

# Deaths and Funerals



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**WILLIAMS**

Mrs. Katie Mae "Tiny" Williams of 2805 Rowell St. departed this life Saturday morning May 4, 1996 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital after a brief period of illness.

She was born Tuesday May 27, 1941 in Bishopville, S.C. She was a former employee of Allied Security Forces and a member of Antioch Baptist Church, where she served on the usher board and deaconess board.

She is survived by her husband, McKinley Nathaniel Williams, of the home; her mother, Maggie Gifford Boyd, of Winston-Salem; three sisters, Annie (David) Brown, of Linden, N.J., Eloise Boyd and Frances (Wanzo) Sherard; two brothers, Willie (Otelia) Boyd Jr., and Jimmy (Sylvia) Boyd; two devoted sisters-in-law, Mary (Roland) Ingram and Helen (Benjamin) Williams, all of Winston-Salem; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Funeral services were held Wednesday May 8 at Antioch Baptist Church with the Rev. J.L. Montgomery, pastor, officiating. Inhumation followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Hooper Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

**OGBURN**

Mr. Ralph Harden Ogburn of 5105 Butterfield Dr. departed this life on Monday May 6, 1996 after an extended period of illness.

He was born on Tuesday September 9, 1924, the only child of Ione Ogburn Brown in Greensboro, N.C. Mr. Ogburn attended North Carolina A&T State University, and was a retired employee of First Baptist Church in Greensboro. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, having served as church chairman, and a dedicated member of the deacon board.

He is survived by his wife, Ruby B. Ogburn, of the home; one daughter, Donna Levette; eight step-children, James (ellen) Levette, Paula (Steve) Adamson, both of Greensboro, N.C., Gilbert Young, Roderick (Sandra) Young, Viveca (Willie) Johnson, Valencia Banner, and Michelle Stewart, all of Winston-Salem; Mareo Young, of Houston; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Friday May 10 at Spencer Memorial Christian Church with the Rev. Sandy Witherspoon, pastor, officiating. Inhumation followed in Piedmont Memorial Gardens. Hooper Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

**MORRIS**

Mrs. Renner Haynie Morris of 1710 Butler St. departed this life on May 6, 1996, after an extended period of illness.

She was born on Thursday May 25, 1922, in Seneca, S.C., the youngest daughter of Ullar and Ella Haynie. Mrs. Morris was a member of the Royal Echo Gospel Singers for many years. She was a member of the Ansonia Street Tulip Flower Club, and a faithful, dedicated member of Second Calvary Baptist Church, where she served faithfully and diligently on the ushers board and the Willing Workers club. She was preceded in death by a daughter and son-in-law, Marilyn O. (Robert) White.

She leaves to cherish her memory eight children, William James (Rita) Oglesby, of Greenville, S.C., Leonard Franklin (Maggielean) Oglesby, Minister Mary O. Moore, Sarah Oglesby, the Rev. Leon Thomas (Wanda) Oglesby, Marion Oglesby, Diane O. (the Rev. Johnny Ray) Stown, all of Winston-Salem, and Dona Stanback, of Goose Creek, S.C.; one brother, Major Perry (Louise) Haynie, of Winston-Salem; one sister, Mary Jane Glenn, of Toccoa, Ga.; a very devoted nephew, James Edward (Mary Lee) Haynie, of Winston-Salem; three devoted sisters-in-law, Ada Oglesby and Cora Lee Bowen, of Winston-Salem, and Priscilla Morris, of Toccoa, Ga.; fifteen grandchildren; two great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. Funeral services were held Saturday May 11 at Second Calvary Baptist Church with the Rev. D.S. Stowe, pastor, officiating. The eulogy was delivered by the Rev. Leon Oglesby. Inhumation followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Hooper Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

**POINDEXTER**

Mrs. Mildred Ridley Poindexter of 601 W. 26th Street died Tuesday May 7, 1996 at her residence after a period of illness.

She was born on June 7, 1921 in Oxford, N.C., to the late Claude and Georgia Ridley. At an early age her family moved to Winston-Salem, where she received her public school education. She received her undergraduate degree from WSSU and received her master's degree from North Carolina A&T University. She joined First Baptist Church under the pastorate of Dr. David R. Hedgley and served diligently in many capacities. Her church activities included two-term president of the Women's Progressive club, Sunday school teacher and president of the senior adult ministry. She was coordinator of the bulletin board committee and an active participant of the Lydia Missionary Circle. Her community activities included Meals on Wheels, "Within the Picket Fence" garden club, National Black Theatre Festival volunteer, Retired Teachers Association, and she was a member of the T.F.U. She was

united in holy matrimony to the late John M. Poindexter Jr., and to this union were born two sons, John M. Poindexter III and George F. Poindexter. She retired in 1983 from the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County School System after 34 years of service.

She leaves to cherish her memory two sons, John (Linda) Poindexter, of Winston-Salem, and George (Vernell) Poindexter, of Fort Washington, Md.; one granddaughter, April (Keith) McBride; four grandsons, John M. Poindexter IV and Marcus Poindexter, all of Winston-Salem, George F. Poindexter Jr., and Gregory Poindexter, all of Fort Washington, Md.; one sister, Mary R. Hopkins, of the home; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held Friday May 10 at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Wendell A. Johnson, pastor, officiating. Inhumation followed in Evergreen Cemetery. Hooper Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

**KELLY**

Mrs. Katie B. McLaughlin Kelly, of 3841 Whitfield Dr. in Winston-Salem, formerly of Selma, N.C., died Saturday May 4, 1996. She was born in Cumberland County, N.C. to the Rev. Emmanuel and Louisa McLaughlin. She was preceded in death by her husband, the Rev. Frank Kelly. Mrs. Kelly was a retired seamstress. She was a member of First Missionary Baptist Church in Selma, N.C. Mrs. Kelly was a member of the Lily of the Valley Order of the Eastern Star No. 53, Johnston District Association Missionary Union, General Baptist State Women's Convention and Baptist Home & Foreign Missionary Convention, to list a few of her affiliations.

She is survived by three daughters, Barbara (Fred) Ingram and Patricia Kelly, both of Winston-Salem and Shirley (J.B.) Allen, of Raleigh, N.C.; four grandchildren; six great grandchildren; three sisters, Marlene Covington and Charity Jones, both of Fayetteville, N.C. and Venus Harris, of Detroit; and a host of other relatives and friends. The family may be contacted in Winston-Salem at the home of her daughter, Barbara Ingram at (910) 767-6864.

Funeral services were held Thursday May 9 at First Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Lacy Simpson Jr., officiating. Inhumation followed in Selma Memorial Gardens. Hooper Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

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**SMITH**

Mrs. Martha "Delois" White Smith of 550 Throop Avenue in Brooklyn, N.Y. died Tuesday May 7, 1996 at the Brooklyn Hospital Medical Center.

She was a native of Sumter, S.C., born on November 6, 1911 to Tucker and Martha W. White. She joined the Spencer Memorial Christian Church at an early age. Upon moving to New York in the 1960s, she joined the Concord Baptist Church. She was a homemaker's assistant by trade.

She is survived by one son, John McLily Jr. of Brooklyn, N.Y.; one daughter-in-law, Lois McLily of Chester, SC; one son-in-law, John C. Wise of Chester, SC; two grandchildren, Steve Hairston of Winston-Salem and Muzette L. Wise of Chester, S.C.; five great grandchildren, Laveshia, Lekela, Quadreshia and Calvin J. Wise, all of Chester, S.C. and Stephanie Hairston of Winston-Salem; one sister-in-law, Mamie White of Sumter, S.C.; eight nieces, Ethel Gilreath, Sarah Griffin, Bernice White, Frances Mobley, all of Winston-Salem, Magdalene Barber, Thelma White, Anna White and Lillie White, all of Wumter, S.C.; fourteen great nieces; two great nephews; and a host of relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday May 14 at the Spencer Memorial Christian Church with the Rev. Sandy Witherspoon presiding. Burial followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors were in charge of the arrangements.

**THOMAS**

Mrs. Venishia Southerland Thomas of 2907 Nayajo Ave. in Winston-Salem died Tuesday May 7, 1996 at her residence following an extended illness.

She was a native of Maxton, N.C., born on April 18, 1924 to Florence McGray Southerland and Willie Southerland. She was a faithful member of United Metropolitan Missionary Baptist Church, where she once served with the senior choir and the missionary circle.

She is survived by her loving husband, Queenie E. Thomas of the home; seven daughters, Ester McCakhan, Edith Robinson, Mary Jones, Dorothy Killing, Edna Pierce, Rosa Williams and Christine Thomas; two step-daughters, Olivia Ridley and Heather Caston; one step-son, Michael Thomas; nineteen grandchildren; nineteen great grandchildren; five step-grandchildren; one brother, Joseph Southerland, five step sisters, Ella McKoy, Beatrice Watts, Sallie Gunter, Flora Winbush and Ophelia Hines; two step-brothers, Willie Howard and Lacy Drake; three sisters-in-law, Essie Lee Armstrong, Lizzie Southerland and Tennie C. Seldge; four brothers-in-law, Plurar Thomas, Elder M. H. Thomas, Gilster Vernell Thomas and Jimmie C. Thomas; other relatives

and many friends.

Funeral services were held on Saturday May 11 at United Metropolitan Missionary Baptist Church with Dr. J. Donald Ballard presiding. Burial followed at National Cemetery in Salisbury, N.C., on Monday May 13. Russell Funeral Directors were in charge of the arrangements.

**CURTIS**

Brittany Curtis of 25 Princess Pine Rd. in Hyannis, Mass., formerly of Winston-Salem, died Wednesday May 1, 1996 in Hyannis, Mass.

She was preceded in death by her maternal grandparents, Ruby and Robert Archie Sr. and her paternal grandparents, Frances Rue and William Curtis Sr.

Brittany is survived by her parents, Andrea P. Archie and William Curtis Jr.; three brothers, Curtis Archie, Paul Archie and William Curtis III; three sisters, Hope D. Hash, Yolanda Curtis and Kendra Brown; six aunts, Bishop Faye D. (Tommie) Thomas, Evangelist Cynthia Duncan, Evelyn Duncan, Byrdia Duncan, Minister Hazel (Steve) Rodwell and Yolando Jackson; six uncles, Robert Kelley, Mozzell (Victoria) Duncan Jr., Gary (Harrietta) Duncan, Robert Archie Jr., Ralph Curtis and Minister Rodney T. Archie, who was also the godfather of Brittany; a godmother, Joan Curtis Dozier; a great grandmother, Lenora Eldridge; a great uncle, Maurice Curtis; great aunts, Flora Curtis and Mable Marshall; and a host of cousins and friends.

Homegoing services were held on Monday May 6 in Hyannis, and Graveside services were held on May 8 from Evergreen Cemetery with Bishop Faye D. Thomas presiding. Russell Funeral Directors were in charge of the arrangements.

**GLENN**

Mrs. Ophelia S. Glenn of 1304 Peachtree St. in Winston-Salem died Sunday morning May 5, 1996 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

She was born March 30, 1923 to Conrad L. Miller and Mary Spann. She was a native and resident of Winston-Salem, N.C. and was a member of Dellabrook Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Glenn was a former schoolteacher in the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Rural Hall Elementary School System, having retired from Rural Hall Elementary School.

She is survived by four sons, E. Leon (Christine) Glenn of Chester, Pa., Spencer D. (Avenida) Glenn of Winston-Salem, Russell Vance (Patricia) Glenn of Tucson, Ariz.; and Gary (Vickie) Glenn of Winston-Salem; two daughters, Vickie (James) Williams of Durham, N.C. and Pernelle (Mustapha) Kamabi of Mannheim, Germany; eight grandchildren; five great grandchildren; two sisters, Helen Conner and Naomia (James) Lone, both of Winston-Salem; a devoted friend, Frinze Gore, of Thomasville, N.C.; and other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held May 9, 1996 at Dellabrook Presbyterian Church with Pastor Carlton A.G. Eversley and the Rev. Howard Wiley. Burial followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors were in charge of the arrangements.

**BYRD**

Mr. Curtis Lamont Byrd Jr. of 5140 Williamsburg Rd. in Winston-Salem died Sunday May 5, 1996 at Forsyth Memorial Hospital.

He was born August 8, 1959 in Timmonsville, S.C. to Inez and Curtis Byrd Sr. He was a native of Timmonsville, S.C. and has lived in Winston-Salem since 1979. He was of the Baptist Faith and was employed with the Salem Tavern for over 12 years. He was a veteran of the United States Army and had attended Towson State in Towson, Md. and Ohio State University.

He is survived by his parents, Inez and Curtis Byrd Sr. of Winston-Salem; two sisters, Dorene Byrd (Tyronne) Dorsey of Baltimore, Md., and Darlene Byrd (Gillis) Cooper of Durham, N.C.; three nephews, Tyrone Dorsey, Nathaniel Dorsey and Dominic Cooper; a special aunt, Diane Durant of Winston-Salem; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Memorial services were held May 9 at the Russell Funeral Home with Minister Syretha Robinson presiding. Russell Funeral Directors were in charge of the arrangements.

**BONNER**

Kyndall Mikhaela Bonner, infant daughter of Lemelia and Terry Bonner, died April 30, 1996 in Raleigh, N.C.

She is survived by her brother, Brian Bonner, paternal grandparents, Claude and Jean Bonner of Wilson, N.C.; and her maternal grandparents, Lemuel and Maurice Johnson of Winston-Salem.

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**RELIGIOUS CALENDAR**

**New Faith Chapel Holiness Church holds "Saints Gathering"**

New Faith Chapel Holiness Church, 1419 Waughtown St., will hold its "Saints Gathering" May 16-18 at 7:30 p.m. nightly.

Guest speakers will include Elder Raymond Banner from Praise Temple Church of Deliverance and Elder Tommie Richardson Sr. from New Beginning Pentecostal Deliverance Church.

The host pastor is Bishop Lawrence S. Ate. The presiding officer is Minister Velma Hinton. For more information call 784-7699.

**Saturday May 18**

**"Woman Alive"**

"Women Alive Unto God" will be held at Born Again Free Deliverance Tabernacle Church of God the Apostle's Faith, 714 Moravia St. on May 18. Service will begin at 10 a.m. The speaker will be Bishop Barbara Adams. The pastor and overseer is Apostle Lindsey Adams. For more information call 788-4330.

**Sunday May 19**

**Oak Grove WD**

Oak Grove Baptist Church will observe Women's Day on May 19. Tangelia Rose will be the 11 a.m. speaker. The public is cordially invited.

The Rev. I.L. Anthony is pastor.

**Piney Grove WD**

Piney Grove United Methodist Church in Advance, N.C., will celebrate Women's Day at 3 p.m. on May 19.

The guest speaker will be Charlene Williams from Greensboro, N.C. The J. Smith choir from Godly Love Baptist Church will furnish the music. The Rev. Charles Walkins is host pastor. Everyone is invited to attend.

**Spring Revival**

Friendship Baptist Church, 1317 N. Cherry St., will hold its "Spring Revival" May 19-24. Evangelist for the week will be the Rev. Leonzo D. Lynch, pastor of Long Branch Church in Greenville, S.C.

Host pastor is the Rev. S.E. Tyndall.

**Ecumenical Service**

Common Ground, an ecumenical service between Zion Hill Community Baptist Church and Marvin United Methodist Church will be celebrated on Sunday May 19 beginning with Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. The 11 a.m. worship message will be delivered by the Rev. Kim Williams, pastor of Marvin. A covered dish dinner will follow the service. Dr. Joseph B. Parks is the host pastor.

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church will celebrate their Annual Day with a 4 p.m. service on Sunday May 19. The special guest will be the Rev. Philemon A. Samuels and the congregation of Goodwill Baptist Church.

The public is cordially invited to attend both of these services. Dr. Joseph B. Parks is the host pastor.

**Sunday June 2**

**Deacon Board**

The Board of Deacons of Zion Hill Community Baptist

**Youth Prayer**

The First Baptist Church, 700 N. Highland Ave., will



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Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 AM  
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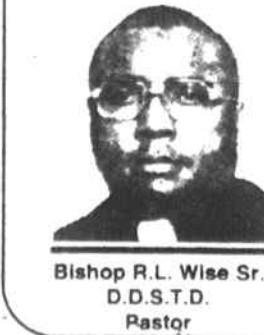
Sunday School.....9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship.....8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.  
Nursery.....10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

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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.



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