



MINISTER CELEBRATES 30TH ANNIVERSARY—Elder W. J. Thompson, left rear, pastor of the Eastern Star Holiness Church, 729 E. Hargett, Raleigh, celebrated his 30th anniversary in the ministry on Sunday, Nov. 5. It was a day to remember for the entire Thompson family. The Thompsons, who are the parents of nine children, visited the Holy Land in 1975, which kept them there 10 days. Left to right, front row, are: Grandchildren David Thompson, Jr., Nicky and Shelby Thompson. Back row, from left: Elder Thompson, David Thompson, Ms. Michella Thompson, Ms. Renee Thompson, and Sister Geraldine Thompson, wife of the elder. The homecoming program was a complete success.

delivered by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Perkins. His text was taken from St. John 6:66 and he used that verse as his subject.

Visitors are always welcome at Apex First Baptist Church. The gospel and male choruses attended the 40th anniversary program of the St. Augusta Freewill Baptist Church Sunday at 2 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
The Apex First Baptist senior choir will observe its 54th singing anniversary Sunday, Nov. 19 at 8 p.m. Rev. Mendez and choir of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, Wendell, will render the services. The Gospel Travelers will sponsor a program at St. Mary's AME Church Nov. 19 at 2 p.m. The occasion is a fund raising one. Come and support them.

We extend belated birthday greetings to the following: Dr. George C. Debnam, Nov. 5; Mr. Herbert Horton and Mr. Ferman Hunter, Nov. 6; Mr. Lenzie McClamb and Mrs. Estelle M. Atwater, Nov. 13; Mrs. Cora L. Watson, Nov. 12; Mrs. Mozelle B. Brown, Nov. 14; Mrs. Ruth H. Council, Nov. 15; and Mrs. Alma C. Hayes, Nov. 22. We wish all of you a very happy birthday and may God bless each of you and we hope you'll have many more.

Miss Emma Foreman, School Teacher, Buried

Miss Emma E. Foreman, retired public school teacher, died last Monday, Nov. 6, at Wake Medical Center, following a brief illness.

A native of Washington, N. C., for the past several years, she had made her home in Raleigh with her sister, Mrs. Addie F. Harris, 1411 E. Jones Street.

Miss Foreman was a graduate of Livingstone College, Salisbury, and received a Master's Degree from A&T State University, Greensboro.

Her teaching career began in the public school of Craven County. For a long period of time she was employed in the city school systems of Edenton, N. C. before joining the staff of the Washington (N.C.) Elementary School where she served until her retirement.

While living here, Miss Foreman was affiliated with the First Church of God, located on Boyer Street, where she served diligently, using her many talents to benefit those around her spiritually and culturally. However, her services were not limited solely to the church of her choice. She was well-known and admired for her willingness to use her melodious voice in rendering selections for religious, social and civic activities at a variety of places in the city. In addition to her musical ability, she was very effective as a dramatic reader.



MISS EMMA E. FOREMAN

Organizations in which she held memberships included the NRTA Eagles, (Life member) NEA-NCAE Wake County Unit of Retired School Personnel, The National Council of Negro Women (a c t i v e member), Women in Action (volunteer worker), The Third Wednesday Singers', (ARSVP) group, which regularly visits Knollwood Manor Nursing Home. Home.

Besides Mrs. Harris, she is survived by three other sisters: Mrs. Rebecca Woolard of Washington, N. C.; Mrs. Alice Coward, of Washington, N. C.; Mrs. Sarah Greene, Baltimore, Md., several nieces and nephews and many friends.

Funeral services were held Saturday in Washington, N. C., 11:00 a.m. at Metropolitan AME Zion Church. Burial was in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

On Sunday at 11 a.m., at the First Church of God (Raleigh), a very impressive memorial service was held. This service was beautiful in its simplicity and gloriously through the innovation of Pastor N. A. Ford carried on in conjunction with the regular morning worship service.

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BY MRS. MARY WILLIAMS FRIENDSHIP CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

WAKE FOREST — Rev. Leonard Farrar of Raleigh, pastor, was honored Oct. 30-Nov. 6 on his third anniversary with the church. The auxiliary, deacons and trustees were in charge. Rev. J. T. Dunston of Durham was the guest speaker on Tuesday night, with missionaries and the pastor's aid assisting. Rev. Harold Trice and the Elevation Baptist Church members also participated.

On Wednesday night, the auxiliary was in charge with Rev. T. V. Carter of Wilson Temple Church presiding. On Thursday night the senior choir sang. Rev. Theodore McAllister of Smith Temple Church was the main speaker and on Friday night the usher board was in charge with Rev. G. A. Jones, of Wake Chapel Church bringing the message.

On Sunday morning, Rev. Nathaniel Sanders of Raleigh was speaker. All of the choirs of Friendship rendered music with Mrs. Julia Ann Harris at the piano and Ronald Williams at the organ. Donald Hartfield was emcee.

Sunday night Rev. Leonard Farrar was guest speaker at the Olive Branch Baptist Church. The senior choir of

Friendship Church rendered music, with Mrs. Julia Ann Harris at the piano and Ronald Williams at the organ.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
The Old Ship of Zion will be presented at Friendship Chapel Baptist Church on Saturday night, Nov. 11 at 7:30.

The junior choir will celebrate its anniversary on Nov. 18 at 8:30 p.m. and again on Nov. 19 at 3 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

The senior choir will celebrate its 45th anniversary on Nov. 16 at 3 p.m. Rev. G. A. Jones, Jr. of Wake Chapel will be the guest speaker.

Apex

APEX — The Apex First Baptist Church Sunday School began at the usual time with the supt., Mrs. Alberta Cotten, in charge. The lesson was taken from Matt. 12:1-8 and Exodus 20:8-11. The subject was Reverence For the Sabbath.

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