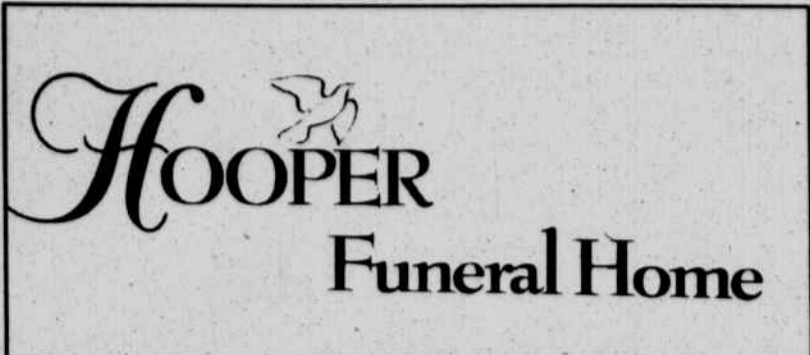


Deaths and Funerals



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MILLER
Mr. William Furman Miller, of 11215 Oak Leaf Dr. in Silver Spring, Md., died Feb. 28.

He was born June 10, 1933, in Kershaw, S.C., to Mary Moses Miller and Willie K. Miller. He was a graduate of Adkins High School and received his bachelor's degree from North Carolina A&T State University. Mr. Miller served in the United States Air Force. He was a member of St. Paul United Methodist Church, where he maintained his membership while he was away. Also he was a member of the Phalanx Fraternity and the North Carolina A&T Alumni Association.

He is survived by his wife, Thelma Furches Miller, of the home; four sisters, Pauline M. (George) Mitchell, and Annie M. (Harmon Sr.) Carson, both of Winston-Salem, Catherine M. (James) Kerr of Durham, N.C., and Elmena M. (Ronald Sr.) Jean, of East Orange, N.J.; two brothers, James C. Miller, of Winston-Salem, and Fredrick K. Miller, of Goldsboro, N.C.; six sisters-in-law; seven brothers-in-law, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Funeral services were held March 6, at St. Paul United Methodist Church, with Rev. Donald Jenkins, pastor, officiating. Inhumation followed at Piedmont Memorial Gardens. Hooper Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

OLIVER

Mr. Lucius "LL" Oliver, of 2300 K Court, died March 4, at North Carolina Baptist Hospital.

He was born June 11, 1923, in Winston-Salem, Lucius and Laura Oliver. He was a lifelong resident of Cleveland, Ohio, and a retired employee of the Ford Motor Company.

He was preceded in death by his wife Gertrude Oliver of Cleveland, Ohio.

He leaves to cherish his memory, one sister, Elizabeth Martin, of Cleveland, Ohio; a devoted niece with whom he resided; other nieces, Thelma F. Johnson, Jackie, Robin and Melissa Davis; one nephew, Willis Lee "Sonny" Dolby, all of the city; a devoted great-niece, Deborah D. Davis; a very devoted friend, Wallace (Lib) Prysock, of the city.

Funeral services were held March 8 at Open Door Missionary Baptist Church in Cleveland, with the Rev. Benjamin Franklin officiating.

E.F. Boyd Funeral Home 15357 Euclid Avenue Cleveland.

Ohio was in charge of the arrangements. Hooper Funeral Home was in charge of local arrangements.

MILEN

Mrs. Sallie M. Milen, of 1217 E. 12th St., passed away Monday morning at Springwood Care Center.

She was born Jan. 12, 1938, in South Carolina, she moved to Winston-Salem at an early age.

She is survived by one son, Leroy Miles, of Las Vegas, Nev.; two devoted friends, Nathan Littlejohn and Ruby Burrell, both of Winston-Salem; and a host of loving friends.

Funeral services were held March 7 at Hooper Funeral Home, with the Rev. Sheldon McCarter officiating. Inhumation followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Hooper Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

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COAD

Mrs. Myrtle Nellie Banner Coad, of 4107 Rosa St. in Winston-Salem, died March 3.

She was a native of Forsyth County, born Feb. 12, 1932, to Eugene and Thelma Wilkins Banner. She had resided in Brooklyn, N.Y., for a period of time and returned to Winston-Salem 16 years ago. She was a graduate of Carver High School, class of 1949, attended Winston-Salem State University and graduated from the Bird S. Coler School of Nursing in Queens, N.Y., in 1960. She was a member of the Power House of Deliverance in Greensboro, N.C., and was last employed at Knollwood Hall and Tender Care as an LPN and had operated the Geno Drive-In.

She is survived by her husband, Don S. Coad Sr., of Reading, Pa.; three daughters, Sharon Coad, Chiquita Coad and Debra C. (Rodney) Thompson, all of Winston-Salem; six sons, Ronald Perry, Craig Coad, Darrell Coad, Sharp Pitts, all of Winston-Salem, Ricky Coad, of Hollywood, Calif., and Don S. Coad Jr., of Bronx, N.Y.; 33 grandchildren; 8 great grandchildren; one sister, the Rev. Ruth Andrews, of Brooklyn, N.Y.; two brothers, Matthew Banner and Raymond (Debra) Banner, both of Winston-Salem; one uncle, Elmer (Valine) Banner, of Winston-Salem; two aunts, Rebecca (Earl) Martin, of Reading, Pa., and Martha Wilkins, of Washington, D.C.; a devoted cousin, Nelson Petree, of Winston-Salem; a dear niece, Janie Jeter, of Winston-Salem; and a host of other nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives and many friends.

Homegoing services were held March 9 at New Faith Chapel Holiness Church, with Elder Raymond O. Banner Jr. officiating.

Burial followed at Piedmont Memorial Gardens. Russell Funeral Directors were in charge of the arrangements.

FOX

Mr. Everett Vernon Fox, of 11401 South Oakley in Chicago, Ill., died March 3 at Saint Francis Hospital in blue Island, Ill.

He was born June 16, 1915, in Richmond, Va., to Nettie and Charles Vox. Upon completion of the Richmond public school system, he attended Hampton Institute, where he received his bachelor's degree in Business Administration in June 1937. He later earned his master's degree in business administration from the University of Chicago in the 1950s and had earned credits toward a doctorate degree in public administration at New York University. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy and was married for 48 years to Laura Kellum, who preceded him in death in December 1990. Everett began his career as an insurance salesman for Southern Aid Society Insurance Co. in Roanoke, Va. In 1952 he accepted a position at Kate Biting Reynolds Hospital in Winston-Salem, where he became the hospital administrator and served in that capacity until 1965. He relocated to New York City to assume the position of administrator of affiliation contracts for New York University from 1965 to 1974. He was promoted to vice president and administrator of New York University Medical Center and held that position from 1974 to 1979. He then assumed the duties of vice president and administrator of New York University Medical Center until his retirement in December 1984. Mr. Fox was an active member of the Riverside Church in New York City, where he participated in numerous boards and committees and was forever dedicated to the loving "Family of Riverside."

Funeral Services were held March 7 at Riverside Church in the city of New York, with Dr. James A. Forbes Jr. officiating. Final services were held March 8 at the chapel of Russell funeral Home, with Dr. Serenus T. Churn Sr. officiating. Burial followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Directors were in charge of the arrangements.

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RELIGION CALENDAR

Virginia Union Choir to appear tonight at First Baptist on Highland Avenue, sing spirituals, anthems, hymns

• Thursday March 13 •

The 47-voice choir of Virginia Union University in Richmond, Va., will appear in concert March 13 at 7 p.m. at First Baptist Church on Highland Avenue.

The choir, directed by Shelia Tate, has traveled extensively, and has sung before large audiences in many cities. The choir is noted for its rendition of spirituals, anthems, hymns and secular music.

For more information call 722-5605.

• Saturday March 15 •

▲ Choir Anniversary

The Spiritual Chorus of the Apostolic Church of Christ, 2044 Martin Luther King Jr. Dr., will celebrate their 29th anniversary March 15 at 7 p.m. and March 16 at 2:30. Choirs, soloists and many groups from in and out of the city will be in attendance, including the Brothers and Sisters, of Cleveland, D&D Singers, of Philadelphia, and Salem Gospel Singers, of Pageland, S.C.

For more information call 788-2539, 784-5836 or 788-4381.

• Sunday March 16 •

▲ Deaconess Anniversary

The Deaconess Board of First Calvary Baptist Church, 401 N. Woodland Ave., will celebrate their 59th anniversary Sun-

day, March 16, at 4 p.m. Guests will be the Rev. William Fails of First United Baptist Church of High Point and his congregation. The pastor of First Calvary is A.T. Griffey.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

• Monday March 17 •

▲ Evangelistic Crusade

The Salisbury District of the AME Zion Church will present their Annual Evangelistic Crusade at Moore's Chapel AME Zion Church, 500 Partee St. in Salisbury, N.C., March 17-20 at 7 p.m.

Evangelist for the week will be the Rev. Dr. Dennis Proctor, pastor of Pennsylvania Avenue AME Zion Church in Baltimore.

• Thursday March 20 •

▲ Seniors Group

The Shepherd's Center of Greater Winston-Salem will sponsor "Support Groups for Seniors" beginning March 20 and continuing for six Thursdays through April 24, from 10:30 a.m. to noon, at the Shepherd's Center offices, in the Maple Springs United Methodist Church. Topics covered in weekly seminars will include nutrition, drug therapy, coping with stress and depression, etc. Participants are invited to bring a bag lunch and stay for fellowship and group counseling following the program.

For more information call the Shepherd's Center at 748-0217.

• Saturday March 22 •

▲ 'Inreach' Workshop

Genesis Victory Outreach Center will sponsor an "Inreach/Outreach Workshop" at North Hills Recreation Center, 390 Parkwood Ave., March 22 at 8:45 a.m.

The pastor of Genesis is Bishop Claude D. Thomas.

Call 744-7074 for registration information.

• Sunday March 23 •

▲ Deaconess Anniversary

The public is invited to join the New Jerusalem Baptist Church as the Deacon and Deaconess Board celebrate their 5th anniversary March 23 at 7 p.m. The Rev. J.R. Samuels and the congregation of St. Stephens Baptist Church will be the guests for the evening.

The public is invited.

• Monday March 17 •

▲ Easter Cantata

The Chancel Choir of Shiloh Baptist Church, 916 E. 12th St., cordially invites everyone to attend their first rendition of "Beyond the Cross," an Easter Cantata, Sunday, March 23 at 7 p.m. The narrator will be Martha Meadows. Guest organist will be Dr. Marion Thomas.

The pastor of Shiloh is the Rev. Paul A. Lowe Jr.

• Tuesday March 25 •

▲ Revival

A Holy Ghost Deliverance Revival will be conducted by Prophetess Marilyn Griffin, a noted, successful revivalist and associate minister of Gospel Feast Revival Temple of Greensboro, N.C., Tuesday through Friday, March 25-28 at 7:30 each night, at Revelations of Faith Church, 3710 Maverick St. in Winston-Salem.

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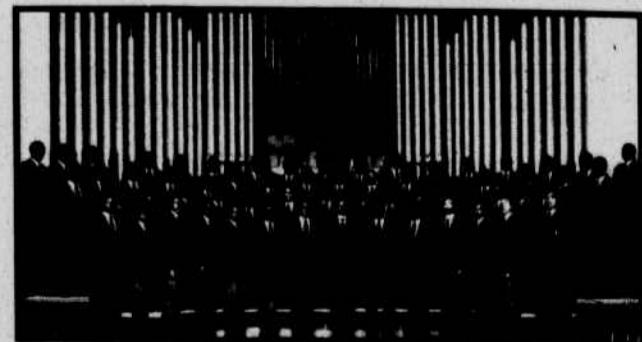
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