OBITUARIES

Clinton Graham

A graduate of the KMHS class of '83

MORRISVILLE - Clinton "Balt" O. Graham, 48, of Morrisville; NC passed away on September 11, 2012 at Duke University Hos-



pital, Durham, NC. He was born August 30, 1964 in Baltimore, MD, son of Estelle Sawetsky Graham and the late Hugh Clinton Graham.

In addition to his father he was preceded in death by

his wife, Peggy Graham. Clinton was a loving son, father, Pawpaw

and friend.

He was a 1983 graduate of Kings Mountain High School where he was a member of the football and wrestling teams. Mr. Graham was a devoted employee who had worked for over 20 years with ABF as a truck driver, dock worker and shop steward and was a union member of Local #391. He was of Baptist Faith and an avid Colts fan.

A funeral service was held 4 p.m. Friday, Sept. 14, 2012 at Greene Funeral Service, West Chapel, Gastonia officiated by Rev. Odas Shelton. The family received friends

from 6-8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 13, 2012 at the funeral home and at other times at the home of Pete and Larice Cook, 302 Stowe Acres, Kings Mountain

Interment was in Mountain Rest Ceme-

tery, Kings Mountain.

In addition to his mother Mr. Graham is survived by; daughter and son in-law Joni and Daniel Barnes of Kings Mountain; father in-law and mother in-law Pete and Larice Cook of Kings Mountain; sister in-law and brother in-law Candy and Jonathan Chapman of Kings Mountain,; brother, David Graham of Kings Mountain; sister, Janie Graham of Crowders Mountain; grandchildren, Kody Tyler Graham, Jeremy Logan Farmer; nephews, Joseph Chapman, Chuck Barber, Blake Chapman, Christopher Graham; niece, April Hanvy.

Pallbearers were Daniel Barnes, Jonathan Chapman, Joseph Chapman, Blake Chapman, Chuck Merck, Todd Keener and Kody Graham.

A guest registry is available at www.greenefuneral.com

Arrangements are with the West Chapel of Greene Funeral Service and Crematorium, Gastonia.

> Greene Funeral Service

Helen Roberts

A member of Bethlehem Baptist Church

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Helen Roberts, 86, of 307 Beattie Rd., died September 16. 2012 at Carolina Care in Cherryville, NC.

She was born in Cleveland County, NC, daughter of the late John Dixon "Dixie" and Annie Lee Dixon McDaniel. In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by her husband, William Howard Roberts, her grandson, Carl Grady Foster, Sr., sonsin-law, Leonard Anderson and Carl Grady Foster, Jr., brothers, Glen, Clyde and Naaman McDaniel, sisters, Josephine Sellers and

Mrs. Roberts was retired from Burlan Corp. in Gastonia, NC after 50 plus years of service and was a member of Bethlehem Baptist Church in Kings Mountain. A special thanks is extended to Carolina Care of Cherryville and Hospice of Cleveland County for their care given to Mrs. Roberts.

Surviving are her sons; Bill Roberts and wife Billie Mae, Kings Mountain, Jim Roberts and Clarke Crewe of Charlotte and Kevin Roberts and wife, Lisa, of Reynoldsburg, Ohio; and daughters, Barbara Foster of Gastonia and Joy Anderson of Kings Moun-

Special mention: Betty Ivey and Lisa Parker, both of Kings Mountain; brothers, Charles McDaniel, Bill McDaniel and wife, Helen Roger McDaniel and wife Orangel Gerald McDaniel and wife, Libby, all of

Kings Mountain, Durwood McDaniel and wife, Jean, of Shelby and sisters, Ruth Sanders of Kings Mountain and Martha Ann "Mott" Wright and husband, Ralph, of Conover; and grandchildren Tina Ivester, Carrie Ann Foster Smith, Tracy Lynn Norwood, Brad Roberts, Brayden Roberts, Logan Potter; and great-grandchildren Gracie Ivester, John Winston Ivester, Isaac Ivester, Elisha Ivester, Kyle Smith, Ryan Foster, Emerson King, Tyler Roberts, Paul Teal and J. C. Teal.

The funeral service will be conducted Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2012 at 3 p.m. at Bethlehem Baptist Church. Rev.Chadwick Ivester, Rev. Steve Taylor and Rev. Harvey Gates will officiate.

The family will receive friends from 1 – 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 19, 2012 prior to the service in the Christian Activities

Interment will be in Bethlehem Baptist

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Shelby, NC 28150.

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

Harris Funeral Home, Kings Mountain,

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Betty Jo "Jobie" West Hipp

Former employee of Community Cash

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Betty Jo "Jobie" West Hipp, 73, resident of 307 Somerset Dr., died September 2, 2012 at Gaston Memorial Hospital.

She was born in Anderson, SC, daughter of the late Jessie



employee of Community Cash for over 30 years.

Surviving are her husband of 40 years, Terry Hipp, Kings Mountain; sons, David Burrell, Greer, SC, and Jerry Hipp, Inman, SC; daughter, Susan Burrell Johnsonbaugh and husband, Mike, Kings Mountain; brother, Frank West and wife, Nancy, Lake Murray, SC; sister, Eleanore Hipp and husband, James, Gaffney, SC; eight grandchildren: Crissie Johnsonbaugh, Shelby; Darren Porter, Gaffney, SC; Paul Johnsonbaugh and

wife, Lee Ann, Kings Mountain, Amanda Hamrick, Kings Mountain, Josh Burrell, Maiden, Lora Johnsonbaugh, Kings Mountain; Danny Henderson, Fallston; and John Burrell, Lincolnton; and five great-grandchildren: Laney Johnsonbaugh, Tippy Johnsonbaugh, Luke Hamrick, Kaylee Grace Henderson, and Audrey Henderson.

The funeral service was conducted Tuesday, Sept. 4, 2012 at 4:30 p.m. at Christian Freedom Baptist Church. Rev. Mike Chambers officiated. Visitation was from 3:30-4:30 p.m. prior to the service in the sanctuary of Christian Freedom Baptist Church.

Interment was in Little Mountain Baptist Church Cemetery, Wellford, SC, at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 4, 2012.

Memorials may be made to Christian Freedom Senior Adult Sunday School Class, 260 Range Road, Kings Mountain, NC

A guest register is available at www.HarrisFunerals.com

Harris Funeral Home, Kings Mountain, NC, was in charge of arrangements.

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Sara Stroupe.

Center.

Center at Bethlehem Baptist Church.

Church Cemetery, Kings Mountain

Cleveland County, 951 Wendover Heights,

NC, is in charge of arrangements.

George W. Clay Jr.

SHELBY- George W. Clay, Jr., 89, of 509 Woodside Drive, died Thursday, September 13, 2012 at Cleveland Regional Medical

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 16, 2012 at Aldersgate United Methodist Church in Shelby . Burial, with military honors, was held in Shelby's Sunset Cemetery.

Roy Lee Grigg

SHELBY - Roy Lee Grigg, 91, formerly of Kings Rd., died Wed., Sept. 12, 2012 at Kings Mountain Hospital.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Sept. 15, 2012 at 12 noon at Clay-Barnette Funeral Home Chapel in Shelby. Interment was in New Hope Baptist Church Cemetery.

W.E. Halyburton

SHELBY - Mr. William E. "Coach", Halyburton, 95, of 1700 Wesson Rd., passed away, Monday, Sept. 17, 2012 at Cleveland Regional Medical Center.

The funeral service will be held Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Shelby Presbyterian Church. Interment will be in Cleveland Memorial Park Mausoleum.

Ricky Gene Lemmons

SHELBY- Ricky Gene Lemmons, 58, of 1918 Chatfield Road, died Thursday, September 13, 2012.

The funeral was held at 11 a.m Monday, Sept. 17, 2012 at Clay-Barnette Funeral Home Chapel of Shelby. Interment was in Rose Hill Memorial Park in Fallston.

Keith Marlow

YORK, SC- Mr. Keith Marlow, 76, of 940 Turkey Creek Ridge Road, passed away Sunday, September 16, 2012 at his residence.

The funeral will be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday at Living by Faith Baptist Church in York, SC., interment following in Lakeview Memory Gardens in York, SC.

Clyde L. Rhea

KINGS MOUNTAIN -

Clyde Lamont Rhea, 91, resident of Grover, died Sept. 16, 2012 at Wendover Hospice in Shelby.

The funeral service will be conducted Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2012 at 3 p.m. at First Baptist Church of Grover. Visitation is from 1:30-3 p.m. prior to the service in the fellowship hall of First Baptist Church of Grover.

Interment, with military honors by the Marine Corp League Foothills Detachment, will be held at Grover Cemetery, 403 Cleveland Avenue.

Dorothy Whelchel

BLACKSBURG,SC Dorothy Isler Whelchel, 85, of Blacksburg, SC, died September 12, 2012, at Hospice of Cleveland County -Wendover, Shelby, NC.

A Celebration of Life Service was held Friday, Sept. 14, 2012 at 2 p.m. at White Columns Funeral Service with Revs. Scott Hammett and John Barnhardt officiating. Burial was in Clingman Memorial Gardens.

Pam P. Smith

A native of Cleveland County



YORK. Pam P. Smith, 49, of 142 Shell Road, passed away Friday, September 14, 2012 at Spartanburg Regional Medical Center.

A native of. Cleveland County, she was born March 9, 1963, daughter of the late Horace and Eva

Willis Patterson. She is survived by her husband of 26 years, Keith Smith of the home; two daughters, Jessica Helms and husband Phillip of Blacksburg, Kristy Smith of Charlotte; two

Shelby; one brother, Butch Patterson of Kings Mountain; four grandchildren, Drea Smith, Jack Helms, Trent and Dax Spear.

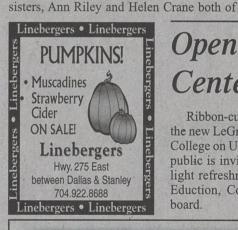
The funeral service was conducted Tuesday, Sept. 18, 2012 at 2 p.m. at Clay-Barnette Funeral Home Chapel in Kings Mountain. Bishop Brady Jackson officiated and interment was in Kings Mountain's Mountain Rest Cemetery.

The family received friends one hour prior to the service at the funeral home and other times at her home.

On-line condolences: www.claybar-

Clay-Barnette Funeral Home of Kings Mountain, NC was in charge of arrange-

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Open house at LeGrand Center set for Sept. 23

Ribbon-cutting and community open house will be held at the new LeGrand Center, across from Cleveland Community College on US 74 West, on September 23 from 2-4 p.m. The public is invited to enjoy escorted tours of the facility and light refreshments. Hosts are: Cleveland County Board of Eduction, County Commissioners, and CCC Foundation



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POLICE LOG

ARRESTS SEPT. 11: A 16-year-old female was charged with unauthorized use of conveyance,

\$1,000 bond, unsecured. SEPT. 12 Randy Donald Bright, 43, 324 W. Lee St., Shelby, common law forgery, felony larceny, larceny of a firearm, a felony, \$10,000 bond, unsecured. He was also cited for speeding and expired tag.

SEPT. Markeas 13: Shaivene Wilson, 19, 612 Charles St. Apt. 8, breaking and entering, larceny, possession stolen property, all felonies,

\$20,000 bond, secured. SEPT. 14: Kevin Morrison Stewart, 32, 1000A First St., breaking into motor vehicle, two counts, felonies, \$15,000

bond, secured. SEPT. 14: Jamie Lee Grigg, 39, 1506 N. Cansler St., injury to property, \$1000 bond, se-

SEPT. 14: Brittany Anne McAfee, 19, 111 Morris Rd., fugitive out of SC, no bond.

SEPT. 14: Brandon Eugene

McAfee, 19, 111 Morris Rd., fugitive out of SC, no bond. SEPT. 15: Jamar Deangelo Currence, 26, Gastonia, driving

while license revoked, \$573

cash bond SEPT. 15: Mitchell Eugene Luther, 45, 405 Sandy Crest Ct., assault with deadly weapon with intent to kill inflicting serious injury, felony, assault on female, injury to personal prop-

erty, \$25,000 bond, secured. SEPT. 15: Amanda Barthell, 23, Mount Holly, larceny, resist,

obstruct, delay, possession stolen property, \$5,000 bond,

SEPT. 17: Ernest Lee Spence, 42, 700 W. Gold St. assault on female.

CITATIONS

SEPT. 12: Soulath Souvannapadith, 115 Heatherton Lane, expired tag. SEPT. 13: Tessie Diana

Brown, 19, 115 Miranda Lane Trailer 3, failure to carry driver's license, yield right-of-way SEPT. 13: Harold Lefreoer-

ick Braswell, 47, 612 Charles St., Apt.65, revoked license, no insurance. SEPT. 13: Farren Denisha

Mercer, 22, 115 Ferguson Dr. Dup.A, no inspection, expired SEPT. 15: Andrew Mullen,

46, Stanley, expired tag, faulty equipment, head lamps. SEPT. 15: Diana Garcia, 19, Gastonia, speeding. SEPT. 15: Robert Joseph

Bradley, 21, 132 Sam Smith Rd., speeding. SEPT. 15: Lio Guzman

Roje, 35, Shelby, no operator's license. no child seat belt. SEPT. 15: Wesley Ray Kyser Jr., 20, Gaffney, SC, un-

SEPT. 15: Eric Madison Richards, 19, Gaffney, SC, underage drinking, SEPT. 16: Heather Nicole

derage drinking.

shoplifting. SEPT. 16: Kayla Joyce Thomas, 23, 1512 N. Cansler

Radford, '26, 405B Waco Rd.,

St., shoplifting. SEPT. 16: James Cecil Pearce, 29, Charlotte, speeding. SEPT. 16: Sharon Kirk-

patrick, 42, Shelby, shoplifting.

SEPT. 16: Tashia Floyd, 5075 Pennington Place, Apt. 30, no child seat belt. SEPT. 16: Leah Hardin, 41,

116 Tara Terrace, expired tag. SEPT. 16: Kevin Baswell, 28, Gastonia, no operator's li-

SEPT. 16: Lissa J. Lynch,

27, 200 Spruce St. Apt. 5C, speeding SEPT. 16: Matthew Stephen Grindle, 26, Bessemer City, no operator's license.

SEPT. 17: Havon Shaunday Murphy, 25, 219 N. City St., speeding, revoked license. INCIDENTS AUG. 28: A resident of

Bridges Drive reported ID theft SEPT. 8: A resident of York

Road reported financial card SEPT. 11: City of Kings Mountain, 1013 N. Piedmont Ave., reported damage to a sign

and lock. SEPT. 11: A resident of Washington Drive reported theft of a GPS and flashlight.

SEPT.12: Copper Construction Co., Flat Rock, reported a break-in by someone using an unknown object to pry open battery panels, damaging locks, wires and battery posts and a compartment door on Countryside Drive.

See POLICE, 6A

In Loving Memory of Billy Patterson September 1, 1982 - May 3, 2003

Billy,

You are gone but not forgotten. You will always be in our hearts and we will always love you. Happy Birthday.

The family of 'Billy Patterson'.



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