

## Obituaries

### EDNA P. GLADDEN

Mrs. Edna Paysour Gladden, 85, of 307 Waco Road, died March 30, 1991 at Countryside Rest Home.

A native of Gaston County, she was wife of Furman Gladden, who survives, and daughter of the late George and Lizzie Smith Pasour. She was a retired textile employee and member of Resurrection Lutheran Church.

Surviving, in addition to her husband, are two sons, Gene Gladden of Kings Mountain and Don Gladden of Gastonia; two brothers, Earl Paysour and John Paysour, both of Gastonia; two sisters, Lillie Paysour and Ethel Lazenby, both of Gastonia; seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted April 1, 1991 at 2 p.m. at Resurrection Lutheran Church by Rev. John Futterer and burial was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Resurrection Lutheran Church, 600 Crescent Circle, Kings Mountain, N. C. 28086.

### CAROLYN O'BRIEN

LAWDALE-Mrs. Carolyn Joyce Barrett O'Brien, 56, of 111 Hord Street, died March 27, 1991 at home.

A native of Kings Mountain, she was daughter of Odell Barrett of Kings Mountain and the late Catherine Barrett and wife of Jim O'Brien, who survives. Former co-owner of L & J Snack Bar, she was employed at Shelby Universal Manufacturing Company. She was a member of Lawndale Missionary Methodist Church.

Surviving, in addition to her husband and father, are three daughters, Kathy Flowers of Bessemer City, Lisa Panther of Grover and Patty Hames of Gaffney, S.C.; one stepson, Mike O'Brien of Lawndale; stepmother, Frances Lemons Barrett of Kings Mountain; one brother, Wendell E. Barrett of Kings Mountain; and four grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted March 29, 1991 at 3 p.m. at Allen Memorial Baptist Church by Rev. Lamar Hewitt and Rev. Marvin Greenway and burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Cleveland County, 201 West Marion St., Shelby, N. C. 28150.

### JOSEPH McCLAIN

Joseph "Joey" McClain, 47, of 20 Hillway Drive, died April 1, 1991 at home.

He was employed by Anvil Knitwear and was a member of Galilee United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his mother and stepfather, Paulina H. and Clifton Love of Kings Mountain; four sisters, Gertrude H. Burris of Kings Mountain, Barbara McClain and Jeanette Haynes of Grover and Virginia McClain of Gastonia; and five brothers, David and Carl Hutchens of Kings Mountain, John

R. Hutchens of Gastonia, Charles McClain of Las Vegas, Nevada and John McClain of Monroe.

The funeral will be conducted by the Rev. Dewey Smith at 4 p.m. April 4, 1991 at Galilee United Methodist Church and burial will be in Adams Chapel Church Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 3 to 4 p.m. Thursday at the church.

### DEREK MORROW

Derek Loy Morrow, 14, of 709 Groves St., died April 2, 1991.

A native of Kings Mountain, he was the son of Carl Morrow and Brenda Williams, both of Kings Mountain, and a student at Kings Mountain High School. He was a member of Kings Mountain Baptist Church.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are one brother, Tripp Morrow; and his grandparents, Mrs. Minnie Morrow and M. L. and Ethel Williams, all of Kings Mountain.

The funeral will be conducted April 4, 1991 at 2 p.m. at Kings Mountain Baptist Church by Rev. Robert Collins and Rev. Olin Byrum and burial will be in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

### SUSAN DEATON

RICHMOND, VA.-Susan Ward Deaton, 28, of 306 Colonial St., died March 28, 1991 as the result of an automobile accident.

A native of Manassas, she was wife of Rodney Deaton, formerly of Kings Mountain, and daughter of J. Y. and Grace Ward of Manassas. She was a student at VPI.

Surviving, in addition to her husband and parents, are one son, Joshua Deaton; two sisters, Jennifer Ward and Diana Ward of Manassas; and her parents-in-law, Jan and Clarence Deaton of Kings Mountain.

The funeral was conducted April 1, 1991 at 2 p.m. at Trinity Episcopal Church in Manassas and burial was in Manassas.

### BILLIE JEAN YARBRO

Mrs. Billie Jean Yarbrow, 59, of 610 Hillside Drive, died April 1, 1991 at Kings Mountain Hospital.

A native of Kings Mountain, she was the wife of Ed Yarbrow and daughter of the late David Campbell and Mary Sue Allen Bookout. She was a licensed practical nurse on the staff of McGill Clinic for 28 years.

Surviving, in addition to her husband, are three daughters, Roxanne Gaffney and Beth Yarbrow, both of Kings Mountain, and Susan Hollifield of Waco; four sisters, Edna Phillips of Kings Mountain, Eunice Robbs of Shelby, Edith Head of Cherryville and Beulah Hudson of Pompano Beach, Fla.; and four grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted April 3, 1991 at 2 p.m. at Boyce Memorial ARP Church by Rev. William Barron and burial was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.



HOLLY ROBINSON

## Concert Sunday at East Gold

Young Christian vocal artist Holly Robinson of Bessemer City will give a concert Sunday morning at 11 a.m. at East Gold Wesleyan Church.

Rev. George Simmons, pastor, said the community is invited to hear Holly and "her unforgettable voice" which combines solid music and a straight forward message that will touch the lives of both adult and child.

Although Holly is only 12, she has recorded seven albums, released four national radio singles,

signed a recording contract with Son Sound Records and appeared in over 200 churches across the United States. She has sung in concert with such nationally known groups as The Singing Americans, Speer Family, Chuck Wagon Gang, Nelons, Reinhardt and with soloists, John Glover, Doug Oldham and Mark Lowery of the Gaiter Vocal Band. Simmons said that Holly feels that fulfilling her call to serve the Lord is a critical factor contributing to the success she has enjoyed.

## HALL

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time leading rusher and scorer in football; the late John Gamble, who was KMHS head football coach from 1957-61; and H.O. "Toby" Williams, a long-time supporter of Kings Mountain High athletics.

The Kings Mountain High golf team, which won last year's state championship, will receive the Special Achievement Award.

Several former KMHS sports figures will be in attendance as special guests and to induct the Hall of Fame members. Bill Bates, former KMHS football coach, will induct John Gamble and Ken Baity and Don Parker, former KMHS basketball coach and a member of the Hall of Fame, will induct Jim Kimmell. Bob Smith, who served as Toby Williams' spotter for KMHS football game for some 20 years, will induct Williams.

All former KM athletes who are now playing college sports have been invited as special guests, including football standouts Rusty Bumgardner and Aubrey Hollifield of Wake Forest, Calvin Stephens of South Carolina, Brent Bagwell of N.C. State, Alan Chisholm of Norfolk State, Otis Brooks of Mars Hill; basketball standout Mike Woods of East Tennessee; golfers Brady Goforth of Catawba Valley and Brad Wilson of Campbell; tennis star Bryan Jones of UNC-Chapel Hill; and baseball standouts Chris and Chad Plonk of Manatee Junior College, Chris Henson of UNC-Greensboro, Dale Greene of Wingate and Keith Allen of Montreat-Anderson.

In addition, several former KM coaches are expected to attend, including Shu Carlton who coached by Jim Kimmell and Ken Baity while they were playing with the Mountaineers.

Past Hall of Fame inductees have also been invited back as special guests.

## Biddy back from Persian Gulf

"I was so happy," said Iris Barber Biddy when she saw her son, Petty Officer First Class Scott Biddy, arrive in Norfolk, Va. last Thursday after duty in the Persian Gulf.

Scott was stationed with the U. S. Navy on the USS Mississippi.

Mrs. Biddy, of Kings Mountain, and Scott's fiancée, Tiffany Reed,

were in Norfolk to welcome the sailor home.

Mrs. Biddy was house-guest of Miss Reed and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reed in Virginia Beach.

Biddy expects to come to Kings Mountain for a visit with his mother, his grandmother, Mrs. J. O. Barber, and other relatives.

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## Kings Mountain Weather Report

(Compiled By Kenneth Kitzmiller)

	March 27-April 2	Year Ago
Total precipitation	3.33"	1.71"
Maximum one day	3.10" (29th)	.80" (30th)
Year to date	15.69"	14.24"
Minimum temperature	35 (30th)	38 (27th)
Maximum temperature	77 (28th)	80 (1st)
Average temperature	57.3	54.7

## KING

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personnel administrators in North Carolina using a random sample. The purpose of her research was to determine what criteria is used to select teachers and if Principals and Central office personnel administrators in North Carolina differ in their opinions as to the characteristics of prospective teachers they value most. The results were that 16 of the attributes were rated high or very high in selecting a prospective teacher but the entire sample placed more confidence in transcripts, application forms, interviews, videotapes and recommendations in that order.

RESCHEDULED-Kings Mountain Planning & Zoning Board has rescheduled its March meeting to April 25 at 7 p.m. at City Hall because there are no scheduled items of business for the March meeting, according to Planning Director Eugene White.

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