

OBITUARIES

MELVIN FAUCETTE
KINGS MOUNTAIN - Melvin Clark Faucette, 73, 704 Marion Street, died Monday, June 14, 1999 at his home.

A native of Alamance County, he was the son of the late L.W. and Rosa Lee Hailey Faucette. He was also preceded in death by a son.

He was a member of Grace United Methodist Church and was a retired reserve officer for the Kings Mountain Police Department after five years of service. He served as Safety and Security Officer for Gaston Memorial Hospital for 10 years and he was a retired manager of the Kentucky Fried Chicken in Kings Mountain after 20 years. He also served in the United States Navy during World War II.

He is survived by his wife, Bobbie Barnhardt Faucette of Kings Mountain; sons, Wesley Wade Faucette of Austin, TX, John David Faucette of Kings Mountain, and Lee Welsh Faucette of Lenoir; daughter, Pamela Faucette Setzer of Kannapolis; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be conducted by the Rev. Mike Murray at 11 a.m. Thursday at Grace United Methodist Church. Burial will be in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Cleveland County, 951 Wendover Heights Road, Shelby, NC 28150.

Harris Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

NANCY WILSON
KINGS MOUNTAIN - Nancy Johnson Wilson, 75, died June 8, 1999 in Marietta, Georgia. She was a native of Glasgow, Scotland.

She is survived by her son Steve Wilson of Kings Mountain; daughters Vivien Cissell of Marietta, Georgia, and Kelli Ferment of Charlotte; sisters Jean Green of Victoria, British Columbia, Margaret Lamohd of Fort William, Scotland, and Cathie Lindsay of Bumfries, Scotland; also four

grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

A memorial service was held Tuesday at Ollie Harris Memorial Chapel at 3 pm.

Memorials may be made to Wellstar Community Hospice, 4040 Hospital West Road, Austell, Georgia 30106.

Harris Funeral Home Kings Mountain served the family.

FRED HUBBARD
SHELBY - Fred Ezell Hubbard, 79, 928 Eastview Street, died June 11, 1999 at Hospice of Cleveland County.

A native of Cleveland County, he was the son of the late James Monroe Hubbard and Mary Jane Haynes Hubbard. He was a U.S. Army veteran of WWII and a retired Supply Clerk with Cleveland Cloth Mill, J.P. Stevens. He was also a member of Polkville Baptist Church and a Mason of Camp Call Lodge.

He is survived by his wife Ailene Morrow Hubbard of the home; son Bobby Hubbard of Kings Mountain; son and his wife Stanley and Anne Hubbard of Lawndale; daughter and her husband Marian and Jeff Aderholt of Shelby; granddaughters Teresa Lynn Brady of Crouse, Lisa Ann Hensley of Cherryville, and Kaitlyn Anastasia Aderholt of Shelby; grandson Landon Hubbard of Boiling Springs; brother J.M. Jake Hubbard, Jr. of Ellenboro.

A graveside service was held at Cleveland Memorial Park at 11 am Monday. The Revs. Alton Martin and Everett Priddy officiated.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Cleveland County, 951 Wendover Heights, Shelby 28150.

Cleveland Funeral Services served the family.

WADE PHILLIPS
GRANITE FALLS - Dennis Wade Phillips, 64, Looper Road, Granite Falls, died June 3, 1999 at Frye Regional Medical Center.

A native of Catawba County, he was the son of the late Johnny Phillips and Lucille Tyler Phillips. He was also preceded in death by son Dennis Lloyd Phillips, and brothers Glenn S., John W., and Joe H. Phillips. He was a self employed contractor with Pan American Screw, and a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean Conflict.

He is survived by his wife Lucille S. Phillips of the home; son Rev. Todd Phillips, Pastor East Shelby Church of God; son Terry Phillips of Granite Falls; daughter Kimberly Stamey of Hickory; brother Fred Phillips of Conover; brother Jerry Phillips of Hickory; sisters Macie Eggers, Helen Presnell, Gail Powell, and Betty Sue Johnson, all of Hickory; step daughters Janell Woods of Timmonsville, S.C., Patricia Bentley of Granite Falls, and stepdaughter Susan Blevins of Granite Falls; also four grandchildren.

The funeral was held June 5th at 4 pm at Grace United Methodist Church by the Revs. Mitchell Wilson and Todd Phillips. Burial was in Catawba Memorial Park.

Mackie-High Funeral home served the family.

SUSAN JOHNSON
BESSEMER CITY - Susan Newman Johnson, 96, 508 S. 7th St., died June 13, 1999 at home.

She was the daughter of the late Eddie P. and Susan Newman and the wife of the late Glenn Dale Johnson. She was a homemaker.

She is survived by her son Glenn Johnson of Bessemer City; daughters Eva Mae Bolin of Blacksburg, S.C., Retha Cash of Lincolnton, and Wilma Eaves of Bessemer City; 18 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren, and 27 great great grandchildren; also special friend and caretaker Sandy Black of Bessemer City.

A graveside service was conducted Wednesday at 11 am at Mountain Rest Cemetery, Kings

Mountain, with the Rev. Bobby Bolin officiating. Pallbearers were David Deaton, James Bolin, Bo Bolin, Glenn Johnson, Jr., Scott Patterson, and Chad Eaves.

Sisk-Butler Funeral Home of Bessemer City was in charge.

WILLIAM HARMON, SR.
SHELBY - William Preston Harmon, Sr., 74, 5047 Harmon Road, Kings Mountain, died June 11, 1999 at his residence.

A native of Cleveland County, he was the son of the late Edgar DeKalb Harmon and Fannie Etters Harmon. He was also preceded in death by his wife Jean Wilkinson Harmon and five brothers and five sisters. He was a U.S. Army veteran of WWII with the 3rd Army 8th Division and received the Purple Heart and Silver Star. He was a retired driver with Johnson Motor Lines in Charlotte and Kerns Trucking Company in Kings Mountain. He was also a member of El Bethel United Methodist Church and Fairview Lodge 339, both in Kings Mountain.

He is survived by his son Billy Harmon of Kings Mountain; daughter Julie Harmon of Shelby; and sister Gladys H. Sherer of Erwin, Tennessee.

A graveside service was held at Cleveland Memorial Park Monday at 2:30 pm by Dr. Paul Sorrells.

Memorials may be made to Oxford Orphanage, 600 College Street, Oxford, N.C. 27565.

KRISTOPHER GUNNIN
BLACKSBURG, S.C. - Kristopher Todd (Butch) Gunnin, 15, 239 Sims Road, died June 12, 1999 unexpectedly at home. He was the son of the late Michael Roy Gunnin and Lynn Black Gunnin of Blacksburg.

He is survived by his grandparents David and Sheila Tucker of the home; great grandmother Jessie Bird of Gaffney; brothers Jonathan

Shane Gunnin and Jeremy Kyle Dover both of Blacksburg; sister Chelsea Dover of Blacksburg; half brother David Fitch; of Shelby; half sister Pamela Hamrick of Shelby.

A service to celebrate his life was held Tuesday at 3 pm at Broad River Baptist Church by the Revs. David Cobb, Norman Philbeck, and Mark McDaniel. Burial was in Clingman Memorial Gardens, Blacksburg. Pallbearers were Jason Grigg, Michael Wylie, Michael Davis, Derrick Kennington, Will Benton, Darren Martin, and David White.

White Columns Blacksburg served the family.

RONNIE HAMBY, SR.
GASTONIA - Ronnie Jule Hamby, Sr., 57, 1915 Silverstone Drive, died June 10, 1999 at Gaston Memorial Hospital.

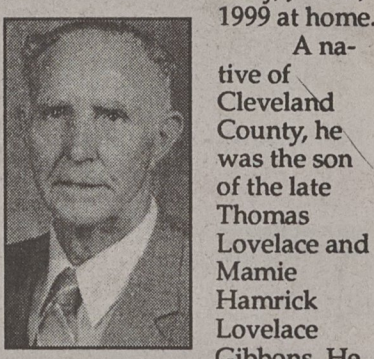
A native of Oconee, South Carolina, he was the son of the late James and Belle Murphy Hamby. He was also preceded in death by a daughter Tara Denise Hamby, brothers Grady and Clifford Hamby, and sisters Dorothy Cloninger Coggdell, Lythe Varillas, Tina Duncan, Bessie Lyles, and Eva Freeman. He was a member of Victory Baptist Church and Moose Lodge 1303 and a retired truck driver with Joseph T. Ryerson and Sons in Charlotte.

He is survived by his wife Brenda McNew Hamby of the home; son and daughter in law Ronnie J. Jr. and Toni Nicole Hamby; daughter Sonya Hamby of the home; brothers Clarence Hamby of Gastonia; Leon Hamby of Erwin, N.C.; sisters Delcy Robinson and Maudie Cook of Gastonia, and Sara Grindle of Dallas, N.C.; grandchild Logan Nicole Hamby.

A memorial service was held at Greene Funeral Service Saturday at 7 pm by the Rev. Chester Waters.

Greene Funeral Service served the family.

SAMUEL LOVELACE
KINGS MOUNTAIN - Samuel Thomas Lovelace, 83, 2319 David Baptist Church Road, died Wednesday, June 9, 1999 at home.



LOVELACE

A native of Cleveland County, he was the son of the late Thomas Lovelace and Mamie Hamrick Lovelace Gibbons. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II and was an active member of David Baptist Church, where he was a member of the Men's Fellowship Class and a former Deacon. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Gladys Howell Lovelace. He was retired from Branton Construction Company of Shelby.

He is survived by his wife, Ethel Hardin Lovelace; sons, Jerry Lovelace and wife, Susan, of Kings Mountain and Kenneth Bell and wife, Evelyn, of Grover; daughters, Doris Bell Borders and husband, Charles, and Betty Bell Batchler and husband, Don, all of Blacksburg, SC; brother, Johnny McKinney of Waterloo, SC; grandchildren, Jonathan Lovelace and wife, Carla; David Borders, Debbie White, Dean Borders, Scott Batchler, Sandy Self, Tony Batchler, Kerry Bell, Kim Broughton and Rodney Bell; and great-grandchildren, Cayla Lovelace, Patrick Borders, Rick Borders, Heather White, Charlie Borders, Lauren Borders, Deana Borders, Miranda Borders, Kesha Harrington, Ashley Harrington, Kristen Batchler, Kennedy Batchler, Wesley Bell, Mikala Bell, Brittany Self, Aaron Self, and Courtney Bell.

A memorial service was conducted by the Rev. Jody Griffin at 11 a.m. Friday, June 11, 1999 at David Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Gideons International, Kings Mountain Chapter, c/o Dwight Tessner, 106 Plantation Drive, Kings Mountain, NC 28086 or to David Baptist Church Building Fund, 2300 David Baptist Church Road, Kings Mountain, NC 28086.

Rotary golf tourney is June 25 at KMCC

The annual Kings Mountain Rotary Club Golf Tournament will be played June 25 at 9 a.m. at Kings Mountain Country Club.

Lunch, prizes and special prizes are included in the entry fee of \$50 per golfer. The entry deadline is June 21.

There will be special contests for longest drive (men and women), and closest to the hole on all par 3s.

In Memory of Thomas H. Davison, Sr.

My Earliest Memories
Of dad are not few
I remember his shop
With tools that would barely do

His days were at work
Both hard and long
But his heart was with Suzy
In its own private song

To feed eight kids
Is a task most would shun
But he did it with love
For he loved every one

He taught me to work
And he taught me to fish
He gave me good sense
Though more he would wish

He never thought much
Of his ability and skill
While accomplishing more
Than I ever will

Quietly working
With never a grumble
I think he just taught me
To try to be humble

His shop may seem cluttered
When you first take a look
But all is quite ordered
In its own special nook

I'd given him tools
All shiny and new
But the ones that he used
Were tools that would barely do

Written by : Tom Davison, Jr.

For The MAN of Many Talents

Father's Day from the beginning....

One of America's most cherished holiday's, Father's Day celebrates its eighty-ninth commemoration this year. Observed in many foreign countries as well as America, Father's Day is traditionally held the third week in June. Father's Day is a day set aside for children to express their gratitude and appreciation for their fathers with gifts and cards.

The idea for Father's Day can be traced to the year 1909 when Spokane, Washington resident Louise Smart Dodd heard a sermon on Mother's Day. This sermon inspired Dodd to lobby for a special day for dads, since her own father William Jackson Smart had raised his six children alone following his wife's death.

Drawing up a petition for Father's Day, Dodd enlisted the support of the Spokane Ministerial Association and the local YMCA. Through the efforts of Dodd and these groups Spokane celebrated the first Father's Day on June 19, 1910.

Following that first Father's Day, many years passed before it became considered an official holiday. In 1972, President Richard Nixon finally signed a bill into law making Father's Day a national holiday.

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FATHER'S DAY - JUNE 20th, 1999