

## **Ada Christine Stewart Beasley**

Dunn Daily Record

09/29/2006

Ada Christine Stewart Beasley, 81, of Ammons Road, Dunn, died Wednesday evening, Sept. 27, 2006, at Magnolia Living Center. She was born Nov. 14, 1924, in Dunn to the late Charles and Ada Parker Stewart. She lived in Dunn most of her life. Mrs. Beasley was a member of Grove Presbyterian Church, where she was active in Circle and she was a member of the Eastern Star.

On May 7, 1943, she married Bruce Edward Beasley, who preceded her in death. She was also preceded in death by a sister, Shirley Stewart Richardson. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Saturday at Grove Presbyterian Church by the Rev. JoAnne Mercer. Burial will follow at Greenwood Cemetery.

Survivors include sons, Bobby Edward Beasley and wife Beth of Greenville, Gary Bithel Beasley and wife Janet of Dunn; grandchildren, John Beasley and wife Jill of Louisville, Ky., Brent Beasley of Cary, Jeffrey Beasley and wife Kendall of Baton Rouge, La., Cynthia Beasley Watkins and husband Michael of Dunn, and Caroline Beasley of Greenville; great-grandchildren, Fisher, Nathan and Calder Beasley of Louisville, Ada Marie Watkins of Dunn and Lily Gray Beasley of Baton Rouge; sisters, Jewel Stewart Allen of Dunn and Dorothy Stewart Crumpler of Atlanta, Ga.; a brother, Charles Stewart and wife Joan of New Bern; sisters-in-law, Margaret Beasley and Edith Beasley; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends tonight from 6 to 8 at Cromartie-Miller & Lee Funeral Home and other times at the home of Gary and Janet Beasley, 567 Ammons Road, Dunn.

## **Allene Stewart Wood**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

June 9, 1995

BENSON -- Mrs. Allene S. Wood, 77, of 3198 Hannah's Creek Road died Wednesday in Johnston Memorial Hospital. She was a member of Banner Chapel Advent Christian Church and was active in the Women's Home & Foreign Mission Society through the church. Mrs. Wood was a homemaker.

The funeral will be conducted at 3 p.m. Saturday in Banner Chapel Advent Christian Church by the Revs. Sam Worley, Ralph Strickland and Wade Massengill. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Wood is survived by her husband, Milburn Wood; a daughter, Frances Gibbs of Benson; a son, Lamar Wood of Portsmouth, R.I.; a sister, Alice Wood of Wade; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home of Benson and other times at the home.

### **Alma Mae Barefoot DeYoung Price Pearson**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
May 30, 2000

Alma Barefoot Pearson, age 91, of Four Oaks died Sunday at Smithfield Manor. Funeral services will be held Wednesday 11 a.m. at Four Oaks United Methodist Church with Rev. Joey Yow officiating. Burial will be in Four Oaks Cemetery. Alma was born in Johnston County on February 2, 1909. She was the daughter of James Bert and Flonnie Mae Stewart Barefoot.

Alma is survived by son and wife Larry DeYoung, Jr. and Ruth of Roxboro, NC; brothers, Roland Barefoot of Four Oaks, Wilson Barefoot of Canton, NC, Charlie Barefoot of Clayton, NC; grandsons, Vincent DeYoung of Roxboro, NC and John DeYoung of Butner, NC; two grandchildren; three step-grandchildren, seven step-great-grandchildren; one step-great-great-grandchild.

Mrs. Pearson graduated from Four Oaks High School; Baltimore General Hospital in 1939 with a Registered Nurse Degree. She worked for Dr. Upchurch in Smithfield and did private duty in Old Smithfield Hospital and in homes, worked as a Johnston Co. Health Nurse for approximately 14 years.

Mrs. Pearson was preceded in death by step-son Don A. Price formerly of Snellville, GA. Memorial gifts to Four Oaks UM Church c/o Sarah Barber P.O. Box 1336, Four Oaks, NC or Four Oaks Senior Citizens Center. Family at Minshew Funeral Home Tuesday from 7 to 9 p.m.

### **Alvie Pearl Stewart Simmons**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
March 16, 1999

Alvie Stewart Simmons, 68, died Sunday, March 14, 1999 at Cape Fear Valley Medical Center. Mrs. Simmons was a registered nurse, she was owner of Cross Creek Exams. She was a charter member of Village Baptist Church and a volunteer at the Care Clinic.

She was predeceased by her husband of 37 years, William Belvin Simmons, Sr. Funeral 1 p.m. Wednesday, March 17, 1999 at Village Baptist Church with Dr. Bruce Martin and Rev. Mack Roberts officiating. Burial, LaFayette Memorial Park.

Surviving: daughter, Kathy Simmons Block of Raleigh; sons, Rev. Steven G. Simmons of Kalamazoo, MI, William B. Simmons, Jr. of Greensboro; brother, Nathan W. Stewart of Raleigh;

grandchildren, Katie Simmons, Betsy Simmons, Jenny Simmons, Lorrie Simmons, Hadley Simmons, Lauren Block, Cam Simmons, Ryan Block, Gregg Simmons and John Simmons.

Visitation 7-9 p.m. Tuesday at Jernigan-Warren Funeral Home. Memorials: Volunteers of Mission Fund for Venezuela Mission Trip c/o Village Baptist Church, McPherson Church Rd., Fayetteville, NC.

### **Alzula Stephenson Stewart Johnson**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

May 18, 1997

BENSON -- Mrs. Alzula Stewart Johnson, 93, of 2693 Benson-Hardee Road died Saturday. She was a homemaker and a member of Ebenezer Presbyterian Church. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in Ebenezer Presbyterian Church by the Revs. Warren Bock and Carl Dixon. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Johnson is survived by two daughters, Katherine S. Wassermann and Betty S. Denning, both of Benson; two sisters, Emojean S. Green of Benson and Joyce S. Cotton of Fuquay-Varina; five grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home and at other times at the home.

### **Anna Ruth Strickland Stewart**

The Smithfield Herald

12/20/2005

Anna Ruth Strickland Stewart, 91, of Four Oaks died Sunday, Dec. 18. Mrs. Stewart was the widow of Carlis Calvin Stewart. She was a member of the Goldsboro Seventh-Day Adventist Church for almost 50 years. A memorial service will be held at 7:30 p.m. today (Tuesday) at Minshew Funeral Home in Four Oaks. A graveside service will be held at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday in Hills of the Neuse Memory Gardens near Smithfield.

Surviving are a son, Danny Stewart of Raleigh; a daughter, Sylvia Gregory of North Fort Meyers, Fla.; two sisters, Camilla Carter of Atlanta, Ga., and Belle Beasley of Moncks Corner, S.C.; two brothers, Pete Strickland of Charleston, S.C., and Waldo Strickland of Robbinsville; five grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 6 till 7:30 p.m. today at the funeral home. The family suggests memorial contributions to the Building Fund at Goldsboro Seventh-Day Adventist Church, P.O. Box 271, Goldsboro, N.C. 27533.

### **Annie Jean Partin Stewart**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
January 19, 2000

COATS -- Mrs. Jean Partin Stewart, 67, of 217 E. Main St. died Monday in her home. Mrs. Stewart was a store manager for Short Stop Inc. before retiring. She was a member of Coats United Methodist Church and was a homemaker. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday in Coats United Methodist Church by the Rev. Tommy Smith. Burial will be in Lakeside Memorial Gardens in Angier.

Mrs. Stewart is survived by a daughter, Vickie S. Johnson of Coats; two sons, Davy Stewart and Nicky Stewart, both of Coats; a sister, Peggy Partin of Ashe County; and four grandsons.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to Coats United Methodist Church fellowship hall fund, P.O. Box 388, Coats, N.C. 27521.

### **Annie Pauline Ivey McLamb**

Dunn Daily Record  
8/4/2005

Annie Pauline Ivey McLamb, 64, of 600 Canal Drive, Dunn, died Wednesday morning, Aug. 3, 2005, at Wake Medical Center in Raleigh. Mrs. McLamb, a Harnett County native, was born Dec. 24, 1940, to the late Eldridge and Volena Stewart Ivey.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Sharon Lynette Daughtry; a son, Donald Daughtry; and a grandson, Daniel Nelson. She was retired from Burlington Industries in Erwin. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Friday at Sansom Community Church by the Rev. Jerome Pope and David Morrison. Burial will follow at Greenwood Cemetery.

Survivors include daughters, Sylvia Miller and husband Teddy of Dunn, Jenny Nelson and husband Roger of Bethel; a son, Martin Lee Register Jr. and wife Kim of Dunn; brothers, Robert Ivey and wife Betty, Linwood Ivey and wife Brenda, all of Dunn; sisters, Grace Langdon, Velma Ivey, Willadean Bullard and husband Frank, Lena Ruth Edwards and husband James, all of Dunn, and Doris Moore of Wade; and grandchildren, Justin Miller, Amanda Miller, Amberly Register, Wesley Nelson, Lizzie Nelson and Kally Nelson.

The family will receive friends Friday from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. prior to the service at Sansom Community Church and other times at the home of Sylvia and Teddy Miller, 1605 Brunswick Drive, Dunn. Memorials may be made to Sansom Community Church Building Fund, 2896 Arrowhead Road, Dunn, N.C. 28334; or to the Daniel Dayz Fund, P.O. Box 32, Bethel, N.C. 27812. A service of Cromartie-Miller & Lee Funerals and Cremations.

## **Audrey Lamm Stewart**

Dunn Daily Record

4/25/2005

Audrey Lamm Stewart, 77, of 73 S. Turner Circle, Coats, died Saturday at her home. She was born Nov. 23, 1927, in Harnett County to the late Onnie Griffin and Mattie Irma Denton Lamm. She was preceded in death by her husband, Theron Laverne Stewart; and brothers, Dick Lamm and J.D. Lamm.

Mrs. Stewart was the owner and operator of The Kitchen restaurant in Coats and was a member of Coats Baptist Church. Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. today at Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel in Coats by the Rev. Jesse Mooney. Burial will follow at Coats Cemetery.

Survivors include sons, Daniel Boyd Stewart of Coats, Stephen Griffin Stewart of Benson, Douglas Clay Stewart and wife Angela of Angier; sisters, Ann L. Beasley of Coats and Doris L. Guy of Raleigh; brothers, Russell Lamm of Coats and Hobert Lamm of Fuquay-Varina; and grandchildren, Daniel Laverne Stewart of Coats and Stephanie Mease of Fayetteville.

Memorials may be made to Coats Baptist Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 297, Coats, N.C. 27521.

## **Avie Stewart Lewis**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

05/22/2007

Ms. Avie Stewart Lewis, 92, of Spring Lake, died Monday, May 21, 2007 at her residence. Ms. Lewis was born in Harnett County, NC. She is preceded in death by her parents, Willie Franklin Stewart and Avie Florence Parrish Stewart; and her husband, Julius Watson "J.W." Lewis.

The funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 23, 2007, at Adcock Funeral Home Chapel in Spring Lake with the Rev. Wayne Schlink officiating. Interment will follow at Lakeside Memorial Gardens in Harnett County, NC.

She is survived by two daughters, Shirley L. Rouse of Alexandria, VA, and Vickie L. Sell of Raleigh; a son, Stuart W. Lewis of Spring Lake; a sister, Lottie Mae Creech; a brother, Elton Stewart; seven grandchildren, Randy L. Rouse, Barry W. Lewis, Gary W. Rouse, Mona L. Brown, Amy E. MacKenzie, Tracy D. Sell, and Haley C. Sell. She is also survived by four great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 22, 2007 at Adcock Funeral Home, Spring Lake.

### **Bessie Mae Stewart Parker**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

March 12, 2002

Mrs. Bessie Mae Stewart Parker, 89, of 880 Neighbors Rd., Dunn, died Monday, March 11, 2002 at her home. Mrs. Parker was born June 22, 1912 in Harnett Co. daughter of the late Sidney and Ida Mae Denton Stewart and her husbands were the late Archie Newitt Norris, Sr. and Thurman Allen Parker.

She was a member of Leslie United Methodist Church. Funeral service will be held 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Cromartie Miller & Lee Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. George Williford and Rev. Amos Laine officiating. Burial will follow at the church cemetery.

Surviving: sons, Raeford Cleo Norris and wife, Julia of Halifax, Archie O. Norris and wife, Barbara of Rehoboth, MA, Delma Norris and wife, June, Archie Newitt (Dee) Norris Jr. and wife, Jean, all of Sanford, Donnie Parker and wife, Linda of Benson, Curtis Parker and wife, Frances of Sanford, Ronnie Parker and wife, Vicky of Dunn; daughters, Sandra Hobbs of Willow Springs, Gloria McLamb and husband, Robert of Garner, Donnie Moore Benson, Joan Bacon and husband, Bill; sisters, Lucille Stone of Sanford, Alice West of Spring Lake; 31 grandchildren; 37 great- grandchildren; two great-great- grandchildren.

The family will receive friends and family from 7-9 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home and other times at the home.

### **Bessie Stewart Langdon**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

August 9, 2000

Mrs. Bessie Stewart Langdon of 12669 N.C. 210 Benson died Monday at Smithfield Manor. Mrs. Langdon was born on May 7, 1914 to Luther D. and Macke Barefoot Stewart. Funeral services will be Thursday 11 a.m. at St. Mary's FWB Church with Rev. Aubry Williamson officiating. Burial will follow in Sunset Memorial Park, Smithfield.

Surviving: step-daughter, Loleta Matthews of Smithfield; sisters, Hazel Stewart Hayes of Four Oaks; Ila Stewart Wrenn of Manning, SC, Edna Stewart Dresen of Wilmington, step-grandchildren, T. Mitchell Langdon of Chrean, SC, R. Keith Langdon, Tim Langdon, and Pamela Langdon Sorrell, all of Angier Thomas Franklin Matthews of Benson; several great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the Cancer Society, Johnston Co. Unit. American Cancer Society, Johnston Co. Unit, 116 South 4th St., Smithfield, NC 27577. Visitation for Mrs. Langdon will be at Minshew Funeral Home Wednesday from 7-9 p.m.

### **Brazilla Stewart Stewart**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
January 17, 1998

BENSON -- Mrs. Brazilla S. Stewart, 77, of Route 7, Box 397-A, died Thursday in her home. She was a homemaker. The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. today in Hodges Chapel Pentecostal Free Will Baptist Church by the Revs. Robert O. Hutson and Curtiss Tatum. Burial will be in the church cemetery. Arrangements are being handled by Rose & Graham Funeral Home.

Mrs. Stewart is survived by two daughters, Judy S. Lee of Four Oaks and Norma J. Barefoot of Dunn; a son, Billy O. Stewart of Benson; and five grandchildren.

The family will receive friends at the home.

### **Brookie Jane Stewart**

Herald-Sun, The (Durham, NC)  
January 5, 2003

Miss Brookie Jane Stewart, 96, of Dunn, died Saturday at IHS. The Harnett County native was a daughter of the late Gustave M. and Cora Turlington. Miss Stewart attended Duke University and taught school in Harnett County for five years. She spent 29-1/2 years as railroad clerk and station agent for the Durham-Southern Railroad, serving Dunn, Erwin, Angier, and Fuquay.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in Skinner Funeral Home Chapel, with Elder C.B. Davis Jr. and Elder Cleo Robertson officiating. Burial will be in Coats City Cemetery.

Surviving are a sister-in-law, Mary Stewart of Erwin; two nieces, Carol Sizemore of Erwin and Marcia Norris of Raleigh; great-nephews, Jerry Norris Jr. and Skip Sizemore; great-nieces, Allison Fox and Hayley Sizemore; great-great-niece, Holly Fox; and great-great-nephews, Rupert Sizemore, Jerry Norris III, William Norris, Spencer Fox, and Nicholas Fox.

The family will receive friends from 12 until 2 Monday at Skinner Funeral Home.

### **Callie Belle Lee Stewart**

Dunn Daily Record  
04/26/2005

Callie Belle Lee Stewart, 86, of Rose Dairy Road, Four Oaks, died Monday morning at Johnston Memorial Hospital. She was a homemaker. She was born Sept. 15, 1918, in Johnston County to the late Daniel and Martha A. Lee.

Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. Wednesday at Minshew Funeral Home Chapel by the Revs. Freddie Langston and Glenn McCullen. Burial will be at Hills of the Neuse Memory Gardens in Smithfield.

Survivors include a daughter, Jean Edwards and husband Wayne of Four Oaks; a foster son, Lauston Beasley and wife Ann of Four Oaks; grandchildren, John Adams and wife Cindy of Benson, Stewart Adams and Jennifer Jones of China Grove; and a great-grandchild, Lance Adams.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Minshew Funeral Home.

### **Callie Katherine Stewart Alphin**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
June 5, 2001

FUQUAY-VARINA - Callie Stewart Alphin, 87, died Monday, June 4 2001. Funeral service Wednesday, June 6 at 11:00 a.m. at Thomas Funeral Home Chapel. Burial, Greenwood Cemetery, Dunn. Mrs. Alphin was preceded in death by her husband, Velton Alphin.

Surviving: daughter, Jane Alphin Talley and husband, Arthur Ray Talley of Fuquay-Varina; stepsons Jack Alphin and Don Alphin, both of Florida; sister, Reba Tilley of Fuquay-Varina; grandchildren, Wendy Talley Gaskins, Harriett Talley Lacey and husband Tom, and Mary Katherine Talley.

The family will receive friends on Tuesday, June 5 from 7 to 9 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to the Fuquay-Varina Baptist Church Building Fund, 301 North Woodrow Street, Fuquay-Varina, NC 27526.

### **Charity Lois Stewart Pleasant**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
March 30, 1995

DUNN -- Mrs. Lois Stewart Pleasant, 78, of Route 3 died Wednesday in Good Hope Hospital. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Friday in Skinner Funeral Home chapel. Burial will be in Devotional Gardens.

Mrs. Pleasant is survived by a daughter, Peggy J. Pleasant of Mosheim, Tenn.; three sons, Othel Pleasant and Harold Pleasant, both of Raleigh, and Jimmy Pleasant of Dunn; two sisters, Oma Turlington of Coats and Dorothy Deets of Mechanicville, N.Y.; three brothers, Edwin E. Stewart of Fredericksburg, Va., Joseph W. Stewart of Jacksonville and Joseph G. Stewart of Havelock; 12 grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.



The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home.

### **Charlie Wilburn Jackson**

Dunn Daily Record  
9/24/2002

Charlie Wilburn Jackson, 80, of 988 Dobbersville Road, Goldsboro, died Monday at Wayne Memorial Hospital. A native of Henderson, he was the son of the late Charlie Wilson Jackson and Lillie Norris Jackson. He was a retired social worker with the State of Massachusetts.

Mr. Jackson served in the Fourth Infantry Division 20th Field Artillery of the U.S. Army during World War II. He was a member of the Veteran of Foreign Wars, the American Legion and the Disabled American Veterans. He was a member of Falling Creek Baptist Church. Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Falling Creek Baptist Church by the Revs. Ron Varner and Eugene Warrick. Burial will follow in the Williams Family Cemetery in Coats.

Survivors include his wife, Grace Stewart Jackson; daughters, Janice Jackson White of Sioux City, Iowa, and Dorothy Lonergan of Bridgewater, Mass.; sons, Warren Jackson of Topsail Island, Johnnie Jackson of Greenville and Martin Jackson of Dudley; sisters, Jessie Marshall of Raleigh and Harriett Gupton of Henderson; brothers, Fred Jackson of Henderson and Leslie Jackson of Hampstead; 16 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; a sister-in-law, Ruby Stewart of Erwin; and a brother-in-law, Milton Hobson of Burlington.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Seymour Funeral Home and other times at the home.

### **Christine Capps Stewart**

Dunn Daily Record  
03/19/2007

Christine Capps Stewart, 89, of Southern Pines died Friday, March 16, 2007, at St. Joseph Health Care in Southern Pines. She was born in Johnston County to the late Alton and Clydia Strickland Capps. She was employed by the U.S. government and served in many capacities. Funeral services will be held 1 p.m. today at Powell Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Rod Stone. Burial will be at Banners Chapel Cemetery in Benson.

Survivors include nieces, Emma H. Hudson of Dunn and Shirley Wooten of Macclesfield; a nephew, Larry Capps of Manorville, Wash.; and several great-nieces and great-nephews.

Arrangements by Powell Funeral Home in Southern Pines.

## **Clayton Stewart**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

June 10, 2001

COATS -- Clayton Stewart, 84, of 1188 Delma Grimes Road, died Friday in Good Hope Hospital in Erwin. Mr. Stewart was an Army veteran of World War II. He was a post commander and dance chairman for the American Legion Banner Post 109 for seven years. Mr. Stewart was a farmer and a carpenter.

The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in Rose & Graham Funeral Home chapel in Coats by the Rev. Jesse Mooney. Entombment will be in Devotional Gardens in Dunn.

Mr. Stewart is survived by his wife, Annie Ruth P. Stewart; two sisters, Avie S. Lewis of Fayetteville and Lottie Mae S. Creech of Benson; a brother, Elton Stewart of Coats; and several nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the charity of one's choice.

## **Coleman W. Bayles**

Virginian-Pilot, The (Norfolk, VA)

June 28, 1995

Coleman W. Bayles, 83, of the 200 block of Rainbow Lane, a retired civil service employee, died June 26, 1995, in Chesapeake General Hospital. Mr. Bayles was born in Coats, N.C., and was retired from the Naval Operations Base after 30 years. He was Christian by faith and was the widower of Mary F. Upchurch Bayles, who preceded him in death in 1987.

Survivors include two daughters, Jean Amspacher of Chesapeake and Marsha Harriman of Hertford, N.C.; a sister, Thetis McDuffie of Red Springs, N.C.; a grandchild, Ronald "Andy" Andrews Jr. of Richmond, Va.; and three stepgrandchildren.

A funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday in Greenwood Cemetery in Dunn, N.C. Altmeyer Funeral Home is handling arrangements. Memorial contributions may be made to the Chesapeake Rescue Squad.

## **Coy Lee McLamb**

Rose & Graham Funeral Home Notice

11/22/2006

Rev. Coy Lee McLamb, age 67, of 3001 Benson Road died Tuesday at his residence. Funeral Services will be 2:00PM Friday at Rose & Graham Funeral Chapel, Benson. Officiating will be Revs. Emerson Woodall and Jimmy Layton. Burial will follow in Banner Chapel Church Cemetery in Benson.

Rev. McLamb was born to the late J. Pearson and Eula Mae Stewart McLamb on January 14, 1939 in Johnston County. He was a retired vinyl installer and was a member of Turner Memorial Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon. Rev. McLamb served as Boy Scout Master for 7 years with Troop 351 in Garner. Rev. McLamb was the founder and manager for two years for the "Four In Spirit Quartet", then was the founder and manger of "The Proclaimers Quartet" for the last 27 years where he sang baritone for both groups.

Survivors include, Wife, Nancy "Mable" McLamb; Daughter and Son-In-Law, Connie M. and Bobby Bowden of Angier; Son and Daughter-In-Law, Rickey McCoy and Janice McLamb of Benson; Sisters, Elsie West of Coats, Shirley Partin of Angier, Arlette McNeal of Lillington, Carolyn Stewart of Franklinville, Bonnie Norris of Falcon, Belvia Blanks of Henderson, Odessa Dixon of Wilmington, and Vera Hawley of Spring Hope; and Brother, Clark McLamb of Benson. Granddaughter, Jennifer McLaughlin of Garner, Expected Grandson ArthurPearson McCoy McLamb, and a Great-Grandson, Corbin McLaughlin of Garner.

The family will receive friends at Rose & Graham Funeral Home, Benson, from 6:00PM to 9:00PM Thursday and other times at the home.

## **Coy Robert Franklin**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

February 13, 1997

Robert "Bobby" Franklin, 65, of Lillington died Wednesday in Good Hope Hospital in Erwin. He was a member of the Angier Masonic Lodge, Pleasant Memory Baptist Church and the Benson American Legion Post 109.

The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Friday in Pleasant Memory Baptist Church by the Revs. Stancil Baucom and Chris Wroten. Burial with Masonic rites will be in the Harnett Memorial Park cemetery.

Mr. Franklin is survived by his wife, Ramona S. Franklin of the home; a daughter, Dawn Collins of Angier; a stepson, Jimmy Gregory of Benson; five sisters, Lucy F. Wilburn of Lillington, Florine F. Lloyd of Coats, Elizabeth F. Collins of Angier, Sue F. Peele of Asheville and Alice F. Campbell of Charlotte; and five grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at O'Quinn-Peebles Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to Pleasant Memory Baptist Church, Route 1, Coats, N.C. 27521.

### **David Marshall Barefoot**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
December 4, 1998

David Marshall Barefoot, 81, of 1560 Elevation Rd., died Thursday of declining health at home. He was a farmer and was born in Johnston County on Aug. 23, 1917 to the late Bert Barefoot and Flonnie Mae Stewart Barefoot. Graveside service 2 p.m. Saturday at Four Oaks Cemetery.

Surviving: wife, Rozelle Wise Barefoot; son, David Marshall Barefoot Jr. and wife, Billie Byrd Barefoot; brothers, Wilson Barefoot of Canton, Charlie Barefoot of Garner, Roland Barefoot of Four Oaks; sisters, Mrs. Alma Pearson of Four Oaks, Rena Denning of Benson; grandchildren, David Marshall Barefoot III and wife Debbie of McGee's Crossroads, Kelly Barefoot and wife Heidi of Cary; one greatgrandchild, Taylor Barefoot.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Johnston County, P.O. Box 1524, Smithfield, NC 27577 or to Burnell Baptist Church 3220 Old School Rd., Four Oaks, NC. Family at Minshew Funeral Home 7-9 p.m. Friday.

### **Dermar Wilbern Stephenson**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
August 30, 2001

ANGIER - Mr. Dermal Wilbern Stephenson, 86, of 778 Massengill Pond Road, died Tuesday at the Laurels of Forrest Glenn in Garner. Funeral service will be Friday at 11 a.m. at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church. Officiating will be Revs. Stephen Morris and Elliot Hill. Burial will follow in Devotional Gardens Dunn.

Mr. Stephenson was a native of Johnston County, born June 10, 1915 to the late James Pearin and Lena Harriett Stewart Stephenson. He was a retired farmer and timber cruiser. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Clara Wilkins Stephenson and two sons, Wilson W. Stephenson and J. Wayne Stephenson. He was a member of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church.

Surviving: wife, Grace K. Stephenson; five grandchildren, James W. Stephenson, Becky A. Stephenson, Carol L. Stephenson, Timothy F. Stephenson and Sue S. Noles; three great-grandchildren, Braxton Stephenson, Kaven Stephenson and Alexandria Noles; stepson, Glen Gardner of Garner; stepdaughter, Carolyn Johnson of West Palm Beach FL; brother, Lenzy P. Stephenson of Angier; two step-grandchildren, Anthony Johnson and Renee Ake; and step-great-grandchild, Samuel Johnson.

The family will be at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson from 7-9 p.m. Thursday and at his home at other times.

### **Doris Grey Ferrell Stewart**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
January 14, 2000

Mrs. Doris F. Stewart, 75, of Buies Creek died Thursday in her home. A graveside service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday in Buies Creek Cemetery by Drs. Michael Simmons and John Rogers.

Mrs. Stewart is survived by a son, Tommy Stewart of Buies Creek; three sisters, Jean Poe of Durham, Laura Bunn of Rocky Mount and Clara Brown-Page of Buies Creek; a brother, Jimmy Ferrell of Buies Creek; and a granddaughter.

The family will receive friends tonight from 6 to 8 at O'Quinn-Peebles Funeral Home in Lillington and at other times at the home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice of Harnett County, P.O. Box 373, Erwin, N.C. 28339.

### **Edna Elsie Stewart Hawley**

Dunn Daily Record  
07/26/2006

Edna Elsie Stewart Hawley, 82, of Dunn died Tuesday, July 25, 2006, at Betsy Johnson Regional Hospital after a long illness. She was born Aug. 21, 1923 in Coats to the late Ross and Elsie Stewart. She was the fifth of 10 children. She was preceded in death by her husband, Alenzo Hawley; five brothers; and one sister. She graduated from Coats Union High School.

She was married to Mr. Hawley on Dec. 22, 1945. She worked at Erwin Mills before committing full time to raising her children and then helped operate a furniture store along with her husband. Mrs. Hawley was a resident of Dunn for more than 50 years and was a fixture in the First Presbyterian Church. She was an active member of the American Legion Ladies Auxiliary, Ladies Auxiliary Veterans of Foreign Wars-Lee-Parnell Post and two-time Worthy Matron of the Dunn Chapter No. 59 of the North Carolina Order of the Eastern Star. Her volunteer activities included leading a Girl Scouts troop, organizing and delivering Meals on Wheels and working in the gift shop at Betsy Johnson Regional Hospital.

Funeral services will be held 3 p.m. Thursday at First Presbyterian Church in Dunn by the Rev. David Sherrod, followed by graveside services at Devotional Gardens.

Survivors include sons, Charles Hawley and wife Margaret Ann, Donald Hawley and wife Wilma; a daughter, Lynn Johnson and husband Jerry; brothers, R.L. Stewart and wife Margaret, Earl Stewart and wife Susie; a sister, Dorothy Norris; granddaughters, Alicia Hawley Rich and Nina E. Hawley; and four step-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Skinner & Smith Funeral Home.

### **Ernest Molton Barefoot, Sr.**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

July 22, 1999

ERWIN -- Ernest M. Barefoot Sr., 82, of 300 N. 12th St. died Tuesday in Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Fayetteville. The funeral will be conducted at 3 p.m. Friday in Price Funeral Home chapel by the Revs. Jerome Pope and Wesley Hamilton. Burial will be in Erwin Memorial Park.

Mr. Barefoot is survived by his wife, Cathleen M. Barefoot of the home; two sons, Rex A. Barefoot Sr. of Linden and E.M. Barefoot Jr. of Erwin; two brothers, Garland Barefoot and Eldridge Barefoot, both of Spring Lake; three sisters, Elizabeth Harrell of Spring Lake and Lenora Sharpe and Genava Massingill, both of Raleigh; nine grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home.

### **Ernis Harmon Langdon**

Rose & Graham Funeral Home Notice

12/09/2007

Mr. Ernis Harmon Langdon, 84, of 1755 Langdon Rd in Angier died December 8, 2007 at his residence. Funeral Services will be 2:00PM Monday at Rose & Graham Chapel. Officiating will be Rev. Stancil Baucom. Burial will follow in Lakeside Memorial Gardens in Angier.

Mr. Langdon was born March 17, 1923 in Johnston County to the late Ellis and Bessie Stewart Langdon. Mr. Langdon was a retired auto parts salesman, a furniture salesman with Johnson Furniture Co. and a farmer.

Survivors include, Wife, Ina Stewart Langdon; Daughters & Son-In-Law, Sylvia L. Phillips of Coats, JoAnn and Freddie Reynolds of Angier, Gloria L. and Joe Lee of Angier, Janice L. and Dwight Parrish of Angier; Son and Daughter-In-Law, Ellis H. and Linda Langdon of Benson; Brother, Roy Stewart Langdon of Fayetteville; 9 Grandchildren; 10 Great-Grandchildren.

Family will receive friends 12:30PM to 1:30PM Monday at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats.

### **Flonnie Stewart Stevens**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
September 23, 1998

Mrs. Flonnie Stewart Stevens, 100, of Coats died Tuesday in Britthaven of Harnett County in Dunn. The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday in Rose & Graham Funeral Home chapel by the Rev. Ronnie Byrd. Burial will be in the Williams family cemetery.

Mrs. Stevens is survived by a daughter, Vergie Taylor of Coats; two sons, Earl Stevens of Coats and Carlie Stevens of Angier; 20 grandchildren; 37 great-grandchildren; and 30 great-great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home.

### **Garland Grant Barefoot**

Dunn Daily Record  
03/12/2008

Garland Grant Barefoot, 87, of Spring Lake died Tuesday, March 11, 2008, at Cape Fear Valley Medical Center in Fayetteville. He was a veteran of World War II. He was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Raynor Barefoot; and brothers, Martin B. Barefoot and Ernest M. Barefoot. Funeral services will be held 3 p.m. Thursday at Adcock Funeral Home Chapel by Elder Ray King. Burial will follow at Devotional Gardens in Dunn.

Survivors include sons, Durwood Grant Barefoot and wife Peggy Ann, Benny Green Barefoot and wife Peggy Sue; daughters, Shirley Faye Lee, Patsy Ann West and husband Dallas, Carolyn Sue Warren and husband Charles; a brother, Eldridge R. Barefoot; sisters, Elizabeth Harrell, Geneva Massengill and Lenora Sharp; 10 grandchildren; four stepgrandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 6 to 8 at the funeral home and other times at the home of Durwood and Peggy Barefoot.

### **George Colon Beasley**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

February 22, 1999

SHELBY — George C. Beasley, 82, of 101 Perry St., formerly of Garland, died Sunday in Cleveland Memorial Hospital. The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Friendship Baptist Church by the Revs. Mark L. Forrester and Fred Pleasant. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Mr. Beasley is survived by his wife, Mary S. Beasley; a daughter, Nicole Nettle of Merritt Island, Fla.; two sons, George Beasley Jr. of Florence, S.C., and Larry G. Beasley of Shelby; a sister, Neva Melvin of Garland; a brother, Alton Beasley of Fayetteville; five grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Carter Funeral Home.

### **George Stewart Ralph**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

February 9, 1996

WILMINGTON -- George Stewart Ralph, 70, formerly of Erwin, died Feb. 2 in the Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Fayetteville. A graveside service will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Antioch Baptist Church cemetery in Mamers by the Rev. Frank Neville. A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday in St. Stephens Episcopal Church in Erwin by Father Tom Taylor.

Mr. Ralph is survived by two sisters, Margaret Fortune of Greensboro and Sarah Croom of Columbus, Ga.

### **Gladys Odell Clifton Stewart**

Dunn Daily Record

12/07/2007

Gladys Clifton Stewart, 75, of 106 Hall St., Benson, died Thursday, Dec. 6, 2007, at her home. She was born April 20, 1932, in Johnston County. She was a retired pediatric nurse at Johnston Memorial Hospital in Smithfield and was a member of Benson PFWB Church.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William Charles Stewart; and her father, Eppie Netus Clifton. Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. Saturday at Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel by the Rev. Glenn McCullen. Private burial will be at Benson City Cemetery.



Survivors include her mother, Elizabeth Byrd Clifton Williford; daughters, Jean Stewart Hudson and husband Roger of Benson, Patricia Charlene Stewart of Raleigh; son, Joseph Rollins Stewart and wife Marilyn of Clayton; sister, Hettie Mae Ennis of Coats; and grandchildren, Joseph Rollins Stewart II, Nathan Henry Stancil and Nicholas Brian Stancil.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson.

### **Harold Edwin Penny**

Dunn Daily Record  
November 25, 2002

Harold Edwin Penny, 82, of 8197-B N.C. 50 North, Angier, died Friday at Johnston Memorial Hospital in Smithfield. Mr. Penny was born Dec. 22, 1919, in Johnston County to the late Archie and Ruth Stewart Penny. He was preceded in death by a son, Timothy Martin Penny; and stepmother, Rosa E. Penny.

Mr. Penny was a member of Johnson Memorial Church and was a farmer. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He was a member of the American Legion Banner Post 109 where he served as commander and in many other capacities. Mr. Penny was also a member of VFW and the 40&8 Club. He served on the Johnston County Veteran's Council.

Funeral services were held Sunday at 2 p.m. at Johnson Memorial Church by the Rev. Murray King and Brother Mack Fowler. Burial followed in Roselawn Cemetery in Benson.

Survivors include his wife, Leona Clifton Penny; daughters, Jamone P. Johnson and husband Ray of Angier and Kimberly P. Smodie and husband Bill of Fuquay-Varina; a son, David Harold Penny and wife Pat of Benson; a sister, Annie Ruth Stewart of Coats; grandchildren, Davey Penny and Keri Leigh Penny; nephew and niece, Andy Mack Penny and Carolyn P. Messer.

The family suggests memorials be made to Johnson Memorial Church, 8280 N.C. 50 North, Angier, N.C. 27501; or to the Johnston County Unit of American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 1544, Smithfield, N.C. 27577. A service of Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson.

### **Hattie Lou Ennis Barnes**

Dunn Daily Record  
01/06/2006

Hattie Ennis Barnes, 97, of Lillington died Wednesday, Jan. 4, 2006, at her home. She was born in Coats to the late John Haywood and Nancy Emily Stewart Ennis on July 6, 1908. She was preceded in death by her husband, William Isley Barnes in 1965; and brothers, Zalmon Ennis and John G. Ennis.

She was a public health nurse for Harnett County for 25 years and a member of Lillington Presbyterian Church for 56 years. A dedicated Circle Member and Sunday school teacher, Mrs. Barnes was presented with an honorary lifetime membership by the women of the church. She was also an active long-standing member of the Harnett County Democratic Party as well as a charter member of the Lillington Business and Professional Women's Club.

A graveside service will be held 1:30 p.m. Saturday at Westview Memorial Gardens in Lillington. A funeral service will follow at 2:30 p.m. at Lillington Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Dr. William Goodnight. The family will receive friends at her home and after the service in the church fellowship hall.

Survivors include a daughter, Carma Lou Baggett of Lillington; sisters, Nan Tew of Godwin and Ruby Maynard of Raleigh; a sister-in-law, Marjorie Ennis of Rose Hill; grandsons, Chris Baggett and wife Karen of Morehead City, Robert Baggett and wife Kristy of Johnson City, Tenn., and Neal Baggett of Bozeman, Mont.; great-grandchildren, C.J. Baggett, Brad Baggett, Isley Baggett, Zeb Baggett and Isabelle Baggett; and many nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to Lillington Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 345, Lillington, NC 27546. A service of O'Quinn-Peebles Funeral Home.

### **Hugh Clifton Talton**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
August 23, 2003

SMITHFIELD -- Hugh Clifton Talton, age 83, of 804 Crescent Drive died Friday. He was a native of Johnston County, a son of the late Ralph and Laura Turnage Talton. He was involved with operations for the Town of Smithfield for 43 years. His terms of service include Mayor, Fire Chief, Town Councilman and Town Manager. Besides that he operated a grocery store on Third Street in Downtown Smithfield for 30 years. Following his retirement as Town Manager he worked as Director of Operations for the Reedy Club golf course for 15 years. He was a Past President of the Kiwanis Club of Smithfield and was an active member of Centenary United Methodist Church where he held numerous offices including Trustee.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2 p.m. at Centenary United Methodist Church conducted by Rev. Robert Flynn and Dr. Bruce Taylor. Interment will follow in Knollwood Memorial Park.

Surviving, wife, Catherine Stewart Talton; a son, Hugh C. Talton, Jr. of Beaufort.

Memorials may be made to The Emergency Relief Fund of Centenary United Methodist Church, 140 East Market Street, Smithfield, NC 27577 or The Building Fund of Ann Street, United Methodist Church 417 Ann Street Beaufort, NC 28516. The family will receive friends at Underwood Funeral Home Saturday from 6 to 8 p.m.

## **J. Thaltion Mclamb**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

March 9, 1998

BENSON -- J. Thaltion "Knotty" McLamb, 68, of 1193 Byrdtown Road died Sunday in his home. He was a farmer. The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Rose & Graham Funeral Home chapel by the Rev. Russ Spencer. Burial will be in Roselawn Cemetery.

Mr. McLamb is survived by his wife, Mary W. McLamb; four sons, Jerome McLamb of Four Oaks, and Michael McLamb, David W. McLamb and Marty McLamb, all of Benson; two brothers, Coy McLamb of Garner and Clark V. McLamb of Benson; nine sisters, Alleen Byrd of Dunn, Odessa Coward of Wilmington, Bonnie Byrd of Godwin, Belvia Blanks of Henderson, Vera Hawley of Spring Lake, Arlette McNeill of Lillington, Shirley Partin of Angier, Carolyn Stewart of Franklinville and Elsie West of Coats; and seven grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home and at other times at the home.

## **James Alvin Capps**

Dunn Daily Record

09/12/2007

James Alvin "Bill" Capps Sr., 82, of Fayetteville died Monday, Sept. 10, 2007. He was a member and choir member of Mount Carmel Church, worked with Burlington Industries for 25 years and retired from Purolator after 15 years of service. Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. Thursday at Mount Carmel Church by the Revs. Gary Strickland and Wiley Hughes. Burial will follow at LaFayette Memorial Park on Ramsey Street.

Survivors include his wife of 61 years, Annie Laura Capps; daughters, Betty Sweat of Fayetteville, Jean Renaut and husband Bud of Mechanicsburg, Pa.; a son, Jimmy Capps Jr. and wife Lisa of Hope Mills; a brother, Garland Capps of Hope Mills; a sister, Mary Turlington and husband Robert of Coats; grandchildren, Ed Tyrrell, Robbie Sweat, Taylor Capps and Jordan Capps; great-grandchildren, Madison and Meredith Tyrrell, Zachary Sweat and Brianna and Alex Sweat; five nieces; two nephews; and "adopted" daughters, Gay Sweat and Gracie Galloway.

The family will receive friends tonight from 6 to 8 at Jernigan-Warren Funeral Home. Memorials may be made to Mount Carmel Church Building Fund, 2569 Owen Drive, Fayetteville, NC 28306; or to Hospice of Cumberland County, 235 McPherson Church Road, Fayetteville, NC 28303.

### **James Prentiss Coats**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

June 12, 1998

J. Prentiss Coats, 89, of Lillington, died Thursday. The funeral will be conducted at 3 p.m. Saturday in O'Quinn-Peebles Funeral Home chapel by the Rev. David Luethy. Burial will be in Pleasant Union Christian Church cemetery.

Mr. Coats is survived by two sons, Donald Coats of Lillington and Douglas Coats of Chesapeake, Va.; a sister, Sarah Odell of Olson, Va.; two half-sisters, Christine Stanley and Janie Harvel, both of Dunn; a half-brother, Sherrill Coats of Dunn; eight grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home and at other times at the home of Donald Coats.

### **Jarvis H. Langdon**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

December 14, 2003

Jarvis Langdon, 88, of Fayetteville, died Friday, Dec. 12, 2003, in Highland House Nursing Home. Mr. Langdon formerly owned and operated T and L Auto Parts. He was a member of First Baptist Church. The funeral will be conducted at 2 p.m. today in Rogers and Breece Funeral Home chapel by the Rev. A. Edward Beddingfield Jr. Burial will be in Lafayette Memorial Park.

Mr. Langdon is survived by two brothers, Ernis Langdon of Dunn and Roy Stewart of Fayetteville. The family will receive friends today from 12:45 to 1:45 p.m. at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to First Baptist Church, 201 Anderson St., Fayetteville, NC 28301.

### **Jerry Wayne McLamb**

Rose & Graham Funeral Home Notice

10/13/2006

Mr. Jerry Wayne McLamb, age 55, of 1035 NC 55 West died Thursday evening at Wake Medical Center in Raleigh. Graveside Services will be Sunday 2:00PM at Coats City Cemetery. Officiating will be Brother Mack Fowler. Mr. McLamb was born on August 20, 1951 to the late Vinson P. and Elizabeth West McLamb. Mr. McLamb was a machinist in the automobile industry. He was the former owner and operator of Dura-Bilt Engines in Coats.

Survivors include, Wife, Gail Stewart McLamb; Daughters, LaRae McLamb, LaRetta McLamb, and LaRayne McLamb, all of Coats; Sister, Carolyn Hedgepath of Rocky Mount; Brother, Doug McLamb of Erwin, and several Nieces and Nephews.

Family will receive friends at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats Saturday from 7:00PM to 9:00PM.

### **John Curtis Byrd**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

October 28, 2000

COATS - Mr. John Curtis Byrd, 71, of 2282 NC Hwy 55 West, died Saturday at his home. He was born December 25, 1928, in Harnett County to the late Huey Robert and Julia Catherine Byrd. He owned and operated Byrd Painting Company. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at Coats Baptist Church. Brother Mac Fowler and Rev. Jesse Mooney will officiate. Burial will follow in Oak Grove Church Cemetery.

Surviving: wife, Naomi Stewart Byrd; daughters and sons-in-law Teresa and Don Stewart of Coats; Lisa and David Fitchett of Dunn; son and daughter-in-law, Tony and Polly Byrd of Coats; sister, Wenona B. Dupree of Angier; sister-in-law, Ethel Byrd of Coats; nine grandchildren, Brian Stewart, Chris Byrd, Brad Stewart, Lori Stewart, Austin Fitchett, Victoria Byrd, Katherine Fitchett, Katelyn Byrd, and Sarah Byrd.

Flowers are welcome, however memorials may be made to Hospice of Harnett County, PO Box 373, Erwin, NC 28339. The family will be at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats from 7-9 p.m. Sunday.

### **Joseph Woodrow Stewart**

Daily News, The (Jacksonville, NC)

8/3/2004

Joseph Woodrow Stewart, 90, of Jacksonville died Monday, August 2, 2004, at Onslow Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Jones Funeral Home chapel in Jacksonville with the Rev. Jerry Bryant officiating. Burial will follow at Veterans Cemetery in Dunn. Mr. Stewart was preceded in death by his wife, Elizabeth H. Stewart.

He is survived by two daughters, Pat Sineath and Betty Jo Jones, both of Jacksonville; one son, Woody Stewart of Swansboro; two sisters, Oma Turlington of Jacksonville and Dorothy Deet of Mechanicville, N.Y.; six grandchildren, Bert Jones and Bart Jones, both of Jacksonville, Jo Ann Sineath Smoot of Haymarket, Va., Amy Sineath of San Diego, Calif., and Jennifer and Karen Stewart, both of Swansboro; and six great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 6 to 8 tonight at Jones Funeral Home in Jacksonville. Condolences may be sent to [jonesfuneral@ec.rr.com](mailto:jonesfuneral@ec.rr.com)

### **Kedie Lee Rambeau Stewart**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
August 3, 1997

Mrs. Kedie Rambeau Stewart, 95, of Lillington died Saturday in Good Hope Hospital in Erwin. A graveside service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in the Stewart family cemetery in Coats by the Rev. Chris Wroten.

Mrs. Stewart is survived by two daughters, Kisady S. Allen of Erwin and Ramona S. Franklin of Buies Creek; a stepson, Charles C. Stewart of Houston; three grandchildren; five great-grandsons; two step-grandchildren; and five step-great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at O'Quinn-Peebles Funeral Home in Lillington.

### **Lelan Stewart**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
December 7, 1999

ERWIN -- Lelan "Buddy" Stewart, 74, of 803 S. 12th St. died Monday in Good Hope Hospital. Mr. Stewart worked for Burlington Industries before retiring. He was a Navy veteran of World War II. A graveside service will be conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Williams family cemetery by the Rev. Wesley Hamilton.

Mr. Stewart is survived by his wife, Ruby T. Stewart; a son, Harry D. Stewart of Clayton; a sister, Grace S. Jackson of Goldsboro; and a grandson.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats.

### **Lexie Glenn Barefoot**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
October 26, 1997

Mr. Lexie Glenn Barefoot, 90, died Friday, October 24, 1997 at Doshier Memorial Hospital, Southport. Graveside service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in Greenlawn Memorial Park, Wilmington, with Rev. Fred Roberts officiating. Mr. Barefoot was born on November 18, 1906

in Johnston County, a son of the late Bert and Flonie Stewart Barefoot and moved here from Asheville in 1965. He was a member of Ocean View United Methodist Church, Yaupon Beach.

Survivors include a son, Dr. John C. Barefoot of Chapel Hill; a daughter, Loretta B. Carriker of Murrells Inlet, S.C.; four brothers; two sisters, five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends from 7-8:30 p.m. tonight at Peacock- Newnam Funeral Home. Memorial contributions may be made to Ocean View United Methodist Church, 600 Yaupon Beach Dr. Yaupon Beach, N.C. 28465. A Peacock-Newnam service of Southport.

### **Linda Lee Stephenson Keeling Milliron Stewart**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)  
01/22/2008



Linda Lee Stewart, 68, of 434 South Raleigh Street, died Saturday, at Betsy-Johnson Hospital. A native of Harnett County, she was the daughter of the late Enoch and Leon Denning Stephenson and a member of the Eastern Star for over 30 years. Funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, in the chapel of Bryan-Lee Funeral Home, Angier. Burial will follow in Lakeside Memorial Gardens, Angier.

Surviving are her husband, Larry Gene Stewart; sons, Jody Milliron and wife, Kim of Angier, Todd Milliron and wife, Paula of Garner, and Ricky Keeling and wife, Kim of Willow Spring; and six grandchildren. She was preceded in death by son, Michael Lynn Milliron and grandson, Joshua Enoch Keeling.

The family will receive friends, Tuesday from 6:00-8:00 p.m., at Bryan-Lee Funeral Home and at other times at the home. The family would like to express their special thanks to Linda's caregiver for the past two years, Cliftina Trochez for her special care and love for Linda. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com](http://www.bryan-leefuneralhome.com).

### **Magdalene Stewart Black**

Dunn Daily Record  
3/25/2004

Magdalene Stewart Black, 77, of Dunn died Tuesday at Wake Medical Center. The Harnett County native was the daughter of the late Jesse G. and Elvia Johnson Stewart. She was a retired office manager and bookkeeper for Betsy Johnson Regional Hospital. Funeral services will be

held Friday at 11 a.m. at Skinner & Smith Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow in Benson Cemetery.

Survivors include daughters, Jackie Tart of Dunn, Bonnie Johnson of Erwin and Pansy Buchanan of Greenville; brothers, Robert Stewart, Jesse Martin Stewart and Tom Stewart, all of Dunn, and Walter Stewart of Four Oaks; sisters, Josephine Parker of Clayton and Della Mae Slye of Dudley; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Skinner & Smith Funeral Home.

### **Malcolm Centhy Stewart, Jr.**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
April 23, 2002

COATS -- Malcolm Centhy Stewart Jr., 79, of 425 N. Orange St., died Sunday in Good Hope Hospital in Erwin. Mr. Stewart worked for Firestone Tire Co. and was a member of Coats Community Church. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday in Coats Community Church by Dr. Jim Cochran. Burial will be in Coats City Cemetery.

Mr. Stewart is survived by his wife, Mary B. Stewart of Coats; a son, Ernest B. Bolyard; a daughter, Judy Ann Taylor of Orange, Calif.; two brothers, Tony Stewart of Coats and Franklin Stewart of Angier; and four sisters, Grace Penny of Coats, Evelyn Upchurch of Lillington, Jane Verster of Raleigh and Ann Stewart of Emerald Isle.

The family will receive friends Wednesday from 7 to 9 p.m. at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats. Memorials may be made to Coats Community Church youth fund, P.O. Box 488, Coats, NC 27521.

### **Mamie Tadlock Stewart**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
December 16, 1999

Mrs. Mamie Tadlock Stewart, 91, of Dunn died Wednesday. A graveside service will be conducted at 2 p.m. Friday in Hodges Chapel Church cemetery by the Revs. Howard Lucas and Curtiss Tatum. Arrangements are being handled by Cromartie-Miller & Lee Funeral Home.

Mrs. Stewart is survived by a brother, Ira Tadlock of Angier.

Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association, P.O. Box 981, Sanford, N.C. 27330.



## **Marshall Gene Stewart**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
June 28, 2000

COATS -- Marshall Gene Stewart, 72, of 357 S. Railroad St. died Tuesday in Integrated Health Services in Dunn. Mr. Stewart was an Army veteran of the Korean War. He was the former co-owner of Stewart Brothers Lumber Company in Coats. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday in Rose & Graham Funeral Home chapel by the Revs. Ronnie Byrd. Burial will be in the Williams family cemetery.

Mr. Stewart is survived by several nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats and at other times at the home of Hope Turlington, 327 S. Railroad St., Coats.

## **Mary Alice Young Adams**

News & Observer, The (NC)  
10/08/2007



Mrs. Mary Alice Adams, age 59, of 4440 G. Piney Grove Church Road, died Friday at her residence. Funeral services will be Tuesday at 11:00 a.m. at the Rose & Graham Funeral Chapel in Benson. Officiating will Rev. Timmy Blair and Rev. Hubert Morgan. Entombment will follow in Roselawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Adams was born June 27, 1948 in Johnston County to Ruth Surles Phillips of Four Oaks and the late Valton Young. She was also preceded in death by sisters, Martha Young and Jean Altieri. Mrs. Adams was the head custodian at Yates Mill Elementary School.

Surviving in addition to her mother, include husband, Bobby Adams; daughter, Sheila Smith of Fayetteville; stepdaughter, Amber Marie Stewart of Benson; sisters, Doris Smith of Dunn and Joyce Anderson of Benson; and brothers, Billy Young of Faison and Willie Young of Benson.

Family will receive friends at Rose & Graham Funeral Home, Four Oaks, from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Monday and other times at the home of Ruth Surles Phillips, 8312 Strickland's Crossroads Road, Four Oaks. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.RoseGrahamFuneralServices.com](http://www.RoseGrahamFuneralServices.com).

## **Mary Catherine Stewart Talton**

Parrish & Underwood Funeral Homes Notice

07/04/2007

Smithfield – Mary Catherine Stewart Talton, age 79, died Tuesday morning. Born January 24, 1928 in Johnston County she was one of thirteen children born to Walter W. and Pearl Lee Stewart and was the widow of Hugh C. “Hubie” Talton who died August 22, 2003.

Catherine worked for many years as a switchboard operator for Sylvania and later with the First Citizens Bank in Smithfield. She was a member of the Centenary United Methodist Church for many years. Funeral services will be conducted at 2:00 p.m. Thursday in the Centenary United Methodist Church with the Rev. Charles Morrison officiating. Burial will follow in the Knollwood Memorial Park.

Surviving are her son, Hugh C. Talton, Jr. and wife, Dianna of Smyrna, sister, Lena Rose Braswell of Cherryville, brother, Stan Stewart of Four Oaks, grandchildren, Julie and Jim Hampton of Denver, CO, Heather Harris of Beaufort and Sam and Anne Harris of Swansboro, great grandchildren, Taylor and Ella Hampton, Jessie Bryson and Cole Harris, several nieces and nephews and special golfing buddies, Mable Yelvington, Ruby York and Beulah Creech.

The family will receive friends from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Wednesday at the Underwood Funeral Home in Smithfield. Flowers are acceptable or memorials may be made to the Emergency Relief Fund of Centenary United Methodist Church, 140 East Market Street, Smithfield, NC 27577 or the Building Fund of Ann Street United Methodist Church, 417 Ann Street, Beaufort, NC 28516.

## **Myrtle Langdon Turlington**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

October 9, 2000

Mrs. Myrtle Langdon Broglin, 87, of Hope Mills died Saturday in Village Green Nursing Center. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday in Reeves Funeral Home chapel by the Rev. John Turlington. Burial will be in Bethsaida Baptist Church cemetery in Benson.

Mrs. Broglin is survived by three sons, Mac Turlington and Jimmy Broglin, both of Fayetteville, and Tony Broglin of Gastonia; three brothers, Jarvis Langdon and Stewart Langdon, both of Fayetteville, and Ernest Langdon of Dunn; six grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home.

## **Nathan Welton Stewart**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

November 17, 2005

RALEIGH -- Nathan Welton Stewart, 77, of 2005 Summerdale Drive, died Sunday, November 13, 2005 at Wake Medical Center. Nathan was born in Harnett County on August 14, 1928 to the late L. A. Stewart and Bettie Tart Stewart.

Nathan was a United States Army veteran and served his country in the Korean Conflict. He was former branch manager for Statesville Milling Company. Nathan later became an entrepreneur owner and operator of Stewart Wholesale. Nathan enjoyed fishing and traveling and he never met a stranger.

He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church and American Legion Post @#1. Funeral service 2 p.m. Saturday, November 19, 2005 at L. Harold Poole Funeral Service chapel with Reverend Johnny Smith officiating. Burial, Raleigh Memorial Park, 7501 Glenwood Avenue, Raleigh.

Surviving: wife of 52 years, Eloise Vann Stewart; daughters, Deborah S. Hagler and her husband, Ron of Sanford, Donna S. McKinley and her husband, Scott of Hudson, Ohio, Denise S. Manning and her husband, Doug of Willow Springs; grandchildren, Michael McKinley, Jaclyn Hagler, Taylor Manning, Casey Manning. In addition to his parents, Nathan was preceded in death by his sisters, Alvie S. Simmons, Eva S. Tadlock and Lydia Stewart, brothers, Marvin and Olin Stewart.

Family will receive relatives and friends from 7-9 p.m. Friday, November 18, 2005 at L. Harold Poole Funeral Service and Crematory, 944 Old Knight Road, Knightdale, NC 27545. Flowers are accepted or memorial contributions may be made to Longview Baptist Church, 2308 New Hope Road, Raleigh, NC 27604. Condolences to the family may be made at [www.poolefuneral.com](http://www.poolefuneral.com) under Obituaries.

## **Neva Ellen Beasley Melvin**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

July 5, 2003

GARNER -- Mrs. Neva Ellen Beasley Melvin, 92, wife of the late Austin B. Melvin of Garland and Garner, NC died at home Friday, July 4, 2003. She was a homemaker and textile worker and more importantly a minister of the gospel. She was an avid fundraiser for the establishment of new churches.

She is survived by three daughters, Louise Melvin Chester of Garner, NC, Magdalene West and husband Ralph Leon of Raleigh, NC, Carla Melvin Huddler of Columbus, IN; one son, Ira B. Melvin and wife, Margie of Chadbourn, NC; one brother, James Alton Beasley of Georgetown, IN. and a sister-in-law, Mary Beasley of Shelby, NC.

## **Norcott Ray Upchurch**

Dunn Daily Record  
12/03/2004

Norcott Ray Upchurch, 82, of Mamie Upchurch Road, Lillington, died Thursday at his home place. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy, a retired farmer and a life-long member of Pleasant Union Christian Church. He was the son of the late Mamie Johnson and L. Caul Upchurch of Lillington. He was preceded in death by sisters, Hazel Holmes Gardner, Hilda Rose Lee and Ida Wade "Polly" Wilkins. Services will be held 11 a.m. Saturday at Pleasant Union Christian Church in Lillington by Dr. Greg Lawson and the Rev. Terry Beatty. Burial will follow in Harnett Memorial Park.

Survivors include his wife of 60 years, Evelyn "Teeny" Stewart Upchurch; children, Larry C. Upchurch and wife Linda of Lillington, Annette Daugherty and husband Reggie of New Bern, Susan Mellott and husband Brent of Chapel Hill, Beth Upchurch and husband Russell of Durham; grandchildren, Benta Chaney and husband Craig of Woodbridge, Va., Stewart Upchurch and wife Melinda of Lillington, Kim Daugherty of Virginia Beach, Va., Ruth Blaylock of Raleigh, Noah and Seth Upchurch of Durham, Travis Mellott of Chapel Hill, Kara Wood of Fuquay-Varina; great-grandchildren, Emily Chaney of Woodbridge, Alan Upchurch of Lillington and Logan and Catherine Wood of Fuquay-Varina; brothers-in-law, Cecil Wilkins (his life-long farming partner) of Lillington, Howard Lee of Angier and Luther "Red" Gardner of Benson; niece, Cecilia Gregory and husband Steve of Lillington.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Bryan-Lee Funeral Home in Angier and other times at the home. Flowers will be appreciated or contributions may be made to Pleasant Union Christian Church, 2164 Neill's Creek Road, Lillington, N.C. 27546; or to Community Home Care and Hospice, 400 E. H St., Erwin, N.C. 28339.

## **Oma Stewart Turlington**

Dunn Daily Record  
10/17/2005

Oma Stewart Turlington, 93, of Coats died Wednesday, Oct. 12, 2005, at Carebridge Assisted Living Community in Jacksonville. She was the daughter of the late Joseph Cleveland and Lilly Poole Stewart. She was preceded in death by a sister, Lois S. Pleasant; brothers, C. Nelson, Joseph W., Joseph Grant and E. Earl Stewart.

A graveside funeral service was held 2:30 p.m. Saturday at Stewart Family Cemetery in Coats. Survivors include a sister, Dorothy Deets of Mechanicville, N.Y.; and several nieces and nephews. A service of Skinner & Smith Funeral Home.

## **Paul A. Deets**

Times Union, The (Albany, NY)  
September 20, 1995

Paul A. Deets, 30, of Hamilton Street, formerly of Mechanicville, died Tuesday at the Albany Memorial Hospital. He was born in Troy, and was educated at Mechanicville High School and Albany High School, and had attended the Junior College of Albany. At the time of his death, Mr. Deets was a realtor for Reality USA in Loudonville, and had earlier worked for Century 21. He also had been a flight attendant for the former Arrow Airlines. Mr. Deets was a communicant of the Assumption-St. Paul Church in Mechanicville. He was a volunteer with the Albany Medical Center Hospital AIDS Program.

Survivors include his parents, Edward Deet Sr. and Dorothy Deet of Mechanicville; three brothers, Edward J. Deet Jr. of Waterford, Geoffrey J. Deets of Malta and Daniel Deet of Stillwater; and three sisters, Sharon M. Deet of Albany, Mary Anne Dudla of Clifton Park and Joyce D'Alberto of Mechanicville.

A service will be held at 9:30 a.m. Friday in Assumption-St. Paul Church, Williams Street, Mechanicville. Entombment will be in St. Paul's Mausoleum, St. Paul's Cemetery, Mechanicville. Calling hours are 4:30-8 p.m. Thursday in the Gordon C. Emerick Funeral Home, 1550 Route 9, Clifton Park. Contributions may be made to the Albany Medical Center Hospital AIDS Program, A-158, 47 New Scotland Ave., Albany, NY 12208.

## **Pearl Stewart McRoy**

Goldsboro News-Argus  
12/7/2004

Pearl Stewart McRoy, 96, went to be with her Lord on December 4, 2004. She died at her home in Goldsboro, NC.

Mrs. McRoy was born in Johnston County to the late William Walter and Mary Langdon Stewart. She was married for 52 years to the late William David McRoy Sr. For those who knew her, Pearl will be remembered as a generous, caring, compassionate woman and a beloved friend to many. The love of her life was God, family and friends. Even during her declining health, she never gave up or let go of her firm belief of the power of prayer. Pearl's determination to let it be God's will was an inspiration to all who knew her. She will be greatly missed.

Mrs. McRoy was a faithful member of The First Pentecostal Holiness Church. For 40 years she served as the church secretary-treasurer, taught the Sunbeam Sunday School Class and sang in the choir. Along with Pearl's tireless commitment to help people come to know the Lord, she was very active in the Tuesday Morning Prayer Group. This group intercedes in prayer for all of the needs of the church and of its members. Following this meeting, she and others ministered to

shut-ins and nursing home residents. She was dedicated to her Circle and the church's Women's Ministries.

Her community involvement included memberships in the Wayne County Home Extension Club, the WCTU and the AARP. Mrs. McRoy was a graduate of King's Business College. For all the years of its operation, she was the secretary-treasurer of Elliot Packing Company.

Funeral services will be Wednesday, December 8, 2004, at 2 p.m. at The First Pentecostal Holiness Church with the Rev. Jimmy Whitfield and the Rev. Bill Rose officiating. Burial will follow in Wayne Memorial Park. Pearl is survived by her son, W.D. McRoy Jr. and his wife, Jerri, of Goldsboro; her grandchildren, Larry McRoy of Mount Olive, David McRoy of Goldsboro, Leigh Edwards of Mount Olive, Ginny Vickery and husband, John, of Greenville, and Rebekah McRoy of Raleigh; her great-grandchildren, Alise Edwards, Sarah Edwards, Anna Edwards, Chelsea Vickery, Jacob Vickery, and Casey Vickery; her brother, Stanley Stewart of Four Oaks; and her sisters, Catherine Talton of Smithfield and Lena Rose Braswell of Cherryville.

In addition to her husband, her stepmother, Pearl Lee Stewart, and seven brothers and two sisters preceded her in death.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to The First Pentecostal Holiness Church, 1101 The First Church Road, Goldsboro, N.C., 27534, or the charity of one's choice. The family will receive friends Tuesday (today) from 5 until 7 p.m. at Seymour Funeral Home.

### **Pennie Bass Stewart Jernigan**

Dunn Daily Record  
05/16/2005

Pennie Stewart Jernigan of 1101 Hartwell Street, Garner, died Saturday, May 14, 2005, at Forest of Laurel Glenn. She was born in Harnett County to the late James Williams and Lena Leona Beasley Bass. She was preceded in death by her husbands, Dallas C. Stewart and Euland Jernigan; a daughter, Betty Stewart; and a son, W.D. Stewart. Mrs. Jernigan was a member of Roanoke Chapel Church in Newton Grove.

Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Tuesday at Cromartie-Miller & Lee Funeral Home Chapel by Dr. Harvey Whaley. Burial will be at Memorial Cemetery.

Survivors include a daughter, Delois Stephenson and husband Jerry of Garner; a son, Ronald C. Stewart of Newton Grove; a brother, Clarence J. Bass and wife Janie of Dunn; grandchildren, Dallas Stephenson, Dana Christopher and husband Ryan, Connie Smith, William Douglas Hall and wife Rhonda, Gail House and husband Leon; and seven great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Cromartie-Miller & Lee Funeral Home in Dunn.

## **Rachel Alene McLamb Byrd**

Dunn Daily Record  
12/16/2004

Alene McLamb Byrd, 83 of 326 John Lee Road, Dunn, died Wednesday at Betsy Johnson Regional Hospital. She was born Dec. 4, 1921, in Virginia to the late J. Pearson and Eula Mae Stewart McLamb. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Edward Byrd; sisters, Euphrozene M. Herring and Eula Mae McLamb; and brothers, Julian Pearson McLamb, J. Hampton McLamb and J. Thorton "Knotty" McLamb.

Mrs. Byrd was a homemaker and a member of Hodges Chapel PFWB Church. Funeral services will be held 11 a.m. Saturday at Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel in Benson by the Rev. Roy McLamb. Burial will follow at Hodges Chapel Church Cemetery.

Survivors include daughters, Deborah B. Patterson and husband Dale of Broadway, and Juanita B. Dennis of Dunn; a son, Dell Byrd and wife Debbie of Dunn; sisters, Elsie West of Coats, Arlette McNeil of Lillington, Shirley Partin of Angier, Carolyn Stewart of Franklinton, Bonnie Norris of Godwin, Belvia Ann Blanks of Henderson, Odessa Dixon of Wilmington and Vera Hawley of Spring Hope; brothers, Coy McLamb of Garner and Clark McLamb of Benson; nine grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends Friday from 7 to 9 p.m. at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Benson.

## **Ralph Harding Langdon**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
September 30, 1997

Ralph Harding Langdon, 76, of Fayetteville died Monday in Cape Fear Valley Medical Center. He was former owner and operator of Motor Parts & Machine Co. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday in Rogers & Breece Funeral Home chapel by the Rev. Sherrill Boykin. Burial will be in Cumberland Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Langdon is survived by his wife, Jeruby Langdon of the home; two daughters, Kathy A. Saye of Fayetteville and Becky L. Reynolds of Goldsboro; a son, Ralph H. Langdon of Fayetteville; two sisters, Myrtle Broglin of Hope Mills and Nora Jones of Durham; three brothers, Ernest Langdon of Dunn, and Jarvis Langdon and Roy Langdon, both of Fayetteville; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends Wednesday from 10 to 11 a.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to a favorite charity.

## **Robert Stewart**

Dunn Daily Record

10/27/2006

Robert Stewart Sr., 69, of 1161 Stewart Road, Dunn, died Wednesday, Oct. 25, 2006, at his home. He was born in Harnett County on Oct. 3, 1937, to the late Jesse G. and Elvia Johnson Stewart. He was preceded in death by a son, Duane Stewart; and a sister, Magdalene S. Black. Mr. Stewart was a retired veteran with the U.S. Air Force and the founder of The World Church Inc. House of Life. He was a self-employed salesman. Funeral services will be held 2 p.m. Sunday at Cromartie-Miller & Lee Funeral Home Chapel by the Revs. Billy Norris, William Maness, Clifton Norris, John Slye, Jesse Martin Stewart and Walter Stewart. Burial will follow at Benson City Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Rose Alice Stewart; sons, Randy Allen and wife Vickie of Lake Charles, La., Glenn Stewart and wife Kathy of Lexington, Robert Stewart Jr. and wife Tammy of Dunn, Rodney Stewart and wife Beth of Roseboro; sisters, Della Mae Slye of Dudley and Josephine Parker of Clayton; brothers, Walter G. Stewart of Four Oaks, Jesse Martin Stewart and Thomas E. Stewart, both of Dunn; grandchildren, Brooke Stewart, Seth Stewart, Ashley Stewart, Katie Stewart, Madalyn Stewart, Wesley Stewart, Stephen Stewart and Randolyn Page Daigle; and a great-grandchild, Morgan Claire Daigle.

The family will receive friends Saturday from 7 to 9 p.m. at the funeral home.

## **Roland Edward Barefoot**

News & Observer, The (Raleigh, NC)

October 8, 2002

Mr. Roland E. Barefoot, age 79, 216 Baker Street, Four Oaks died Sunday, October 6, 2002 at Johnston Memorial Hospital. He was born in Johnston County on August 18, 1923 to the late James Bert and Flonnie Stewart Barefoot. Funeral will be graveside on Wednesday at 11:00 a.m. in the Four Oaks Cemetery with Reverend Joey Yow officiating.

Surviving family: wife, Gladys Wood Barefoot; daughter, Janice B. Medlin and husband Gerald of Dunn; son, James Edward Barefoot and wife Brenda of Garner; brothers, Charlie Barefoot of Clayton, Wilson Barefoot of Canton; grandchildren; Laura Medlin Mass of Dunn, Jeffrey Medlin of Clayton, Stanley Bert Barefoot of Four Oaks, Martha Rose Barefoot of Raleigh; great-grandchildren, Sarah Mass, Ann Mass, Thomas Medlin.

Family will be at Minshew Funeral Home on Tuesday from 7:00-9:00 p.m.



### **Sarah Caroline Ralph Croom**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)

December 12, 2000

COLUMBUS, Ga. -- Mrs. Sarah Caroline Ralph Croom, 82, of Columbus, formerly of Harnett County, N.C., died Sunday in her home. Mrs. Croom was a buyer for Kirven's Department Store for 25 years before retiring. She was a member of St. Mark United Methodist Church.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday in St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Erwin, N.C., by the Rev. Michael Langston. Burial will be in Moores Creek Cemetery in Pender County. Arrangements are being handled by Striffler-Hamby Funeral Home of Columbus and Coble Ward-Smith Funeral Home of Wilmington, N.C.

Mrs. Croom is survived by two sons, Hugh L. Croom Jr. of Wilmington and Richard Croom of Columbus; four daughters, Elaine C. Grindle of Erwin, Rebecca Ober of Houston and Peggy Robinson and Mary L. Parris, both of Columbus; a sister, Margaret Fortune of Greensboro, N.C.; eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Columbus Hospice, 7020 Moon Road, Columbus, Ga, 31909; or St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Erwin, NC 28339.

### **Sarah Odell Coats Olson**

Dunn Daily Record

5/06/2005

Sarah Odell Coats Olson, 95, of St. Petersburg, Fla., died Tuesday, May 3, 2005, at her home under the care of Hospice. She had previously lived in Richmond, Va., and Tappahannock, VA.

She was born in Benson to Seth Allen Coats and Sarah Hattie Stewart Coats. Mrs. Olson was a retired RN, graduating from Sheltering Arms Hospital Nursing School in Richmond. She was a captain in the Army Nurse Corps, serving during World War II in England with the 92nd General Hospital. She was the widow of Lt. Col. Clarence O. Olson, U.S. Army (retired). She was preceded in death by brothers, James Prentice Coats, Duncan Stewart Coats and Dennis Coats.

A visitation will be held 5 p.m. Saturday until service time at 7 p.m. at Anderson-McQueen Funeral Homes in St. Petersburg. Burial will be in Arlington National Cemetery.

Survivors include a son, Stewart O. Olson of St. Petersburg; a daughter, Janice M. Olson of St. Petersburg. Local survivors include cousins, James Donald and Bea Coats of Lillington.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice of The Florida Suncoast, 300 E. Bay Drive, Largo, Fla. 33770; or to the Women in Military Service Memorial in Arlington, Va. An online guestbook is at [www.andersonmcqueen.com](http://www.andersonmcqueen.com)

### **Selma Viola Gregory Johnson**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
October 14, 1999

Mrs. Selma Viola Johnson, 86, of Coats died Tuesday in Harnett Manor Rest Home in Lillington. Mrs. Johnson was a member of Little Flock Primitive Baptist Church. She was a homemaker. The funeral will be conducted at 11 a.m. Friday in Rose & Graham Funeral Home chapel by Elder Worth Stephenson. Burial will be in the Stewart family cemetery.

Mrs. Johnson is survived by two daughters, Gail Allen of Coats and Brenda Kennedy of Erwin; two sons, Stuart F. Johnson of Raleigh and R.A. Johnson of Atkinson; 19 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at the funeral home.

### **Thetis Catherine Bayles McDuffie**

Dunn Daily Record  
11/02/2007

Thetis Catherine Bayles McDuffie, 90, of 5701 Fayetteville Road, Lumberton, died Thursday, Nov. 1, 2007. She was born in Harnett County on Feb. 28, 1917, to the late Charles Wesley and Mary Stewart Bayles.

She graduated from Dorothea Dix State Hospital in Raleigh where she received her degree as a registered nurse in 1938. She then practiced her profession in Marion, Va., and New Haven, Conn. On Aug. 16, 1940, she married W.R. McDuffie. She was a member of First Baptist Church in Red Springs. A graveside memorial service will be held 3 p.m. Sunday at Greenwood Cemetery in Dunn.

Survivors include daughters, Judy Caveness of Mount Olive, Lynn Quel of Winston-Salem and Jill McMillan of Red Springs; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends Sunday from 2 to 3 p.m. at Cromartie-Miller & Lee Funeral Home in Dunn. Arrangements by Crumpler Funeral Home in Red Springs.

## **Tony E. Beasley**

Dunn Daily Record

11/18/2005

Tony E. Beasley, 63, of 166 Aquilla Road, Benson, died Wednesday, Nov. 16, 2005. He was preceded in death by a son, Christopher Wayne Beasley. A memorial service will be held 7 p.m. Saturday at West & Dunn Funeral Home Chapel in Benson by the Rev. Jimmy Barnhill.

Survivors include his wife, Nancy Beasley; sons, Rodger Beasley and wife Harriett, Tony K. Beasley and wife Sandy, all of Coats; brothers, Billy Ray Beasley of Bedford, Ohio, and Harvey Beasley of Benson; sisters, Willodean Price of Benson and Helen G. Stewart of Goldsboro; and grandchildren, Sarah Nichole Spivey, Tyler and Hunter Beasley, Mackenzie Beasley and Britt Beasley.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.westanddunn.com](http://www.westanddunn.com).

## **Virginia Ann Robertson Bruner**

Rose and Graham Funeral Home Notice

08/14/2006

Mrs. Virginia Robertson Bruner, age 85, formerly of Coats, passed away Sunday, August 13, at her residence at Merrill Gardens in Rome, GA. A memorial service will be held Wednesday, August 23, at 10:00AM at the Rose & Graham Funeral Home Chapel in Coats. Rev. Jesse Mooney will officiate.

Mrs. Bruner was born August 7, 1921 in Coats to the late Lewis Clark and Vada Stewart Robertson. She was preceded in death by her husband of 57 years, Wilbur J. Bruner. Mrs. Bruner grew up in the greater Raleigh area and lived most of her adult life in Liberty, Missouri. She lived in Coats until 2001 when she moved to Rome, GA.

Because of her desire to help others, Virginia became a registered nurse in 1942. She used her nursing skills, encouraging words and compassionate heart to serve hundreds of people in need even into the last days of her life. She was a true friend to many who will miss her smile and positive spirit.

Surviving include three Daughters, Carole Palmer of Kansas City, Mo., Pamela Bruner of Pensacola, FL, and Beth Tharp and husband, Bill, of Rome, GA; Sisters, Elizabeth "Lib" Guy of Coats, Mary Jackson of Smithfield, and Jean Bankson Hearst and husband, Jim, of Berkley, CA; Brother, Bill Bankson of Birmingham, AL; 7 Grandchildren; and 10 Great Grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to First Presbyterian Church, 101 East Third Avenue, Rome, GA 30161 or to Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes, International Headquarters/Samaritan's

Purse, P. O. Box 3000, Boone, NC 28607-3000. The family will receive friends at Rose & Graham Funeral Home in Coats immediately following the service.

### **William Bryson Stewart**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
January 22, 1996

William Bryson Stewart, 68, of Erwin died Sunday. He was a veteran of the Korean War and was a bluegrass musician. A graveside service will be conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday in the Stewart family cemetery in Coats by the Rev. John Wenberg.

Mr. Stewart is survived by his mother, Kedic R. Stewart of Lillington; two sisters, Ramona S. Franklin of Buies Creek and Kisady S. Allen of Erwin; and a half brother, Conrad Stewart of Houston.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at O'Quinn-Peebles Funeral Home of Lillington. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Harnett County, P.O. Box 373, Erwin, N.C. 28339.

### **William Cairo Beasley**

Fayetteville Observer, The (NC)  
April 5, 1995

William Cairo Beasley, 94, of Route 2, Box 358, Fayetteville, died Monday in the Carrolton of Fayetteville. The funeral will be conducted at 4 p.m. Thursday in Bethany Church of God of Prophecy by the Revs. Donald Baldwin and Jim Kain. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Mr. Beasley is survived by two daughters, Nettie B. Hair of the home and Elizabeth B. Jones of Fayetteville; a son, James F. Beasley of Edenton; a sister, Neva B. Melvin of Wilson; two brothers, G. Colon Beasley of Charlotte and James A. Beasley of Wade; seven grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The family will receive friends tonight from 7 to 9 at Rogers & Breece Funeral Home.

### **Willis Louine Sellers Stewart**

Dunn Daily Record  
7/11/2005

Louine Sellers Stewart, 81, of Coats died Saturday, July 9, 2005, at Betsy Johnson Regional Hospital in Dunn. She was born Sept. 13, 1923, in Harnett County to the late Benjamin and Lida

Wilder Sellers. She was a retired bank teller with First Citizens Bank & Trust Co. and was a Sunday school teacher of the Ladies Class at Coats Baptist Church for many years. She was preceded in death by her husband, McRay Stewart.

Funeral services were held this morning at 11 in the chapel of Rose & Graham Funeral Home. Burial followed at Harnett Memorial Park in Lillington. The Rev. Jesse Mooney officiated.

Survivors include daughters, Cheryl S. Williams of Coats, Kay S. Blanchard and husband Jerry of Fuquay-Varina, Gail S. McLamb and husband Jerry of Coats; six granddaughters; a grandson; and a great-granddaughter.

Memorials may be made to Coats Baptist Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 297, Coats, N.C. 27521.