taylor, of 1204 Dartmouth Ave. in High Point, N.C., died March 7 at High Point Regional Hospital.

He was a native of Winston-Salem and had lived in High Point for the last 23 years. He was of the Baptist faith and a retired employee of High Point Furniture Company.

He is survived by one son, Sammie Taylor Jr. of Winston-

RELIGION CALENDAR

Philip Chapel Male Chorus to present concert 'Growing in His Love and Grace'

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sador Cathedral Family March 23 as they extend happy 70th birthday wishes to Bishop F.D. Patterson during the 7 p.m. evening worship service.

▲ Board Anniversary

The "Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church's Nurse Board" will celebrate their 42nd Anniversary March 23. The guest church and pastor will be the Rev. Dennis Bishop and members of the first Waightown Baptist Church. Everyone is invited. The host pastor is the Rev. Donald Salley. The president is Gloria Stinson. The celebration will take place at 4 p.m. at the Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church, 1400 Fitch St. in Winston-Salem.

Church, 3710 Maverick St. in Winston-Salem.

• Wednesday March 26 •

▲ Spring Revival

The Rev. Sandy S. Witherpoon Jr. and the members of Spencer Memorial Christian Church invite the public to share their Spring Revival March 26-28 at 7:30 nightly. The guest for the revival will be the Rev. Dr. Eric Cole of Mr. Pleasant Christian Church in Greensboro. Spencer Memorial Christian Church is at 1410 Douglas St. in Winston-Salem, on the corner of Douglas and Dellabrook Streets. For more information call (910) 852-6655.

EW East Winston Community Development Corporation

All Ministers are cordially invited
to attend a luncheon
in celebration
of your support of
Community Economic Development
Tuesday March 25, 1997
11:00 a.m.

First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall
700 Highland Ave.

Sponsored by The Church & CED Partnership

Constance H. Johnson - Chairperson
James R. Grace - Executive Director

RSVP - To 723-1783
No cost to attend

First Baptist Church
700 Highland Avenue

Sunday School.....9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship.....8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Nursery.....10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

8:30 a.m. Service
All are welcome to attend
11:00 a.m. Service
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WEEKLY SERVICES

Sunday
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m.
Radio Broadcast (WAAA-980).....2:00 p.m.
M.Y.P.U.....6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic Service.....7:30 p.m.

Wednesday
Prayer Service & Bible Study.....7:30 p.m.

Bishop R.L. Wise Sr.
D.D.S.T.D.
Pastor

• Monday March 24 •

▲ Missions Day

The Joint Missionary Ministry of United Cornerstone Missionary Baptist Church will observe Missions Day on Sunday Mar. 24 at 5:15 p.m. Special guest singers will be the Spiritual Travelers, of Greensboro, N.C.

The Joint Missionary Ministry is dedicated to supporting the objectives of the General Baptist State Convention of North Carolina, and the Lott Carey Baptist Foreign Mission Convention.

Hilda Smith serves as president, and Dr. J. Ray Butler is host pastor. The church is at 2745 Patna St.

• Tuesday March 25 •

▲ Revival

A Holy Ghost Deliverance Revival will be conducted by prophetess Marilyn Griffin, a noted, successful revivalist and associate minister of Gospel Feast Revival Temple of Greensboro, N.C., Tuesday through Friday, March 25-28 at 7:30 each night, at Revelations of Faith

afterloss

Questions & Answers on recovering from grief *

Questions asked during bereavement counseling are answered by the editor of Afterloss, the grief-recovery letter.

Q. When someone you love dies, it seems that you will never be happy again. Is this so?

A. There is an adjustment phase to every major change in our lives. The return to a joyful existence can certainly be attained. Some achieve this happiness sooner than others and for a variety of reasons. These include (but are not limited to): (1) a willingness to take the steps required to work through your grief (2) your own personality structure (3) your tenacity and (4) the new opportunities that may subsequently emerge.

* For a free copy of Afterloss or the new booklet, Grief is a process, Not an Event: Questions and Answers on Grief Recovery simply call or stop by.

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