

Deaths And Funerals

AGNES THORNTON BATCHELOR

Agnes Thornton Batchelor, 75, of Wilmington died May 17 in New Hanover Regional Medical Center. A graveside service was held May 20 in Oakdale Cemetery by Dr. Michael G. Queen.

Mrs. Batchelor was born in Dunn on Dec. 7, 1917, the daughter of the late Guthrie and Georgianna Jackson Thornton, and was preceded in death by her husband, Wilbur (Willie) Alan Batchelor.

She was a member of First Baptist Church, the AARP and the North Carolina Nurses Association. She was retired from New Hanover Memorial Hospital.

Survivors include her daughter, Shirley Bryant of Baltimore, Md.; her son, Alan Batchelor of Richmond, Va.; two brothers, Odie Thornton of Graham and Ervin Thornton of Leland; four grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

EDGAR LEE CAISON JR.
Edgar Lee Caison Jr., 47, of Supply died May 21.

The funeral was May 24 at Coble Ward-Smith Funeral Service, Supply, with the Rev. Leo Cannon officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Mr. Caison was born in Southport on March 3, 1946, the son of Edgar Lee Caison Sr. and Letha Robinson Caison of Supply.

Surviving in addition to his parents is a son, Timothy Lewis Caison of Supply.

EARL KENNETH SPENCER
Earl Kenneth Spencer, 58, of Ocean Isle Beach, died May 20 at The Brunswick Hospital.

The funeral was May 22 in the Brunswick Funeral Service Chapel, Shallotte.

He was born on Dec. 8, 1934, in Attica, N.Y., to the late Harold and Estelle Spencer. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of the Korean conflict and had been an engineer for the B & O Railroad. He was affiliated with Sam's Place restaurant at Ocean Isle Beach.

Survivors include his wife, Karen J. Spencer of the home; two daughters, Elizabeth Marguerite Spencer of Sunset Beach and Samantha Lee Spencer of the home; a brother, Jerry Spencer of Pennsylvania; a sister, Helen Conway of Attica, N.Y.; a grandson, Kenneth Brooks of Sunset Beach; and others.

LENA McLAMB
Lena O'Rila Fulwood McLamb, 76, of Shallotte, died May 22 in the University of Virginia Medical Center, Richmond, Va.

The funeral was May 26 in Bethel Primitive Baptist Church, with Elder Samuel Bryant, Elder Arman Rich and Elder Newell Helms officiating. Entombment was in the church cemetery.

She was born in Brunswick County on Jan. 18, 1917, the daughter of the late Henry and Sarah Frink Fulwood. She was a member of Bethel Primitive Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Aaron McLamb of the home; two sons, Douglas McLamb of Calabash and Lewis McLamb of Shallotte; a daughter, Olive M. Bessent of Shallotte; a brother, Manley Fulwood of Shallotte; two sisters, Geneva F. Hewett of Cherryville and Lucille F. Skipper of Shallotte; nine grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

The family asked that memorials be made to Bethel Primitive Baptist Church Building Fund, in care of Douglas McLamb, 1031 Highpoint Avenue, Calabash, N.C. 28467.

EUNICE FAIRCLOTH

Eunice Colleen Lewis Faircloth, 63, of Ocean Isle Beach, died May 21 in The Brunswick Hospital following a long illness.

A graveside service was held May 23 at Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery, with the Rev. Danny Harris officiating.

Mrs. Faircloth was born in Horry County, S.C., a daughter of the late William Henry and Ila Beatrice Fowler Lewis. She attended Bethlehem Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Lewis James Faircloth of Ocean Isle Beach; five brothers, David Lewis and Daniel Lewis, both of Ocean Isle Beach, Odell Lewis of Sophia, Ernest Lewis of New London and Henry Lewis of Cherry Grove Beach, S.C.; two sisters, Sally Watson of Sunset Beach and Shelby Gurley of Archdale; and three grandchildren.

JESSE CLIFTON (J.C.) WRIGHT

Jesse Clifton Wright, 73, of Evergreen, S.C., and formerly of Shallotte, died Saturday, May 22, in a Florence, S.C., hospital after an illness.

The funeral was May 24 in Cain Funeral Home Chapel, Florence, S.C. Burial was in Florence National Cemetery.

Mr. Wright was born in Horry County, S.C., the son of the late John W. and Cora Lee Sellers Wright.

He moved to Evergreen five months ago from Shallotte, where he was employed prior to retirement as a bank courier with United Carolina Bank. He also operated Wright's Landscape and Lawn Service for a number of years. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II and was a member of Sandy Plain Baptist Church, Tabor City.

Survivors include three sons, Jimmy Dale Wright of Lake Port, Fla., John Calvin Wright of Evergreen, S.C., and Danny Mitchell Wright of Shallotte; a daughter, Margaret Linda Suggs of Evergreen, S.C.; a brother, Liston Wright of Thomasville; a sister, Ruby Fowler of Tabor; three grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

PATRICIA SIMS NEVILLE
Patricia Sims Neville, 68, of Greensboro and formerly of Southport, died May 21 at home.

The funeral was May 23 in the Bethel Baptist Church Cemetery, Carrboro.

THOMAS BRYANT
Thomas Bryant of Northwest community, Leland, died May 20 in New Hanover Regional Medical Center, Wilmington.

The funeral was May 23 at Spring Green Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

LEOLA DAVIS
Leola Davis, formerly of Navassa, died May 17 in Baltimore, Md.

The funeral was held May 23 in Baltimore.

ROBERT WILLARD ROBBINS
Robert Willard Robbins, 78, of SeaAire Estates, Supply, died May 22 at his home.

The funeral was May 25 in Brunswick Funeral Service Chapel, Shallotte, by the Rev. Steve Stout and the Rev. Wade Laughter. Burial was in Silent Grove Cemetery, Supply.

Prior to his retirement Robbins was employed by the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad as an engineer.

Survivors include his wife, Gladys Clemmons Robbins of the

home and several nieces and nephews.

DONALD VAUGHN WALL
Donald Vaughn Wall Sr., 70, of Calabash, died May 21.

The funeral was May 26 at Providence Moravian Church, Winston-Salem, with the Rev. Jack Nance officiating. Burial was in the church graveyard.

Born March 10, 1923, in Winston-Salem, he was the son of James Evey and Mattie Grubbs Wall.

Mr. Wall was retired from AT&T and was an ordained Baptist minister. He served as flotilla staff officer and as a division officer in the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Richard S. Wall.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Ingram Wall; two daughters, Rebecca Brinegar of Kernersville and Patricia W. Styers of Winston-Salem; a son, Donald V. Wall II of Greensboro; three grandchildren; a half-sister, Mary Louise Carpenter of San Raphael, Calif.; and a brother, James Evey Wall of Wilmington.

CHRISTOPHER KEITH BUSTLE

Christopher Keith Bustle, 23, former resident of Sunset Beach, died in Norcross, Ga., May 2.

He was the grandson of Mrs. Margaret Newell of Sunset Beach and attended West Brunswick High School for two years. He graduated from South Mecklenburg High School in Charlotte and served three years in the U.S. Navy.

Mr. Bustle is also survived by his mother, Patricia Kelly, and younger brother Darren of Norcross.

A memorial service was held May 5 at St. John's Episcopal Church in Charlotte.

AMANDA LYNN LEE

Amanda Lynn Lee, 11, of Ash died Monday, May 24, in New Hanover Regional Medical Center.

She was born in Columbus County on Aug. 31, 1981, to James Allen and Cathy Smith Lee of the home. She was a member of Harvest Fellowship Pentecostal Holiness Church. She was a sixth grader at Waccamaw Elementary School and a member of the school band. She was an honor student.

Survivors in addition to her parents include her paternal grandparents, James Billy and Laura Jane Lee of Florence, S.C.; maternal grandparents Mack and Elaine Smith of Ash, great-grandparents Linwood and Daisy Lee of Tabor City and Ausbon and Rena Goff of Florence, S.C.; a step-great-grandfather, R.D. Simmons of Ash; and several aunts and uncles.

Funeral services will be Thursday, May 27, at 1 p.m. at Harvest Fellowship Pentecostal Holiness Church with the Rev. Danny Harris and the Rev. Tim Watson officiating. Burial will follow in the Smith Cemetery in Ash.

The family will receive friends at the home of James and Cathy Lee, Highway 130 West, Ash.

Arrangements are being handled by Coble Ward-Smith Funeral Service.

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Pastor Donald R. Safrit
(Casual Dress)

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Church Groundbreaking

Members of the Leland Missionary Holiness Church break ground on their newly acquired property on Lanvale Road May 16. Pictured (from left) are David Robbins, the Rev. Darryl Hewett, Pastor Keith Emanuel, Alton Fairfax and Ed Creech.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sharon Ladies Club Hold Annual Sale

Sharon Ladies Club will hold its annual Memorial Day weekend yard sale, bake sale and dinner Saturday, May 29, at Sharon United Methodist Church.

The yard sale starts at 8 a.m. Fried chicken and baked ham dinners, served with candied yams, potato salad, green beans and rolls, will be sold starting at 11 a.m. Plates will be \$4 for adults and \$2.75 for children, said club reporter Mary Foust.

Chapel Hosts Stewart

The Rev. Dr. Robert Stewart, a Baptist minister from Cary, is the pastor of the week at The Holden Beach Chapel.

He will lead the 11 a.m. worship service at the nondenominational chapel, which is located on Rothschild Street across from the town hall.

A nursery is provided. Sunday school begins at 10 a.m.

Gospel Center Revival

Revival meetings at Gospel Center Baptist Church in Varnamtown will take place May 26-28 at 7:30 p.m. with the Rev. Landis Lancaster as speaker.

Lancaster is pastor of First Baptist Church of Shallotte and was ordained for the ministry at Gospel Center.

At each service there will be special inspirational music.

Guild Luncheon Set

The Ladies Guild of Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church in North Myrtle Beach, S.C., will hold its June luncheon Friday, June 4.

Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m., at which time officers will be installed.

After Mass, a luncheon will be held at the Dunes Club. Tickets are on sale until June 1.

Following the theme, "Women in White," members will model their own wedding gowns in a program coordinated by Tillie Fitzpatrick.

Members will also bring gifts for the abused child center in North Myrtle Beach, said publicity chairman Helen M. Mullen.

Hilton At Oak Island

The Rev. Horace Hilton of Wilmington, formerly pastor of Myrtle Grove Presbyterian Church, will be the guest speaker Sunday, May 30, at Oak Island Presbyterian Church, Long Beach.

Sunday school begins at 9:15 a.m. and worship service at 10:15 a.m., said spokesman Jack Terry.

Beach Service Sunday

Shallotte Presbyterian Church's beach service will be held Sunday morning, May 30, at First Street and Driftwood Drive, Ocean Isle Beach.

Coffee and doughnuts will be served from 7:30 a.m. until 8:15 a.m. Church services follow at 8:30 a.m.

Residents and visitors are invited to attend.

Yard Sale Planned

The Men and Women's Groups of St. Luke Lutheran Church of Shallotte will hold a yard sale Saturday, May 29, starting at 8 a.m.

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Proceeds will be used to buy kitchen equipment for their new church building, and will be matched (up to \$400) with donations from Coastal Branch No. 8518 of the Lutheran Brotherhood, said spokesman Margaret R. Wetzel.

Serving BBQ

Zion United Methodist Church of Town Creek will serve home-cooked pork barbecue Saturday, starting at 11 a.m. in the church fellowship hall.

Plates will include potato salad, coleslaw and hushpuppies. Cost is \$4 each. Proceeds will go to the building fund.

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Why?
Let's all pray for peace.
A Tribute to My Brother Bobby
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Seaside United Methodist Church
8:00 AM Worship Service
9:00 AM Christian Education Hour
9:30-10:00 AM Fellowship Time
10:00 AM Worship Service
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Sunday Worship Service
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Church School For All Ages
10:45
Beach Service 8 a.m.
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