

Obituaries

NANCY W. AGHELI
GREENSBORO - Nancy Ware Aghehi, formerly of Charlotte and Kings Mountain, died February 20, 1993 in the Hospice Unit at Cone Memorial Hospital.

She was born February 24, 1950 in Gastonia. She was manager of the coat department at Burlington Coat Factory for 15 years.

She was a lifelong member of Kings Mountain Baptist Church. She graduated from Kings Mountain High School and attended Gaston College and CPCC.

She is survived by her husband, Methi Aghehi of Greensboro; a daughter, Bunny Berman of Charlotte; a granddaughter, Brittainy Berman; her parents, Helen and Leonard Ware of Kings Mountain; a sister, Peggy W. Johnson of Charlotte; and a brother, Robert W. Ware of Gambrells, Md.

A memorial service will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. at First Baptist Church in Kings Mountain. Dr. John W. Sloan Jr. will officiate.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be sent to: Hospice Unit, Moses Cone Memorial Hospital, 1200 N. Elm St., Greensboro, N.C. 27401-1020.

CAMRON LUCAS SHORT
CHERRYVILLE - Camron Lucas Short, one-day-old son of David Wayne and Cynthia Freedell Short, died February 17, 1993 at Carolinas Medical Center in Charlotte.

Surviving, in addition to the parents, are his brother, Justin Noah Ayers of the home; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Short of Kings Mountain, Mrs. Sandra Cochran of Cherryville and Jerry Freedell of Stephenville, Texas; and great-grandparents, James Miles Hicks of Kings Mountain, Mrs. Mazel Long of Cherryville and Roy Freedell of Lincolnton.

The funeral was conducted Friday at 11 a.m. at Cherryville Church of God. Rev. Kenneth H. Whisenant officiated. Burial was in Kings Mountain's Mountain Rest Cemetery.

JAMES EDDIE MELLON
James Eddie Mellon, 85, of 1226 Bethlehem Rd., died February 17, 1993 at Cleveland Memorial Hospital.

A native of Cleveland County, he was widower of Elizabeth Texie Trammell Mellon and son of the late Frank and Narvya Smith Mellon. He was a retired employee



MICHELLE GLYMPH
Michelle Glymph is five years old

Michelle Amos Glymph celebrated her fifth birthday at a "Beauty and the Beast" slumber party in her home on February 5.

Special guests at the party were her grandmothers, Elizabeth Amos of Kings Mountain and Lorene Glymph of Westminster, SC.

Michelle is the daughter of Mrs. Suzanne Amos Glymph, formerly of Kings Mountain, and granddaughter of Jim and Elizabeth Amos.

Whitney Roper five years old

Whitney Roper celebrated her fifth birthday February 13 at a Little Mermaid party at the home of her great-grandfather, Clarence Whetstine.

Seventeen friends and relatives attended the party.

Whitney is the daughter of Terri and Donnie Roper of Grover. She has a younger brother, Trey.

Grandparents are Carolyn Guffey, Don Roper, Linda Ellis and Kenneth Railey. Great-grandparents are Clarence Whetstine and Mamie Roper.

The party was hosted by her mother and Diane Whetstine, Whitney's great aunt and godmother.

of Park Yarn Mill and a member of Community Baptist Church of Shelby.

Surviving are five sons, Hugh Ray Mellon of Florida, Flay Mellon and Earl Mellon, both of Kings Mountain, Frank Mellon and David Mellon, both of Shelby; seven daughters, Vinta Beatty of Mount Holly, Pearl Brittain of Hickory Grove, SC, Kathleel Buff of Shelby, Betty Doris Crosby of Cherryville, Joanne Stewart of Kings Mountain, Louise Wilkie of Grover and Gail Pearson of Shelby; one brother, Ivy Mellon of Lawndale; 34 grandchildren; 57 great-grandchildren; and 16 great-great-grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted Thursday at Community Baptist Church. Burial was in Cleveland Memorial Park.

BEN C. HAMRICK
Ben Cleophas Hamrick, 79, of 511 Oak Grove Rd., died February 17, 1993 at Kings Mountain Hospital.

A native of Kings Mountain, he was married to Gladys Scism Hamrick and was son of the late Cleophas and Sallie Hoyle Hamrick. He was a retired farmer and a member of Patterson Grove Baptist Church where he served as treasurer for 21 years and was a deacon. He was a former director of Oak Grove Volunteer Fire Department.

Surviving, in addition to his wife, are two sons, Kenneth Hamrick of Morganton and William Hamrick of Cartersville, GA; three daughters, Maxine Williams and Rachael Dover, both of King Mountain, and Sara Mae Weaver of Oxford; two sisters, Ava McGinnis of Boiling Springs and Pearl Beam of Cherryville; and eight grandchildren, Christa Williams of Durham, Kim Spurr of Cary, Jason Dover, Charity Williams and Ashley Dover, all of Kings Mountain, Jeff Weaver of Oxford, and Ben Hamrick and Liz Hamrick of Cartersville, GA.

The funeral was conducted Friday at 3:30 p.m. at Patterson Grove Baptist Church. Rev. Richard Plyler and Rev. Michael Butzberger officiated. Burial was

in Patterson Grove Church Cemetery.

MICHAEL HOVIS
Michael Lewis "Lippy" Hovis, 30, of 17 Oakhurst Trailer Park, died February 20, 1993 at Kings Mountain Hospital.

A native of Hill AFB, Utah, he was son of William Claude Hovis of Cherryville and Betty Stamey of Kings Mountain and was a brick mason.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are one son, Michael James Hovis of Lincolnton; one brother, Rodney Hovis of Kings Mountain; three sisters, Sheilah Bare, Candy Hovis and Sabina Hovis Caskey, all of Kings Mountain; and his maternal grandparent, Nannie Stamey of Kings Mountain.

The funeral was conducted Wednesday at 3 p.m. at Harris Chapel. Rev. Roy Clark officiated. Burial was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

MARY H. SCISM
Mary Hovis Scism, 86, of 133 Scism Rd., died February 21, 1993 at Cleveland Memorial Hospital.

A native of Cleveland County, she was widow of Raymond P. Scism. She was a homemaker and a member of Patterson Grove Baptist Church.

She was daughter of the late Adam and Angeline Neal Hovis.

Surviving are five sons, Moffett Scism, Nolan Scism, Bruce Scism, Paul Scism, all of Kings Mountain, and David Scism of Fort Lauderdale, FL; and nine grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. at Patterson Grove Baptist Church. Rev. Richard Plyler and Rev. Jake Thornburg officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Missionary Support Fund, in care of Patterson Grove Baptist Church, 301 Oak Grove Rd., Kings Mountain, 28086.

PANSY R. BLACK
CROUSE - Pansy Reynolds Black, 67, of 1439 George Brown Rd., died February 19, 1993 at home.

A native of Lincoln County, she was the daughter of the late

Bartlette and Junnie Mauney Reynolds. She was the widow of Oscar Benson Black. She was a retired supervisor for Gigi of The Carolinas.

Surviving are one brother, Charles Everette Reynolds of Crouse; and two sisters, Mrs. Reba Elmore and Mrs. Juanita Cagle of Crouse.

The funeral was conducted Sunday at 3 p.m. at Leonard's Fork Baptist Church in Lincolnton. Rev. Darrell Bost, Rev. Howard Carrigan and Rev. Gaither Shrum officiated. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Leonard's Fork Baptist Church Building Fund, Route 1 Box 290, Lincolnton, N. C. 28092.

ANNE C. MORRISON
GASTONIA - Mrs. Anne Crapps Morrison, 68, of 702 Honeywood Lane, died February 23, 1993 at Gaston Memorial Hospital.

Widow of Luther Sidney Morrison, she was a native of Gastonia and the daughter of Harry and Etta Mae Lowe Crapps. She had retired after 27 years in retail sales at the Stork Shop. She was a volunteer at Gaston Memorial Hospital and a charter member of Brookleigh Baptist Church and an active member and choir participant.

Surviving are her foster mother, Eulalia Poindexter of Hickory; five daughters, Beverly W. Williams of Webster, Kathy W. Yung of Carver, Mass., Jan W. Coleman, Harriett W. Keller and Gale Morrison, all of Gastonia, Pamela M. Edwards of Kings Mountain; one son, Sidney L. Morrison of Denver, Colorado; two brothers, Dr. Robert Crapps of Greenville, SC and Rev. Eddie Crapps of Camden, SC; four sisters, Joy Stroupe and Clarice Deitz, both of Hickory, Dot Smith of Hampton, VA and Betty Crapps of Rock Hill, SC; 13 grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

The funeral will be conducted Thursday at 3 p.m. at Brookleigh Baptist Church. Rev. Richard Hicks, Rev. Joe Owings, Rev. George Tuthill and Walter Prescott will officiate. Burial will be in Gaston Memorial Park.

Memorials may be made to the Oncology Program, Gaston Memorial Hospital, PO Box 1747, Gastonia, 28053-1747 or to the American Cancer Society, 500 E. Morehead St., Suite 211, Charlotte, 28202.

Kings Mountain Weather Report		
(Compiled by Kenneth Kitzmiller)		
	Feb. 17-23	Last Year
Total precipitation	1.03	1.55
Maximum one day	1.02 (21)	1.01 (23)
Year to date	12.12	5.67
Minimum temperature	16 (18)	31 (19)
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Average temperature	43.1	50.9

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