

OBITUARY

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WILLIAMS

Mrs. Beatrice Blayton Williams, 4000 Rosa Street, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, died May 18 at her residence.

She was born on July 10, 1922 in Washington, D.C., the eldest daughter of the late Oletha and Benjamin Blayton Sr. Be was educated in the D.C. Public Schools, graduating from Dunbar High School, Class of '39. She continued her education at Howard University, Washington, D.C. and the Chicago School of Medical Technology, Chicago, Illinois. Be was employed by Howard University at Freedman's Hospital until 1959, when she moved to Winston-Salem, N.C. with her husband and daughters. She worked at the Kate Biting Reynolds Hospital and the Reynolds Health Center, eventually retiring from Forsyth Memorial Hospital in 1987. She was a member of the American Society of Medical Technologists; the American Business Women's Association; an active Avon representative and a member of Avon's President's Club. As well as her parents, Be was preceded by her brother Ben Jr.

She is survived by her husband, Fred Preston Williams, of the home; daughters Sharon Williams Parks and Terri B. Williams; sisters Lois B. Dabney, Buffalo, N.Y. and Gwendolyn B. Robinson, Washington, D.C.; granddaughters Lisa Michelle (Isamu), Phadedra and Victoria; great-grandsons Ryan, Candis, Asia, Justus, Umazi, Sean, Brandon and Talibah; an extended family of uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends; a very devoted friend and colleague Mary Webster.

Memorial services were held May 22 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Timothy's Episcopal Church with the Rev. Howard G. Backus officiating. Russell Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

DAVIS

Mr. Clyde Howard Davis, 106 Woodgate Circle, Winston-Salem, North Carolina, died May 18 at Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center.

He was a native of Asheboro, N.C., born on July 14, 1921, the son of Amy Howard Davis and Arthur C. Davis Sr. He was a graduate of North Carolina Central University, Class of 1952, the first male student in the history of the school to earn a degree in its Home Economics Education program. He was a retired employee of the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools where he was Foods Service Manager and Senior Instructor at the Career Center. Clyde was a member of St. Paul United Methodist Church where he was a communion steward, a member of the Hospitality Committee and the Sunday School Men's Class. He was a member of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity.

He is survived by nephews the Rev. Donald (Peggy) Gray, James (Doris) Gray and Arthur (Carol) Gray; great-nephews and nieces, Edsel Davis Jr., Mary (Edward) Davis Harris, Altea (Darryl) H. Walden; cousin Larry (Ellie) Watlington; special friends Carl Brower, Ethel Brower, Marguerita Brower-Thornton, Robert and Marion Brower, Walter and JoAnn Brower, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coyiello, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Czukoski, Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Lloyd, Atty. Billy D. Friende Jr., Gwendolyn F. Green, Acie McGhee, Lt. Col (retired) Dan and Shirley McIver and Howard Shaw; god-children, Catherine Anduza, Tamara Brower, Charles Greene, Lynda Brower Isabel, Douglas Lloyd, Dawn Mecham and Myra Brower, Waddell; his faithful care providers the Rev. Juanita B. Tatum and William P. Tatum Sr.

Funeral services were held May 22 at 12:00 noon at the St. Paul

United Methodist Church with the Rev. Donald Jenkins officiating. Burial followed at Salisbury National Cemetery, Salisbury, N.C. Russell Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

SQUIRE

Mrs. Bettie Gene McCoy Squire, 612 Newton Street, formerly of 1120 East 15th St., died May 18 at Forsyth Medical Center.

She was born on February 14, 1936 in York, South Carolina. She was a resident of the Cleveland Avenue Home Community for 35 years. Mrs. Squire was a former employee of Womble, Carlyle, Sandridge and Rice Attorneys-at-Law.

She is survived by her former spouse, Earnest Squire Sr.; four children, Earnest (Patsy) Squire Jr., Juanita Squire and Ricky Miller all of the city and Adrian Squire of Fremont, Ohio; many grandchildren and great-grandchildren; two sisters Viola Jones of Winston-Salem, N.C. and Louise Cathcart of Rock Hill, S.C.; two aunts Odessa Lawson and Cora Boyd; one uncle Buck McCoy; three dear cousins Bobby Jean Smith, Willie McCoy Lowery and Shirley Mae Jamison; four devoted friends Henry Watkins, Mary Cockerham, Barbara Buie and Sarah O. Crump; many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held May 22 at 3:00 p.m. at Kimberly Holiness Church with Elder Robert Edmond officiating. Burial followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

CHISOLM

Ms. Dorothy Rosedna Chisolm, formerly of 1332 Gray Avenue, Apartment C, Winston-Salem, N.C., died May 19 at Forsyth Medical Center.

She was born on June 8, 1937, in Allendale, S.C. to the late Mr. Jake and Rosea Lee Chisolm Sr. She was a faithful member of Second New Bethel Baptist Church until her health failed. She was a member of the Sunday School Senior Class, Sanctuary Choir, Pastor's Aid and Nurse's Board. She was formerly employed at Integon Corporation, Housekeeping Services.

She is survived by four children, Ricky (Alisa) Chisolm and Melvin (Anita) Chisolm of Allendale, S.C. and Deborah Chisolm of Allendale, S.C., and Audrey Hairston of the city; nine grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; one sister Lottie Dixon of the city; three brothers Jake (Pernita) Chisolm Jr. of Philadelphia, Pa., Johnnie Chisolm of Greensboro, N.C. and Mr. Phillip Chisolm of the city; a host of other relatives and loving friends.

Funeral services were held May 22 at 2:00 p.m. at Second New Bethel Baptist Church with the Rev. Zavius Pratt officiating. Burial followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

ELLER

Mother Rosa Lee Riggins Eller, 1768 Disher Road, Midway Community, died May 18 at Wake Forest University Baptist Medical Center.

She was born on June 6, 1940 in Gibson, N.C. to the late Mary Alice Riggins Hanes and Cleveland Johnson. She was a former member of the Brooks Temple United Methodist Church, the Righteous Church of God and was presently a member of Higher Ground Deliverance Tabernacle, where she was a "Mother" of the Church and a member of the Gospel Choir. She was co-founder of Dave's Trucking Company.

She is survived by her husband, David Eugene Eller, of the home; three sons Alphonso Eugene (Donna) Eller, David Junior Eller and Martin Luther Eller; three daughters Tomika Victoria Eller, Carolyn Dejoune Eller, and Tonya Chanel Eller; fourteen grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; three sisters Sylvia Ann (Jimmy) Boyd, Ann Carol Little and Cynthia Laverne (Stoney) Crosby all of the city; two brothers Jerry Lee Hanes and Charles Earl (Debra) Hanes; two sisters-in-law, Hazel Eller and Grace (Raymond) Lindsay; many nieces,

nephews, other relatives and friends.

Homegoing Services were held May 23 at 2:00 p.m. from Higher Ground Deliverance Tabernacle with Bishop John Heath officiating. Burial followed at Eller Family Cemetery Midway, North Carolina. Russell Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

ECCLES

Mr. Charles Alexander Eccles, 4209 US Highway 158, Advance, N.C., died May 20 at Kate Biting Reynolds Hospice Home.

He was born on January 29, 1949, in Davie County, N.C. to Ethel Studevent Eccles and the late Alexander Eccles. He was a member of Redland Church of Christ, attended Southwestern Christian College in Texas. He was a trained professional restaurant manager.

He is survived by his dear mother, Ethel S. Eccles, of the home; one brother Melvin (Lucille) Eccles of Advance, N.C.; his grandmother Lottie Studevent of Clemmons, N.C.; seven uncles George (Viola) Eccles of Norfolk, Va., Frank (Iris) Eccles of Germany, Smith (Magbelle) Eccles, Wharton (Cemento) Eccles both of the city, Dallas "D.C." (Ruth) Eccles of Clemmons, N.C., David (Francine) Eccles of Columbia, Md. and Perry (Maxine) Studevent of Advance, N.C.; four aunts Bobed Eccles Murray of the city, Louise Eccles of Clemmons, N.C., Ruth (Eugene) Dalton of the city and Alice (John Q.) Steele of Advance, N.C.; many cousins, relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held May 24 at 3:00 p.m. at the Chapel of Russell Funeral Home with Bernard Revels officiating. Burial followed at Redland Church of Christ Cemetery, Advance, North Carolina. Russell Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

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CALDWELL

Dr. Quincy Austin Caldwell, 78, of Mooresville, died May 15 at Iredell Memorial Hospital unexpectedly.

He was born in Iredell County on August 8, 1919, and was the son of the late Rev. James Welsey and Dora Furr Caldwell.

He was a member of Davisville Baptist Church in Statesville and attended the Statesville City Schools, Carver Junior College, A & T University, Charlotte School of Religion where he received a bachelor's degree in technology, master of divinity and doctor of divinity.

He pastored at Longbranch Baptist Church in Grover, Davisville Baptist Church in Statesville, Jones Chapel Baptist Church in Mooresville as well as United Progressive Baptist Church and Rising Ebenezer Baptist Church, both in Winston-Salem.

Survivors include two children John Daniel (J.D.) Caldwell of New Castle, Del. and Viola Caldwell Smith of Wilmington, Del.; two sisters Elizabeth Rucker Feimster of Statesville and Susan Caldwell Malone of Raleigh; one brother Frank Carlton Caldwell of Wilmington, Del.; eleven grandchildren; twenty great-grandchildren, two great-great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held May 23 at 2:00 p.m. at First Baptist Church on Garfield Street, Statesville with Dr. J. C. Harris officiating and entombment followed in the Piedmont Memorial Gardens in Winston-Salem. Clyburn and Bigham Funeral Home, Mooresville and Rutledge and Bigham Funeral Home, Statesville were in charge of the arrangements.

RELIGION CALENDAR

Scholarships available

Applications are now available for the Minister's Conference of Winston-Salem and the vicinity's Martin Luther King Scholarship. The scholarship, worth \$1,000, will be given to graduating seniors. To be eligible, students must plan to attend a historically black college or university, have at least a 2.5 grade point average, be involved in the community and in need of assistance. Applications may be picked up at Mount Zion Baptist Church, 950 File St., Winston-Salem, through June 23. Winners will be announced July 14.

Thursday, May 28

Revival continues

Sotello Long, Minister of Evangelism, Disciples of Christ Headquarters, Indianapolis, Ind., will lead a three day workshop at Spencer Memorial Christian Church. Workshops will be held tonight and Friday at 7 p.m. and

Sunday at 9 a.m. Other workshop leaders include the Rev. Sandy Witherspoon Jr., Carol Lisenby and Tracy Kennedy.

Wrights minister

Worship services led by Evangelists Larry Joe and Linda Wright will continue at Living Word Fellowship Church through Friday at 7:30 p.m. The Wrights, who are members of Eagle Mountain Church International, will also lead special services Sunday at 11 a.m. Living Word Fellowship Church is located at 2060 Bethabara Road in Winston-Salem.

Gala Day

The Ancient Egyptian Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine and Daughters of Isis, will host the annual North Carolina Desert Conference Gala Day, which is being held in Winston-Salem May 28-31.

The gala will consist of historical villages, modern manufactur-

ing facilities, art museums, craft shops and recreational activities.

Also, there will be a Gala Day



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Music Festival on Friday, May 29, at 5:00 p.m. at the Benton Convention Center. At 8:00 p.m. there will be an evening of fashions and entertainment.

On Saturday, May 30, beginning at 9:00 a.m., there will be drill patrols, marching clubs, youth bands on exhibit. Isiserettes will compete as well. At 12:00 noon our Gala Day Street Parade will begin at the Masonic Temple on East 14th St., traveling to Cleveland Avenue, then turning left on to Martin Luther King Drive ter-

minating at Davis Garage, just after the underpass of I-40, where the parade will disband.

Saturday, May 30

Outdoor gospel fest

Second New Bethel Baptist Church, 1900 New Walkertown Road, will host the "Second Annual East Winston Outdoor Gospel Festival" from 11 a.m.-6 p.m. The event will feature local choirs, vendors, balloon and activities for children.

Clothing Giveaway

Evangelical Gospel Ministries will hold a free clothing giveaway from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at the corner of North Patterson Avenue and Northwest Boulevard in Winston-Salem.

Women's retreat

Red Bank Baptist Church, 6592 Baux Mountain Road, Germantown, will hold its annual "Women's Fellowship Retreat"

from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. The guest speaker will be Eldress Alma Wilson of Cleveland Avenue Christian Church. For more information call Irma Richardson, 724-7658.

Marching for Jesus

Members of Hope of Glory Fellowship Church, 1355 Peachtree St., will hold a "March for Jesus." The march begins at 9:30 a.m. in front of the church.

Sunday, May 31

Choral concert

The Mass Choir of Williams Memorial CME Church, 1309 Leonard Street, High Point, will celebrate its 14th anniversary at 4 p.m.

Sunday, June 7

Presentation

The Sallie Richardson Missionary Circle of Morning Star Baptist Church of Winston-Salem will present "The Women of the

Bible: the Good, the Bad and the Ugly" on Sunday, May 31 at 6:00 p.m. The Inspirational Choir and the Spiritual Choir will provide the music. The church is located at 1400 Fitch St. The pastor is the Rev. Donald L. Salley. For more information, call the church at 748-0216.

Daughters of fire

Second New Bethel Baptist Church, 1900 New Walkertown Road, will hold "Eight Daughters of Fire," June 7 at 4 p.m. The guest speakers are Deborah Dickerson of Mount Calvary Holy Church; Evangelist Jean Sally of Morning Star Baptist Church; Julie Gamble of Second New Bethel; Evangelist Bradshaw of Pentecostal Church in Christ, Greensboro; Joycelyn Foy of First Baptist Church; the Rev. Conita Hunt of Goler Memorial AME Zion Church; Evangelist Johnnie Barksdale of Apostolic Church of Christ and Phyllis Faye of St. Stephens Baptist Church.

Be Ready for Christ's Return

Lesson Scripture: Mark 13:1-7,24,27,32-35

Lesson Aims: To relate the events that precede Christ's return, to accept the fact that no one can predict exactly His return and to live as if He will return today!

Background: Jesus has made His triumphal entry into Jerusalem (chapter 11). During that week, He teaches many lessons. From the fig tree incident (11:12-14) to the woman with two coins (12:41-44). Jesus instructs the disciples and thwarts the

Pharisees: Herod the Great began to remodel the temple not because of his belief but he needed to appease the Jews. Great effort was put into his venture. Upon completion about 9 BC. This was a complex of buildings, porches and courts. It took up one-sixth of the old city of Jerusalem (UMI). It was a sight to behold! For the Jews, it symbolized the only place worthy to worship the one true God, security for the believers and the influence

the Jews had with the Romans. For the Romans it symbolized their might and their wealth. As Jesus and the disciples left this place, the disciples raised the issue of its magnificence.

Lesson: Jesus' response to the statement was simple — it will not last (paraphrased). The four (v.3) asks "when will this take place? What sign will there be?" Once again, He teaches them further, saying that many will come deceiving you. All kinds of rumors will be spread, yet that isn't the end, just signs that it is near. In verses 8-28, Jesus continues to disclose "the signs" that will be evident as the end approaches. Not forgetting their original question, He then responds by telling them that no man knows the day nor the hour. Even the angels don't know! Take note, be warned, just be ready. Jesus likens His return to a person leaving his household for a trip. All the servants are given duties to perform. They are expected to fulfill those responsibilities They are to do

what was commanded and watch for the person's return.

Application: The disciples sensed that something was about to happen. They continued to believe that Jesus was going to establish a kingdom here on earth. Now they want to know when. No doubt Jesus' response to their question shocked them! Not only would the massive complex called the temple be destroyed, but the stone rejected by the builders for the temple will be the corner stone of the lasting church. How often do we hold fast to our ideas when confronted by God? Like the disciples and the people waving the palms during His triumphal entry into Jerusalem, we are looking for heaven right here on earth. We are caught up on being in the inner circle by having some mystical knowledge. We know something that others don't, therefore our position is elevated. Over and over again, the scriptures admonish us to be obedient. Don't concentrate on when will the end come,



Sunday School Lesson

Mildred Peppers

just be ready There have been numerous occasions where folk have predicted the end. People quit their jobs, sold their possessions, and unfortunately took their lives because the end was seemingly at hand. The world as we know it is still around. Jesus tells us that no one knows. Is it too simple for the highly sophisticated mind of the 20th century? It is as plain as our faces. There is no hidden message, no code to break, just live as if He is coming right now! Because God is omnipresent, omnipotent and omniscient what good will it do to attempt to deceive Him? Each new day granted us by God is a blessing. We get one more chance to get it right. If everyday is viewed that way, then we become committed stewards of His creation. That

commitment is taken so seriously that there is no time to ask, when. There is enough time to live righteously. Why concentrate on those things that are out of our hands?

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