

Deaths

JAMES ELLIS FIELDS

Final rites for James Ellis Fields were held Saturday, September 25, at Fisher Funeral Chapel. Rev. Melvin Ward officiated. Burial was in Beechwood Cemetery. He died Tuesday, September 21, at Green Park Care Center, Brooklyn, N.Y. after an extended illness.

He was born July 2, 1912 in Hillsborough, a son of the late Willie Fields. He was employed for many years in the garment district in New York and had been a shop steward in the International Ladies Garment Workers Union (ILGWU).

Surviving are a sister, Miss Mary Ellen Fields of Durham; a brother, Odell Fields of Durham; three nieces, Mrs. Barbara F. Hibbert of New Rochelle, N.Y., Mrs. Linda F. Fuller of Raleigh, and Mrs. Paulette F. Singletary of Durham; a nephew, Ronald A. Fields of Durham; several great nieces and nephews.

Arrangements were by Fisher Funeral Parlor.

MRS. SALLIE ANN JONES

Final rites for Mrs. Sallie Ann Jones were held Monday, September 27, at New Rock Spring United Church of Christ, Creedmoor. Rev. Richard Carnegie officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery. She died Thursday, September 23, at Brian Center Retirement Home.

She was born February 2, 1908 in Granville County, a daughter of the late Sylvester and Mrs. Elizabeth Jackson. She graduated from the Granville County schools. She retired from employment at Duke University Medical Center in 1976. She was a member of New Rock Spring Church. She was married to the late Paul Jones, Sr.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Barbara Fowler of Durham; four sons, Plummer L. Jones and Ellis Jones, both of Durham, Paul Jones, Jr. of New York, N.Y., and Marshall Jones of Wendell; 27 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and a sister, Mrs. Arreva Green of Creedmoor.

Courtesy of Scarborough & Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.

MRS. LEONA JACKSON EVANS SEATE

Final rites for Mrs. Leona Jackson Evans Seate were held Saturday, September 25, at Ebenezer Baptist Church, Rev. H.L. Edmonds, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Glenview Memorial Park. She died Tuesday, September 21, at Durham Regional Hospital.

She was a daughter of the late Jack and Mrs. Rebecca Evans. She attended East Durham School. She was a shop steward for the Textile Union of Durham Hosiery Mill #6. She was the widow of Fred Seate.

She was a member of Ebenezer Church, Senior Choir, Gospel Choir, leader of the Sunshine Band, secretary of the Pastor's Aid Club, and organized the Missionary Sunday School.

Surviving are a daughter Mrs. Gloria Seate Williams; four grandchildren, Ms. H. Yvonne Burton, Michael D. Watkins, Kevin L. Watkins and Brian S. Williams, all of Durham; 11 great-grandchildren; five great-great-grandchildren.

Courtesy of Scarborough and Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.

SHELTON T. WILLIAMS

Final rites for Shelton T. Williams were held Thursday, September 23, at Greater St. Paul Baptist Church. Rev. A.L. Pegram officiated. Burial was in Markham Memorial Gardens. He died Sunday, September 19, at his home.

He was born January 30, 1967 in Durham, a son of Leon Williams and Mrs. Clementine Williams Wilson.

He was a 1985 graduate of Hillside High School and received an associate degree from Shaw University, Raleigh. He also attended North Carolina Central University. He was employed by IBM prior to his illness.

He was a member of Greater St. Paul and was a tennis player, dancer and author of poetry and songs.

Surviving, in addition to his mother, are two sisters, Ms. Gloria Williams and Ms. Tonya Williams, both of Durham; grandmother, Mrs. Josephine Morgan of Durham; 15 uncles, 18 aunts; a niece and a nephew.

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CARLOS ALBERTO SALCEDO ROSS

Final rites for Carlos Alberto Salcedo Ross were held Monday, September 27, at Scarborough Memorial Chapel. Rev. N.B. Sanders officiated. Burial was in Glenview Memorial Park. He died Sunday, September 19, at Duke University Medical Center.

He was born March 31, 1970 in Durham, a son of Ms. Joyce Ross. He attended the public schools of Durham and was employed by Pickett Construction Company until it relocated.

Surviving, in addition to his mother, is a son, DeCorry Charles of Durham; maternal grandmother, Ms. Elizabeth Ross; two sisters, Miss Tashiba Ross and Miss Janice Ross, both of Durham; three brothers, Lamont Ross and Antonio Ross, both of Durham, and Anthony E. Ross of Roxboro; three aunts, Ms. Delsie McKeller of Raleigh, Ms. Shirley Tifton of Richmond, Va. and Ms. Darlene Ross of High Point; and several cousins.

Courtesy of Scarborough & Hargett Funeral Home, Inc.

KEAVER LUNSFORD

Final rites for Keaver Lunsford were held Sunday, September 26, at Scarborough Memorial Chapel. Rev. Glenn R. Davis officiated. Burial was in Markham Memorial Gardens. He died Tuesday, September 21, at his home.

He was born July 17, 1910 in Timberlake, a son of the late Willie and Mrs. Liza Lunsford. He attended Person County schools. Prior to retirement, he was employed by Carey Lumber Company. He was also a small engine repairman.

Surviving are three nieces, Ms. Nellie Johnson of the home, Ms. Ann Pratt of Plainfield, N.J. and Ms. Nora Bell of Newark, N.J.; four nephews, Clarence Lunsford and John Mitchell, both of Baltimore, Md., Lenny Lunsford of Roxboro and James Mitchell of Asheboro; several great-nieces and great-nephews.

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Church News

Russell Memorial to Observe Frank Howard Alston Day

The third annual Frank Howard Alston Scholarship Sunday will be held Sunday, October 10, 10:45 a.m. at Russell Memorial CME Church, 703 S. Alston Avenue.

Members of the Hillside High School Class of 1952 will host this scholarship fund-raiser in "Prof" Alston's honor.

The speaker will be North Carolina State Senator Jeanne Lucas of Durham. Sen. Lucas, a Democrat, represents the 13th District of North Carolina, and serves on several Senate committees: Banks and Thrift Institutions, Commission on Children with Special Needs, Capital Expenditures, Pensions and Retirement, Education/Higher Education, Public Utilities, Ways and Means, State Employee Health and Medical Benefits, and Transportation.

She is a graduate of Hillside High School.

White Rock

Rev. Thelma Melvin Battle will be the featured speaker at a program of the Board of Christian Education of White Rock Baptist Church on Sunday, October 3, at 6 p.m. This will be the first program in celebration of the 127th anniversary of White Rock Baptist Church.

Currently employed as a school social worker in the Durham Public Schools, Mrs. Melvin is a member of White Rock and was licensed to preach by the White Rock congregation. She is the wife of Dr. Joseph Battle and they are parents of three children, Angela, Joseph and Kimberly.

The public is invited.

New Jerusalem Cathedral

FAMILY AND FRIENDS DAY will be celebrated at New Jerusalem Baptist Cathedral, 3405 Danube Lane, on Sunday, October 10, at 11 a.m. John L. Caldwell is the pastor. The public is invited.

Covenant

The Deacon Board of Covenant Presbyterian Church will have a yard sale Saturday, October 2, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Come to the church and buy until your heart's content. Members will be waiting at 1306 Lincoln St.

Oak Grove

Oak Grove FWB Church, 801 Colfax St., is holding revival services all this week at 7:30 p.m. Last night is Friday, October 1. The speaker is Rev. Fredrick A. Davis, pastor, First Calvary Baptist Church. Rev. Z.D. Harris is host pastor. All are invited.

Pettiford Grove

All are invited to join in the celebration of the fifth anniversary of Rev. Waddell C. Tapp as pastor of Pettiford Grove Baptist Church, 3579 Cannady Mill Rd., Kittrell. Pre-anniversary musical programs will be held Sunday, October 3 at 5 p.m., and Saturday, October 9 at 6 p.m. The Oct. 3 program will be a Gospel featuring The Spiritual Entertainers, The Sensational Four, and The Pettiford Grove Male Chorus. On Oct. 9, The New Testament Gospel Group, The Revelations Gospel Group and others will perform.

Anniversary services will be held on Sunday, October 10 at 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. Rev. J.D. Squires will be the morning speaker and Rev. Coolidge McCoy and the First Baptist Church of Franklinton will be the afternoon speaker and guests, respectively.

TWO MINUTES WITH THE BIBLE

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THE KEY TO AN EFFECTIVE PASTORATE

The humblest pastor, one who has had little opportunity for formal training and may have few natural endowments, may be heartened by the fact that ultimately the key to true effectiveness in the pastorate is *spirituality*. And the greatest pastor, well educated and liberally endowed with natural talents, had better remember this, for a large and "successful" ministry is not necessarily blessed and honored of God, while a seemingly insignificant one may be richly blessed.

Remember, the Apostle Paul referred to himself as "unknown, and yet well known," as "poor, yet making many rich" (II Cor. 6:9,10). He could boast no great organizational backing, yet even his co-workers were called "these who have turned the world upside down" (Acts 17:6).

The truly spiritual pastor may know little about worldly matters, but he will give much time to the study of the Word of God and will be earnest and instant in prayer. He will not be self-satisfied, or high-minded, but will walk humbly, begging God every day to make him the pastor he ought to be.

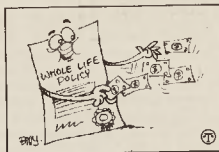
The truly spiritual pastor will be "crucified with the world" and will "live [from] youthful lusts." He will truly love lost souls and the congregation God has entrusted to him, and will toil unremittingly for their good. He will conduct himself as a servant of God and will trust God to use him for His glory.

How can such a pastor be a total failure?

The key to a truly effective pastorate, then, is not intellectual endowment, or scholastic attainment, or a well-rounded education, or a thorough training, much less wealth or fame or personal magnetism, it is *spirituality*, with its desire to please God and to know and obey His Word, "rightly divided."

Tips On Getting Early Benefits From Your Life Insurance Policy Accelerated Benefits

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