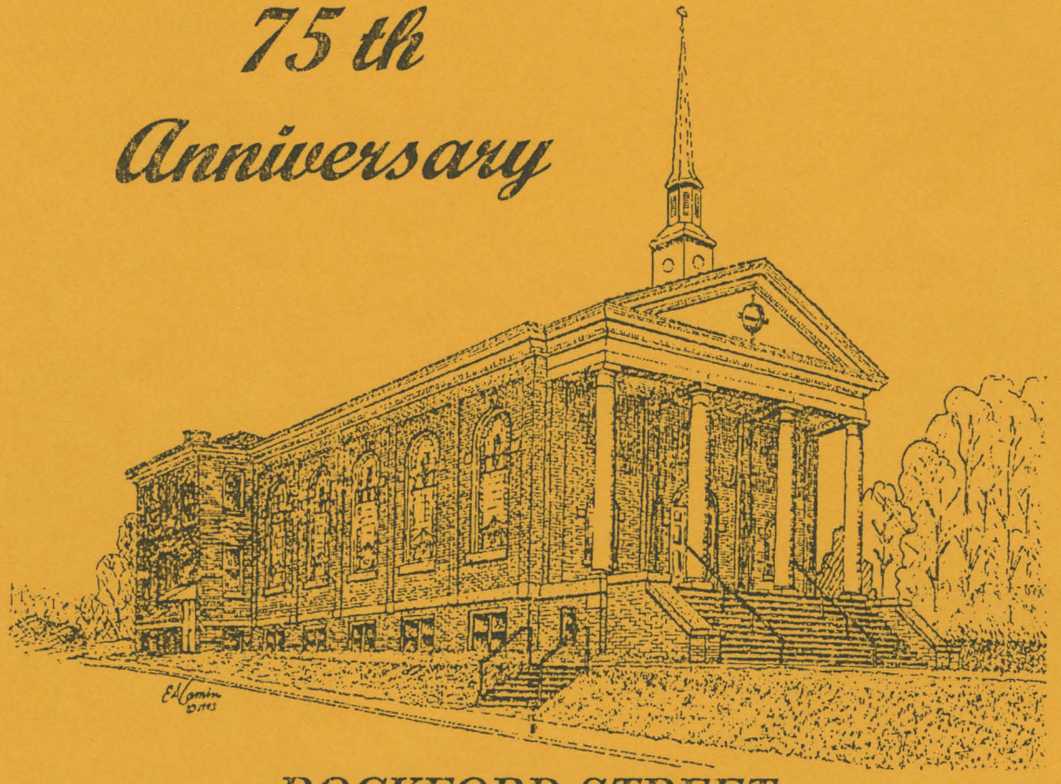
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75th Anniversary



ROCKFORD STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

520 Rockford Street
Mount Airy, North Carolina 27030

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Mount Airy, NC 27030
(336) 789-3743

October 15, 2000

Dear Church Family and Friends,

On behalf of the congregation of Rockford Street United Methodist Church, I extend to you our warmest welcome to this Homecoming and Seventy-fifth Anniversary Celebration. Our guest speaker today is Dr. Franklin W. Grice, District Superintendent of the Northeast District of the Western North Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church. We thank Dr. Grice for finding the time in his busy schedule to be with us.

We are also thrilled to have Mrs. Millie Teague with us today. Mrs. Teague is the youngest child of Rev. George Williams who started Rockford Street United Methodist Church seventy-five years ago. Mrs. Teague will share a few memories with us today.

The United Methodist Women have designed an afghan commemorating the seventy-fifth anniversary of Rockford Street United Methodist Church. You may purchase one from the ladies at a cost of thirty-five dollars per afghan.

Everyone is invited to stay after the worship service today, and join us for a covered-dish dinner. If you traveled far or just didn't have time to prepare a dish, please do not let that stop you from eating with us. Many of our members have "put a few extra beans in the pot" anticipating your being with us. I'm simply saying that there's planty of room at the table of God's people, spiritually and physically.

As part of our gratitude for your presence with us today, we want you to have this yearbook. In this yearbook you will find history and an updating of events occurring since the yearbook in 1995. We invite you to continue to be a part of the Rockford Street United Methodist Church through your prayers, gifts and presence.

Once again, on behalf of the congregation, I thank you for attending this year's celebration. Please feel "at home" and enjoy the day.

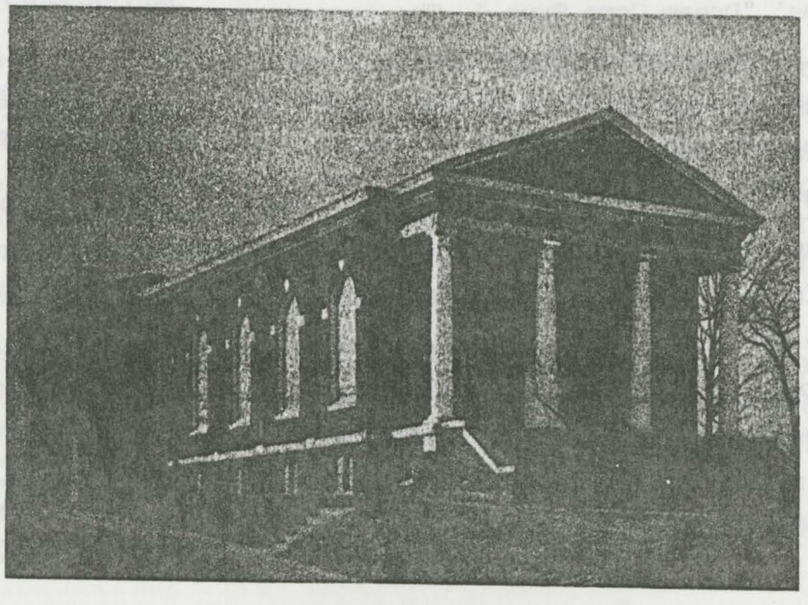
Yours In Christ,

Gary W Leonard

Gary W. Leonard
Pastor



REV. GEORGE W. WILLIAMS
of Rockford Street United Methodist Church
Served Six Years 1921 – 1926
1928 – 1929



Rockford Street United Methodist Church

THE HISTORY OF ROCKFORD STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

One of the most interesting landmarks in Mount Airy is the Rockford Street United Methodist Church. It is unique in many ways. First, the land for the church was purchased before the congregation was organized. This happened because a minister, The Reverend George W. Williams, who was visiting the community passed an auction sale. He saw the beauty of the lot and decided that it would be a good location for the church that the community needed. On April 29, 1922, Rev. Williams bought the land from Edward Leake, a single man from El Paso County, Texas, for $1,200.00 On November 16, 1922, Rev. Williams and wife, Minnie, transferred the deed to Mr. W.R. Kiger, et al. The church later paid the $1,200.00

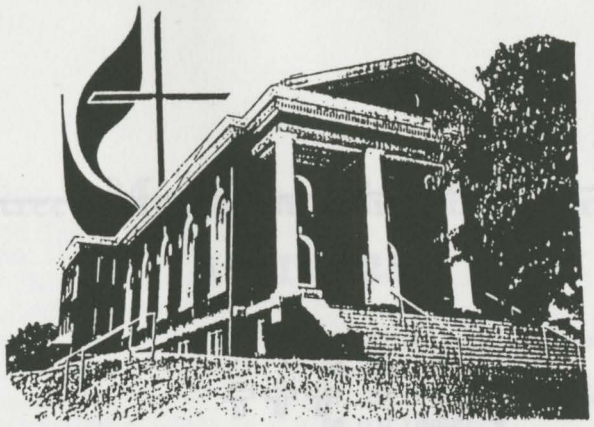
The trustees were: W.R. Kiger, J.W. Badgett, J.B. Jarrell, J.W. Barker and W.F. Lawrence.

Rev. Williams conferred with Rev. W.F. Womble, presiding elder, Rev. W.B. West, minister of Central Methodist Church, and with many of the Methodist laymen. Among these was Mr. E.H. Kochititzky, district lay leader. It was decided that the Methodist of Mount Airy would sponsor the organization and build the church.

Rev. George W. Williams organized and built the Rockford Street Church. It was Preacher Williams' "Dream Come True." The cornerstone was laid in 1925 and dedicated in 1929. He served the church for six years.

After the church began, the people of Mount Airy, regardless of their church affiliation helped in any way they could.

The Rockford Street Methodist Church was formally created by the Thirty-Second Session of the Western North Carolina Conference which met in High Point, N.C. October 19, 1921. In 1921 while serving the Mount Airy Circuit, Rev. Williams held a tent meeting where the water tank is now located. He bought the tent and the congregation was formed through two tent meetings. The father of Mrs. Oscar Shelton held a revival. The "Tabernacle" was built across the street from the water tank. It was a frame building about 30' x 30', heated by two sheet metal stoves. The attendance averaged about two hundred on Sunday mornings.



A HISTORY OF CLIMBING HIGHER AT ROCKFORD STREET UM CHURCH

Rockford Street United Methodist Church began its formation as a people, called of God, to work together to spread the Gospel and love of Christ to all the world. These early Methodists were motivated by nothing less than the familiar words of the old hymn: *"We are climbing Jacob's ladder . . . soldiers of the cross."* In 1921, after only two tent revival meetings were held where the city of Mount Airy's water tank currently rests on Rockford Street, the Rev. George W. Williams organized this active congregation.

On April 29, 1922, Rev. Williams bought the site from Edward Leake of El Paso County, Texas. Soon afterwards, the deed was transferred over to W.R. Kiger, J.W. Badgett, J.B. Jarrell, J.W. Barker, and W.F. Lawrence, who were the Trustees of Rockford Street Methodist Church. The red-brick "Tabernacle's" foundation was laid in 1925 across the street; and the building was dedicated in 1929. Over two hundred people were present on an average Sunday morning. The church was dedicated in 1929 with the Rev. Williams, Rev. W.F. Womble (presiding elder), Rev. W.R. West (pastor of Central Methodist), Mr. E.H. Kochtitzky, and others participating in this service.

Everyone worked together donating labor and supplies to build this church in record time. Granite was donated by J.D. Sargent who was head of the N.C. Granite Corporation which provided the materials for the church steps and windowsills. When Sargent visited the site on one occasion, he remarked in amazement, *"I thought you were building a church instead of building a stairway to heaven."* Members of the church and community donated pews, paint and bricks (some members donated over one hundred per family). The four large columns lifting the front porch were constructed by Earl Tate.

Rockford Street United Methodist Church has had twenty-five pastors since its inception, and they are J.O. Ervin, George W. Williams (reappointed in 1928), W.M. Heckard, R.S. Howie, R.G. Tuttle, Jr., D.H. Rhinehart, H.R. Cornelius, H. Grady Hardin, C.E. Williams, E.M. Graham, J.E. Rink, B.C. Winn, J.M. Barber, F.H. Shinn, Ben F. Stamey, Giles O. Bowman, John T Frazier, Arthur B. Pearce, George Carver, Harry M. Sherrill, Max Dulin, Dwight Whitlock, Dee B. Martin, Mark Guyer, and Mary Rowe Miller.

Today, there are currently over one hundred members on our roll, and our goal is to keep on growing both in our membership as well as in our Christian faith and service to others. We are a friendly congregation, and we welcome persons of all ages and backgrounds. We believe that all persons are of sacred worth, because we are all created and counted valuable by God. We invite YOU to join us as we climb that "stairway to heaven" by participating in God's ministry of reconciliation in the world.

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Dedication of Rockford Street Methodist Church

Sunday, September 22, 1929

10:00a.m.

The Sermon was preached by Rev. E.K. McLarty, D.D.,
pastor of Hawthorn Lane Methodist Church,
Charlotte, North Carolina.

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The Dedication talk was given by Rev. E.W. Fox,
Presiding Elder of Mt. Airy, North Carolina.

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The New Testament lesson, Hebrews 10:19-25,
was read by Rev. G.W. Williams.

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This information was compiled by Mrs. Lula Kiger in 1989, who also included a brief account of her family history: "Lula Ashburn married Will R. Kiger September 15th 1925. Charter member. Joined church 1925 -- Born March 21, 1899. W.R. Kiger born Aug. 24, 1889. Died May 11, 1969. Amy Coe Kiger, Will Kiger -- mother. Born June 17. Died Jan. 4th 1936."

Rockford Street Methodist Church Charter Members

1921-1925

1. J.W. BARKER
2. MAUD E. BARKER
3. GEORGE A. BOWMAN
4. NANNIE BOWMAN
5. JOHN W. BADGETT....
6. HARVEY E. BADGETT
7. ELLA BADGETT (deceased 6/18/1944)
8. CARRIE BADGETT MARION
9. R. THOMAS BENNETT
10. MRS. W.H. BEASLEY
11. LUCY BROOKS (deceased 7/3/1927)
12. OLIVE L. BOWMAN
13. JOE F. BOOKER (deceased)
14. ANNA V. BOOKER (deceased 1/31/1947)
15. LUCILLE BRASSELL BURTON
16. A.A. CHAPPELL
17. LENA CHAPPELL (deceased 4/23/1925)
18. R. COY CARROLL
19. GRACE CARROLL
20. PHILMORE CARROLL
21. DOROTHY CARROLL
22. S. FLETCHER CALLOWAY
23. MARY L. CALLOWAY (deceased 10/2/1922)
24. MRS. C.C. CREED DAVIS (Mallie) (deceased)
25. MR. T.E. DAVENPORT (10/17/1926)
26. MRS. T.E. DAVENPORT
27. CLAUDIA E. DAVENPORT SMITHERMAN
28. EDGAR FRANCE
29. BERTHA FRANCE
30. LUCY GORDON
31. MRS. M.A. HANKS (deceased 4/4/1927)
32. GURNEY HALE (deceased 1937)
33. CARRIE HALE (deceased 11/11/1966)
34. MRS. J.W. HARRIS (deceased 12/21/1926)
35. JASON C. HARRIS
36. MRS. J.C. HARRIS
37. JAMES B. JARRELL
38. RUTH JARRELL
39. ELLA JARRELL
40. MRS. R.A. JARVIS (deceased 10/1935)
41. JOHN R. KEY (deceased 1941)
42. WILL R. KIGER (deceased)
43. FLORA KIGER (deceased 2/5/1922)
44. THAMER KIGER (deceased)
45. H.S. LEDFORD (deceased 8/24/1928)
46. RUTH LEDFORD (deceased 1/1930)
47. ROSA LOWRY
48. TOM J. LOWRY
49. JOHN R. LOWRY
50. WALTER W. LOWRY (deceased 1928)
51. CLARA LINEBACK
52. JOHN W. LEDFORD
53. CLAUDELLA LOFLIN-CARPENTER (2/12/27)
54. DILLARD W. LOFLIN
55. VIRGIL LINEBACK (deceased 11/11/1931)
56. LILA LINEBACK
57. JOE LINEBACK (deceased)
58. N.V. LINEBACK
59. HESSIE LINEBACK-BOYD
60. MYRTLE LINEBACK-HENNIGER (deceased)
61. ELLEN MARTIN
62. MRS. T.A. MOODY
63. IDA MCCOY (deceased 1980)
64. SYBAL OWENS
65. NANCY A. PEEL (deceased 6/5/1924)
66. RUTH PORTER
67. W.J. PORTER
68. W. GRAHAM ROBERSON (d. 9/10/34)
69. CARRIE ROBERSON-EDWARDS
70. MARK ROBERSON (deceased)
71. RUBY ROBERSON
72. EDNA ROBERSON
73. O.L. ROBERTS (DICK)
74. HATTIE ROBERTS
75. MRS. THOMAS D. ROBERTS (d. 4/1/1923)
76. MRS. ORA T. ROBERTS
77. CARL ROBERTS (Ora's boy)
78. WOODROW ROBERTS
79. JOHN D. TILLEY (deceased 11/6/1926)
80. MARGARET TILLEY (d. 3/23/ 1922)
81. WILL TAYLOR
82. MRS. WILL TAYLOR
83. MRS. W.A. TRIPLETT
84. ALEINE TERRY (Mrs. Otis Moore) (deceased)
85. TOM WILLIARD
86. ADA WILLIARD
87. MRS. G.W. WILLIAMS
88. WINONA WILLIAMS
89. LONNIE WILLIAMS
90. WILL R. WOOD (deceased)
91. MRS. WILL R. WOOD
92. MARY R. ZIGLAR (deceased 8/21/1924)

1922

1. GRAHAM W. ROBERTSON
2. JESS A. CREED
3. CHARLES TERRY
4. KENNETH A. MARSHALL (d.9/28/1941)
5. CLUNETT J. CREED
6. ED CREED
7. T. WOODROW ROBERTS
8. ROBERT A. JARVIS, JR.
9. DOROTHY L. GORDON
10. MARY K. BOOKER
11. KATHLEEN F. BRASSELL-GUNNELL
12. MALLIE BRYANT
13. LILLIAN MCCOY-CARPENTER (d.7/4/1995)
14. MARY LOWRY (d. 3/25/1977)
15. LUCY DAVENPORT

16. ESTER N. LINEBACK-JOURNEY
17. MARGARET LEDFORD
18. BETTIE J. COMBS
19. EMMA BROWN HARBOUR
20. OPAL IRENE ROBERTS-BELTON
21. MARY L. ROBERTS
22. LYDA LEDFORD WILLARD
23. AMY F. KIGER (d. 1/11/1936)
24. JAMES JARVIS
25. FRED NORMAN
26. EDITH NORMAN MORRIS
27. MUNSY S. NICHOLS (d.3/8/1948)
28. MAGGIE M. NICHOLS (deceased)
29. R.D. HOWERTON
30. MRS. R.D. HOWERTON
31. EDNA TERRY
32. MRS. U.M. A. TERRY
33. W.L. NICHOLS
34. MONROE S. JOTTES
35. MARY JOTTES
36. BETHANIA JOTTES
37. ADDIE G. MARSHALL
38. CLAUDIA DAVENPORT
39. WILLIS F. LAWRENCE (deceased 12/1937)
40. SARAH LAWRENCE
41. MATILDA LAWRENCE (d. 1/19/1936)
42. MARTHA STACK (d. 6/14/1927)
43. MARGIE STACK GUTHERIE (deceased)

Baptized on April 16, 1922

1. Graham W. Robertson
2. Jess A. Creed
3. Charles Terry
4. Kenneth A. Marshall
5. Clunette A. Creed
6. Ed Creed
7. T. Woodrow Roberts
8. Robert A. Jarvis, Jr.
9. Dorothy L. Gordon
10. Mary K. Booker
11. Kathleen F. Brassell Gunnell
12. Mallie Bryant
13. Lillian McCoy Carpenter (d.7/4/95)
14. Mary Lowery(3/25/77)
15. Lucy Davenport
16. Aster N. Lineback
17. Margaret Ledford
18. Betsy J. Combs
19. Emma Brown
20. Opal Irene Roberts
21. Lyda Ledford Williard
22. Amy F.Kiger (1/11/36
23. Mary L. Roberts

1923

1. R. JOE MOODY
2. MATTIE MOODY
3. ETHEL MOODY
4. WILCHER BOYD
5. MRS. F.A. FLEMMING
6. MRS. HELEN NICHOLS (deceased 7/13/1923)
7. MRS. LYDIA BARKER
8. GEORGE W. WILLIAMS, JR.
9. VIRGINIA WILLIAMS
10. SARAH LOU KIGER-WILDER (deceased)
11. MARVIN JONES
12. KATHLEEN JONES
13. VANCE JONES
14. HURLEY BELTON (deceased 7/1934)
15. MRS. WILLIE BELTON (deceased 2/25/1925)
16. TROY LAWRENCE
17. WILLIAM LAWRENCE (deceased 4/1942)
18. DILLARD LAWRENCE (deceased 6/1973)
19. G.C. ROBERTSON
20. C.E. NICHOLS (deceased 1936)
21. MRS. C.E. NICHOLS (deceased)
22. LEE D. JONES (deceased 1/18/1927)
23. MRS. G.C. ROBERTSON

1924

1. MAUD DAVENPORT
2. LOVIN WILSON
3. MRS. W.J.S. WALKER
4. ANNIE WALKER
5. CLYDE WALKER
6. MARY WALKER
7. MARGARET WALKER
8. LAWRENCE WALKER
9. CALVIN WALKER
10. J. SANFORD REDMAN
11. PEARL REDMAN
12. FRED PRUITT
13. LIBBY PRUITT
14. GEORGE A. STACK

1925

1. EARL E. CARROLL
2. CHARLIE R. NUNN (deceased 1/16/1928)
3. RAYMOND CARPENTER
4. MARGARET BARKER
5. MYRTLE JONES
6. VIRGINIA HARRIS
7. JAMES T. JONES
8. STELLA JONES
9. FRANCES NORMAN
10. DORIS BELTON
11. KATE NICHOLS
12. MYRTLE E. MARSH
13. ROBERT W. HARRIS
14. RAYMOND J. MCCOY (deceased)
15. KYLE W. MCCOY
16. PHILLIP EARL BOOKER
17. WILLIAM MCCOY (deceased)
18. BERTA COOK
19. JOSEPH L. GUNNELL
20. LEONARD W. GUNNELL (deceased)
21. LEROY GUNNELL
22. JAS. J. DAVIS (deceased 10/1933)
23. THELMA M. DAVIS
24. LULA IRENE ASHBURN KIGER (d.6/23/1992)
25. EMMA ASHBURN

James A. Norman (Seal)
Savila E. Moody (Seal)
Arch Moody (Seal)
J. W. Spencer (Seal)
Addie A. Spencer (Seal)
Ella Norman (Seal)

State of North Carolina, Wilkes County.

I, A. C. Phillips a Justice of the Peace do hereby certify that Nancy Spencer J. W. Spencer A.A. Spencer, James Norman M.R. Norman and Arch Moody and wife Savila Moody and Ella Norman personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the due execution of the within deed of conveyance and have all acknowledged to their signatures of the same and have signed the same freely and voluntarily without fear or compulsion of their husbands or any other person and doth still assent thereto. This 11th day of April 1893.

A. C. Phillips, J.P.
(Seal)

I Wm A. Stroud Clerk of the Superior Court of Wilkes county do hereby certify that A. C. Phillips Esq was at the time of signing attached instrument an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said county and that his name subscribed to the annexed instrument is his genuine signature and that his official acts are entitles to full faith and credit. Witness my hand and official seal this the 29th day of September, 1924.

Wm. A. Stroud, Clerk Superior Court (Seal)

North Carolina, Surry County.

The forgoing certificate of Wm. A Stroud a Clerk of the Superior Court of Wilkes county, N. C. is adjudged to be correct and in due form. Therefore let the instrument with this certificate be registered. This the 1st day of Oct. 1924. R. D. Lewellyn, Deputy Clerk Sup Court

Filed for record 11 A. M. Oct. 1st, 1924, and duly registered.

Lillian Harkrader, R. D.

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Deed

Rev. C. W. Williams To Will R. Ziger et al.

Know All men by these presents that Rev. C. W. Williams and Minnie E. Willimas his wife of Surry County in the state of North Carolina in consideration of the sum of twelve hundred dollars payable as follows; cash in hand the receipt whereof is hereb acknowledged have granted, bargained, sold and released and by these presents do grant, bragain, sell release and convey unto Will R. Ziger, J. W. Badgett, J. B. Farrell, J. W. Barker, W. F. Lawrence as Trustees of the Rockford Street Parsonage Methodist Episcopal Church South of Mt. Airy District, Mt. Airy, N. C. and their successors in office as from time to time appointed according to the laws and usages of the Methodist Episcopal Church South and under and pursuant to the laws of this State, all that tract of land situated in Surry County and state of North Carolina, and described as follows to wit; Beginning on the west side of Rockford street and 70 feet North of the intersection of a new street between the Land Company's land and T. M. Brower's runs N. 72/¾ degs. West East 330 feet to the edge of Rockford Street thence with Rockford street S. 16½ degs West 100 feet to the beginning. Second Tract; Beginning on the West edge of Rockford Street Mt. Airy, N. C. on the North side and intersection of a new street between T. M. Brower's and Land Company's land runs with the north edge of a new street North 72¾ degs. West 330 feet North 16½ degs East 70 feet to Aaron Penn's original cor or thence with his line South 72¾ degs. East 330 feet to the edge of Rockford St. thence South 16½ degs. West 70 feet to the beginning. To have and to hold the said premised above described together with all and singular the rights, members, hereditaments and apurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining or incident or appertaining, unto the said Trustees and their successors and assigns forever. In Trust that all said premises shall be used kept maintained and disposed of as a place of divine worship for the use of the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church South residence for the use and occupancy of the preachers of the Methodist Episcopal Church South who may from time to time be appointed in said place; subject to the usage discipline and ministerial appointment of said church as from time to time authorized and declared by the General Conference of said Church and by the Annual Conference within whose bounds the said premises are or may hereafter situated. Whenever it shall shall become necessary or may be deemed expedient by the proper authorities of the said church to sell or otherwise dispose of and convey the same by and thorugh the said trustees and their successors under and pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Discipline of the said Methodist Episcopal Church South then and at that time in force fully discharged of all limitations uses and trusts herein imposed. and the grantee or purchaser shall in no event be responsible or liable for the application or reinvestment of the proceeds of such sale. A lien is hereby expressly retained on said propery to secure the payment of the unpaid purchase money.

The said grantors do hereby bind themselves heirs executors and administrators to warrant and forever defend all and singular th said premises unto the said trustees of the Rockford Street Methodist Episcopal Church South of Mt. Airy, N.C. their successors and assigns against every person who meeover lawfully claiming or to claim the same or any part thereof.

And the said grantor and his wife the said C. W. Williams and Minnie L. Williamas do hereby waive and relinquish all right of dower and homestead in and to said premises in Testimony Whereof the said grantors have hereunto set their hands and seals this 16th day of November, A. D. 1928.

C. W. Williams.
Minnie L. Williams

State of North Carolina, Surry County.

I, W. W. Christian a a Notary Public of said county do hereby certify that C. W. Williams and his wife Minnie L. Williams grantors, personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing deed of trust and the said Minnie L. Williams being by me privately examined, separate and apart from her said husband touching her voluntary execution of the same doth state that she signed the same freely and voluntarily without fear or compulsion of her said husband or any other person and that she doth still volunarily assent thereto. et the said deed and this certificate be registered. Witness my hand and seal this the 1st day of Dec. 1928.

W. W. Christian, N.P.

My com. ex 8/9/23 (Seal)

State of North Carolina, Surry County.

The foregoing certificate of W. W. Christian a N.P. in and for the county of Surry is adjudged to be in due form andaccording to law . Let the foregoing instrument with these certificates be registered. This 24th day of Oct. 1924.

F. T. Lowellin, C. S. C.

Filed for record 10 A. M. Oct. 24ht, 1924, and dulyregsitered.

Lillian Markrader, R. D.

Commissioner's Deed.

W. F. Carter, Comr. To H. O. Woltz.

North Carolina, Surry County.

This deed ,made this 1st day of Nov. 1924, by W. F. Carter, Commissioner, under a judgment of the Superior Court of said county in the special proceedings entitled Fannie Martin Shelton etal ex parte party of the first part toH. O. Woltz of Surry County party of the second part. Witnesseth; That whereas a petition was filed by Fannie Martin Shelton et al ex parte, praying for the sale of the hereinafter described real estate and Whereas John A. artin was duly appointed next friend of Sarah Patton and Willie Patton monors; and Wheras it was alleged in the said petition that H. O. Woltz has offered for the first tract described in the said petition the sum of $550.00 and has offered for the second tract described in the said petition the sum of $xxxxxxxx $250.00; and Whereas the said petitioners ask that the said land be sold to said H. O. Woltx at the prices therein named; and Whereas C. H. Haynes and A. G. Webb disinterested persons filed affidavits stating that in their opinion the prices offered were fair and reasonable and that it was for the best interest of all parties that the sale was consumdated; and Whereas an order was made in the said proceeding by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Surry County directing the land to be sold at the prices therein named and appointing W. F.Carter, commissioner to execute a deed upon the payment of the purchase money, the said order being approved by his honorT . B. Finly judge holding the court of Surry County at its October Term, 1924; andWhereas the purchase money has been paid in full; Now therefore in consideration of the premises and especially in consideration of the payment in full of the purchase money, the said W. F. Carter, Commissioner has bargained and sold and by these presents does bargain, sell and convey unto, said H. O. Woltz and his heirs forever the following described realestate to wit; Tract or parcel of #1; a lot in the tonw of Mt. Airy, fronting on Willow Street and bounded as follows; Beginning at the outside edge of the curbing and at the corner of T. N. Brock and George D. Fawcett on the West edge ofWillow Street and runs with said street in a southerly direction 263 feet to apoint parallel with the line between Mrs. A. E. Sides and the Martin heirs; thnce in a Northerly direction with the line between George D. Fawcett and John A. Martin, 279 feet to the corner between T. N. Brock and Fannie and Richard Shelton and George D. Fawcett; thence with the line between George D. Fawcett and T. N. Brock 117 feet back to Willow Street; at the beginning.Tract or parcel #2; A piece or parcel of land lying n in Mt. Airy, and bounded as follows, to wit; Beginning at a stake on the corner of Mrs. A. E. Sides' lot and runs North 37 degs. 30 ' West 80 feet to an iron pin, thence North 78 degs West 91 feet to an iron pin in John A. Martin's line thence South 30 degs East 90 feet to a stake in Schafer's line, thence South 74 degs 45' West 109 feet to the beginning. To Have and To Hold the aforesaid land and premises unto, said H.O. Woltz and his heirs forever in as full and ample manner as said W. F. Carter, Commissioner aforesaid, is authorized and empowered to convey the same. In Witness Whereof said W. F. Carter Commissioner has hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and year first above written.

W. F. Carter, (Seal)
Commissioner.

Surry County.

Personally appeared before me this day W. F. Carter Commissioner, and acknowledged the due execution of the foregoingdeed of conveyance. Witness my hand and official seal this 1st day of November, 1924.

Anna D. Rector,
Com. ex. 11/15/24.

North Car. SurryCbunty.

The foregoing certificate of Anna D . Rector a Notary Public of Surry County. is adjduged to be corrrect. Let the instrument and certificates be registered. Witness my hand this 3rd day of Nov. 1924.

S. A. Bledsoe, Deputy Clerk Sup. Court.

Filed for record 3rd. M. Nov. 3rd, 1924, and reg. Lillian Markrader, R. D.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—SURRY COUNTY

THIS DEED, made this 24th day of April, 1922, by and between Edward Isaac and wife Sarah Spindle Isaac of the County and State of Surry, of the first part, to Rev. G. W. Williams of Surry County and State of N.C., of the second part:

WITNESSETH, That said Edward Isaac, party of the first part, in consideration of the sum of one thousand Fifty Dollars (1050.00) paid by said party of the second part, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, has bargained and sold, and by these presents does bargain, sell and convey to said Rev. G. W. Williams and his heirs and assigns, a certain tract or parcel of land in Surry County, State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Isaac Mt. Airy and others, and bounded as follows, viz:

First Tract: Beginning on the West side of Rockford Road at the intersection of a new street between said Company and said Isaac's lands, thence North 12 3/4 degs. West 33 feet to an iron stake, thence North 16 1/2 degrees West 148 feet, thence North 12 3/4 degs. East 33 feet to the edge of Rockford St. thence with Rockford St. South 16 1/2 degrees West 148 feet to the beginning.

Second Tract: Beginning on the West edge of Rockford St. in Mt. Airy, North Carolina, on the North side of the intersection of a new street between said Company and said Isaac's lands, thence with the North edge of said new street North 12 3/4 degs. West 33 feet, North 16 1/2 degs. East 44 feet to a stake, Lewis Driver's Corner, thence with his line South 12 3/4 degs. East 33 feet to the edge of Rockford St. thence South 16 1/2 degs. West 148 feet to the beginning.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the aforesaid tract or parcel of land and all privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging to the said Rev. G. W. Williams and his heirs and assigns, to his and their only use and behoof forever.

And the said party of the first part for himself and his heirs, executors and administrators, covenants with said party of the second part, his heirs and assigns, that said Edward Isaac is lawfully seized of said premises in fee, and has a right to convey the same in fee simple; that the same are free from all encumbrances, and that will warrant and defend the said title to the same against the claims of all persons whomsoever.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the said Edward Isaac and wife Sarah Spindle Isaac have hereunto set their hands and seals, the day and year first above written.

Attest: [illegible] Edward Isaac (Seal)

(Seal)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—SURRY COUNTY. } El Paso.

I, this day personally appeared before me Edward Isaac and wife Sarah Spindle Isaac and they acknowledged the execution of the foregoing deed to Rev. G. W. Williams; and the said Sarah Spindle Isaac being by me privately examined, separate and apart from her said husband, touching her voluntary execution of the same, doth state that she signed the same freely and voluntarily, without fear or compulsion of her said husband or any other person, and that she doth still voluntarily assent thereto.

Witness my hand and official seal, this 24th day of April, A. D. 1922

My commission expires [illegible], 192[illegible] [illegible] J. P. (Seal)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—SURRY COUNTY.

The foregoing certificate of [illegible], a Justice of the Peace for [illegible] County, is adjudged to be in due form and according to the laws. Let the instrument, with the certificates, be registered.

Witness my hand and official seal, this 10th day of May, 1922

[illegible] Clerk Superior Court.

Filed at 10 o'clock A. M. May 10, 1922 Registered at 2:25 o'clock P. M. May 24th day of [illegible], 192[illegible]

[illegible] Register of Deeds.

ROCKFORD STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

CHRONOLOGICAL LISTING OF SERVING PASTORS

Year Appointed	Served	Name	Status
1921	5	George W. Williams	Deceased (1954)
1926	1	J.O. Ervin	Deceased (1957)
1927	1	George W. Williams	Deceased (1954)
1928	2	M.W. Heckard	Deceased (1965)
1930	3	R.S. Howie	Unknown
1933	1	Robert G. Tuttle	Deceased (1999)
1934	1	D.H. Rhinehart	Deceased (1970)
1935	2	H.R. Cornelieus	Deceased (1965)
1937	3	H. Grady Hardin, Jr.	Unknown
1940	2	C.E. Williams	Deceased (1965)
1942	3	Edwin M. Graham	Deceased (1950)
1945	4	James E. Rink	Retired (1978)
1949	1	Boyd C. Winn	Unknown
1950	2	J.M. Barber	Deceased (1971)
1952	4	Fred H. Shinn	Deceased (1991)
1956	4	Ben F. Stamey	Deceased (1999)
1960	3	Giles Bowman	Retired (1993)
1963	5	John T. Frazier, Jr.	Retired (1984)
1968	2	Arthur B. Pearce	Deceased (1993)
1970	2	George M. Carver	Deceased (1995)
1972	7	Harry M. Sherrill	Retired (1995)
1979	3	Max Dulin	Retired (1994)
1982	3	Dwight E. Whitlock, Jr.	Retired (1999)
1985	4	Dee Bee M. Martin	Retired (1995)
1989	3	Mark Guyer	Leave of Absence (1994)
1992	5	Mary Rowe Miller	Active
1997	4	Gary W. Leonard	Active

Number of Pastors: 27

Average Length of Stay: 2.96 years



*Current Addresses Of Our Clergy Families:

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Asheboro, N.C. 27203
(336) 625-2643

Frazier, Rev. John T. and Edna
104 Carolina Avenue
Easley, S.C. 29640
(864) 855-0664

Guyer, Rev. W. Mark and Amy
1509 Parma Court
Irving, Texas 75060

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Fletcher, NC 28732
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LAST AND BEST

APPOINTMENT

STAMEY

DAYTONA BEACH — Mr. Ben Franklin Stamey, Sr., 70, of 342 South Ridgewood Ave, Daytona Beach, Fla. passed away September 6, 1999 at Halifax Medical Center, Daytona Beach. A memorial service will be held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, September 11, 1999 at Vogler & Son, Reynolda Rd. Chapel conducted by the Rev. George Chiddie and Dr. George Robinson. Burial will be at Kadesh United Methodist Church Cemetery. Mr. Stamey was born June 13, 1929 to Robert Frank and Annie Alexander Stamey of Fallston, N.C. He graduated from Fallston High School in 1947, Pfieffer Junior College in 1949, Trinity College of Duke University in 1951 and Duke Divinity School with a Bachelor of Divinity in Pratical Theology in 1955 and married Dorothy Swaringen of Concord. He was a member of the Western North Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church from 1954 until his death. During his ministerial career he served in Boonville, Mt. Airy, Swannanoa, Concord, Clemmons and Winston-Salem. He completed the chaplaincy program at NC Baptist Hospital and later retired due to ill health. In 1979 he relocated to Daytona Beach, Fla. where he resided until his death. Survivors are Daughter & Son-in-law, Anne & Hugh Blythe of Charlotte; Son, Ben F. Stamey, Jr. of Winston-Salem, Sisters Margaret S. Royster of Lawndale, Betty S. Simpson of Hendersonville, Eliza S. Ross of Gulf Breeze, Fla., and Kaye S. Nelson, of Ottewak, Tenn. Brothers Dr. Robert H. Stamey of Waynesville, Bill A. Stamey of Miami, Fla., and Gilbert Stamey of Lawndale. Numerous of Neices and Nephews. The family will receive friends following the memorial service on Saturday at the funeral home. Family is being served by Ridge Funeral Home of Asheboro, N.C. Memorials may be made to Chapel Door Fund, Olds Hall Good Samaritan Center, 325 S. Segrave Street, Daytona Beach, Fla. 32114.

CARVER

FOREST CITY — The Re George Maurice Carver, 79, Forest City, died Wednesda November 22, 1995, in Forsy Memorial Hospital, Winsto Salem. He was a native Rutherford County, the son the late Ro Milus and Franc Naomi Padgett Carver. He was former minister at Rockfo Street United Methodist Churc The Rev. Mr. Carver retired i 1978 after having served for 5 years as a Methodist minister t the Western North Carolin Conference. A member of th Ball Creek and in Salisbury, th Civitan Club at Rockwell and former Boy Scout scoutmaste for 10 years. Survivors includ two sons, Stephen George Carver of Bethesda, Md. and David McKinley Carver of High Point; two daughters, Mrs. Martha Carver Lovette of Haw River and Mrs. Deborah Carver Lawrece of Mount Airy; two sisters, Mrs. Viola C. Harris of Forest City and Mrs. Ethel C. Reece of Greenville, S.C.; and six grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday from the First United Methodist Church. with the Rev. Milton Young officiating. Interment will follow in Providence United Methodist Church Cemetery. Visitation will be from 7 until 8:30 p.m. Thursday in the Padgett and King Mortuary, Forest City.

Kilgen Organ Formed Part Of Grand's History

By R.J. BERRIER
Staff Writer

Our trip down Memory Lane this week originally was made possible by two friends, both of whom are long-deceased — P.A. "Pop" Boone and his partner in the local theater business, E.Q. Benbow.

Boone and Benbow made an unbeatable combination for decades in Mount Airy when it came to the movie business. And it was because of the two old-time showmen that Rockford Street United Methodist Church came to possess one of the finest musical instruments anywhere, a Kilgen organ.

The church received the organ when the old Grand Theater, Mount Airy's film palace, was downsized into a smaller movie house. Less space meant that a new home had to be found for the good-sized organ.

Memory is somewhat elusive — as the years advance, it becomes more that way. But we think that Boone and Benbow gave the Kilgen organ to Rockford Street Methodist Church (this was a good many years before the Methodists added the word "United" to their designation) in memory of E.Q.'s parents or mother, or it might have been in memory of both sets of parents.

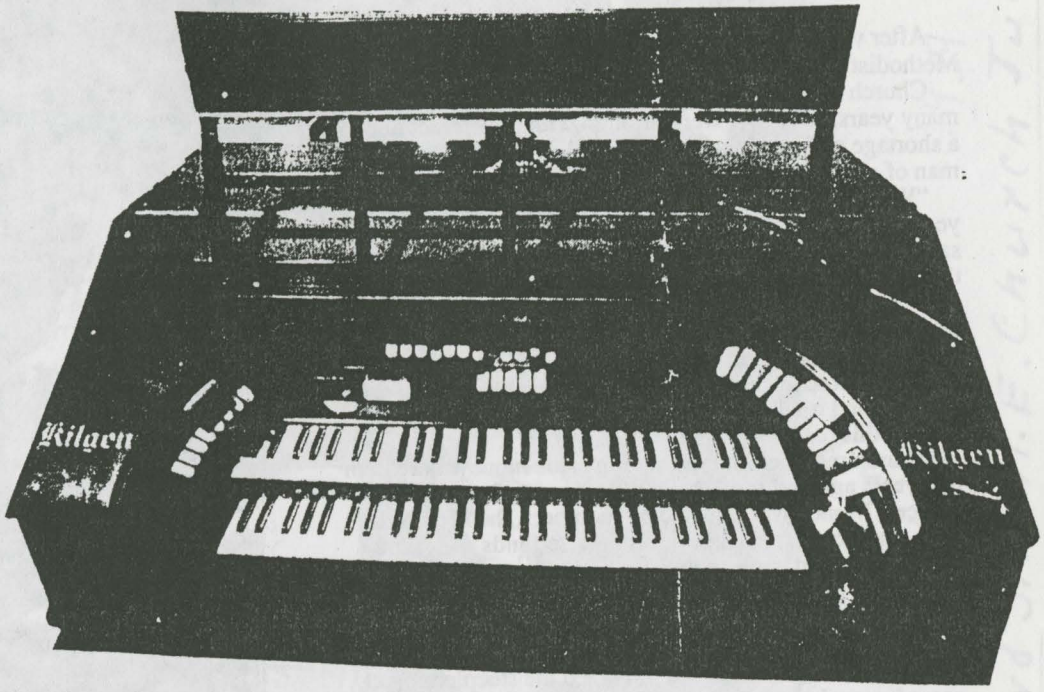
It always did seem fitting that the Rockford Street church would be the home of the famed organ. After all, that was the church where Jack Sargent, the head of North Carolina Granite Corp., made a famous comment.

"Cap'n" Jack donated the granite for those impressive steps leading up to the front entrance of the church. It is said that he came by once upon a time to check on all of the granite that was being taken from his quarry for the church.

He knew the granite was for front steps, but apparently didn't realize just how steep a hill the church was resting on — "I just wanted to see where they were building the stairway to heaven," Sargent said.

But back to the Kilgen organ.

Tom Joyce, the managing editor of *The Mount Airy News*, recently wrote an article about the Kilgen organ after it had been rejuvenated through the efforts and near-magic touch of technician David Chapman of Lexington.



NOW AND THEN: The famed Kilgen organ has been restored to its former glory.

But before Tom's article, we recalled that Barbara Summerlin, a former editor of *The Mount Airy News*, had written an account, probably in an issue of the *Simple Pleasures* publication, about the organ and Winnie Ward. Winnie was a musician whose talent could make Linus, the Greek mythological character who invented melody and rhythm, turn green with envy.

There are said to be only 11 Kilgen organs in the world. The organ was manufactured in St. Louis and came to Mount Airy in 1927.

Winnie, a member of the Ward family of Lambsburg, Va., had been playing in theaters in Macon and Atlanta, Ga. This was in the era of silent films, you remember, and musical prologues were a part of the entertainment.

Anyway, after Boone and Benbow acquired the Kilgen, they needed an artist to play the organ. So Winnie Ward returned home in 1927 to perform on the famed musical instrument. She quickly established a reputation in the area.

The theater would open its doors at 6:30 p.m. Winnie would play the organ until the movie started at 7 p.m. and also provided musical accompaniment for films.

Two speakers were mounted outside the grand old Grand in order for people on Main Street to hear the beautiful sounds.

Barbara's article related that the first song Winnie played on the organ was "My Blue Heaven." It was also the last selection she performed at the old Grand.

Winnie had beauty that equalled her talent. It was said that when she crossed the stage to seat herself at the organ, the musician would get a round of applause.

According to an advertisement by the Grand, which was called "The Family Theater," Winnie would play requests from the audience. "What's your favorite tune? the ad asked. "Ask her and she will play it!"

With the advent of talking movies, the role of theater musician declined. It was in the late 1940s or early 1950 that the famed organ moved into its present home.

It did have one final fling in the old Grand, however.

In an effort to bolster attendance, "Pop" Boone acquired the musical talent of John Mickey, who played the organ in the late 1940s. John was one of the stars of the old Mount Airy Opera Company, performing in many lighthearted operettas on the stage of old Rockford Street School.

More later about the grand old Grand.

Church Gets Steeple After 75-Year-Wait

By BRIAN CHANDLER
Staff Writer

After waiting 75 years, Rockford Street United Methodist Church received a steeple Thursday afternoon.

Church members had planned on adding a steeple for many years, but never went through with the project due to a shortage of funds, according to C.B. Roberson, the chairman of a church board assigned to the steeple.

"We had the original plans to build a steeple from many years ago and decided to use those same plans," Roberson said. "Two years ago, we brought it up to the board and they decided to set up a steeple fund."

Pastor Gary Leonard said the steeple is a long-awaited item for the church members.

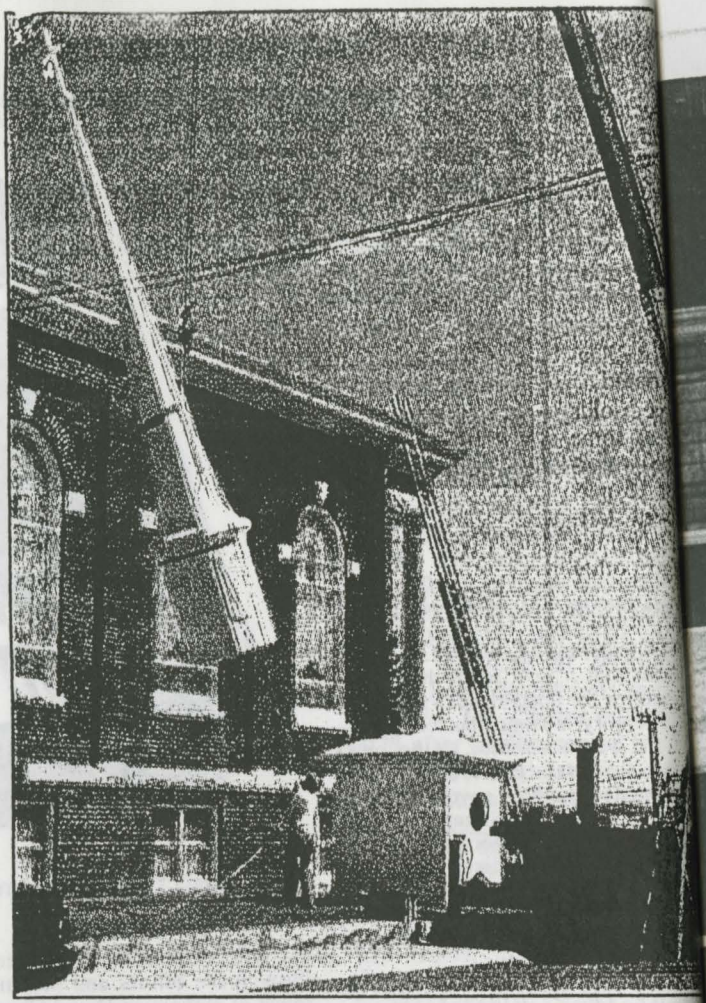
"It really does look good and it does finish off the church," Leonard said. "It will help the community to see us again and it will boost the spirits of people who have wanted this for a long time."

Church members started setting aside money more than two years ago and funds have been coming from emany sources. Money was donated by members, the Methodist Men conducted special projects to raise funds and some members would leave money in their will, specifically for the steeple fund, according to Roberson.

Kyle McCoy was one faithful member who was well known by the church and community. He recently passed away and left a donation that finalized the steeple project, according to Leonard.

"I think probably everyone in the church throughout the years helped out," Leonard said. "Many of the people have given gifts in memory of their family and friends and much of the money has come from that."

The steeple arrived Wednesday afternoon in two pieces. Made strictly of fiberglass, the structure weighs 850 pounds and is 35 feet tall. It was constructed by Blue Ridge Enterprises and placed on the church by Multiserv General Contractors Inc. of Riner, Va.



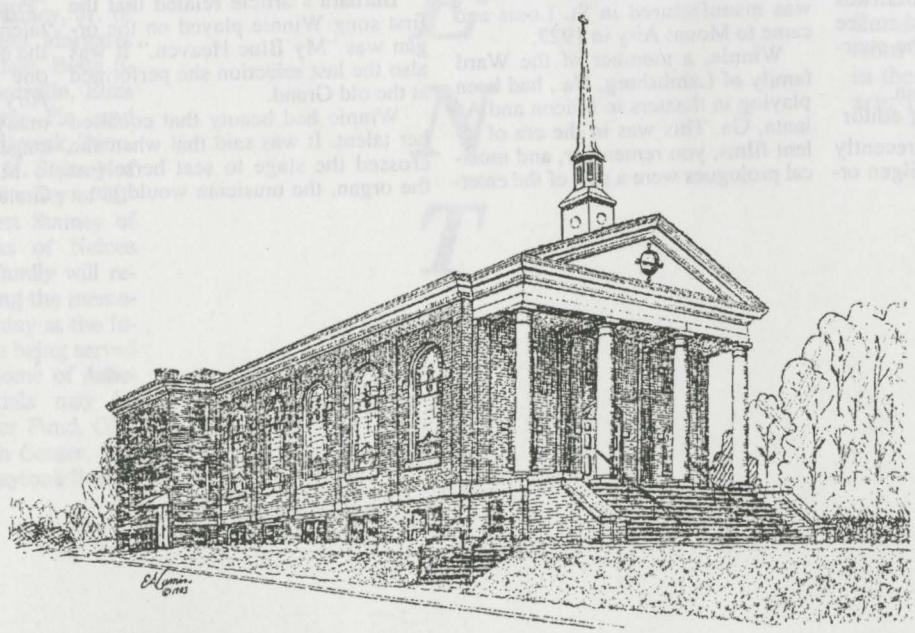
Brian Chandler/The Mount Airy News

SWINGING STEEPLE: Rockford United Methodist Church added a long-awaited steeple Thursday.

Multiserv used a hydraulic crane attached to a truck to lift one part of the steeple onto the base and then the two pieces were bolted together. After construction was completed, the steeple slowly and carefully was lifted onto the top and placed on the front of the church.

Roberson was excited about the steeple being erected and spent the entire day watching and waiting for the project to be finalized.

"It is a long time to not have a steeple," he said excitedly. "I've been a member since 1950 and it has kind of bothered me ever since."





1939

"Daily Vacation Bible School" Rockford St. M.E. Church July - 3

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL, 1936

Row 1:

1. unknown
2. unknown
3. Geraldine Miller
4. Carl Barker
5. Wayne Shelton
6. unknown
7. Gladys Thomas
8. John Kiger
9. Harold McCoy
10. Mrs. Cornelius

Row 2:

11. Rev. Cornelius
12. Jimmie Shelton
13. unknown
14. Pelggy Miller
15. unknown
16. unknown
17. Peppy Lowery
18. unknown
19. unknown
20. unknown
21. unknown
22. unknown

Row 3:

23. unknown
24. Edna Surratt
25. Lorraine Beasley
26. Mabel Cornelius
27. Mary McKnight
28. Roy Lawrence
29. Jack Critz
30. Kathryn Osborne
31. Eva Lou Haymore
32. Clem Gunnell

Row 4:

33. Will Ray Kiger
34. Andy Griffith
35. Walker Shelton
36. Raymond Gunnell
37. Bobby Badgett
38. Johnny McKnight
39. Jimmie Cornelius
40. Garnett Steele

Row 5:

41. Mildred Martin
42. Ella York
43. Lillian Creed
44. Margaret Nichols
45. Frances Hardy
46. Ila Mae "Freckles" Hardy
47. Jack Steele

Row 6:

48. W.R. Kiger, S.S. Supt.



Tom Joyce/The Mount Airy News

WARMING UP: Priscilla Marshall, the organist at Rockford Street United Methodist Church, plays the church's rare Kilgen organ as technician David Chapman listens closely to make sure the former theater instrument is delivering the sounds it should.

Historic Organ Back In Tune

By TOM JOYCE
Managing Editor

An organ that once provided stirring background music for wartime dramas or tales of romance during the silent-movie era now fills every inch of Rockford Street United Methodist Church with the rich tones of favorite hymns.

And local residents familiar with the history of the rare instrument say it now sounds as good as ever, thanks to the tuning efforts of a Lexington resident who searched out the legendary organ last year.

To help mark recent improvements to the Kilgen organ — believed to be one of only 11 in existence in the entire world — a special concert will be held Friday night at the church featuring several visiting musicians.

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Rockford Street United Methodist Church member Lacy Jones said Friday's concert at 7 p.m. will be a way to celebrate a recent project to refurbish the organ's sound — "just give people a chance to hear it. Of course, we've been using the organ all the time, whether it was in tune or not."

Plus, fellow church member Lewis Compton says many people in the local area are familiar with the Kilgen organ's former role at the long-since-departed Grand Theater on Main Street. He says the concert will give them a chance to possibly re-experience the long-ago sounds of the historic instrument.

Jones, 79, remembers those early days of the old

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Organ

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pipe organ's service in Mount Airy, when silent movies graced the silver screen. Since those films contained no soundtrack for music or dialogue, individual theaters hired organists to play along with the movie, with the music enhancing the action or mood of the scene. This was used in conjunction with titles being flashed on the screen to help tell the story.

The Grand Theater organist was Miss Winnie Ward, who still lives and today resides in a nursing home. She possibly will attend Friday night's concert, organizers say. Many theater patrons used to arrive early just to hear her play the organ, even before the celluloid images began appearing on the movie screen for the nightly presentation.

But soon, talking pictures emerged and eventually phased out the profession of theater organist — and the need for the organs themselves. The famed Kilgen organ, manufactured in St. Louis by a now-defunct company — apparently sat unused and gathered dust for 10 or more years, until around the late 1940s. That's when Stentz Badgett of the Rockford Street church convinced theater owners to donate the organ to the Methodist cause.

"I was here when they delivered it," recalled Jones, who pointed out a plaque still attached to the organ. It makes reference to the contribution by legendary theater owners of yesteryear in Mount Airy, Mr. and Mrs. P.A. "Pop" Boone and Mr. and Mrs. E.Q. Benbow.

In the years since, the Kilgen organ enjoyed a new life delivering beautiful accompaniment for hymns each Sunday morning and for other events at the church that was built in 1926 — about the time the old organ was being played for movie audiences just a few blocks away. The current organist is Priscilla Marshall, who said she first performed on the organ years ago as a member of a church youth group.

"I just love that organ. It plays better than any organ I ever played," said the music enthusiast who has been organist at the Rockford Street church for some six years. "You just touch it and it plays."

ORGANISTS

Kate Nichols Christian

Carrie Marion

Margaret Nichols

Pauline Wimbish

Paula Terry Warren

Debbie Martin Elison

Carolyn Bishop Rice

Karen Jane Roberson Burnette

Tamara Carter

Faye Horton

Jo Ann Venable

Priscilla Marshall

Yet, some deterioration in quality of sound was to be expe over the years, simply due to sophistication of this rare in ment.

Enter David Chapman, a l ington resident whose hobbies clude working with old organs trying to educate others about serving historic wind and pipe gans. "It's always been a fasc tion of mine," the organ techni said in an interview at the chu Tuesday afternoon. He and s Rockford Methodist members met there to tell the story of unique instrument and apply s finishing touches in anticipatio Friday's concert that is free open to the public.

"Somebody told me that t thought there used to be a the pipe organ in Mount Airy," Ch man continued in describing h he came to establish a link with local congregation and its fam piece of history.

Since he had a friend in Gal Va., Chapman passed throu Mount Airy frequently, and k picking up bits and pieces about t organ he sought to see firstha The key detective information s faced when he heard the rare K gen was at a church located Rockford Street.

"I kept driving by and final found someone here," Chapm said of his quest for the org which finally hit paydirt last ye "So I went in and found it."

"Then he said he'd like to tune ... so he's enjoyed it and we've e joyed him," reported Marshall, t church organist. "I guess God se him — he just appeared." Membe said another goal of Friday's co cert is to honor Chapman for his e forts in donating his time to wo on the organ.

The man's tuning abilities hav made "a big difference" in the or gan's sound, according to Marshall including eliminating a trouble some squeak that had develope with one of the notes.

What makes the organ unique i essentially its strong, rich tona qualities, said Chapman, adding that "very few" churches can la claim to such an instrument. The old organ was even built with capabilities for percussion sounds such as a bass drum or cymbal would provide; however, these are not used by the church.

*We welcome to today's service Mrs. Judy Joyce. Judy will be speaking for us today.

*Today we will receive the annual Mother's Day Offering for the Triad Methodist Home in Winston-Salem. Please be generous for this wonderful cause. Use the enclosed envelope and please indicate your church on the envelope if you send it in directly.

*A Memorial in honor of all mothers has been given to the church by the United Methodist Women.

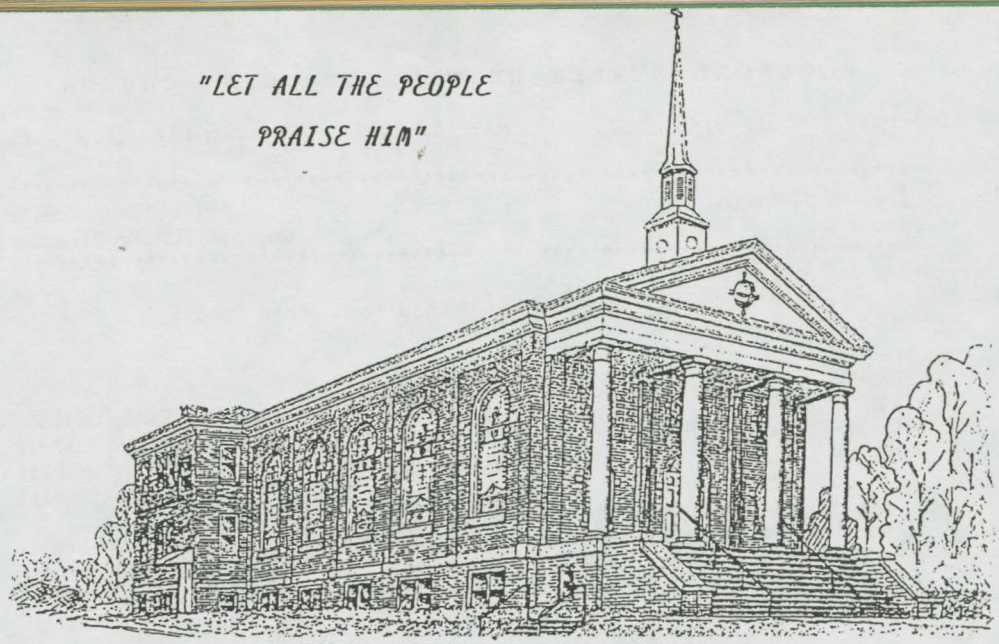
*Future Dates:
- *May 8-26, Pastor's Vacation
- *May 20, United Methodist Men's Yard Sale at (OG) UMC
- *June 2, U.M.Y.F. Lock-In
- *June 8-11, Western N.C. Annual Conference, Lake Junaluska

*Yokefellows Emphasis: May - Macaroni and Cheese

*Financial Report:
- *All reports will be given at a later date

*Prayer Concerns: J.D. Atkins, Helen Banner, Edith Beeson, Arthur & Dorothy Bishop, Stephanie Carpenter, Bill Carter, Evelyn & Gilmer Carter, Gary Compton, Heather Cid, Gary Edwards, Tom Houck, Lynn Hewitt, Virginia Kiger, Clara Jones, A.C. (Connie) Leonard (4523 Lawndale Dr., #302, Greensboro, NC 27455), Cora Leonard (Greensboro), Rev. Wayne McMillan, Frances Parris (Conover), Carrie Sparks, Jack steele, Pleas & Mary Strickland, Rachel Turner (Cone Hosp.). 12 OAKS: Emma Harbour, Polly Nixon. SURRY NURS. HOME: Margaret Nichols. CENTRAL CONT. CARE: Hazel Bullin, Lou Branscomb.

"LET ALL THE PEOPLE PRAISE HIM"



UNITED METHODIST WOMEN'S SUNDAY

ROCKFORD STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Church:
520 Rockford Street
(336) 789-3743

Parsonage:
839 Hilda Drive
(336) 786-1370

Mount Airy, North Carolina 27030

Your presence is a blessing to us, and we hope you will come back and worship with us each Sunday! We welcome all people to worship with us. Please fill out a yellow visitor's card and put it into the offering plate or give it to an usher.

ROCKFORD STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m. MAY 14, 2000 Worship, 11:00 a.m.

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Gary W. Leonard — Pastor
Priscilla Marshall — Organist/Choir Director

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Mother's Day - United Methodist Women's Sunday

PRELUDE
LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES — Fanny Sutphin
*CHORAL INTROIT — Choir
*WELCOME — Patsy Bobbitt
*CALL TO WORSHIP — Patsy Bobbitt

Leader: We come together as the church.
People: We come to offer praise and thanksgiving to God, to hear God's Holy Word, and to seek for our selves and others the power, the presence, & the direction of the Holy Spirit.
Leader: Brothers and Sisters alike, let us come before God with an open heart.

*CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER — Irene Brannock

Eternal God, by Jesus Christ and the Holy Spirit, you gave to your apostles many excellent gifts. Give your grace to all the servants of your Church: That we may with diligence and faithfulness fulfill our various ministries. Grant that we, your people, may follow where you lead us, & live in joyful obedience to Your will through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" # 89
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH "The Apostles' Creed" (#881) Kate Badgett
*GLORIA PATRI

GREETING OUR CHURCH FAMILY AND GUESTS

SCRIPTURE READING — Helen Banner

ANTHEM — Choir

A TIME TO THINK YOUNG — Judy Joyce

ANNOUNCEMENTS — Mary Cole

SPECIAL MUSIC — Judy, Kim & Jean Joyce

SHARING THE JOY AND THE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

JOYS AND CONCERNS
A TIME FOR PRAYER — Judy Joyce
Moments of Meditation
Feel free to come to the altar and pray at this time
Pastoral Prayer

GIVING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS
*SUNG RESPONSE
"Give thanks with a grateful heart. Give thanks to the Holy One. Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son. Give thanks. Give thanks."
*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*HYMN OF PREPARATION "Children Of The Heavenly Father" #141

SCRIPTURE LESSON
SERMON — Judy Joyce

*HYMN OF RESPONSE "When We All Get To Heaven" #701
*CALL TO DISCIPLESHIP
The altar is open to anyone who would like to come and pray
*BENEDICTION
*CHORAL RESPONSE — Choir

*The Congregation is invited to stand.

USHERS: Linda Lawson, Lummie McMillan, Ruth Sawyers, Anne Wall
GREETERS: Polly Rodgers, Sissy Ward

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OUR CHURCH IN ACTION

TODAY:	8:00 a.m.	Charge United Methodist Men at Rockford St. UMC
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Worship Service
MONDAY:	9:00 a.m.	Men's and Women's Prayer Groups
WEDNESDAY:	7:00 p.m.	Choir Practice
SATURDAY:	7:00-Noon	United Methodist Men's Yard Sale at (OG) UMC

The Poinsettias have been donated by:

Stentz and Kate Badgett
In Honor of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Banner

Lewis and Betty Compton
In Honor of our children and grandchildren

Helen Dalton
In Memory of Miles C. Dalton
In Memory of Lloyd D. Dalton

Allison Hemrick
In Memory of Bertie Gunnell

Thomas H. Houck
In Memory of Mrs. Bertha B. Houck

Gary and Marilynn Leonard
In Honor of Mrs. Cora Leonard
In Memory of Dr. Otho and Gatha H. Jennings

Roscoe and Florence Martin
In Memory of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin

Gladys Neal
In Memory of Bernard and Little Billie

C.B. and Jamie Roberson
In Honor of Karen Jane, Bruce, Amy & Sarah Burnette
In Memory of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hatcher
In Memory of Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Roberson

Ruth Sawyers and Margaret Clement
In Memory of Romey Sawyers

Alex Stanley
In Memory of Gary Stanley

Pat, Larry, Alex, Nicole & Beth Stanley
In Memory of Pete and Kitty Cole

Garnett Steele
In Honor of my wife, Mary Ann
In Memory of Mary Steele Joyce

ROCKFORD STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



HANGING OF THE GREEN

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GARY W. LEONARD, Pastor — PRISCILLA MARSHALL, Organist

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PRELUDE

INVOCATION — C.B. ROBERSON, LAY LEADER

WELCOME — REV. LEONARD

*CAROL "ANGELS FROM THE REALMS OF GLORY" No. 220

*CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: TONIGHT WE COME TOGETHER TO PREPARE FOR THE BIRTHDAY OF A KING.

PEOPLE: TONIGHT WE MAKE READY OUR WELCOME FOR GOD'S ONLY SON, JESUS OF NAZARETH.

LEADER: WE BEGIN THIS SPECIAL AND HOLY SEASON OF ADVENT, THE SEASON OF GOING TOWARD THE BIRTH OF CHRIST.

PEOPLE: AS WE RENEW THE SPECIAL MEANING OF THE ADVENT SEASON, THE SEASON OF GOING TOWARD NEW HOPE AND ETERNAL LIFE,

LEADER: LET US CLEAR OUR MINDS AND OPEN OUR HEARTS TO THE COMING OF THE LORD.

PEOPLE: LET US HONOR HIS BIRTH THROUGH THE DECORATIONS WITH WHICH WE WILL ADORN OUR CHURCH FOR THE COMING OF THE KING.

LEADER: LET OUR SONGS AND SYMBOLS REPRESENT OUR PERSONAL REDEDICATION OF THE GLORY OF GOD AND THE MANIFESTATION OF HIS LOVE THROUGH HIS SON, JESUS CHRIST.

UNISON: "FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD, THAT HE GAVE HIS ONLY BEGOTTEN SON, THAT WHOSOEVER BELIEVETH IN HIM SHOULD NOT PERISH, BUT HAVE EVERLASTING LIFE."

MEANING OF THE SERVICE — MARILYNN LEONARD, NARRATOR

THE ADVENT WREATH

SEPCIAL MUSIC "WHAT CHILD IS THIS" JEAN POWELL

THE NATIVITY

SPECIAL MUSIC "AWAY IN A MANGER" JACKIE LEONARD

THE EVERGREENS

SPECIAL MUSIC "BEAUTIFUL STAR OF BETHLEHEM" CHOIR

THE POINSETTIAS

THE CHRISMONS

THE CHRISMON TREE

PRAYER OF DEDICATION — REV. LEONARD

THE CHRISTMAS STORY "LUKE 2" REV. LEONARD

THE PROCLAMATION

*CAROL "JOY TO THE WORLD" (VERSE 1,4) No. 246

*BENEDICTION

*THE CONGREGATION IS INVITED TO STAND.

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE SERVED IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE BENEDICTION.

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The additional Chrismons we are dedicating this evening are due to the efforts of one lady, Mrs. Helen Banner. We would like to thank Helen for all of her time and efforts in making these Chrismons.

CHOIR JUBILEE

NOVEMBER 7, 1999
ROCKFORD STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
520 ROCKFORD STREET
5:00 P.M.

FEATURING:
GREATER MOUNT AIRY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CHOIRS

JOIN US
AS WE PRAISE GOD IN SONG!

FELLOWSHIP AFTER THE JUBILEE

HALLOWEEN STATION

ROCKFORD ST UNITED METHODIST

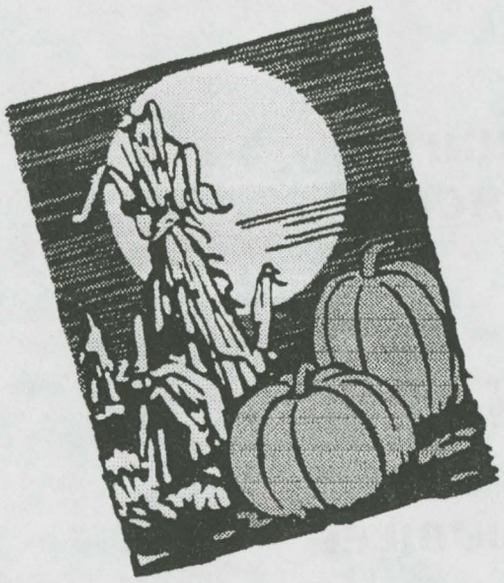
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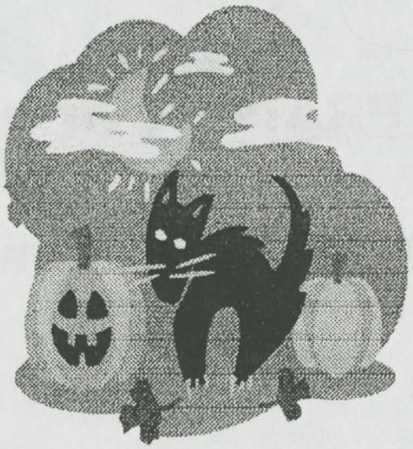
5 - 7 PM

520 ROCKFORD STREET
MOUNT AIRY, NC

KIDS

Come join us for a safe and fun night. There will be games, prizes, refreshments and lots and lots of fun!!!







Mount Airy Happenings

Gladys Neal, Tom Houck

■ Another celebration with a different meaning took place recently in the fellowship hall of Rockford Street United Methodist Church.

Gladys Neal and Tom Houck, two faithful members, were given a surprise birthday party on Oct. 15. The party was hosted by the Wesley Sunday School Class, with Kate Badgett, class president, serving as chairman.

Gladys thought she was going to a surprise party for Tom and Tom thought he was going to a surprise party for Gladys. They were both surprised when each was escorted to the altar and seated.

Gladys had taught the Sunday school class in the past years and Tom, the present teacher, has taught for several years.

Gladys' daughter, Beverly Barnette, reminisced about her mother while Tom's brother, Bill Houck of Chapel Hill, and great-nephew, Graham Atkinson, told some interesting facts about Tom.

The Rev. Gary Leonard, pastor, and his wife, Marilynn, along with the choir, sang for the honorees and the audience which included many friends and relatives.

Everyone was invited to the fellowship hall for refreshments following the celebration in the sanctuary.





ROCKFORD STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

July 9, 2000

4:00 p.m.

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Gary W. Leonard — Pastor

Priscilla Marshall — Organist/Choir Director

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Dedication
and
Flag Presentation Service

PRELUDE

WELCOME — Kate Badgett

INVOCATION — Roscoe Martin

*HYMN "America The Beautiful" #696/Back

*DEDICATION OF NEW FLAGS — Rev. Leonard

Pledge to the American Flag

Pledge to the Christian Flag

Pledge to the Bible

ANTHEM "America Medley" — Choir

MEANING OF THE AMERICAN FLAG — Lewis Compton

MEANING OF THE CHRISTIAN FLAG — Irene Brannock

PRESENTATION OF FLAGS — Keith Bobbitt

*NATIONAL ANTHEM — Jo Ann Hines

*BENEDICITON — Rev. Leonard

POSTLUDE

*The Congregation is invited to stand.

DEDICATION OF NEW FLAGS

PRESENTER: The Wesley Class presents these flags to Rockford Street United Methodist Church to be consecrated to the glory of Almighty God and for service in this church.

CONGREGATION: We accept these flags as a sacred trust and will guard and use them reverently.

PASTOR: In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, we consecrate these flags to the glory of God. And in memory of God's servant Rufas Stantz Badgett, The memory of the righteous is ever blessed.

PRAYER (Pastor): Most Loving God, without you no word or works of ours have meaning. Accept the gifts of our hands as symbols of our devotion.

Grant us Your blessing, as we have consecrated these gifts to Your glory, that they may be an enduring witness before all your people, and that our lives may be consecrated in your service;

Through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

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PLEDGE TO THE UNITED STATES FLAG

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

PLEDGE TO THE CHRISTIAN FLAG

I pledge allegiance to the Christian Flag, and to the Savior for whose kingdom it stands, one brotherhood uniting all Christians in service and love.

PLEDGE TO THE BIBLE

I pledge allegiance to the Bible, God's Holy Word, and will make it a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path, and hide its words in my heart that I may not sin against God.

"SENIOR SAINTS—WORTH THEIR WEIGHT IN GOLD"

During the Middle Ages, people were married at thirteen; were warriors and leaders in their teens; and senile at thirty-five or forty. The Black Prince was sixteen when he won fame at the Battle of Creacy. Joan of Arc was seventeen when she took Orleans from the English. Montaigne tells us he hardly ever met a man as old as fifty. When the dramatists in Spain's great age (from 1550 to 1650) designated a man as old, they meant him to be about forty, yellowed, wrinkled, and toothless.

Times have changed. Recently a study was made of 400 outstanding achievers. The names were chosen from a wide variety of vocations and activities. Experts were asked to review, evaluate, & amend the selections. It was found that the persons between the ages of sixty and seventy produced thirty-five percent of the world's greatest achievements. Twenty-three percent were produced by persons between seventy and eighty years of age. The most outstanding finding of this study was that sixty-four percent of the great achievements were made by persons who had passed their sixtieth birthday.

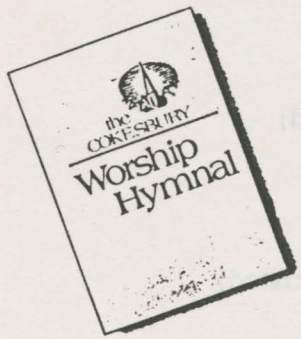
Today, people over sixty-five comprise one of the greatest potential work forces for Christ. They have been released from an oppressive work schedule. There is no longer a ringing alarm, no hectic rush to punch the time clock, and no imposed regimen of activity. They are free to do what they want to do, when they want to do it. They can achieve more for Christ in the future than they ever have in the past. There are still many things for them to do.

So, a word of advice to our Senior Citizens! Get involved in the work of the Lord and His church, every way possible. Establish goals for yourself. You will not achieve any more for Christ in the future than the goals you establish. No matter how many birthdays lie behind you, it is the time that is ahead that counts. Make that time count for Christ.

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Rockford United Methodist Church





DEDICATION

ROCKFORD STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

June 27, 1999 - 5:00 p.m.

Wesley Class

Dedication of New Cokesbury Hymnals

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INVOCATION

*HYMN OF PRAISE "Praise Him! Praise Him!" #238

WORDS IN MEMORY OF "MISS WINNIE" WILSON — Kate Badgett

*DEDICATION OF THE COKESBURY HYMNALS

Minister:
To the glory of God, who has called us by grace;
to the honor of Jesus Christ, who loved us and gave himself for us;
to the praise of the Holy Spirit, who illumines and sanctifies us;
People: we dedicate these hymnals.

For the comfort of all who mourn;
for strength to those who are tempted;
for light to those who seek the way;
we dedicate these hymnals.

In the unity of the faith;
in the bond of brotherhood and sisterhood;
in love and goodwill to all;
we dedicate these hymnals.

In loving remembrance of those who have finished their course;
in the hope of eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord;
we dedicate these hymnals.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION — Congregation

We now, the people of the Wesley Class and our friends,
surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses,
grateful for our heritage,
aware of the sacrifices of our mothers and fathers in the faith,
and confessing that apart from us their work cannot be made perfect,
dedicate ourselves anew to the worship and service of Almighty God;
through Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

ANTHEM "Standing On The Promises" — Choir
"Dwelling In Beulah Land" — Men's Chorus

*HYMN "I Will Sing Of My Redeemer" # 47

SPECIAL MUSIC — The Leonards

YOUR CHOICE OF SONGS FROM COKESBURY HYMNAL

*CLOSING HYMN "Higher Ground" #127

*BENEDICTION — Rev. Leonard

JOY

BELLS

***The Rose** on the altar today is in honor of Ashley Grace Clement, born June 25, 1997, to Dean and Janine Clement; Granddaughter of Phillip and Margaret Clement; Great-granddaughter of Ruth Sawyer.

Kamryn Alysa Semones

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Semones, Rock Hill Church Road, Ararat, announce the birth of a daughter, Kamryn Alysa, on April 24 at Forsyth Medical Center, weight 7 pounds 3 ounces.

Mrs. Semones is the former Alyson Wall. The grandparents are Ray and Anne Wall and Wayne and Dianne Semones.

***The rose of the altar** is in honor of John Curtis Clement, born September 22, 1997. He is the son of Doug & Johnna Clement, grandson of Phillip & Margaret Clement, great-grandson of Ruth Sawyers.

Christian Anne Miller

The Reverends Doug and Mary Miller announce the arrival of a daughter, Christian Anne, who was born on Sunday, Dec. 15, at Forsyth Memorial Hospital, weight 9 pounds 6 ounces.

Christian is joined by her older sister, Jordan Ashley.

***Congratulations** to Eric & Lisa (Leonard) Holt on the arrival of little Miss Moriah Cathryn Holt, born Friday, March 24, weighing 8 lbs. 13½ oz. Gary and Marilynn are breathing great sighs of relief and thanking God for His goodness once again.

***The rosebuds** on the altar today are in honor of Elliott Lee and Logan Gray Bennett, twin grandsons of JoAnn Venable.

***A rose** has been placed on the altar to honor little Miss Greta Renee East, daughter of proud parents James & Tammy, and granddaughter of very proud grandparents Glen and Ruby.

"THE CHILD'S APPEAL"

I am the Child.
All the world waits for my coming.
All the earth watches with interest to see
what I shall become.
Civilization hangs in the balance,
For what I am, the world of tomorrow will be.

I am the Child.
I have come into your world, about which I
know nothing.
Why I came I know not;
How I came I know not.
I am curious; I am interested.

I am the Child.
You hold in your hand my destiny.
You determine, largely, whether I shall
succeed or fail.
Give me, I pray you, those things that make
for happiness.
Train me, I beg you, that I may be a blessing
to the world.

--Mamie Gene Cole

WEDDING BELLS

AND OTHER JOYS

Then and Now

Wall-Semones

Alyson Pauline Wall and Gregory Wayne Semones were married Saturday at 6 p.m. in Rockford Street United Methodist Church. Craig Hamlin, pastor of East Taylorsville Baptist Church, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ray Wall, 408 Fulton Ave., Mount Airy. She graduated from Mount Airy High School and Surry Community College with an associates degree in nursing and is currently employed at Forsyth Memorial Hospital as a registered nurse.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wayne Semones, 106 Brentwood Drive, Mount Airy. He graduated from Mount Airy High School and Surry Community College with an associates degree in applied science. He is currently employed at L.S. Starrett as an electronic technician.

The wedding music was presented by Shaun Draughn, soloist, and Priscilla Marshall, organist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Andrea Wall of Charlotte, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Misty Semones, sister of the bridegroom, Chastiny Hull, Kristi Draughn, Flannery Heath and Tina Phillips, all of Mount Airy.

The bridegroom's father served as best man. The ushers were Chris Lee of Fairfax, Va., Clark Atkins of Asheville and Travis Sizemore, Chris Heath and Trey Leonard of Mount Airy.

The bride's parents entertained with a reception at the Mount Airy Country Club.

After a cruise to Key West and Cozumel, the bridal couple will make their home in Mount Airy.

McCOY ORDAINED

Father Bernard McCoy, O. Cist., was recently ordained for Our Lady of Spring Bank Abbey, Sparta.

McCoy, the son of Mrs. Bertie McCoy of Mount Airy and the late Harrell McCoy, will be remembered here as Vann McCoy. When he was ordained his name was changed.

McCoy was ordained by Bishop Raymond Burke of the La Crosse Diocese. The service was held in the chapel of Spring Bank's new monastery building.

Father McCoy is the first priest to be ordained for the communiy in 25 years.

The Mount Airy native grew up as a Methodist. He attended Georgia Tech as a physics major before enrolling in Thomas Aquinas College, Santa Paula, Calif., a small Catholic college.

McCoy, 28, converted to Catholicism his freshman year at Thomas Aquinas. After graduating in 1988, he taught for a year at a private school in California before joining the Cistercians.

He undertook four years of seminary training at the University of Fribourg, Switzerland, where, in addition to theology, he studied French, Greek and Hebrew. His last two years of theology were completed at St. John's Seminary in Collegeville where, in addition to theology, he undertook specialized training in liturgy, monastic studies and spiritual direction.

50TH ANNIVERSARY

Lewis and Betty Compton, 1271 Pinecreek Trail, Mount Airy, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary March 16. They were honored by their children and daughter-in-law on March 14 with a family party at the Plantation Inn Restaurant, Raleigh. Eight people attended. The Comptons have three children, Reginald T. Compton of Rutherfordton, Gary B. Compton of Raleigh and Gayle Renee Compton of Wilmington. They also have two grandchildren., Both Mr. and Mrs. Compton are retired.

50th Anniversary

C.B. and Jamie Roberson of Mount Airy celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, Aug. 25, from 2 to 4 p.m. with a reception in the fellowship hall of Rockford Street United Methodist Church. The hosts were the couple's daughter and son-in-law, Karen and Bruce Burnette, and the couple's granddaughters, Amy and Sarah Burnette of Mooresville. Mr. Roberson is a retired oil distributor. Mrs. Roberson is a retired school teacher from the Mount Airy school system.



50TH ANNIVERSARY

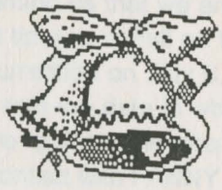
William and Geraldine Wagoner were honored with a 50th wedding anniversary celebration on Sept. 21 hosted by their daughters, Mrs. Clyde (Barbara) Peele and Mrs. Joseph (Deborah) Sammons, and sons, Ricky Wagoner and Brian Wagoner, all of Mount Airy.

Their grandchildren are Tracy Weatherford of Fort Bragg, Stacia Parker of Mocksville, Amy Peele, Holly Peele, Shawn Heifrin, Kevin Heifrin and Kourtney Wagoner of Mount Airy.

Others enjoying chicken stew included Marsha Wagoner, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Miller, Mrs. Johnny Nance, Mrs. Bill White, Mrs. Mildred Loflen, Gerald Collins, Barbara Hiatt and Jason Harpe.

Clyde Peele prepared the chicken stew. Joseph Sammons arranged the fruit and vegetable trays and Richie Parker made the anniversary cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Wagoner were married on Sept. 18, 1946.



"O GOD OF LOVE, TO THEE WE BOW"

O God of Love, to Thee we bow,
And pray for these before Thee now,
That closely knit in holy vow,
They may in Thee be one.

When days are filled with pure delight,
When paths are plain and skies are bright,
Walking by faith and not by sight,
May they in Thee be one.

When stormy winds fulfil Thy will,
And all their good seems turned to ill,
Then, trusting Thee completely still,
May they in Thee be one.

What e'er in life shall be their share
Of quickening joy or burdening care,
In power to do and grace to bear,
May they in Thee be one.

Eternal Love, with them abide;
In Thee forever may they hide,
For even death cannot divide
Those whom Thou makest one.

--William Vaughan Jenkins

GOLDEN BELLS

1995 - 2000

Memorial Quilt:

The Worship Committee has developed a **Memorial Quilt** which is used on Memorial Day Sunday, Homecoming Sunday, and All Saints Day, to help remind us that we are all connected to the Body of Christ. The memorial quilt was also used for the first time as a Pall on the casket of LILLIAN MCCOY CARPENTER during her service of Death and Resurrection on July 6, 1995.The quilt has names of members and family of Rockford Street UM Church with the date in which they passed away. Please take a moment after the service today to look at the quilt on the altar. If you would like your loved one's name remembered on the quilt, please get in contact with FANNY SUTPHIN.

BULLIN

Mr. Dillard Emory Bullin, 81, of 1527 Forrest Dr., Mount Airy, the husband of Mrs. Hazel Hale Bullin , died Thursday night, December 11, 1997, at his home. Mr. Bullin was born February 26, 1916 in Surry County to the late John and Ellen Hutson Bullin. He was owner and operator of Bullin Well Drilling, was a well known mechanic and was of the Primitive Baptist faith. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Hazel Hale Bullin of the home; two daughters and sons-in-law, Juanita and Howard Carpenter and Ronda and David Burnett, all of Mount Airy; five grandchildren, Allen and Delana Carpenter, Amy and Ted Edwards, Benji Burnett, Jason Burnett and Wendy Burnett, all of Mount Airy; one sister, Mrs. Thelma Goins of Ararat; three brothers, John Mac Bullin and Alfred Bullin, both of Dobson, and Earley Clinton Bullin of Mount Airy; and several nieces and nephews. In addition to his parents, Mr. Bullin was preceded in death by two sisters, Lula Brown and Stella Holyfield. Funeral services will be held Sunday, December 14, at 2 p.m. in the Moody Funeral Home Chapel in Mount Airy, conducted by the Rev. Gary W. Leonard and the Rev. Joey Lane, with burial to follow in Union Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery. The family will receive friends Saturday night from 7 until 9 p.m. in the Moody Funeral Home in Mount Airy. Flowers will be accepted or memorials may be made to Northern Home Health Care, 933 Rockford St., Mount Airy, N.C. 27030.

CARTER

Mr. William Harry Carter, 75, of Twelve Oaks Nursing Home, Mount Airy, died Thursday, October 16, 1997, in Elkin Healthcare Center, Elkin. Mr. Carter was born October 24, 1921 in Patrick County, Virginia to John Edgar and Della Pruitt Carter. He was an avid lover of all sports, served his country in the 71st Infantry of the United States Army during World War II, was retired from the Advertising Department of *The Mount Airy News* and was a member of Rockford Street United Methodist Church. Surviving are one son, Bill G. Carter Sr., Northfield Drive, King; three grandchildren; one great-grandchild; two sisters, Margaret Kyle of Winston-Salem and Betty Jane Seal of Three Rivers, Mich.; and two brothers, Gilmer Carter and Moir Carter, both of Mount Airy. Mr. Carter is at the Cox-Needham Funeral Home and Chapel in Pilot Mountain. There will be no visitation. The immediate family will have a private service at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested memorials be made to the Rockford Street United Methodist Church, 520 Rockford Street, Mount Airy, N.C. 27030 or Northern Hospital of Surry County, 830 Rockford Street, Mount Airy, N.C. 27030.

GUNNELL

Mrs. Bertie Elizabeth Gunnell, 90, of 2838 Westfield Road, Mount Airy, the widow of the late Leonard Wood Gunnell, died Saturday, September 19, 1998, at the Northern Hospital of Surry County. Mrs. Gunnell was born October 25, 1907, in Carroll County, Va., to the late Christopher Columbus Nester and Ona Lavinia Semones Nester. Mrs. Gunnell was retired from Spencers Inc. and had been a member of Rockford Street United Methodist Church for 65 years. Surviving are one daughter and son-in-law, Peggy and Ned Worrell of Roanoke, Va.; two grandchildren, Susan Worrell of Roanoke, and Robert Worrell of Richmond, Va.; and one sister, Zelma Willard of Mount Airy. Graveside services will be held Monday at 11 a.m. at Skyline Memory Gardens with services conducted by the Rev. Gary Leonard. In lieu of flowers the family requests that memorials be made to the Rockford Street United Methodist Church, 520 Rockford St., Mount Airy, N.C. 27030. Moody Funeral Services is serving the

JARVIS

Mrs. Daisy Edessa Horton Jarvis, 86, of 542 Allred Mill Road, Mount Airy, the widow of Robert Anderson Jarvis Jr., passed away on Tuesday, August 17, 1999, in Surry Community Nursing Center after several years of declining health. Mrs. Jarvis was born on March 9, 1913, in Carroll County, Va., the daughter of the late Floyd and Mattie Guynn Horton. Mrs. Jarvis retired from Quality Mills after 29 years of service, and was a member of Rockford Street United Methodist Church. Survivors include one daughter and son-in-law, Margaret and Silas Junior Smith of Mount Airy; one son, Robert A. Jarvis III, of Irving, Texas; a former daughter-in-law, Karen Finger Jarvis of Grand Prairie, Texas; one granddaughter and spouse, Melissa and Kenny Benfield of Mount Airy; three grandsons and spouses, Mitchell and Cheryl Smith of Mount Airy, Robert A. Jarvis IV and Felicia Jarvis of Lewisville, Texas, and John and Tausha Jarvis of Odessa, Texas; six great-grandchildren, Lathan Mae, Wesley Smith, Marcus Benfield and Joshua Benfield, all of Mount Airy, and Alyssa Jarvis and Karli Javis, both of Odessa, Texas; and two brothers, Thurman Horton of Sun City, Calif. and Roby Horton of Hillsville, Va. In addition to her husband and parents, Mrs. Jarvis was preceded in death by a daughter, Lula Mae Jarvis; a sister, Nora Horton Hull; and four brothers, Carl Horton, Sidney Horton, Richard Horton and Floyd Horton. The funeral service will be held on Thursday, August 19, 1999, at 2 p.m. in the Moody Funeral Home Chapel of Mount Airy. The service will be conducted by Elder Elbert Hunter and Brother Lee Boyette, with burial in Oakdale Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Wednesday from 7 until 9 p.m. in Moody Funeral Home of Mount Airy and, at other times, at the home of Margaret Smith, 1059 Pipers Gap Road, Mount Airy, N.C. 27030. Flowers will be accepted.

CARTER

Mrs. Margaret Steele Carter, 75, of 1935 Massey Road, Mount Airy, the wife of Mr. D.C. "Bill" Carter, died Tuesday afternoon, December 9, 1997, at her home. Mrs. Carter was born March 15, 1922 in Surry County, the daughter of the late Walter L. and Nancy Lester Steele. She was a retired associate of Roses Inc. and a member of Rockford Street United Methodist Church. She is survived by her husband, D.C. "Bill" Carter of the home; a daughter, Carolyn Carter Smith of Mount Airy; two sons and a daughter-in-law, Michael C. Carter of Charlotte and Thomas H. and Pat Carter of Statesville; six grandchildren; five step-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; a sister, Mary Joyce of Vero Beach, Fla.; and two brothers, Jack Steele and Garnett Steele, both of Mount Airy. The family will receive friends Thursday night from 7 until 9 p.m. in the Moody Funeral Home in Mount Airy. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made to Rockford Street United Methodist Church, 520 Rockford St., Mount Airy, N.C. 27030, or Hospice of Surry County, 1326 N. Main St., Mount Airy, N.C. 27030.

BADGETT

MT. AIRY — Mr. Rufus Stentz Badgett, age 78, of 219 East Church St., Mt. Airy, N.C., husband of Mrs. Kate Leonard Badgett, died Tuesday, January 11, 2000 at his home. Mr. Badgett was born April 24, 1921 in Surry County to the late Harvey and Ella Key Badgett. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army Air Corp, surviving in WWII in China, Burma, and India. Mr. Badgett was a Commander of the Mt. Airy V.F.W. Post 2019, was a member and Board member of Rockford Street United Methodist Church and was also retired from R.E.A. Express. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Kate Leonard Badgett of the home and one daughter, Amy Badgett of Winston-Salem; In addition to his parents, Mr. Badgett was preceded in death by a sister, Carrie Marion and by a brother, Bobby Badgett. Funeral services will be held Thursday, January 13, 2000 at 2:00 p.m. at the Rockford St. United Methodist Church with services conducted by Rev. Gary Leonard and Rev. Harry Sherrill with burial to follow in the Oakdale Cemetry with full military rites conducted by the V.F. W. 11th District Memorial Honor Guard Northern Division. The family will receive friends Wednesday night from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Moody Funeral Home in Mt. Airy, N.C. Flowers will be accepted or memorials may be made to Northern Hospice, P.O. Box 6626, Mt. Airy, N.C. 27030.

1OORE

Mrs. Zelma Irene Hoffman Roberts Moore, 92, of 402 Culbert St., Mount Airy, the wife of Mr. Hurley Moore, died early Sunday morning, March 30, 1997, in Northern Hospital of Surry County in Mount Airy. Born December 9, 1904 in Gaston County, Mrs. Moore was the daughter of the late Ambrose and Martha Capps Hoffman. She was retired from Renfro Corp., a member of RSVP, past president of the Mount Airy Senior Citizens, had a life membership in the United Methodist Women and was a former Pink Lady at Northern Hospital of Surry County. She also taught the Ladies Adult Sunday School Class at Rockford Street United Methodist Church for 30 years, where she was a member, and was a homemaker. Surviving are her husband, Mr. Hurley Moore of the home; two daughters and sons-in-law, Pansy and Francis Gangloff of Mount Airy and Martha and Luther Wagoner of Norfolk, Va.; a son and daughter-in-law, Clyde and Virginia Roberts of Satellite Beach, Fla.; three stepsons and a daughter-in-law, John Roberts of North Carolina, Wade and Loraine Moore of Mount Airy and Jim Moore of Boonville; eight grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; 13 step-grandchildren; 26 stepgreat-grandchildren; two sisters, Mary Johnson of York, S.C. and May Cloninger of Dallas, N.C.; and a brother, Wade Hoffman of York, S.C. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 2, 1997, in Moody Funeral Home of Mount Airy, conducted by the Rev. Mary R. Miller and the Rev. Harry Sherrill, with burial to follow in Oakdale Cemetery. The family will receive friends Tuesday night from 7 until 9 p.m. in Moody Funeral Home of Mount Airy, where her body will remain until the hour of the service. Flowers will be accepted or memorials may be made to Rockford Street United Methodist Church.

PARRIS

Mrs. Francis Irene Turne Parris, 74, of 3892 Roc Barn Road, Conover an formerly of Statesville, die Sunday at Iredell Memori Hospital in Statesville fo lowing a lengthy illnes Born in Alamance Count on November 22, 1925, sh was a daughter of the lat John Turner and Ginny Le Cranford Turner. She was retired LPN at Irede Memorial Hospital and member of Rockford Unite Methodist Church in Moun Airy. On February 12, 194 she married Mr. Rudolp "Rudy" Parris who die May 11, 1971. Survivors include four sons, Tommy Lee Parris of Conover, John David Parris of Statesville, Phillip Lynn Parris of Stony Point and Steven Bernard Parris of Rhyneville, KY. Also surviving are a half brother, Frank Turner of Charleston, S.C.,; six sisters, Mrs. Pearl Hilliard of Graham, Mrs. Lula Turner of Mount Airy, Mrs. Effie Hall of Burlington, Mrs. Evelyn Curl of Graham, Mrs. Gwyn Cutler of Trinity and Mrs. Mary Edna Harper of Norfolk, Va.; five grandchildren; and four great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two brothers, Eugene Turner and Julius Turner; and three sisters, Mrs. Bertha Hodges, Mrs. Kathleen Wall and Ruth Turner. Funeral services are scheduled for 4 p.m. Wednesday at Westmoreland Chapel of Bunch-Johnson Funeral Home with the Rev. Richard Adams officiating. Pallbearers will be Tommy Lee Parris II, Rudolph Bradley Parris, Steven Parris, Eric Anderson, Bill Martin and Larry E. Curl. Burial will follow in Oakwood Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 7 until 8:30 p.m. Tuesday at Bunch-Johnson Funeral Home. For those who prefer, memorials may be given to the National Kidney Foundation of N.C. Inc., P.O. Box 2383, Chapel Hill, 27514. Bunch-Johnson Funeral Home is entrusted with the arrangements.peele

SAWYERS

Mr. Curtis Romey Sawyers, 76, of 1686 Park Dr., Mount Airy, the husband of Ruth Lawrence Sawyers, died Monday, October 23, 1995, in Northern Hospital of Surry County, Mount Airy. Born May 2, 1919 in Surry County, Mr. Sawyers was the son of the late Lee Grant and Sadie Venable Sawyers. He was a retired, self-employed mechanic and farmer, a World War II veteran of the U.S. Army, a member and past master of Copeland Masonic Lodge #390, A.F. and A.M., and a member of Rockford Street United Methodist Church. Surviving are his wife, Ruth L. Sawyers; two daughters and sons-in-law, Frances Sawyers and Robert Corn of Mount Airy and Margaret Sawyers Clement and Phillip of White Plains; four grandchildren, Dean Clement and wife, Janene, Doug Clement, Darren Corn and Dana Lord and husband, John; four great-grandchildren, Jacob Lord, Abbi Lord, Amber Corn and Jenna Clement; three sisters, Lola Boles of Ararat and Celia Cook and Susie Cook, both of Mount Airy; and one brother, Gratsie Sawyers of Ararat. In addition to his parents, Mr. Sawyers was preceded in death by an infant sister and three brothers, Everette Sawyers, Howard Sawyers and Bud Sawyers. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 11 a.m. in Rockford Street United Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. Mary Miller and the Rev. Harry Sherrill, with full Masonic burial rites, conducted by Copeland Masonic Lodge #390, A.F. and A.M., to follow in Skyline Memory Gardens. The family will receive friends Wednesday from 7 until 9 p.m. in Moody Funeral Home of Mount Airy, where his body will remain until taken to the church to lie in state 30 minutes prior to the service. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Rockford Street United Methodist Church Steeple Fund, in care of Mr. C.B. Roberson, 430 Old Hwy. 601, Mount Airy, N.C. 27030.

KINGSBURY

Mr. Robert Raymond Kingsbury, age 64, of 137 Simpson Mill Rd., Mt. Airy, N.C., husband of Mrs. Claudine Colbert Kingsbury, died Friday afternoon, March 21, 1997 at Northern Hospital of Surry County in Mt. Airy, N.C. Mr. Kingsbury was born in Surry County, N.C., September 28, 1932 to the late Robert Thomas and Naomi Quesinberry Kingsbury, was employed by Libby Hill Restaurant, was a retired employee of Renfro Corp., and a member of the Rockford Street Methodist Church. Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Claudine Colbert Kingsbury, of the home; two daughters and sons-in-law, Tammy and Michael Leonard, Mt. Airy, N.C., and Margie and Lowell Parker, Kernersville, N.C.; a son, Robert Kingsbury, Mt. Airy, N.C.; four grandchildren; a sister, Debbie Cecil, Mt. Airy, N.C.; and three brothers, Rev. Tommy Kingsbury, of Mt. Airy, N.C., John Kingsbury, Lake Shore, Miss. and Bill Kingsbury, Salisbury, N.C. The funeral service will be held on Monday, March 24, 1997 at 2 p.m. at the Rockford Street United Methodist Church conducted by the Rev. Mary Miller and the Rev. Harry Sherrill with burial to follow in Oakdale Cemetery. The family will receive friends on Sunday night, March 23, 1997 from 7 to 9 p.m. at Moody Funeral Home in Mt. Airy where his body will remain until carried to the church to lie-in-state 30 minutes before the funeral service. Flowers will be accepted or memorials may be made to the charity of the donor's choice or to the Rockford Street United Methodist Church, 520 Rockford St., Mt. Airy, N.C. 27030.

HAYMORE

Mrs. Emma Susie Shelton Haymore, 90, of Pell Care, Winston-Salem, and formerly of Washington Avenue, Mount Airy, the widow of Mr. Charlie Haymore, died Thursday, January 25, 1996, at Pell Care. Mrs. Haymore was born Feb. 10, 1905 in Surry County to the late Phillip Anderson and Clarise Frances Overby Shelton, was retired from Lynn Hosiery Mill, a housewife and a member of the Rockford Street United Methodist Church. Surviving are a daughter and sons-in-law, Eva and Floyd Wilson, Mount Airy, and James Fulk, Danville, Va.; sons and daughters-in-law, James (Pete) and Kay Haymore, Roger Gray and Lynda Haymore, Bobby Ray Haymore, Ronald and Gail Haymore, and Dorothy C. Haymore, all of Mount Airy, and Arvie Haymore, Norfolk, Va.; 22 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; three step-grandchildren. In addition to her husband and parents, Mrs. Haymore was preceded in death by a daughter, Frances H. Fulk, and three sons, Thomas W., Charles A. and Johnny P. Haymore, and a great-grandchild, Danielle Summer Haymore.

MOORE

Mr. Hurley Ester Moore, 97, of 402 Culbert Street, Mount Airy, the widower of Zelma Roberts Moore, died on Sunday, July 25, 1999, in Northern Hospital of Surry County. Mr. Moore was born on January 10, 1902 in Surry County, the son of the late Thomas McKinley and Cora Ayers Moore. He was retired from Mount Airy Chair Company, was a volunteer at the Salvation Army and Wal-Mart for dedication of service to fellow citizens of Surry County; an RSVP volunteer for 16 years, having entertained at rest homes and nursing homes; was a charter member of Rockford Street United Methodist Church, where he was selected as the "Father of the Year" in 1986; and was selected as the "Lay Person of the Year" by the Northeast District, United Methodist Church, in 1995. Surviving are two sons and a daughter-in-law, Wade and Loraine Moore of Mount Airy and Jim Moore of Boonville; two stepdaughters and sons-in-law, Pansy and Francis Gangloff of Mount Airy and Martha and Luther Wagoner of Norfolk, Va.; one stepson and daughter-in-law, Clyde and Virginia Roberts of Satellite Beach, Fla.; one grandchild; one great-grandchild; and six stepgrandchildren. In addition to his wife and parents, Mr. Moore was preceded in death by four sisters, Florence Moore Coe, Josephine Moore Huffman, Lillian Moore Boyd and Alma Moore, and three brothers, Roger Moore, Roscoe Moore and Max R. Moore. The funeral service will be held on Tuesday, July 27, 1999, at 12:30 p.m. in Moody Funeral Home Chapel of Mount Airy. The service will be conducted by the Rev. Gary Leonard, with burial to follow in Oakdale Cemetery. The family received friends on Monday night from 7 to 9 p.m. in Moody Funeral Home of Mount Airy. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Rockford Street United Methodist Church, 520 Rockford Street, Mount Airy, N.C. 27030, or to the charity of the donor's choice.

BARKER

KING — Mrs. Ona McMillian Barker, 83, of Evangeline of King, formerly of Hadley Street, Mount Airy, the widow of the late James William "Bill" Barker, died Tuesday morning, February 27, 1996, at Evangeline of King. Born June 27, 1912 in Patrick County, Va., Mrs. Barker was the daughter of the late Samuel and Mittie Young McMillian. She was retired from Belk's Department Store and a member of Rockford Street United Methodist Church. She is survived by one daughter and her fiancee, Ms. Glenda Conner and Mr. Robert L. Gantt of Pfafftown; two grandchildren, Teresa Wood Potts of Winston-Salem and James Daniel "Jimmy" Wood of Burlington; five great-grandchildren, Bradley Potts, Cayce Potts and Brett Potts, all of Winston-Salem, and Katilyn Wood and William Wood, both of Mount Airy; and two brothers, Luther McMillian and Russell McMillian, both of Mount Airy. Funeral services will be held Thursday, February 29, 1996, at 2 p.m. in the Moody Funeral Home Chapel, Mount Airy, conducted by the Rev. Mary Miller, with burial to follow in Skyline Memory Gardens. The family will receive friends Wednesday, February 28, 1996, from 7 until 9 p.m. in Moody Funeral Home in Mount Airy.

VERNON

CANA, Va. - Mr. Harlie Woltz Vernon, 83, of Rt. 2, Box 513, Cana, Va., the husband of Mrs. Virginia Creed Vernon, died Wednesday night, July 16, 1997, at his home. Born April 8, 1914 in Carroll County, Va., Mr. Vernon was the son of William Henry and Mary McCraw Vernon. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army, serving in World War II in Europe, was retired from Mount Airy Chair Company after 50 years of service and was a member of Oak Ridge Baptist Church. Surviving are his wfe, Mrs. Virginia Creed Vernon of the home and one sister, Mrs. Ella Mae Jones of Cana. In addition to his parents, Mr. Vernon was preceded in death by three sisters, Piercie Richardson, Gladys Vernon and Julina Smith, and two brothers, Jake Vernon and Willie Vernon. Funeral services will be held Saturday, July 19, 1997, at 2 p.m. in Oak Ridge Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. David "Buster" Sechrist and the Rev. Harry Sherrill, with burial to follow in Oakdale Cemetery. The family will receive friends Friday night from 7 until 9 p.m. in Moody Funeral Home in Mount Airy, where his body will remain until taken to the church to lie in state 30 minutes before the service.

CREED

CHARLOTTE - Miss Lillian Katherine Creed, 81, of 2727 Shamrock Dr., Charlotte, formerly of Mount Airy, died Saturday night, November 15, 1997, in the Brian Center in Charlotte. Miss Creed was born April 26, 1916 in Surry County to the late Cebron and Mallie Shelton Creed. She retired from J.C. Penney Co. after 40 years of service and was a member of Rockford Street United Methodist Church, where she was a Sunday School teacher and sang in the choir. Surviving are one sister and brother-in-law, Peggy ad James Kimmons of Charlotte; two nieces, Miriam Oxendine of Huntersville and Tonna Painter of Charlotte; six great-nieces and great-nephews, Chesley Oxendine, Isaac Oxendine and Amanda Oxendine, all of Huntersville, Joshua Painter, Haley Painter and Kelsey Painter, all of Charlotte. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, November 19, 1997, at 11 a.m. in Rockford Street United Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. Gary Leonard and the Rev. Harry Sherrill, with burial to follow in Skyline Memory Gardens. The family will receive friends Tuesday night from 7 until 9 p.m. in the Moody Funeral Home in Mount Airy. Flowers will be accepted or memorials may be made to the University City United Methodist Church, 6100 W. Sugar Creek Road, Charlotte, N.C. 28269-0965 or to the Rockford Street United Methodist Church, 520 Rockford Street, Mount Airy, N.C. 27030.

McCOY

Mr. William Kyle McCoy, 79, of 332 Durham St., Mount Airy, the husband of the late Ella Berrier McCoy, died Tuesday, November 21, 1995, in the V.A. Hospital in Salisbury. Born August 25, 1916 in Surry County, Mr. McCoy was the son of the late William M. and Ida Mae Jones McCoy. He was a World War II veteran of the U.S. Army and a member of the Claude E. Hooker VFW Post 2019 in Mount Airy. He was also very active with the American Cancer Society, receiving the Sword of Hope Volunteer of the Year in 1989, was retired from Sherman Simpson construction as a foreman and of the Methodist faith. Surviving are four grandchildren, Brad Gammons, Todd Gammons, Corey Berrier and Josh Berrier, all of Mount Airy. In addition to his parents and wife, Mr. McCoy was preceded in death by a grandson, Ricky Shaw; a sister, Lillian Carpenter; and three brothers, Reynolds McCoy, Harold McCoy and Junior Carson McCoy. Graveside services will be held Friday, November 24, 1995, at 2 p.m. in Oakdale Cemetery, conducted by the Rev. Howard Tucker, with full military rites conducted by the 11th District Honor Guard, N.C. Veterans of Foreign Wars, Claude E. Hooker VFW Post 2019 in Mount Airy. The family will receive friends in Moody Funeral Home in Mount Airy from 12 noon until the hour of the service.

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4.	Banner, Scott	"	"
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13.	Blizard, Roxie	309 Holly Ave. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-9776
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19.	Brookshire, Jack	P.O. Box 488 (101 Noonkester Dr.) Toast, NC 27049	(336) 786-6984
20.	Brookshire, Marjorie	"	"

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23.	Carter, Evelyn	210 Galloway St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-7741
24.	Carter, Michael	303 Cloudman St. Charlotte, NC 28294	
25.	Carter, Tamara	218 Galloway St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	
26.	Carter, Thomas	2215 Baymount Dr. Statesville, NC 28677	
27.	Caudle, Jack	Mount Airy, NC	
28.	Caudle, Jane	"	
29.	Colbert, Douglas	198 Esmeyer Dr. San Rafael, CA 94903	
30.	Cole, Mary	212 Terri Lane Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-1679
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32.	Compton, Lewis	"	"
33.	Conner, Glenda Barker	P.O. Box 16773 Winston-Salem, NC 27115	(336) 744-1723
34.	Dalton, Helen	802 Hawmore St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-7384
35.	Davenport, Marty	330 Gloria Ave. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-1983
36.	Davenport, Sara	156 Fairview Dr. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-2535
37.	East, Eddie	623 Bunker Rd. Mount Airy, Nc 27030	(336) 7892353
38.	East, Jennifer	"	"
39.	East, Glenn	P.O. Box 76 (Old Hwy. 601) White Plains, NC 27031	(336) 786-2364
40.	East, Ruby B.	"	"

41.	East, Nonnie B.	425 McKinney Rd. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-1197
42.	Evans, Ernestine	214 Korner St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-4002
43.	France, Sandra	214 Korner St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-5422
44.	Gwynn, Beulah	1968 Park Dr. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-1649
45.	Harbour, Emma	Twelve Oaks Rest Home Galax Trail, Mount Airy, NC 27030	
46.	Hatcher, William	c/o Jamie Roberson 430 Old Hwy. 601, Mount Airy, NC 27030	
47.	Hemrick, Allison	1881 Slate St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-7735
48.	Houck, Thomas H.	Ridgecrest Retirement Community 1000 Ridgecrest Lane, Mount Airy, NC 27030	
49.	Hull, Paul	157 Orchard St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-1234
50.	Hull, Peggy	"	"
51.	Jessup, Frieda	Unknown	
52.	Jessup, Wayne	Unknown	
53.	Johnson, Jackie	806 W. Haymore St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-5582
54.	Johnson, Robert	"	"
55.	Jones, Lacy	1502 Long St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-3754
56.	Jones, Lola	"	"
57.	Kiger, Charles	1971 Tanglewood Dr. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-2003
58.	Kingsbury, Claudine	137 Simpson Mill Rd. Mount airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-9803
59.	Langford, Lisa Hull	12 S. Oak Forest Dr. Asheville, NC 28803	

60.	Lawrence, Mary Jo	Rt. 3, Box 104, Mill St. Greenville, NC 27834	
61.	Lawson, Linda	P.O. Box 741, White Pines Country Club Rd Mount Airy, Nc 27030	(336) 789-2431
62.	Leonard, Marilynn	239 Hilda Dr. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-1370
63.	Martin, Florence	249 Orchard St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-4551
64.	Martin, Roscoe	"	"
65.	McMillian Larry	214 Andrews St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-4532
66.	McMillian, Lummie	703 Creed St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-4689
67.	McMillian, Russell	702 Marshall St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-4307
68.	Miller, Lola (Toby)	223 Ararat Rd. Pilot Mountain, NC 27041	(336) 369-2873
69.	Neal, Gladys	247 Hylton St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-4447
70.	Nichols, Jack	331 Hadley St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-7709
71.	Nichols, Margaret	Twelve Oaks Rest Home Galax Trail, Mount Airy, NC 27030	
72.	Nunn, Frances Caudle	Unknown	
73.	Roberson, C.B.	430 Old Hwy. 601 Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-1313
74.	Roberson, Jamie		"
75.	Rogers, Barbara "Polly"	171 Bluff St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-2247
76.	Sawyers, Ruth	1686 Park Dr. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-4890
77.	Smith, Carolyn Carter	3375 W. Pine St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	
78.	Snow, Laurie	Rt. 1, Box 167A Pilot Mountain, NC	(336) 368-5402

79.	Snow, Vicki	108 W. End Dr. Mount Airy, NC 27030	
80.	Stanley, Pat Cole	P.O. Box 187 Claudville, VA 24076	(540) 251-5598
81.	Stanley, Alexandrea	"	"
82.	Stanley, Elizabeth	"	"
83.	Stanley, Nicole	"	"
84.	Steele, Garnett	328 Culbert St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-7068
85.	Steele, Mary Ann	"	"
86.	Steele, Jack	1214 E. Linville Rd. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-3560
87.	Sutphin, Fannie	138 Worth St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-2339
88.	Topp, Gloria	Unknown	
89.	Topp, Roy	Unknown	
90.	Turner, Lula	521-D Porter St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-5923
91.	Venable, JoAnn	1020 Rockford St. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-7098
92.	Vernon, Virginia	1506 Brushy Ford Rd. Cana, VA 24317-4141	(540) 755-3305
93.	Wagoner, Bill	1318 Calvary Dr. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 786-5698
94.	Wagoner, Geraldine	"	"
95.	Wall, Ann Wimbish	408 Fulton Ave. Mount Airy, NC 27030	(336) 789-3356
96.	Wall, Andrea	"	"
97.	Ward, Mary (Sissy)	420 Pinecrest Dr. Mount Airy, Nc 27030	(336) 786-6775
98.	Witt, Shirley	1426 Edgewood Dr. Mount Airy, Nc 27030	(336) 786-4095
99.	World, Frankie E.	Unknown	



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