

OBITUARIES

Jack Neal Scism lifelong farmer

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Jack Neal Scism, 77, resident of Scism Farm Road,



Kings Mountain, NC went to be with his Lord on December 1, 2014 at Kings Mountain Hospice House.

He was born in Cleveland County, NC to the late Grady Scism and Fern Hovis Scism. He was also preceded in death by his granddaughter, Chelsey Lynn Scism and brother-in-law, Mike Ware.

Jack was a lifelong member of Patterson Grove Baptist Church, Kings Mountain, where he served as a Deacon and served several times as chairman. He served as former Sunday School Superintendent and Chairman of the Building and Grounds Committee. He was a fourth generation lifelong farmer, owner and operator of Scism Farms. He served in the United States Army, stationed in Germany and was a charter member of the Oak Grove Volunteer Fire Department, retiring after 30 years of ser-

vice. He was a member of the Cleveland County Farm Bureau Board of Directors for 44 years, having served as President three times. He was a member of the NC State Farm Bureau Board of Directors for 30 years, member of the NC Certified Seed Board of Directors for many years. Jack and his family were recipients of the Cleveland County Farm Family of the Year three times. He also received many other farm awards over the years. He was a former member of the Kings Mountain Optimist Club.

Jack was a loving husband, father, brother, and Papaw; a Godly man who loved the Lord. His family will always appreciate the faithful Christian legacy he leaves behind.

Surviving are his wife of 58 years, Mona Hamrick Scism of the home; son, Neal Scism of Kings Mountain; daughter Danna Floyd and husband, Al, Polkville; brother, John Scism and wife, Geraldine, Bennettsville, SC; sisters Shirley Ware, Sadie Patterson and husband Gilbert; and Linda Paul and husband Wayne, all of Kings Mountain; six grandchildren: Adam Floyd and wife, Casey-Rae, Cherryville; Jennifer Scism-Ash and husband, Matt, Chi-

cago, IL; Brittany Shaffer and husband, Derek, Charlotte; Morgan Scism, Kings Mountain; Katy Floyd, Polkville, and Johnna Scism, Kings Mountain; four great-grandchildren: Emma-Rae Walker, Avery Floyd and Cheslynn and Matthew Ash.

The funeral service will be conducted Thursday, Dec. 4, 2014 at 4 p.m. at Patterson Grove Baptist Church. Rev. Tim Hendrick, Rev. Richard Plyler and Rev. Jerry Hubbard will officiate the service.

The family will receive friends Wednesday evening, Dec. 3, 2014 from 6-8 p.m. at the Family Life Center of Patterson Grove Baptist Church and other times at the home.

Interment with full military honors will be provided by the Marine Corp League Foothills Detachment at Patterson Grove Baptist Church Cemetery, Kings Mountain.

Memorials may be made to Patterson Grove Baptist Church "Challenge to Build", 301 Oak Grove Road, Kings Mountain, NC 28086.

A guest register is available at www.HarrisFunerals.com

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William Tuminello Infant dies November 27

The infant son of Wayne Tuminello and Virginia Hamilton of Denham Springs LA, born on No-



vember 25, 2014, was chosen to be with the Lord on Thursday, November 27, 2014.

In addition to his par-

ents, William Joseph Tuminello is survived by his siblings, Tony Tuminello, Abigail Tuminello and Chelsea Tuminello. Also surviving are his maternal grandmother, Marilyn Herndon, and his paternal grandparents, Marlene and Danny Ferguson, along with Uncles, Aunts, and cousins: Wayne and Leigh Hamilton and their son, Nathan; Charles and Amy Hamilton and their children, Natalie and Ben. He is preceded in death by his grandfather, Charles E. Hamilton

III and his step grandfather, William Herndon.

The parents would like to thank the Antepartum and NICU units of Woman's Hospital, doctors, colleagues and staff for their support and kindness.

A memorial service was held on Tuesday, December 2, 2014 at Live Oak United Methodist Church in Watson at 5:30 p.m. Memorials may be made to Live Oak United Methodist Church, March of Dimes or the organization of the donor's choice

Larry Ray Wright Owner ESS Automation

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Larry Ray Wright, age 61, resident of Kings Moun-



tain, went to be with his Heavenly Father after a lengthy

battle with cancer on Monday, November 24, 2014, at his home. He was born in Cleveland Co. NC to the late James Ray "Jim" Wright. He was also preceded in death by his daughter, Jennifer Wright.

He was founder and previous owner of ESS Automation, Bessemer City, NC. Larry was a member of Yorkwood Church of God, Gastonia, NC and served in the music ministry in various churches. He loved music, was very

talented and well known for playing various instruments including keyboards, trombone, and guitar. He also was very gifted in writing music. Larry enjoyed playing in bands for many years and was a partner in the Ocean Blvd. Band, Shelby, NC.

He enjoyed fishing, especially with his brother, Danny and traveling with his wife and family. He was a Godly and devoted loving husband, father, grandfather, son, and brother who loved life.

He is survived by his wife of 19 years Roxanne Bell Wright, Kings Mountain; Mother, Evelyn Short Wright, Kings Mountain; sons Christopher Wright, Lincolnton, NC, Chris Powell and wife Barbara, Kings Mountain; daughters, Heather Wright Seiler and husband Ray, Gastonia, Ashley Camp and husband Bradley, Kings

Mountain; brother Danny Wright, Kings Mountain; sister Kathy Bridges and husband Tony, Kings Mountain; four grandchildren Jonathan Seiler, Jake Lehr, Laura Powell, and Elin Camp.

Funeral services were held at Yorkwood Church of God, Gastonia, Saturday, November 29, at 2 p.m., with Rev. Dale Dyar and Rev. James E. Allen, officiating. Visitation was from 6 to 8 p.m. on Friday evening, November 28, at Harris Funeral Home, Kings Mountain. Interment is at Mountain Rest Cemetery, Kings Mountain. Memorials may be made to Yorkwood Church of God, 405 Stagecoach Road, Gastonia, NC 28052 or AML Leukemia Foundation, GPO Box 9954 Raleigh, NC 27587.

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Joan Poindexter

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Joan Brown Brackett Poindexter, 95, of White Oak Manor Kings Mountain, formerly of Bessemer City, died Sunday, Nov. 30, 2014. Funeral services were held on Tuesday at 2 p.m. at Clay-Barnette Funeral Home of Kings Mountain. The family received friends prior to the service. Burial is at Westview Memorial Gardens.

Bonnie Mae Jones

SHELBY - Bonnie Mae Jones, 90, 206 Beaver Dam Drive, passed away Friday, November 28, 2014, at Wendover Hospice. A funeral service was held 2 p.m. Monday at Beaver Dam Baptist Church. The family received friends at Clay-Barnette Funeral Home of Shelby. Interment will be at the church cemetery.

Ruby Hayes Emory

SHELBY - Ruby Hayes Emory, 87, of Orchard St., died Friday, Nov. 28, 2014, at Hospice at Wendover. Funeral services were held Sunday at 3 p.m. at Faith Baptist Church. Burial is at Cook Memorial Cemetery at Faith Baptist Church.

El Bethel breakfast

El Bethel United Methodist Church will have their regular country breakfast Saturday, Dec. 6, 6:30 to 10 a.m. Also a bake sale and carry-outs available. Call 704-739-9174.

Christmas Parade Lineup 2014

The Christmas Parade lineup for Saturday's Christmas Parade in Kings Mountain, as of Tuesday, Dec. 2 Additional units may be added by parade time by City Events Director, Ellis Noell.

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| 1 KMPD Chief Melvin Proctor | 32 Oak Grove Vol. Fire Department |
| 2 KMFd Chief Frank Burns | 33 Dance Magic |
| 3 Cleveland County Sheriff Alan Norman | 34 Tony's Ice Cream |
| 4 NC Highway Patrol Sgt. Moore | 35 Kings Mountain Fire Department - Asst. Chief Jamie Black |
| 5 Color Guard - Charlotte Mecklenburg SAR | 36 Kings Mountain Fire Department - #284 |
| 6 KM Christmas Parade Banner - Boy Scout Troop 193 | 37 Macedonia Baptist Church and Michael D. Horne |
| 7 Grand Marshall - Kings Mountain Chapter SAR | 38 Civil Air Patrol |
| 8 KM Mayor Rick Murphrey | 39 Hospice Cleveland County |
| 9 City Councilmember Howard Shipp (Ward 1) | 40 Bridges Hardware |
| 10 City Councilmember Mike Butler (Ward 2) | 41 Emmanuel Baptist Church |
| 11 City Councilmember Tommy Hawkins (Ward 3) | 42 Southern Chew |
| 12 City Councilmember Rodney Gordon (Ward 4) | 43 Easy Income Tax & Bookkeeping |
| 13 City Councilmember Rick Moore (Ward 5) | 44 2014 Junior Miss North Carolina - Catherine Mae Lilly |
| 14 City Councilmember Curtis Pressley (At Large) | 45 Cub Scout Pack 93 of East Elementary School |
| 15 City Councilmember Keith Miller (At Large) | 46 New Buffalo Baptist Church |
| 16 NC State Representative Tim Moore | 47 Daisy Yoga |
| 17 Grover VFD #3 truck #342 | 48 Loch Norman Pipe Bank |
| 18 Grover Mayor J.D. Ledford | 49 Kings Mountain Crisis Ministry |
| 19 Cleveland County Commissioners | 50 Ebenezer Baptist Church Rock Youth Ministry |
| 20 KM Police Department Lake Patrol & Explorers | 51 White Plains Shrine Club |
| 21 Kings Mountain High School Marching Band | 52 Summit Place of Kings Mountain |
| 22 Kings Mountain High School Homecoming Queen - Mackenzie Smith | 53 Kings Mountain Elite |
| 23 Kings Mountain High School Football Cheerleaders | 54 LMFd Latter |
| 24 Austin Anthony - Class of 2015 Club Wagon | 55 East Coast VW |
| 25 Kings Mountain Optimist - Shawn Clark | 56 Bethlehem Volunteer Fire Department |
| 26 Marine Corps League | 57 Boy Scout Troop - Grace Methodist Church |
| 27 Cub Scout Pack 92 & Boy Scout Troop 92 | 58 John T. Richardson Funeral Home |
| 28 161 Flea Market | 59 Simply You Hair & Beauty |
| 29 Family Restoration Outreach Ministries | 60 Afterschool Learning Center |
| 30 Zumba/Dance Fitness with Jennifer | 61 Kerns Trucking, Inc. |
| 31 American Legion Auxiliary - Kelsey Powers | 62 Turbo Graphx of Kings Mountain |
| | 63 Teen Miss Bessemer City - Rachel Price |
| | 64 Oak Grove Baptist Church Awana Club |
| | 65 Rapid Cash Refund |
| | 66 Dance Reflections |
| | 67 Grace Christian Academy |
| | 68 Perfect party by Keshia |
| | 69 East Gold Street Wesleyan Church |
| | 70 Mountaineer Cruisers Classic Car Club |
| | 71 Walmart Transportation |
| | 72 Light of Christ Church |
| | 73 Santa Claus |

POLICE

ARRESTS

NOV. 29: Chad Dale Borgo, 31, 111 Monta Vista Dr., assault on a female, no bond.

CITATIONS NOV. 11: Jamie Mills, 52, Charlotte, expired tag.

NOV. 28: Tavaris Brooks, 38, Shelby, fictitious tag.

NOV. 29: Antonio McClain, 31, Winston-Salem, NC, revoked driver's license, hit and run, failure to stop at scene of accident.

NOV. 29: Thomas Matola, 50, 507 Deerfield Dr., running red light.

NOV. 30: Philip Lee Hope, 24, Ezra Road, expired tag.

NOV. 25: Innovative

Pool Designs, 836 E. King St., reported someone pried a lock from a storage building and took a concrete saw, a Rancher chainsaw, and a hammer drill valued at over \$2500.

NOV. 26: A resident of Mooresboro said that tires and wheels from her 1996 Honda were removed on Westover Church Road and the person left without paying for them.

NOV. 28: A resident of Farris Road said that her 1995 Acura was damaged when she hit a pothole on King Street.

NOV. 30: A resident of Battle Flag Court reported vandalism to his property.

NOV. 30: A resident of Bessemer City reported

theft of various items of furniture from a home on Bennett Drive valued at more than \$2000.

WRECKS NOV. 21: Officer H.W. Carpenter said that a 2011 Jeep owned by Bruce Standafer of Mount Holly was parked on E. King Street and was struck by a hit and run driver. Property damage was estimated at \$3,000.

NOV. 23: Officer H.W. Carpenter said that Daisy Bess Tate, 1071 Mountain Crest Drive, was attempting to change lanes in her 2007 Chrysler and struck a 2006 Ford operated by Amanda Flowers, 207 Parrish Drive. Property damages were minor.

Cleveland County Choral Society Annual Christmas concert Dec. 6, 7

The Cleveland County Choral Society will present its annual Christmas concert at Aldersgate United Methodist Church, 1207 W. Dixon Blvd., Shelby at 7 p.m. on Dec. 6 and 3 p.m. on Dec. 7.

The Pleasant City Brass will be join-

ing the Choral Society for a "Down Home Christmas."

Tickets are \$5 and will be sold at the door. Children ages 5 and younger are free. For information call 704-487-0773.

Blood Pressure Clinic

Meets the third Wednesday of the month from 10-11:30 a.m. in the Craft Room, sponsored by Gentiva.

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Life Enrichment Centers set Christmas pageants

The annual Christmas pageant at Life Enrichment Center of Kings Mountain is Wednesday, Dec. 17, at 2 p.m. The Christmas pageant at Life Enrichment Center in Shelby will be Wednesday, Dec. 10, at 2 p.m.