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Devotional Thoughts

"The Truth Will Make You Free"

Time and time again people have been heard to say: "The truth never hurt anyone", but I doubt if this is true. If a person has done something dreadfully wrong, and it is found out, he or she is usually upset and often times grieved; as soon as the person confesses the wrong though, they usually feel better.

In John 8:31-32 we read: "If you continue in My word, then are you My disciples indeed; and ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." Jesus is telling us here that a devout Christian seeks to know the real meaning of His word and is ready to accept the truth regardless of the sacrifice to us personally. When we are not doing what God's word tells us to do, we as Christians should also be upset and grieved to the extent that we want to do better in the future.

In John 14:6 Jesus said: "I am the way, the truth, and the life: No man cometh unto the Father, but by me." He is telling the sinner that He (Jesus) is the truth, and anyone who believes that He is the only way, can be saved.

All of us love the truthful person, one on whom we can depend and have faith in. We like to work and associate with people we know we can trust.

In Romans, 10:9 we read, "If thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised Him from the dead, thou shalt be saved." This is the inspired word of God and if you believe it, the truth shall make you free.

Mrs. Pearl Lamm, Member
 Calvary Baptist Church
 Rocky Mount, North Carolina

Sympathy Notes

Samuel Neal Weaver

Funeral services for Samuel Neal Weaver were held May 5, 1953 from Johnson Funeral Home. Burial followed at Pineview Cemetery in Rocky Mount. His wife, Mrs. Nannie D. Weaver is employed in the Finishing Department, and his son, Sam "Sonny" Weaver, works in Mending. Two nephews, Sam Johnnie Weaver and Frank Weaver are employed in Final Examining.

Ernest Jackson Nelms

Ernest Jackson "Flash" Nelms, former Mending Department employee, died May 7, 1953, at his home at 1227 Boone Street. His son, Atlas Nelms of the United States Air Force, is a Caromount employee and also a sister and brother, Mrs. Hazel Nelms Andrews and William Arvie Nelms are employed in the Weaving Department. Burial was from Calvary Baptist Church May 9, 1953.

Howard K. Landis

Howard K. Landis, former Shipping Department employee, died May 10, 1953 in a Richmond Hospital following an extended illness. The funeral was from Gay's Funeral Home May 12th, and burial was at Durham, N. C.

Jonah Bertis Morgan

Jonah Bertis Morgan, father of Bertis Morgan of the Final Examining Department and father-in-law of Mrs. Lessie Morgan of the Warping Department, died May 10, 1953. The funeral was May 12th from the Church of God near Spring Hope, N. C.

Home From Korea



Sidney Cobb (shown here), the son of Mrs. Nina Rogers of the Mending Department has written to his mother that he hopes to be home about the middle of June. He has been stationed in Korea for a long time and thinks he will be sent to Texas to stay until he gets out of the service next year.

Fire Damages Kitchen

Tommy and Ruby Bledsoe had a tough break the last of April. They were called home from work because their house was on fire. After much excitement the fire was extinguished, thanks to the help of some good friends and neighbors and the waters of Stoney Creek.

Fortunately, most of their house was saved; however, there was some damage to the kitchen roof. They have recovered from the fire now and are back in their regular routine, we are happy to report.

Linda Dianne Hamm



Little Miss Linda Dianne Hamm (above) is the 17 months old daughter of James Hamm, third shift fixer of the Wilson Division.

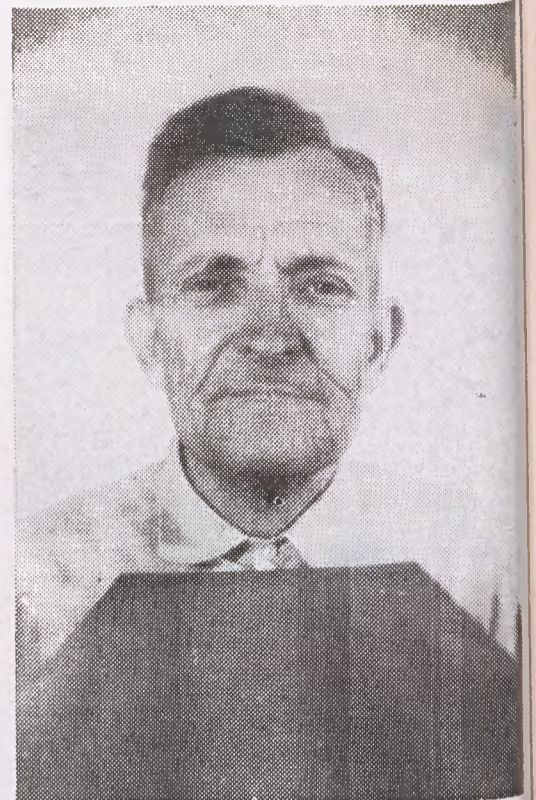
In "Dancapades '53"



Little Miss Nancy Grisson, age 5 years (above) is the daughter of Mrs. Estelle Grisson, third shift weaver of the Wilson Division. Nancy is wearing the costume she used in the "Dancapades of '53", a show put on by the Wilson Dance Studio recently. She was in a dance called the "French Dolls", and another, "Tiny Starlettes".

Eddie Wright Denton

1886 - 1953



Eddie Wright Denton, 66, died in Spring Hope, April 25, 1953. He had been in declining health for several years and seriously ill for ten days. He was a native of Franklin County, but had been a resident of Rocky Mount for 25 years where he was employed in the Weaving Department at Caromount Mills until he was disabled.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ellen Denton of Rocky Mount; one son, Eddie W. Denton, Jr., with the United States Air Force in Germany; two brothers, L. C. Denton of Durham and Alex Denton of Zebulon, Route 2.

Funeral services were conducted from Johnson Funeral Home Chapel at 4 P. M. April 27, 1953, the Rev. H. R. Starling, pastor of the South Side Baptist Church officiating, assisted by the Rev. J. H. Blackmore, pastor of the Baptist Church of Spring Hope. Burial was in Mount Herman Church Cemetery.

Pallbearers were: Ray Bass, Owen Solomon, Nolie Robinson, John Young, T. R. Kennedy and Jim Speight, all employees of the first shift of the Caromount Weaving Department.

Eddie Wright Denton had made many friends during the years he worked at Caromount Mills.

Births

David Gerald Lewis

Mr. and Mrs. David Lewis (Wilson Division) announce the birth of a son, David Gerald Lewis, born April 3, 1953. David is a first shift employee.

"You cannot eat taxes.
 You cannot wear taxes.
 BUT

You pay more for taxes than you do for Food and Clothing."