

Garden Club Honors Two Deceased Members

Mrs. Euguen McCarter was guest speaker to the Town and Country Garden Club at the March meeting. Mrs. Jacob Dixon, program chairman, introduced the speaker whose topic was "Growing Geraniums."

Mrs. Sam Weir, hostess, invited the guests to the dining room where delicious refreshments were served.

During the business session, the club paid tribute to two deceased members, Mrs. Belle Finger and Mrs. Helen Ramsey Blanton, both charter members

of the Town and Country Garden Club.

A TRIBUTE TO BELL MILLER FINGER

Joking, laughing Belle Finger, spreading happiness among all she met! How we crowded about her to hear her good anecdotes of yesteryear and her equally good, down-to-earth philosophy for the present!

Civic minded, practical, responsible Belle! How we listened to her common sense comments as any organization, especially the Women's Club,

planned and worked in the community! None surpassed her in devoting time and effort to make the Women's Club and the club house a vital part of Kings Mountain.

Dedicated to her Lord and His church, she worshipped, labored, and lived by the teachings of Christianity. No matter how hard the "slings and arrows...outrageous fortune" dealt her, she clung to her faith and trust. Truly she set for us an example to follow.

Kind to everyone, a true friend to those who knew her intimately, a loving, courageous, wise mother, she made an imprint for good on countless number of all ages.

Belle Finger enriched our lives. We rejoice that we could call her friend.

A TRIBUTE TO HELEN RAMSEY BLANTON (By HELEN C. LOGAN)

Helen Blanton was a true sophisticate. She was an enormously sophisticated woman about life, about what makes things happen, what causes people to do what they do. She loved to travel, and the legion of friends she made from all walks of life attest to the imprint for good that followed her life.

She was a charter member of the Town and Country Garden Club. She was president of the club in its second and tenth years, secretary many times, and chairman of many committees. She was a dedicated member. Hers was a quiet voice, but much attention was given when she made a suggestion.

The same spirit of dedication was shown by her interest and willingness to work in other organizations. She was an active member in the Kings Mountain Women's Club and the Thursday Afternoon Book Club. I believe her special love was her Thursday Bridge Club. These girls were her "cronies." They laughed a lot, loved a lot. She talked to me about what those girls meant to her one of the last weeks of her life.

Helen was dedicated to her church, Saint Matthews Lutheran. She held many important offices, sang in the choir, and worked for many years with the youth of the church.

She was a loving wife and daughter who spent many long hours in the sick room of Father, Mother, and Husband, and did it all with quiet grace.

Helen's love for her friends flowed out even in the last weeks of her life. She who should have been comforted called to comfort, her voice low and husky with fatigue. She even called to inquire of their health.

This was a remarkable woman, with her quiet charm, one who gave so freely of her love and warmth.

We are diminished by our loss, yet strengthened by her valiant spirit that will long be with us.

Larcenies Reported

Kings Mountain police investigated a number of breaking and enterings and larcenies during the past week.

Jimmy Dan Gaddy of 808 Grace Street, reported the larceny of a bicycle, valued at \$70.

Ervin Allen of 611 Crescent Circle reported the theft of hubcaps from his car while it was parked at the West Gate Plaza. Value was \$350.

Bridges Barber Shop, Phenix Street, reported the theft of a Lions Club gum machine and approximately \$5 in pennies.

Kings Mountain 66, 600 East King Street, reported the theft of gasoline. Scott White, an attendant, told police someone pumped \$6.43 worth of gas and paid only \$5.

Timmy Barret of 508 Landing Street reported the theft of a watch, valued at \$130.

Norman Davis of 1004 Brookwood Drive, reported the theft of a bicycle valued at \$129.

TG&Y, West Gate Plaza, reported the theft of four watches from a showcase. Total value was \$150.

Terry Bagwell of 49 North Piedmont, reported the theft of a child's car seat from his car. Value was \$75.

K.C. Withrow of 412 Atlanta Avenue, Shelby, reported the theft of a briefcase from his car while it was parked at Withrow's Funeral Home. The briefcase contained personal papers and \$350 cash. Total value of items taken was \$650.

Jack Fox of 1304 Northwoods

Drive reported that someone broke into a shed at his residence and stole a battery and battery charger. Total value was \$95.

Sharon Thompson of Bessemer City reported damage to her vehicle while she was driving south on Cleveland Avenue. She told police two males were standing on a bridge and threw rocks at the car. Damage to the windshield and paint was \$330.

Dorothy Roseboro, 66 Pine Manor, reported the theft of a television, valued at \$300.

Derek Roper of 514 Rhodes Avenue reported the theft of a bicycle, valued at \$200.

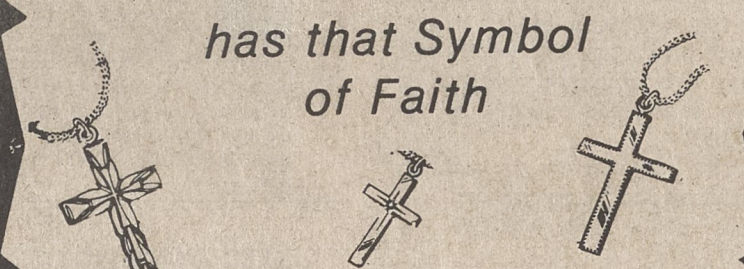
John Howze of 1011 Sherwood Lane, reported a breaking and entering and larceny of a Homelite air compressor, weed eater, heater and rod and reel. Total value was \$725.

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IS HELL REAL?

The lifestyle and actions of most people; even, quote "Christians", states that they don't believe in a literal HELL. They don't believe they could or will go there. Many people use the word hell without thinking what it really means. Songs are even sung like, "Highway to Hell".

Someday, many are going to know the reality of hell. It is not just a place of abode until judgement. It is not a fictitious place. Some preach, teach and think that a God of love and mercy would never send anyone to a burning hell. However, the Bible is our final authority. It says plainly that God is preparing a place for those who receive Christ as their Savior and endure unto the end. Further, a place is being prepared for those who fail to live up to God's word or who never receive Christ.

In Luke 16:19-31, we have an account of two men. One went to heaven, and the other went to hell. The poor beggar died and was carried into Abraham's bosom. The rich man also died and in hell he lifted up his eyes being in torment and saw poor Lazarus in Abraham's bosom. In his pain, he cried out to God, "Father have mercy on me and send Lazarus that he may dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am tormented in this flame".

Rev. 20:10 says, "And he that deceived them was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone and shall be tormented day and night forever and ever". Pay close attention to Rev. 20:15, "And whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire".

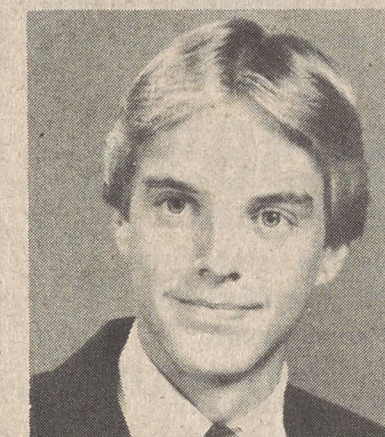
To the rich man hell was a very real place. If we could hear from someone who is there now, they would reveal how real and terrible it is. Is. 5:14 says, "Hell hath enlarged herself and opened her mouth without measure". Hell is getting larger as more and more people go there.

In Mt. 8:12, Jesus described hell as a place where there is weeping and gnashing of teeth. In Mark 9:46, Hell is described as a place where the worm dieth not and the fire is not quenched.

Because God loves us so much, He has provided a way of escape from this place called hell. He has made it possible for us to live in heaven with Him forever. This way is through Jesus Christ. If we will receive Him into our hearts and allow Him to change us and to live for Him, heaven can be ours. He never wishes for man to perish in hell. He wishes that we would accept Christ and make heaven our eternal home. Rm. 6:23 says it all, "The wages of sin is death (hell), but the gift of God is eternal life (heaven) through Jesus Christ our Lord". Praise God For Jesus!!!

As I write this article, my heart is very heavy, because I realize many of those who will read it are headed for that horrible place where the fire is never quenched. Please-search your heart and make your escape (Salvation) sure.

BROTHER: BILL CRAWFORD



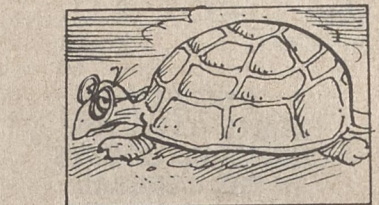
DAVID PEELER
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Youth Of Month

David Kirk Peeler, senior at Kings Mountain High School, won the Youth of the Month Award at the Shelby Exchange Club's regular meeting on March 28.

Peeler has won a number of awards at KMHS, including the ACT Citizenship Award, DAR Citizenship Award, Kings Mountain Jaycees Teenager of the Year, Senior Superlative Best All-Around, Who's Who Among American High School Students, and America's Outstanding Names and Faces.

Peeler serves as President of the Senior Class, President of the National Honor Society, President of the Beta Club, Vice-President of the Key Club, and has participated in North Carolina Close-Up, and the N.C. State University SITE program.

He participates in cross country, basketball and baseball.



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WADE FORD

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