

Deaths and Funerals

Russell's Funeral Home

822 Carl Russell Ave.
722-3459

BROWN
Jerry Lee Brown of 913 Gray Ave. died Sept. 14 at North Carolina Baptist Hospital.

He was a native of Forsyth County. He was born Jan. 16, 1950 to the late Genevieve and William Brown. He was a Methodist. He was a graduate of Forsyth Technical Community College and Winston-Salem State University and a veteran of the United States Navy. He was a former employee of R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. and served as a community volunteer at the Crisis Control Center.

Brown is survived by four sisters, Shirley Somme of Queens, N.Y., Thelma Gindrat of Runnemede, N.J., Louise Taylor of Detroit and Gloria Stevenson of Oklahoma City, Okla.; 19 nieces and nephews; four grandnieces; his devoted friends, Theodore "Teddy" Moore and Ulysses Bethea, both of Winston-Salem; plus many other relatives and friends.

Services were held Sept. 18 in the Russell Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Ray Watlington officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors handled arrangements.

BROWN
Willie Lee ("Fat Baby" or "Bill") Brown of 4222 Garden St. died Sept. 12 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was a native of Atlanta. He was born March 9, 1923 to the late Joshua and Hattie Brown. After spending many years in Anderson, S.C., he moved to Winston-Salem about 50 years ago. He was a former member of Mars Hill Baptist Church and a retired employee of R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co.

Brown is survived by his wife, Burnell Brown of the home; 10 children, Leona Gattison Cook, Wilma Brown, Angela Brown, Johnnie R. Gattison, Daniel Eugene Brown, Christopher J. (Esther) Reid, Anthony Reid and Queen Hecks, all of Winston-Salem, Sgt. Alexander (Anita) Reid of Fort Wausli, Ariz. and Katherine (Richard) Weber of Durham; a devoted granddaughter, Lakeychia Reid of the home; 15 grandchildren; a devoted cousin, Aaron (Adele) Glover of Anderson, S.C.; plus many other relatives and friends.

Services were held Sept. 17 in the Russell Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Clayton Reid officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors handled arrangements.

COVINGTON
Rosa Lee Ford Covington of 2777 Bethabara Road died Sept. 13 at her home.

She was a native of Fairfield County, S.C. and had lived in Winston-Salem since 1934. She was a faithful member of Zion Memorial Baptist Church, where she served as a former president of the Southern Missionary Circle and a Sunday School teacher. She was a retired employee of R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co., Whitaker Park facility, with over 41 years of service. She was a member of the Old Town Community Club.

Covington is survived by her husband, John C. "J.C." Covington of the home; a sister, Annie Belle Evans of Quitman, Miss.; a devoted niece, Deborah Harley of Southfield, Mich.; a nephew, Thomas Nance of Detroit; cousins, James and Nancy Selton of Columbia, S.C.; godchildren, Jackie and Richard Roane; brothers-in-law and sister-in-law, J.R. and Carrietta Covington of Winston-Salem, Andrew and Hazel Covington, Loial and Emma Mae Covington, all of Charlotte, and Lula Polk of Wadesboro; an aunt, Naomi Ford of Cocoa Beach, Fla.; plus many other relatives and friends.

Graveside services were held Sept. 18 at Evergreen Cemetery, with the Rev. Joseph Jones officiating. Russell Funeral Directors handled arrangements.

ELDRIDGE
The Rev. L.B. Eldridge of 625 W. Sixth St. died Sept. 11 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was a native of Rural Hall. He was the son of the late Leslie and Alta Eldridge. He was educated in the Rural Hall and Winston-Salem public schools. He was called into the ministry in 1953. He pastored in Walkertown, Bridgeport, Conn., Akron, Ohio, and at Malieu and Jones Temple in Mt. Airy.

Eldridge is survived by his wife, Willie M. Eldridge of the home; two foster daughters, Mary Walker and Paulette Brockington, both of Seabrook, Md.; one brother, the Rev. Arthur Eldridge of Rural Hall; one sister-in-law, Ila Eldridge of Rural Hall; one sister, Katy M. Lee of Washington, D.C.; three aunts, Selena Sheff of Ogburn Station, Inez Mitchell of Rural Hall and Savannah Oaks of Winston-Salem; several nieces and nephews; plus many other relatives and friends.

Services were held Sept. 15 at St. James United Methodist Church in Rural Hall, with the Rev. Harry Burchell officiating. Burial followed in the church cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors handled arrangements.

LITTLE

James Purcell Little of 340 Parkwood Ave. died Sept. 14 at North Carolina Memorial Hospital in Chapel Hill.

He was a native of Forsyth County. He was born May 19, 1953 to the late Sarah B. Frost. He was a Methodist. He was a graduate of Reynolds High School, Class of 1971, and received an associate degree from Guilford Technical Community College and a bachelor's degree in nursing from the University of Nevada at Las Vegas. He was a former employee of Reynolds Health Center, where he worked as a registered nurse.

Little is survived by one sister, Linda Little of the home; two brothers, Curtis (Ann) Little and Keewanee (Gloria) Frost, both of Winston-Salem; his grandmother, Ochie B. Little of the home; his grandfather, Jeremiah Bradley of Detroit; two aunts, Gwendolyn (Floyd) Pryor of Norwalk, Conn. and Joette Little of Winston-Salem; an uncle, Larry (Glenda) Little of Winston-Salem; his stepfather, William (Jack) Frost; several nieces and nephews; plus many other relatives and friends.

Services were held Sept. 18 in the Russell Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. L.S. Werts officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors handled arrangements.

SMITH

Baby Christopher Juan Smith of 5136 Pressman Drive died Sept. 17 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was born Sept. 17 in Forsyth County to Juanka Jones and Ricardo Smith.

Baby Smith is survived by his parents, Juanka Jones and Ricardo Smith, both of Winston-Salem; his maternal grandmother, Linda Jones-Martin, and his paternal grandmother, Doris Orr, both of Winston-Salem; his great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest D. Jones of the home; two aunts, Nicole Martin and Kisha Smith, both of Winston-Salem; a great-uncle, Ervin (Karen) Jones of Philadelphia; two great-aunts, Deborah (Ronald) Franklin and Sylvia Davis, both of Winston-Salem; plus many other relatives and friends.

Graveside services were held Sept. 21 at Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors handled arrangements.

THACKER

Jerry Lee Thacker of 4396 Kenleigh Road died Sept. 17 at North Carolina Baptist Hospital.

He was a native of Forsyth County. He was born to the late Andrew and Lillian Thacker. He was a member of Philadelphia Holiness Church. He was a graduate of Atkins High School, Class of 1965, and attended Forsyth Technical Community College. He was a self-employed auto mechanic.

Thacker is survived by his wife, Cathy Vaughn Thacker of the home; two daughters, Tonya Thacker and Jennifer Thacker, both of Winston-Salem; a son, Eric Vaughn of Winston-Salem; three special nieces, Angela Thacker, Shadiha Thacker and Anisa Thacker, all of the home; one sister, Marilyn (Raymond) Jones of Winston-Salem; two brothers, Jimmy G. (Mary) Thacker and Andrew Thacker, both of Winston-Salem; plus many other relatives and friends.

Services were held Sept. 21 in the Russell Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Samuel Clemmons officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors handled arrangements.

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BANNER

Lois Katherine King Banner of 3531 Robinson Court died Sept. 15 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was a native of Winston-Salem and a retired employee of N.C. Baptist Home. She was a member of Mt. Zion Baptist Church.

Banner is survived by her husband, Frank Banner of the home; one sister, Ionia Curtis of Buffalo, N.Y.; two brothers, James R. King and Charles J. King Sr., both of Winston-Salem; two nieces, Cheryl Lynn King of San Diego, Calif. and Deborah King of Miami; two nephews, Charles King Jr. of Winston-Salem and Kenneth King of Butler; plus many other relatives and friends.

Services were held Sept. 20 in the Frances S. and Jerry C. Gilmore Jr. Memorial Chapel, with the Rev. B.F. Daniels officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Gilmore's Funeral Directors handled arrangements.

HICKMAN

Herman Junior Hickman of 2834 Ansonia St. died Sept. 16 at N.C. Baptist Hospital.

He was a native of Rural Hall but had lived in Winston-Salem for a number of years. He was a former employee of the Rural Hall Veneering Company. He was a Holiness.

Hickman is survived by his mother, Qumillar King Hines of Winston-Salem; his father, Herman Bill Hickman of Pennsylvania; his stepfather, Irvin Hines Sr. of Winston-Salem;

five sisters, Loretta Polk, Hilda Hickman, Mary Hardy, Sandra Ingram and Priscilla Penn, all of Winston-Salem; three brothers, Wade Brady, Fred Lindsay and Randell Lindsay, all of Winston-Salem; one stepson, Nathan Ferebee of Winston-Salem; a very devoted friend, Joyce Thatch of Winston-Salem; plus many other relatives and friends.

Services were held Sept. 21 in the Frances S. and Jerry C. Gilmore Jr. Memorial Chapel, with Minister Aldine Ingram officiating. Burial followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Gilmore's Funeral Directors handled arrangements.

CHURCH CALENDAR

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

6 p.m. — The 100th Anniversary Committee of Saints Home United Methodist Church will meet at the church. All members are urged to attend. The Rev. Glenn L. Lyles is pastor.

6 p.m. — First Baptist Church, at the corner of North Liberty Street and Akron Drive, will hold a warehouse flea market and bake sale Sept. 24 from 6-9 p.m. and Sept. 25 from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. A variety of items will be for sale.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

4 p.m. — The Spiritual Choir of New Institution Baptist Church, 2071 Bowen Blvd., will host a Rainbow Tea. The public is invited. The Rev. Anthony L. Hines is pastor.

7 p.m. — Mt. Carmel Baptist Church, 3230 Heitman Drive, will celebrate its homecoming through Sept. 26. The Rev. Lloyd Watkins of Hanes Memorial C.M.E. Church will be the 7 p.m. speaker on Sept. 25. Dinner will be served at 2 p.m. on Sept. 26. A homecoming and memorial candlelight service on Sept. 26 at 4 p.m. will culminate the activities. The Rev. B.F. Daniels of Union Baptist Church will be the speaker. The public is invited. The Rev. Henry C. McNeill is pastor.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

11 a.m. — Saints Home United Methodist Church will hold its homecoming celebration at 11 a.m. The Rev. Moses Hodnett and the congregation of St. Andrews-Grace United Methodist Church will be the guests at the 3 p.m. service. Lunch will be served at 1:30 p.m. The public is invited. The Rev. Glenn L. Lyles is pastor.

3 p.m. — Center Grove A.M.E. Zion Church in Tobaccoville will observe its homecoming. The Rev. James L. Hunt, pastor of St. John A.M.E. Zion Church in Thomasville, will be the speaker. The Rev. George Erwin is the host pastor.

4 p.m. — The Senior Usher Board of Hanes Memorial C.M.E. Church will celebrate its 77th anniversary, and the Junior Usher Board will celebrate its 35th anniversary. There will be a mock, African wedding and reception of Trinity N. Ruchugo and Prince Mohammed Keayatta. Members of the wedding party will include members of the usher boards from Hanes Memorial and other churches. The wedding is open to the public. The Rev. Lloyd L. Watkins Sr. is the host pastor.

4 p.m. — Union Baptist Daycare Center will hold "Fall Songfest 1993" in the church sanctuary. Special features include the Union Baptist Daycare Singers, Gloria Jackson of Union Baptist, Harold Carter of Reynolds Temple C.M.E. Church, Stephanie McMillan of Second New Bethel Baptist Church, daycare teachers Hattie Mickens and K'Sandra Turner, and Reginald McCaskill.

4 p.m. — The Flower Club of Mt. Zion Baptist Church presents "Don't Forget from whence You've Come," featuring "The Traveling Actress and Her Wander Girls" at the church. Barbara Benson is the flower club president. The Rev. Serenus T. Churn is pastor. The public is invited.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1

7:30 p.m. — Pastor Byron Ingram of Shekinah Glory Praise Center will preach at Sacred Hour Ministries, where Pastor Anita Baldwin is the host pastor.

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Questions & Answers on recovering from grief *

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

Q. My sister (whom I have always considered very stable and sensible) is having a difficult time after her loss and seems to be suffering so. I wonder if that isn't psychosomatic?

A. Grief has a purpose and a healing function. Sometimes the pain appears to be intolerable for some individuals. Most specialists will agree that the acute process cannot proceed and reach completion without some degree of suffering. Be certain that your sister has someone to listen to her expressions of pain and encourage her to keep busy and useful. The period of acuity usually passes quickly.

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Chronicle Church Directory

MACEDONIA HOLINESS CHURCH OF GOD of the Apostolic Faith, INC.
4111 Whitfield Drive • (919) 767-3700

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.

Wake Forest Baptist Church
Located in Wingate Hall and Wait Chapel on the campus of Wake Forest University
759-6297

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

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

First Baptist Church
700 Highland Avenue

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Nursery 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Prayer Meeting and Bible Study
11:45 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Telephone: (919) 722-6265 or 722-5605
SCRIPTURE: Matthew: 20:20-29
SERMON: "The Chief Shall be Servant."

COMMUNITY MOSQUE OF WINSTON-SALEM, INC.
1326 East Third Street (919) 724-5554

DAILY CONGREGATIONAL PRAYERS
Fajr 5:00 a.m.
Zuhr 1:20 p.m.
Asr 5:05 p.m.
Maghrib Sunset
Isha 9:40 p.m.
JUM'AA (Friday Congregational Prayer) 1:15 p.m.
Sunday
Sisters' Class 11:00 a.m.
Lecture Series: "What is Islam?" 2:00 p.m.
(Public is invited)

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

Sunday Services:
Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 5:00 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

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Telephone: Church 722-3464, Pastor's Home 788-6708

SUNDAY SERVICES
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 4:00 p.m.
Y.P.A.A 4:00 p.m. (flexible)

5TH SUNDAY - Unity Meeting (4 Participating Churches)

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES
WEDNESDAY - Prayer Service & Bible Class 7:00 pm (flexible)
SATURDAY - Choir Rehearsal 1:00 pm

Ephesus Seventh-Day Adventist Church
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

DIVINE WORSHIP
Wednesdays:
7:15 p.m. Mid-weekly Prayer Service

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Weekly Services
Saturday
Senior Choir Rehearsal 3:00 PM
Sunday
Sunday School 9:30 AM
Morning Worship 11:00 AM
Evening Services - Christian Endeavors 4:00 PM
Tuesday
Intercessory Prayer 6:30 PM

Wednesday
Mid-day Service 12:00 NOON
Sunday School Teachers Bible Study 6:30 PM
Pastor's Bible Study 6:30 PM
Prayer Meeting 7:30 PM
Friday
James A. Brown Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM
Teens and Tots Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM