

# OBITUARIES

**Anne Hunter P. Boone**  
*Enjoyed traveling with her husband*

WASHINGTON – Anne Hunter Plonk Boone, 59, of Washington and Hatteras, died Wednesday, April 3, 2012, at her home.



A funeral service was held at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 6, 2013 at

First United Methodist Church of Washington officiated by Rev. Danny Allen. Burial was private. Gary Ball, Timothy Ward, Frank Coan, Dr. Jeffrey Whitehead, Clyde Hughes and Garrett Ball served as pallbearers.

Anne Hunter was born in Mecklenburg County and was the daughter of Patricia Neisler Plonk and the late John Oates Plonk, Jr. She is survived by her husband of 37 years, William Thomas Boone Jr; her daughter, Sarah Katherine Brown and husband Tucker of Elizabeth City; her son, William Thomas Boone III and wife Carrie of Pittsboro; three grandchildren, Anne Spivey Brown, Caroline Hunter Brown, and Huckleberry T. Boone; her mother, Patricia Neisler Plonk, of Kings Mountain; two sisters, Laura Ball and husband, Gary, of Lenoir, and Ashley Strachan and husband Dave of St. Augustine, FL; two brothers, John O. Plonk III and wife Lisa of Kings Mountain, and Carl Plonk and wife Margot

of Kings Mountain; and many beloved nieces, nephews, family members, and friends. She was preceded in death by her father, John Oates Plonk, Jr., of Kings Mountain.

Anne Hunter attended Mary Baldwin and graduated from Meredith College. She was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, daughter, sister, aunt, and friend. Relationships were important to her, and she was often described as the “glue” that held various groups of friends and family together. She was adored by her grandchildren who affectionately referred to her as “Hunie.” She and her husband, Bill, enjoyed traveling and watching the sun set in Hatteras. Her beautiful smile and generous spirit were blessings to all who knew her.

The family received friends on Friday, April 5, 2013 from 5 p.m.-7 p.m. at Paul Funeral Home & Crematory of Washington.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to: First United Methodist Church, 304 W. Second Street, Washington, NC 27889, or the Little Grove United Methodist Church, 52859 Piney Ridge Road, Frisco, NC 27936.

Online condolences may be offered to the family and the memorial video tribute may be viewed by visiting [www.paulfuneralhome.com](http://www.paulfuneralhome.com).

Paul Funeral Home & Crematory of Washington is honored to serve the Boone family.

## Paul Funeral Home & Crematory

**Ann Patterson Goforth**  
*Retired chemistry teacher*

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Ann Patterson Goforth, 64, resident of 2438 Cobb Dr., passed away April 3, 2013 at Kings Mountain Hospice House. She was a native of



Cleveland County, daughter of the late Samuel Kelley and Car-

rie Yarbro Patterson.

She graduated Magna Cum Laude from Western Carolina University in 1970 and was a former chemistry teacher at Shelby High School, Ashbrook High School, Gaston College, Highland Tech, and Gaffney High School and retired from Gaston County Public Schools.

Mrs. Goforth was a member of Boyce Memorial ARP Church in Kings Mountain where she was a member of the Women of the Church,

Ruth Oates Circle of Friends and also worked with the youth of the church.

Survivors include her husband of 45 years, Steve Goforth, Kings Mountain; sons, Steven J. Goforth, Jr., Mauldin, SC and John A. Goforth, Raleigh; daughter, Kelly G. Ross and husband Kevin, Raleigh; granddaughter, Anilee; and sister, Kay P. White and husband John, Gastonia.

A memorial service was held at Boyce Memorial ARP Church, Kings Mountain

Saturday, April 6, 2013 at 11 a.m. with Pastor Nick Napier and Rev. Doug Petersen officiating.

The family received friends from 9:30-10:30 a.m. Saturday, April 6, prior to the service, in the fellowship hall of the Church.

Memorials can be made to Boyce Memorial ARP Church, 111 Edgemont Dr., Kings

Mountain, NC 28086 or to Hospice of Cleveland County, Kings Mountain Hospice House, 951 Wendenover Heights Dr., Shelby, NC 28150.

A guest register is available at [www.harrisfunerals.com](http://www.harrisfunerals.com).

Harris Funeral Home, Kings Mountain, NC is serving the family.

## Harris Funeral Home

**Terry McKinney, Sr.**  
*Loving father, grandfather, brother*

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Terry Lee McKinney, 61, Sr., of Kings Mountain, passed away Tuesday, April 2, 2013 at his



home.

Surviving are his children, Terry Jr., Lucky, Christina and Jennifer; his brothers, Walter, Mark, and Timothy; sisters, Renee, Rosemary and Tina; eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

A memorial service will be held Thursday, April 11, 2013 at 5 p.m. at The Interdenominational Church in Kings Mountain. Speakers will be Della Stroupe and Linda Greene.

**J. D. “Tiny” Lefevers**

KINGS MOUNTAIN - J. D. “Tiny” Lefevers, 82, passed away April 6, 2013 at his home.

The funeral service was held at Ollie Harris Memorial Chapel, Tuesday, April 9, at 11 a.m. Visitation was from 6 - 8 p.m. Monday evening, April 8, at Harris Funeral Home. Interment was at Mountain Rest Cemetery, Kings Mountain.

**Minnie Fay Smith**

SHELBY - Minnie Fay Smith, 63, 2629 Taylor Road, passed away Saturday April 6, 2013 at her residence. Funeral services will be in Eaton Rapids, Michigan.

The family will receive friends Monday evening from 6-7:30 p.m. at Clay-Barnette Funeral home of Shelby.

Interment will be in Eaton Rapids, Michigan.

# POLICE

## ARRESTS

APRIL 5: Jason Matthew Greene, 34, 101-1 Center St, assault on female.

APRIL 6: Anthony Keith Singleton Jr., 29, 514 Harmon Ct, assault on female, \$2,000 bond, secured.

APRIL 7: Jeffrey Tyrone Ross, 42, 1417 Shelby Rd, domestic criminal trespass.

## CITATIONS

APRIL 2: Joshua Bernard Green, 21, Charlotte, speeding.

APRIL 2: Mary Donelson, 64, 602 Princeton Dr., speeding.

APRIL 4: A 17-year-old male was cited for speeding.

APRIL 4: Stephanie Wilson, 40, 104 Cedar Circle, speeding.

APRIL 4: Jerry Bright Black, 38, 116 Dutchess Dr., revoked license.

APRIL 4: Melvin Douglas Sanders, 55, Gastonia, unsafe movement.

APRIL 4: Randy Dean Williams, 47, 1616 Shelby Rd., trespassing.

APRIL 5: Michael Joseph Wilson, 32, Cramerton, expired tag.

APRIL 5: David Shane Gladden, 40, Cherryville, speeding, failure to carry driver's license.

APRIL 5: Michael Lanier, 39, 533 Belvedere Circle, violation of city ordinance which prohibits the playing of a radio or other musical instruments with such volume between the hours of 10 p.m.-7 a.m. as to annoy or disturb the quiet, comfort or repose of any person or persons in any dwelling, hotel or other type of residence.

APRIL 6: Cheyenne Reedy, 18, Gastonia, speeding.

APRIL 6: Allison Wellmon, 20, 105 Colonial Dr., speeding.

APRIL 6: Jerry Garner II, 34, Grover, speeding.

APRIL 6: Carlus Devone Gamble, 32, 200 Spruce St., Apt. 2E, revoked li-

cence, speeding.

APRIL 6: Matthew Royster, 30, Lawndale, speeding.

APRIL 6: James Austin Savage, 18, 211 Green Meadows, speeding.

APRIL 7: David Andrew York, 40, Clover, SC, forged registration plate, failure to notify DMV of address change.

APRIL 7: Thomeka Moton, 19, Shelby, speeding.

APRIL 7: Michael Costner Jr., 19, Grover, speeding.

APRIL 7: Nathaniel Snowten, 27, 114 Pearce Court, speeding, no insurance.

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## INCIDENTS

APRIL 1: A resident of Sandhurst Dr. reported theft of three saws, two blowers, two weed eaters, a hedge trimmer and a back pack sprayer valued at nearly \$4,000.

APRIL 2: A resident of E. Parker St. reported theft of a blue 4d GMC Saturn valued at \$1800.

APRIL 2: Jack's Jewelry & Pawn, 106 Cleveland Ave., reported that a customer took two Fenwick casting rods and two ABU Garcia 6500C4 reels from a truck.

APRIL 3: A resident of Chesterfield Court reported theft of jewelry.

APRIL 4: Roses, 1314 Shelby Rd., reported that vandals set tomato and broccoli plants on fire, doing nearly \$400 damage.

APRIL 4: A resident of Grover reported financial transaction card fraud.

APRIL 5: Jack's Jewelry & Loan, 106 Cleveland Ave., said a customer presented stolen merchandise in exchange for currency.

APRIL 5: A resident of W. Gold St. reported theft of currency and medication.

APRIL 6: Food Lion, E. King St.,

said a customer attempted to pay for \$98.98 in merchandise with a fraudulent financial card.

## WRECKS

MARCH 29: Officer H. W. Carpenter said a 2002 Lincoln operated by Joshua Rice of Gastonia struck a 1994 Chevrolet operated by James Bostic, 638 Margrace Road. The accident happened on the US 74 Bypass West. Property damages were estimated at \$6,000.

Bostic, who had stopped on the right shoulder of the road to assist another motorist, had pulled back into the right lane. Rice was attempting to merge into the left lane to pass Bostic.

MARCH 31: Officer Chris Tate said Raymond Munzer, 205 W. Ridge St., operating a 2005 Suzuki, backed into a 2011 Hyundai operated by Tanisha Easterling, Lawrenceville, Ga., in the drive-through at Taco Bell, York Road. Property damages were minor.

APRIL 2: Officer Chris McKnight said a 1998 Ford operated by Robin Martin, 125 Peaceful Valley Road, struck a 1991 Jeep operated by Jada Mauney, 911 First St., at the intersection of Second and Blanton streets. Martin was transported to Cleveland Regional Medical Center. Property damages were estimated at \$5,000.

APRIL 5: Officer J. L. Dee said Larry Shives of Dallas, operating a 2007 Nissan, backed into a parked 1993 Hyundai owned by Kathy Jackson, 115 Omega Dr. Property damages were estimated at \$1250.

APRIL 6: Officer B. M. Black said Jordan Rollins of Gastonia, operating a 2006 Toyota, backed into a 2007 Jeep operated by Scott Foster of Clover, SC. The accident happened in the parking lot of McDonald's on NC 161. Property damages were estimated at \$1100.

## Post-polio support meeting

The Cleveland County Post-Polio Support Group will hold the April meeting at the Mayflower Restaurant on Monday, April 15 at 6 p.m. The restaurant is located on Hwy. 74 E. in Shelby.

The program will be presented by Joan Eslick, a polio survivor and member of the support group. She will share her experiences of surviving polio and living with her wonderful caregiver and companion, Benisa, a service dog.

If you are a polio survivor please plan to attend. Feel free to bring a caregiver with you. If you are not a polio survivor, please pass this message to anyone you know who is a survivor.

For more information you may call Janet Walker at 704-692-6249.

## Woman's Club hosts area deputies

Cleveland County Sheriff's Deputies Bryan Gordon and Jon Owens were guest speakers at the March 25 meeting of Kings Mountain Woman's Club.

Gordon led a discussion on "Human Trafficking" and Owens spoke on "Medicine Safety and Drug Diversion."

Linda Dixon led the pledge to the American flag and Betty Benton presented the devotional. It was announced that the cookbook project has received almost 800 recipes and proofreading of the book will begin in two

weeks.

Diane Davis was welcomed as a visitor. Twenty-one members attending the meeting and enjoyed refreshments during a social hour.

The Conservation Department will present the April 22 program. Several members will be reading and demonstrating crafts of "yester year" to students at Grover Elementary School on April 10.

(By Lois Blanton, club reporter)

## ServePro to help businesses prepare for disaster

ServePro, a disaster recovery and cleanup franchise system, has signed on as a national sponsor of the American Red Cross Ready Rating program, a free web-based program designed to help businesses, organizations and schools become better prepared for emergencies, according to owners of Servpro franchises in the Kings Mountain area.

"This partnership just makes perfect sense," said Rick Isaacson, Executive Vice

President of Servpro Industries Inc., "and truly completes the readiness equation for businesses and other property owners in the Kings Mountain area."

This program allows individuals to assess their readiness for a disaster, so they can take all the necessary steps, before disaster strikes, to protect their property from damage and loss.

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