

OBITUARY/RELIGION

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BENTON

Mr. Foster LeWayne Benton, 3912 Glen Oak Drive, Winston-Salem, died Aug. 5 at Wake Forest University/Baptist Medical Center.

He was a native of Winston-Salem, born on May 9, 1965, to Leroy and Fosteen Hamlin Benton. He attended Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools and was a graduate of A&T State University with a B.S. degree in engineering.

He was a member of the Macedonia TVPH Church of God Inc. and later joined New Birth Church of Christ. He was formerly employed with U.S. Airways and was a licensed real estate agent with Century 21.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Moses Hamlin, Jessie and Leroy Benton Sr.

He is survived by his parents, Fosteen and Leroy Benton Jr. of the home; his sister, Valerie (Michael) Benton-Smith; his maternal grandmother, Sarah Hamlin; niece and nephew, Asanté Benton and Xavier Farmer; a host of uncles, aunts, cousins, other relatives and friends.

The funeral was held Aug. 9 at 1 p.m. at Macedonia TVPH Church of God Inc. with Apostle S.D. Johnson and Pastor Victor Deo Davidson II officiating. Burial followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Home directors were in charge of the arrangements.

PEOPLES

Mr. Elmore Peoples Sr., 1555 Bryden Road, Columbus, Ohio, formerly of 2230 E. 23rd Street in the Bowen Park community of Winston-Salem, died Aug. 5 at Ohio State University East Hospital in Columbus.

He was a native of Winston-Salem, born on Feb. 5, 1925, and had lived here until March 1997 when he relocated to Columbus. He was a member of Antioch Baptist Church where he diligently served as a trustee. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, having served during World War II.

During his lifetime he held employment at R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Industries, McLean Trucking Co. and in his own janitorial and radio repair trades. He retired from the Winston-Salem/Forsyth County School System as a building custodian.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Beulah Scippio Peoples, in 1980; his mother, Essie; his brother, Charlie; and his sisters, Willie Mae and Thelma, his twin.

He is survived by his children, Shelba McKenzie of Bronx, N.Y., Marilyn Mitchell of Winston-Salem, Wilma Faye Calloway (Lacey) of Cincinnati, Ohio, Elmore Jr. of Manassas, Va., Dr. Vickie Yvonne McCreary (Rev. Robert) of Columbus, Ohio, Mark Brian of Winston-Salem, and Kevin Douglass (Vonne) of Manassas, Va.; 15 loving grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; local nieces and nephew, Ms. Betty Carruthers, Mrs. Gwendolyn Peoples and Rev. Richard Rose; a host of other relatives, neighbors, church brothers

and sisters and friends.

The funeral was held Aug. 11 at 1 p.m. at Antioch Baptist Church with the Rev. J. L. Montgomery officiating. Burial followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Home directors were in charge of the arrangements.

PORTER

Mrs. Kathleen Dotson Porter, 4055 Shamel Street, Winston-Salem, died Aug. 5 at the home of a daughter, Jessie Dobson Draft.

She was a native of Union S.C., born on March 24, 1920. She was of the Baptist faith and a dedicated worker at Bell Brothers Cafeteria with more than 30 years of service.

She is survived by three daughters, Francina Covington and Jessie Dobson Draft of Winston-Salem, Patricia Porter (Vincent) Jack of Fort Washington, Md.; eight grandchildren, Pamela Covington, Michael Covington, Rene Conrad, Emanuel (Debra) Conrad and Sabring (Tony) Jacobs of Winston-Salem, Warrenetta (Darryl) Burks, of Atlanta, Ga., Vincent Jack Jr. and Tomeka Jack of White Plains, Md.; 12 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild; many dear family friends.

The funeral was held Aug. 7 at 2 p.m. at the chapel of Russell Funeral Home with Dr. Paul A. Lowe Jr. officiating. Russell Funeral Home directors were in charge of the arrangements.

WILLIAMS

Little Enoch Michael Williams, 2919 Emerson Street, Winston-Salem, died Aug. 8 at Wake Forest University/Baptist medical Center.

He was born on July 31, 1999, in Forsyth County.

He is survived by his parents, Eddie Williams Jr. and Jade Shannon, both of the home; maternal grandparents, Brinda Shannon and Perry Mungo; paternal grandparents, Eddie Lee Williams Sr. and Hazel Louise Williams; other relatives and family friends.

Graveside rites were held Aug. 10 at 11 a.m. at the Gardens of Angels section of Piedmont Memorial Gardens with the Rev. L.S. Werts officiating. Russell Funeral Home directors were in charge of the arrangements.

WILLIAMS

Mr. James Reed Williams, known to family and friends as "L.D.," 3524 Prospect Drive, Winston-Salem, died Aug. 3 at Wake Forest University/Baptist Medical Center.

He was a native of Honeath, S.C., born on Dec. 14, 1910, to the late John and Nettie Posey Williams. He was a member of Mount Olive Baptist Church and was a retired employee of R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. with 35 years of service.

He is survived by his wife, Ollie B. Williams of the home; one sister, Ruby Sanders of Honeath, S.C.; five nieces; one nephew; devoted cousins, Amos and Mattie McClendon of Winston-Salem; devoted care-giver, Mary Addison, and a dear family friend, John W. Manning, both of Winston-Salem; other relatives and friends.

The funeral was held Aug. 6 at 2 p.m. at the chapel of Russell Funeral Home with the Rev. Charles E. Gray officiating. Burial followed at Evergreen Cemetery. Russell Funeral Home directors were in charge of the arrangements.

WILSON

Mrs. Mary Lee Moser Wilson, 1900 Longview Drive, Winston-

Salem, died Aug. 7 at Wake Forest University/Baptist Medical Center.

She was a native and lifelong resident of Winston-Salem, born on Jan. 4, 1940, to the late Maggie Moser and Sylvester Saunders. She attended Winston-Salem/Forsyth County Schools, was a graduate of Atkins High School (Class of 1959) and attended Forsyth Technical College. She was a member of St. Stephen Missionary Baptist Church where she was a member of the chorale and was a member of the Voices of Faith Gospel Group.

She was an employee of Budd Services/Sara Lee Corp. for 10 years.

She is survived by her husband, Hubert Wilson of the home; one son, Edward Hood Sr. of Winston-Salem; one grandson, Edward Hood Jr. of Winston-Salem; her father, Sylvester Saunders of Winston-Salem; five brothers, the Rev. Sylvester (Allie) Moser Sr., James Edward Moser, Donald Ray (Althelia) Moser, Norman Lee Moser, all of Winston-Salem, and Billy Ray (Marjorie) Moser of California; a devoted cousin, Carlette Ewell of Winston-Salem; dear friends, Helenia Jackson, Louise Gant; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

The funeral was held Aug. 10 at 4 p.m. at St. Stephen Missionary Baptist Church with the Rev. Joseph R. Samuels officiating. Russell Funeral Home directors were in charge of the arrangements.

Beasley's Triad
Funeral Services
 3001 Old Greensboro Rd.
 724-3444

BARR

Mr. Daniel Barr, 77, of 440 Buick Street, was called from his labor to rest Aug. 6 at J. Paul Sticht Rehabilitation Center.

He was a native of Dillon, S.C., born June 8, 1922, and raised in Chadbourn, N.C. His parents, Abbie and Nancy Barr; one sister, Louella Dewitt; and one son, Jesse McCullen, preceded him in death. He was retired from the city of Winston-Salem and a member of First Baptist Church, where he served on the Usher Board for many years. He was a member of James H. Young Lodge No. 670.

He leaves to cherish his loving memories his devoted wife of 25 years, Virginia C. Barr; three sons, Donald McCullen, Danny (Deborah) Mock, and Michael McCullen; and one grandson who was like a son, Anthony (Jackie) McCullen, all of the city; six daughters, Sallie (Richard) Threadgill of Brooklyn, N.Y., Mattie Blakney, Betsy Torrence, Phyllis McCullen, Mary (Charles) Payne and Olivia (Roderick) Allen, all of the city; one niece who was like a daughter, Irene (Willie) Swalton of Chadbourn, N.C.; one sister, Flora Stevenson of Chadbourn; one brother, Joseph (Jenny) Barr of Colorado Springs, Colo.; one sister-in-law, Pauline Hackley; a devoted niece and nephew-in-law, Gerald and Rosetta Pauling; two aunts, Minnie Mason of Chadbourn and Nancy Barr Carmichael of Canada, N.J.; and a host of other nephews, nieces, relatives and friends in and outside of the city.

The funeral was held Aug. 10 at 1 p.m. at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Wendell Johnson officiating. Burial followed at Piedmont Memorial Gardens. Beasley's Triad Funeral Services directors were in charge of the arrangements.

RELIGION CALENDAR

Ongoing

Outdoor plays are being presented through Oct. 23

NarroWay Productions presents the life of Christ in two epic musical dramas every Friday and Saturday evening through Oct. 23 (closed Sept. 3 and 4). "The Deliverer" alternates performance weekends with "Two Thieves and a Savior." Shows begin at 8:30 p.m. thorough August and at 7:30 p.m. in September and October. The shows are performed live in an outdoor amphitheater, King's Arena, just outside of Charlotte on the grounds of Regent Park in Fort Mill, S.C.

NarroWay Productions offers biblical field trips, scheduled by appointment Monday through Saturday until Oct. 23. Tour the set of King's Arena amphitheater, a replica of old Jerusalem. See Bible characters, scenes from the life of Christ, authentic costumes and a variety of animals significant to the time period.

NarroWay Productions will present Labor Day Shindig Sept. 6 at King's Amphitheater. There will be a gospel concert featuring the Gold City Quartet; hay rides; petting zoo; line dancing and a barbecue. Activities will begin at 6 p.m. The concert will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Call 803-802-2300 or 1-888-437-7473 for more information about any of these events.

First Waightown Baptist holding revival

First Waightown Baptist Church, 838 Moravia Street, is holding its annual revival Aug. 9-13 at 7:30 p.m. Dr. Serenus T. Churn, pastor of Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Winston-Salem, is conducting these services. The Rev. Dennis W. Bishop is the host pastor.

Aug. 14

Providence Baptist will present music program

Providence Baptist Church Outreach Ministry will present The Gospel of Jesus Christ in Song at Civitan Park in Kernersville Aug. 14 from 3-6:30 p.m. Choirs, quartets, soloists and musicians will perform. There will be refreshments and fellowship. Soloists and groups are invited. Providence Baptist Church is at 319 Nelson Street. Deriou Johnson is pastor.

Goodwill Baptist Church to sponsor health fair

Goodwill Baptist Church in Arcadia will sponsor a health fair Aug. 14 from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. The public is invited. There is no admission charge. Some of the topics to be discussed include: "The Baby Love Nurse," HIV, vital signs, blood pressure screenings, eye care, nutrition

and dentistry. Other ministries started under the leadership of the Rev. Philemon A. Samuels at Goodwill are youth and young adult department, men's ministry, women's ministry, prayer and Bible studies. His soulmate, Prophetess Gloria Samuels, serves as director of church ministries and is a dynamic speaker as well. For more information, call the church at (336) 764-3930.

Aug. 15

United Metropolitan Missionary Baptist to hold ground-breaking

United Metropolitan Missionary Baptist Church is planning a ground-breaking service for a massive renovation project Aug. 15 at 5 p.m. The church is at 450 Metropolitan Drive. The Rev. J.D. Ballard is pastor. The public is invited.

Intergenerational Sunday at Hanes CME Church

The Commission of Membership and Evangelism of Hanes Christian Methodist Episcopal Church, 819 Highland Ave., will celebrate an Intergenerational Aug. 15 at 11 a.m. The public is invited. The participants are from all age groups to emphasize the need for all persons to be good stewards. For more information call the church office,

724-7151. Dr. Michael Williams is the pastor.

God's Glory

Pentecostal to celebrate pastor's 11th anniversary

God's Glory Pentecostal Holiness Church of God in Jesus Church Assemblies will celebrate the pastor's 11th anniversary Aug. 15-22. Services will be held at 4 and 7 p.m. on Aug. 15 and at 7:30 p.m. on weekdays. Bishop Rozetta Hughes Farris is the pastor. The church is at 1014 Ivy Ave., Winston-Salem.

Aug. 19

Singles and married couples conference to be held

Holy Trinity Full Gospel Baptist Church will sponsor The Power of Integrity Singles and Married Couples Conference Aug. 19-21. On Aug. 19, there will be on-site registration at 5 p.m., and the evening service will begin at 7. Activities will begin at 8 a.m. Aug. 20 and last all day. A banquet service will be held at 7 p.m. Aug. 20. Activities will begin at 8 a.m. Aug. 21. Singles classes include: "Five Roads That Lead to Sex Traps," "The Victims of Sex Traps," "The Direction of Your Desire is Important" and "The Four D's of Deliverance." Classes for married couples include: "Power of Forgiveness and Communica-

tion"; "The Power of Oneness in Money Matters"; "The Power of Being a Prayer Warrior" and "Power in Spiritual, Physical and Bodily Beauty." There is a charge for admission. For more information call Sis. Sebrina Tate at (336) 744-9293. The church is at 651 Akron Drive, Winston-Salem.

Aug. 22

100 women in hats

You are cordially invited to an evening of inspirational singing at Mt. Calvary Holiness Church, 1615 E. 22nd Street in Winston-Salem, on Aug. 22 at 4 p.m. The Ladies of the Church will sponsor the event. For more information call the church at 336-748-0043.

Aug. 30

Foreign mission convention

Aug. 30-Sept. 3

Christian Faith Baptist Church and its pastor, Dr. David C. Forbes, will be hosts of the 102nd session of the Lott Carey Baptist Foreign Mission Convention Aug. 30-Sept. 3, opening in the Raleigh Civic and Convention Center. Everyone is invited to join in this major effort to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ while raising money to support outreach efforts in Africa and beyond. This convention will focus on the organizations's mission, which revolves around four poles - evangelism, education, health care and hunger relief. For more information call the Christian Faith Baptist Church office at (919) 833-5834.

Macedonia Holiness Church Of God Of The Apostolic Faith, Inc.



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

Sunday Services

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	7:30 p.m.

Wednesday Services

Prayer & Bible Study	7:30 p.m.
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