

OBITUARIES

Doug McDaniel

Enjoyed serving the Lord

KINGS MOUNTAIN - John Douglas McDaniel, 83, lifelong resident of the Bethlehem Community in Kings Mountain went to be with his



Lord on Thursday, December 4, 2014 at Kings Mountain Hospice House.

Son of the late Lee and Eva McDaniel, he was born in Cleveland County. He was preceded in death by his brothers, Dennis and Jack McDaniel and his sisters, Janelle and Priscilla McDaniel. A member of Bethlehem Baptist Church from his childhood, he loved his church, and his church family. He enjoyed the fellowship as well as serving the Lord. Throughout the years, he served as Deacon, Sunday School teacher, Chairman of Deacons as well as serving on various committees and enjoyed singing in the choir.

In August of 1950, along with several other young men from the community, he joined the Army and served with the 311th Station Hospital at Fort Bragg. Serving during the Korean

Conflict, he received an honorable discharge in 1954, and returned to the family dairy farm.

After returning to the farm, he continued in the dairy business for several years, followed by a career working with industrial processed piping. He retired as President/Owner from Bethlehem Piping & Welding Co., Inc., a business which was started by him and his brother-in-law, the late Jimmy Reynolds. During his retirement years, he enjoyed working around the farm with his John Deere tractor, wood-working, gardening with his wife of 63 years and cheering for his grandchildren in their sports, farming, and business ventures. He was a loving husband, Dad, and "Paw", and he will be missed by all who knew and loved him. The family would like to express our deepest appreciation to the entire Staff of Cleveland County Hospice, and the many friends who have helped in so many ways with his care. Your love, prayers, meals, visits, and support has truly been a blessing to his entire family.

He is survived by his wife Doris Wortman McDaniel, Kings Mountain; son Randy McDaniel and wife Beth, Kings Mountain; daughter Donna Car-

penyer and husband Mark, Forest City, NC; Sister, Edith McDaniel Reynolds, Kings Mountain; brother-in-law Leon Wortman, Shelby, NC; Ggrandsons David McDaniel and wife Miranda, John McDaniel and wife Ginger, Lee Carpenter and fiancé Megan Walker; granddaughter Katie Carpenter; Great grandchildren Lincoln, Alana, Masey, and Landry McDaniel. Nieces and nephews.

A celebration of life service was held at Bethlehem Baptist Church, Sunday December 7 at 3 p.m., with Dr. Steve Taylor, Rev. David Blanton, and Rev. Wayne Brazzell officiating. Visitation was from 1 to 3 p.m., prior to the service in the sanctuary of Bethlehem Baptist Church.

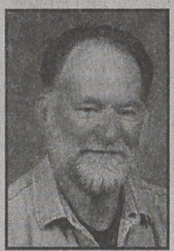
Interment is at Bethlehem Baptist Church Cemetery, Kings Mountain. Memorials may be sent to Bethlehem Baptist Church, 1017 Bethlehem Road, Kings Mountain, NC 28086 or Hospice of Cleveland County, 951 Wendover Heights Drive, Shelby, NC 28150. Guest register available at www.harrisfunerals.com. Arrangements by Harris Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Kings Mountain.

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Dale Putnam

known as KM "Mountain Man"

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Dale Franklin Putnam, 67, Kings Mountain, died



Thursday, Dec. 4, 2014 after an extended illness. He was the son of the late Ruth Ham-bright Putnam Early and the late Max Keaster Putnam. Surviving are his wife, Rob-

bie of the home; two daughters, Sarah (Bo Sewell) Summerton, Gastonia; Monica (Tommy) Mullins, Cornelius, NC; and two sons, Jon (Ruth) Putnam and Dale T. (Teresa) Wilbanks, both of Belmont; five brothers, Phillip (Vivian) Putnam, Terry Putnam, Roy (Debbie) Putnam, Dennis (Terry) Putnam, all of Kings Mountain, and Gene (Jan) Putnam of Orangeburg, SC; six grandchildren and one great-grandchild, as well as many friends and supporters in Kings Mountain.

Dale was most proud and best known as the Kings Mountain "Mountain Man." He was a loved favorite at sporting and community events delighting many citizens in his attire of fringed suede, fox tail hat, powder keg and Bowie knife.

A memorial service celebrating his life will be held Thursday, Dec 11, 2014 at 6 p.m. at David Baptist Church in Kings Mountain. In lieu of flowers, donations to Hospice and Community Service of Rock Hill, SC and the American Cancer Society are appreciated.

Larry "Tripp" D. Slycord III

Avid sportsman

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Larry D. Slycord, III "Tripp" age 42, resident of Kings



Mountain, passed away Tuesday, December 2, 2014 at his home. He was born in Cleveland Co. NC.

He was preceded in death by his brother, Larry Dean Slycord, Jr., maternal grandparents, Joe and Ollie Wheeler; paternal grandparents, Andrew and Lillian Slycord; and great

grandmother, Essie "Nunnie" Stepp.

Tripp was a member of East Gold Street Wesleyan Church. He loved to spend time outdoors, including hunting and fishing. He was a good hearted person who loved his kids and family, he will be greatly missed. Tripp, Mom and Dad love you very much. Survivors include his mother, Gloria "Butch" Wheeler Slycord, Kings Mountain; father Larry Slycord, Hollister, MO; son Josh Slycord, Raleigh, NC; daughter Katie Slycord, Mooresboro, NC; brother Travis D. Slycord and wife Amy, Kings Mountain; niece Payton Slycord; numerous aunts, uncles, and cousins.

A funeral service was held

at East Gold Street Wesleyan Church on Friday, December 5, at 3 p.m., with Rev. Scott Wheeler and Rev. Scott Whitney, officiating.

Visitation was Thursday, December 4, at Harris Funeral Home, Kings Mountain, and other times at the home. Interment is at Mountain Rest Cemetery, Kings Mountain.

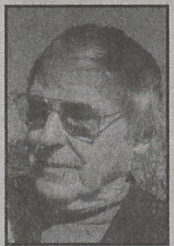
Memorials may be sent to Tripp Slycord Memorial Fund, 512 Monroe Ave, Kings Mountain, NC 28086. Guest register available at www.harrisfunerals.com. Arrangements: Harris Funeral Home and Cremation Services, Kings Mountain.

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Bobby E. Williams

Served in US Air Force

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Bobby E. Williams, age 79, resident of 921 Sterling Drive, Kings Mountain, died December 3, 2014



at home. He was born in Cleveland Co, NC to the late Homer Williams and Madge White Williams. He was also preceded in death by his daughter, Dawn Bell; two great grandchildren, Madison Bell and Whitley Robinson; four brothers, and two sisters.

Mr. Williams served in the United States Air Force. He was a member of First Wesleyan Church, Kings

Mountain, VFW, and the American Legion Post 155, Kings Mountain. He was also a member of the PGA. He was self-employed.

He is survived by his wife of 29 years, Vicky Smart Williams, Kings Mountain; sons Norris Rayfield and wife Betina, Myrtle Beach, SC, Bobby G. Williams and wife Sherri, Kings Mountain, Larston Williams, Kings Mountain; daughters Carol Oliver and husband Randy, Kings Mountain, Donna Johnson and husband Tim, Kings Mountain, Joanne Smart and husband Lee, Kings Mountain, Kerry McKenzie, Kings Mountain. Brothers Bill Williams, Shelby, and Paul Williams, Kings Mountain; sister Dorothy Grigg, Shelby; eight grandchildren, TJ, Kami, Tonja, Bobby, Christina, Tim, Josh, and Hayley, and five

great grandchildren.

A funeral service was held at First Wesleyan Church, Sunday, December 7, 2 p.m., with Rev. Don Williams officiating. Visitation was from 6 to 8 p.m. Saturday evening, December 6, at Harris Funeral Home, Kings Mountain. Interment was with full military honors provided by the Marine Corps League Foothills Detachment at Mountain Rest Cemetery, Veterans Garden, Kings Mountain. Memorials may be sent to Hospice of Cleveland County, 951 Wendover Heights Drive Shelby, NC 28150.

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KM man among trio nabbed on drug charges

LINCOLNTON -- A Kings Mountain man is in custody after Lincoln County police charged him with two counts of trafficking in cocaine, one count of maintaining a vehicle for a controlled substance and a third count of speeding to elude an arrest. Kareem Jamar Moore, 33, 1702 Northwoods Drive, is being held in the Lincoln County Detention Center under a \$40,000 secured bond. He was also charged with one misdemeanor count each of littering and resisting, delaying and obstructing a public officer.

Lincoln County Sheriff's Office Narcotics investigators also arrested two others on Thursday in two separate incidents during a surveillance operation south of Lincolnton. Around noon that day, narcotics investigators were conducting an undercover operation near the Dollar General store in High Shoals and completed a hand-

hand drug transaction with the suspects.

Tina Marie Brown, 46, and Christel Gantt Camp, 41, both of Gastonia, were taken into custody during the incident.

Both were charged with possession with the intent to manufacture, sell and deliver a controlled substance schedule II, sell and deliver schedule II and conspiracy to sell and deliver. In addition, Camp was charged with maintaining a vehicle for a controlled substance. All charges are felonies. Brown was placed in the Lincoln County Detention Center under a \$15,000 secured bond while bond for Camp was set at \$10,000 secured. Later that day, while investigators were continuing their surveillance operation at several locations



Moore

in the county, they observed a vehicle pull into the parking lot of the Dollar General store in High Shoals.

Investigators had received information that Moore would be transporting cocaine to the Lincoln County area. The suspect did not exit the vehicle but remained on a cell phone while looking around the parking lot, according to investigators. As he left the parking lot investigators pulled in behind the vehicle and attempted to stop the suspect with blue lights and siren when they observed the driver throw a bag of white substance out of the window.

One of the trailing undercover vehicles stopped and secured a bag of white powder, which turned out to be crack cocaine, while another chased the vehicle south on Highway 321 into Gaston County where it was stopped near the Hardin exit. Moore was taken into custody without further incident.

POLICE

ARRESTS

DEC. 1: Christopher Dale Adkins, 26, 103 Ironwood Place, driving while license revoked, reckless driving, hit and run, \$1000 bond, secured. DEC. 3: Rodney Odell Carr Jr., 44, 117 Railroad Ave., DWI, driving left of center.

DEC. 4: Rodney Odell Carr, 44, 967 Sparrow Springs Rd., driving while license revoked, \$2000 bond, secured. DEC. 5: Alex Christopher Martin, 18, 317 Churchill Drive, breaking and entering, possession of burglary tools, possession methamphetamine, all felonies, \$25,000 bond, secured.

DEC. 8: Karyn Bolding King, 54, 105 Judy Lane, possession drug paraphernalia, possession of Schedule II, \$20,000 bond, secured. DEC. 8: Dillon Alexander Carter, 22, 5137 Battleground Ave., possession stolen property, \$1500 bond, secured.

CITATIONS

DEC. 1: Brooke O'Shield Little, 27, Gastonia, expired tag.

Annie Mae Peterson Adams

KINGS MOUNTAIN - Annie Mae Peterson Adams, age 83, 108 Quincy Street, passed away December 7, 2014 at Carolina's Medical Center, Concord, NC. A funeral service will be held at Midview Baptist Church, Wednesday, December 10, at 3 p.m. Visitation is from 6 to 8 p.m. Tuesday, December 9, Midview Baptist Church. Interment is at Mountain Rest Cemetery, Kings Mountain.

Debra Ann Hill

MOORESBORO - Debra McCraw Hill, 44, died Wed., Dec. 3, 2014, at her home. Funeral services are Saturday at 2 p.m. at Clay-Barnette Funeral Home Chapel. The family will receive friends Saturday 12:30-2 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial is at Sunset Cemetery.

Shirley Ann Hoyle

Kings Mountain - Shirley Ann Hoyle, 72, Kings Mountain, passed away Monday, December 1, 2014 at Kings Mountain Hospice House. All services are private. Arrangements are with the South Chapel of Greene Funeral Services and Crematorium, Gastonia.

DEC. 5: Sarah Beth Gaylor, Cherryville, expired tag, no current vehicle inspection.

DEC. 6: Tracey Messick Spicer, 38, 313 Edell St., concealment of merchandise.

DEC. 6: Heidi Lynn Fender, 147 Cricket Lane, possession drug paraphernalia.

INCIDENTS

Dec. 2: Duke Energy, Shelby, reported larceny of disconnects and leads to capacitor house.

DEC. 2: A resident of Arrowood Drive reported theft of a license plate.

DEC. 3: A resident of Gaston Street reported an attempted break-in and damage to a door.

DEC. 4: A resident of Churchill Drive reported unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.

DEC. 4: A resident of Chesterfield Court reported theft of an automobile license plate.

DEC. 5: Food Lion, Shelby Road, reported that someone pried on a roll-up door attempting to gain

entry to the business.

WRECKS NOV. 13: Officer Chris Tate said that Rodney Odell Carr, 117 Railroad Ave., was backing his 2004 Mercury and his foot slipped off the brake and hit a brick wall at 117 N. Railroad Ave.

Carr said he was trying to avoid a vehicle that was double parked in the spot beside his parking place at the apartments. Property damage was estimated at \$2,000.

NOV. 26: Officer M.D. Butler said that Judith Horne, 106 Lizzie Lane, operating a 2004 Buick, struck a parked 2007 Cadillac owned by Charles F. Davis of Gastonia. The accident happened at Ingles Market. Property damage was estimated at \$1250.

NOV. 26: Officer G.L. McKinney said that an accident on I-85 south involved three drivers who all stated that traffic had slowed for an unrelated accident. John Gouch of Charlotte, operating a 2003 Chevrolet, struck a 2003 Toyota operated by Charles Smith of Mauldin, SC which struck a 2010 Toyota being driven by Randall Rounds of Hickory. Property damages were estimated at \$1300.

DEC. 1: Officer Kyle Bell charged Christopher Dale Adkins, 103 Ironwood Place, with driving while license revoked, reckless driving and hit and run after his 2009 Ford struck a 2008 Chevrolet operated by Amanda Ingram, 103 Ironwood Place on East Gold St. Bell said that Adkins had stopped in the middle of the road and put his vehicle in reverse when the accident occurred. Property damages were estimated at \$3,000.

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