

OBITUARIES

LESTER T. NORMAN
BLACKSBURG, SC - Lester T. Norman, 67, 223 Rock House Road, died October 3, 2001 at Upstate Carolinas Medical Center, Gaffney, SC.

A native of Cherokee County, SC, he was the son of the late James Robert and Julia Morris Norman. He was also preceded in death by his brothers, Roy and Max Norman.

He was a member of Antioch Baptist Church and was a lifetime member of the North American Hunters Association. He was retired from Industrial Minerals Inc., Kings Creek, SC, and was a former employee of Fiber Industries, Earl. He served in the U.S. Army.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Hawkins Norman of Blacksburg, SC; sons, Carlton Norman and wife Pamela, Chris Norman and wife Cindy, and Jeff Norman, all of Blacksburg; daughter, Leslie Norman Jones and husband Greg of Summerville, SC; brothers, Summie Norman of Kings Mountain and James E. Norman of Blacksburg; sisters,

Pauline Watterson and Mary Reid Conner, both of Blacksburg, Margaret Smith of Kings Mountain, and Ruby Huskey of Henrietta; and six grandchildren, Jessica Jones, Lacey Jones, Chase Norman, Carl Norman, Bradley Norman, and Brittany Norman.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Vernon Craig at 11 a.m. Saturday at Antioch Baptist Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Antioch Recreational Community Center, c/o Ralph Dryer, 331 Hambright Road, Blacksburg, SC 29702.

Harris Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

SARAH MULLINAX

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Sarah Moore Mullinax, 76, White Oak Manor, died October 3, 2001 at White Oak Manor.

A native of Cherokee County, SC, she was the daughter of the late Cleveland and Kathleen Bailey Moore. She was also preceded in death by her sister, Clara Rhea, and brother, John

Moore. She was a member of Macedonia Baptist Church and was retired from Fruit of the Loom, Ind., Kings Mountain.

She is survived by her husband, Raymond Mullinax of Kings Mountain; sons, Bill Mullinax and wife Sandra of Kings Mountain and Wayne Mullinax and wife Barbara of Gastonia; daughters, Carol Brazzell and husband Gilbert and Sandy Stone and husband Bill, all of Kings Mountain; brothers, Rick Moore and Robert C. Moore, both of Kings Mountain, and JC Moore of Gaffney, SC; sisters, Marcia Chastain, Brenda Sellers, Virginia Bumgardner and Doris Wells, all of Kings Mountain, and Sheila Tucker of Blacksburg, SC; nine grandchildren, Daune Galbraith and husband Hubbard of Greensboro, Wayne Brazzell and wife Leslie of Polkville, Larry Stone and wife Beverly of Kings Mountain, Lyndi Stone of Cary, Dustin Mullinax of Burbank, CA, Jaime Smith and husband Michael of Kings Mountain, Gina Mullinax of Gastonia, Brian Mullinax of Gastonia, and Josh Mullinax of Gastonia; and four great-grandchildren, Hank Galbraith, Holt Galbraith, Kelton Stone, and Skylar Smith.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Robbie Moore at 11 a.m. Saturday at Ollie Harris Memorial Chapel. Burial was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

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

Harris Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

BILLY RAY PURVIS
CHATTANOOGA, TN - Billy Ray Purvis, 51, of Signal Mountain, died October 7, 2001 at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Nashville.

A native of York County, SC, he was the son of the late Raymond and Gladys Crawford Purvis. He was also preceded in death by two brothers, Carl and James Purvis.

He was a Vietnam veteran, having served in the U.S. Army. He was a self-employed diesel mechanic. He was the Associate Pastor at Living Word Church on Signal Mountain.

He is survived by his wife, Melita Traywick Purvis; daughter, Wendy Michelle Martin of Chesterfield, SC; two stepchildren, Larry Shane Briggs of Blacksburg, SC, and Nichole Shirlene Manery of Signal Mountain, TN; brother, Richard Purvis of Signal Mountain; and five grandchildren.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Frank Hudson at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the North Chapel of Chattanooga Funeral Home. Burial was in Chattanooga National Cemetery.

JAY BARNETTE

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Jay Barnette, 85, 115 Waco Road, died October 8, 2001 at White Oak Manor.

A native of Cleveland County, she was the daughter of the late Fate and Zanée Nance Arrowood. She was also preceded in death by her son, Tommy Lee Barnette; daughter, Jerry Randall and her husband Bob Randall; brothers, Eugene, Craig and Ralph Arrowood; sisters, Nora Camp, Vertie Camp and Ruth Borders; and step-sister, Tillie Arrowood.

She was a member of Second Baptist Church and was retired from the textile industry. She is survived by her husband, Tommy Barnette of Kings Mountain; daughter, Janice Crocker and husband Bill of Grover; step-sister, Lana Ramsey of Kings Mountain; eight grandchildren, Pam Branch, Scott Crocker, Michael Crocker, Leann Jaynes, Donna Senter, Greg Randall, Chris Barnette, and Jeff Barnette; 14 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

The funeral will be conducted by the Rev. Eugene Land at 2 p.m. Thursday at Ollie Harris Memorial Chapel. Interment will be in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Harris Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

ANN MOSS

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Eula Annette "Ann" Childers Moss, 68, 108 Countryside Road, died Thursday, October 3, 2001 at Courtland Terrace, Gastonia.

A native of Gaffney, SC, she was the daughter of the late Willie Albert and Martha Helen Skinner Childers.

She was a member of Temple Baptist Church, where she was former WMU Director, Sunday School teacher, church clerk, former training union director, former Sunday school superintendent, and nursery worker. She was retired from the textile industry.

She is survived by her husband, Solan Moss of Kings Mountain; son, Solan Charles "Charlie" Moss Jr. and wife Linda of Gaffney, SC; daughter, Vickie Ann Moss of Dallas; brothers, James A. "Jim" Childers and wife Pat and William H. "Bill" Childers and Jeanette, all of Kings Mountain; sisters, Helen C. "Snooky" McAbee and husband Don and Mary C. Hambright and husband Gary, all of Kings Mountain; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Robert Haynes at 3 p.m. Saturday at Temple Baptist Church. Burial was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Temple Baptist Church, P.O. Box 915, Kings Mountain, NC 28086 or Hospice of Gaston, P.O. Box 3984, Gastonia, NC 28054.

Harris Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

POLICE REPORT

Police investigate robberies at Main Attraction, Subway

Kings Mountain Police are investigating two armed robberies which occurred on Friday and Saturday.

On Friday at 10 p.m., police were called to Main Attraction Video at the Westgate Plaza. Officers were told a black male entered the store and brandished a handgun, then demanded money from the clerk.

According to Cpl. R.S. Davis, the suspect left the store on foot. He is described as a black male wearing a black shirt and jeans. He was slim built and approximately 6-1.

An undisclosed amount of money was taken.

On Saturday at 9:33 p.m., police were called to Subway, 105 York Road, where they found that a suspect had entered the store and brandished a handgun and demanded money from the clerk.

According to Davis, the man left the restaurant on foot.

The suspect is described as a black man wearing dark clothing. He was approximately 5-7, medium build.

An undisclosed amount of money was taken.

Any persons with information about either of these crimes is asked to call Kings Mountain Police at 704-734-0444.

ARRESTS

Karen Wiesener, 40, 114 S. Gaston St., DWI, \$500 unsecured bond.

Robert Watson, 38, 213 E. Maine Ave. Apt. D, driving while license revoked, resist, obstruct and delay, driver consuming, \$2,000 secured bond.

Brandy Detter, 18, 205 Cranford Dr., assault on a child under 12, \$500 unsecured bond.

Elmer Hannah, 51, 809 First St., assault on female, no bond.

CITATIONS

John Adams, 68, 961 Sparrow Springs Rd., safe movement violation.

Hon Nguyen Von, 405 Pinnacle Rd., child restraint system violation.

Stephanie Cartwright, 22, 128 Farris Rd., failure to secure child in rear seat.

Michael Short, 40, Shelby, speeding 93 in 65 zone.

Pamela Davis, Grover, speeding 60 in 45 zone.

Joyce Thompson, 220 Thornburg Dr., failing to stop at stop sign.

Larry Rucker, 1308 Northwoods Dr., speeding 40 in 25 zone.

Kathy Johnson, Bessemer City, expired registration plate.

Mario Flores, 34, 135 Wiggins Ln., no operator's license.

Somphone Rithiphong, 302 Scotland Dr., speeding 50 in 35 zone.

Raymond Roberts, Fulton St., driving while license revoked.

Richard Knoblett, 824 2nd St., speeding 55 in 35 zone.

William Coleman, 141 Castle Ct., driving too fast for conditions.

Eddie Horton, Bessemer City, speeding 52 in 35 zone; driving while license revoked.

Derrick Freeman, Shelby, speeding 64 in 45 zone.

INCIDENTS

Food Lion, Shelby Rd., reported receiving a forged check.

City of Kings Mountain reported meter tampering at a home on McGinnis St.

Cathy Rakes, 809 First St., reported being assaulted.

Eckerd Drug, 601 E. King St., reported larceny of \$1,500 worth of chewing gum.

Dallas Electric, Gastonia, reported break-in at a construction site on Kings Mountain Blvd. Stolen was copper wire valued at \$1,500.

Berry Rhames of Grover and Doug Dawson of Kings Mountain reported larceny of \$800 worth of air wrenches from a service station on S. Battleground Ave.

Texaco 271, 511 Linwood Rd., reported larceny of a Jeff Jordan jacket valued at \$159.99, a scale model of a race car valued at \$59.99, and 15 race hats valued at \$24.99.

Sherry Revis, 211 Thornburg Dr., reported that someone did \$100 damage to a window frame at her residence.

Helen Black of Gastonia reported larceny of a Gaston Gazette paper box at Rick's Ole Country Store on Piedmont Ave. The paper box was valued at \$500. Papers inside were valued at \$30. Also stolen was an unknown number of USA

Cylinder Exchange propane cylinders (no value listed).

Stephanie Cartwright, 612 Charles St., reported larceny of a Ford Taurus which was parked at Little Dan's, York Rd. Value of the car was \$2,310.

Tasha Webber, 207 Parrish Dr., reported larceny of a 1987 Ford Escort valued at \$1,000.

Eckerd's Drug, 601 E. King St., reported larceny of after shave lotion valued at \$6.99.

City of Kings Mountain reported meter tampering at a home on Julian St.

Steven Stanley, 200 E. King St., reported larceny of a moped valued at \$100.

A Kings Mountain woman reported that another student hit her 8-year-old son in the face with a book bag while they were waiting for the school bus.

WRECKS

Vehicles driven by Han Nguyen Van and John Adams, both of Kings Mountain, struck on Lake Montonio Rd. at Hillway Dr. Damage to each vehicle was \$8,000. Adams was cited for making an unsafe movement; Van was cited for failing to restrain a child age 5-under.

Vehicles driven by Miranda Byers and Claudette Corn, both of Kings Mountain, and Ray Church of Statesville struck on Highway 161 at Gold St. Damage to each vehicle was \$1,000.

Vehicles driven by Glenn Moore, Inpone Phouvanay, and Eureka Camp, all of Kings Mountain, struck on US 74 at N. Piedmont Ave. Damage to the Moore vehicle was \$1,000, damage to the Camp vehicle was \$500, and damage to the Phouvanay vehicle was \$3,000.

Vehicles driven by Thomas Owens and Judy Mackins, both of Kings Mountain, struck on W. King St. near Phifer Rd. Damage to the Owens vehicle was \$400 and damage to the Mackins vehicle was \$4,000.

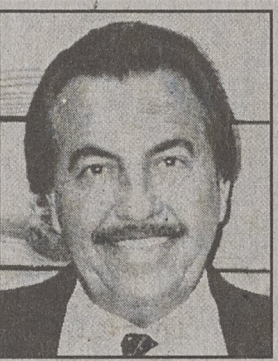
A vehicle driven by Luis Lopez of Gastonia left the road and struck the building at Frady's Florist on S. Oriental. Damage to the vehicle was \$4,000, and damage to the building was \$4,000. Lopez was charged with driving left of center.

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I would like to ask for your continued support & vote on November 6th.

Thanks to everyone for your cards, visits and phone calls, and most of all, your prayers during my recovery.

Sincerely
Jerry Mullinax - Your Candidate At Large (704) 739-4432

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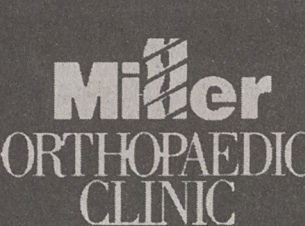
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