

Area Deaths and Funerals

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Funeral Home**
822 Carl Russell Ave.
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BUTLER

Mrs. Carrie Harris Butler of Winston-Salem died Tuesday, October 27, 1992 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital. She was born October 16, 1930 in Winnsboro, South Carolina to the late Wade Robinson and Melessia Nelson.

She was the wife of the late James Davis Butler. She was a member of Heavenview Tabernacle United Pentecostal Church and was an employee of the B & J Beauty Shop as a beautician on Liberty Street.

She is survived by two daughters, Gloria (Lewis) Thomas of the home and Glenda (Wilbert) Blandon of Fayetteville; three brothers, Willie (Gwendolyn) Robinson of Winston-Salem, Richard (Marie) Robinson of Bladen County, and James (Rosie Mae) Robinson of Winnsboro, S.C.; four grandchildren, James, LaShanda, LaThasha and Antwon Thomas, all of the home; one aunt, Pinkie Baldwin of Southern Pines; one uncle, Will W. Davis of Winston-Salem; three sisters-in-law, Loree (William Mack) Jackson and Esther Butler of Winston-Salem, and Sarah Henderson of Greensboro; a devoted friend, John Duncan of Winston-Salem; plus many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Sunday, November 1 at 2 p.m. at Heavenview Tabernacle United Pentecostal Church, with the Rev. Mark Foster officiating. Burial followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors handled the funeral arrangements.

FLOWERS

Mrs. Geneva Flowers of Winston-Salem died Monday, October 26, 1992 at North Carolina Baptist Hospital. She was born April 24, 1918 in Wadesboro to the late Payton and Luzalia Myers.

She is survived by a devoted friend, Sylvester Reid; four sons, Henry Carter, Bobby Myers and Alfred Flowers, all of Winston-Salem, and Thomas Barnes of Durham; a daughter, Carolyn Nickens of Mesa, Ariz.; three step-daughters, Frankie Morant, Jackie Archie of Winston-Salem, and Kay Freemand of Bronx, N.Y.; four sisters, Betty Blakney of Winston-Salem, Elizabeth McMillan and Cora Williams of Durham, and Lizzie Mae Pegues of Camden, N.J.; 16 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; four daughters-in-law; four sons-in-law; plus many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Friday, October 30 at 2 p.m. in the Russell Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Lenton Rhodes officiating. Burial followed at the Gardens of Memory in Walkertown. Russell Funeral Directors handled the funeral arrangements.

LITTLE

Mr. Paul Parson Little of Winston-Salem died Sunday, October 25, 1992 at his home, following an extended period of illness. He was born July 4, 1915 and had lived in Winston-Salem most of his life. He was a member of Mt. Zion Baptist Church and a retired employee of Duplan Corporation and Forsyth Memorial Hospital's maintenance department.

He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth C. Little of the home; four daughters, Betty L. Witherspoon, Paulette L. (James) Burch, Minnie L. (Tyro) Stephens, Pamela L. McNeil, all of Winston-Salem; two sons, Danny and Bobby Little, both of Winston-Salem; one brother, Willie Little of Winston-Salem; three sisters-in-law, Virginia Stewart of Winston-Salem; Barbara Ellis and Hazel Morton, both of Wilmington, Del.; 14 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; a devoted cousin, Melzetata Dowell; plus many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Friday, October 30 at 4 p.m. in the Russell Funeral Home Chapel, with Dr. Serenus T. Churn officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors handled the funeral arrangements.

MEDDERS

Mrs. Theopha Edwards Medders of Winston-Salem died Saturday, October 31, 1992 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital. She was born March 6, 1903 to the late Ronald Edwards and the late Ella Guest Edwards in Union, S.C.

She was reared in Hickory Grove, S.C., and attended the public schools there. She moved to Winston-Salem in 1942. Mrs. Medders had been a resident at the Oaks Nursing Facility and was formerly employed with North Carolina School of the Arts. She was a dedicated member of First Waughtown Baptist Church, where she served as president of the Nurses Board, a member of the Senior Gospel Choir, the Pastor's Aid, the Hospitality Committee, and the Missionary Circle. Mrs. Medders was well known and respected in the church community because of her spiritual and financial support. She was also a member of the Belview Flower Club and the Belview Civic League.

She is survived by her son, Frederick Medders of Baltimore, Md., who timelessly journeyed to see her three or four times a month during her confinement to the nursing home; her grandchildren, Janis M. Thompson of Baltimore, Md., and Freddie A. Hawkins of Charlotte; a devoted daughter-in-law, Maethelda Medders; great-grandchildren, Gillis Thompson and Ashley Brown, both of Baltimore, Md., Fredrea Galloway of Gastonia and Freddie Hawkins Jr. of Charlotte; plus many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, November 3 at 12 p.m. at First Waughtown Baptist Church, with the Rev. Dennis Bishop officiating. Burial followed at Piedmont Memorial Gardens. Russell Funeral Directors handled the funeral arrangements.

PORTER

Mr. Hugh E. Porter of New York, New York, died Friday, October 23, 1992 in New York. He was born September 25, 1916 in East Bend to the late Mr. and Mrs. Louis Porter and Lizzie Spease.

He was the last survivor of triplets. As a boy at the age of six, his family moved to Winston-Salem, and it was here that he began playing the piano without instruction. At this age, his mother recognized that he had the gift to play the piano and arranged for him to study with a private tutor. After a few years of study and at the age of twelve, he became the organist of the West End Baptist Church Young People's Choir. He and his mother moved to Braddock, Penn., in 1929, where he continued piano instruction under Professor Bernard and finished his formal education at Scott High School. He continued his studies at Sloan Conservatory of Music in Pittsburgh and the New York College of Music.

Professor Porter was a member of Second Canaan Baptist Church for 45 years. He was the musician and director of the Gospel Inspirations of the Trinity Baptist Church in Bronx, New York. In the span of his rich lifetime of achievements, Professor Porter was an actor, a composer, musical director, organist, pianist, scholar of piano and voice, as well as star of stage, radio and television.

He toured throughout America and was well-known for his performances in Europe at international jazz and gospel festivals. But it is for his starring role in the Langston Hughes play, "Tambourines To Glory" that he gathered worldwide acclaim. Professor Porter is also famous for his role as musical director of the Broadway hit production, "Jericho Jim Crow." Professor Porter was highly respected among musicians around the country and maintained good standing membership in the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers; AFTR; the Equity Actors Guild; and the American Guild of Authors.

He is survived by a nephew, Howard L. Ward and wife, Viola, of Winston-Salem; a godson, Gene Goode of New York, NY; plus many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Thursday, October 29 at 4 p.m. at Union Baptist Church, with the Rev. Konnie G. Robinson officiating. Burial followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors handled the funeral arrangements.

SIMPSON

Mrs. Karen Delores Savage Simpson of Winston-Salem died Wednesday, October 28, 1992 at North Carolina Baptist Hospital. She was born July 24, 1956 in New York, N.Y., to Elizabeth Edwards Savage and the late Albert Savage. She was a Baptist and was educated in the New York public schools. She was a graduate of Fashion Industries High School in New York City and attended LaGuardia Community College. She was a former employee of First National Bank of New York, N.Y. She moved to Winston-Salem in December 1990 to live with her mother, Elizabeth Savage.

She is survived by her dear mother, Elizabeth Savage of the home; her brother, Albert (Geraldine) Savage of Germantown; devoted nieces, Davana O'Connor of Brentwood, Long Island, N.Y., Kimberly Savage, Michelle Savage, Desiree Williams, Audra Owens, all of New York, and Yvonne Owens of Winston-Salem; a devoted nephew, Damian Owens of New York, N.Y.; plus many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Monday, November 2 at 11 a.m. in the Russell Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Garther W. Roland officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors handled the funeral arrangements.

WAY

Ms. Agatha Adams Way, 51, died Thursday, October 29, 1992 in Philadelphia, Penn. She was a native of Winston-Salem but had lived in Philadelphia for the past 20 years.

She is the daughter of the late Rev. Ruth P. Adams. She is survived by her father, William Adams of Winston-Salem; three sisters, Wilma S. Martin of Ithaca, N.Y., Carroll Adams of the home, and Sandra A. McIntosh of Los Angeles, Calif.; two brothers, Samuel G. Adams of Rocky Mount and Sheddric Adams of Winston-Salem; plus many other relatives and friends.

Memorial services were held Tuesday, November 3 at 1 p.m. at Macedonia True Vine Pentecostal Holiness Church, with Bishop S.D. Johnson officiating. Burial will take place in Philadelphia.

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**BYERS, SHEDRIKA
BYERS, SECONDA
BYERS, DELMAR**

Ms. Shedrika J. Byers, Ms. Seconda D. Byers, and Master Delmar G. Byers of 1239 Adler Street passed away Monday, November 26, at their residence unexpectedly.

Shedrika was a native of this city and an 8th grade student at Wiley Middle School. Seconda was a native of Charlotte, N.C. and a 6th grade student at Wiley Middle School. Delmar was a native of this city and a 5th grade student at Griffin Elementary School.

They all were members of Rising Ebenezer Baptist Church.

They are survived by their mother, Mrs. Vickie B. Westmoreland, of the home; father, Mr. Phillip Hargro, of this city; stepfather, Mr. Edward Westmoreland, of the home; 6 uncles; 3 aunts; 3 great-aunts; 7 great-uncles; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral arrangements were conducted at 11:30 a.m. on Monday, November 2, 1992 at Rising Ebenezer Baptist Church with Rev. William Brown officiating, with interment at the Evergreen Cemetery.

Arrangements entrusted to and services conducted by Gilmore Funeral Directors.

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204 Hartman Street, Lexington, NC
Ms. Andrea Devon Shepard
233 Forest Hill Avenue
expresses their heartfelt
thanks for all acts of kindness
shown them in their bereavement.
Words of comfort for the
bereaved families.
Weeping May Endure for a
night but Joy Cometh
in the Morning.

afterloss
Questions & Answers on
recovering from grief
Q. I promised my husband
that I would not sell our home
if he died before me. Now two
years later, I find the
responsibility of staying in a
large house too much for me.
What should I do?
A: Once you have accepted the
responsibility to look forward
and build a new life, you will
realize that such promises to
your deceased loved one are no
longer realistic. If you find that
your needs aren't met by staying
in your present home now, then
give yourself permission to
make new plans.
Questions asked during bereavement
classes are answered by the editor of
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our new little booklets, *Grief is a Process*,
Not an Event or "I Never Know What To
Say!" please call or stop by.
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Chronicle Church Directory

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WEEKLY SERVICES
Sunday
Sunday School9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship11:00 a.m.
Radio Broadcast (WAAA-980)2:00 p.m.
M.Y.P.U.6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic Service7:30 p.m.
Wednesday
Prayer Service & Bible Study7:30 p.m.

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

Wake Forest Baptist Church
Located in Wingate Hall and Wait Chapel on the campus of Wake Forest University
759-5297

Sunday Schedule
Sunday School (all ages, Wingate Hall)10:00
Morning Worship (Wait Chapel)11:00
Youth6:00
Church Supper (second Sunday)6:00
Forum (third Sunday)7:00

Staff
Richard Groves, Pastor
Lynn Rhoades, Associate Pastor
Dan Lockair, Director of Music
Paul Robinson, Organist

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First Baptist Church
700 Highland Avenue

Sunday School9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship11:00 a.m.
Nursery10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Prayer Meeting and Bible Study
11:45 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Rev. Wendell A. Johnson

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DAILY CONGREGATIONAL PRAYERS
Fajr5:00 a.m.
Zuhr1:20 p.m.
Asr5:05 p.m.
MaghribSunset
Isha9:40 p.m.
JUM'AA (Friday Congregational Prayer)1:15 p.m.
Sunday
Sisters' Class11:00 a.m.
Lecture Series: "What is Islam?"2:00 p.m.
(Public is invited)

*Imam:
Khalid Abdul-Fattah Griggs*

UNION CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH
300 West 25th Street • (919) 748-8644

Sunday Services:
Sunday School9:15 a.m.
Morning Worship11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship5:00 p.m.
(flexible)
Nursery Available

Weekly Services
Sunday School Teachers (Wed.)6:30 p.m.
Bible Study & Prayer Mtg. (Wed.)7:00 p.m.
Counseling Services Available by Appointment.

*Konnie G. Robinson, Pastor
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SUNDAY SERVICES
Sunday School9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship4:00 p.m.
Y.P.A.A.4:00 p.m. (flexible)

5TH SUNDAY - Unity Meeting (4 Participating Churches)

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES
WEDNESDAY - Prayer Service & Bible Class7:00 pm (flexible)
SATURDAY - Choir Rehearsal1:00 pm

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1225 North Cleveland Avenue • (919) 724-0491

Weekly Services:
Each Sabbath (Saturday):
8:00 a.m. Early morning Prayer Meeting
8:00 a.m. Teachers Meeting
9:15 a.m. Sabbath School
10:35 a.m. Personal Ministries
11:00 a.m. DIVINE WORSHIP
Wednesdays:
7:15 p.m. Mid-week Prayer Service

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Weekly Services
Saturday
Senior Choir Rehearsal3:00 PM
Sunday
Sunday School9:30 AM
Morning Worship11:00 AM
Evening Services - Christian Endeavors4:00 PM
Tuesday
Intercessory Prayer5:30 PM

Wednesday
Mid-day Service12:00 NOON
Sunday School Teachers Bible Study6:30 PM
Pastor's Bible Study6:30 PM
Prayer Meeting7:30 PM
Friday
James A. Brown Choir Rehearsal6:30 PM
Teens and Tots Choir Rehearsal6:30 PM