

RECORDS

Obituaries

DONNIE BARTH

Mrs. Donnie Vee Roberts Barth, age 78, was welcomed into the arms of Jesus February 23, 2009 at Scripps Mercy Hospital, in San Diego, California.

A graveside Memorial Service will be held Saturday, May 30, 2009, at 1 p.m., Kings Mountain Rest Cemetery at the Pinkney D. Roberts' grave site.

Mrs. Donnie Vee R. Barth was preceded in death by her husbands, Ralph Lee Miller, and Robert Lewis Barth; parents, Pinkney D. and Lois (Falls) Roberts; sisters, Edith Evelyn R. Henderson, Ethel Lucille R. Dover, and Isabelle R. Odom; and brothers, Pinkney D. Roberts, Jr. and David Brooks Roberts.

Mrs. Barth is survived by sons, Daniel Lee Miller of San Diego, Calif., and Wayne Joseph Miller and wife, Lucille (Luci) of Shelby; daughter, Laura Sue Buchanan of Shelby; brother, Edward Anthony Roberts of York, SC; sister, Virginia (Ginny) R. Frederick of Greensboro, NC; grandchildren, Eric Benjamin Miller, Andrew Donald Allen, Toni Lea Shook and Philip Dwayne Allen; great grandchildren, Ashley Elizabeth Allen, Mary Mikayla Allen, Noah Joseph Allen, Hannah Grace Allen and Hope Leann Allen; along with many nephews and nieces.

Our deepest appreciation is extended to the staff, doctors, and nurses of Scripps Mercy Hospital for the loving care and concern they provided.

Family and friends will gather at the entrance of the cemetery and will proceed to the grave site where the ashes of Mrs. Donnie V. Roberts Barth will be placed in her mother's grave. She came from her mom and now is returning to her. She will be greatly missed.

CHARLES PUTNAM

SHELBY - Charles C. "Put" Putnam, 83, of 3108

Ramseur Church Rd., Shelby, died May 23, 2009 at home.

He was born in Cleveland County to the late Clyde Earnest and Katie Owens Putnam. He was also preceded in death by sons, Ricky Eugene Putnam and Johnny Randolph Putnam, three grandchildren, one great-grandson, two brothers and four sisters.

Retired from Kings Mountain Hospital, he was a member of Corinth Primitive Baptist Church for 20 years. He loved to farm and operated a booth at the farmer's market.

Surviving are his wife of 62 years, Ruth Goins Putnam of the home; sons, Charles K. Putnam and wife, Margaret, of Shelby and Randy K. Putnam and wife, Denise Goodman of Shelby; daughters, Debbie A. Blanton and husband, Ricky D. of Cliffside and Terry Merck and finance Steven Byars of Shelby; 14 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren, five great-great grandchildren and five great-great-great grandchildren.

The funeral service was conducted Tuesday, May 26, 2009 at 2 p.m. at Second Baptist Church. Elder Romie Williams officiated and interment was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Relay for Life, PO Box 856, Kings Mountain, NC 28086.

A guest register is available at www.HarrisFunerals.com.

Harris Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Harris Funeral Home

THEODORE MOSS

JACKSON, SC - Theodore Henry (Sonny) Moss, 79, formerly of Kings Mountain, died Monday, May 25, 2009 at his home.

Funeral services will be

conducted Thursday, May 28, 2009 at 11 a.m. in the North Augusta Bible Chapel by Rev. Ted Stevens. Interment will be in Jackson City Cemetery with Rev. Allen Cantrell officiating.

The family will receive friends at North Augusta Bible Chapel Wednesday, May 27, 2009 from 6-8 p.m.

Pallbearers are Stephen Moss, Jonathan Moss, Ricky Smith, Randy Smith, Scott Hyer, Randy Weigel and Billy Usry.

Mr. Moss was a native of Cleveland County, served in the US Navy during World War II and retired from the Savannah River Plant after 35 years of service. He attended North Augusta Bible Chapel and was known for his many vocal accomplishments and love of music. He was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy Montjoy Moss and his parents, Theodore Edward and Pearl Elizabeth Huffstetler Moss.

Surviving are his wife, Margaret Moss of the home; three daughters and sons-in-law: Karen and Randy Weigel of North Augusta, SC, Susan and Scott Hyer of Jackson, SC and Evelyn and Billy Usry of Augusta, Ga. four sons and daughters-in-law, Stephen Moss of North Augusta SC, Jonathan and Sandra Moss of Aiken, SC, Ricky and Kathy Smith of Beach Island, SC and Randy and Laura Smith of Grovetown, Ga.; one brother, Jack Moss of Kings Mountain; 25 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren.

Should friends desire memorial contributions may be made to the Prison Ministry, c/o North Augusta Bible Chapel, 1050 Hammond Dr., North Augusta, SC, or a charity of your choice.

Condolences may be submitted on-line at www.durden-hudsonfuneraldirectors.com.

Durden-Hudson Funeral Directors of Swainsboro, Ga. is in charge of arrangements.

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FRED THORNBURG

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Fred Love Thornburg, of 601 West King St., died peacefully on May 21, 2009 at White Oak Manor in Kings Mountain after a brief illness.

Born in Cleveland County, he was the son of the late Robert Summey Thornburg and Sarah Elizabeth Williams Thornburg. The youngest of six siblings, he

Police Report

ARRESTS

MAY 18: Charles Dale Adkins, 57, 700 Bridges Dr., failure to pay state tax, 14 criminal summons.

MAY 18: Bobby Gene Metcalf, 63, 307 W. Gold St., four counts trafficking opium, a felony; possession with intent to manufacture and sell and deliver Schedule IV, a felony; and sell and deliver Schedule IV, felony, \$100,000 bond, secured.

MAY 18: Thomas James Moss, 26, 109 Edell St., possession with intent to sell and deliver counterfeit, controlled substance and sell and deliver counterfeit controlled substance, two counts, all felonies, secured bond.

MAY 20: Winfred Lamar Watson Jr., 44, 18796 S. Tryon Rd., Charlotte, fugitive warrant, felony, no bond, held for extradition by Cherokee County.

MAY 20: Michael Bruce Adams, 33, 105 Joy Dr., possession of Schedule I, Ecstasy, felony, and possession schedule III and Schedule IV, misdemeanors, \$2,000 bond, secured. His vehicle was impounded by police. He was also cited for possession of Schedule V, possession of marijuana, possession drug paraphernalia, fictitious tag, failure to register motor vehicle.

MAY 21: Jose Antonio Ramos Jr., 37, 612 Charles

St., Apt. 83, driving while license revoked, DWI, and first degree burglary, a felony, \$5,000 bond, secured. He was also cited for resist, delay and obstruct. His 1993 Lincoln Continental was impounded by police.

MAY 21: Paula Renne Jackson, 47, 217 Morris St., possession of cocaine, a felony, and possession drug paraphernalia, \$1,000 bond, secured.

MAY 21: John Edward Eng, 48, 1123 Phifer Rd., possession stolen property, attempt to obtain property, uttering forged instrument, and possession Schedule IV, \$1,000 bond, secured.

MAY 22: Gloria Jean Elliott, 47, 318 Cherokee Ford Rd., Blacksburg, SC, resisting public official, \$600 bond, secured.

CITATIONS

MAY 18: Shantel Fox, 27, 200 Spruce St., Apt. 1B, revoked license and stop sign violation.

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MAY 19: Sharif Burris, 20, 208 Blanton St., stop sign violation.

MAY 19: Jacqueline Brooks, 37, 501 W. Mountain S t., Apt. 1, expired tag.

MAY 19: Bettina Oates, 41, 119 N. City St., speeding.

MAY 19: Mary Rachel McDaniel, 22, 608 Hillside Dr., no seat belt.

MAY 19: Bruce Gibbons, 53, 112 Luthers Rd., speeding.

MAY 19: Darrell Green, 38, 308 Edell St., no seat belt.

MAY 19: Jason Bullman, 30, 110 Pine Lake Dr., speeding.

MAY 20: Benjamin Brown, 30, 201 N. Cansler St., revoked license, no seat belt.

MAY 20: David Ward, 39, Cherryville, expired tag.

MAY 21: Marcus Duane Bell, 32, Grover, revoked license.

MAY 21: Malinda Roberts, 29, 407 Baker St. Apt. B, revoked license.

MAY 21: Ricky Black, 18, Cherryville, no seat belt.

MAY 21: Randy Scott Johnson, 18, 426 Range Rd., no seat belt.

MAY 22: Gregory Mauvitz, 43, Dallas, revoked license.

MAY 22: Zenas Adkins, 21, 113 Glory Dr., revoked license, possession of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.

INCIDENTS

MAY 19: Waffle House 453, 726 York Rd., reported that a customer ordered food, ate it and didn't pay for it.

MAY 19: A resident of Third Street reported theft of her 1996 Ford Explorer SUV, white in color.

MAY 21: A resident of N. City Street reported theft of a Dell laptop computer during a break-in.

WRECKS

MAY 18: Officer Kenneth L. Hamrick said that a 1999 BMW operated by Mary Wade Smith, 505 Garrison Dr., rear-ended a 2006 Nissan operated by Andrew Hurd of Shelby whose car was pushed into a 1988 Ford operated by Charles Spearman, 2032 Shelby Road. The accident happened on US 74 Business and resulted in \$4700 property damage.

MAY 18: Ptl. Harold Carpenter said that a 2003 Toyota operated by Brittany Broome of Grover struck a 2008 Hummer operated by Robert Heath of Blacksburg, SC doing \$4200 damage. The accident happened on US 74 business.

MAY 18: Officer Kenneth L. Hamrick reported that a 2005 Ford operated by Ashley Bruce of Shallotte rear-ended a 2006 Chrysler operated by Deana Francis, 1400 Merri-mont Drive, doing \$1,000 damage. The accident happened on US 74 Business.

MAY 19: Officer Kenneth L. Hamrick said that Jeffery Moss, 505 Plantation Drive, was backing his 2006 Toyota from a parking space at Love's Fish Box on Shelby Road and struck a parked 2000 Toyota owned by Misty Ramsey, 4512 Sandycrest Court. Damages totaled \$1500.

MAY 19: Ptl. Harold Carpenter said that Sarah Potter, 419 Maner Rd., attempting to park at 311 Cleveland Avenue, struck a parked 2001 Honda owned by Eric Byers of 320 Crocker Road. Damages totaled \$2,000.

MAY 20: Resource Officer R. S. Davis said that William D. Ivey, 552 Waco Road, was backing his 2003 Ford from a parking space at Kings Mountain High School and struck a parked 2001 Toyota owned by Carolyn Billington of Richmond, Va. Damages totaled \$ 1400.

MAY 21: Ptl. Whittington said that Matthew Bumgardner, 1015 Brookwood Dr., operating a 2004 Toyota, rear-ended a 2002 Kia operated by Misha Coble, 710 W. Gold St. Damages totaled \$900.

was also preceded in death by sisters Jay Steele and Ethel Bell and brothers, Floyd Thornburg, Wray Thornburg, Otha Thornburg and Theodore Thornburg.

He was married for 51



years to the late Frances Dover Thornburg. A n independent, self-made man who knew the value of hard work, he retired from Foote Mineral Company after 35 years of service as an Electrical Maintenance Supervisor. Before beginning his career at Foote Mineral, he apprenticed as an electrician with Hoke Electric Company, wiring numerous homes in and around Cleveland and Gaston Counties. He was also a retired Volunteer Fireman for over 35 years with the Kings Mountain Fire Department.

A faithful member of First Baptist Church for over 60 years, he was a former deacon, served on the building ad grounds committee for many years and enjoyed baking pies for sick and shut-

in members of his church. A nature lover, he enjoyed hunting and fishing in early years. He also loved to garden, was a wonderful cook and enjoyed feeding the wildlife in his yard.

Surviving are his daughter, Brenda Thomas and husband, Fred "Tommy" Thomas Jr. of Gainesville, FL and Debbie Parker and husband Ray Parker of Stockbridge, GA; son, Monty Thornburg and girlfriend Ina Blanton of Kings Mountain; three grandchildren, Jennifer Evans, Corbin Parker and Todd Thomas; four great-grandchildren, Taylor and Christopher Evans and Alyssa and Hunter Thomas and special friend Dorothy Hullender of Kings Mountain.

The funeral service was conducted Sunday, May 24, 2009 at 3 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Kings Mountain. Dr. Chip Sloan and Dr. Jeff Hensley officiated. Interment was in Mountain Rest Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church, 605 W. King St., Kings Mountain, NC 28086 or Hospice of Cleveland County, 951 Wendover Heights Drive, Shelby, NC 28150 and The Activities Department of White Oak Manor, 716 Sipes St., Kings Mountain, NC 28086.

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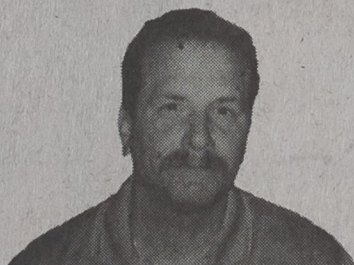
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It broke our hearts to lose you but you didn't go alone. For part of us went with you the day God called you home.

We will always love and miss you. Chris, you'll forever be in our hearts.

Love, Ashley, your family & friends

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